

SOCIETY NEWS

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Graham P. T. A. Meets Wednesday.

Graham Street Parent-Teachers Association will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Graham street school auditorium.

Contemporary Book Club

The Contemporary book club will meet with Miss Minnie Eddins Roberts Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at her home on W. Marion street.

Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Turner who live between Patterson Springs and Earl, had as their dinner guests Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Love of Shelby, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Collins of Grover and Mr. McCombs of Charlotte. A most delicious Thanksgiving dinner was served.

At Chimney Rock

Mrs. Madeline Charlie Laughridge and Roger Laughridge chaperoned the following young people at a house party at the Carlos Hopper cottage at Chimney Rock, going on Wednesday afternoon and returning Saturday: Misses Jean and Mildred Laughridge, Annie Ruth Dellinger, Cornelia Sparks, Ruth DePriest, Elizabeth Thompson, Guy Laughridge, James Eskridge, Billy Thompson, Tom Cottle and Wallace McGinty.

Mrs. Kendall Has Family Dinner

Mrs. H. E. Kendall charmingly entertained with a four course dinner, honoring her relatives from Danville, Va., on Friday evening at her home on N. LaFayette Street. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. Plummer Wiseman, Mrs. Moseley, Mrs. H. A. Wiseman, Bob Wiseman of Danville, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Lee B. Weathers, Miss Pearl Weathers, Frank and Whitelaw Kendall and Mrs. Kendall.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morris were gracious hosts to the Fortnight Bridge club Friday evening at their home on N. Morgan street. The large living room was attractively arranged with chrysanthemums and roses. The high score prize for the ladies was awarded to Mrs. Joe Naah, a luncheon cloth. Prof. Clontz, guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards, was the winner of the gentlemen's prize. A delicious sweet course with hot chocolate was served.

Mrs. Mull Gives Dinner Party

Mrs. John Mull delightfully entertained a number of her neighbors and friends with a series of dinner parties, serving at each dinner an elegant four course turkey plate with accessories. On Friday at 1 o'clock, covers were laid for: Mesdames H. D. Wilson, Colin Hull, Cleveland Gardner, Otto Long, Ray Lutz, Misses Laura and Nora Cornwell and Mrs. Mull. Friday evening at 7 o'clock the guests included Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hamrick, Mr. and Mrs. Gier of Canton, Mesdames Slough Hopper and G. P. Hamrick. Saturday at 1 o'clock covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. Rush Hamrick, Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Casstevens, Miss Montrose Mull, Mr. and Mrs. Reid Young, Mrs. H. T. Hoyle and Mr. and Mrs. Mull.

Polkville School Faculty Entertained

On last Thursday evening Mrs. W. H. Covington, Misses Mardecia Eaker, Bernice Borders and Margaret Kennedy entertained the members of the Polkville school faculty with charming dinner party at the home of Mrs. Covington in Polkville. The Thanksgiving atmosphere was effectively introduced by a decorative table cover, a center arrangement of fruit and autumn leaves flanked by tall green tapers, and individual mint cups with a turkey motif. After a five course dinner, featuring Thanksgiving specialties, the evening was concluded with a theatre party. Guests of the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Lattimore, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. El-

lott, Mr. James L. Dennis, Misses Della Powell, Odessa Moss, Bertie Champion, Ernie Dellinger, Evelyn McCall, Ethel Armstrong, Lizzie Mae Lee and Mary D. Palmer.

Twentieth Century Club

The Twentieth Century club will meet with Mrs. J. D. Lineberger at her home Vanhall Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Mothers Club

The Mother's club will meet with Mrs. Carlos Grigg Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at her home in Belvedere.

Chicora Club

Mrs. Mary E. McBrayer will be hostess to the Chicora club Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at her home on N. LaFayette street.

Call Meeting Of Evening Division

There will be an important call meeting tonight at 7 o'clock at the club room of the evening division of the woman's club. Members are urged to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Short Give Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Short were hosts at a delightful dinner party Thanksgiving evening at their attractive home in Belvedere Heights honoring Miss Theresa Taylor of Rutherfordton.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors, also the attending physicians, for their kindness to us during the illness and death of our little son, Billy Gene.

Mr. and Mrs. John Norman

Mr. and Mrs. Hamrick Have Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. Rush Hamrick entertained with an elaborate turkey dinner yesterday at their home on S. LaFayette street. Guests included: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Eskridge, Miss Bertha Bostic, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Love, Mrs. T. G. Hamrick and Harold Hamrick.

D. Z. Newton Sunday School Class

There will be a business meeting of the D. Z. Newton Sunday school class Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Jean Schenck, with Mesdames Dan Fraiser and Miss Gussie Sisk assisting. Mrs. Schenck as hostesses. All members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Arey Give Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Arey gave a family dinner Thanksgiving at the home of Mrs. Kate L. North. An elegant four course dinner was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Will Arey and three sons, Mr. and Mrs. Pat McBrayer, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Arey, Ward, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Arey.

Hamrick-Lattimore Wedding In Gaffney

Mr. Broadus Edward Lattimore and Miss Lois Hamrick, both of whom live in West Shelby, were married in Gaffney, S. C., November 28, according to an announcement made here this morning. Both are popular young people, well known in this community. They were accompanied to Gaffney by Misses Ruth Berger and Grace Wesson and Mr. Dewitt Minyard.

Birthday Party

Mrs. Roseco McQuitter honored her little son, Henry McQuitter, with a party Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at their home on E. LaFayette street in celebration of his third birthday. The neighborhood children were invited. Mrs. McQuitter entertained the children with stories and numerous games. Moon suckers were given as favors and Dixie cups with cake was served. Henry was delighted with his birthday gifts.

Family Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Suttle were hosts yesterday with an elaborate family dinner at their home in Belvedere. Guests included: Mrs. Hester Suttle, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. McMurry, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Lackey, Mrs. Lewis Baley, Miss Mary Suttle, Bill Baley, J. L. Suttle, Mrs. J. D. Lineberger, Sherrill and Miss Nancy Lineberger and Mr. Joe Suttle.

Worth Eskridge Weds In Kentucky

Announcements reading as follows have been received by friends of the groom here: "Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Taylor announces the marriage of their daughter, Prude Mae to Mr. Worth Eskridge. Saturday, the fourteenth of November, nineteen hundred and thirty-one, Jasper,

Indiana. At home after the first of December, Owensboro, Kentucky." Mr. Eskridge is a native of the Double Shoals section of the county and for several years was book-keeper for the Farmers and Planters Hardware Co. in Shelby. He has been a student in a business college at Bowling Green, Ky., and it was there he met the charming young lady whom he has married. Mr. Eskridge has many friends throughout the county who are interested in his marriage.

Mozart Music Club Meet

The Mozart music club composed of the music pupils of Mrs. P. L. Hennessy were entertained by Miss Nadine Ellis at her home on W. Warren street Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. This club meets regularly every two weeks. After the roll call and minutes of the previous meeting were given by the secretary, Miss Ethel Gaffney, a miscellaneous program was enjoyed. Those taking part on the program were: Misses Jane Washburn, Celeste Hamrick, Mary Jean Abernethy, Harry Glenn and Sara Mundy Hamrick. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Miss Ruby Washburn Weds Dufaye Bridges

Double Springs—A wedding of unusual note and interest to this and neighboring communities was solemnized on Thursday afternoon November 26th at 4 o'clock at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Washburn, when their daughter, Ruby, was married to Mr. Dufaye Bridges. The service was conducted by Rev. D. G. Washburn, uncle of the bride.

Decorations for the occasion carried out the scheme of the fall season. Evergreens, colored leaves, giant chrysanthemums and winter pinks were attractively arranged to give the appearance of a secluded spot in the forest. The service was held on the broad veranda of the Washburn home, while some 200 friends and relatives looked on from the spacious lawn.

Miss Selma Davis sang very beautifully "At Dawning" and "I Love You Truly" accompanied at the piano by Miss Janie Greene. "Lohengrins March" was used for the processional and "Indian Love Call" was softly played during the ceremony.

The best man was Wyan Washburn brother to the bride and a sophomore of Wake Forest college. The maid of honor, Miss Bertha Hawkins was very attractive in a dark brown ensemble. Other couples preceding the bride and groom in the march were: Mr. Olin Greene and Miss Eliza Brooks, Mr. John L. McSwain and Miss Reba Moore, Mr. Reburn Washburn and Miss Beatrice Blanton.

Proceeding to the center of the veranda the groom formed into a semi-circle surrounded by small evergreens, which were under-decorated with beautiful pots of geraniums. The bride was exquisitely beautiful in white silk crepe with a spray of daisies delicately arranged around her forehead. She wore a charmingly arranged corsage of lace ferns and geraniums. The groom was handsome in a suit of dark blue serge.

Immediately following the recessional the bride changed quickly to her traveling costume of black and green taffeta with accessories to match, and with a few intimate friends the happy couple motored to the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Bridges, parents of the groom, where they were served a bountiful supper. The couple then left for Spartanburg and other points south. Mrs. Bridges was educated at Meredith college and Mr. Bridges is a graduate of Lattimore high school. Both are very prominent and popular among the younger people of this community. On their return they will be at home to their host of friends at Lattimore.

On the evening of the 25th the bride and groom were delightfully entertained by the presence of a number of close friends. Climaxing a program of special songs and games the guests were ushered into the dining room where a delicious ice course was served. Those present were: Rush and Selma Davis, Dorothy Washburn, Janie Greene, Olin Greene, Elia Brooks, Bertha Hawkins, Wyan Washburn, Reburn Washburn, Beatrice Blanton, John L. McSwain, Reba Moore and the bride and groom.

Out of community guests for the wedding included: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gold, Chesnee, S. C.; John L. McSwain, Arthur Neal, Kings Creek S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. John Hamrick, Roseville, this state; Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Washburn, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Washburn, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Washburn, and Miss Inez Bridges of Shelby and Miss Lucille Gold Cliffside.

Slumming In Wall Street.

(From The LaFayette Journal and Courier). If things get much worse down there it won't be long before tourists will be taken on slumming tours through Wall street.

Watch The Star This Week for Christmas Bargains.

Operation Every Day To Keep Man In Charlotte Alive

Charlotte. — Earl Lanford, Charlotte business man, must undergo an operation a day to keep alive.

His case is said by Dr. Gabriel Tucker, famous bronchoscopic surgeon of Philadelphia, to be the only one of its kind in the world. Every morning Lanford must swallow a heavy one-inch metal ball, pull the object down his throat by means of a string into the bottom of his stomach, and then pull it back again. Thus he is kept from starving to death. Years ago Lanford found he was rapidly losing weight and a physician in Greer, S. C., told him his lower esophagus had closed and he was starving to death. Lanford then went to Dr. Tucker, who performed the singular operation. An incision was made in Lanford's stomach and he was fed through a rubber tube for six months. Then his esophagus was opened by hydraulic pressure—the weight of water—and later Lanford was started to swallowing a small metal ball.

This was increased to its present size of slightly over 1 1/2 of an inch in diameter and each morning Lanford goes through his tortuous routine of swallowing the ball and pulling it back. "Sometimes the ball presses so hard against my heart it knocks me out," Lanford said. If his esophagus should close entirely as it did two years ago, it would probably mean Lanford's death, and so he follows his daily morning routine—swallowing the metal ball to keep from starving.

Polkville Scout News. Almost all the members in the troop are getting ready for the court of honor. Some are seeking higher rank, while others are working on merit badge subjects.

Shelby Girls Take Part On Program

The Nonpareil Literary society of Mars Hill college, gave their 36th anniversary program Saturday evening, November 28.

The following girls from Shelby took part on the program: Lillian Crowe, chief marshal, chairman of anniversary program; and Ray Gibbs, took part in the play that was presented, "A Dream of Queen Esther."

Sure. The Ladies Read Sales "Ads"

Columbus, Ohio.—The bureau of business research at Ohio State University learned following a recent survey, that irrespective of social status, a majority of Columbus women habitually perused newspaper advertisements of special sales in retail stores.

The bureau, taking cognizance of a long-standing controversy among retailers relative to the desirability of such advertisements and believing that definite conclusions could not be reached in any other manner, asked "the only person who knew"—the ultimate consumer.

College Boys Seeking Cheaper Courting

Chicago.—On account of the "depression," they said, men students living in University of Chicago dormitories want to be allowed to entertain co-eds in their quarters. Women are now banned from the men's dormitories.

In a petition signed by all the hall residents, the students claimed "It's cheaper to use the room dad pays for" than to a rent or maintain a car, and asked: "That co-eds be allowed to dine in the dormitory refractory once a week?"

That girls be allowed in the lounge rooms until 10:30 every night? That girls be allowed in the men's rooms Saturdays and Sundays until 6:30 p. m. "There's a depression on," one student said. "We've got to cut expenses somehow."

Margaret Egan, student editor thought co-eds would favor part of the plan, but said: "I'm sure the women would be happy to visit the dorms, but I doubt their willingness to risk going to a man's room alone. None of the girls I know would think of it."

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Belwood Scout News.

The Wolf patrol gave a very interesting program last Friday night at the regular meeting. There were 13 of the boys present and every one took part in the games and enjoyed the evening.

In the business part of the meeting we decided to camp out Tuesday night, Nov. 24, at Acre Rock near Belwood. Dixon Willis entertained the troop at the camp fire of that night with some games and stunts.

Wayne Carpenter, Rep.

Boy Scout Troop No. 3. The regular meeting of troop 3 was held on Tuesday night, Nov. 24. This meeting was opened with the Lord's prayer after which blanks were given to the boys for a test. The Eagle patrol has decided to change its name and have agreed to call it the Crow patrol. The troop is planning to start a library for the boys and all are very enthusiastic about this idea.

Troop 3 is to re-register on November 30, and most of the boys are planning to re-register at this time. The coming year, 1932, looks like a very promising year for troop 3 and we hope we will be able to do better than we have in 1931.

Polkville Scout News.

Almost all the members in the troop are getting ready for the court of honor. Some are seeking higher rank, while others are working on merit badge subjects. About the first of November, Mr. Aderholt, our scoutmaster, filled a toy balloon with hydrogen gas and he and some other boys turned it loose. It very quickly arose high into the air and was soon out of sight. A note which was fastened to the end of the balloon brought the following answer: "Boy Scouts, troop 1, Polkville N. C.: This note and balloon was found in a briar patch on Duncan's Creek about six miles from Polkville, November 18, 1931, by Virgil Whitehead, Lawndale, N. C., REP. No. 1."

The balloon evidently stayed up a week or more. Our troop is very much in the need of a troop meeting room. We do not have any certain place to keep our equipment and library. A room like this adds much more interest to scouting.

Stamp collecting has begun in our troop, like the bow and arrows, as described in troop 2, Shelby's column a few weeks ago. Everyone who has begun it seems to find it very interesting.

All the members of the troop enjoy reading the Scout News very much. We would like to hear from the other troops that do not report so regular.

Troop No. 2 Shelby.

Troop No. 2 of Shelby met Monday night, Mr. Propst, scoutmaster, was absent but each patrol leader kept his patrol quiet. The Crow patrol was in charge of the program. Carl Mayhue, patrol leader, had several tricks of mental magic and mind reading. No blanks for advancement were given out but several boys already had blanks. We only hope they will continue and go before the court which will be held December 7 at the Cleveland county court house.

Many boys would be interested in trying for the free scholarships offered by Fisher Body. Four scholarships are given valued at \$5,000 each. Many trips to Detroit. There are 964 awards in all. For full information and entry blanks see

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COATS AND DRESSES
NASH Has New—

And they are decidedly different, new color combinations, new styles and just as attractive as can be — and they are not high in price — Just \$10.

If you want to be economical we will sell you one of our older dresses at much less than they were early in the season. You'll like our new Sport Coats too.

Nash

Textile Men To Meet At Pinehurst Dec. 4

University President, F. P. Graham, To Deliver Address. Recent Business Pick-Up.

Announcement is made of the forthcoming mid-winter meeting of the Cotton Manufacturers association of North Carolina, which will be held at the Carolina hotel, Pinehurst, December 4th and 5th. Two or three outstanding features mark this meeting as one of the most important which has been held in years. For one thing Dr. Frank P. Graham, recently inaugurated president of the University of North Carolina, will deliver the principal address at the dinner meeting to be held Friday night, December 4. Dr. Graham has established a reputation for frankness in public expression and his address is being anticipated with keen interest.

One of the most outstanding business features of the coming meeting will be the formal re-organization of the association at the business session on the morning of the fifth. A certificate of incorporation and a new set of by-laws will be presented and will be formally adopted. Other features of the convention

will be a meeting of the executive committee at 11 a. m. on the 4th and a golf tournament to be participated in by members and guests Friday afternoon under the general supervision of W. H. Willard of Charlotte. The forthcoming meeting of the manufacturers will be regarded with interest not only by textile men but by the business interests of the state in general. The position of the textile industry is such that its status is reflected in a very large measure in the conditions of other lines of business, particularly in the merchandising field. The recent "pick-up" in the textile industry has had a very perceptible effect in increasing the volume of retail sales throughout the Piedmont section of the two states.

Some General Motors dealer, Fred M. Simmons, Scribe.

Troop No. 1 of Mooresboro. The Mooresboro troop No. 1 Boy Scout held their regular meeting last Friday evening, November 13. The scout law was reviewed by 13 scouts, each discussing one part of the law. The entire troop took part in an active drill on first aid. Each scout was required to shoulder the limp form of another scout and to carry him out of a large building. Several interesting games filled the

activity period. The following boys expect to appear before the December court of honor: For first class: L. W. Green, Jr.; for merit badges: John Z. McBrayer, Julius Fraser, Byron Bailey and Bill Greene; for tenderfoot test: Fields Packard, Joe Walker, Paul Allen, Ralph Blanton, Jr., Norris Green and Paul Green.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Mrs. L. A. Blalock, deceased late of Cleveland county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Shelby, N. C. on or before the 27th day of November, 1931, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 27th day of November, 1931.
FRANK L. HOYLE, Administrator of Mrs. L. A. Blalock, deceased.
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TRUSTEE'S SALE.
By virtue of the provisions in deed of trust executed the 25th day of February, 1928 by John Blanton and wife, Mattie Blanton, to secure an indebtedness, and recorded in book 149, page 189 of the recorder's office and default and demand having been made, I will sell to the highest bidder at the court house door in Shelby on
Tuesday, December 29, 1931 at 12 o'clock M. the following described real estate: Being lot No. 69 of the subdivision of the Mrs. Z. Green land, as shown by map recorded in book 1 of plats, page 45, situated on the side of Oak street, 100 feet from Carolina avenue, in the town of Shelby, said lot being 50x140 feet.
Terms of Sale: Cash.
This the 30th day of November, 1931.
B. T. FALLS, Trustee.
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Closing Out SALE



of PIANOS

We have 25 Pianos and Player Pianos—all Uprights, most of them are new, which we are going to sell regardless of price on account of vacating the building where they are stored. They must be out by Jan. 1st, 1932. This sale will be conducted at the store between the Bee Hive and Alexander's Jewelry Store.

Beginning Dec. 1st and Ending Dec. 31st EVERY PIANO MUST BE SOLD

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Every Piano in the house will be sold for less than factory cost.

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In fact, every Upright Piano in our stock is in this sale.

WE ARE NOT GOING OUT OF BUSINESS. We haven't got room in our Main Store for these Pianos and we must give up the building housing them on January 1st. We do not call this a BARGAIN SALE. The word bargain has been so badly abused and misrepresented, but we do say, if you ever intend buying a Piano, it will certainly be to your interest to call and see what we have to offer you for so small amount of money.

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