

# WILL LECTURE AT WOMAN'S CLUB

Dr. Charles H. Winston Will Tell Society About "Wild Flowers."

## WEDDINGS ARE APPROACHING

Number of Nuptial Events Are Announced for Near Future.

**April Shower Song.**  
The clouds hung gray and low,  
E'er the pale green trees,  
The wind came warm and slow,  
From changeful April seas;  
While, with vague crystal clang,  
The timid raindrops sang:

"The spirit wanders, fearful,  
And yet with eager wing,  
Out from the trace of winter,  
Till the dream of spring;  
Till heaven's hope-born laughter  
And earth's joy-laden crown,  
Call forth May's bud of promise—  
The red, ripe rose of June."

—William Struthers, in Town and Country

### At the Woman's Club.

Professor Charles H. Winston, of Richmond College, will give a talk on "Wild Flowers" at the Woman's Club on Monday afternoon. The appropriateness of the subject, and Professor Winston's well known acquaintance with it guarantee for his hearers an hour or more of rare enjoyment.

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Abbe, of New York, will be tendered an informal reception at the club, at which time she will address the ladies. Mrs. Abbe, who will be a guest at the Executive Mansion this week, is prominent in social and educational circles in New York, and is a most attractive woman, whom it is a privilege to meet.

Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. E. R. Morton as chairman, Miss Lila Watt, secretary-general of the Mission to Lepers in Canada and the United States, will tell the club members and other ladies, particularly in the subject, of her work among the lepers.

Miss Watt, a highly cultured young woman, who could have filled and adorned almost any position socially, has devoted her life for years to the advancement throughout this continent. She has given up a luxurious home in Guilph, Canada, and has traveled, written and spoken in behalf of and for the betterment of the most suffering class of humanity, having visited Great Britain as the guest of nobility, and many of the principal cities in Canada and the United States.

In Baltimore Miss Watt has been entertained by Dr. Oser, who always took a great interest in the mission. In Richmond she will be the guest of Mrs. E. O. Nitting, No. 42 East Main Street.

On Saturday, April 23rd, Miss Watt

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MISS NELLIE VIRGINIA MASON.

Miss Mason's marriage to Mr. Thomas Newton Miranda, of Jacksonville, Fla., will take place in Freemason Street, Christian Church, the Rev. Frederick D. Powers, of Washington, officiating

will be present at a fair and fancy sale, to be given by the children of the Junior Mission Auxiliary, at No. 329 East Franklin Street. She will also speak at several places, to be named later.

### Class Musical.

The pupils of Miss Petticoat's piano class entertained their parents and friends Friday afternoon with a very interesting programme, which was greatly enjoyed by the audience, as was manifested by the hearty applause and congratulations received by pupils and teacher.

Miss Bessie Douglas, though just entering her teens, rendered seven solo numbers from memory with the style and technique of an experienced pianist. "The Inquisitive Boy," a recitation by Miss Jane Porter Cason, and "Bill Smith," recited by Miss Harriett Lillian Cason, brought ripples of laughter, while Miss Suzette Henry's recitation, "Two Little Niggers," captivated the audience. All of the pupils acquitted themselves most creditably, showing careful and artistic training.

At the May meeting of the class Miss Fay Deane Henry will entertain.

Those taking part in the programme were Misses Bonnie May Douglas, Fay Deane Henry, Jane Porter Cason, Harriett Lillian Cason, Zula Henry, Suzette Henry, Anne Fleming, Helen Thompson, Ollie Sydney, Nellie Sydney, Lillie West, Margaret Gibson, Lillian Gunn, Louise Gathright, Isabel Lafferty, Mrs. R. W. Anderson, and Master Payson Bruce. Master Sydney Macfarland was absent on account of sickness.

### Mrs. Atewood Hostess.

One of the most brilliant social events of the season was the reception given at "Cherwood," the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. John Randolph Atwood, of West Appomattox, on Monday evening. The entire house was most attractively decorated with palms and American Beauty roses. Mr. Atwood, in an imported gown of white lace, over chiffon and taffeta, received the guests in the front parlor, assisted by Mrs. Robert Louis Freear, of Farmville, Va.; Mrs. Arthur Powell, Mrs. A. F. Anderson, and Miss Mollie Early, of Lynchburg, Va.

In the rear of the large parlor hall the punch bowl was presided over by Mrs. Hubert Watsli, assisted by Mrs. Clara Harvey, of Lynchburg.

The guests were invited to the dining room by Miss Edith Atwood and Miss Sallie Clarke Cullen, of Farmville, Va.

Mrs. A. F. Anderson, of Lynchburg, poured the chocolate, while Misses Florence Harvey, Virginia Atwood and Nellie Harvey served the guests refreshments. Among those present were: Mrs. Mary Morris Nowlin, Lynchburg, in black crepe grenadine over taffeta, with duchess lace.

Mrs. Robert Louis Freear, in pink crepe de chine, with panna velvet trimmings; Mrs. Arthur Powell, in black and white chiffon over taffeta.

Mrs. A. T. Anderson, in black lace over black taffeta.

Mrs. Mollie Early, in white silk grenadine over taffeta, with duchess lace trimmings.

Mrs. Clara Atwood Harvey, black lace over black taffeta, with jet trimmings.

Mrs. Hubert Watsli, in violet crepe de chine, with lace trimmings.

Mrs. Hettie Boyli, in blue crepe de chine, with chiffon trimmings.

Miss Sallie Clarke Cullen, in white lace over blue taffeta, with panna velvet trimmings.

Miss Lucy Langhorne, in violet crepe with lace trimmings.

Miss Katherine Forsley, white silk mull over taffeta.

Miss Mary Burke, white crepe cloth over taffeta.

Miss Elizabeth Burke, white silk.

Miss Madalaine Thornhill, in white silk grenadine.

Mrs. Allen Clement, black silk and duchess lace.

Mrs. Dr. Julian Abbott, blue silk mull.

Mrs. C. W. Hancock, black silk and jet.

Mrs. E. W. Taylor, in handsome black lace over white taffeta.

Mrs. Walter McGill, in yellow chiffon over taffeta.

Ladies assisting in the dining room at the luncheon were:

Mrs. Lucy Langhorne, of Lynchburg;

Mrs. Sallie Clarke Cullen, of Farmville;

Mrs. Thornhill, of Covington, Va., and

Mrs. Robert Louis Freear, of Farmville,

va.

Mrs. Clara Atwood Harvey presided at the chocolate table.

Guests included General Julian S. Carr, Captain R. H. Hicks, Chief Justice Walter Clarke, Senator J. A. Long, Adjutant-General Robertson, Colonel Ashton Grymes, General Bryan Grymes, Hon. Josephus Daniels, General Page, Colonel Oide, Major H. A. London, Dr. Booth, Colonel Benahan Cameron, Dr. Tucker, Dr. Johnston, Mr. Harrison Watts, Dr. H. T. Bahnsen, Mrs. H. A. London, Mrs. Moffat, Mrs. Mary Grymes Smith, Miss Eloise McGill, Mrs. Garland Jones and Mrs. Hall, all of North Carolina; Governor A. J. Montague, Judge Theodore Garnett, Hon. H. D. Flood, Mr. Robert Louis Freer, Mr. F. S. Woodson, Major Joel W. Flood, Mr. J. E. Long, Dr. Julian Abbott, Dr. James B. Abbott, the Rev. H. C. Smith, Messrs. R. C. Howey, Beverly Winston, Allen Clement, George T. Peers, C. W. Hancock and E. W. Taylor, Mrs. Carrier, Mrs. Arthur Powell, Mrs. Mary Morris Nowlin, Mrs. Hubert Watsli, Mrs. A. F. Anderson and Misses Early, Bayly and Horsley, of Virginia.

### Hutt-Epes.

The Blackstone Advance has the following mention of a wedding in which Richmond people are interested. The Advance says: "There will be a quiet home marriage in Blackstone next Wednesday, April 26th, at 3:30 P. M., when Miss Louie Epes will become the bride of Mr. George T. Hutt, of Richmond. This announcement will come as a great surprise to many of the friends of the bride, but all will wish for a happy future. Immediately after the ceremony the couple will leave for Atlanta on a bridal tour.

Mr. Hutt is associated in business with the Postal Telegraph Cable Company, and has his home at No. 709 East Grace Street.

### Mr. Powell Entertained.

Mr. John H. Powell was entertained at luncheon Thursday by Mrs. J. A. A. Groner, of Norfolk.

The Norfolk paper says Mr. Powell a pretty compliment in saying: "Society turned out in force last evening

at the Masonic Temple, to the piano recital given by John H. Powell, of Richmond, who has been studying in Vienna, for several years past, with eminent musicians of that center of art. His principal teacher, there was of art. His performance, he would have been as proud of, as his audience was pleased with him. Mr. Powell was heard in selections from Beethoven, Schumann, Chopin, Rubinstein, Hahn, Liszt, and also played a composition of his own, called "Humoresque-Dance Americaine" (a Monsieur-Henri Iurt) the latter number being received with great favor by his hearers.

He is expected to go back to Vienna, in October next, and will then resume his piano studies with his former teacher. The program of the recital were these: Mrs. J. Jones F. Lynch, Mrs. Lelston Hubard, Mrs. James Iredell Jenkins, Mrs. Fergus Reid, Mrs. Westmore Wilcox, Mrs. Richard McIlwaine, Mrs. John W. Vaughn, Mrs. N. M. Osborne, Mrs. Walter H. Taylor, Jr., Mrs. Henry H. Little, Mrs. W. F. Riddle, Mrs. Lawrence T. Royter, Mrs. Alfred Eldridge, Mrs. William T. Brooke, Miss Lizzie Bowdoin, Miss Nina Seabury, Miss Virginia Roper and Miss Margaret Roper.

### Advance Year Book Sheet.

An advance sheet taken from the 1905 Year Book of the A. P. E. S. is now going to press, on which the corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. Enders Robinson, has been closely occupied for the past six weeks, is of much interest, showing as it does, the remarkable increase of association membership, since the publication of the last Year Book in August, 1902. The members listed for the new issue have been compiled after the lists of the eleven branches have been strictly revised compared with the printed list, and the lists of the treasurer and corresponding secretary, kept at headquarters. Through an oversight, the branches, thirty members, of the corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. Enders Robinson, has been included in the annual list, and the error there remained 246 life members in said book. The gain in three years and eight months, of ninety-six, swells the life list in the new book to 342 members. The increase in the annual list attests, not only the fine work of the Branches, but the indefatigable efforts of the membership committee at headquarters. The Year Book of 1900-1901 records 51 on the annual list; the Year Book of 1903 will show an annual list of 92, and a total membership of 1,281.

### Mrs. Waddill Entertains.

Mrs. Samuel J. Waddill entertained Mrs. W. V. Robertson's "Loving Circle of King's Daughters, of which she is a member, at No. 25 East Franklin Street, Friday afternoon, at 4 o'clock. This circle works faithfully for the Sheltering Arms Hospital.

Miss Dottie Henley, Miss Louise Stacy and Miss Emily Waddill served refreshments at the close of the business meeting. The April colors of white and green were carried out in ices, cakes and longons. Decorations were in white lilacs and ferns.

### Arene Chapter, O. E. S.

Members of Arene Chapter, Order Eastern Star, having accepted the invitation tendered them by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Masonic Home, will represent France at their table in the "International Festival" to be held in the Masonic Temple, April 25th-28th, inclusive. Mrs. W. A. Rice, worthy matron, has appointed Mrs. A. M. Barbour, grand treasurer, chairman, and Mrs. C. A. Nesbitt, grand conductress, alternate.

The following ladies will assist in making the table successful: Mrs. W. L. Balles, Mrs. Laura McCabe, Mrs. James A. Morris, Mrs. Clara McCurdy, Mrs. J. S. Hughes, Mrs. Charles Billups, Mrs. F. L. Johnson, Mrs. Thomas, Miss Minnie King, Mrs. T. N. Durvin, Mrs. Newberry, Mrs. Ben. Ford, Mrs. Joseph Carter, Mrs. J. S. Moore, Mrs. Oscar Parrish, Mrs. Horace A. Hawkins, Mrs. J. T. Bailey, Mrs. B. H. Thompson, Mrs. George Tony, and a number of others.

Many of these are enthusiastic members of the Ladies' Auxiliary, and active workers for the Masonic Home. The proceeds from this table will go into the treasury of the chapter, as has been stated, but will be given for the benefit of the Masonic Home. Through the untiring efforts of Mr. C. A. Nesbitt, past grand patron, and other prominent Masons of Virginia, the order is making rapid progress. Mrs. Lelia B. Jewitt, of Fort Norfolk, has selected May 15th as Masonic Home Donation Day, throughout the State. The O. E. S. of Virginia is doing a noble work for the Masonic Home.

### Engagement Announced.

Mrs. J. A. Saunders announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Elizabeth E. Needham, to Mr. Bernard H. Holzboeh, the marriage to take place on April 21th, at St. Patrick's Church. No cards issued, owing to a recent bereavement in the family of the bride.

### Masonic Home Auxiliary.

An important called meeting of the Masonic Home Auxiliary will be held in the Temple, Wednesday afternoon, at 4

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Milans, in all colors, with the broad drooping brims and bell crowns, trimmed with ribbons and flowers.

## School Hats

—Ever so many new and clever affects in sailors and a new Corday Hat (for school), has the crown draped with velvet, forming Alaskan boy in front. A late aspirant for favor is a two-toned Milan, Tam O'Shanter, white and blue, white and red, white and brown.

## Easter Suits and Wraps, Correctly Designed and Cleverly Fashioned.

THE recent arrivals add new beauty to our sumptuous apparel floor and index precisely the smartest ideas from the leading designers, who fix the seal of authority on the style tendencies for Easter. Women who desire the artistic tone of highest-priced custom-made garments will find the distinctiveness and beauty of these new arrivals most satisfying and the prices most pleasing.

## Fancy Costumes

—Of imported volle, in tan, white, gray, black and brown—in a wide range of Easter styles, especially priced at \$25.00, \$30.00, \$35.00, \$40.00, \$50.00.

Costumes of Mohair, Panama Cloth, Cheviot and stylish Fancy Mixtures, in styles as varied as Fashion will endorse at prices ranging from \$5.00 to \$35.00, all new Easter styles.

## Silk Suits

—Of two-toned taffeta, Rajah and fancy weaves, in variations of the blouse and shirt-waist styles, also the gimp effects, among the recent arrivals there are some very attractive values at from \$10.00 to \$25.00.

One Shire Waist model at \$12.50 is worth particular mention. It's a light Taffeta Silk, comes in blue, brown and black stripe.

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- Erect Form 958 (Average of Basiste Model) of Coult 2.00
- Erect Form 967 (Medium of Coult Model) of Coult 2.50
- Nuform 415 (Average of Basiste Model) of Coult 3.00
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### Academics Coming.

The Academics of the University of Virginia, who are being trained by Mr. Frank Lea Short, of New York, for the presentation, at Easter, of a comic opera, "The Kahn of Kathah," will come to Richmond and repeat their performance at the Academy of Music, on the evening of May 4th, under the auspices of the Art Com-

### Hunt Ball.

The Orange Hunt Club has issued invitations for a handsome Hunt Ball to be given in Masonic Temple at Orange on the evening of April 25th.

The decorations, in the Hunt colors, will be elaborate and beautiful, and will carry out the sporting idea in every particular. The evening will be the order of the evening and the Deep Run Hunt will be well represented.

The Orange Hunt leads off in the sporting gayeties for the Easter season, toward a charming personality, and of great interest. The ball will be an elegant affair, with the prettiest girls and the most gallant hunting men to be found anywhere within the Old Dominion or outside of it.

### Landers—Enright.

Cards are out announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Nellie T. Enright, to Mr. Thomas M. Landers, the happy event to be solemnized in St. Patrick's Church Tuesday morning, April 25th, 1905, at 7:30 o'clock.

The bride elect, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Enright, is possessed of a charming personality, and is one of Fulton's most popular ladies.

The groom elect is the Inspector of Plumbing for the city of Richmond, and is one of Richmond's best known citizens, he being an expert in his profession. Besides his business qualifications, he enjoys an extensive social acquaintance, and he holds membership in many prominent organizations.

### Craddock—Schaaf.

Miss Iva Lee Schaaf and Captain Augustus E. Craddock were married in Washington, D. C., Wednesday morning,

April 12, at 11:45 o'clock. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Schult, of No. 625 North Twenty-fifth Street. The groom is the captain of the steamer Mavern Hill, that plys be-

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