

SOCIETY

Miss Fanny Hampton will be hostess for the Fortnightly Literary Club, Monday, December 14.

Don't forget the "Merchant of Venice," Monday night.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Mr. Matthew Lyle Spencer and Miss Lois Hill on December 22, at Spartansburg, N. C.

"The Devil" is coming Tuesday night.

King's Daughters' Bazaar.
The King's Daughters gave a successful bazaar, Thursday. The store room adjoining Winn's Furniture Store was beautiful with dainty and exquisite articles, as well as the useful things which the nimble fingers of a woman can make.

The doors were opened at 9 o'clock, and there was a grand rush. The dainty creations went like wild fire. Any and everything one wanted could be found on the twenty-five cent table. The delicious home made candy was soon sold.

The bazaar was continued this morning, and every article was sold.

"Merchant of Venice."
The "Merchant of Venice" is going to be one of the most attractive plays ever staged in Winchester. It is all local talent, and will be thoroughly entertaining. All are taking an intense interest in the success of the play; and it should be well attended, for the proceeds go to the splendid cause of athletics.

Tickets are now on sale at Martin's Drug Store and are going very fast, so if you want any, you had better get them at once. There will be a great football game. They have already begun their work, and constant practice will keep the grid-iron artists in shape for the game. The play in this scene takes up the game at the close of the second half of a 0 to 0 struggle, with five minutes to play, and the finish of the contest is pulled off with all the realism of a sure enough game on the field. The two teams represent Wesleyan and Transylvania, and are supposed to meet on Thanksgiving Day.

In the part of Jessica, Miss Clay Croxton is making a decided hit, and will share with Shylock, the major portion of the applause.

The Winchester Quartet will render selections between two of the acts. This in itself will insure to all who attend their money's worth.

The Cast.

The cast will appear as given below:
Shylock—Prof. Geo. S. Dalgety.
Antonio, Capt. of football team (Wesleyan)—Roscoe Farris.
Gratiano, Suitor to Nerissa—Chas. L. Lewis.

Bassanio, Suitor to Portia—V. I. Moore.
Judge of Police Court—Walter V. Cropper.

Tubal Capt. Transylvania team—Walter B. Taylor.
Prof. Sweingenhagenblumenheimer—Jas. Phillips.

Launcelot Gobbo, Shylocks servant—H. H. Foskett.
Samuel Foraker Roosevelt Brown—Carl Hendrix.

Policeman—Leland Hains.
Portia—Alice Porter.
Nerissa, Portia's friend—Emma Lee Taylor.

Jessica, Shylock's ward—Clay Croxton.
Miss Abbie Threedice—Pauline Peoples.

Polli, Portia's maid—Merry Rees.
College Girls—Mildred Johnson, Jane Bright Robinson, Helen Nelson.

Football Teams.

Transylvania	Center	Wesleyan
Sousley	R. G.	Hunt
Candle	L. G.	Foskett
Ruggles	R. T.	Hunt, J.
Cockrell	L. T.	Bolinsboro
Ralston	R. E.	Boles
Aitkin	L. E.	Williams
Stone	Quarter	Crapster
Eubal	L. H. R.	Bassanio
Henry	R. H. B.	Antonio
Norris	F. B.	Godbey
Foskett	Referee—Jeff Stewart.	Gratiano

Oyster Supper.

An oyster supper will be given at the Witherspoon schoolhouse Saturday night at 7 o'clock for the benefit of the school. An admission of 25 cents will be charged, and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Ramsey-Cox.

Mr. Frank Ramsey, Deputy City Collector, and Miss Amos Cox, of 263 E. Main street, Lexington, were married Thursday afternoon at the home of the bride, Rev. I. J. Spencer performing the ceremony.

The wedding was a quiet one and only a few friends were present. The bride, who formerly lived here, is quite popular and attractive, while the groom is a very deserving young man. The happy couple will make their home here.

Elegant Dinner.

Mrs. Henry M. Jones entertained Thursday, at her palatial country home, "Breeze Hill," with an elegant dinner, in honor of Miss Clara Tandy, of Como, Miss.

The house was beautifully decorated with mistletoe and begonias. The dining room was especially attractive. A huge wreath of mistletoe was suspended from the chandelier, beneath which was a large vase of pink begonias. Around this was scattered pink begonias, and sprays of leucohlea were gracefully strewn over the table. On each end of the table were mints and candies

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A six course dinner fit for the gods, was served by Mrs. Jones in her graceful and inimitable way.

Among those present were: Miss Clara Tandy, of Como, Miss.; Mesdames Cassius M. Clay, Brice Steele, Robert Talbott, of Paris, Solomon Van Meter, of Lexington, James Pickrell, Ella Rounsavall, Strother Goff, John Reese, Nelson Gay and William Gay.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Ella Hardwick, of Stanton, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Talitha Grigsby.

Miss Clara Tandy, who has been the attractive guest of Mrs. Henry M. Jones and Mr. David S. Gay for a week, left Wednesday night for Virginia.

Mrs. Watts, of Lexington, has been visiting the family of Rev. J. R. Peebles.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Haggard and children, were in Lexington, Thursday.

Mr. E. S. Jouett went to Louisville, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. J. W. Ishmael was in Lexington, Thursday.

Mrs. J. W. Poynter spent Thursday in Lexington.

Mrs. Skinner Kerr has come to Winchester, and has taken rooms at Mrs. Hagan's, on Highland street.

Rev. J. W. Porter, of Lexington, preached the ordination sermon at the Baptist church, Thursday night and a large crowd attended.

Mrs. Fanny Davis, of Culpepper, Va., and Miss Nellie Farris, of Flemingsburg are visiting Mrs. T. E. Barnes.

Mrs. Bryan, of North Middletown, is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Skinner Kerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Hoskins were in Lexington, Thursday.

Mr. Logan Bryant, of North Middletown, was a visitor in town, Thursday.

Mrs. James Holloway spent Thursday in Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis, of Versailles, spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Davis.

Miss Gertrude Price was in Lexington, Thursday.

Mrs. George Tomlinson and daughter, went to Lexington Thursday in afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Attersall returned Thursday to their home in Texas.

Mr. John Stevenson, Judge J. M. Benton and Mr. J. Smith Hayes were in Richmond Thursday.

Peter Pan in Real Life.

The lucky man is the man who through all the seasons of many years remains at heart a boy. He will be asked by boys to share boyish amusements and to fall in with boys' ideas of what sport should be, which is the best compliment of all. He has a man's store of experience, an added patience, a maturer philosophy, but in all else he remains a boy.—London Field.

Greek Architecture.

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German Old Age Pensions.

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