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FAIRFIELD COUNTY NEWS AS REPORTED BY CORRESPONDENTS

WOODWARD.

Mr. and Mrs. George Coleman and son, George, of Montgomery, Ala. Mr. Roy Coleman, of Jacksonville, Fla., and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Coleman and son, Wallace, of Columbia, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Coleman.

Mrs. Joe McClure, of Chester, is the guest of Mr and Mrs. W. M. Patrick.

Miss Dora Stewart, of Great Falls, is visiting Misses Inez and Francis Harvey.

Miss Lillie McIlroy came down from Chester Monday evening to spend some time at the home of her father, Mr David McIlroy.

Ralph Brice, of Charlotte, is visiting at the home of his aunt, Mrs. T. W. Brice.

Michael Brice and Catherin Ladd Chapters entertained the Confederate veterans and soldiers of the world war at a picnic at Blackstock last Thursday.

Mesdames Macie, Sam, Tom and Joe Brice spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Brice.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Kelley, of Columbia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Johnston for the week-end.

Thomas Patrick, a member of the Pig Club, is at Clemson for the two weeks' summer school.

Sam Nicholson spent Friday in Columbia.

Misses Nannie and Lizzie May McDonald and Ray and Janie May Montgomery are visiting Miss Martha McDonald at Stover.

In honor of Misses Carrie and Addie Ruth Sawyer, the guests of Misses Louise and Lawrence Harrison, Miss Lila Nicholson entertained at dinner Friday evening. Covers were laid for fourteen. The evening was spent in an interesting contest in which the word "light" was used.

Mrs. Bert Brice assisted Miss Nicholson in entertaining.

Mrs. Sam Brice entertained at dinner Monday evening in honor of Miss Marie Brice, of York, and Misses Harrison and their guests, Misses Sawyer, of Salley. The guests, numbering sixteen, were entertained by an "automobile" contest. Assisting the hostess were Mesdames Macie and Tom Brice.

An interesting ball game was played on the lawn behind Mr. Patrick's store Tuesday afternoon between the married and unmarried men, the score standing sixteen to five in favor of the unmarried men.

GREENBRIER.

Mrs. Roy Brooks and son are visiting relatives in Stone Mountain, Ga. Miss Lula Mae Feellers has returned home after spending a while with Miss Helen Lyles.

Miss Alice Ashford spent the past week-end with Miss Sadie Smith.

Mrs. Geldsmith and Mrs. Mueller Wright have returned to Lawrenceville, Ga., after spending some time with Mrs. A. C. Goldsmith.

Mrs. A. M. Blair is visiting relatives in Anderson.

Quite a crowd enjoyed a moonlight picnic Saturday evening, given by Miss Helen Lyles in honor of her guest Miss Feellers.

Another one enjoyed by all was that given by Mrs. W. R. Ashford Tuesday evening.

Mr. Castles has returned to Columbia, after spending several days with John Peay.

Clex and Dubtrd Leitner, of Lykesland spent several days with their sister recently.

The Greenbrier baseball team went over and played Jackson Creek Saturday afternoon. The score being 18 to 2 in favor of Greenbrier.

Miss Mary Lewis, of Blackstock, has returned home, after spending some time with Miss Julia Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Blair and baby of Columbia, visited here this week.

Mr. J. W. Lewis has returned home, after visiting relatives at Woodward

BLAIR.

Quite an enjoyable affair was the shower given by Mrs. J. N. Fee on Wednesday, July 6th, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Wilkes, recent bride and groom. The reception and dining rooms were decorated with beautiful house plants and ferns. Music and conversation were enjoyed throughout the evening. Refreshments of ices and cake were served by Misses Frances Blair, Louise Long and Alberta Wilkes. Mr and Mrs. Wilkes were the recipients of many useful gifts.

On Thursday, July 7th, the people of this and neighboring communities enjoyed a picnic and fish stew in the park at Blair.

Miss Bertha-Mae Blair, who has been on an extended visit to relatives in Clinton, has returned home.

Messrs. Edward Blair and Fitz Rutherford are in Tiger, Ga., taking a course in cotton grading.

Miss Annie B. Adair, who has been on a visit to her sister, Mrs. L. S. Henderson, has returned to her home in Clinton.

Miss Ida McMeekin, of Winnsboro, is the guest of Miss Estelle Lyles.

Mrs. Clayton and little grandchild, of Shelton, are the guests of Mrs. L. L. Feaster and Mrs. D. B. Crowder.

Miss Florence Edens, of Mansfield, Ga., and Miss Bess Owens, of Blair, are the guests of Misses Florence Feaster and Louise Edens.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Meadows, of Vidalia, Ga., are guests of Mrs. Julia Wilkes.

Mrs. J. D. Lyles and Miss Sarah Lyles, of Newberry county, were guests for the day of Mrs. T. E. Wilkes. Mrs. Wilkes accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham and children and Mr. and Mrs. Livingston, of Pomaria, were week-end guests of Mrs. C. H. Ragsdale.

Messrs. T. B. Willingham and J. W. Blair were visitors in Winnsboro on Wednesday.

Mrs. M. C. Ragsdale, who has been on a visit to her sons, C. H. and J. R. Ragsdale, has returned to her home in Greenville.

Master Joe Civil, of Columbia, who has been on an extended visit to his aunt, Mrs. T. O. Blair, and Mrs. W. E. Suber, has returned home.

Mrs. G. W. Broome, of Columbia, was the week-end guest of Mrs. C. H. Ragsdale.

Messrs. W. H. Long and J. N. Owens were visitors in Chester Tuesday.

Mr. R. H. Lemmon was a business visitor in Blair on Monday.

LONGTOWN.

The Longtown H. D. Club met with Mrs. Linder Kelly on Monday afternoon. In spite of the rain nine were present. We suppose the bad roads and rain kept Mrs. Clowney away, and the ladies missed their lesson on marmalades and fruit butters. Mrs. J. W. A. Sanders, as secretary of the club, took the canning report.

Mrs. Thos. Wilds gave some helpful suggestions on jelly making and gave a rug making demonstration, showing how very attractive and practical rugs can easily be woven from discarded clothes and hose, with no cost, only a few nails and some twine.

Mr. D. M. McEachern, who holds a government position in Texas, is at home on a fifteen days' vacation.

Mrs. Hemphill Hudson has as her house guest Miss Hudson, of Chester.

Miss Ada Kelly is at home from Columbia for the summer.

Mrs. Herbert Smith and little daughter, Mary, are with Mrs. J. C. Pickett for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Smith and children have gone to McCormick on a visit to Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Smith's mother.

The public will be well repaid for attending the musical at Community Building next Thursday evening. Admission, 25 and 35 cents.

RIDGEWAY.

Big and little, old and young, grave and gay, made up the crowd which assembled on Tuesday in the beautiful grove surrounding the home of Dr. and Mrs. Le Grande Guerry. The occasion was the annual picnic of the Sunday school and congregations of Winnsboro, Rion and Ridgeway, the three Fairfield Episcopal churches under charge of the zealous and enthusiastic rector, Rev. W. P. Peyton. The morning's fun for the young folks opened with a peanut hunt. The winner was awarded a large box of peanuts, which the children enjoyed throughout the day. Much excitement was manifested in the girl's baseball game between Rion and Ridgeway, which resulted in a large score in favor of Rion. After a most bountiful dinner, which was served about one o'clock, Faysoux Palmer gave a recitation, "Asleep at the Switch," which was followed by two school plays, representing a proposal in our grandmother's time and one at the present day. The talented young actors and actresses taking the leading parts were Miss Dorothy Ruff and Charles Thomas, and Miss Sarah Thomas and Charles Moore. Various sports were provided for the remainder of the day, for which prizes were given to those who won, and ice cream and lemonade were to be had in abundance. Many thanks are due Dr. and Mrs. Guerry for the use of the delightful grove, which was an ideal spot for the day's pleasure, and Ridgeway is already looking forward to a future day when our neighbors and co-workers from Rion and Winnsboro will motor down for just such another pleasant day.

Mrs. James Fulp, of Abbeville, spent a part of this week with her mother, Mrs. Monroe Wilson.

Mrs. William DesPortes has returned from a visit to her parents in Orangeburg.

Joseph Armstrong, Jr., has returned to his home in Maxton, after a month's stay with his uncle, S. P. Thomas.

Mrs. W. H. Ruff is visiting her daughter, Mrs. I. C. Cork, in Darlington. Mrs. Ruff made the trip in her car and was accompanied by Mrs. W. P. Peyton, of Winnsboro, who will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brunson.

Miss Eleanor Thomas has returned from a visit to friends in Charleston. Miss Tiny Team, of Lugoff, is the guest of Mrs. James Team.

Miss Bessie Jones, of Lenoir, spent the week with her aunt, Mrs. W. B. Kennedy.

Miss Louise Davis, of Chester, is with Miss Elmo Hinnant for a hort visit.

Mrs. Waddell, after a visit to Mrs. R. A. Meares, has returned to her home in Wilmington.

Misses Rita Meares, Elizabeth and Virginia Guerry, of Columbia, came up for the picnic on Tuesday.

R. C. Thomas is in Charlotte this week.

Mrs. H. W. DesPortes has returned from a visit to her son, Dr. DesPortes, in Fort Mill.

Miss Jane C. Thomas has gone to Chimney Rock for a short stay.

John N. LeMaster, Jr., is spending the week on Pawley's Island, the guest of his college mate, H. W. Frazer.

Rev. and Mrs. Mason are guests of Mrs. Mason's sister, Mrs. Remfort. Mr. Mason was formerly pastor of the Methodist church here and his many friends are glad to have him back again.

SALEM.

The Christian Endeavor of Salem gave a social on last Friday evening at the church.

The Lebanon Christian Endeavors were invited guests. Some of the older folks forgot their years and enjoyed the games and songs as much as the younger set. The success of the social is due greatly to the assistance of Misses Annie and Bettie Coleman, and Genie Gladney. Free cream was served to the crowd.

Miss Genie Gladney has returned home from a visit to Chester and Fort Lawn.

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NEWS FROM THE WINNSBORO MILLS

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon A. Johnston and sons, Amos and Rudolph, motored to Charlotte last Saturday. Mr. Johnston attended a business meeting of the Textile Association.

Mr. Gordon A. Johnston and family hope to move this week to their new home in Winnsboro.

Mr. F. L. Candee has gone to the country in the mountains near Asheville for a much needed rest. We are hoping that he may be able to return to us well and strong again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rambow have returned to our village after a delightful vacation of a week spent with friends and relatives in Bennettsville and Wilmington, N. C. The trip was made thru the country in their car.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lokey and family expect to leave next Saturday for a trip in their car thru the mountains of North Carolina. They expect to camp along the way. Mr. Lokey is a wise man. He says that he will have no post office, telephone or telegraph address while away.

Mrs. G. C. Gibson and little son, Geo. Jr., returned Saturday afternoon from Columbia, where Geo. Jr. has been recuperating from an operation performed by Dr. Benet early in the week. They were at the Baptist hospital.

On last Monday evening the men's club enjoyed a delightful evening of music and song. A good program was rendered. Those present thoroughly enjoyed the evening. Get together now men and let's make the next meeting a "hummer too."

On last Sunday Rev. Geo. C. Gibson, Messrs. W. E. Sentell and A. A. Jolly, Misses Marjorie Windham, Estelle Carraway, Annie Wilson and Dora Fields attended the annual Sunday School Association meeting of Fairfield county held at the Fairfield Baptist church. A great program was enjoyed and the dinner out under the trees was wonderful. The good people of that community and church certainly know how to cook. The bountiful supply did not make one feel that the boll weevil was worrying the people of that section. The writer, who was president of the Association for the past year, wishes to publicly acknowledge the Sunday school association's indebtedness for such royal entertainment.

Rev. and Mrs. Geo. C. Gibson left Wednesday morning for Atlanta, Macon and LaGrange, Ga., where they will spend a few days' vacation with relatives and friends. They will make the trip thru the country. In Mr. Gibson's absence his pulpit will be supplied. Announcement will be made later who will preach next Sunday. On Sunday, July 31st, Rev. W. M. Whitesides, Superintendent of the Baptist hospital in Columbia, will preach.

The past week the members of the Methodist church have made a campaign for funds with which to erect a house of worship. We do not know just the amount raised, yet we feel sure that the members of the Methodist congregation will be loyal to a point of real sacrifice for this noble purpose. If, by any chance, you belong to the Methodist congregation and have been overlooked, let your loyalty and generosity come to the front with a gift for the new church.

Mr. L. H. Pritchard has succeeded Mr. W. S. Thompson as chief mechanic and electrical engineer at the mill. While regretting to lose Mr. Thompson, who goes to enter the electrical business at another place, we are delighted that Mr. Pritchard is to be his successor.

Tremendous crowds have been bathing in the "hot pond" at the mill. In spite of the name of the pond the jolly bathers have found it's waters cool and refreshing. A real retreat from the terrific heat of the past two weeks.

The recent heavy rains have revived everything. Gardens, as well as flower yards, have taken on a new lease of life. The lawns are densely

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FARM DEMONSTRATION NOTES.

The weather has been fine this week for the weevil to get in some good work and from close observation we can see that he has taken advantage of the wet weather. Quite a few squares have been punctured this week that show no signs of boll weevil, but within the next few days we will have plenty of yellow squares to pick. No one should let up in picking squares now, for it may cost him his cotton crop.

A good many of the farmers in the county have some corn for sale, several thousand bushels. Right now there is practically no demand for corn, but there is still some demand for meal. Why can't we install some machinery in different sections of the county where he farmers can have his corn ground and sacked and supply all of our merchants with meal? This can be done, why not do it?

Don't forget about the garden. Your meal is not complete without some vegetables. It is a fine time to plant cucumbers, beans, Irish potatoes, Stowell's evergreen or Country Gentlemen sweet corn, early milan and rutabaga turnips.

The corn crop in the county has greatly improved. We have some as fine corn as we have ever had and a lot of it.

Mr. W. D. Park has twenty-two acres of very fine early cotton. It will average waist high and bids fair to make a fine yield. Mr. Park is keeping close watch on the boll weevil, having picked all the first punctured squares and thus far the weevil is doing him very little damage.

RION.

Mr. Joe N. Humphries has returned to Washington, D. C., after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Humphries.

Several of the young people attended the moonlight picnic at Mr. L. D. Lyles' on Saturday night. A delightful time was reported.

Many friends of Claude Lewis are sorry to learn he has typhoid fever. We wish him a speedy recovery, as he is missed by all.

Mr. McIntosh and son, Albert, Mr. Maxey Young and Misses Emmie Mae and Marie Young attended the Sunday school association Sunday, the 17th, at the Fairfield church, at Hickory Ridge.

Rev. Copeland conducted the services at the Rion union chapel Saturday and Sunday night.

There will be services at the Rion union chapel Saturday and Sunday night by Rev. Fryer.

Misses Marion Thomas, Mildred Strait and her little brother, Jerrel Strait, are visiting Miss Marie Young.

Misses "Bully" Blair and Marion Castles, of Greenbrier, visited the community recently.

Master Alfred Humphries, of Columbia, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Humphries.

The choir of the Episcopal church and a number of others attended the picnic at Ridgeway on Tuesday, July 19, which was enjoyed very much by all. It would be hard to say which was the most exciting game, the peanut race between the young men, Mr. Thomas winning the prize, or the baseball game between the Ridgeway girls and the Rion girls, which ended with a score of 11 to 2 in favor of Rion. If they did lose the ball game, we must say, they won in many other ways by showing onee and all-such a good time. Thanking you one and all, hoping it won't be long before we will have the pleasure of meeting again.

Mrs. Odon and children, of Augusta, Ga., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hartin.

A number of young people of different communities attended the moonlight picnic at Mr. and Mrs. Ashford's Tuesday night.

Mrs. John Pleasant and son, Roy, made a flying trip to Winnsboro Tuesday.

A drive is being made by the D. A. R. Chapters in the State for the erection of buildings for the new school. Help your Chapter raise its quota.

FAIRFIELD SUNDAY SCHOOLS MAKE GOOD SHOW.

Dr. J. D. McMeekin, superintendent of the Winnsboro Methodist Sunday school and member of the Upper South Carolina Conference, was elected president of the Fairfield County Interdenominational Sunday School association at the annual county convention held at Fairfield Baptist church last week. The Rev. G. C. Gibson, pastor of the Winnsboro Second Baptist church and former president of the county association, was elected vice president and Miss Nan Neil, of Winnsboro, was elected secretary and treasurer.

The convention was pronounced one of the best in the history of the association. All denominations took part and representatives were present from every section of the county.

CHAS THOMAS HONORED.

Mr. Chas. Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Thomas, of Ridgeway, who was a student at Porter Military Academy the past year, was awarded the first prize of \$10.00 in gold for the best essay on the subject of "Charleston During the Period of the War Between the States." This prize was offered by U. D. C. He was also awarded a certificate of merit for an essay which he entered in the contest arranged by the National Society of Colonial Daughters at Washington. The subject in this contest was "The Pilgrim Fathers and What We Owe Them."

DEATH OF MRS. HERRON.

Mrs. William Herron died at her home here last Friday morning from a stroke of apoplexy, after an illness of only a few days. She was the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John Davis, and was born at Monticello in 1855. She was a member of the Presbyterian church. Mrs. Herron is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Arthur Owens, of Winnsboro, and one son, Mr. Robert Herron, of Pensacola, Fla. The funeral services were conducted by her pastor, the Rev. G. G. Mayes, and the interment took place at the old family burying ground at Monticello.

SHELTON.

Miss Mae Allen is visiting Miss Varena McDaniel at Belton.

Mrs. Bernie Shellhouse and children returned to their home in Mount Morenci Friday, after a few weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Coleman.

Miss Mary Bess Coleman accompanied Mrs. Shellhouse to her home for a visit.

Mr. Geo. W. Coleman is visiting his nephew, Mr. J. F. Coleman, at Woodward.

Misses Annie and Nannie Crowder are the guests of Mrs. D. M. Dickerson, at Shiver Springs.

Mrs. S. S. Coleman returned to her home Tuesday, after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Busbee, in Monetta.

Little Miss Eileen Coleman returned to her home Thursday from Mountville, and has as her guest, little Miss Francis Teague, of Mountville.

Mrs. Bailey Crowder has been staying a while with her father, Mrs. S. S. Co Coleman.

There was a very interesting game of ball played between the fat and lean ladies of the neighborhood Thursday afternoon at the Feasterville school ground. The leans won the game, although the fats did some good playing. Ice cream was sold for the benefit of the Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wright, Jr., and Todd Coleman were in Chester Monday to see Mr. Earl Wright at the Pryor Hospital. We are glad to hear that Mr. Wright is steadily improving, and hope he will soon be at home.

Mr. J. E. Wright, of Chester, and sister, Mrs. Bob Coleman, of Camden, were the guests of Mrs. Mary Beam Sunday.

Help build the girl's school at Tamassee. You can do so by being present next Thursday at Community Building.