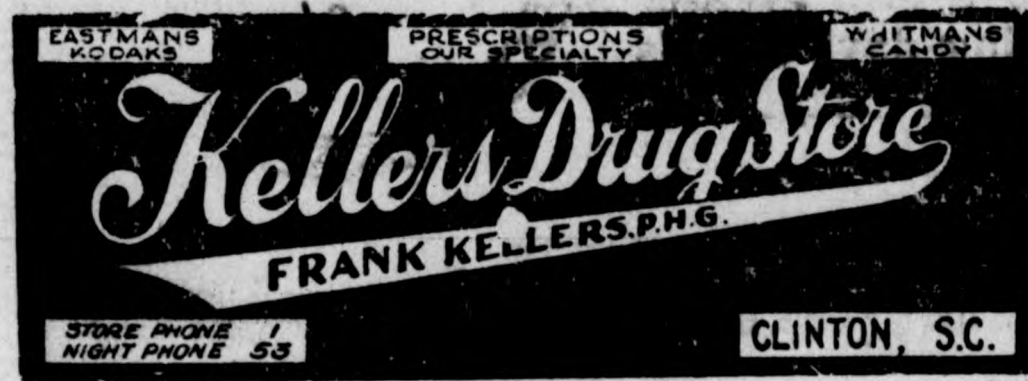


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## Personal Mention

C. W. Stone spent yesterday in Belton attending the funeral of Col. J. B. Lewis.

Mrs. L. T. Benjamin left yesterday for Hatcher, Ga., to spend several months visiting her daughter, Mrs. Walter E. Gay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pitts were the week-end guests of relatives in Winnsboro.

Miss Vivian Blakely has returned to her home at Sandy Springs after a visit here to relatives.

Miss Louise Bailey visited in Laurens last week as the guest of her cousin, Miss Margaret Norwood.

Mrs. A. B. Galloway spent the week-end in Jacksonville, Fla., with her son, Eugene Galloway.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Scurry were the guests of relatives in Greenwood for the week-end.

Mrs. Davis Williams has returned from Abbeville where she has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. L. T. Hill.

Frank Godfrey is rapidly recuperating from his illness and is spending a few days in Abbeville with his brother, A. B. Godfrey.

Rev. John McSween is spending today in Chester where he will address the Chester County Teachers' association.

Mrs. Brewer Dixon and little son of Talladega, Ala., arrived Saturday for a visit of several weeks to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bailey.

Mrs. Ralph Foster and children have returned to their home in Columbia after a visit to Rev. and Mrs. John McSween. Mrs. Foster is the sister of Mr. McSween.

Mrs. John D. Davis is at home from Latta where she visited relatives during the past week.

Rev. Samuel Long of Latta, visited his brother, Rev. Edward Long, during the past week while en route of the Baptist convention in Spartanburg.

Dr. and Mrs. L. R. Lynn were visitors in Dillon during the past week.

Mrs. Harry Layton and little daughter, returned Sunday from a visit of several weeks to her mother and other relatives in Jacksonville, Fla.

Raymond J. Pitts spent several days the past week in Anderson where he was a member of the Federal jury.

R. C. Adair has returned from a business trip of several days in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hamp Stone were called to Anderson Monday on account of the death of the latter's father, Col. J. B. Lewis.

Rev. and Mrs. Edward Long, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moorhead, Mrs. T. L. W. Bailey, Mrs. Geo. H. Ellis and Mrs. C. C. Vaughn, were in Spartanburg during the past week attending the annual session of the State Baptist Convention.

Misses Margaret Rasor and Elise Hawkins were in Greenwood Saturday.

Albert Dial is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conway Dial.

Miss Frances Hawkins of Heath Springs, spent last week-end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Hawkins.

Rev. and Mrs. F. T. McGill and children spent Saturday in Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Pinson and little daughter, Faye, are visiting friends in Columbia.

Mrs. J. H. Hawkins is visiting relatives in Columbia.

Mrs. Will Moore of Greenwood, is with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Rasor.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyle Miller of Ware Shoals spent the week-end with their father, C. D. Nance.

Miss Gladys Griffin of Greenville, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elkin Griffin.

Mrs. Lydie Miller has returned home after spending several weeks in Whitmire and Bullocks Creek.

Mrs. Mamie Lipscomb returned to her home in Spartanburg Wednesday after several weeks visit to relatives here.

Rev. and Mrs. McKinnon spent last week in Spartanburg, where Mr. McKinnon attended the Baptist convention and Mrs. McKinnon and children visited relatives.

Little Bob Crisp returned Saturday from Greenwood where he had a tonsil operation.

Mrs. Ligon and Mrs. Tom Gary of Ware Shoals visited Mrs. Lenora Major on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Witherspoon have moved to the city and have rooms with Mrs. Lilla Austin.

Miss Gertrude Leaman, Mrs. Lenora Major, Ann Major, Mrs. S. A. Leaman and Ernest, spent Saturday in Augusta.

TO NAME OFFICERS

The Clinton Kiwanis club will hold its regular meeting this evening at 7:30 at Hotel Clinton. Ballots for the election of officers for the ensuing year have been put in the hands of all members and the election will be completed tonight, it was stated yesterday by W. D. Copeland, retiring president.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Clinton, S. C., will be held in the Directors' room of the Bank at Clinton, S. C., on Tuesday, January 14, 1930, at three o'clock P. M.

B. H. Boyd, President.

## MRS. J. H. STONE LOSES FATHER

Col. Lewis Passes In Belton. A Highly Esteemed Citizen and Follower of Lee.

Friends in the city of Mrs. J. Hamp Stone, will deeply sympathize with her in the loss of her father, Col. J. B. Lewis, valued Confederate veteran, who passed away at his home in Belton on Monday night, following a brief illness. The following account of his death is taken from The State of Tuesday:

Belton, Dec. 9.—Announcement of the death of Col. J. B. Lewis which occurred at his home on River street at 11:45 tonight following a week's illness, will carry genuine sorrow to many hearts throughout the county and state. Although 82 years of age Mr. Lewis had retained to a rare degree his mental and physical faculties.

Mr. Lewis was born at Dahlonega, Ga., but left an orphan at the age of seven years he was reared by the late Crawford Keys and had spent the greater part of his life in the city of Anderson. He was first married to Miss Mary Rebecca Archer and the following children of this union survive: A. Earle Lewis, Anderson; Dr. W. K. Lewis, Columbia; Mrs. J. Hamp Stone, Clinton, and Mrs. E. W. Harper, Blomfield, N. J., all of whom were at his bedside. His second marriage was to Mrs. Jessie R. Lewis of Belton, who also survives him.

As a follower of Lee Mr. Lewis did valiant service for the Confederacy throughout the four years struggle. Through his official connection as adjutant general of the South Carolina division United Confederate Veterans and a regular attendant upon the annual reunions, his counsel and service rendered the organization were highly valued by his aged comrades. He was affiliated with Camp Stephen D. Lee and actively interested in preserving the historical records of Anderson county veterans.

Mr. Lewis was a member of the First Presbyterian church of Anderson and for many years was a ruling elder of the institution. He also held membership in Hiram lodge, A. F. M., of Anderson.

Cultured, refined, a brilliant conversationalist, a memory stored with an inexhaustible fund of facts and reminiscences, of pleasing deportment, Mr. Lewis made friends readily and consequently possessed a wide acquaintance, all of whom held him in sincere affection.

HI PUPILS TO GIVE PLAY

"The Importance of Being Earnest" To Be Presented In Florida Street School Friday Evening.

On Friday night at eight o'clock in the Florida Street school auditorium, the Clinton high school students will present Oscar Wilde's charming comedy, "The Importance of Being Earnest."

The scene of the play is laid in London and at a country house a few miles from there. One will enjoy knowing Algernon Moncrieff (James Addison), the carefree young Englishman, who says that if he ever gets married, he'll certainly try to forget the fact, but who immediately forgets this resolution when he meets pretty Cecily Cardew (Medora Browning), the ward of Jack Worthing (Dorsey McFadden). Jack thinks that the high moral tone he has to adopt in the position of guardian is hardly conducive to either health or happiness and, in order to get up to town, he pretends to have a brother Ernest, who is always getting into dreadful scrapes. And it is this same imaginary brother who involves all the characters in many interesting and extremely amusing situations.

Lady Bracknell (Ella Little McCrary), is the aristocratic and socially aspiring mother of Gwendolen Fairfax (Georgia Bee Blakely). When her daughter and her nephew, Algernon, both announce their engagements, Lady Bracknell wonders what is so peculiarly exciting in the air of that particular part of Hertfordshire that the number of engagements is so much above the proper average statistics have laid down for guidance.

Miss Prism (Doris Aughtry), Cecily's stern but invaluable governess, plays an important part in the development of the plot as well as in the life of the Reverend Doctor Chasuble (Elmore Martin), the honored pastor, whom Miss Prism finally persuades to give up a life of single blessedness. Will Davis and Charlie McDaniel both play the part of butlers splendidly.

The public is invited to come and enjoy this amusing comedy. Admission 25c and 35c.

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