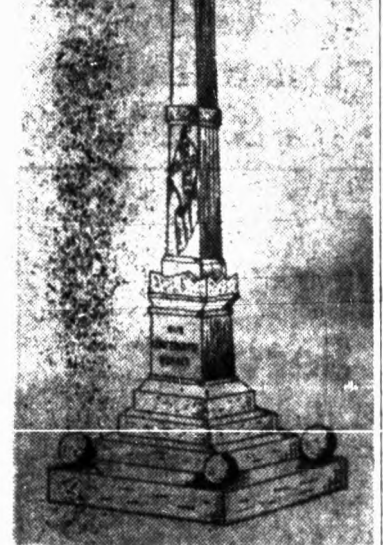


Clinton's Monument Has 50th Anniversary Jan. 19

Next Thursday, Jan. 19, marks the 50th anniversary of the unveiling of Clinton's Confederate monument. The date was selected to commemorate the birthday of Gen. Robert E. Lee.

In this 100th anniversary year of the start of the War Between the States, when observances will take place all over the country, it is interesting to note the history of the monument.



Here is a sketch of Clinton's Confederate monument that appeared in a January 1911, issue of The Chronicle. The lower step (including the four marble balls) has since been removed to widen traffic lanes on the square.

Quoting from a January, 1911, issue of The Chronicle: "The local United Daughters of the Confederacy have arranged a very interesting program for unveiling of the Confederate monument on Thursday, Jan. 19, at which time the monument will be presented to the city by Dr. W. P. Jacobs, in behalf of the local Stephen D. Lee Chapter. Prof. A. E. Spencer, President of Clinton's Business League, will act as Master of ceremonies, and Dr. W. A. Shands, Marshal. The principal address of the day will be delivered by Hon. M. L. Bonham of Anderson, S. C. The Presbyterian College Glee Club has kindly consented to furnish the music for the occasion.

The exercises will begin promptly at 10 a. m. in Copeland Hall, and partly on the square surrounding the monument. The ladies will serve lunch to the Old Soldiers in City Hall at close of the exercises.

The following program will be carried out: "Music—A Southern Medley. Opening Prayer—Rev. Harrison Fowler. Song—Sing Me A Song of the Sunny South. Address—by Gen. Bonham. Music—Tenting on the Old Camp Ground. March to the Monument. Unveiling. Presentation to the town—by the Rev. Dr. Jacobs on behalf of Stephen D. Lee Chapter. Acceptance—by the Rev. J. E. Mahaffey on appointment of Mayor McMillan. Benediction—Rev. Harrison Fowler.

All are cordially invited to attend the exercises. The Confederate monument is a very simple one in its structure. It is 25 feet high and is made of Winsboro granite. Besides the motto "Lest We Forget" the monument has on it the words "Our Confederate Heroes, 1861-1865" and "Erected by the Stephen D. Lee Chapter 1910." The only ornaments are the Confederate flags and five granite balls—four at the base and one on top of the monument. The monument complete cost \$1600.

We regret not being able to print Gen. Bonham's photo, but it was impossible to get it here in time. However it is hoped that everyone who can be present at the unveiling will come to see and hear Gen. Bonham and to take part in the exercises. The beautiful monument is a fitting memorial of those who died for our Southland. Certainly we can spend a few hours to show that we truly reverence the memory of "Our Soldier Dead."

The story was accompanied by a drawing of the monument and photos of Dr. Jacobs and Rev. Mr. Mahaffey.

Dr. Jacobs was president of Thornwell Orphanage and pastor of the Presbyterian Church at the time. Mr. Mahaffey was pastor of the Methodist Church, and Rev. Harrison Fowler, appearing on the program) was pastor of the Baptist Church.

Organization of U. D. C. Chapter The following sketch tells of the organization of Clinton's Stephen D. Lee Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy:

On February 16, 1907, a group of twelve women interested in organizing a chapter of Daughters of the Confederacy met at the home of Mrs. R. Z. Wright. The following officers were elected:

Highway Meeting Slated For Tuesday

Plans for making Highway 72 (Wilmington, N. C. to Atlanta) a memorial to South Carolina's statesman, James F. Byrnes, will be discussed at a meeting scheduled to be held Tuesday in Clinton.

Representatives from cities and towns along the route are expected to attend the session, to be held in the conference room in Belk Auditorium on the Presbyterian College campus, beginning at 8:00 p. m.

R. E. Hanna, of Cheraw, president of the Calhoun Highway Association, is arranging the meeting. Chief speaker will be Jesse Rutledge, of the staff of the S. C. Highway Department.

The movement for building Highway 72 began in Clinton in 1921 with the late J. F. Jacobs as chief promoter.

Mr. Hanna said plans for making the route a multiple-lane super highway are to be considered. The public is invited to attend the meeting.

Store Closing Hours Announced By Cox

Following a meeting of the Merchants Division Tuesday morning at the Hotel Mary Musgrove, Chairman J. Robert Cox announced opening and closing hours of Clinton merchants.

Stores will now open at 8:30 a. m. and close at 5:30 p. m. Closing times for Friday and Saturday are 6:00 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. These times become effective on Monday, January 16. Wednesday afternoon closing has already been resumed.

NEW RESIDENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Britt and two-year-old son, Randy, are new Clinton residents, and are occupying a home at 100 Woodrow Drive.

They formerly lived in Jacksonville, Fla. Mr. Britt is connected with the Modernwood Company.

Mayor Joe P. Terry Claimed By Death

Funeral services for Joe P. Terry, 62, mayor of Clinton, were conducted Sunday at 3:00 p. m. at Calvary Baptist Church by the Rev. J. W. Spillers, pastor. The services were attended by a crowd that taxed the capacity of the church.

Burial was in Rosemont cemetery. Pallbearers were Leo Heatherly, Elmer Queen, Milford Wright, Claude Kernels, Jesse Lan, Lester Ivester, John Bigham, and Thornton Meadors.

The honorary escort included members of the Moose Lodge of Clinton.

Mr. Terry died suddenly early Thursday night at his home, 501 Elizabeth street. He had been in declining health for several years.

A native of Greenwood, Mr. Terry had lived here since 1927. He was a son of the late William A. and Elizabeth Murrah Terry, and was a member of Calvary Church.

Mayor Terry had served four months of his fifth two-year term as chief executive of this city. He was first elected mayor in 1950. Prior to that he had served three

Alumni Of College Elect New Officers; Stewart On Board

Presbyterian College alumni have elected a new trustee representative and seven new officers to serve the PC Alumni Association for the coming year. It was announced today.

Kiwansians To Install New President Tonight

R. Edward Ferguson will be installed as president of the Clinton Kiwanis Club for the coming year at the club's initial 1961 meeting this Thursday night.

Waldie Bushaw, a member of the Greenville Augusta Road club, and lieutenant-governor of Kiwanis Division Nine, will have charge of the installation program.

Ferguson takes over from James Von Hollen, who served as president for 1960. Von Hollen becomes first vice-president, while J. Robert Cox steps up as second vice-president. Marvin Gault will serve another term as secretary-treasurer of the club.

Dr. Patte Awarded Honorary Membership

Dr. Edouard Patte, minister of music at Presbyterian College, has been awarded an honorary membership in the Choral Conductor's Guild of America.

He recently received word of the citation, which reads: "For outstanding work in the field of choral music and for exceptional contributions to the advancement of Choral Art."

Dr. Patte has been conductor of the Presbyterian College robed choir and a professor on the PC faculty since 1947.

Baptist Young People In Meeting Tonight

The Laurens Baptist Young People will have their monthly meeting tonight, January 12, at Calvary Baptist Church at 7:30. It is important that each church be represented at this meeting as the meeting places for the coming year will be lined up. The menu will be sandwiches and chips, and each church is asked to bring enough for its group.

Dixon Addresses Club At College

Bailey Dixon, assistant treasurer of the Lydia Cotton Mills, addressed the January meeting of the Business and Economics Club at Presbyterian College last Thursday night.

He led a general discussion of the economic position of the textile industry at the present time. President Doug McDougald presided over the program.

Capt. Howard Byars Honored In Germany

Category A designations will be awarded to 54 USAFE officers for outstanding performance in Air Force Supply duties, personnel officials recently announced in Wiesbaden, Germany.

These officers were among 362 considered by the selection board for those who have demonstrated exceptional proficiency in their jobs. Capt. Howard Byars is one of the 54 being so honored. He is married to the former Rachel Watts of Mountville. Mrs. Byars is with her husband in Germany.

To Be On TV Show

Five representatives from the Clinton Camp Fire organization will take part on a WSPA-TV program from Spartanburg in observance of the National Golden Jubilee.

They will appear on Jane Dalton's show at 1:05 on Wednesday, January 18.

District Governor At Joanna Tonight

J. T. Burdine, of Greenville, district governor of Lions Clubs, will appear for his official visit to the Joanna Lions Club tonight (Thursday), club officials stated. The meeting will begin at 7:30 in the Joanna Club House. R. Carson Nabors is president of the Joanna Club.

are Col. James A. Cheatham '32 of Columbia, commandment of the South Carolina Military District, and Thomas D. Todd '48 of Laurens, vice-president of the Spratt Grocery Company.

City Council In January Meeting

The January meeting of City Council was held Monday night with Mayor Pro-Tem S. A. Pitts presiding and all councilmen present: Frank M. Boland, ward one; Pitts, ward two; B. Noland Suddeth, ward three; Joe V. Edwards, ward four; George W. Bagwell, ward five; and James C. Craine, ward six.

The session was the first held after the death of Mayor J. P. Terry on January 5. Council adopted an appropriate resolution in respect to the memory of Mayor Terry, which is printed elsewhere in today's paper.

Messrs. McCoy and Rainey, engineers of Harwood Beebe Co., of Spartanburg, and J. B. Templeton and Bailey Dixon, officials of Lydia Mills, appeared before council in regard to a proposed sewer treatment lagoon to serve the southwest section of the city and Lydia Mills. A revised report by the engineers was read. Mr. Templeton stated that the mill wishes to share in the cost and use of the facilities on the basis as submitted by the engineers. Council will discuss the report and reach a decision in a few days, it was stated.

The city's code of ordinances has been assembled by the city attorney, as required by law, and the collection was declared official and adopted by council.

C. L. Richards was appointed a patrolman with the city police department as of Jan. 1, upon recommendation of B. B. Ballard, chief of police. Councilman Edwards refrained from voting on the motion by Craine, seconded by Boland. The other five members voted for the motion.

Suddeth, chairman of the Police Committee, stated that the application of Richards was the only one presented to him. The mayor pro-tem was directed to notify the Board of Directors of Bailey Memorial Hospital that the original plans for a sewer line to the hospital site will be followed, upon unanimous vote of the council.

An invitation was presented from the Clinton Business and Professional Women's Club to council members to attend a meeting of the club Tuesday night to hear Charles B. Culbert, chief of Columbia, state director of civil defense.

The monthly report of the police department on proceedings in city court for the month of December was presented, showing fines of \$1,163 collected.

Leading the list in payments of fines were drunks and drunk drivers.

Twenty-seven persons were arrested for drunkenness, one was released, four cases were suspended, with 75 days given on the public works and the others paying \$340.

Two drunk drivers were assessed the usual fine of \$100 each.

Other cases and fines included: Fighting, 4, \$53; carrying concealed weapons, 1, \$52; violating the liquor law, 1, \$27; disorderly conduct, 3, \$36; speeding and reckless driving, 6, \$88; operating auto without driver's license, 2, one suspended, \$39; damaging private or public property, 1, \$27; violating trespassing law, 3, all suspended; petty larceny, 6, 180 days; all other offenses, 16, two suspended, 30 days, \$195.

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May Call Mayor's Election

That Clinton voters will name a mayor in a primary (or primaries) and a general election was practically a certainty this week. No official move, however, has yet been made, it was learned yesterday as The Chronicle went to press.

City Council will meet in a special session next Monday night and the business of calling a special general election is scheduled to come before the body at that time.

In the meantime, City Attorney Cecil White will confer with South Carolina Attorney General Daniel McLeod in Columbia relative to the situation.

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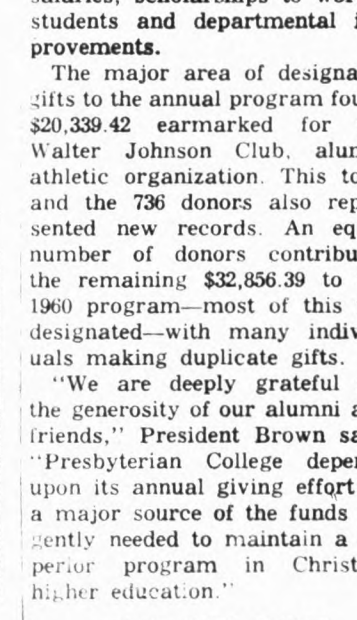
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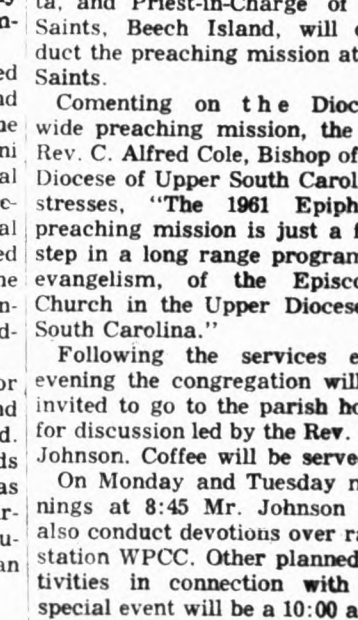
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Preaching Mission At All Saints Church

Episcopalians throughout the Diocese of Upper South Carolina are making plans for simultaneous missions during the Epiphany season. All Saints in Clinton is one of forty-four Episcopal Churches and Missions in the Diocese where such preaching missions will be held, according to Thomas B. Doyle, Jr., of Columbia, chairman of the Diocese's Division of Evangelism.

On January 16, 18, and 17 the Rev. George Johnson, rector of St. Bartholomew's, North Augusta, and Priest-in-Charge of All Saints, Beech Island, will conduct the preaching mission at All Saints.

Commenting on the Diocese-wide preaching mission, the Rt. Rev. C. Alfred Cole, Bishop of the Diocese of Upper South Carolina, stresses, "The 1961 Epiphany preaching mission is just a first step in a long range program of evangelism, of the Episcopal Church in the Upper Diocese of South Carolina."

Following the services each evening the congregation will be invited to go to the parish house for discussion led by the Rev. Mr. Johnson. Coffee will be served.

On Monday and Tuesday mornings at 8:45 Mr. Johnson will also conduct devotions over radio station WPCC. Other planned activities in connection with the special event will be a 10:00 a. m. Holy Communion service on Monday and a 3:00 p. m. church school discussion. At 6:45 a students' discussion will be held.

The Rev. John Rivers, pastor of All Saints, is conducting special services at the Church of Our Saviour in Rock Hill.