



FARMS AND FOLKS

By J. M. Eleazer

During the recent Farmer's Week at Clemson I walked to the Calhoun mansion with some friends. And the oft asked question came up, "Why was this school named Clemson and not Calhoun."

Years ago I wondered about that myself. Later I read history and found out.

John C. Calhoun had no more to do with founding this school than I did, and it was already here when I was born.

Thomas G. Clemson was born in Pennsylvania, educated in this country and abroad as a chemical and mining engineer, married Calhoun's daughter in 1838, became very much interested in agriculture and industrial education, and willed his plantation and some money to South Carolina for the establishment of such a school in the very early Nineties.

The only connection Calhoun has with the establishment of Clemson was the fact that Calhoun married his daughter a half century before Clemson, who had long been in possession of the Calhoun home, donated it for the establishment of the school that bears his name.

Clemson is indeed fortunate in that its campus embraces the plantation of its greatest statesman, and his old mansion is still perfectly preserved there.

But the great John C. Calhoun knows nothing about the existence of Clemson College, unless he could have looked forward a half century from the time of his death and saw his son-in-law leave land and money for that purpose.

So Clemson it is, and all that it could in truth be.

Homely Wisdom

I like to read the sound and practical wisdom written down by old Benjamin Franklin. Listen to this from his ancient pen:

"When you get in a tight, say your prayers at night, eat three good meals a day, and be courteous to your creditors." And Audley Ward says: "One thing the matter with the world today is that we have forgotten how to use baling wire."

And Sidney Wolff of Manning says: "What we need today is a nickel with five cents in it."

Weevil Controlled

"The boll weevil can be successfully and economically controlled," says County Agent Jackson after viewing their community in which all 140 acres of cotton had been picked right six times. A good crop is being picked there, while cotton around it is turning out only a fourth to a third of a bale per acre.

"This is a year that will demonstrate in no uncertain terms the value of poisoning," says County Agent King of Dorchester. Cotton properly poisoned is making a fair crop, while much of that unpoisoned is a practical failure there, according to King.

Quick Sweet Potatoes

L. C. Breland of Colleton county set sweet potato sprouts out on April 1 and harvested them on July 1, according to County Agent Alford.

Many farmers in the Low Country are making a run for that early potato market. Prices are generally good there, making up for the smaller yields. But if those early sprout potatoes were left later they might not turn out any more marketable potatoes. For early sprouts are usually used to get early vine cuttings from. And they make very rough potatoes if left until fall. So sweet potato growers do as Mr. Breland did, dig them early. And his is the earliest digging I have heard of. Alford didn't say, but I'll bet he got good money for them.

South Carolina Leads

We are a small state. Yet last year the cotton mills of South Carolina produced 41 per cent of the cotton woven goods in the nation. Our mills printed and finished more than the next three states put together. They were Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and New Jersey.

Clemson's textile department works closely with this great development. Its graduates fill many technical and managerial positions in our mills. And the mills are endowing the college so that it can perform a greater service to the young men who get their training here. And they in turn can then better help advance the textile business that grows in our midst.

Boys Are That Way

In the Stony Hills of the Dutch Fork where I was raised, we went barefooted in the summer until we were grown. Between the briars, stumps and rocks, our feet got mighty

Before marriage he talks and she listens; during the honeymoon, she talks and he listens; later they both talk and the neighbors listen.

LITTLE ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW

Mrs. Wilbur E. Long and son, Clyde, of Fayetteville, N. C., arrived in the city Wednesday for a few days visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Long Sr. on Pope street, and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Spinks on Friend street. Mr. Long will join his family in Newberry to spend the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Glenn and two children, Dallas and Elaine, of Greenwood, were Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. Glenn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Clary on Boundary street.

E. H. Livingston, who has been ill at his home on Hunt street for the past several weeks, was admitted to the Newberry Hospital Wednesday afternoon for treatment.

Miss Cornelia Clary left Tuesday for Urbana, Ill., to resume her duties at the Nursery School at the University of Illinois, after spending a month here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clary on Boundary street.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Kester of Walterboro, spent Tuesday in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Cousins on Mayer avenue. They accompanied their son, John Lee Kester here for the day where he enrolled at Newberry College as a member of the senior class.

Sunday visitors in the home of Dr. and Mrs. James B. Martin in Charleston were Mr. and Mrs. George N. Martin and son, Blair, Mrs. F. N. Martin and Miss Cynthia Martin of Newberry.

Mrs. J. P. Moon has returned to her home on Calhoun street, after spending the summer months in the mountains of North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Copeland and three children, Bob, Kent and Jean, spent Sunday in Laurens in the home of Mrs. Copeland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Laws.

Mrs. Gertrude Copeland and sister, Mrs. W. C. Shealy, of Clinton, spent Tuesday in Spartanburg on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anderson of Greenwood, spent Wednesday in the home of Mr. Anderson's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. Roy Anderson on Mayer avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Baxter and daughters, Misses Betty Jean and Carol Ann Baxter, and Marion Wiggins spent Sunday in Valdeese, N. C., with Mrs. Baxter's relatives.

Mrs. W. E. Monts and daughter, Julia Monts, spent the past weekend in Blackville in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Coggin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and daughter, Charlene, of Charleston, were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jane Smith on Calhoun street.

Mrs. Ida Shortt, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. T. J. Harmon at the home of Mrs. Harmon's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stewart on Jones street.

Miss Vernetha Fulmer spent the past weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fulmer in Leesville.

Jim Henderson, Supt. of the Newberry Hospital, left last Sunday by plane from Columbia for a few days in St. Louis, Mo., where he went to purchase new equipment for the hospital.

Out in midsummer, when the dewberry vines had finished their long new runners on the ground, we would have foot races through them. And by that time the bottoms of our feet had hard soles on them that ordinary briars could not phase.

Once Zeke (my colored playmate) and I were racing through a big dewberry patch there below the house. I was leading him just a little until one of those long thorny vines caught on the top of my foot and pulled across my instep like a saw. It bled a lot and he and I picked small briars out of it for some time.

But the bottoms of our feet could stand everything except the stoutest thorns that grew on "horn bushes" and the giants that sprouted from the trunks of our honey locust trees. We respected these and tread lightly where they were.

Next week let's talk about the worst thing that came to bare feet stone bruises. We had 'em. And one could dampen a good part of the summer if you were.

Theo. Neely, son of Dr. and Mrs. A. T. Neely, enrolled at the University of South Carolina Tuesday where he will be a member of the graduate school, working towards his master's degree. He was a member of the 1949 graduating class at Newberry College.

Gordon Able, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Able, left the first of the week for Columbia to enter the University of South Carolina, where he will be a member of the senior class.

Mrs. J. S. Watters and two children, Laurie and Bunny, of Atlanta, Ga., spent last week here in the home of Mrs. Watters' parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Moore in the county. They were joined here over the weekend by Mr. Watters and they left Sunday for Daytona Beach, Florida to spend their vacation before returning to Atlanta.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Moore and daughter, Barbara, were weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Moore's mother, Mrs. Julia Glover in Walterboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Felker are attending the Beauty Supply convention which is being held in Chicago, Ill., this week.

Julian W. White of Greenwood, spent several days last week in the home of his mother, Mrs. J. W. White on Caldwell street.

Mrs. W. E. Plitt of Baltimore, Md., is expected to arrive this weekend for a visit with her sisters, Mrs. J. W. White and Mrs. H. H. Kinar.

Charles Layton enrolled at Wofford College, Spartanburg, Monday where he will be a member of the freshman class. He was accompanied to Spartanburg by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Layton, and sister Sue, also Rev. C. F. Dube.

Doug Stokes, son of Mrs. Julia W. Stokes left last Tuesday for the University of South Carolina, where he will be a member of the freshman class. He attended the Freshman's Orientation camp a couple of days before the opening of school. Doug was a member of the 1949 graduating class at Newberry High school.

J. Y. Jones of Greenville, spent Thursday and Friday in Newberry.

Mrs. H. L. Parr is leaving today (Friday) for Statesville, N. C. to spend the weekend with her grandson, Rev. Louis Patrick and family.

B. V. Chapman, who has been ill at his home for several days was able to be back in his office Wednesday morning.

C. C. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Duncan are planning to spend this weekend in Norfolk, Va., with the former's sister, Mrs. H. W. Brown and other relatives. They will return to Newberry Monday, and Mrs. C. C. Duncan who has been on a two weeks' visit in Norfolk will return home with them.

Mrs. Elma Cart of Columbia spent Tuesday in the home of her sister, and brother-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Richard Lominick on Glenn street.

Henry A. Hickson of Lynchburg, is spending a few days in the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Richard Lominick and family on Glenn street.

Dr. and Mrs. Paul H. Heisey returned to their home on Calhoun street last Saturday after spending a month's visit in Springfield, Ohio, with their daughter and other relatives. They also visited Dr. Heisey's brother in Philadelphia, Pa., while on their vacation.

CONNELLY, SUMMER OPEN REPAIR SHOP

Jim Connelly and George R. Sumner have opened a watch and radio repair business on Nance street next to the Fire Department in the office formerly occupied by the U. S. Army Recruiting Service.

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NEWS BRIEFS

UNDERGOES TONSILECTOMY
Miss Beth Boulware, bookkeeper for Smith Motor Co., underwent a tonsilectomy in the Newberry Hospital Thursday morning.

MRS. WEST'S BROTHER DIES
J. R. Styles of Brownsville, Texas, formerly of Gainesville, Ga., a brother of Mrs. J. H. West of this city, passed away Monday night at his home in Brownsville.

Funeral services will be held Friday in Gainesville, Ga.
KILLED IN MISSISSIPPI
Mrs. Clyde Livingston was notified late Tuesday night of the death of her brother, Walter Smith, who was struck and killed by a truck in Yazoo City, Miss., earlier Tuesday evening.

PROF. GAVER HURT IN FALL
Prof. W. H. Gaver, who fractured his pelvis bone, when he fell down a flight of steps at the Mayer home on E. Main street, where he lives, Sunday night is a patient in the Newberry County Hospital, where his condition is reported to be good.

MOTHERS CLUB MEETS
The school group of the Mothers Club will meet Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Mrs. W. F. Partridge, Assistant hostess will be Mrs. W. H. Tedford, Mrs. R. R. Bruner and Mrs. R. E. Livingston. Mrs. Walter Suber of Whitmire, 1st vice president of Women's Club, will be the guest speaker.

ATTEND DPW SEMINAR
Mrs. Edna H. Feagle, Mrs. Ruth Mathis, Mrs. May Stuck, Mrs. Lillian Rodelsperger and Mrs. Sussie C. Brown left today (Friday) for Orangeburg to attend the Neuropsychiatric Seminar for the members of the Department of Public Welfare which will be held at Edgewood Sanitarium through Sunday.

THE GOLD SHOP OPENS
A ladies clothing store to be known as The Gold Shop opens its doors tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock in the building formerly occupied by the Sussanery shop. New stocks have been brought in for the opening and the building has been somewhat renovated and rearranged to facilitate comfortable shopping. The store's opening offerings are to be found in an advertisement in this issue.

INJURED IN FALL
Mrs. Tom Graham, who had the misfortune of falling down the back steps at her home on Martin street Tuesday morning, breaking her right leg near the knee, is reported from the hospital to be doing as well as could be expected.

Mr. Graham was leaving for work when the accident occurred. She had undergone an operation in her right knee about two weeks ago.

FOOTBALL SAT. NIGHT
The first college football game of the season will be played at Setzler field Saturday night at 8:15.

Many new players will be seen this year, and it is expected to be a close game.

Coach Laval will be assisted by his two new assistants, Jack Loyens and Buddy Morehead, who has accepted a coaching job with the Gaffney High school. Tickets are on sale at Central Drug Store.

FOSTERS TO BUILD HOME
Construction will begin about October the first on Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Foster's home which is to be erected on Johnstone street between the homes of Dr. Reynburn Lominick and Dr. Kaplan.

The house which is to be a bungalow type, will be constructed of Roanoke Virginia native stone (Mr. Foster's native state) and the masonry work will be done by Gus Holm. Leland Wilson is the contractor.

ENROLLMENT UP SOME
The city enrollment for the October primary is in the neighborhood of 3000, contrasted with 2400 two years ago. The primary will be held October 4. Voting places will be found in this issue.

Happy Birthday!
Wilton Todd, and Mrs. Geo. P. Hill who will celebrate her 81st birthday, Sept. 17; Blanch Salter and Ansel L. Wood, Sept. 18; Miss Georgia Porter, Sept. 19; Mrs. D. M. Lambert (Lucy Smith), Henry Burton Wells, Mrs. John T. Cromer, Walter Hiller and Charlie Bradley, Sept. 20; H. H. Ruff, Mrs. Eugene S. Blesse, Margaret Harmon and Tommy Riley, Sept. 21; Mrs. Ben Stewart, Sept. 22; Mrs. W. O. Miller, Susan Hawkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hawkins, Sept. 23rd.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Newberry
Virgil L. Adams to Joseph P. McMillan, one lot and one building on Harper street, \$4800. Daniel B. Goings to Bernard C. Bodie, Jr., one lot and one building on O'Neal street, \$300 and other considerations.

Ophelia Vaughn, Mattie V. Alewine and Ethel V. Koon, to Rebecca Clark, one lot on Hunter street, \$60.

Julius J. Langford to Margaret M. Shealy, one lot and one building on Jones street, \$3000. (Deed dated Sept. 7, 1919).

Henry D. Shealy to Argan T. Livingston, one lot and one building on Jones street, \$4500. (Margaret M. Shealy property).

H. L. Elrod to P. B. Ezell, one lot on Brown street, \$600. Carrie Boozer to Ethel Gary and Emory Gary, one lot (portion of 2 lots conveyed to grantor deceased dated June 17, 1943), \$5.00 love and affection.

Newberry Outside
The following real estate has been conveyed by the Kendall Company to Howard D. Phillips, one lot and one building, 2801 Fair avenue, \$2530.

Henry C. Woodward, Jr., one lot and one building, 1202 Second street, \$1540.

Frank O. White, one lot and one building, 2810 Milne Ave., \$1580.

Johnnie H. Turner, one lot and one building, 1402 Second street, \$1210.

John T. Mims, one lot and one building, 2807 Clyde Ave., \$2670.

T. N. Longshore, one lot and one building, 1407 First street, \$2320.

Beam P. Kinard, one lot and one building, 1303 First street, \$1590.

Marvin Edward Bouknight, one lot and one building, 2808 Hunt Ave., \$3690.

Willie Ferd Fulmer, one lot and one building, 2807 Hunt Ave., \$3535.

Milton Johnson, one lot and one building, 2803 Milne Ave., \$1230.

Wilton R. Elrod, Jr., one lot and one building, 2807 Milne Ave., \$1230.

W. D. Kenney, one lot and one building, 2806 Hunt Ave., \$3635.

Johnstone
Essie L. Wicker, to Claude L. Wicker, one lot \$1.00 love and affection.

E. Maxey Stone, P.J., Newberry County, to Joe N. Wilson, 250 acres, \$10700 (part of this land is in Union school district).

Stoney Hill
Pearl Boozer to Robert Moore route 2, Prosperity, 1.03 acres, \$50.00.

Midway
Wilbur E. Dowd, et al to J. C. Dowd, 46 acres, (R. E. Dowd Estate), \$3000.

Helena
G. N. Hendrix to Lendsay Guin and Mrs. Mildred Guin, 11.30 acres \$734.50.

Newberry Jersey Kick-Off Supper Monday Night

The Kick-Off Supper in the Newberry College Development Program Campaign will be held Monday night, September 19th at 8:00 p.m. in the Newberry County Community Hall. The supper will be served by the Calvin Crozier Chapter of the UDC. Over 200 will be present for the program and the short sectional meetings to follow the supper. Included with the group will be workers, Captains Chairmen and guests. The short inspirational and informative part of the program will be broadcast over WKDK beginning at 9 p.m.

The program follows: The Invocation by Rev. Paul E. Monroe, Jr. Greetings by Allen W. Murray, Genl. Chairman. The Development Program, by Geo. K. Dominick, Co-chm. What benefits to:—Newberry county by Senator Marvin Abrams. —Newberry city by John Clarkson. —Saluda Areas by Hon. Butler B. Hare. —The Schools of South Carolina by George D. Brown. —The Schools of Newberry county by Supt. G. N. Foy. The Drive—The Driver by Dr. Mamie S. Sumner. Solo—Alma Mater, by Miss Margie Smith. Closing Prayer, by Rev. Paul Sherrill.

Benefit Bridge Party
The Civic League is sponsoring a benefit bridge party Tuesday afternoon, September 20 at 3:30 o'clock at the Community Hall. A door price and other attractive prizes have been donated by Newberry merchants.

There will be a cake sold. Any one who plays bridge and has not been contacted, or would like to have a table, or just come and play, please call Mrs. B. V. Chapman, 518, and make reservation. Charge will be \$1.00 each player.

WITH THE SICK IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Ida Baker, 619 Davis street, Newberry.

Mr. J. Davis Crooks, route 3, Pomaria.

Mrs. Gladys Shealy Clamp, 1813 River street.

Miss May Dold, Newberry.

Mrs. Edith Dominick, Silverstreet.

Mrs. Margaret Fellers, 1207 Chapman street.

Mr. Jimmy Felker, Mayer Ave.

Prof. W. H. Gaver, 1717 Main Street.

Mrs. Vera Graham, 1516 Martin street.

Mr. Eddie Holsenback, 624 Moore Ave., Augusta.

Mr. S. N. Livingston, Hunt street.

Mrs. Helen Richardson and baby girl, 2543 Fair Ave.

Miss Nancy Delores Ramage, route 3, Newberry.

Mrs. Doris Suber and baby boy, 1424 Martin street.

Mrs. Lucille Shealy, Little Mountain.

Mrs. Urla Shealy, Chapin.

Country Women Plan For 1950

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Goals for the coming year were discussed and each chairman was asked to select her special goals and present them at the Council meetings. Plans were discussed and made for the Council to continue to sponsor the Cancer program in Newberry County, to work for funds with which to buy some equipment for the operating room at the Newberry County Hospital, to sponsor CROP for the needy peoples of Europe; and to continue to work for international peace through contributions to "Pennies for friendship."

Mrs. C. C. Wallace conducted an inspiring devotional using the sixty-second Psalm. After the business session the fifteen members present enjoyed a delightful social hour, at which Coca Colas, open face sandwiches, and cookies were served.

Two Dollar Days Good Financing

The Dollar days held here on September 2 and 3 proved to be a profitable undertaking for business houses, according to Cliff Graham, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. The two days grossed \$50,000 more than the same dates of a year ago, despite several adverse factors. Last year the Newberry Mills was running full time, cotton was more advanced and prices generally were higher. In spite of unfavorable conditions this year people crowded the stores and bought liberally of the offerings, Mr. Graham said.

These Won Prizes On Dollar Days

The following were the winners of the prizes offered by the merchants during Dollar Days: Miss Barbara Hendrix, RFD 2, Prosperity; Baker Shoe Store.

Mrs. Ralph Epting PO Box 77, Prosperity — Clamps Clothing Co.

Jacob Amick, RFD Prosperity — F. R. Higgins.

Mrs. S. F. Tyson, Strother — Carter's.

Mrs. Timmons Blalock, 929 Central Ave., Whitmire — R. L. Baker Furniture.

Mrs. Paul Shealy, route 3, Prosperity — The Fashion.

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George Malcolm Meetze, 1213 Jones St., Newberry — Wertz Music and Appliance.

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Permits To Build

The following building permits were issued during the past week:

Mrs. J. V. Clary, repairs to dwelling on McSwain street, \$150.

Willie Reeder, repairs to dwelling on Boundary street, \$425.

George Rikard, repairs to filling station on Nance street, \$1350.

Mrs. Lucia McGill, one two-car garage on Harper street, \$1000.

Fred Pratt, repairs to dwelling on Caldwell street, \$250.

C. C. Foy, repairs to dwelling on Cline street, \$100.

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