

Locals & Personals

A real, live newspaper is a necessity to the cultivated man, woman or child.

Mr. Henry Dougherty, of Washington, D. C., spent the week-end in the city.

Messrs. H. B. Rutherford and Beverly Roberts are out of school on account of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramey and Mr. Ford of Aiken, S. C., motored to Columbia last Thursday.

A scientist predicts that in 10 years there will be no servant girls. He is just 10 years behind the time.

Uncle Sam, it is said, will have his debt paid in 1952. That will be even earlier than our friends will settle.

Mr. C. H. Haskeew of Cheraw spent the week in the city. He was summoned for jury duty in the Federal Court.

Mr. Jas. H. Goode, Manager of the Mutual Relief and Benevolent Association spent two days in Charleston, S. C.

Miss Verona Wakefield, who is teaching at Eastover, spent the week-end at home, visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. Wm. King of Darlington was a visitor in the city Monday. Mr. King while here took the Veterinary Examination.

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Miss Isadore Miles is back again at her school work at Booker T. Washington. She was out several weeks on account of the illness and death of her father.

A Private Dance will be given at Miss Edith Reynold's home on Blossom Street, Friday afternoon from 4:30 until 10 p. m.

Mr. W. C. Counts, of Pomaria spent the week-end in the city, visiting his daughter Miss Ethel Lee, who is attending the High School here.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Simkins, Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson, Mrs. Lillian Cheatham and Mr. David Dunkton, all of Edgefield motored over to attend the dinner party given by Mr. Andrew Simkins, President of the Mutual Relief and Benevolent Association.

Mr. H. C. Culbertson of Waterloo, S. C., Rev. H. C. Cooper, Florence, S. C., and Mr. C. Lee Davis, of Anderson, S. C., members of the Board of Directors of the Mutual Relief and Benevolent Association were in the city last Thursday attending the Board meeting of said Company.

The Board of Directors of The Mutual Relief and Benevolent Association met at the home office 1501 1/2 Taylor Street, Jan. 22, 1925, to hold their first semi-annual meeting for 1925. Mr. Andrew W. Simkins, President of the Mutual Relief and Benevolent Association complimented the Board of Directors, Office Force and a few friends with a delicious dinner.

SILVER LEAF CLUB ORGANIZED.

About 14 young ladies met at Miss Thomasina Chisolm's, 709 Assembly Street, and organized The Silver Leaf Club. They hope to make social life among them much brighter. The officers elected were: Miss Matilda Goodwin, Pres.; Miss Jonnie May Pearce, V. Pres.; Miss Sadie Adams, Sec'y.; Miss Susie

Robinson, Asst. Sec'y.; Miss Thmoasina Chisolm, Treas.; Miss Hattie Bell Hunt, Chairman of Committees. The next meeting will be at Miss Fannie Reynolds, January 29th, at 4 p. m.

Doings of Le Cercle Entre Nous.

The regular meeting of Le Cercle Entre Nous was held at Miss Ray Saxon's residence Wednesday, January 21st. A good lesson was had and it proved to be the most interesting one yet. The meeting was honored with several visitors. Among them were Mrs. Estelle Perrin-Johnson, of Philadelphia and Mrs. Ruby DeLorme of Connecticut. After playing cards an hour and the scores counted, it was found that Miss Ruth Butler had won first prize, a lovely string of beads. Miss Collins drew the highest card and received the consolation. The boobie went to Miss Ruth DeLorme. A delicious salad course was served. Everyone expressed themselves as having enjoyed a wonderful afternoon. Mrs. W. D. Chappelle will be the hostess at the next meeting.

"JUST OUR BOYS" ENTERTAIN.

The home of Mr. W. H. Thomas, 1316 Richland St., was the scene of care-free merriment on the night of January 16th. Cares were forgotten and pleasure ruled supreme in the hearts of a happy bunch of young folk who were the guests of the "Just Our Boys" Club. Couples began to arrive at 7:30 p. m. The parlor in which the social was held had been cleared of furniture except for chairs and tables for whist. It was beautifully decorated in red and green streamers and red hearts. A very pleasant evening was spent at dancin' and cards. At ten o'clock ham and pimento-cheese sandwiches and punch were served. At the end there were many expressions like "I certainly enjoyed myself" from the guests. Those attending the social, including the Club members were: Misses Wilhelmina Caldwell, Alma Forrest, Ella Myers, Mattie Lyles, Stella Sullivan, Genevieve Kyer, Sibyl Nance, Florence Gantt, Lillian Smoot; Messrs. Albert McClain, Gilroye Griffin, Fred Islar, Bruce Bailey, Robert Hoston, Joseph Bailey, Port Royal Scott, Gerard Anderson and Wallace Workman.

The officers of the Club are: Robert Hairston, Pres.; Port Royal Scott, V. Pres.; Joseph Bailey, Treas.; Wallace Workman, Secretary; Gerard Anderson, Asst. Secretary. The music which was a feature of the evening was rendered by Mr. Leon Starks, pianist and Mr. Joe McDowell, violinist.

Dr. C. E. Stephenson Entertains.
Last Wednesday night Dr. C. E. Stephenson was the host to the Stags in their bi-monthly meeting at his beautiful residence on Oak Street. Despite the sleet which fell all day and night, the Stags were out in full force. Whist was the order and after the counting of the scores it was found that Mr. Walter Brown stood highest closely followed by Dr. J. G. Stuart. Mr. Nelson was far from the leader and had no trouble in cinching the "boobie."

After the games, which was enlivened by Radio Selections, Mrs. Stephenson, assisted by Mrs. Stuart and Miss Henrietta Boozer, served a delicious supper. Mr. C. H. Haskeew of Che-

raw was an out of town guest. As a genial host Dr. Stephenson is hard to beat.

Georgetown Items.

The Misses Maria and Mae Fraser entertained "The Youth Improvement Club" on Monday evening Jan. 26th, at their home. Quite a few visitors were present. Among them were: Misses B. A. Bianchi, Jennie Young, C. Pawley, Viola Atkinson, Sadie Williams and Mr. Joseph Atkinson.

The evening was very pleasantly spent. A beautiful and helpful program was rendered. After which a delicious repast was served.

A number of young folks are seen daily on the Basket Ball and Tennis courts.

Miss Pauline D. is all smiles these days the girl has been bridged and the sheik Mr. Thos. forgiven.

Mr. Joseph Atkinson has not been caught yet, what is the matter, girls? Don't let this handsome sheik slip.

Miss Amelia Atkinson is sending ten to twenty letters every week to Albermarle, N. C. Let us watch and see the end.

Mr. L. A. Dunmore is certainly bringing up Mr. Raiford Brown and Master Norman Lee under the Barber shop's institution. Norman is a fine fellow but Gee! his legs are so long.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Brown entertained in honor of Messrs. W. C. Chambers and Rudolph Fench, of Indianapolis, Ind., on last Monday evening. The parlors were beautifully lighted and lent splendor to the many beautiful gowns. Seven games of whist were played. Prof. Boyd and Miss Young held top score each receiving a dainty little prize. Mrs. Grace Anderson receiving the Booby. Colation consisted of chicken salad, punch and mints. Music and dancing added to the evening's enjoyment.

Very sorry to hear of Miss Odessa Sanders being sick. Truly hope that she will be all O. K. soon.

Prof. J. B. Beck and Mrs. Frederick are telling the Senior class of Howard High School: Don't be flat, Don't be sharp, but "B" natural.

C. S. B.

Henpecked Husband Not Even Allowed To Kill Self.

Falls City, Neb.—"I lived the life of a henpecked husband and got tired of asking my wife's permission every time I wanted to go anywhere," said Boyd Munson, a young farmer near here, in explaining why he attempted to commit suicide.

His bride of six months cut him down from a rafter in his barn, where he had hanged himself. He will recover, and now says he is willing to live.

The Literary Debating Society—Allen University.

The End Crowns the Work (By R. S. Ritter.)

The officers of The Literary Debating Society are performing their duty. The spirit of the young men seems to be greater than ever before in the history of this great school, it is said. It seems as though the young are eager to find their high calling in life. It is a paramount fact that the purpose of this Society is to train young men to know and love humanity in order that they may be able to solve the greatest problems that can come to them and be always ready to express themselves in the highest regard to that which is good.

On the seventh inst., Prof. H. B. Thompson called the young men together in order to make

plans relative to this wonderful movement. Prof. McGill was present, and was given the privilege of expressing himself in behalf of the situation. He said "The bringing together of this splendid looking body of young men, reminds me of my student days." He made many remarks which pointed out the success that could be gained thereby.

This Society meets Wednesday night of each week. It is getting lined up for real work. Within a few weeks you will see the results of it. You are cordially invited to come and see us.

Faculty Recital at A. U.

Without a doubt Allen University is still on the ladder of success. On Tuesday evening January 20th, a large audience of friends and students was highly entertained by "An Evening With the Faculty." It was surprising to learn of the musical talent of some of the teachers. Professors Baumgardner and Valentine sang solos, "I Hear You Calling Me," and "Somebody Loves Me." The climax was Mrs. Viola Holloway's solo, "Longing" which "brought the house down" and called for an encore.

In addition to the program an Auto Race which had been in progress for over two months came to a close. Each one present especially the student body was anxious to learn who the winner would be. It was finally found out that the College students won, with Mrs. Lula Nelson acting as chauffeur and that they had travelled about 4,000 miles and raised over \$400. With the amounts the other chauffeurs (teachers of A. U.) raised assisted by their pupils, over \$1,000 was reported.

BENEDICT NEWS. By Gilroye Griffin.

The Douglass Debating Club met at its usual hour 6:45, Saturday, January 24th. After an opening song and a prayer by the chaplain, the members answered to the roll call with quotations from the Bible. Following another song came the consideration of the Club emblem and motto. An owl has been suggested for the former and "Wide Awake" for the latter but the matter is yet under consideration. In keeping with the spirit of the Week of Prayer, discussion of the subject "What Christianity Means to an Individual" was engaged in. The president made a few closing remarks, prayer was offered by the chaplain, and the meeting was closed.

Another student Organization, the Ministerial Union, held its weekly meeting on Tuesday evening, January 27th, in the

College Library. The main business undertaken was the election of officers for the second semester. The names of those who were elected with their offices follow:

Rev. J. M. Baity, President. Rev. Mr. Westbrooks, Vice Pres. Rev. Mr. W. M. Parker, Sec'y. Rev. Mr. A. B. Coleman, Treas. Rev. Mr. W. H. Baxter, Editor. Rev. Mr. C. Simon, Warden.

The Fourth High Class is beginning to prepare for graduation time. At a meeting held in the chapel of College Hall on Monday last, committees were appointed to secure information concerning class emblems and to recommend class colors. Definite selection of an emblem was deferred. Discussion of the class flower was cut short, due to the lack of time.

Talk is beginning to grow concerning the coming base ball season, and it is expected that soon after January's cold is gone Professor Duckett will call in his men.

STRAY LEAVES.

A RESOLUTION. By William D. Robinson.

Again I stand upon the crest of time,
And view below, behind the vanished years;
And see before, beyond, the glow sub-time,
Heralding Time's rebirth, new hopes new fears.
While in the fringing darkness wait my foes,
With cruel claws and subtle deadly blows,
Below, behind, the wrecks of shattered dreams,
Of broken hopes and ideals vainly sought;
Above, beyond, the New Year's first day gleams,
And on Time's newborn crest, new visions taught.
Sweep thru the soul their hope restoring beams,
Bringing new resolutions brighter dreams.
The Past behind, the Future bright ahead,
I here resolve anew that Love's pure law,
Alone shall govern me,—the path I tread
Shall yield no selfish joy,—the sword I draw.
Shall guard me only as I form a part
Of Humanity's bleeding, sin-torn heart!

Wm. D. R.—'25.

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