

The WOMAN'S PAGE

SOCIETY EVENTS, CLUB AND CHURCH NEWS OF INTEREST TELEPHONE 74 OR 258

THIS IS AMERICA

Rolling hills and grassy plains,
Winding rivers, country lanes.
Mountains tall and stately stand
Gazing on the fertile land.
Crowded cities, dusty air,
Farms and ranches, fresh and fair.
Atmosphere of peace and love,
Faithfulness to Him above.
Happy people, proud to be
Living in a land so free.

A.R.P. Bible Class Has June Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Bible class of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church was held on Monday evening at the church.

The president, Mrs. Harry Bolick, conducted the devotional. Mrs. E. B. Sloan leader of the program, discussed a chapter from the class study booklet, "Character Building."

The Misses Bray On Visit To Relatives

Misses Roberta and Louise Bray of Griffin, Ga., are spending the week with their grandmother, Mrs. R. L. Bailey, and aunt, Miss Ruth Bailey, at their home on North Broad street.

On Tuesday evening the Baileys entertained informally, inviting a number of friends to meet their guests. Delightful refreshments were served during the evening.

Fraternity Entertains New College Students

Members of the Theta Chi fraternity at Presbyterian college entertained new students, prospective pledges, with a social on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moorhead in Goldville.

About forty guests were entertained informally in the lovely gar-

den of the Moorhead home, and punch and cookies served during the evening.

K. A. Fraternity Gives Picnic At Lakeside

On Saturday evening members of the Kappa Alpha fraternity of Presbyterian college entertained with a delightful picnic at Lakeside country club, having as their special guests prospective pledges for the fraternity.

About thirty members of the younger set enjoyed swimming, after which a picnic supper was served.

June Adair Celebrates Birthday With Party

On Tuesday afternoon, in celebration of her sixth birthday, June Adair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Adair, entertained twenty-eight little friends with a party.

Bouquets of roses and zinnias were used in the living room, where the guests enjoyed several games. Later in the afternoon they were invited into the dining room where a pink and blue color note was carried out. Centering the table was a prettily-decorated birthday cake which was cut and served with ice cream. Balloons, which were also used in decoration, were given as favors.

Mrs. Charles McDaniel, Mrs. Grady Adair and Mrs. William Davis assisted Mrs. Adair in serving and entertaining the little folk.

Parties Given For Miss Little's Visitors

Miss Jane Little, student at Winthrop college, was hostess to five girls, also Winthrop students, at her home the past week-end. Her visitors were Misses Carolyn Bowers, Catherine Willingham, Frances Pettit, Martha Cranford and Mary Callahan.

The out-of-town visitors and their hosts were supper guests on Friday evening of Miss Ame Jacobs, after which they attended the Theta Chi social at the Moorhead home in Goldville.

On Saturday a "spend-the-day" party was given at Lakeside country club, with guests also including Misses Amelia Payne, Jean Layton, Marcia Galloway, Carolyn Henry and Miss Jacobs. Swimming was enjoyed and at noon a picnic dinner served.

Miss Betty Hunter was hostess at an informal party on Saturday evening for the visitors, with dancing and cards as entertainment. Cookies and punch were served during the evening.

Double Wedding Of Barnett Sisters Lovely Church Event

In a double wedding ceremony marked by beauty and simplicity, Miss Alethea Barnett became the bride of the Rev. Charles Hood and Miss Grace Barnett became the bride of the Rev. Henry Gambrell. The brides, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Seba Barnett of this city, were married in the First Baptist church Thursday evening, June 24, at 8:30 o'clock.

The church was attractively decorated with vines entwined against a background of white, while boughs of pine and potted ferns added to the beauty of the scene. Baskets of white gladioli and candelabra in which burned tall white tapers completed the setting for the occasion.

The ceremony was preceded by a program of nuptial music, with Miss Maude Sumerel at the organ, and Miss Vivian Parks Adair, soloist. She sang "The Sweetest Story Ever Told" and "Because." At the opening strains of the wedding march from "Lohengrin," the officiating minister, the Rev. Walter N. Long, pastor of the

church, entered and was followed by Mr. Hood and his best man, the Rev. Farrell Runyan of New Orleans, and Mr. Gambrell and his best man, his brother, Capers Gambrell of Honea Path. The bridesmaids as they entered were Miss Margaret Ann Barnett, sister of the brides, Miss Willie Campbell of Williamston, Miss Evelyn Barton of Greer, Mrs. Burrell Jones of Roebuck, Miss Lucille Bagwell of Laurens, and Miss Daisy Odom of Greer. The maids wore attractive models of net in pastel shades of yellow, green, orchid, and blue, with fitted bodices and full skirts. They carried arm bouquets of pink gladioli and gypsophelia tied with bows of tulle matching their dresses.

The groomsmen were Ernest Campbell of Alcolu, Lloyd Hellams of Gray Court, Joe Reed of Greenville, Dwight Huey of Greenville, Dr. Carter Morgan of Westminster, and Alben Smith of Laurens.

The ring bearers, Tommy Cooper and Billy Driggers of Clinton, entered carrying the rings on white satin pillows. The flower girls, Nannette Loftis and Carol Bryson, dressed in pink and blue organdie, carried baskets of spring flowers. The maid of honor was Miss Frances Barnett and the matron of honor was Mrs. Farrell Runyan, both sisters of the brides. They wore models of pink net, patterned after the dresses of the bridesmaids and carried old fashioned nosegays of pink roses, blue delphinium, gypsophelia and fern.

Miss Alethea Barnett entered with her father and Miss Grace Barnett with her mother, who gave them in marriage. The brides' dresses were of satin and net with tight fitting bodices and full skirts. Their bouquets were of white carnations and roses. The brides' mother wore a fitted model of navy blue lace with shoulder corsage of white gladioli. Following the wedding a reception was held at the home of the brides' parents on North Adair street.

The couples left later in the evening for an unannounced destination.

Mrs. Hood is a graduate of North Greenville Junior college and Carson-Newman college, and attended the Baptist Bible institute. During the past session she taught French at North Greenville. Mr. Hood is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hood of New Orleans, and is a graduate of Louisiana college, Pineville, La. He is studying at the Bible institute and is also pastor of the Baptist church at Norwood, La., where he and his bride will live until September.

Mrs. Gambrell is a graduate of North Greenville Junior college and Furman university, receiving her B.A. degree in May. Mr. Gambrell, who is a son of W. M. Gambrell of Honea Path, is a graduate of North Greenville and Furman. He is pastor of Emory Baptist church and he and his bride will teach in the Laurel Creek school during the coming session.

Among the out of town guests present for the wedding were Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Pennebaker and daughters, Sara Jo and Judith, of Sumner, Miss. Mrs. C. A. Gambrell, Mrs. Ashley, Mrs. Kay and daughters of Honea Path, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Gibson of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Harling and Walker Harling, Jr., and Mrs. Margaret Barton of Simpsonville, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Littlejohn and Mrs. Pearl Yarborough of Cross Anchor, and Mrs. E. L. Morgan and son, Dr. Carter Morgan, of Westminster.

Miss Leiger and Cadet Pletcher Wed Saturday

Miss Marion Leiger and Cadet Candidate Richard Pletcher, in training with the 39th Training detachment of the Army Air force at Presbyterian college, both of Lansing, Michigan, were married Saturday afternoon at the First Presbyterian church with the pastor, Dr. J. K. Roberts, officiating.

The traditional green and white color note was used in decoration, and the vows were spoken before an improvised altar with a background of greenery and magnolias.

A program of nuptial music was rendered by Mrs. J. F. Jacobs, organist and J. Isaac Copeland, soloist, who sang "Because."

The bride wore a dress of heavenly blue crepe and carried a bouquet of white carnations and red roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Pletcher are residing in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carlisle Neely.

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MRS. C. R. WORKMAN DIES SUDDENLY

Passes In Augusta While En Route to Her Home. Funeral Services At 3 O'clock Today At Hopewell Church.

Mrs. Alma B. Workman, wife of C. Reeder Workman of Goldville, died suddenly Tuesday evening at 6:30 in the bus station in Augusta, Ga., while returning home from a visit to her sons in Orlando, Fla., and Douglas, Ga. She was accompanied by her grand-daughter, Barbara Workman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Workman. As soon as Mrs. Workman became ill a physician was called, but in a few minutes she had passed away. The announcement of her unexpected death came as a great shock to members of her family and numerous friends.

The funeral services will be held this afternoon (Thursday) at 3:00 o'clock from Hopewell Methodist church of which she was a devoted member. Interment will follow in the church burial ground. The services will be in charge of her pastor, the Rev. B. S. White of Goldville.

Mrs. Workman was a daughter of the late Bluford and Effie Monroe Burns of the Barksdale section in the upper part of the county. For a number of years she had made her home in Goldville.

Mrs. Workman was a woman of strong Christian qualities, devoted to her family, home and friends. Sweet and gentle, kind and thoughtful of others, she endeared herself to many by her attractive personality and graciousness who will join with the family in mourning her death.

Besides her husband, the deceased is survived by two sons, Capt. C. R. Workman, Jr., stationed at Orlando, Fla., Hayne B. Workman of Douglas, Ga.; two daughters, Mrs. A. C. Workman and Mrs. Ben Workman of this city and community; two brothers, Eugene Burns of Laurens, and Don Burns of Gastonia, N. C., and three grandchildren.

A Private Citizen Speaks His Mind Spectator Comments On Men and Things

Is South Carolina a New Deal state? Is this state an enthusiastic supporter of President Roosevelt? Many politicians speak often of Mr. Roosevelt, but I met a citizen recently who said this to me: "You are a Baptist. Your church believes certain things. Well, if your church were to fall into the hands of a controlling group, calling itself Baptist but disbelieving in Baptism and the New Testament, and having an out-door barbecue once a month instead of the Lord's Supper, would you think they were Baptists? Or, if they are real Baptists, what are you? Something like that has happened to our Democratic party."

Well, really— isn't the weather too hot to unravel that? Bishop Smoak of Colleton, a high priest among our Methodist brethren, might throw some light on that. And there is that finest of gentlemen, and a stern warrior of the Cross, Brother Rice of Union. What sort of Baptist church would that be?

I hesitate to embroil "Deacon" Brunson of The Greenville News, though I suspect him of being a brother Baptist. I can't submit this to Doctor Ball because he, like President Roosevelt, is an Episcopalian, and perhaps they sit in the same pew in ecclesiastical conferences. Such considerations might embarrass the good Doctor—though I have no doubts that any consideration would stop the even and steady flow of his opinions.

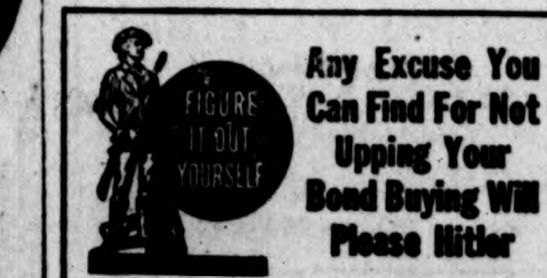
Don't fool yourselves about the attitude of the man back home; whenever he hears the truth stated fully and clearly he will astonish some of the politicians. But by that time the politicians will be trying to convince us that they not only had smelled a rat for some time but that they had actually located the rat.

Oh, for a man, just a man, but a real man! Have we a real man, or must we send for Diogenes?

South Carolina owes much to some of our editors and to our radio-stations for courage and a true sense of public service. There are no venal men in our press; the papers are serving the public with different degrees of fighting spirit but under enormous difficulties—and without much of the golden stream which the statisticians tell is flowing to every man, woman and child.

We have no finer public servants than those who give us the news, both through the papers and over the radio. It is becoming increasingly difficult to get out a paper—or to do anything else, as we know so well on the farm. This state may some day have to make some choices that will be like gall and wormwood. At least

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Sometime ago I referred to the publication by the Office of War Information on "The Negro and His Contribution to the War," etc. I admitted that such a publication by the colored people themselves would be proper as an expression of their pride of achievement. No one wishes to deny that. I had no intention to criticize anything but the obvious, political slant of the government's booklet and the misuse of public money to curry political favor with the Negroes. In referring to the Washington political deal with the Negroes and with organized labor I always do so with some embarrassment for the colored people of South Carolina and organized labor as we have it here, are quite different from the politicalized unionists and Negroes who play politics in Washington.

I've said that while heavy and learned preachments have been de-

livered urging us to forget politics and to concentrate on the war, the war itself is being used to build the political fences of the New Deal. In a Negro paper I find a picture of three Negro lawyers in the department of justice, Washington, two of them members of the attorney general's staff and the third being sworn in as a trial lawyer of the staff. So far as the picture in the Negro paper is concerned, surely no white man will object to that. But why should the Office of War Information take and circulate that picture? Yes, let's repeat the question, WHY does the United States government take that picture? And why does the United States government circulate it? Well, let's not be innocent; the reason is plain: somebody is "playing up" to the colored people. Who is it?

It may be unpleasant to contemplate the outcome of this, but our politicians and our people are growing farther apart. This very issue is likely to ditch somebody's apple cart.

Announcement

I wish to advise my friends and the general public that effective yesterday, June 30, I am no longer connected with Hamilton's of this city.

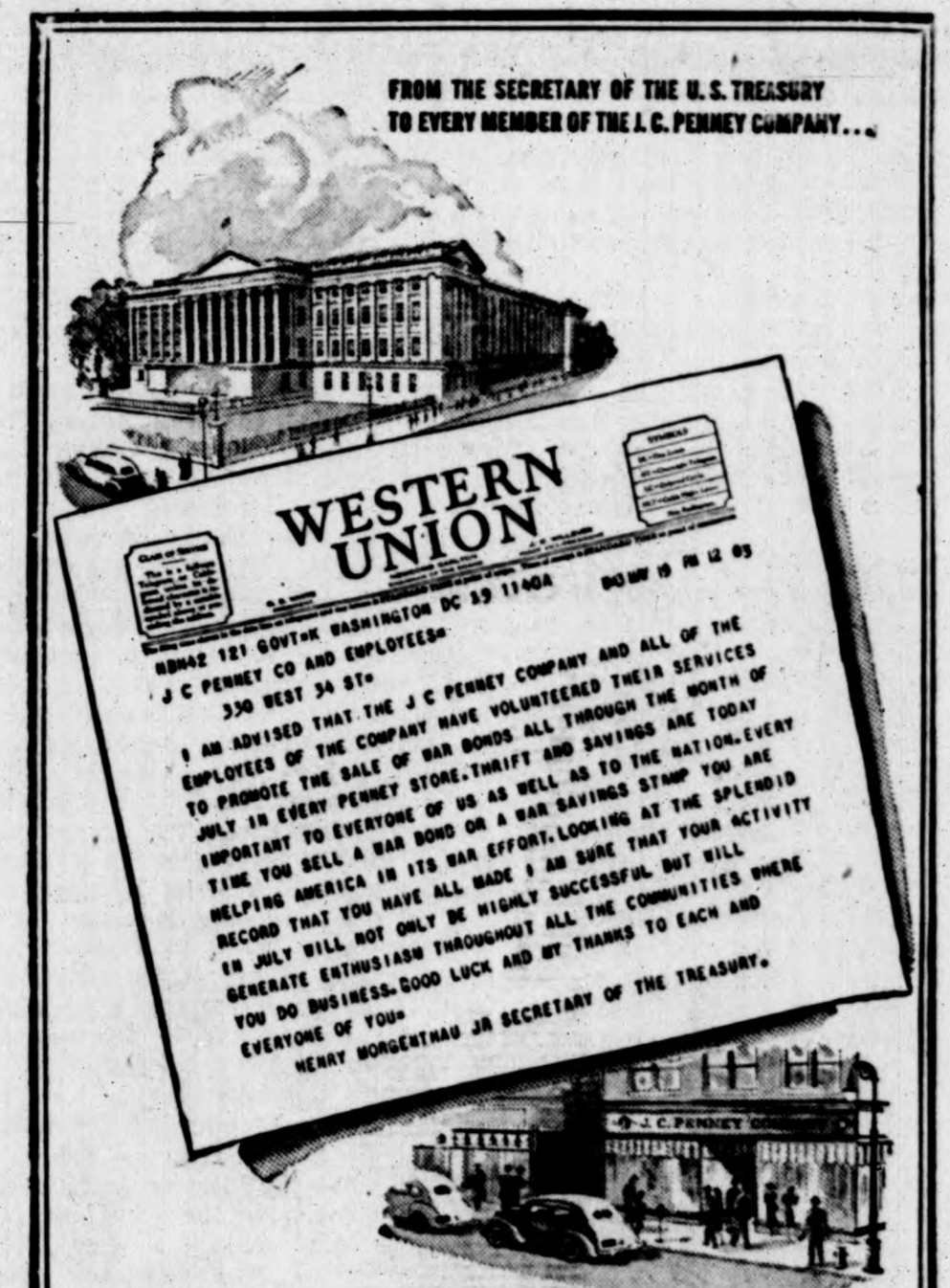
I wish also to announce that within the next few days I plan to open a

Watch and Jewelry Repair Shop

in Clinton, occupying building on West Main Street formerly occupied by Western Auto Store. I will be prepared to do all repair work promptly and solicit your patronage and good will. As soon as we are ready to open, our formal announcement will be made.

J. C. THOMAS

Clinton, S. C.



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So buy War Bonds at Penney's this July! They are the best investment for your money in the whole wide world!



Removal Notice Of Laurens Store

After July 1 our Laurens shop will be located in the building on Laurens Street formerly occupied by the Western Auto Store.

Due to increased business, the stock has been enlarged and it is necessary to have larger quarters so that we can take care of our customers more comfortably.

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