

**Edgefield Advertiser.**

**In Honor of Miss Boatright.**

To-morrow afternoon at five o'clock Miss Sophia Dobson will entertain in honor of her cousin, having issued beautifully engraved invitations as follows:

Miss Sophia Emma Dobson  
At home  
Thursday afternoon, July the 17th at five o'clock to meet  
Miss Maidelle Boatright.  
R. s. v. p. "Fairview."

**Trenton Y. W. A. Lawn Party.**

One of the social events of the week at Trenton was the Garden Party given by the Y. W. A's. at the home of Mrs. T. P. Salter. The grove in front of the house presented a very attractive appearance, lighted by many brilliant Japanese lanterns. Refreshments were served from beautifully decorated booths by the young ladies of the Y. W. A. The party was well attended and was quite a success in every way, as the society cleared about eleven dollars.

**I. O. O. F. Officers.**

At their regular meeting last week the Odd Fellows elected the following officers to serve for the ensuing six months: B. E. Nicholson, noble grand, L. T. May, vice grand; R. L. Dunovant, secretary and treasurer, Rev. P. P. Blalock, chaplain. The lodge is in a flourishing condition. For the past two years Rev. P. P. Blalock has served as noble grand and he has left nothing undone during that time that would contribute to the success and usefulness of the order in Edgefield.

**Berea and Gilgal.**

Rev. P. P. Blalock has engaged Rev. L. T. Carroll of New Brookland to assist him in the annual protracted meeting which will begin at Berea church the 1st Sunday in August, and he has secured Rev. T. H. Posey, pastor of the Baptist church at Ward, to assist him in conducting the meeting at Gilgal, commencing the 3rd Sunday in August. Both of these selections have been very wisely made. We are therefore confident that the people of Berea and Gilgal will be pleased to have these successful pastors labor among them.

**Clemson College Examination.**

Pursuant to the notice which was published in The Advertiser, Superintendent of Education W. W. Fuller held the examination in the court house Thursday for the purpose of awarding the Clemson college scholarships. The following young men presented themselves for the examination: Rudolf Strom, Goode Reel, Boyd Franklin, T. D. Padgett, Marchant Zimmerman, D. W. Ouzts, Jr., and Willie Satcher. Those who stood the entrance examination were W. H. Parks, Jr., and Thomas R. Blackwell.

**Notice as to Inquests.**

In all cases of homicide and sudden deaths, where an inquest is necessary, the citizens will please notify the sheriff and coroner at once, so that the sheriff can make arrests, and the coroner can hold the inquest. The coroner has a telephone, and is ready to hold all inquests. He is paid a salary for this work. Hereafter no claims for holding inquests by magistrates will be paid, unless it is shown that the coroner has been notified and can not attend.

A. A. Edmunds,  
Supervisor.

**Celebration at Bett's Academy.**

Mr. Editor: Will you please allow me space in your paper to say a word about the celebration at Bett's Academy. The colored people have celebrated July 4, independence day, for 30 years with thousands of people each year. The last celebration which was on Saturday, July 5th, was one of the most wonderful celebrations in the history of the academy. There were between 7,000 and 8,000 people on the grounds and all were sober which made the day as happy and as pleasant as could be. Everybody seemed to enjoy the day, including the white people present.

The writer walked the yard all Friday night and Saturday with a number of others as peace officers. Also white rural officers searched the woods and other places for whiskey and not one quart was found. Again I want say that in the celebration for thirty years there has not been a person killed or seriously wounded on the grounds which is wonderful to say. I pray for the success of all good efforts made by any people.

W. D. Oliphant,  
Edgefield, S. C.

**Card From Rev. E. T. Snuggs.**

The following card was received yesterday from Rev. E. T. Snuggs: Tsingtan Shantung Province North China, June 17, 1913.  
Dear Advertiser: Our united greetings to all friends. We arrived here last night after a rough passage from Dalny, the Japanese port in South Manchuria near Port Arthur. Glad to be on shore for a night. Had our second spell of seasickness yesterday. We leave for Shanghai to-night, and expect to reach Hongkong next week. We believe many are praying for us. Politics in China seem to be in a muddle.

Yours,  
E. T. Snuggs.

**Closes Out Greenwood Store.**

After the first of August Mr. W. H. Turner will devote his entire time to his Edgefield store, having sold his Greenwood store to a stock company which has been capitalized at \$5,000. Mr. Turner's Edgefield's friends are delighted to learn of the change, for they believe that it means that Mr. Turner and his estimable family will ultimately return to Edgefield to make their home. The volume of business of the Alcazar was steadily increasing but Mr. Turner found that it was overtaxing his strength to manage two stores so far apart as Edgefield and Greenwood, the railroad connection too between these towns being far from satisfactory.

**Y. W. A. Meeting.**

The Y. W. A. will meet Monday afternoon July 21, at 5 o'clock with Miss Helen Tillman.  
Subject "Home mission heroes." Song, Consecration.  
Bible lesson, Hebrew 11:1-33.  
Roger Williams, Snow Jeffries, Luther Rice, Josie Sheppard.  
Dr. I. T. Tichenor, Hortense Woodson.  
Heroes of to day, Ida Folk.  
A pioneer hero, Maud Thurmond.  
A home mission hero, president.  
Song, Guide me.  
Current events, Marion Blalock.  
Minutes.  
Roll call and collection.  
Song, O Zion Haste.  
Closing prayer.

**Permanent Improvements on the Streets.**

The town council is having improvements made on the streets near the site of the depot. The hills on Main street and on the street leading toward Trenton are being graded down and the dirt is used to raise the street in front of Capt. Bright's store. The county authorities are aiding with their road plow and scrapes in doing this work. The county owed the town about 90 days work for convicts that the town sent to the chain gang. So in doing this work for the town Supervisor Edmunds has only returned work which the county has been due the town for some time. When this work of raising the street opposite the depot and grading off the hills on the streets leading from the depot is completed that portion of the town will be greatly improved. Another advantage to be gained at this time is that the railroad will have to elevate the new depot in proportion as the street has been raised instead of erecting it in the flat as the old one was.

**Mrs. Wates Expresses Profound Gratitude.**

Mr. Editor: Will you allow me space in your valuable paper to express my gratitude to my friends for their many acts of kindness during my last sickness.  
Five weeks ago I happened to an accident that has caused me to be "shut in" since, and during that time not a day has passed that some of my friends haven't visited me, which made the time pass so much more pleasantly and they have remembered me in other ways. Not only in the town but so many of my friends in the country have remembered me by their sweet letters and other ways. To all I want to extend my heartfelt thanks and say that if love and kind wishes can repay them, they are amply rewarded.  
I am so glad to be back among my Buncombe neighbors and they have been so sweet to me. Surely there are no better people than the Edgefield people. We are all anxiously hoping for the recovery of Eileen Ouzts, now Mrs. Pat Bussey, who is lying very ill at her home in Darlington county. She has many friends in her home town.

I am hoping to meet the good ladies of the E. B. M. U. at Antioch the last of August. Ah! that little word "hope"—how it cheers us on our way. We hope all our days and then die hoping for a Heavenly home.  
Mary Wates.  
July 12, '13.

**JOHNSTON LETTER.**

**Death of Mrs. C. F. Pechman. Chapter of Daughters of American Revolution Organized. Receptions.**

Mrs. Pechmann, the beloved wife of Mr. Charles F. Pechmann, and only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Turner, died at her home here on Thursday, July 10, at 3 o'clock. For several weeks she had been sick but had improved, and the sudden change in her condition which resulted in her death was a great shock. By her death the entire town has sustained a loss, which to each individual seems a keen personal one, for who knew her but to love her? We have all felt what her friendship meant. To rejoice with those who rejoice, and weep with those who weep, was her nature, and the tenderness of her sympathy has softened many a trial, and the fullness of her appreciation, added to all our joys. With her, friendship was a gift, and it might be truly said that the world was her friend.  
Nature loved her, for who does not but associate her with lovely, fragrant flowers, which at her touch seemed to grow about her, and like as a flower, beautiful and pure, was this blossom of womankind, which God hath transplanted, where he doth tend His own.

In the church work, she was always found doing the work of her Master for she loved her Lord, and to this work she gave all the strength of Christian consecration. She was president of the Methodist mission society, and of the kindergarten department, in the Sunday school, and in all the services her voice was to be heard singing the praise of her Master. In other organizations, the W. C. T. U. and the D. of C. she was an active worker. The funeral was held on Friday morning at Mt. of Olives cemetery, and was attended by a great concourse of sorrowing friends, to pay a last tribute to one they loved and honored.

An evidence of this was shown by the many floral designs sent, among them being ones from the mission society, W. C. T. U. the D. of C., the W. C. T. U. at Edgefield, the L. T. L. and the young woman's club. The interior of the grave was lined with pure white flowers, so symbolic of the body in which it was to be the last resting place of. Her pastor, Rev. E. H. Bechham, conducted the services and the eyes of all were moist, as they stood around the open grave.

The pall bearers were Messrs. M. R. Morris, A. P. Lott, J. D. Eidson, M. R. Wright, J. L. Smith, J. C. Lewis, Hiliary Grant and S. J. Watson. Besides the husband and parents, are left a daughter, Mrs. J. R. Kelly, of Charlotte, a brother, Mr. M. T. Turner and two aunts, Mrs. Bettie T. Adams and Mrs. Kate Crouch, all of whom were so tender and devoted, and during the last illness administered with such loving and tireless hands.

"With soft folded hands, and a peaceful smile on her face, With the beautiful eyes closed to sorrow's dark night, We laid her to rest for a brief little space, Till we meet and rejoice in the kingdom of light. She has but gone before, though not often youth leads, Her tempest-tossed spirit has found its release; God, who measures our strength, and who watches our deeds, Has placed as her guardian, the angel of peace."

Those from Edgefield who attended the funeral of Mrs. Pechmann were Mesdames J. L. Mims, J. W. Peak, Samuel Craig, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cogburn and Mr. W. R. Swearingen; Mrs. Charles Walker and Misses Irene and Annie Walker, of High Point, N. C.; Mrs. Annie P. Easterling, of Aiken, Messrs. J. L. and James Quinby, of Graniteville. Mrs. Walter Hendrix, of Leesville; Miss Lilla Courtney, of Columbia; Mrs. J. R. Kelly, of Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Swearingen and Mrs. Charlie Swearingen, of Trenton, Mrs. Lena Davis of Barnwell, and others.

Miss Myra Pearce of Augusta, is a guest at the home of her uncle, Mr. James Watson.  
Thomas Milford, Jr., celebrated his 5th birthday on Thursday afternoon, by having a number of his little friends spend the time with him. Each one that came brought him a gift. Games and other childish sports were enjoyed and the party concluded with a birthday feast.  
One day of the past week Judge and Mrs. J. G. Mobley entertained with an elaborate dining for their kinsfolk, Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Beck, of Gainesville, Fla.  
Visitors here from Edgefield last week were Misses Rosa Parker,

Julia Folk, Anna and Lizzie Hollingsworth and Messrs. Lyles Sheppard and Roy Parker.

Mrs. Wilmot Ouzts has gone to Hendersonville, N. C., to spend a month.

Miss Josephine Mobley spent a few days of the past week in Augusta.

Miss Eula Satcher entertained the sewing club on Tuesday afternoon and an hour was pleasantly spent chatting after which a progressive game was played, Miss Pauline Lewis winning the prize, which she presented to the guest of honor, Miss Margaret Grey, of Leesville. An ice course with cake was served.

On Tuesday evening, Miss Margaret Grey was again the honoree of a delightful tea, Miss Annie Crouch, the hostess. The congenial party passed the time with vocal and instrumental music and conversation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Coleman left on Wednesday last for awhile at Sulpher Spring, Fla.

Dr. B. L. Allen who has been threatened with appendicitis, is able to be out again, to the delight of his many friends. For a few days he was quite sick.

Miss Sara Waters is spending two weeks at Sullivan's Island.

F. S. Bland, L. S. Maxwell, Avery Bland, E. H. Smith, B. F. Lewis and Howard Payne expect to go to Atlantic City in a few days.

Mrs. Lucy McLenna has returned from Waldo, Fla., where she visited in the home of her son, Mr. Alvin McLenna. She was accompanied home by her grand daughter, Miss Clara McLenna.

Mr. W. S. Mobley went to Charleston last week to bring his daughter, Miss Elise Mobley, home. She is recovering from an attack of appendicitis, having been operated on in the Charleston hospital.

Mrs. B. F. Landrum entertained the Pi Tau club on Tuesday afternoon, having with the members several other friends. Seven tables of Progressive Rook was played, the game being a spirited one. The score cards were pictures of summer girls. Peach cream and cake were served, and before departure all again visited the flower alcove, where ice tea, with mint sprigs was served.

A very enthusiastic chapter of the D. A. R. was organized here on Wednesday afternoon, July 9, the State Regent, Mrs. Loise F. Mayes of Greenville, coming to effect the organi. The chapter members are Mesdames M. T. Turner, Alice Cox, O. D. Black, P. N. Lott, J. W. Browne, E. R. Mobley, W. B. Cogburn, J. H. Williams, F. M. Boyd, and Misses Mallie Waters, Lillian Mobley, Zena Payne, Flora Kenny, Emmie Wright, Elise Crouch, Eula Satcher, Clara Sawyer and Lylie LaGrone. Mrs. Mayes made a short talk before the ladies telling of the principal objects for which the D. A. R. is striving and was very happy in her concluding remarks. She is a charming woman and adds dignity to the position which she occupies. In all probability the chapter will be called the "Emily Geiger chapter."

On Wednesday morning, Mesdames C. D. Kenny and James White gave a luncheon for Mrs. Loise F. Mayes, those invited being the charter members of the D. A. R. The hours were from 11 to 1 o'clock and the affair was at the home of Mrs. White. The decorations were very patriotic and all enjoyed being with Mrs. Mayes who is of a very attractive personality. The luncheon was a progressive one, four courses being served, Mrs. Mayes with the hostesses occupying the head table, and each guest had the pleasure of being seated during one of the courses with the honoree. The tables were decorated in the D. A. R. colors, a royal blue and white, and the flags added a bright touch of color. The colors were attractively carried out in the repast served. The place cards bore pictures of Betsy Ross, who designed the first flag.

Mr. and Mrs. Smyly Stevens, Misses Lena Stevens and Kathrine Moore and Mr. Lewis Stevens visited here the latter part of the week. They made the trip in Mr. Smyly Stevens handsome new car, which he has recently purchased.

The Rev. A. T. King of Richmond, Va., who will supply for a few months the pulpit of the Baptist church, preached here on Sunday morning and evening. It was a pleasure to the members to have services again, and each sermon was listened to by eager hearers.

The mayor of a small town was trying a negro for abusing his wife. She claimed he got drunk and tried to beat her, and she hit him.

The mayor turned to their little girl and asked:  
"Girl, was your father under the influence of whiskey when your mother hit him?"  
"No, sah. He was under the kitchen table," she quickly replied.

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**Administrator's Notice.**

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James Miller,  
Administrator.  
July 7, 1913.—4t

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