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Wednesday, June 21

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs. Frank Myers of Atlanta is the guest of Mrs. Bettis Cantelou.

Mrs. Mattie Morgan of Augusta is here visiting her brother, Mr. T. E. Lamb.

Mr. L. E. Jackson of Trenton has gone to Hot Springs, N. C., to spend some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Sheppard, Jr., are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Sheppard, Sr.

Miss Lizzie Hollingsworth is at home for the summer. During the past session she has been teaching in Florida.

Hon. J. Wm. Thurmond, Mrs. W. W. Adams and Mr. E. M. Padgett are the latest purchasers of Dodge cars.

By putting crushed granite on the sidewalks Mayor J. G. Edwards is doing some good, permanent work.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Johnson attended the commencement exercises of the Convent in Aiken last week.

Little Miss Isabelle Byrd has returned from an extended visit to relatives in St. George and Augusta.

Miss Ethlyn Holston the daughter of Mr. W. E. Holston of Augusta, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. E. S. Johnson.

Mr. John Mims has accepted a position with a large garage in Rock Hill for the summer. Early in the fall he will resume his studies at Wofford.

The best field of corn we have seen is that of Mr. Lester Talbert of Antioch. As a farmer, citizen or anything else there are few who can excel Lester Talbert.

Col. F. N. K. Bailey spent several hours in Edgefield Monday. The B. M. I. has closed its most successful session, and is making even larger plans for the session of 1916-17.

Attention is directed to the following new advertisements this week: The Corner Store, Southern Railroad, C. C. Osborne, Geo. W. Adams, R. M. Winn and Smith Roller Mills.

Mrs. L. E. Jackson of Trenton has purchased a Chevrolet car from Mr. C. C. Osborne of Parksville, who has the agency for Edgefield county and that portion of McCormick that was taken from Edgefield. Read Mr. Osborne's advertisement in this issue.

Mr. Walter L. Holmes, who has a large number of relatives and friends in the county, especially on the west side, announces his candidacy for the office of county commissioner. If elected he will serve the people faithfully.

Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Norman are spending some time at the home of Mr. C. M. Williams, Mrs. Norman's father. Dr. Norman has just graduated from the Atlanta Dental college and will open offices in Augusta.

According to his promise made four years ago, Mr. J. W. R. DeLaughter announces his candidacy for county commissioner. He requests us to state that it will be impossible for him to make a canvass of the entire county, but will attend all of the campaign meetings. Mr. DeLaughter is a good business man and will give the people his very best services if elected.

#### Fourth of July Celebration.

Mr. Editor: Please allow me space to speak of our celebration. Whereas the 4th of July comes on Tuesday we will celebrate on the 8th of July, being the second Saturday, at the Rev. F. A. Weaver's school house near Centre Spring. Hope to have good order.

Committee.

#### Candidate for Senate.

Mr. M. P. Wells formally announces his candidacy this week for the State senate. Mr. Wells is not without experience as a legislator, having served as a member of the House in the past. He is too well known to the Edgefield people to need an introduction at our hands. Mr. Wells will attend the campaign meetings and make known his views on public questions that are of interest to the people. If elected Mr. Wells will serve the people to the best of his ability.

#### Cartidge-Crews.

The following is a copy of invitations that Mrs. Emeline Cartidge has issued to the marriage of her daughter, Miss Addie, to Mr. Edgar H. Crews, a marriage in which a large number of Edgefield friends have a deep and sincere interest:

Mrs. Emeline Cartidge requests the honor of your presence at the marriage of her daughter

Addie

to

Mr. Edgar Hance Crews  
Thursday afternoon  
the twenty-ninth of June  
nineteen hundred and sixteen at  
six-thirty o'clock  
At Home  
Edgefield, South Carolina

#### A Birthday Party.

At her home on Jeter street Tuesday evening Miss Grace Thomas entertained a few of her friends very pleasantly. She planned a birthday celebration and invited some of her friends to share the pleasures of the occasion. After a social hour, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all present, the hostess served ice cream and several kinds of cake. All who were present were loath to leave when the hour for good-byes arrived, each one wishing the charming hostess many years of happiness.

#### A Very Capable Man.

We see by the papers that Mr. W. W. Fowler of Parksville is a candidate for superintendent of education of McCormick county. He is a very capable man, and the people of the "baby" county will make no mistake if they elect him to this important position, as he will properly organize their educational system. Mr. Fowler is unusually well fitted for the duties of this position, being a graduate of Rutgers, the State college of New Jersey, and of Columbia University and the Teachers' college of New York. He has also studied in England and France, and has had considerable experience in teaching. Possessing the power of initiative, Mr. Fowler will do constructive work that will last in McCormick county for many years to come.

#### Y. W. A's. Entertain College Girls.

The Edgefield Y. W. A.'s held a delightful meeting at the Baptist church Friday afternoon led by Mrs. Kate Dennis president of the Y. W. A., in honor of the college girls of all the churches.

The program was in charge of the young women entirely and was opened with "O Zion Hasten" with piano accompaniment by Miss Margaret May, as all the members marched in singing.

A very pretty banquet was given on the platform at which all the nations of the earth served, impersonated by the pretty girls of the Y. W. A. Miss Ruth Strom gave a reading, and all the guests repaired out under the trees and were served delightful cream and cake by the woman's missionary society.

#### Miscellaneous Shower.

Tuesday afternoon Miss Lizzie Hollingsworth gave a miscellaneous shower at her lovely country home in honor of the bride-elect, Miss Natalie Padgett. In spite of the thunder storm that came up at the hour of the shower, there were a sufficient number of young ladies present to make the occasion one of unusual pleasure. The parlor was decorated with a profusion of daisies. A musical contest afforded pleasant diversion, as many of the guests were talented musicians. Miss Nell Jones played several selections on the piano the titles bearing upon or being suggestive of the approaching nuptials of the guest of honor and each one present supplied a name for each selection, a prize, a beautiful box of stationery, being awarded the one giving the most correct names. This distinction fell to the lot of Miss Natalie Padgett. At the close of the contest the climax of the very pleasant occasion was reached when a little pickaninny, clad in white with yellow paper arranged about his form to represent a yellow daisy, his black head representing the black centre, entered the parlor bearing on his head a large waiter upon which was arranged the beautiful collection of tokens that were bestowed upon the guest of honor by her friends. The hostess served ice cream and cake. So thoroughly enjoyed was the occasion that the congenial coterie were unmindful of the lowering clouds and the electric display without.

Don't put off seeing Miss Eliza Mims about the painted china for the weddings.

#### Lanham-McCutcheon.

Rev. and Mrs. P. B. Lanham announce the engagement of their daughter, Martha Adeline, to Mr. William Gregg McCutcheon of Bishopville, the marriage to take place July 11 at Republican Baptist church.

#### Roper's News.

Since our former correspondent has moved away, we think it is time for another to take her place, lest you should think Roper's is dead.

Mrs. J. D. Boswell recently gave an informal party in honor of Miss Sallie Richardson, who is visiting her sister Mrs. T. L. Timmerman. The young people spent a pleasant evening playing Rook, and other games, after which our amiable hostess served delicious cream and cake.

Mr. W. G. McCutcheon came over from Bishopville and spent last week-end in the home of Mr. P. B. Lanham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Timmerman spent a few days last week with relatives here in the community.

Miss Mary Townes of North Augusta, was the very charming guest of Miss Minnie Lanham last week.

Miss Sallie Mae Miller has just returned after a pleasant stay with relatives in Augusta.

We are very glad to have Miss Margie Robertson in our midst again. She is visiting her brother, Mr. Joe Mays Robertson.

Mrs. Carrie Mays had a pleasant visit with friends and relatives in Edgefield last week.

Our Roper's boys are very enthusiastic over their newly organized baseball team.

#### Y. W. A. Rally at Parksville.

A party of Edgefield ladies interested in the Y. W. A. rally at Parksville left Edgefield at 8:30 o'clock Thursday morning, having been belated by the hard morning showers. The party reached there just as the morning session closed, meeting our beloved state superintendent of the Young Woman's Auxiliary at the door, and Miss Emmie Lanham associate superintendent of the Y. W. A. for Edgefield association and other kind friends and residents of Parksville. The dinner was a very pleasant opportunity for social intercourse, and was a manifestation of the kindly hospitality of the Parksville people.

Miss Emmie Lanham made a very efficient presiding officer and was highly commended for her faithfulness in being present under great difficulties and in so wisely conducting the meeting.

At the close of the meeting the Edgefield delegates were hospitably entertained in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Talbert and Dr. Blackwell. These friends were so hospitable and kind and so charming that they caused great trouble in the end. First by holding us in Parksville by their enchantment till a late hour in the morning and causing us to inflict our good friends Mr. and Mrs. Littlejohn with our presence at dinner, and making us all late or absent from a delightful meeting of the local Y. W. A. at Edgefield, and still our eyes are now and anon looking back towards the place of our sojourn.

Among the friends whom we saw were Mrs. John Brunson who now lives in Augusta, but is visiting her son Mr. Joe Brunson, Hon. Jasper Talbert, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bussey, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morgan, Mrs. J. C. Robertson and others. We missed the faces of some dear friends who were there to greet us on our last visit, especially Mr. L. F. Dorn and Mrs. Maggie Morgan, and while others were there to take their places, these true and tried could not be effaced from our memory.

#### A College Graduate.

A young college graduate said the other day, "Now that I have completed my education, I must decide on a vocation."

The chances for that young man to make a success in life are not very bright, for two reasons. In the first place, he has not completed his education; and in the second place, his vocation should have been decided on long ago.

Going through college and securing a diploma and a degree does not make an education. Knowledge gained from books is not worth much unless the knowledge thus gained is applied in the every day affairs of life. A college course is not an education in itself; it is intended to enable one getting it to more readily acquire education later on. It is intended to be a means toward an end, and not the end in itself.

The young man who waits until he has completed his college course before deciding on a vocation is

greatly handicapped, in that he has wasted some of the most valuable years of his life. He should decide on his vocation first, and then shape his college course so as to fit himself for his vocation. The young man who doesn't do this makes a vital mistake.

It is useless to worry over this young college graduate who is still trying to decide on a vocation; but other young men who expect to enter college this fall might do well to ponder over his mistake.—Anderson Daily Mail.

#### Entertained in Honor of Charming Visitor.

Tuesday afternoon at her home on Main street Mrs. Bettie Cantelou entertained with bridge in honor of her charming guest, Mrs. Frank Myers of Atlanta, who has been a visitor in the home of Mrs. Cantelou before and is pleasantly remembered here. Five tables were arranged by the hostess for the animated game and at the conclusion the highest score was made by Mrs. James H. Tompkins who won the first prize. The consolation prize on this occasion fell to the lot of Miss Annie Bee. The hostess also presented the guest of honor with a beautiful token, which will be prized as a souvenir of the delightful afternoon. Delicious ices were served at the close of the bridge contest.

#### Cigarettes and the "Movies."

You may never have thought of it, but the next time you go to a movie just notice how many of the characters in the pictures are inhaling cigarette smoke. This will be especially true if the pictures are the portrayal of an event in "high society."

Your boys and girls see these pictures. They see handsomely dressed men and richly gowned women smoking cigarettes deftly extracted from ornamental cigarette cases. Are they not likely to gain the impression that cigarette smoking is quite the proper thing?

The influence of the moving pictures is tremendous. Every community has its shows and practically all the children attend them. It is important that they present wholesome pictures, such as will improve rather than demoralize the morals of the children.

It is your duty to act in this matter. Write the film producers about it. Tell the manager of your local play house what you think of pictures that encourage the use of cigarettes. Do your part in stamping out this evil.—Editorial in People's Popular Monthly.

#### NOTICE! NOTICE!

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#### A Grateful Heart.

There is a pathetic little story of a blind girl told by Ian MacLaren; "If I dinna see"—and she spoke as if this were a matter of doubt and she were making a concession for argument's sake—"there's naebodie in the Glen can hear like me. There's no a footstep of a Drumtochty man comes to the door but that I ken his name, and there's no voice out on the road that I canna tell. The birds sing sweeter to me than to onybody else, and I can hear them cheeping to one another in the bushes before they go to sleep. And the flowers smell sweet-

er to me—the roses and the carnations and the bonny moss-rose—and I judge that the oatcake and the milk taste the richer because I dinna see them. Na, na, ye're no to think that I've been ill-treated by my God, for if He dinna give me ane thing, He gave me many things instead. And, mind ye, it's no as if I'd seen once and lost my sight; that might ha' been a trial, and my faith might have failed. I've lost naething; my life has been all get ting."

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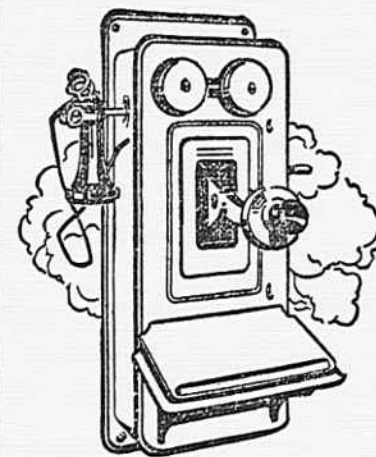
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