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Wednesday, March 8,

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Bettis Cantelou is visiting relatives in Charleston this week.

Mrs. Albert Childress of Greer is spending several days in Edgefield with relatives.

Mrs. W. C. Madden and Miss Margaret Madden were among the visitors to Augusta Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dorn of Celestia Saluda county, spent Monday in Edgefield with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dorn.

Mrs. R. O. Brezeale will arrive from Greenville the latter part of the week to be the house guest of Mrs. W. C. Madden.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith of Augusta spent the week-end in Edgefield visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Scurry, Mrs. Smith's parents.

Mrs. J. B. Kennerly accompanied Mr. Kennerly to Chester Monday where she will spend several days this week.

Mrs. W. J. Miller of Augusta spent Sunday in Edgefield visiting her sisters, Mrs. C. E. May and Mrs. J. B. Kennerly.

A meeting of the recently organized Parent-Teachers' Association will be held at the school Thursday afternoon (to-morrow) at 4:30 o'clock.

The members of the Junior Order will hold a district meeting the second Saturday night in April. Some of the state officers will attend at that time.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Craig came down from Anderson Sunday to visit Mrs. Craig's mother, Mrs. Lizzie Cogburn. Mr. Craig returned Monday but Mrs. Craig will remain in Edgefield a week.

Concordia Lodge Number 50, A. F. M., will meet in regular communication, Friday March 10, at 8 p. m. Business of importance will come up for attention, and a full attendance is urged.

Day by day the municipal campaign assumes more definite shape. In this issue will be found the announcements of Mr. G. V. Crouch and Mr. J. D. Kemp as candidates for warden from the second ward.

Mr. J. E. Darby announces in this issue that he will be in Edgefield Friday and Saturday of this week for the purpose of buying mules. He will be at the stable of Mr. Bettis Cantelou.

The Yonce Motor Company announces further reductions on Ford cars this week. Purchasers of Ford cars who avail themselves of the easy terms offered can ride while they pay for their car. Read what Mr. Yonce says.

Mr. A. A. Edmunds carried three convicts to the chin-gang this morning. Two for terms of two years each and one for 25 years. The change is now working south of Edgefield near the home of Mr. S. W. Gardner, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Evans went to Macon, Ga., for a visit to Mrs. Evans' sister, Mrs. Rhodes and her son George who is at Macon University. Mr. Evans has returned but Mrs. Evans will remain away several weeks.

We direct the attention of our readers this week to the advertisement of the Huggins Grocery Store near the station. A fresh and well selected stock of groceries is now ready for the shoppers at the store formerly occupied by Moore Bros. When you need anything in his line call upon Mr. Huggins.

The writer of "Moss News" omitted enclosing his or her name with the communication, consequently we could not publish it. Never send anything to a newspaper for publication without enclosing your name, which will not be published if request is made not to do so.

Mr. W. A. Berrian, Jr., spent Sunday in Charleston visiting his brother-in-law and while there took an auto trip to Meggett's which is located in the centre of the great trucking district. Mr. Berrian said he saw acres and acres of cabbages and acres and acres of cabbage plants, possibly 50 acres or more in one field.

Many Edgefield friends will be pleased to hear that Mountain-view, N. J. Sunday night there arrived in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Julian R. Strother, a little son Julian Strother the third. Mrs. Emily Strother of Edgefield is the proud grandmother, and is receiving congratulations.

The Columbia Chapter of Winthrop Daughters, Mrs. Robert A. Cooper, President, has graciously extended an invitation to all daughters of Winthrop in attendance upon the State Teachers' Association in Columbia to be present at a Winthrop tea at the Governor's Mansion from six to eight o'clock Friday evening, March 17. It is hoped there will be a large number of Winthrop daughters who will accept this cordial invitation.

Lisle-Duriso Marriage
Many friends in Edgefield will be surprised to learn that Miss Doris Lisle to William Griffin Duriso.

Mr. Duriso is the son of Mr. John J. Duriso of Washington and Mrs. Mamie Griffin Duriso, Mr. Duriso removed from Edgefield to Washington a number of years ago, at the death of his wife, William Griffin being the youngest child.

He was enlisted in the service of this country in the world war, and has remained overseas aiding the Government for several years in the transportation of the bodies of our men who died in France. Mr. Duriso was married to a young English woman, Miss Doris Lisle at St. Augustin's Episcopal Church Dec. 19, 1921. When they return from abroad we hope they will come to Edgefield and spend a part of their honeymoon.

Post Office Building Destroyed by Fire

Early Sunday morning about 5:30 o'clock the building in which the postoffice was located was totally destroyed by fire. The building was owned by Dr. J. G. Tompkins and Dr. R. A. Marsh, who had offices on the second floor, and the entire first floor was used for the postoffice. The fire company responded promptly to the alarm but the flames had made such headway that it was impossible, despite the desperate efforts made, to save the building. The origin of the fire is unknown. Notwithstanding the fact that Drs. Tompkins and Marsh carried \$7,000 insurance on the building, the post-office equipment, medical library and surgical instruments, they will lose heavily. Mr. C. M. Mellichamp, the postmaster, has opened temporary quarters in a building across the street, owned by Mr. B. B. Jones, and is doing everything possible to handle the mails with dispatch until a better arrangement can be provided.

Law and Order League Formed

Promptly at eight o'clock Monday night, in spite of the inclement weather, a large number of citizens of Edgefield, including a considerable number of women, assembled in the court house in response to the call for a mass meeting, issued by the ministers of Edgefield in the papers last week. Rev. G. W. M. was unanimously chosen as chairman of the meeting and he stated at some length why it was deemed wise for the citizens of Edgefield to come together and discuss the prevalence of lawlessness and seeming increasing disregard for law. T. B. Greneker offered resolutions urging those in authority to be more diligent in enforcing the law and calling up the citizens to give the officers of the law their support and co-operation. Before the resolutions were acted upon, being finally adopted unanimously, a very thorough discussion of local conditions, especially with reference to the violation of the prohibition law, was engaged in by about a dozen citizens. The two candidates for mayor of the town, Dr. J. G. Edwards and W. W. Adams, made brief statements. It is generally conceded that the discussion will have a wholesome effect and that the meeting will bear fruit in the form of a better enforcement of the ordinances of the town. A law and order league was organized by the election of Rev. G. W. M. Taylor, president; M. B. Tucker, vice president, and W. C. Lynch, secretary and treasurer.

The following are the resolutions introduced by Mr. Greneker:

WHEREAS, there seems to be an utter disregard for law and order by some of the citizens of our county and state, and,

WHEREAS, unless something is done to check the same and instill into the minds of our people a higher

respect for obedience to law with special reference to the illegal liquor traffic and,

WHEREAS, a meeting of the citizens of the county and town of Edgefield has been called for the purpose of devising some method of assisting our county and town officials to enforce the law

NOW BE IT RESOLVED that this meeting be formed into a Law and Order League for the purpose of assisting and encouraging our duly elected officers in performing their duties and lend our moral support to the carrying out of that end, request the Mayor of Edgefield, Town Council, and all County officials to bend their best efforts toward the same.

Court of General Session

The spring term of the court of general sessions convened Monday with Judge Ernest Moore presiding. All of the other court officials were promptly at their respective posts and the machinery for dispensing justice was soon set in motion. A very able charge to the grand jury was made by Judge Moore, in which he stressed the importance of the grand jurors discharging their duty to the end that a better enforcement of the law be brought about. He also urged that the county offices be examined and that attention be given to our public schools. Judge Moore ranks among the ablest judges on the bench and his charge was timely, forceful and effective.

Solicitor Callison handed out the following indictments which were promptly acted upon by the grand jury:

William Ryan and Tom Allen, house breaking and larceny, true bills; Horace Andrews, bank breaking and larceny, true bill; John McKenny, murder, true bill; Willie Norris and John Henry Lanham, car breaking and larceny, true bill; E. W. McDaniel, obtaining goods under false pretense; Anna Quiller, murder true bill; G. A. Hutto, violating the prohibition law, true bill.

The first case called Monday morning for trial was that of the State against Mr. M. W. Hudgens, indicted for assault and battery. The jury rendered a verdict of acquittal. Mr. Hudgens was represented by N. G. Evans and C. T. Burnett, and the State by the solicitor, Sheppard Brothers and S. M. Smith.

D. D. Pruitt was found guilty of simple assault under the charge of assault and battery with intent to kill. The State was represented by the solicitor and the defendant by C. T. Burnett.

G. A. Hutto was tried in his absence for violating the prohibition law and was found guilty. He was represented by N. G. Evans and C. T. Burnett and the solicitor represented the state.

In the trial of Horace Andrews for breaking into the Bank of Trenton more than a year ago the court appointed C. T. Burnett to represent the defendant. A verdict of guilty was rendered, with a recommendation to the mercy of the court.

At the hour of our going to press the court is engaged in the trial of Ullis Butler for obtaining money under false pretense, the state being represented by the solicitor and the defendant by J. H. Cantelou.

The grand jury made its report yesterday which is published in this issue. It is probably that the criminal court will complete its work this afternoon.

Mr. E. T. Timmerman, Ninety-two Years of Age, Dies at Confederate Home

After an illness of several weeks, E. T. Timmerman, resident at the Confederate Soldiers' home since 1915, died at the home recently.

Mr. Timmerman, who was 92 years of age at the time of his death, entered the Confederate service in 1862 with Company K, Fourteenth South Carolina volunteers, McGowan's brigade, and served until the surrender and proved himself a gallant soldier. He was wounded while in the army.

Mr. Timmerman was a favorite with his comrades at the home, was a devoted Christian and was popular with those who came in contact with him. In his last illness which he bore with Christian fortitude he gave instructions for his burial and seemed not unaware of his condition. He will be missed at the home and his passing severs another link with the antebellum South.

Mr. Timmerman is survived by a brother, William Timmerman, of Edgefield county and a nephew, Boyd Timmerman, of Edgefield.—The State.


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The tidal wave; him swept so near
He could not stand its shock.

He fought so bravely against the tide
Not only for himself to win
But sought to help others by his side
That struggled in the din.

With manly pride through each ordeal
That tried his soul with fire
His hand was outstretched to each appeal
From unfortunate's in the mire.

With face to the front, he braved the storm
Only stopping now and then
To give word of cheer, or save from harm
Some Brother, child, or friend.

His sensitive nerves were too high strung
To stand waves of "Jass" discord
That on the business sea is being sung
Both here and all abroad.

O, God of Host's, hear this prayer
For our's
For a raft in the cloud
That hovers near Its threatening showers
In distant thunder cry aloud.

O, Giver of life whose unseen hand
Guides us o'er the ymistery Sea
Show us the way, give the command
That will bring him back to me.

W. S. G. HEATH

Sweetwater News

We are grateful to Mr. Edmunds for our good roads. They are in a better condition than they have been in years.

Mr. Louis Page was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gardner, Sunday.

Mr. George Benjamin Mealing had the misfortune of hurting his nose, while cutting wood last week.

Miss Dell Shaw spent last week-end with Miss Mattie Williams.

Mr. Matt Hightower is very ill. We are very sorry to hear of this.

Mr. Dick Timmerman was a visitor in our community Sunday.

Mr. G. P. Mealing, Sr., is sick with a severe cold.

Miss Mattie Williams spent the day Sunday, with Miss Cornelia Glover.

Mr. Shaw Harley spent Sunday with his parents. He has a position in Augusta.

Mrs. S. M. Gardner, Jr., is recovering from an illness.

Messrs Duggins Glover and George Williams spent the week-end in North Augusta.

The members of the Meriwether Club enjoyed an oyster dinner Saturday. The topic for discussion being, "Potato House and Feed mill."

Misses Hazel Atkinson and Emmie Timmerman spent Sunday with Miss Cornelia Glover.

Mr. Edmunds is going to give an oyster supper for the men of the community next Friday night.

Mr. Robert and Miss Alice McKee were visiting here Sunday.

We hear Weddings bells and see orange blossoms for our community in the near future.

"Spring Chickens"

Grand Jury Report

To His Honor Judge Ernest Moore Presiding Judge.

We the Grand Jury have passed on all bills handed us by the Solicitor and returned same to the Court.

The following Committees have been selected for service during the year.

Committee on Roads Bridges and Public Highways; W. J. Duncan, Chairman. J. B. McCreight and J. W. Munday.

Committee on Poor House and Chain-gang; W. G. Wells, Chairman, E. M. Walker, and W. A. Reel.

Committee on Education and Public Schools; J. W. Munday, Chairman. J. H. Allen, P. B. Day Jr., Joe S. Smith and O. O. Timmerman.

Committee on County Finances; J. H. Reel, Chairman. L. P. Smith and T. C. Edwards.

Committee on Law Enforcement; J. B. McCreight, Chairman, A. M. Clark, T. P. Morgan, O. O. Timmerman, S. B. Marsh.

Committee on County Officers and Offices B. R. Tillman, Chairman. J. W. Quarles, W. J. Duncan, J. H. Allen and J. H. Reel.

The Grand Jury as a body is earnestly desirous of lending every assistance to the more rigid enforcement of the Laws of the land.

It desires to particularly stress the necessity and the duty of more rigid enforcement of the Prohibition law, and calls attention of all officers whose duties it is to be active in this regard, to get behind the good citizens and the public and work to the end that the making of whisky be put down and those engaged in the illicit distillation of it be punished.

The Grand Jury calls upon the County Officials to give to the County the best service they are capable of, to practice economy in all things, to administer their offices in fairness and earnestness to each and every citizen alike. It realizes that by earnestness, faithful performance of each duty as it comes, by economy and hard work, the people of the County can weather the storm; and out of the apparent evils incident to the problems growing out of the War and the financial distress which has come upon the community.

We desire to express our appreciation of the Courtesies shown us by your Honor, by the Solicitor and the other officials of the Court.

Very respectfully,
B. R. TILLMAN,
Foreman of Grand Jury

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