

# Latta News Department

Conducted by W. Ellis Bethea

## Coming and Going.

J. G. Ellen of Free State was here Friday.  
 Maj. Otis Page of Dillon was here Friday afternoon.  
 Lawrence Hayes of Free State was here Friday.  
 John Brown of Sellers was here Friday.  
 Frank Turberville of Florence was here Friday.  
 J. L. McInnis and J. F. Hudson of Sellers were here Monday.  
 Mrs. D. G. Burden and children were visiting in Rowland Monday.  
 John C. Allen of Elberry was here Monday.  
 L. P. Benton of Chadbourne, N. C., is visiting his relatives here.  
 L. E. Dew of Dalcho was here Monday.  
 G. S. Roberts of Zion was here Monday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Allen of Free State were here Monday.  
 M. J. Brunson of Marion was here on Monday.  
 Mrs. Margaret Roddick spent the day in Dillon Monday.  
 J. B. and Schubert McCutcheon of Dillon were here Thursday.  
 Marvin Stackhouse of Dillon was here Thursday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Will Duncan of Temperance were here Thursday.  
 Mrs. F. B. Watson of Antioch was here Thursday.  
 W. B. Allen of Free State was here Thursday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Ellis of Mallory were here Thursday.  
 M. D. Edwards of Marion was here Thursday.  
 Mrs. J. C. Hayes and children of Elberry were here Thursday.  
 Mrs. J. D. Coleman and daughter Elsie were here Thursday.  
 Sam Edwards of Dalcho was here Wednesday.  
 Douglas Stackhouse of Columbia was here Wednesday.  
 Magistrate Joe M. Bass of Sellers was here on Wednesday.  
 R. B. Bethea of Smithboro was here Wednesday.  
 Willie Parham of Bingham was here Wednesday.  
 L. F. Lane of Temperance was here Wednesday.  
 Mrs. W. D. Sellers and children of Sellers were here Wednesday.  
 Hon. B. B. and Mrs. Sellers were in town on Wednesday.  
 Mrs. J. O. Armstrong entertained the Bridge Club on Thursday afternoon.  
 Henry Bowden, manager Union Seed and Fertilizer Co., of Wilmington, was here Friday.  
 Messrs. T. J. L. C. and C. G. Bass and Alfred Moore went to Marion Friday afternoon.  
 W. Ellis Bethea spent the week end with his son, C. S. Bethea and family in Wilmington.  
 Joe, little son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Brunson, died near Latta Sunday.  
 Mrs. W. M. Monroe of Marion is visiting her brother's family, S. A. McMillan of this place.  
 The remains of little Joe Brunson were carried by his parents to Florence for interment Tuesday.  
 Mrs. L. E. Dew, Misses Florence and Eunice Allen of Dalcho were here Monday.  
 H. H. Bailey, H. Bailey and W. B. Ford of Lake View were here Monday.  
 C. M. Allen, manager Swift & Co., Oil Mill, Columbia, was here Wednesday.  
 George Grunto, who travels for E. L. Mathews Candy Co., of Wilmington, was here Wednesday.  
 Mrs. Carrie Miles is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Manning.  
 Mrs. R. H. Manning and children are spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Stafford.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rogers of Fork spent Thursday with the family of Mr. J. E. Henry.  
 R. C. Rogers, who travels for Bluntenthal Co., of Wilmington was here Thursday.  
 Prof. and Mrs. C. M. Staley and children of Staley, N. C., are visiting Mrs. Staley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Watson.  
 Jesse Manship who fills a position in Norfolk, Va., is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Manship of this place.  
 Mrs. B. K. Rossignol who has been spending some time with her nephew W. Dal Bethea, has returned to her home in Atlanta.  
 Miss Demma Hill who has been in Black Mountain for the past several months has returned to Latta where she will nurse the sick as in the past.  
 Misses Jessie Smith, Mattie Price, Messrs. J. K. Page, Jr., and Allen Smith of Sellers were visiting at the home of Mrs. A. W. Berry on Sunday night.  
 C. G. Bruce of Asheville is here with his family with a view to moving his household furniture, etc., on Saturday and will make Asheville his home.  
 Mrs. Wilder, Miss Aline Stansell and Mr. Billy Blackwell of Sumter are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bethea and Mrs. J. F. Bennett's family.  
 Miss Mary Moore Stoneburner left on 82 Saturday night for Richmond, where she will spend a week with her brother, Dr. Stoneburner, leaving next Saturday for her home in Edinburg, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sheppard who for the past several years have lived here, will after this live in Asheville with their daughter, Mrs. C. G. Bruce.

D. M. Dew went to Columbia Friday and brought Mrs. Dew back home who it will be remembered has been in a hospital in that city for treatment for the past several weeks. We are glad to know that Mrs. Dew has improved sufficiently to be able to come back home.

## Social Events.

The teachers of the Latta School were entertained by Misses Minnie and Kittie Allen at supper on Wednesday evening the 14th of May. Those enjoying the Misses Allen's hospitality were: Misses Gertrude Mahaffey, Teresa Dew, Eloise Linton, Mary Moore Stoneburner, Annie Covington, Mrs. Ada Edwards, O. J. Zeigler, R. T. Fairley, J. G. Allen and Miss Sue Allen.

On Wednesday evening at the Methodist parsonage a reception was given by the Epworth League for the members of Latta School faculty who will not return next year. The guests were met at the door by Doctor and Mrs. Kirkland. The entire lower floor was thrown into one and most artistically decorated with sweet peas and Dorothy Perkins roses. In spite of the fact it was a "farewell party," it was not lacking in fun and merriment. Several amusing contests were engaged in the prize falling to Mrs. Houston Manning, and was presented to Miss Stoneburner, as a slight recompense for the faithful work that she has done in the Epworth League since she came to Latta. Miss Gertrude Manning in a very attractive manner thanked the teachers for their untiring efforts in community service and spoke of the regret of the League in seeing this splendid crowd of young people go from our midst. Music was furnished throughout the evening by Miss Mae Berry. Dainty home made candy was served by Miss Mabel Parham and Miss Hortense Biggs. About seventy five guests called during the evening, departing at a late hour and pronouncing this one of the most pleasant social events held in Latta this season.

The Latta Epworth League very fittingly celebrated their thirty first anniversary day Sunday evening with the installation of its new officers. The devotional program was led by the president, Mr. Fairley. After Dr. Kirkland administered the oath of office, instead of the customary address the league presented a beautiful and impressive Pageant symbolizing the spirit of the league and the four departments. Everything centered around the cross, Miss Gertrude Manning represented the spirit, Miss Sallie Bethea, Worship; Miss Maybelle Parham, Community Conscience; Mrs. D. C. Edwards, Fellowship and Miss Christine Berry, World Vision. Miss Berry was attended by the Foreign Mission Fields in costume, China, Inez Parham; Japan, Ida Fenegan; Korea, Gertrude Parham; Brazil, Lucia Haselden; India, Lucile Fenegan; Mexico, Anna Margaret Williams; Cuba, Josephine Major; Africa, Hazel Floyd. The new officers are: President, Mr. R. T. Fairley; Vice-President, Mr. G. R. Floyd; First Department Supt., Miss Bessie Berry; Second Department Superintendent, Miss Ida Fenegan; Third Department Superintendent, Miss Maybelle Parham; Fourth Department, Mrs. S. J. Bethea, Jr.; Secretary, Miss Christine Berry; Treasurer, Miss Hope Manning; Era Agent, Mr. Hubert Stalvey; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Gertrude Manning; Jr. Superintendent, Miss Christine Berry; Assistant Superintendent, Miss Bessie Rowell.

Owing to the shortage of coal and the manner in which the government regulates the distribution of fuel in Berlin, the hot bath has become such a luxury that many persons have ceased bathing.

President, Rev. S. J. Bethea. In the absence of the secretary, Mrs. H. A. Bethea was elected secretary pro tem. The business of this meeting was the election of officers for the ensuing year, and the following were elected: President, L. A. Manning, Jr.; Vice President, C. F. Bass; First Member of Board, F. M. McMillan; Second Member of Board, Deans Crumpler; Librarian, Mrs. Wessie Braddy; Secretary, Mrs. E. C. Major. Committee on Books as follows: Mesdames J. F. Rogers, S. E. Fenegan and H. A. Bethea; Miss Teresa Dew, Honorary. The following are the board of directors: Messrs. S. E. Fenegan, H. A. Bethea, Mesdames J. F. Rogers and W. Ellis Bethea.

The commencement exercises of the Latta High School began Thursday evening the 5th, of April, with a musical entertainment by Miss Linton with her twenty one music pupils each one taking some part in the exercises. Those who attended pronounced it quite enjoyable and noted a marked improvement during the past year in all music pupils.

The Marion boys played the Latta boys a game of base ball at Latta on Thursday afternoon. There was a sprinkle of school boys in both teams among the players. Grady Fore pitched for the Latta boys. The game was very well played and highly entertaining, though it could be seen that the town boys needed practice. During the game one of the Marion batters let the bat slip from his hand and struck a Marion boy, a bystander, Mr. Bill Lambert, just over the right eye, and he was taken in a car and carried up town to a doctor. The gash while a real ugly one, will not be serious.

The commencement exercises of the Latta School were concluded on Friday evening May 6th. The salutatory was delivered by Miss Dorothy Rogers, of the graduating class; following this was a duet by Misses May Braddy and Eveline Stafford, also of the Senior Class. The commencement address was delivered by Prof. J. C. Guilds, President of Columbia College, the Valedictory was delivered by Miss Flora Bethea, also of the Senior class. The gold medal given by the D. A. R. to the pupil who is the most proficient in history, was awarded to Robert Broadhurst of the tenth grade by Rev. E. C. Bailey, pastor of the Presbyterian church here. The following were those who graduated: A certificate to William Bailey, and diplomas to the following young ladies: Misses May Braddy, Dorothy Rogers, Eveline Stafford and Flora Bethea.

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