

SOCIETY EVENTS

INTEREST TO WOMEN

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YESTERDAY

If yesterday could be again tomorrow
Returning from the land of Used-to-Be;

If we could look on every joy and sorrow,
Could glimpse again each face we used to see,

Would we make use of moments that were wasted,
Would we fill empty hours with delight,

Would we taste of those joys that went untasted,
And set each broken dream and ideal right?

If yesterday could come again to greet us,
Would we turn tears to smiles or smiles to tears?

Would we be wiser, letting anguish meet us,
The fears that we have known in other years?

Or would we shirk in utter pain and sorrow
And turn our frightened faces quite away—

If yesterday could be again tomorrow,
If we might live again each yesterday?

—Margaret E. Sangster, in The Christian Herald.

D. A. R. MEETS THURSDAY AFTERNOON

The D. A. R. will meet Thursday afternoon at three-thirty, in the woman's club room.

MR. STONE GIVES DINNER PARTY

On Tuesday evening Mr. Chaney Stone was a kind host when he entertained with an enjoyable dinner party. The guests of the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Copeland, Mrs. George R. White, Carol White Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. Irby Hipp, Misses Roslyn and Iona Blakely, and Mr. Kirk Milam.

MRS. McCRARY HOSTESS TO "THE IDLE MOMENTS"

On Thursday morning Mrs. L. D. McCrary was a gracious hostess to "The Idle Moments." Three tables were arranged for rook and those enjoying the games were: Mesdames W. B. Farr, G. H. Ellis, J. Will Dillard, Jodie Chandler, J. H. Stone, John Spratt, John W. Little, T. D. Copeland, M. J. McFadden, Gary Dillard, E. J. Adair, and Miss Marie Adair. Miss Maude Pearson assisted the hostess in serving a delightful salad course with hot rolls and tea.

MISS SALLIE WRIGHT ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB

Miss Sallie Wright was a gracious hostess to the regular meeting of the Bridge Club on Thursday afternoon. Several additional friends were present and those enjoying the afternoon were: Mesdames John Little, Jodie Chandler, Reese Young, Wm. Jacobs, Carl Robinson, Ray Nimocks, J. F. Jacobs, Sr., J. W. Finney, Pringle Copeland, Barrie Parrott, Christopher Adair, Guy Pitts, Homer Henry, Alec O'Daniel, Jack Young, J. L. Wright, Misses Marie Smith and Elizabeth Young. The hostess assisted by Mrs. J. L. Wright and Mrs. Guy Pitts, served an attractive salad course.

PLANS ON FOOT FOR "CLUB AFTERNOON"

The ladies of Clinton, wives of members of the Bois Terre club, have been talking among themselves for some months about making a special afternoon of each week "Country Club Afternoon." Last Wednesday afternoon a party of ladies assembled at the club and decided that they would ask other ladies of Clinton and ladies of Laurens to cooperate with them in popularizing "Club Afternoon." A letter to this effect has been sent to the president, Mr. George M. Wright, and the ladies of Clinton hope that the plan will meet with his approval, and that the ladies of Laurens will heartily support the scheme. All realize that during the winter months the greatest benefit is not derived from the club.

SEVERAL DELIGHTFUL DINNER PARTIES

During the past week Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shands have entertained friends with several delightful dinner parties. The guests of Thursday evening included: Mr. and Mrs. George A. Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pitts, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jacobs, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ferguson, Mrs. Emma Little, Mrs. Nannie Albright, Miss Clara Duckett, and Mr. Chaney Stone. On Friday: Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Killen, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis, Dr. and Mrs. Jack Young, Dr. and Mrs. F. D. Jones, Mrs. J. Hamp Stone, and Miss Elizabeth Young were present.

On Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Shands entertained with a spend-the-day party and those present were: Dr. and Mrs. John Young, Miss Essie Young, Dr. and Mrs. J. Lee Young, and Leland, Mr. and Mrs. Alec O'Daniel, and James O'Daniel.

SOCIAL CIRCLE CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mrs. J. A. Coleman very graciously entertained the Social Circle Club on last Thursday afternoon. After a couple of hours of conversation and exchanging of needle work ideas, Mrs. Coleman, assisted by her daughter, Miss Katherine, served a delicious sweet course. Those present were: Mrs. J. B. Speake, Mrs. J. B. Wilder, O. I. Sheely, J. E. Benjamin, J. W. Dillard, P. B. Adair, J. R. Dillard, G. R. Holland, J. I. Adair, F. T. Boozer, Irby Holland, Nannie Pitts, and J. T. Wilson. The next meeting will be with Mrs. G. R. Holland.

ENJOYABLE MEETING OF MOTHERS CLUB

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. T. L. W. Bailey was hostess to the Mothers Club. The attendance was good and quite an enjoyable meeting was held. Many important business matters were discussed and referred to the corresponding secretary, Mrs. B. Graham. Belgium was the subject of study and roll call was answered with an historical fact. Mrs. John Little read an interesting paper: "The debt we owe Belgium." Mrs. J. Will Dillard gave several entertaining summaries of Maeterlinck's works. The hostess, assisted by the "Little Baileys" served an attractive course of sandwiches and tea with delightful date puddings and whipped cream. The members present were, Mesdames H. E. Sturgeon, John Spratt, A. V. Martin, Parks Adair, R. F. Adair, J. Will Dillard, G. H. Ellis, R. E. Jones, L. B. Dillard, John Little, P. S. Bailey, Bothwell Graham, Henry M. Young, Drummond, and T. L. W. Bailey.

LAND SALES DRAW CROWDS

Large Acreage Sold at Public Auction By County Officers on First Monday in January.

The public sale of lands advertised for January salesday, brought out one of the largest crowds on record. During the morning nearly 5,000 acres of land were sold. The Chronicle was unable to get the list for last week's issue and is printing it today. The following sales were made:

In the case of the Bank of Enoree vs F. Conway Smith, 1-8 interest in certain real estate and personal property, bid in by O. L. Long, attorney, for \$625.

In the case of Southern Cotton Oil company vs T. M. Shaw, one tract of 100 acres near Lisbon was bought by the Virginia-Carolina Chemical company for \$400; another tract of 105 acres was bid in by A. D. Gray for \$1,205.

In the case of C. F. McCollough vs Q. W. Sims, 553 acres near Waterloo, was bid in by the plaintiff for \$3,000.

In the case of the Brockton Trust company vs Mrs. Anna L. Martin, two tracts aggregating 186 1-2 acres were bid in by R. E. Babb, attorney, for \$2,025.

In the case of C. C. Featherstone et al vs J. C. McMillan, 851 acres was bid in by C. A. Mays for \$6,650; a store lot at Renno and 10.76 acres were bought by J. H. Bell for \$810.

In the case of C. L. Hairston vs P. S. Jeans et al, a 100 acre tract near Clinton was sold to R. Erskine Blakeley for \$2,015.

In the case of J. W. Leake vs T. J. Chandler et al, 80 acres near Clinton were sold to Copeland-Stone for \$1,570.

In the case of the First National Bank of Clinton vs D. A. Glenn et al, the Glenn and Patton lands aggregating 1,060.6 acres were sold to A. C. Todd, attorney, for \$8,300; the Mary E. Lites tracts, aggregating 1,265.1 acres, were sold to A. C. Todd, attorney, for \$6,500.

Probate Judge

In the case of Anna Austin, administratrix, vs Matilda Saxon et al, 3-10 of an acre on North Hampton street, Laurens, was sold to P. D. Huff, attorney, for \$360; one and one-half acres on Hampton street, sold to P. D. Huff, attorney, for \$400.

In addition to sales by county officers, Joe H. Nabers, trustee on the bankrupt estate of M. A. Sumerel, sold the M. A. Sumerel lands for \$7,500 to the Farmers National Bank.

Well Known Firm Stages Big Sale

Copeland-Stone Company To Start After Inventory Sale Friday Morning.

An After-Inventory Sale that carries with it a big reduction in prices is announced in today's paper by the well known firm of Copeland-Stone Company. The news is heralded forth in a page advertisement in today's paper and it will prove of interest to the buying public. The curtain rises tomorrow morning when their big stock of high class merchandise will be thrown on the market at prices that are sure to attract and to please.

SECTY HUGHES RESIGNS OFFICE

Ambassador Kellogg Succeeds To Cabinet Portfolio March 4. News Amazes Capitol.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Charles Evans Hughes has resigned as secretary of state and will be succeeded by Frank B. Kellogg of Minnesota, now ambassador to Great Britain.

The resignation of Mr. Hughes will be effective March 4, when he completes four years as head of the state department. Mr. Kellogg is expected to take office immediately afterward.

The prospective cabinet change was announced late today at the White House. Mr. Hughes, it was said, desired after 20 years of public life, interrupted only by a short period, to return to private life.

In his letter of resignation, Mr. Hughes expressed to President Coolidge his "deep appreciation of the confidence you have reposed and of the privilege of serving under your leadership."

Mr. Coolidge replied with an expression of regret and of renewed confidence in his retiring secretary.

The news of Mr. Hughes' withdrawal from the cabinet just at this time surprised the capitol. It had been understood for some months that he desired to recoupe his personal fortunes by again engaging in the practice of law, but recently his friends had said he probably would remain for at least another year in the official family of President Coolidge.

Appointed by Harding at the outset of his term of office, the secretary took from the start a firm grip on the country, and was the adviser of the White House also on many questions of domestic policy. He carried a heavy flood of responsibility at the Washington arms conference as head of the American delegation, and in the period of his service handled also many intricate questions growing out of the war.

With the accession of Mr. Coolidge to the presidency, Mr. Hughes remained to every outward appearance, at least, a trusted counsellor of the administration. He and Mr. Coolidge always have appeared to see eye to eye on foreign affairs, but for some months opponents of Mr. Hughes' policies in the senate, which has an advisory power on foreign affairs, have been a source of an apparently growing irritation to him. He never has agreed with Senator Borah, the new chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, on some of the vital questions of foreign policy, although no outstanding disagreement between them has recently appeared in the picture.

Mr. Hughes' resignation was announced a few hours after he had left Washington for Atlanta, to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the American Bar association, of which he is president. He expects to resume practice of law in New York in his old firm of Hughes, Rounds, Sherman & Dwight.

Mr. Kellogg, who will succeed him, also is a lawyer of outstanding prominence. Before he became ambassador to Great Britain late in 1923 he was a senator from Minnesota, and in that capacity was one of those Republicans who favored ratification of the league of nations with reservations less sweeping than the Lodge reservations.

As ambassador, Mr. Kellogg has represented the United States in several difficult postwar negotiations. He now is in Paris, acting with Ambassador Herrick for the United States at the conference of allied finance ministers.

James F. Tolbert Claimed By Death

Well Known and Esteemed Laurens Citizen Passes After Brief Illness.

Laurens, Jan. 11.—James F. Tolbert, prominent citizen of Laurens, died early today at his home on Farley avenue, after a brief illness. Funeral services were held from the residence Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. L. P. McGee, pastor of the First Methodist church, and other ministers of the city. Interment followed at the Laurens cemetery.

Mr. Tolbert had not been in his usually good health for some time, though he was at his office most of the time.

The deceased was born at Williamston 62 years ago. Practically his entire business life was spent in Laurens, where for more than 35 years he has been identified with the town's interests and was a very highly esteemed citizen. He has in latter years conducted an insurance office in connection with the Laurens Trust company and then on his own account. He was a member and treasurer of the First Methodist church, a Mason and Knight of Pythias.

Mr. Tolbert's wife, who was Miss Dora Gray before her marriage, died three years ago. Two daughters survive Mr. Tolbert, Mrs. T. D. Watkins of Greenville, and Miss Marguerite Tolbert, teacher in the Laurens city schools, and one grandson, Jack Chandler, whose mother, Mrs. Hannah Tolbert Chandler, eldest daughter of the Tolbert family, was drowned in Puget sound several years ago, and little Jack has been making his home here since, his father having died during the influenza epidemic. One sister, Mrs. M. B. Dacus, of Fort Mill, also survives the deceased.

SHEATSLEY TALKS OF WIFE'S DEATH

Minister Asks Congregation To Wait For Findings of Authorities, Disclaiming Guilt.

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 11.—Anonymous letters purporting to have been written by members of his congregation today, caused the Rev. C. V. Sheatsley, pastor of Christ Lutheran church, of Bexley, to discuss before his congregation the mysterious cremation of his wife in the furnace of the parsonage on November 17.

It was the first time the pastor had mentioned the tragedy since resuming his pulpit.

"Several anonymous letters, purporting to have been written by members of my congregation," the Rev. Mr. Sheatsley declared, "have asked why we have not mentioned the tragedy that took place in our home."

This statement brought the Rev. Dr. Edward Pfeiffer, professor at Capital University, where the Rev. Dr. Sheatsley is professor of religion, to his feet with an appeal for the pastor to discontinue his remarks.

"This congregation has gone on record as expressing absolute confidence in the innocence of our pastor and every member of his family. I, personally, was dissuaded with difficulty, from offering a reward of \$1,000 for information leading to the arrest of any person or persons guilty of this affair. What do the people want? Did our resolution have no weight?" Dr. Pfeiffer declared.

Columbus newspapers have printed a number of letters bearing on the Sheatsley furnace mystery, many of them denouncing the pastor and members of his family for not offering a reward for a solution to the mystery. It was publication of these letters and others written recently to the pastor that caused him to discuss the matter before his congregation.

The Rev. Mr. Sheatsley stood silently, and with bowed head, while Dr. Pfeiffer talked, then answered:

"Dr. Pfeiffer has misunderstood me. It is I, not the congregation, who have been questioned. I wish to ask my congregation to wait in patience until the rigid and thorough investi-

LAURENS PEOPLE WELCOME PATTON

Union Service At Presbyterian Church For New Pastor. Takes Up New Work.

Laurens, Jan. 19.—The different church congregations of the city Sunday night united with the Presbyterians in a union welcome service to the new pastor of the First Presbyterian church, the Rev. E. D. Patton, who preached his first sermon at the morning service Sunday.

The Rev. Mr. Patton comes to the Laurens pastorate from Acworth, Ga., where he has served two or three churches for several years. His sermons made a profound impression on large congregations.

At the union service Dr. Weston Bruner of the First Baptist church, and the Rev. L. P. McGee of the First Methodist church, spoke words of welcome to the new pastor, both for themselves and on behalf of their respective congregations. The response of Mr. Patton was couched in terms of deep appreciation of the honor shown him and for the expressed well wishes for his success and happiness in the new field and with it a pledge to strive to measure up to the new privileges and responsibilities as preacher and citizen of the community.

The pastor's last remarks were directed toward stories carried in local papers that County Prosecutor King had submitted evidence gathered by his investigations before a grand jury.

Mrs. Addie Sheatsley's body was found in the furnace of the Bexley parsonage late in the afternoon of November 17 when the minister returned from town. The coroner rendered a verdict of suicide.

FOR RENT—Three room apartment, unfurnished. Phone 340. 1tp

GONE TO NEW YORK

Mrs. M. J. Dansiger and Mrs. W. T. Putnam of The Corner Store, are leaving this week for New York to purchase ladies, misses and children's ready-to-wear for the coming spring. Mr. Dansiger stated yesterday that the people of Clinton can rest assured upon having placed before them this spring the latest styles and novelties at prices within the reach of all.


FOR SALE—For a limited time I will offer one building lot, size 85 by 165 feet, for sale at a reasonable price. This lot is a beautiful one, situated on Cleveland street, and adjoining the property of Jas. L. Wright and is located in one of the best residential sections of Clinton. Reason for selling, wish to invest in Florida property. If interested address G. B. Shockley, 928 First Ave. North, St. Petersburg, Fla. 1-22-3tc

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