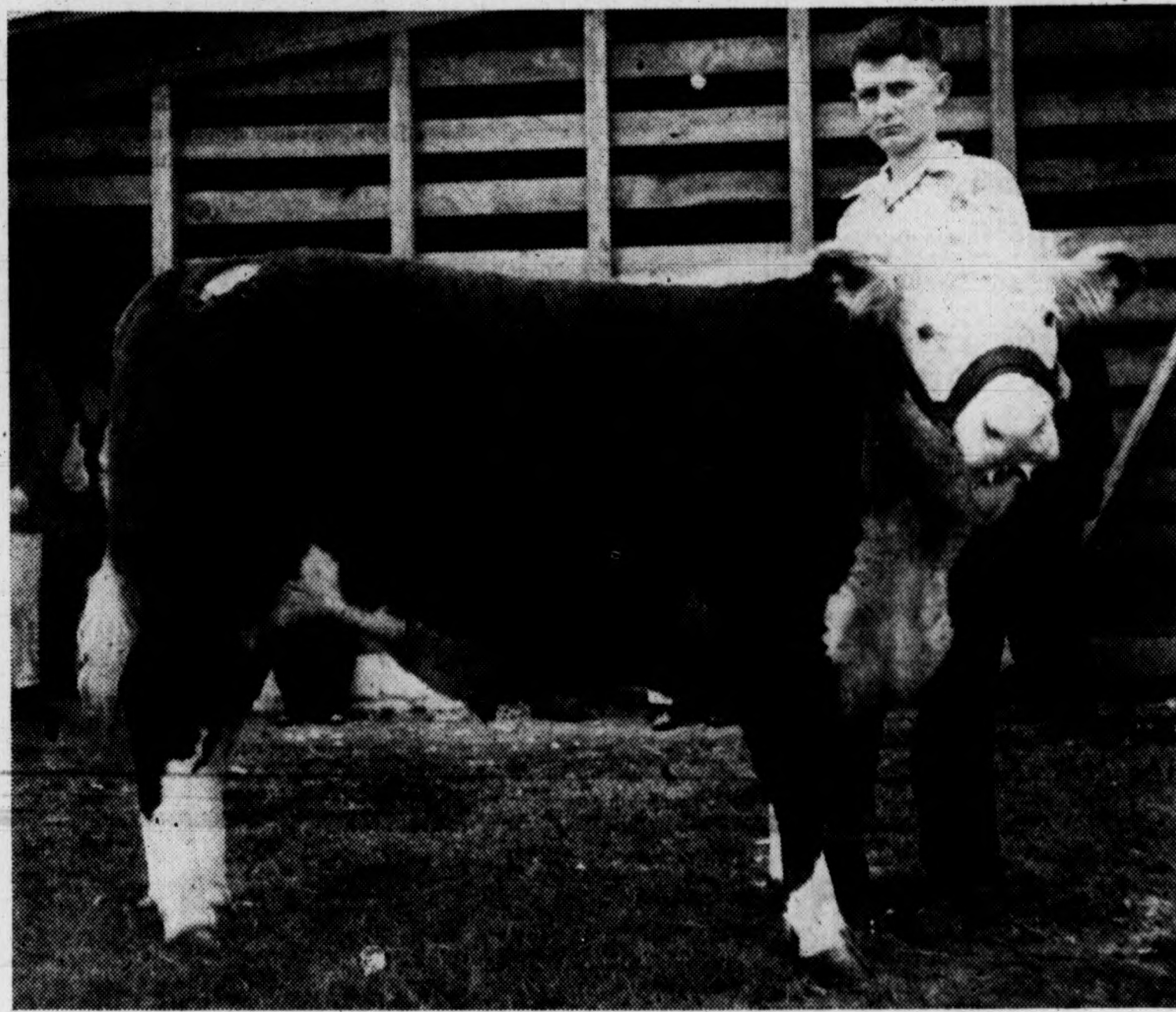


DILLARD YOUNG SHOWS GRAND CHAMPION AT ORANGEBURG



Pictured above is Dillard Young, 13-year-old 4-H club member, residing near here, showing his grand champion steer last Thursday at the Orangeburg fat stock show sponsored by the Orangeburg Livestock club. This is Dillard's first year as a member of the 4-H club and the first entry he made in a stock show. The winner came from the Duncan Creek Hereford Farm near the city owned by C. W. Anderson. The grand champion steer was bought by Kingan & company, Orangeburg meat packers, for \$1.00 a pound or a total of \$1,055. Sales price in bidding was 62.25 cents per pound, but the livestock club made up the difference. Dillard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mace Young, who live on the Clinton-Goldville highway. He is named for his great-grandfather, the late Tom J. Dillard.

Part Hotel Property Sold By Directors To Dr. Blalock

A large portion of the new hotel property on North Broad street has been sold within the past week by the board of directors of Dr. George R. Blalock for \$30,000.

Dr. Blalock will remodel the Bailey residence in the near future to be used for his offices and a clinic, and contemplates other improvements to the property.

The hotel corporation retained sufficient frontage for the new hotel on North Broad street according to the architects, Lafaye and Lafaye, of Columbia. The site faces 190 feet on Broad street with a depth of 225 feet on Academy street.

The property was brought a year ago from Mrs. Nina Vance Bailey for \$30,000.

Fraser Heads Clinton Choral Club

The Clinton Choral club met at the high school Monday night for an hour and a half rehearsal, with Rev. Edouard Patte, directing.

In a business session following the singing, Rev. T. L. Fraser was elected president, Miss Mary Shedd, corresponding secretary, and Miss Rosa Mahaffey, publicity chairman.

Other officers previously elected are: vice-president, Miss Carolyn Ashley; recording secretary, Mrs. Leila Johnson, treasurer, Harold Johnson.

Regular meetings of the club are scheduled to be held on the first and third Monday nights of the month at 8 o'clock at the high school.

Dr. Marion Hurt In Car Accident

Dr. L. B. Marion was hurt in an accident late Friday afternoon when his car and a public cab were in collision at the corner of Washington and Sloan street. He was immediately removed to the local hospital, where he is now a patient and doing as well as could be expected, members of the family said yesterday. His many friends in the city hope he will soon recover from his injuries.

Last Rites Held For Mrs. Amelia S. Corley

Mrs. Amelia Sperry Corley, 86, widow of Thomas B. Corley, died last Wednesday at the home of her son, E. W. Corley, after several weeks illness.

The funeral services were conducted Thursday morning from Gray Funeral Home by the Rev. P. L. Bauknight, pastor of Broad Street Methodist church. Interment followed in the Hopewell Methodist church cemetery, with a number of relatives and friends attending the rites.

Grnadsons served as pallbearers: Ben Massey, George Corley, Leonard Corley, Birma Corley, Thomas Corley and Charles Corley.

Mrs. Corley was a native of Edgefield county but had made her home in Newberry and here the past 31 years. She was a member of the Methodist church and possessed many friends who will regret to learn of her passing.

Survivors include five sons, A. N., C. B., and E. W. Corley of this city; M. D. Corley of Summerton and E. S. Corley of Batesburg; two daughters, Miss Carrie B. Corley of this city, and Mrs. W. E. Massey of Charlotte; 19 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Thornwell Shares In Duke Allocation

Thornwell orphanage of this city, received \$7,272.64 in the annual distribution to orphanages and hospitals authorized last week by the Duke Endowment at their meeting held in New York. This is an increase of \$934.25 over the \$6,338.39 figure of last year.

A total of \$674,284.28 was appropriated by the board to the 100 hospitals and 40 orphan homes in the two Carolinas. This was divided, hospitals, \$535,424; orphanages \$138,660.82.

The annual distribution is based on the days of care for orphan and half-orphan children for the year.

Jimmie Wilbanks Gets Parachute 'Wings'

Pvt. Jimmie A. Wilbanks, son of Mrs. Ruth Cook, of this city, has successfully completed the rigid five-week basic airborne course at the infantry school, Fort Benning, Ga., and has been awarded the official army parachute wings.

During the training he made five parachute jumps from army cargo aircraft at an altitude of 1,000 feet and achieved the high score necessary to pass the "paratroop" physical fitness test.

Parade Marks Army Day Here

In observance of "Army Day," the ROTC unit at Presbyterian college staged a parade in the business section of the city Tuesday morning. Flags were displayed by business houses during the day as a part of the observance.

School Bond Election For Hunter District Approved By Voters

Voters of Hunter school district No. 9 in a special election Tuesday approved a \$250,000 bond issue to finance a school improvement and expansion program. The election was recently asked by the board of trustees.

The vote was 189 in favor of the bond issue, 12 opposed. The vote stood: city precinct 164 to 12, Clinton Mills 19 "yes," and Lydia Mills 6 "yes."

According to a public statement by the trustees several weeks ago the proceeds from the bond issue are to be used for improvements and expansion at the high school, Academy street school and Lydia Mills school. Under a breakdown according to the trustees' statement, \$85,364 would be used for the Lydia Mills school, \$27,978 for Academy street school, and \$136,658 for the high school.

W. J. Bailey Patient In Greenville Hospital

W. J. Bailey, local banker and manufacturer, is a patient in the General hospital in Greenville where he was removed Sunday afternoon. His friends will regret to know he is quite ill and unite in wishing for him an early recovery. Mr. Bailey has been indisposed for several weeks during which time he has been staying at the home of his sister, Miss Connie Bailey, on West Pitts street.

Ed Bonds Patient In Greenville Hospital

The many friends of Ed W. Bonds, of the Bonds Cross Roads section, will be sorry to know he has been quite ill in the General hospital in Greenville for the past two weeks, where he underwent an operation. His condition yesterday was reported as improving.

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Young Journalists Of Piedmont Press Hold Meeting Here

The Piedmont Press association held its annual spring convention here Thursday with sixty-one delegates present representing the five schools included in the association for high school journalists. The schools were Greer, Gaffney, Duncan, Spartanburg and Clinton-high, the latter acting as host for the convention.

The meeting opened in the afternoon with Jane Erixe of Gaffney, the president, presiding. Welcoming addresses were made by W. R. Anderson and R. P. Wilder, representing the local high school, and Reid H. Montgomery, director of journalism at Winthrop college. The business of the association was discussed and a constitution drawn up.

Mrs. Michael Turner of this city led the young journalists in the discussion of the editorial department, Mr. Montgomery headed the news-feature discussion, and Donny Wilder, sports editor of The Sentinel, led the sports discussion.

At 6:30 supper was served at the First Baptist church. During the dinner the group was entertained by Charles Foster, Barbara Workman and Dial Jacks. The newly elected president, Jimmy Black of Greer, made an acceptance talk, and W. R. Anderson, superintendent of the city schools, addressed the group. Carolyn Young, editor of The Sentinel, presided.

Incoming officers named during the afternoon were: Jimmy Black of Greer, president; Shirley Swoford of Gaffney, vice-president; and Carolyn Young, Clinton, secretary.

Those attending from Clinton high were: Miss Rosa Mahaffey, sponsor and faculty adviser of PPA; Elaine Franzen, Dial Jacks, Ann Pitts, George Espieg, Sara Blakely, Dick Jacks, Donny Wilder, Margaret Harris, Martha Dailey, Dorcas Hudgens, Anne Macdonald, Rembert Truluck, Jr., Billie Arnold, Betty Anne Campbell, Marian Simmons, Ruby Joe Darr, Gilbert Blakely and Carolyn Young.

D. A. Timmons Passes At Home Near City

David A. Timmons, 77, died last Friday at his home near the city after several years of declining health.

The funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon from Gray Funeral Home by Rev. P. L. Bauknight, assisted by Rev. J. H. Darr. Interment followed in Rosemont cemetery with a number of friends attending the rites and the grave covered with many flowers from those who enjoyed his friendship.

Mr. Timmons was a native of Williamsburg county, but had made his home in this county for 40 years. He was a son of the late Martin V. and Serena Westberry Timmons, and was a member of the Methodist church. Until his retirement several years ago he was employed as a section foreman by the Seaboard railroad for 50 years. His friends will learn with regret of his passing.

Survivors include two sons, Shirley A. and R. B. Timmons; one daughter, Mrs. B. H. Ferguson, of Rock Hill; one brother, Henry M. Timmons, of Murrell's Inlet, and three grandchildren.

Chamber To Name New Officers Tuesday

The first quarterly dinner-meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the Clinton-Dayton coffee shop, with all members invited.

It is announced by the secretary, Miss Iona Blakely, that officers for the coming year will be elected at this meeting.

Masonic Service Sunday



HENRY F. COLLINS

Clinton Masons will hold a special Masonic worship service Sunday evening at 8:00 at Broad Street Methodist church. Masons will sit in a body for special recognition.

The sermon will be preached by the Rev. Henry F. Collins, assistant to the grand secretary, grand lodge of Ancient Free Masons of South Carolina. Mr. Collins, a Methodist minister now on sabbatical leave, has been prominent in Masonic organizations for a number of years, and is a past state grand master and present chaplain of the grand lodge, grand chapter and grand council of the state.

H. F. Mills, worshipful master, and V. Parks Adair, secretary, of Campbell Lodge No. 44, invite all Masons of this and other lodges in this area to attend. A cordial invitation is also extended the general public.

LIONS CARNIVAL NETS ABOUT \$2,500

The Clinton Lions club showed a profit of about \$2,500 from their carnival staged last Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights at the armory, it was disclosed yesterday by officials of the club.

Approximately \$500 will be used to underwrite a series of eye operations and medical treatment in Baltimore for a girl of this community. The balance will finance the sight conservation work of the club, which is continuous, and a contribution will be made to the city's recreation program. The whole amount will be used to carry on charitable enterprises of the club, it was said.

During the course of the three-day event, the public was generous in its patronage, and the club extends its appreciation to the public and to business houses and individuals who supported the affair by their attendance and donations of prizes. The various booths were operated by members of the club, and provided much entertainment and fun during the run of the carnival.

A number of worthwhile prizes were drawn by patrons, and on Saturday night a 1948 4-door Dodge sedan was won by James C. Robinson of the Lydia Mills community, who held ticket number 12004. A number of residents of Clinton and the surrounding area were called to the stand, and one of them chose a boy, who was blindfolded, to draw the winning ticket from a container.

It is interesting to note that Mr. Robinson recently lost his household possession in a fire that destroyed his home.

ATTENDS INSURANCE MEET

S. W. Sumerel, local representative of the Aetna Casualty and Surety Company, of Hartford, Conn., is attending an agency meeting of the company this week in Atlanta.

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Welcome and thanks to those on our Honor Roll this week:

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- MRS. HARRIS COVINGTON, Hamlet, N. C.
- MRS. P. W. MAULDIN, Fort Myers, Fla.
- LEONARD GILLIAM, LONNIE B. TINSLEY, West Clinton.
- MRS. JAMES GOSSETT, Cowpens.
- MRS. W. H. McCRARY, MRS. J. LOYD SMITH, MRS. MOODY JOHNSON, MRS. CLYDE ATKINS, Goldville.
- MRS. JACK McCARTHY, Ninety-Six.
- MRS. MARY OTT, South Clinton.

PROSPECTS BRIGHT FOR DEVELOPMENT OF SOUTHERN AREA

Warren T. White, Seaboard Rail Official, Speaks at Greenwood.

Greenwood, April 1.—"Prospects are particularly bright for increased industrial activity in the South," Warren T. White, director of public relations for the Seaboard railroad, told the approximately 190 persons gathered in the Oregon hotel here Monday night for the annual membership meeting of the Chamber of Commerce.

"We are living in a time when there is an unprecedented demand for all kinds of goods," he said, "and present indications point to a continuation of this demand for many years to come."

Mr. White, speaking on "Outlook for the South," tied in the prospects for this section with the national outlook, declaring that there can be no such thing as prosperity in one section without a similar condition in the remainder of the nation.

Senator Calhoun A. Mays introduced Mr. White as a man "who has meant a great deal to the Seaboard and to the South." He presented him as another South Carolinian who has made his mark in the world of business.

Mr. White was scheduled to speak on the South, but he developed the theory that the South can become prosperous only if the remainder of the nation does, and the nation can prosper only if the system of initiative and incentive to labor which made the country great is allowed to continue to operate.

The history of American business is the story of the succession of new discoveries, and developments, he said, each opening ever-wider vistas of social and scientific areas to be developed. He dwelled at some length on the wonders of the scientific world, remarking that when the history of the forties and fifties will come to be written it will be found that these discoveries rather than the political wars were the outstanding accomplishments of the decades.

He decried the note of apprehension which has become associated with the common view of big business. Any business is big business to the man who owns it, he said, terming it "no more reprehensible to cheat the laborer of his wages than to cheat capital of its fair return."

He voiced the belief that "The system of free enterprise is in greater danger today than ever before in its history," mostly from within our own borders.

"Today, we witness the strange anomaly of the same people in many instances who are the greatest critics of our system of free enterprise, coming to America and begging of our largess, which we would not have to bestow upon the needy of the world but for this very system of free enterprise which many seek to destroy from without and from within."

In commenting on the outlook for the South, Mr. White said that during the past generation the volume of manufactures have doubled, tripled and quadrupled, with the volume in the South exceeding 24 billion dollars a year now.

He also gave these statistics: The South accounts for over 80 per cent of the cotton textiles, three-fourths of the nation's rayon output, 100 per cent of the naval stores, 100 per cent of the phosphate rock, 90 per cent of the kaolin, 100 per cent of the bauxite, and 90 per cent of the fullers earth, to mention only a few of the "firsts."

"The development of the cellulose industry in South Carolina has scarcely begun, and in the growing forests of this area we have a natural resource of almost inestimable importance."

Farmers Meet In Laurens Friday Night

A meeting of the Laurens County Farm Bureau will be held in the agricultural building in Laurens Friday evening at eight o'clock, according to the secretary, W. E. Dickson. Several matters of county-wide interest are to be discussed, with all farmers invited.

To Give Play At Long Branch School

A play entitled "Henpeck Singing School" will be presented at Long Branch school April 10 at 8 p.m., it is announced. Proceeds will be used for improvement of the school. The public is invited.

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