

# Society

By Miss Louise Nettles

**Important U. D. C. Meeting.**  
The John D. Kennedy Chapter, U. D. C. will meet next Monday, April 30th, at 4:30 p. m., with Mrs. John S. Lindsay. Members will please notice the change from the first Monday as May 7th would bring it up too near Memorial Day to perfect plans for that occasion. All members are especially invited to attend and urged to be prompt as there are quite a number of important matters to discuss. The chapter president has mailed to each chairman her committee. A report from each is requested at that meeting so that any deficiency may be provided for. We hope to see every Veteran in the county at the dinner on the 10th.

### Clean-Up Week Approaching.

The Clean-up Campaign opens next Monday, April 30th, and continues through the week. The next week is to be inspection week, when the yards and gardens, parks and streets are to be on "dress parade" and vie with each other in their beauty and cleanliness, to don a fresh dress for spring, that will be not only pleasing and attractive but conducive to healthfulness in the hot months of the coming summer. The best kept or most cleanly premises are to receive honorable mention through the Press, while for each 25 cans collected by the boys of the community a movie ticket will be given. This includes white and colored boys, two public dump piles will be provided. Let us all get together on this and have Camden clean as well as beautiful. It was John Wesley who said, "Cleanliness is next to Godliness."

### Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker Entertain.

The Tuesday evening bridge club was delightfully entertained Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitaker, Jr. A buffet supper was served before the game. In addition to the club members Miss Ferguson of Winnsboro, Miss Hope Savage and her house guest, Miss Reed, of Boston, Mrs. Robert Marye, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Zemp, Mr. and Mrs. Whit Lenoir, Mr. Adieks Kirkland. The score prizes went to Miss Hope Savage and Mr. Alfred McLeod.

### Library Notes.

The library has recently put in a number of new books on the rent shelf. These can be read for ten cents each, or ten cents for one week. A number of beautiful and expensive magazines have been placed on the table, and will be given out to be returned in three days. The latest authentic edition of Webster's New International Dictionary containing 400,000 words, 2,700 pages and 6,000 illustrations has been put in the library, the gift of Mr. Joseph Crocker, who has also instructed the librarian to buy a stand for the dictionary. The institution is growing daily in usefulness and popularity and is certainly one of the city's assets. Hours are 9:30 to 12 o'clock in the morning and 5 to 8:30 in the afternoon.

### TRESPASS NOTICE.

Owing to persistent vandalism in the tramping down and breaking off of the flowering shrubs and further the taking of fish from the little lake I have reluctantly decided to close Holly Hedge to the public. In future no person must trespass on the property. Special permission will only be given by me.

FRANK K. BULL,  
Camden, S. C.  
April 24 1923. 4-6pd

## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Miss Willie Belle Mackey, who is teaching in Hartsville, spent the week end at home.

Mr. John K. deLoach, a law student at the University of South Carolina, was in Camden for the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. deLoach.

Mr. and Mrs. Aiken Bull and children of Cheraw spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. H. L. Watkins.

Miss Ellen Bull, of Columbia, was a week end visitor in Camden.

Mrs. Irwin Kemp and children, of Pittsburgh, Pa., are visiting the Misses Hirschman. Mrs. Kemp is pleasantly remembered here as Miss Queenie Hirschman.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Burrier left Monday morning by automobile for a trip to York, Pennsylvania.

### May Day Celebration.

The teachers of the Grammar school co-operating with a committee from the Civic League have been "bending to the oars" for the past week or ten days getting everything in readiness for the coming May Day festival. The executive committee from the school consists of Mrs. G. E. Taylor, Miss Margaret Burnett, Miss Ada Phelps. All teachers are giving their services unstintingly and all Grammar school pupils are taking an enthusiastic part in the crowning of the May Queen, May pole dance, etc. It promises to be a great success and we hope that the patrons of school district number one will show their appreciation by lending their presence to the occasion.

The baby show is to begin at 5 p. m. in charge of Mrs. Jack Whitaker, Jr. Please enter the babies for this thrilling contest, prizes donated by Camden Jewelers.

The grab bag containing many wonderful surprises will be in charge of Mrs. Harry Baum, another thrilling feature of the entertainment will be a gypsy fortune teller, who will unfold the future for the lads and lassies.

Ice cream cones on sale in charge of Mrs. Henry Brown and her committee; candy in charge of Mrs. J. Gardner Richards, and lemonade in charge of Mrs. Robert Kennedy will tempt the hungry and thirsty.

The Camden Orchestra have kindly consented to furnish the music for the occasion.

Tags will be on sale Saturday and Monday at 25 cents each, all the proceeds to be devoted to school work. These tags are to be sold by high school girls and boys, who are giving invaluable service in this and in serving refreshments.

The untiring, efficient president of the Civic League has offered as prizes a base ball to the boy and a box of candy to the girl selling the greater number of tags.

### Secretary Meets With Council.

Accepting the kind invitation of Mayor Carrison to attend the special meeting of Camden City Council Tuesday evening, E. I. Reardon, Managing Secretary of the Camden and Kershaw County Chamber of Commerce made his initial visit and bow to the city fathers and discussed several matters of local, municipal and general interest with the city council. Mayor Carrison and his cordial and hospitable councilmen warmly welcomed Secretary Reardon to Camden and guaranteed him and the Camden and Kershaw County Chamber of Commerce the continuance of the splendid and public-spirited co-operation for the future that the Camden mayor and councilmen and men of every department of our city government have heretofore given the Camden and Kershaw County Chamber of Commerce.

The new secretary offered whenever he calls a meeting or any one else calls a meeting of Camden and Kershaw County ladies that he will see that the mayor and councilmen are put on the committees if the aforesaid mayor and councilmen will guarantee to comply with every request made by the ladies or the managing secretary.

Augusta, April 25.—M. Frost Coleman, an Augusta dentist, was burned to death today, when his three-room cottage, eight miles from the city was destroyed by fire. There is no explanation as to why he did not leave the building. He was last seen moving about in the cottage while the fire was in progress.

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### Protestants and Catholics.

To the Editor of The Observer:

The Christian world is divided mainly into Catholics (universal church) and Protestants. The Catholic church in the fifth century A. D., split into the Roman and Greek branches. These resisted Mahometanism and dominated Christendom until the attempted reformation of the sixteenth century led by Martin Luther as a protest against the doctrine and usages of the church. Thus Protestantism arose from the beginning, split into two sections, "Free Grace," led by Luther; election and predestination led by John Calvin. These have further split into many sects on doctrine and church government. The question of water baptism and its mode of application has been a fruitful source of much controversy. While Protestants have been unable to agree among themselves they are generally agreed that the Catholics are wrong, and hate them a little more than they hate each other.

I write from the standpoint of the historian without any attempt to defend or to detract from any sect. They all stand on their merits, and they make it a war for the survival of the fittest. And since an effort is being made to make sectarianism a political issue, I will give the strength and standing of Protestants and Catholics in this country. These figures will show the Ku Klux and other sectarian crusaders what they are up against, and also where the enemy is located. We quote from Charlotte Observer March 4, 1920. According to the latest statistics more than one-half of the people of North Carolina are unchurched. Interesting figures are given by The International Church World, along these lines. There are 58,368,241 people in the United States who are not church members. There are 24,354,216 Protestants, 16,788,214 Catholics, 3,338,251 Jews, and 739,709 other than those mentioned (mostly Mormons). There is the smallest per cent of church membership in Nevada of any state in the union, with Oklahoma next, and Arizona third, with the largest per cent of church membership in Connecticut, Massachusetts, New York and Rhode Island. Per centage of Catholics in church membership of the states: Alabama, Protestant; Arizona, three-fourths Catholic; Arkansas, Protestant; California, three-fifths Catholic; Colorado two-fifths Catholic; Connecticut, two-thirds Catholic; Delaware, two-fifths Catholic; District of Columbia, Protestant; Florida, one-sixth Catholic; Georgia, Protestant; Idaho, one-sixth Catholic; Illinois, one-half Catholic; Indiana, one-fifth Catholic; Kansas, one-fifth Catholic; Kentucky, one-sixth Catholic; Iowa, one-fifth Catholic; Louisiana, two-thirds Catholic; Maine, three-fifths Catholic; Maryland, one-half Catholic; Massachusetts, two-thirds Catholic; Michigan, one-half Catholic; Minnesota, one-half Catholic; Mississippi, Protestant; Missouri, two-fifths Catholic; Montana, three-fourths Catholic; Nebraska, one-fourth Catholic; Nevada, Mormon; New Hampshire, three-fourths Catholic; New Jersey, one-half Catholic; New Mexico, four-fifths Catholic; New York, one-half Catholic; North Carolina, Protestant; North Dakota, two-fifths Catholic; Ohio, one-fourth Catholic; Oklahoma, Protestant; Oregon, two-fifths Catholic; Pennsylvania, two-fifths Catholic; Rhode Island, four-fifths Catholic; South Carolina, Protestant; South Dakota, two-fifths Catholic; Tennessee, Protestant; Texas, one-fourth Catholic; Utah, Mormon; Vermont, three-fifths Catholic; Virginia, Protestant; Washington, one-fourth Catholic; West Virginia, one-sixth Catholic; Wisconsin, one-half Catholic; Wyoming, one-half Catholic.

From a foreigner's standpoint, there would seem to be enough work among our 58 million non-churchmen for all the churches to work on for a while, before making war on each other. Yet we pass as the best people in the world and send missionaries to every part of the world to have them do as we do while our churches fight and denounce each other at home. The heathen might ask, "Is it true that mobs enforce the law in your country, and that life is less secure there than anywhere else under the sun? Was there more than 9,000 murders in your country last year to 65 murders in England? "Oh, for some grace, the gift to give us."

To see our hypocrisy as others see us."  
JAMES C. ELLIOTT,  
Lattimore, Route 1.

WANTED—Several men and women of integrity and some selling ability to solicit orders for PIGGLY WIGGLY STORES, INC., Shares of Stock. Pleasant work and highly remunerative. Call at once or write. COLUMBIA TRUST COMPANY, Liberty National Bank Building, Bond Department—Columbia, S. C. 4-sb

CASH—for your automobile. V. M. STEIN, 29 South Tryon Street, Charlotte, N. C. 4-15pd

WANTED—Reliable men to sell Watkins products in South Carolina territory. If interested write or wire. P. H. Preston, DeSoto Hotel, Columbia, S. C. 2-5pd.

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WANTED—Hardwood logs. We pay highest cash price for Choice Ash, Poplar, Cypress and White Oak logs of standard specification, delivered to Sumter by rail or truck. We buy logs twelve months in the year and give preference to loggers equipped to bring in a steady supply. What have you to offer? Sumter Hardwood Co., Sumter, S. C. 33 tf

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EGGS—for setting. Ferris 287-300 strain White Leghorns. Finest layers known. \$1.50 for 15, \$8 per 100. R. M. Kennedy, Jr., Camden, S. C. 1tf-ab

### For Sale—Used Cars.

One Buick 6, five passenger, new paint, good mechanical condition, \$225.00.  
One Ford Coupe, first class shape, new paint, \$300.00.  
One Essex Touring Car, in good shape good paint, new tires, \$350.00.  
One Buick, seven passenger, good shape, \$200.00.  
One Nash, seven passenger, good paint, good mechanically, no tires, \$150.00.  
One Ford Chassis complete, no starter, \$60.00.  
One Columbia six, good condition, good paint, good tires, \$300.00.  
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LOST—One dehorned white-face steer. Anyone taking it up and reporting to me will be suitably rewarded. Address Hegry Savage, Camden S. C. 2tf

FOR SALE—40 acres good land six miles from Camden. Fine stream, some timber. \$1,000.00; easy terms. R. M. Kennedy, Jr., or R. E. Stevenson, Camden, S. C. 49 tf

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LOST.—Shepherd puppy, black and white, female. Finder notify Mrs. W. L. Rush, and receive reward. 4-pd

LOST—in front of Evan's undertaker shop, or nearby, one large cameo brooch. Reward for its return to Mrs. J. A. Ward, Lugoff, S. C. 3-4pd.

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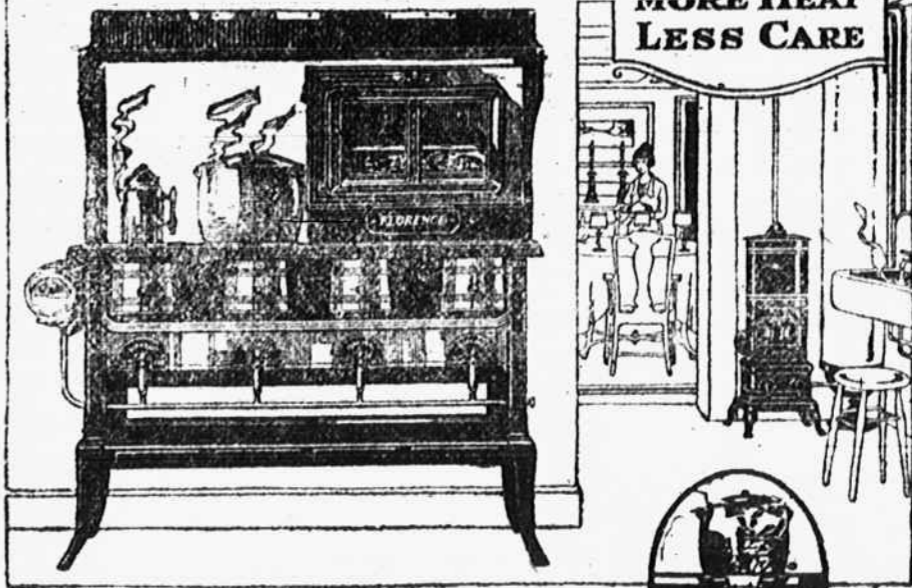
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Today, Friday, April 27th.  
Jack Holt in  
"NOBODY'S MONEY."  
And Lloyd Hamilton in "UNEASY FEET."  
Admission 25c Children 15c

Saturday, April 28th.  
Starting the Greatest Pearl White Serial Success:  
"PLUNDER"  
Also Buster Keaton in "THE BAL-LONATIC" and a Hall Room Boy Comedy, "High and Dry."  
Admission 25c Children 10c

Monday, April 30th.  
BETTY COMPTON in  
New PARAMOUNT Picture  
"THE WHITE FLOWER."  
One of the most delightful pictures of the season.  
Also Pathe Weekly News and Topics of the Day.  
Admission 25c Children 15c

Tuesday, May 1st.  
VITAGRAPH Presents  
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Wednesday, May 2nd.  
Thomas H. Ince Presents John Bowers, Milton Sills, Marguerite DeLamotte in  
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