

Society

By Miss Louise Nettles

Baker-Royce.
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Theodore Baker have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Lucretia Douglas to Captain Frank Elmer Royce, of the United States Army, at eight hundred seventeen Sumner street, Columbia, S. C., Thursday, June seventh, at half past twelve o'clock.

This out of town wedding is of unusual interest in Camden, the native home of the bride. Miss Baker is closely connected with Camden's oldest and most prominent families and a large circle of relatives and friends will attend the reception. She is a graduate of Winthrop College and also of the University of South Carolina. A young woman of brilliant intellect, pleasing personality and the happy possessor of poise, dignity and charm.

Captain Frank Elmer Royce, the fortunate man in the case is a native of Kansas.

Important U. D. C. Meeting.
Members of the John D. Kennedy Chapter will remember that at our last meeting it was voted to ask for a contribution of fifty cents per member for the Jefferson Davis Highway, not an assessment but simply a request. This money was to have been collected at the regular meeting, June 4th. Obeying the dictates of our hearts this meeting was called off, and will not be held until September. But in justice to the state chairman, Miss Leila Shannon and the chapter chairman, Mrs. W. J. Dunn, we feel that as much of this money as possible should be paid at once. The county engineer had kindly promised to help with the marking as he goes over the road, hence the postponement of immediate action. Will members then forward the amount they wish to contribute, fifty cents, more or less, to Miss Shannon, or if more convenient leave it with the chapter president at the Camden Library. So faithfully have been commemorated the deeds and lives of the heroes of the south with monuments of granite and marble and tablets and memorials of bronze, that we are called monument builders. We deserve the name, for so impressed were the women of the South with the knowledge that the Southern soldiers had none but them to do honor and so proud were they to be conservators of the glory of the Confederate Army that they have erected towering bronze and spotless marble to tell the story of this glory. And now, we are building this highway from the Atlantic to the Pacific in honor of our great civic chieftain, Jefferson Davis, and when completed it will be the greatest memorial ever built by any organization. Again let us urge the chapter members not to forget this little obligation.

Judge Russell Appointed Coroner.
W. F. Russell, of Camden, formerly auditor of Kershaw County, was yesterday appointed coroner of Kershaw County to succeed G. L. Dixon, who was burned to death in the Cleveland school house fire a week ago last. The appointment was made by the governor.

Mr. Russell was recommended for the place by a large number of the leading citizens of Camden and Kershaw county. Several other names were under consideration by the governor, but after careful thought Mr. Russell was given the appointment.—Friday's State.

PROFESSIONAL NOTICE
Dr. J. Ralph Dunn will be in Camden each Thursday. Office hours 3 to 6 p. m.

Majestic Theatre

PROGRAM

Today, Friday, June 1st.
Walter Hiers in a Paramount Picture:
"Mr. Billings Spends His Dinner" And a Snooky Comedy.
"A Jungle Romeo."
Admission 25c. Children 15c

Saturday, June 2nd.
Vitagraph Presents William Duncan and Edith Johnson in
"WHERE MEN ARE MEN"
And Pearl White in "Plunder."
And a Christie Comedy
"Family Affairs"
Admission 25c. Children 10c

Monday, June 4th.
Albert E. Smith Presents Catherine Calvert in a Tom Terriss Production:
"The Heart of Maryland."
With Crane Wilbur. **It will win your heart.**
Admission 35c. Children 15c

Tuesday, June 5th.
Vitagraph Presents Alice Calhoun in
"RAINBOW."
And Charles Hutchison in
"SPEED" with Lucy Fox.
Admission 25c. Children 15c

Wednesday, June 6th.
Maurice Tourneur Presents
"The Isle of Lost Ships."
A most unusual picture.
Also a Rolin Comedy.
Admission 25c. Children 15c

Thursday, June 7th.
Paramount Presents Pola Negri in
"BELLA DONNA."
A George Fitzmaurice Production.
With Conway Tearl and Conrad Nagel.
Admission to All 35c.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mrs. Val Jordan has gone to Norfolk, Va., to visit her son, Mr. John Jordan.

Miss Ethel Yates has returned from an extended stay in Charleston, where she took a course in art.

Dr. Clarence Trantham is away this week on a trip to Washington and other points in the east.

J. T. Houston, who has been attending The Philadelphia School of Fine Arts has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bratton deLoach are visiting this week on Good Hope plantation in lower Carolina.

Miss Ethel Birchmore has returned from an extended visit to friends in Anderson and Greenville.

Mr. Gene Zemp of the Medical Department, University of Pennsylvania, is at home for the holidays.

Miss Ellen Bull, of Columbia was a week end visitor at the home of Mrs. Lewis Lee Clyburn.

Mrs. S. Lindsay and children and Miss Ida Wylie, of Winnsboro, were visitors in Camden last Sunday.

Mrs. H. G. Carrison, who has been spending sometime at White Springs, Florida, is expected home this week.

Dr. and Mrs. John W. Corbett leave today for quite an extended stay in the West. They will go as far as the Pacific coast.

Mr. Nettles Lindsay leaves tomorrow night for a two weeks stay in Boston, New York and other cities of the northeast.

Miss Ernestine Bateman leaves next Wednesday evening for New Jersey, where she has accepted a position for the summer.

Editor Myron Green, of the Hartsville Messenger, was in Camden Friday and called in the Chronicle office for a visit.

Superintendent J. G. Richards, of the Camden Schools, is able to be out again after a ten days confinement to his room from an attack of influenza.

Mr. T. Lee Little, of the Majestic Theatre, spent several days of last week in Chicago, where he went to attend the annual convention of the Motion Picture Owners of America.

Miss Elizabeth Carrison is in New York to be maid of honor in the June wedding of a college friend, Miss Wilson, who once visited in Camden and is pleasantly remembered here.

Mrs. A. C. Ancrum, Mrs. Ida S. Heath and Mr. T. D. Ancrum went to Lancaster last week to hear John Temple Graves lecture. Mr. Graves is closely related to Mrs. Ancrum. He gives a noted lecture on a Chautauqua platform.

Mr. L. A. McDowell, who has been spending several weeks at Camden and Bethune with relatives, recuperating from a recent illness, has returned to Tampa, Fla., to resume his position on the Tampa Daily Tribune.

Mr. Brandon Jarrett, of Atlanta, Ga., was in Camden one day last week and came by to see Mr. Wilson Rice of the Chronicle force. Mr. Jarrett is a nephew of Mr. Rice and has been employed for a number of years by the United States tire company painting the huge historical markings on the roadside upon entering most of the cities throughout the country.

The people of Camden and Kershaw County will regret to know that we are soon to lose Mr. W. H. Haile and his interesting family as citizens. They will leave sometime during this month to make their home at Winter Park, Florida, where Mr. Haile will enter the grocery business. Always fair and square in his business dealings we feel sure that Mr. Haile will succeed in his new venture and while our people regret to see them leave Camden, the best of wishes go with them.

TABERNACLE

BILLY SUNDAY
FRIDAY, JUNE 8th
A June Night.

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Clemson college will graduate a class of 133 men at its commencement June 5th.

BASE BALL

Saturday, June 7th, 3:30 P. M.

Hartsville
—VS.—
Wateree Mills

At Wateree Field.
Admission 25 Cents



CLOSING EXERCISES

Twenty-Six Young Ladies and Gentlemen to Graduate This Year.

The commencement exercises of the Camden Schools will begin on Friday evening at the school auditorium when the class play, "The Hottentot" will be presented. On Sunday evening the commencement sermon will be preached by the Rev. Jesse C. Rowan, former pastor of the Camden Presbyterian church. On Wednesday evening Dr. E. W. Sikes, of Coker College, will deliver the graduating address. Twenty-six young ladies and gentlemen will graduate at this term. The program in its entirety is given below:

- Friday Night, June 1st.
School Auditorium.
Class Play, "The Hottentot."
A Farce in Three Acts.
Cast of Characters.
Celise Polly DePass
Ollie Cecil Wittkowsky
Mrs. Ollie Giffords (May)
Aubrey Beattie
Swift Ralph Little
Alec Fairfax Albert Evans
Mrs. Chadwick Margaret Mills
Peggy Fairfax Martha Workman
Larry Crawford Basil Bruce
Perkins Ancrum Boykin
Sam Harrington Morris Mogulescu
Capt. Reggie Townsend Frank Wooten

- Scenes.
Act I.—The living room of the Giffords' country home. Morning.
Act II.—The same evening.
Act III.—A hill side clearing. The following day.
Sunday Evening, June 3rd, 8:30
School Auditorium.
Regular program for evening services.
Commencement sermon—Rev. J. C. Rowan.
Music by double quartet—Mrs. Ernest Zemp, Mrs. Blakeney Zemp, Mrs. J. G. Richards, Miss Katherine Wallace, Mr. Ernest Zemp, Mr. Hollis Cobb, Mr. W. G. Wilson, Sr., Mr. W. G. Wilson, Jr.
"Forever Worthy is Thy Lamb."—Tchaikowsky.

- Monday Evening, June 4th, 8:30
School Auditorium.
Declamation and Recitation Contests For Medals.
Lucy Harding—"Echo and the Fairy."
Elizabeth Lewis—"A Set of Turquoise."
Elizabeth Clarke—"Genevra."
Cecil Wittkowsky—"Vice-President Marshall's Retiring Address."
Jack Nettles—"The Curse of South Carolina."
Gatewood Workman—"Warriors of the Broken Sword."
Harold Funderburk—"Shall the Spirit of America Prevail?"
Musical—Piano Recital—Pupils of Miss Alexander.

- Tuesday Evening, June 5th, 8:30
School Auditorium.
Class Exercises.
Music—Miss Helen Williams.
History—Kate Watkins.
Statistics—Ethel DePass.
Biography—Sarah Lewis.
Music—Ethel DePass.
Census—Margaret Mills.
Alphabet—Aubrey Beattie.
Jokes—Martha Workman.
Class Song—Class 1923.
Will—Ralph Little.
Poem—Ada Belle Nettles.
Prophecy—Elizabeth DeLoache.
Piano Selection—Emily Wooten.
Wednesday Evening, June 6th, 8:30
School Auditorium.
Graduating Exercises.
Piano Selection—Mildred Gardner.
Invocation—Rev. W. H. Hodges.
Salutatory—Basil Bruce.
Address—Dr. Sikes, President of Coker College.
Music—"Come Where the Lilies Bloom." Double Quartet.
Awarding of Medals.
Delivery of Diplomas.
Valedictory—Emily Wooten.
Benedictory—Rev. F. H. Harding.
Class Roll 1923.

- Albert Evans, President; Emily Wooten, Vice-President; Margaret Mills, Secretary and Treasurer; Aubrey Beattie, Mary Neal Campbell, Elizabeth DeLoache, Ethel DePass, Thelma Flowers, Marie Gardner, Sarah Lewis, Margaret Mills, Ruth Miles, Willie Moore, Mazie Roberts, Annis Rast, Ada Belle Nettles, Kate Watkins, Emily Wooten, Martha Workman, Basil Bruce, Albert Evans, Corthell Fouts, Norwood Hall, Lawrence Jones, Ralph Little, Andrew Whitaker.

Board of Directors Win Out.
We learned yesterday just before going to press that the supreme court has decided the legal controversy as to who is in control of the county government. The court holds that the recently named Board of Directors are with authority to act and they will take charge immediately. The Board as now constituted comprises the following well known men: H. G. Carrison, Sr., chairman; J. H. McLaurin, Bethune; R. T. Mickle, West Wateree; and R. C. Jones, Liberty Hill. The Board of Arbitrators: J. H. Barfield, T. P. Brown and A. E. Kennedy.

Home Economics.

The Home Economics Department of the Camden High School held a reception for the patrons of the school at the high school, Thursday afternoon, May 17th, from five to seven o'clock.

Work in textiles and foods were displayed in the two rooms occupied by this department. The chief feature of the afternoon was a fashion show by the girls of the department. Each girl wore the dress that she had made. Mr. Sam Karesh had kindly offered three prizes for the best dresses made. The judges were: Mrs. E. C. Ritchie, Mrs. E. C. von Tresckow and Mr. Sam Karesh. Ellen Rhoden received the first prize, Helen Hinson the second and Louise McCoy the third prize.

Refreshments were served during the afternoon.

The Home Economics Department has done very good work but not as good as it would have if it had the proper equipment. The Camden High School is the only school in Kershaw county which has a regular course in Home Economics.

The above account of the fine display made by the Home Economics Department of the Camden High School was given us by one of the pupils, as we were late going in. However, we had opportunity of seeing the dainty handwork and have a "tasting recollection" of the delicious refreshments prepared by Camden's future housekeepers.

"We may live without poetry, music and art;
We may live without conscience and live without heart;
We may live without friends; we may live without books;
But civilized man cannot live without cooks."

This department has been quite an addition to the High School. Miss Watson is the popular, efficient and successful teacher. We congratulate her on her achievements and hope for her return to Camden next year.

In Regard to Thursday Closing.

At the May meeting of the Civic League a discussion came up in regard to asking the Camden merchants to close their stores every Thursday afternoon and thereby give their employees a half holiday. Other nearby towns and cities were doing this, and it did not seem to be a losing game. A committee of four ladies was appointed to circulate the petition and also to ask for the endorsement of the Chamber of Commerce. The movement originated in the Civic League and that organization alone is responsible for it. If there is any criticism in regard to it, let us place it at the door of the League and not to the account of the Chamber of Commerce, that had nothing to do with it. The League stands four square for Camden, and for Camden's institutions and Camden's progress, and there was certainly no threat to boycott the merchants who failed to sign the petition. We are for Camden's merchants first, last and all the time, whatever may be their views on Thursday afternoon closing, and the petition presented was in the nature of a friendly request or suggestion and not a demand. We are indeed sorry that there should have been any feeling on the subject or that any one should for a moment, think that the League was trying to manage their business affairs. Nothing of the kind was thought of during the discussion in the May meeting. No indeed, Mr. Merchant, the Civic League will never advocate trading out of Camden—do just as you please about signing the petition, but you will still get our nickels, for "with all your faults, we love you still."
Civic League.

University of South Carolina Scholarship and Entrance Examinations.

The examination for the award of vacant scholarships in the University of South Carolina and for admission of new students will be held at the County Court House July 13, 1923, at 9 a. m. Applicants must not be less than sixteen years of age.

Scholarships are vacant in the following fifteen counties: Beaufort, Chester, Chesterfield, Edgefield, Jasper, Kershaw, Lancaster, Lee, McCormick, Newberry, Oconee, Pickens, Spartanburg, Williamsburg, York.

Applicants for scholarships should write to President Melton for scholarship application blanks. These should be filed with the President by July 10. Scholarships are worth \$100, free tuition and fees. Next session will open September 19, 1923.

For further information write to President W. D. Melton, University of South Carolina, Columbia, S. C.

Statement From R. L. Moseley.
As the writer of the article appearing in the Camden Chronicle May 18th, and Messenger of the 22nd, which had reference to certain rumors in regard to the fact that only Camden Ice Company could get ice made by the local plants, and Mr. A. K. Blakeney's reply thereto, I wish to say that in no particular was any reflection intended to be cast by me at Mr. Blakeney, or any one else in particular, for as a matter of fact at the time said article was written by me but one responsible man had told me that such a rumor was out, and this man did not mention any author for the rumor.

My position was and is now, that anyone, desiring to go into the retail ice business can get supplied with ice made in Camden, and if they really prefer doing business direct with the plant, in my opinion they can do that too.

I also state again, that if there is anyone that feels that there is a fortune to be made in the retail ice business that the Camden Ice Company will sell, and they have more than goodwill to offer. Including the following: 2 Repair trucks both needing slight repair, and a great deal of the parts to a third one, 9 one and two horse wagons, with harness complete, saws, hooks, scales, doors, chutes, the system we use, our cooperation, the use free for year the storage that

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"My periods were very painful, as I always suffered a lot with headaches and during that time my back would almost run me distracted. Why, I could hardly get up or down, and as for stooping over to put on my shoes, I just couldn't do it for the pain.

"My stomach was all out of order, too, and what I ate gave me indigestion badly and kept me in misery for the longest time after eating anything. I had little or no appetite, didn't relish my food, as it all tasted much alike, and I had to be constantly taking something for constipation. I fell off in weight till I was but a shadow of my former self.

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But these charms may be easily attained by the thin, run down suffering woman, for her whole trouble is oftentimes due to female diseases that can be entirely corrected by the Stella Vitae treatment.

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cost around \$6,000.00, in fact everything connected with a complete ice service, except nine horses that we use in the service, for a cash consideration of \$4,000.00.

I will also introduce them to the officials of eight Ice Plants, seven of which we have had very pleasant business dealings for the past five years, and from whose plants came relief when we were distressed for ice, and from whom we would now

be getting ice if it were not that we have local plants.

Be it far from me to cast undue reflection on anyone and I deem it a wrong impression, if there be one.

In conclusion I wish to say that I am pushing my business but I am pushing Camden first, because I have made it my home and Camden has made my business profitable.

Respectfully,
R. L. Moseley.

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