

Society

By Miss Louise Nettles

Miss Minnie Clyburn Entertains.
The largest bridge party of the mid-summer season was given Tuesday evening at "Seven Oaks," the home of Miss Minnie Clyburn, who was the agreeable hostess, complimenting James William Clyburn and his house guest, Sarratt Haynes, of Union, both young men having recently graduated from West Point.

Nine tables were placed in the spacious parlors and on the broad veranda, the prizes going to Miss Elizabeth Workman and Dick Singleton.

After cards the hostess served chicken salad with accessories followed by a sweet course and fruit punch.

Attending Columbia University.
South Carolina is well represented at the summer school at Columbia University, New York. Among those attending from Camden and Kershaw County are Misses Ernestine Bateman, Willie Belle Mackey, and Mr. George Wittkowsky, of Camden, and Miss Bettie Richards of Liberty Hill.

Son Born to Mr. and Mrs. Springs.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elliott White Springs, of Fort Mill, S. C., yesterday afternoon at St. Peter's hospital, this city, a son.

Mrs. Springs, before marriage, was Miss Frances Ley, of Springfield, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Springs have hundreds of friends throughout the south and north who will hear with keenest interest of the birth of the little son.—Thursday's Charlotte Observer.

Epworth League Meeting.
Come to the meeting of the Epworth League Sunday evening at 7:45 at the Lytleton Street Methodist church. Subject: "Reverence." Good music and an interesting program have been arranged for.

Younger Set Play Bridge.
Mrs. Ralph Shannon was a gracious hostess to the younger set at a bridge party Monday evening, with Miss Agnes Shannon as guest of honor. Seven tables were attractively placed in a setting of summer bloom. The score prizes were won by Miss Polly DePass and Mr. James Clyburn. After the game the hostess served ice cream and cake.

Tournament on Kirkwood Links.
Qualifying rounds of a golf tournament for ladies are to start Monday, July 28, 4:20 p.m., on the Kirkwood links. For further information those expecting to enter are asked to confer with Mrs. Eleanor M. Hopkins at her home on Lytleton street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walters and children from Washington, D. C., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Cooley.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Sadie Wilson is visiting in Union.

Miss Virginia Nettles is visiting in Williamsburg.

Dr. T. B. Bruce is on a business trip to West Tennessee.

Mr. John Land is spending a month at his home near Manning.

Mrs. Kittie A. Dunn and children are visiting near Eastover.

Mr. E. L. Moseley is spending several weeks in North Carolina.

Miss Smoak, of Orangeburg, has been visiting Miss Mary Hough.

Mr. Surratt Haynes, of Union, is the guest of Mr. James Clyburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Belton Boykin and family are visiting in Charleston.

Mendel Smith, G. T. Little and Arthur Clarke are at Hendersonville.

Mr. Roland Goodale, Jr., is spending his vacation in Hendersonville, N. C.

Mrs. John Clark has returned from a visit to relatives in Hendersonville, N. C.

Mrs. Leonard Schenk and son are visiting the former's parents in Allendale.

Miss Gladys Twitty, of Gaffney, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John T. Mackey.

Mrs. Willie Whitaker and Mrs. Margaret Zemp visited in Columbia this week.

Mrs. Jack Jennings and son, Robert, of Winstboro are visiting relatives here.

Misses Estelle and Cora Williams are visiting friends in Anderson and Greenwood.

Mr. C. W. Adair of Washington, D. C., is visiting his sister, Mrs. G. F. Cooley.

Miss Mattie Benson of Charleston is here on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. B. E. Barfield.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Sanders left last week for Ridge Crest, N. C., to spend some time.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Kerrison and children, of Charleston, are visiting in and near Camden.

Misses Lou Young and Carrie Rodgers are spending their vacation at Tybee and Savannah.

Miss Wilbur McCallum has returned from a visit to points in Canada and New York.

Miss Betty Boykin, who has been visiting relatives here has returned to her home in Charleston.

Miss Harriet Nelson returned Monday from a visit of several weeks in Richmond and Washington.

Miss Ruth Phillips, who is in training as a nurse at Orlando, Fla., is visiting Miss Alice Owens.

Miss Henriette Johnson left Tuesday for the mountains of North Carolina to spend several weeks.

Mrs. A. S. White, Misses Elizabeth and Martha Workman, have returned from a visit to Winstboro.

Miss Alma Bradley left Sunday afternoon to spend some time in the mountains of North Carolina.

Little Miss Emily Nesbit Shannon visited Miss Katherine Hallett at Paw Creek, North Carolina, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Osborne and children left Thursday for Hendersonville, N. C., to spend some time.

Miss Mary Hough, having completed her business course at Bowen's college, Columbia, has returned home.

Mrs. A. H. Clarke, and daughters, Misses Virginia and Elizabeth, have returned home from a visit to Winstboro.

Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Stevenson and children leave today for Hendersonville, N. C., where they will spend about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Lewis of Atlanta are on a visit to Camden. Miss Elizabeth Lewis returned with them from a visit to Atlanta.

Mr. W. B. Twitty and family, of Heath Springs, were visitors this week at the home of Mr. Twitty's sister, Mrs. John T. Mackey.

Mr. Walter I. Villepigue of Washington, D. C., was a visitor in Camden Monday. While here he put his name on the Democratic Club Roll.

Miss Adelaide McNit is on a visit to her home in Graysville, Tenn. She was accompanied by Misses Clare, Miriam and Thomas Benton Bruce.

Mrs. Norman D. McRae and little daughter and Mrs. J. E. Baigott of Tampa, Fla., are visiting Mrs. Belle Alexander and Miss Sallie Alexander.

Mr. W. F. Nettles and mother, Mrs. L. W. Nettles went to New York Sunday to see Dr. Oscar Nettles who is leaving for the government sanitarium at Denver, Colorado.

Mr. S. W. VanLandingham attended a Sunday School convention held at Montreat, N. C., this week. He went as a delegate from the Camden Presbyterian Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Carrison, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Kennedy, Jr., left Wednesday by automobile to visit the battlefields of Gettysburg and other points of interest in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Aldret of Summerville, Mrs. J. E. Aldret and sons, Clarence and Joe Aldret and Mr. Lockwood Williams of Charleston are guests this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred McLeod.

MRS. ANCRUM DEAD.

Death of Prominent Lady Brings Sorrow to a Large Circle.

Although not unexpected the death of Mrs. Anna Calhoun Ancrum brought a wave of sadness over the town. After an illness of several months her death occurred at her home in this city last Friday morning, July 18th.

She was born in Abbeville seventy-five years ago, and was the daughter of the late John Albert Calhoun and Sarah Norwood Calhoun and the great niece of the illustrious statesman, John C. Calhoun. Her childhood and girlhood were spent on the plantation and in the town home of her ancestors, with all the advantages that could fall to the lot of anyone in the times that just preceded the War Between the States. She began her career as a young lady in the fascinating and cultured society of Abbeville and Charleston where grace, brilliancy and personal loveliness won for her great admiration and popularity, we have been told by those who knew her in early days.

In the autumn of 1877 she was married to the late William Ancrum, of Camden, a gallant Confederate soldier. Their married life was spent in Camden or at Red Bank, then the plantation home of the Ancrums. From this union the following children survive: Commander William Ancrum, U. S. Navy; Major Calhoun Ancrum, U. S. Marine Service; Captain Norwood Ancrum, U. S. Army; Andrew Ancrum, Columbia; Thomas Ancrum, Camden; Mrs. John D. Miller, St. Paul, Minn.; Mrs. Edward Eve, Beaufort.

The funeral services were solemnized Saturday at 5 o'clock in the afternoon from Grace Episcopal church of which she was a loyal and devout member. Dr. Phillips of Trinity church, Columbia, was the officiating minister. The burial was in the family plot in the old Quaker cemetery and the floral tributes were many and beautiful, symbolic of the purity, sweetness and naturalness of the life of the one who slept beneath them. Just as the benediction was pronounced the sun came out of the clouds and its beams turned the rain drops to sparkling diamonds and through tears her friends remembered that in truth she is "of those who sunlit take the Heavenly road." In the hush and stillness of the hour they turned away from the grave towards the light of a beautiful life, whose memory cannot be taken away from them.

Reviewing the seventy-five fruitful years of Mrs. Anna Calhoun Ancrum we find much to admire; as a woman, daughter, sister, wife, mother, friend, she was the highest exponent of womanhood in our glorious Southland. Under most fortunate inheritance, environment, association and education;

Things Worth Knowing.

An ivory elephant, with gold-tipped toenails and real ruby eyes, was stolen from the East African section of the British Empire exhibition.

Owing to the flight of foreign residents from Constantinople, many houses are deserted, and a plague of rats swarm everywhere.

Automobile tourists in Southern California are warned not to yield to the lure of the beautiful white yucca blooms of the desert, either on private or public lands. The yucca is protected by law from extermination.

Without work, bees and other similar insects die, according to a German entomologist. A bee must have companionship or he will die within five days no matter how much honey he may have on hand, he states.

Missionaries motoring through Tondo, a district of Manila, were shocked to see the word "dammit" on signboards. It was then explained that the word meant clothing in the Tagalog dialect.

In 1920 there were but 15,000 radio receivers in the country. Now there are 5,000,000, with loudspeakers and extra headsets probably 10,000,000 people listen in every day.

Archimedes was the first to employ "death rays" in time of war. He burned the Roman galleys in the siege of Syracuse by the concentration of rays projected by sun mirrors in the third century B. C.

Dry agents in Sacramento, California, recently found in a bootlegging establishment six tiny black kittens mothered by a Rhode Island hen.

Three emeralds of considerable value and four twenty-two-caliber cartridge shells have been found in the gizzard of a hen bought in the market at Minneapolis.

The city of Lima, Peru, has an earthquake about once a week, but in ten years there has been no loss of life or property. Slight pangs and heavy rumbling are the chief characteristics.

Flowers picked in the morning in Holland are on sale in Berlin soon after noon every day, the blossoms being brought there by airplane.

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Our hearts turn towards the loved ones who have gone and we ask the way and the distance and try to solve the mystery of that far-country. But how wrong and mistaken we are the Lord's own promise shows how short the way—

"In Paradise thou shall be with me today."

"I would not have you ignorant concerning them that sleep. Nor have you as there were no hope. A mournful vigil keep! They are not far removed, our loved, Across unmeasured space. For deathless soul to soul may reach As were we face to face."

—L. C. N.

THE LAY-BY SCHOOLS

Write-Your-Name Campaign To Be Put On In This County.

It is a pleasure for The Chronicle to assume the responsibility for the raising of sufficient funds to supply the Lay-By Schools with text books.

We are proud that Kershaw County is one county among those chosen in the state to have this great work. State authorities apparently appreciate the progressive, forward-looking attitude that the people of our vicinity take on any worthy issue and for that reason decided that Kershaw County would be one of the best in which to have these Lay-By Schools.

Why these Lay-By Schools? There are several reasons. In the first place no self-respecting people will tolerate a condition of ignorance to go unchallenged when the curse of illiteracy is fully appreciated. Then too, a people with a heart and a sympathy for others will not accept all the privileges and comforts of life without some regard for those who have not been so well blest. In other words, the citizen of real worth does not accept all the blessings of life without having a desire to share these with less fortunate people. Further, from a matter of pride we do not want the outside world to look of us as being a county and state of ignorant shiftless people. We want the criticism of those to be commendable and constructive.

The Chronicle feels that the sum of \$200 will be raised promptly and that Miss Annie L. Woodward will fully realize Kershaw county people are behind her in this enterprise of which she is supervisor.

Reports from those at work to raise the funds to conduct the schools show a ready response and quite a neat sum has already been raised. A list of the contributors will be published next week.

SUBSCRIPTION BLANK

I wish to contribute to the "Lay-by Schools" Campaign, and attach herewith the sum of..... Dollars.
Name.....
Address.....

Death of Mrs. John J. Thompson.

After an illness of several months Mrs. Elizabeth Prescott Thompson, widow of John J. Thompson, died at the home of her son, Broadus Thompson, a few miles south of Camden, Tuesday afternoon, July 22nd. She was a woman of many admirable traits of character, quiet and unassuming, she made friends and no enemies during her long life that extended over eighty years.

Before marriage she was Miss Eliza Prescott, of Sumter county. In early life she was married to the late John J. Thompson and reared a large and interesting family. The following children survive: Messrs. John Thompson, E. B. Thompson, and Broadus Thompson, and Mrs. Lottie Quinlin. Sorrow and tragedy had come into Mrs. Thompson's life as a young lady she was on the fatal boat when so many lost their lives at that memorable picnic at Boykin's mill pond in 1860 and though escaping death herself she lost several near relatives. Tragedy again shadowed her life in May 1923 when she lost two daughters, a grand daughter and son-in-law in the Cleveland school fire.

As a wife, mother, friend, she was gentle kind, loving and the Christian religion was exalted in her life as a greater memorial than any that could be raised in bronze or marble.

The funeral services were solemnized at Mount Olivet church Wednesday morning the Rev. Mr. Graham of the Camden Baptist church officiating.

Mr. William King is spending the week in Newberry.

Majestic Theatre

Programme

Today, Friday, July 25th Joseph Henabery's Production of the sensational Broadway success

"THE GUILTY ONE" With Agnes Ayres Also a Sennett Comedy "Flip-Flops"

Saturday, July 26th William Fox Presents "THE EYES OF THE FOREST" With Tom Mix And a Tuxedo Comedy "The Bonthead" And "The Telephone Girl"

Monday, July 28th Heart N'er Won Fair Lady! Take a lesson in wooing from Leah Baird in the Comedy-Melodrama "THE DESTROYING ANGEL" One of the year's best twenty photoplays Also a Sennett Comedy "Postage Due"

Tuesday, July 29th "A WOMAN OF PARIS" featuring Edna Purviance Written and directed by Charles Chaplin A drama of fate A picture that is fairly startling

Wednesday, July 29th Joy Unconfined! The Laugh Picture! "SECOND YOUTH" With Alfred Lunt, Mimi Palmeri, Walter Catlett, Herbert Corthell Also Fun From the Press

Thursday, July 30th Harold Lloyd in "WHY WORRY" His latest six-reel Pathe-Comedy Heart-ache! Head-ache!

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