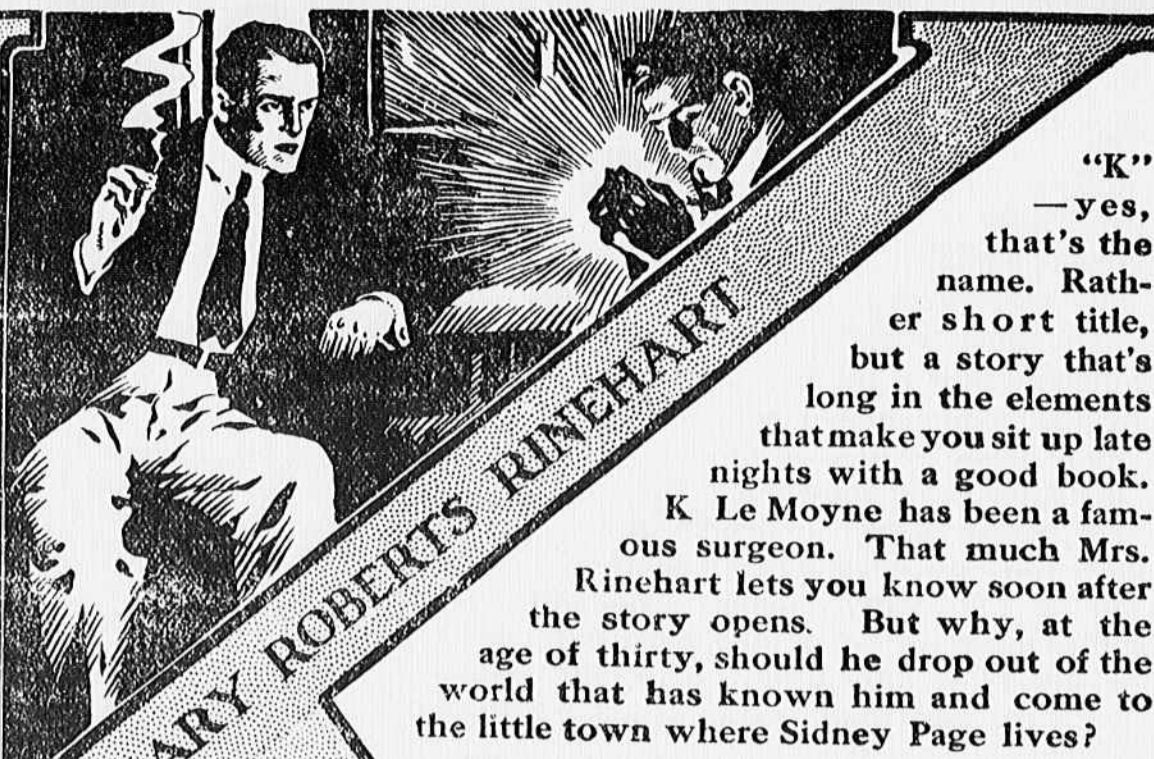


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55 SONS OF PEERS FALLEN

Eldest Heir of Lord Glenconner Among Latest Victims of the War.

London. Fifty-five sons of British peers have fallen on the battlefields of the European war. One of the latest was Lieut. Wyndham Tennant, nineteen, eldest son of Lord Glenconner, who was killed in France September 22, only a few days before the death in action of his cousin, Lieut.

Mark Tennant, was reported. Lieut. Wyndham Tennant had been with the army just over a year, having joined as soon as he reached the legal age. In a letter to his mother, dated just before going into action, he wrote: "This is written in case anything happens to me, for I should like you to have just a little message from my own hand. Your love for me and my love for you have made my whole life one of the happiest there has ever been. This is a great day for me. High heart, high speech, high deeds, mid

honoring eyes. God bless you and give you peace."

Four cabinet ministers, Mr. Asquith, Lord Lansdowne, Pike Pease and Arthur Henderson have lost sons in the war, and Lord Crewe a son-in-law. Mr. Henderson is the labor party leader, and his son was a captain. Lieut. Raymond Asquith gave promise of holding as high a place at the bar as his father. He had an appointment on the staff, but insisted on service in the fighting line. Mr. Asquith's younger son was wounded at the Dardanelles.

CAN'T KEEP BOY OUT OF WAR

American Youth Serving in British Army Resists All Efforts to Send Him Home.

London. Norman Bruce Wallis, an eighteen-year-old American from New Orleans, enlisted as a private in the British army some months ago. Three attempts have been made by his family, through the American embassy, to get him back to the United States, but the lad is still in the army, fighting

in France with a Scottish regiment. When he was released from his regiment the first time and arrangements made for his passage to America, he "missed the connection" by enlisting in another regiment. All the formalities for his release were again gone through, and an official of his embassy personally insisted him in the home of some friends to await the sailing date of the boat in which his passage had been taken. Wallis, however, returned to his old regiment, where, through a misunderstanding, he was arrested for desertion. Punishment was averted by official explanations, and today Wallis—now known as Norman Macgregor Bruce—is with his unit in France.

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Refuses a Raise.

Chicago.—David Marks, expert salesman of shoes, refused a raise in salary. His employers found he was using a duplicate system of sales slips and caused his arrest on a charge of stealing \$5,000, a few dollars at a time.

BOYS TO FIGHT WAR SOON

Germany Using Some Seventeen Years Old—Haig, British Commander, Wants Young Men.

London.—The war department threatens soon to become a struggle between mere boys. The pace is said to be entirely too fast for the older men long to endure. It is declared here that next year the entire allies will be facing boys of seventeen in the German army.

Gen. Sir Douglas Haig, commanding the British expeditionary forces, is said to have objected to the sending out of men of middle age. He wants young men of from eighteen to twenty-five. After the latter year, it is said, the fighting value of the human unit shows a rapid and steady decline. The good soldier of today, it seems, must be of the age which excels in the more strenuous athletic games—the football player type. The older men have their place, but generally speaking it is said now to be in "the army

behind the army"—the men back of the line, in the supply and transport divisions where the strain is not so great. These older men are too susceptible to trench diseases to be of great use on the firing line.

England already is registering boys born in 1890 preparatory to calling them up when they attain their eighteenth year.

Holland's mines are now producing coal at a rate of about 2,000,000 tons a year.

Opera by Wireless.

New York.—Opera played on a photograph record was sent by wireless from a down-town building to guests at the Hotel Astor. Dr. Lee Deforest, inventor, says passengers on liners at sea will hear the singing of the Metropolitan opera house when the season opens.

An English city is experimenting with a steam-driven street-sprinkling cart, the tank of which holds 1,000 gallons of water.

TRADE IN ANTIQUES GOOD

London Dealers Say Americans Are Heavy Buyers and Are Driving Better Bargains.

London.—Bond street dealers in antique and "sham antique" furniture declare that the war lull in local trade has been more than offset by American buying. These Americans do not seem the least perturbed by the high cream rates. They are, however, driv-

ing better bargains than in the old days. It is no longer the custom to palm off sham antiques for real. It is said that people of moderate means are perfectly content to have things that look like the more valuable articles at a correspondingly cheap figure.

"We are getting Americans now," one dealer is quoted as saying, "but there is not so much to be made out of them. They know what they want, and what is more, they know the price they want to pay."

METHODIST APPOINTMENTS ANNOUNCED BY BISHOP AT CONFERENCE ADJOURNMENT

MANY CHANGES AMONG PASTORS AND ELDERS

REV. R. E. TURNIPSEED BECOMES PRESIDING ELDER OF GREENVILLE DISTRICT.

Rev. E. S. Jones Becomes Presiding Elder of Rock Hill District.—Presiding Elders of Other Four Districts Remain Same as Last Year.

Greenville.—The Greenville District of the Upper South Carolina Methodist Conference, gets a new presiding elder, as a result of the appointments read by Bishop W. A. Candler, just before the adjournment of the second annual session of the Upper Conference. Rev. R. E. Turnipseed, during the past year pastor at Chester, succeeds the Rev. M. L. Carlisle, as presiding elder of the Greenville district. Bishop Candler delivered a very interesting talk just before reading the appointments, addressing his remarks to both the laymen and to the ministers. He said he had had great difficulty making the appointments this year.

The appointments for the coming year in the upper conference are as follows:

Anderson District.
Presiding Elder, T. C. O'Dell.
Anderson, St. John's, M. L. Carlisle; Orrville, L. W. Johnson; Bethel, C. P. Carter; Anteville, W. S. Martin; Calhoun Falls, J. W. Bailey; Central, B. M. Robertson; Clemson College, J. M. Steadman; Honea Path, T. W. Munnerlyn; Lowndesville, M. K. Meadors; McCormick, J. G. Huggin; Pelzer, J. H. Banner; Pendleton, W. M. Owings; Seneca, N. G. Balleger; Starr, J. E. Strickland; Walhalla, J. L. Stokes; Walhalla Circuit, W. T. Belvin; Westminster, J. W. Lewis; Williamston and Belton, S. H. Booth; Commissioner Washington City church, T. C. O'Dell.

Cokesbury District.
Presiding Elder, W. I. Herbert.
Abbeville, C. J. N. Isom; Abbeville Station, J. L. Daniel; Butler, W. P. Measrs. Jr.; Cokesbury, R. E. Sharp; Greenwood Main Street, L. P. McGee; Greenwood Mills, C. L. Harris; Greenwood Circuit, C. F. Clarkson; Kinards, W. H. Murray; McKendree, to be supplied; Newberry, Central, F. E. Dible; O'Neale Street, B. L. Knight; Newberry Circuit, W. R. Bouknight; Ninety-Six, M. T. Wharton; Parksville, A. Q. Rice; Phoenix, John I. Spinks; Pomaria Circuit, W. A. Duckworth; Princesburg, J. B. Connelley; Prosperity and Zion, E. F. Taylor; Saluda, O. A. Jeffcoat; Waterloo, J. M. Fridy; Whitmore, J. W. Shell; Lander College, John O. Wilson, President, Main St. Q. C.; Professor at Lander College, R. O. Lawton, Main St. Q. C.; Assistant Sunday School Editor, L. F. Beaty, Main St. Q. C.; Commissioner Washington City church, W. I. Herbert.

Columbia District.
Presiding Elder, Jas. W. Kilgo.
Aiken and Williston, A. E. Driggers; Alken Circuit, J. H. Montgomery; Batesburg, W. J. Snyder; Columbia, Brookland, to be supplied by D. H. Attaway; Edgewood, R. H. Lupo; Green Street, L. E. Wiggins; Main Street, B. R. Turnipseed, Foster Speer, Supernumerary; Shandon, W. B. Garrett, J. C. Chandler, Supernumerary; Washington Street, A. N. Brunson; Waverly, J. B. Mahaffey; Whaley Street, O. M. Abney, D. R. Roof, Supernumerary; Edgefield, A. L. Gunter; Fairfield, J. A. Bledsoe, E. W. Mason, Supernumerary; Gilbert, D. E. Jeffcoat; Graniteville, J. F. Lupo; Irmo, F. G. Whitlock; Johnston, J. H. Thacker; Langley, J. E. Brown; Leesville, C. E. Peeler; Leesville Circuit, to be supplied by M. A. Cleckley; Lexington, J. G. Farr; North Augusta, Hamlin Etheredge; Richland, J. M. Meetez; Ridgeway, T. A. Shealy; Swansea, J. W. Nealey; Wagener, to be supplied by W. T. Patrick; Commissioner Washington City Church, Jas. W. Kilgo.

Greenville District.
Presiding Elder, R. E. Turnipseed.
Clinton, Henry Stokes; Easley, R. L. Holroyd; Fountain Inn, R. F. Morris; Gray Court, G. G. Harley; Greenville, Bethel and Poe, J. D. Holler; Brantley and Judson, A. M. Doggett; Buncome Street, P. F. Kilgo; Campersburg, R. F. Cogburn; Duncan, S. C. Dunlap; Hampton Avenue, E. R. Mason; St. Paul's, A. E. Holler; West Greenville, W. H. Lewis; Greenville Circuit, J. L. Singleton; Greer, L. D. Gillespie; Laurens, W. A. Fairly; Laurens Circuit, W. L. Mullikin; Liberty, G. H. Hodges; Pickens, E. T. Hodges; Pickens Circuit, to be supplied by S. M. Jones; Piedmont, J. D. Griffin; South Edge, G. T. Hughes; South Edge, J. P. Wittingham; Travelers Rest, W. A. Lamar; Conference Missionary Secretary, R. E. Turnipseed; Commissioner Washington City Church, R. E. Turnipseed.

Rock Hill District.
Presiding Elder, E. S. Jones.
Blacksburg, J. B. Traywick; Blackstock, S. B. White; Chester, Baldwin Mill, to be supplied; Bethel, C. C. Herbert; Chester Circuit, W. T. Duncan; Clover, H. A. Whitton; East Lancaster, J. H. Manly; Fort Mill, W. S. Goodwin; Great Falls, J. B. Kilgore; Hickory Grove, H. C. Monzon; Lancaster, D. W. Keller; Lancaster Circuit, T. P. Gibson; North Rock Hill Circuit, W. M. Harden; Richburg, E. Z. James; Rock Hill, Manchester and Highland Park, Elzie Myers; St. John's, J. C. Roper; West Main Street, W. H. Polk; Rock Hill Circuit, P. R. Kilgo; Van Wyck, M. G. Latham; Winstboro, H. B. Harkey; Yorkville, J. E. Mahaffey; Missionary to Korea, L. Porter Anderson, Great Falls Q. C.; Commissioner Washington City Church, E. S. Jones.

Spartanburg District.
Presiding Elder, R. E. Stackhouse.
Campobello, R. C. Boulware; Carlisle, R. L. Doggett; Cherokee, J. R. Copeland; Chesnee, W. W. McGhee; Clifton and Glendale, S. L. Rogers; Cross Anchor, J. F. Goughly; Enoree, J. T. Miller, J. K. Hollman, Supernumerary; Gaffney, Buford Street, G. C. Leonard; Limestone Street, W. F. Gault; Gaffney Circuit, R. L. Keaton, A. H. Best, Supernumerary; Inman, M. M. Brooks; Jonesville, W. B. Justus; Kelson, W. C. Kelloy; Pacolet, C. M. Peeler; Pacolet Mills, W. H. Cooley; Reidville, S. T. Blackman; Spartanburg, Bethel, J. R. T. Major, M. B. Patrick, Junior Preacher; Central, Jno. W. Frazer; Duncan, B. H. Covington; N. Spartanburg, J. C. Cunningham; Union, Bethel, J. H. Brown; Buffalo, B. H. Harvey; Grace, J. W. Speake; Green Street and Unity, J. B. Chick; Woodruff, S. T. Creech; Conference Evangelist, J. L. Harley; Central Q. C.; Textile Industrial Institute, D. E. Camack, President, Duncan Q. C.; Conference Secretary of Education, J. R. T. Major; Commissioner Washington City Church, R. E. Stackhouse.

Transferred.
To the South Carolina Conference: C. W. Burgess, Gobe Smith, B. G. Vaughan.
To the Louisiana Conference: S. A. Steel.

To the Florida Conference: W. B. Duncan, Jr.
To the Western North Carolina Conference: J. A. Cook.

To the North Alabama Conference: P. B. Wells.

The Upper South Carolina Methodist conference selected Clinton as the place for the next session.

Nine young men were received on trial, and admitted to the traveling connection of the conference. The following were received on trial: Anderson district, Wirron Wendell McGee; Cokesbury district, Choice Leon Harris; Columbia district, Logan Emerson Brown and Walter Young Cooley; Greenville district, James Foster Lupo; Rock Hill district, Raymond Lee Holroyd; Spartanburg district, Samuel Clarence Dunlap, Richard Furman Cogburn and James Posser Clark.

The officers of the legal conference were re-elected as follows: J. C. Roper, president; J. B. Traywick and C. C. Herbert, vice presidents; H. B. Carlisle, treasurer; J. W. Boyd, W. M. Jones, J. B. Humbert, George W. Sullivan, board of managers.

The Rev. J. C. Cunningham was received on trial from the Methodist Episcopal church and the Rev. W. A. Lamar from the Protestant Methodist church. The following were elected to elders orders: the Rev. W. B. Garrett, the Rev. R. F. Morris, the Rev. W. L. Mullikin, the Rev. John Davis Holler, the Rev. James B. Mahaffey, the Rev. Tillman Aristotle Healy.

All the reports presented were encouraging, though they showed that the church must not relax its efforts for the advancement of the cause of Christ. Three thousand members have been added to the conference during the past year, the reports showed.

The Rev. J. R. T. Major made an encouraging report on the education commissions from both conferences. They hope that the \$300,000 endowment will be collected in the near future.

A resolution authorizing the appropriation of \$1,800 toward the Washington city representative church, the adoption of the report of the committee on standing resolutions outlining the general organization and procedure of conference and the consideration of a suggestion from the Anderson district to buy a publishing plant for the Southern Christian Advocate were among the most important matters of business transacted.

The conference heard with interest the annual report of the Epworth organization of Columbia, which showed the progress of the institution during the past year. The report expressed deep regret at the death of the superintendent, Rev. W. B. Wharton. The new superintendent, the Rev. H. Z. Nabors, was presented to the conference.

Getting Old Too Fast?

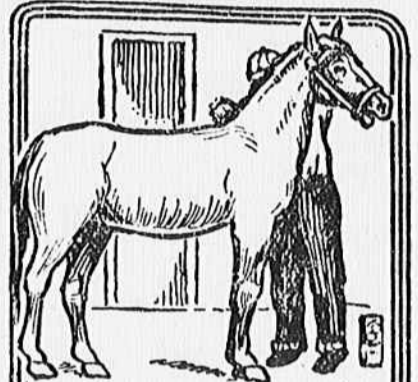
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