

Local and Personal Mention.

Miss Caroline Holmes left Tuesday for St. Mary's College, Raleigh, N. C. Sen. N. B. Dial left yesterday for Washington on official business.

Mrs. John Gilkerson left Saturday for Sumter to visit relatives for a few days.

Miss Rachael Carpenter, of Greenville, has been visiting Miss Mary Roper for several days.

Miss Mary Bowers, of Americus, Ga., is visiting Miss Sarah Dunlap on South Harper street.

Mrs. J. H. Young and Mrs. D. H. Hughes, of Gray Court, were visitors in the city Monday.

Mrs. J. S. Bennett and Miss Catharine Hagquist returned Friday from Asheville, Ridge Crest and Montreat, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Chiles Calhoun, of Greenwood, spent the week-end in the city with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Dial.

Messrs. Walter and Albert Finkbeiner, Frank Barber, Jack Delaney and Johnnie Schmidt left Laurens Thursday morning for San Diego, Cal. via automobile. They expect to make the trip in about three weeks.

Mr. Nash Philpot returned yesterday after several months' trip in the northern states and Canada, with a chautauqua company. He visited his friend, Mr. B. H. Boyd, for three weeks in Akron, N. Y., before coming home.

Mr. C. C. Wharton, of Greenwood, was in the city Monday making one of his regular visits at the Wharton Clothing Company. Mr. Wharton stated that he expects to go to the northern markets the latter part of this week to buy fall goods.

Mrs. W. S. Tuttle, who has been visiting at the home of her parents on Irby avenue, will leave Saturday for her home in Atlanta. She will be accompanied by her sister, Miss Annie Laurie Thompson, who will spend the winter with her.

Messrs. B. and Luther Stone and their sister, Mrs. Ina Irby, have returned from Atlanta after a visit to their sister, Mrs. Sallie Madden, and family. They also visited another brother, Guy Stone, who is now recovering from an operation undergone in one of the Atlanta hospitals.

Mr. H. F. Rush, government cotton grader here during the last season, has been visiting friends in the county for a few days before going to Camden, where he will be in the cotton business this year. Since leaving Laurens a few weeks ago, Mr. Rush has been visiting relatives in North Carolina.

Mr. Joe Bishop, accompanied by his father, is visiting relatives in the county, and spent the week-end with Mrs. W. C. P. Robertson and Mr. Charlie Bishop. Mr. Bishop formerly lived in Clinton but moved to Macon, Ga., several years ago where they now reside, and are making the tour of this and Union county by automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Perry and two children made an enjoyable motor trip last week to Blaney, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rose. From Blaney they went to Rockingham, N. C., where they visited other relatives and saw Mr. and Mrs. H. Terry, of this city, who are visiting relatives there. From Rockingham they went to Charlotte where they visited relatives of Mr. Perry and from there motored home, the trip being made without difficulties of any kind.

Cheap Dodge Story a Fake
There is no foundation for the report generally circulated in this section to the effect that the War Department is disposing of new Dodge cars at ridiculously low prices, according to a statement from the Easterby Motor Company, Dodge dealers in this territory. Mr. Thos. Easterby has a letter from the Dodge factory, quoting a letter from the War Department, in which it is definitely denied by the War Department that any such sales of cars have been made or offered for sale. The only cars sold by the government, according to this official letter, are those that have seen such hurried usage as to be unserviceable, and such cars have been duly advertised and sold at public auction.

To Teach Languages
Friends here of Mr. R. W. Compton, of Atlanta, who is a native of this county, will be interested in a news item from The Atlanta Journal a few days ago in which it was stated that Mr. Compton's daughter, Miss Lois Hortense, who recently graduated from Agnes Scott College, has been elected to teach French, Spanish and Latin in the high school at Sulphur, Okla., this year.

Lawn Party
The B. Y. P. U. of Warrior Creek church will serve ice cream on the lawn at the home of S. J. Burns Friday night, September 16th, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

New fall goods arriving daily now for J. C. Burns & Co., 2 stores in Laurens.



Miss Laura Emily Dial entertained Saturday morning at a lovely bridge party in honor of Miss Virginia Gray, whose engagement to Mr. Carroll deSchaamps of Bishopville, was recently announced. After a number of interesting games, a delightful salad course was served. The guest of honor was presented with a beautiful piece of lingerie.

Monday morning at the Country Club, Miss Flora Bennett gave a luncheon for Miss Virginia Gray. After a number of courses had been served Miss Gray was presented with a dozen hand-made handkerchiefs.

Tuesday morning Miss Julia Wilkes entertained at bridge for Miss Gray. After the games were played delicious refreshments were served.

Wednesday morning Miss Rosa Gray will entertain at a bridge luncheon in honor of Miss Gray.

Misses Mildred Counts and Doris Young entertained with a miscellaneous shower at the home of the latter Friday afternoon in honor of Miss Virginia Gray. After a few games of bridge and delightful refreshments, Master James Dunklin, Jr., entered the room bearing the gifts which the guests had brought for the honor guest. The afternoon was greatly enjoyed by all present.

Miss Bernice Meng entertained in honor of Miss Virginia Gray with a Bridge party Wednesday afternoon. The rooms were bright with yellow flowers and the score cards were dainty little brides. After several games a salad course with an ice was served. The bride-elect was presented with a pretty guest towel. Misses Jessie and Jennie Morgan, of Central, and Miss Torn Ward, of Florida, house-guests of Miss Meng, were among those present.

Vance-Tate
Greenville, Sept. 11.—A beautiful wedding was solemnized Tuesday afternoon at the Fourth Presbyterian church, when Miss Aurelia Vance became the bride of George Knox Tate, Jr., of McAdenville, N. C., the Rev. C. G. Gunn officiating. The church was handsomely decorated with ferns and baskets of pink roses. The wedding music was rendered by Mrs. O. B. Hartszog on the organ. The bridal party was preceded to the altar by the ushers, Ed Hart of Greenville, and G. C. Albright of Laurens. The bride's only attendant was Mrs. Craighead Davidson of Charlotte. The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, H. Y. Vance, was attired in a traveling suit of midnight blue panvelaine, with stylish hat in harmonizing color. Her corsage was orchids and valley lilies. The bridegroom was attended by his brother, John E. Tate of Charlotte. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal couple left for a trip to New York and other points North. After their return they will make their home in McAdenville, N. C. Monday evening the bridal party was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Allen Graham at their home on Washington road.

For Night Patrons
For those patrons of the post office who are unable to get their letters and packages ready by closing time at night, Postmaster Sullivan has had the department send him a large letter and package box to be placed in front of the post office. This box will be emptied only once a day, however, at 7:30 in the morning and patrons are requested to use it only after closing hours at night. Mr. Sullivan states that he has not yet been able to solve the problem of those patrons who want to get mail out of the post office after the closing hour. He thinks, however, that if Pres. Harding and Joe Tolbert will but forget him down here and allow him to wag along in office after his time is up, that he will be able to solve that and many other seemingly impossible problems connected with the office. It takes time, he says, to make a good postmaster.

Meeting of Winthrop Daughters
There will be a called meeting of the Laurens Chapter of Winthrop Daughters on Friday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the Ladies Rest Room. Every Winthrop daughter is urged to be present.

Mrs. Clara Woods Wilson, Secretary.

PALMETTO LODGE, No. 19, A. F. M.
A regular communication of Palmetto Lodge, No. 19, A. F. M., will be held on FRIDAY night, Sept. 16th, at 8 o'clock. Members (including brethren) welcome. Work in M. M. degree.
By order of
E. O. ANDERSON, Secretary. L. G. ROFF, W. M.

MISSIONARY INSTITUTE

Woman's Missionary Institute of Presbyterian Church of Laurens County at Ora Thursday.

The following program has been announced for the Woman's Missionary Institute of the Presbyterian church of Laurens county, to be held at Ora Thursday of this week: 10:00 A. M.—Opening Exercises.

Minutes of 1920.
Roll Call.
Announcements.
Music.
Missionary Address—Miss Irene McCall.
Music.
Missionary Address—Dr. D. W. Richardson.
12:00 M.—Luncheon.
1:00 P. M.—Song Service.
Prayer.
Message from Montreat.
Business.
Election of Officers.
Announcements.
Devotional.
Hymn.
Prayer.

IRBY KNIGHTON KILLED AT ENOREE
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hand to catch Irby as he fell, and Tom knocked Lawrence across the back. Lawrence turned his brother loose to take care of himself. I heard Tom Alverson say several days ago that when he got drunk he had a man he was going to kill. Irby Knighton was shot about 9:15 and lived until 12 o'clock, Sept. 9th. I did not see Irby Knighton with any kind of weapon and did not hear any fussing.

Clarence Godfrey
Clarence Godfrey, being sworn, said: I live in Laurens county; am fifteen years old. I was down at Tom Alverson's when the shooting took place. I was in front of the store and heard Tom tell Irby to get out. Irby said, 'I didn't want any fuss.' Irby leaned up side of a window. Tom said, we have been good friends. Tom was drunk. Irby was sober. Tom said, 'I am not going to have any God d—foolishness.' Irby said, 'put up your pistol.' Tom then shot him. Lawrence put out his arm to catch his brother, and Alverson shot Lawrence, then Lawrence grabbed Tom Alverson and he stopped shooting. There were five shots. Tom shot four shots at Lawrence Knighton. After Tom shot Irby, Lawrence hit Tom on the head. Then I ran. The reputation of the joint is bad.

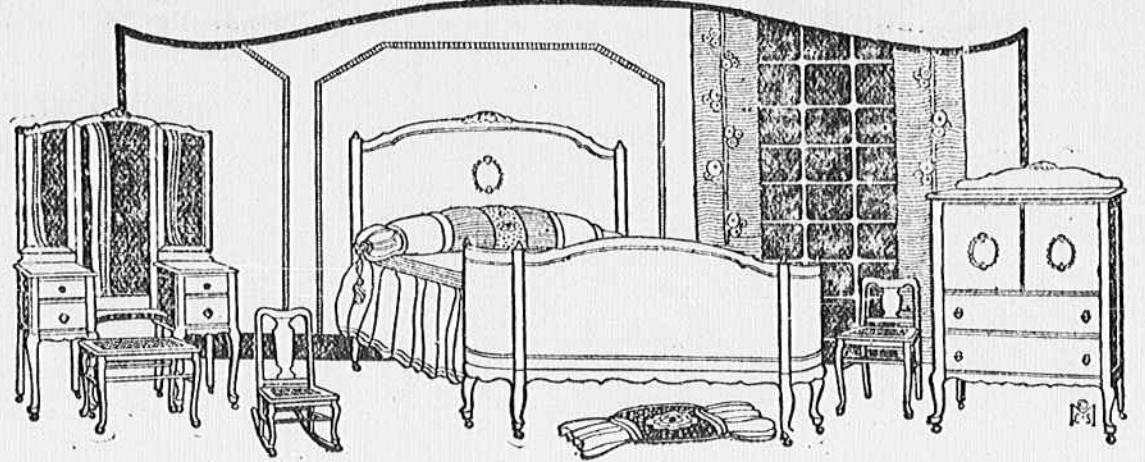
Verdict of Coroner's Jury
The coroner's jury, appointed to investigate the cause of the death of Irby Knighton, find that said Irby Knighton came to his death by a gunshot wound at the hands of T. B. Alverson. (Signed) W. T. Thornton, foreman; J. M. Bass, J. L. Hennett, T. C. Stribbling, Henry Owens, W. C. Moore, Earl Lanford, M. A. Knight, S. B. Taylor, B. V. Taylor, Huell Hill, E. T. Thornton.

Violating Fishing Laws
F. W. Little, county game warden, is calling the attention of seiners in the creeks and rivers to the act of the legislature forbidding the use of seines, etc., on the closed days between sunset Saturday and sunrise Wednesday. Mr. Little states that a number of people have gotten the erroneous impression from the law on page 271 of the Acts of 1919 that the weekly closed season for seining is not in effect between September 1 and May 1. Mr. Little holds the opposite view and has been sustained in his position by the chief game warden, A. A. Richardson, who has written him to warn those who violate the law in this respect that they are inviting prosecution. Mr. Richardson also quotes an opinion along the same line by the attorney general of the state.

Trade Homes
A real estate deal has been announced by which R. F. Jones traded his home on Chestnut street to Mr. D. E. Todd for his brick veneer home on West Main street. It is understood that Mr. Jones paid a cash consideration. Both of these houses are modernly built.

To Teach at Winnsboro
Miss Corrie Knight, of the Hickory Tavern section has been elected principal of the school of Winnsboro. She left to assume the duties of her position Saturday, Sept. 10th.

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as a result of the continual advance in the cotton market for the past fortnight. And it stands to reason that manufacturers, who now pay around 19c for raw cotton instead of 11c a short time ago, will have to put their prices on a relative basis. We are fortunate at present to have a large stock of cotton goods bought when such materials were at lowest ebb. But, of course, when this supply is gone, prices are bound to be more. The point is—buy while these supplies are available at these prices.

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Fine Quality Bleaching, per yard.....	15c
36-inch Long Cloth, per yard.....	15c
Cheviots, good weight; per yard.....	12 1-2c
Men's Blue Buckle Overalls, a pair.....	98c
Men's Heavy Work Shirts, each.....	75c
Boys' Overalls, heavy weight, a pair.....	75c
Ladies' Lisle Hose, a pair.....	25c

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