

PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ashford have moved from 1907 Taylor St. to 2546 Cherry street where they are at home to their friends.

Mrs. Hattie B. Jeter one of Columbia's oldest and prominent Waverly residents left the city Sunday to visit her sister Mrs. J. E. Smith in Atlanta, Ga. After spending two weeks in Atlanta, she will return to her home 2527 Pendleton street.

Mr. Delmar W. DeVaughn, social worker from Cleveland, Ohio found much of interest here in Columbia. He is studying the Negro economic and social conditions in the South. After spending six months throughout Dixie he is returning to Cleveland to publish some of the many facts he learned on his tour throughout the South.

Mr. Samuel Lee Taylor of Columbia, who has recently entered Military service at Fort Bragg, N. C., spent the week end with his family here. He was also welcomed by his many friends who also appreciate him as their associates.

Mr. Isaac Kirkland Leevy, prominent Mortician of this city attended the Undertakers Convention at Anderson last week. He expressed himself as having an enjoyable time.

Miss Alma Sims, charming daughter of Mr. Frank Sims of Carlisle spent the week end with family and friends in Carlisle.

ENGAGED

Rev. T. H. Best wishes to announce the engagement of his daughter, Miss Rebecca Virginia to Mr. Benjamin Franklin Harvey. The wedding will take place in early September, at home 950 R. R. Ave., Allendale, S. C.

MARRIAGE ANNOUNCEMENT

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Robinson of Columbia, S. C. announce the marriage of their daughter

MARY AGNES

to Mr. John Edward Walker of Chester, S. C. March the twenty-fifth, Nineteen hundred and forty Columbia, S. C.

VISITS SISTER IN MICHIGAN

Mrs. Josephine Parnell, a very prominent lady of the city and a member of First Calvary Baptist church, was called at the spur of the moment to Detroit, Michigan to see her sister, Mrs. Ethel Martin. Mrs. Martin has had a serious attack, therefore Mrs. Parnell was forced to go at once. She left Columbia on Saturday, May 17 at 12:45 for Detroit. We are hoping that her sister will recover soon.

BUSY EIGHT CLUB NEWS

The club met at the home of Mrs. Florence Cooke, 2103 Laurel St., Apt. S-5. Devotions were conducted by our assistant chaplain Mrs. Cooke. The club was opened for business by the president Mrs. Seymour. We completed plans for our Whist Tournament, which will be held May 26 at 8 p.m. at the Allen-Benedict Recreational Center. Admission 20c. Tickets may be secured from any member. After enjoying a delicious repast we adjourned to meet at the home of Mrs. Hattie Holmes, Apt. L-7, Allen-Benedict Court, May 27th.

CITY-WIDE BEAUTICIANS CLUB MEETS

The club met at the home of Miss Rose Holmes as hostess, on May 21st, presided over by the president Mrs. Wilhelmina Pope. We had a very good meeting. The ride, "Let's See America," given by the club was quite a success. Our next meeting will be held at 907 Pine street, Wednesday, 9 a.m. June 4. Hostess Miss Lillie Mae Hardy.

THE ROSE SOCIAL CLUB

The club held its weekly meeting Tuesday May 20 at the home of Mr. Herbert Holloway, 918 Heidt street. The house was called to order by the president. The meeting was opened by singing a song and prayer led by Miss Margaret Goodwin. After which the roll was called and minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary, Miss Goodwin. A short business session was held. Plans were made for the Moonlight party at the Log Cabin on June 2. Come one, come all and enjoy yourself.

We were delighted to have with us a visitor, Miss Janie James. We were also glad to have a new member Miss Bertha Holloway, who was welcomed into the club. The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. James Halger Apt. Z-1, Allen-Benedict Court. At the close of the meeting the hostess served a delicious repast.

SURPRISE PARTY

Members of First Calvary Baptist church gave a surprise for their pastor (Rev. S. S. Youngblood, Saturday, May 10th. The pastor was called and told to come home at once. When he arrived, he was much surprised to find that a party was being given in his honor, and several beautiful and useful gifts placed on the bed. He then remembered that it was his birthday. The pastor kept silent for a few minutes and the expression on his face made everyone wonder what would happen. Then the pastor called the friends together and thanked them for remembering him so kindly on his birthday.

A course of ice cream and cake was served. It was indeed a surprise to the pastor. Everyone enjoyed themselves very much.

FRIENDLY 14 SOCIAL CLUB

The club met at its usual hour Thursday night past at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Coleman, 1907 Henderson street. The club is giving a Silver Tea Sunday, May 26 at the above address at 5 p.m. We are inviting our friends to come out with us. On Saturday night May 24 there will be a Fish Fry at the home of the vice president Mr. G. W. McDaniel, 908 Senate street from 8 p.m. until, Come one, come all. We adjourned to meet Thursday night, May 22nd.

BLUE STAR SOCIAL CLUB

The club held its regular meeting on Monday night May 19 at the home of Mr. Joseph Jordan 925 Oak street. Devotion was carried out in the usual manner. The president took charge and business was discussed. Our Silver Tea on Sunday afternoon was a success. The program consisted of: Mistress of ceremony Miss Bertha Lee Allison; Welcome address by Miss Allison; Talk by Mrs. Polk of the Busy Ladies Club; solo, Mrs. Hicks; Paper, Miss Smith, Blue Star, solo Mrs. Washington, White Rose; selection, Mr. Jordan, Blue Star and friends; Paper Mrs. Laury, White Rose; Paper Mrs. Allison Together Aiding club. We appreciate the cooperation of our guests and friends of the Busy Ladies, High Hatters, White Rose, Sunny Side Lafayette, clubs and our many friends.

LUCKY PALS

The last meeting of the Lucky Pals was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Harper Tuesday night May 20. The meeting was called to order and opened with prayer by the president. The boys circled in the yard under the bright lights at a round table. This was what Mr. Harper called an open air meeting. After the minutes of the last meeting, the president called for unfinished business, which was about the question of how large will the Lucky Pals grow? After this was discussed briefly, the house was opened for a motion. The motion was made and seconded that the body of the Lucky Pals will carry the membership with a total of 25. It was a suggestion made by Mr. Henry Hymes, which will be carried at the call meeting to be held at Pinckney's Funeral Home Sunday 6:30. After the business we adjourned with the chaplain repeating Bible verses.

BLUE MOON SOCIAL CLUB

The club met Wednesday evening May 14 with Mrs. Gloden Brown on Park street. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Carrie Bentley. Singing, God Will Take Care of You. Bible verses repeated by the members. The club went into old and new business. The president thanked the members for their cooperation at the Silver Tea on Mother's Day. After the routine of old and new business, the roll was called; each member responded. Mrs. Gertrude Brown will be hostess at our next meeting, May 22 at Taylor's Tavern.

Mrs. Gertrude Brown our Treasurer is leaving Friday, May 23 for Greenville, Tenn. to attend the commencement exercises at George Glenn High school, where her cousin Edward Taylor will graduate. Master Edward Samon is joining Mrs. Brown on her trip. The Blue Moon wish them a successful trip. Remember the Blue Moon still shines.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN B. EMERSON VACATIONED

IN THE SOUTH Mr. and Mrs. John B. Emerson of Park Avenue, New York City, spent their vacation in the following cities while visiting the South: Wrennboro and Columbia, S. C.; Greensboro, N. C.; Richmond, Va. and Washington, D. C. Friends and relatives in these cities were glad to welcome them and made it very pleasant for them. At the receptions given Mrs. Emerson was given the name of the Fashion Plate from Harlem, from the beautiful evening gowns she wore on these occasions. Come again, you are always welcome.

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WARD ONE WILLING WORKERS CLUB

On Wednesday night May 13th, the club had its 11th anniversary at the Social Room at the University Terrace. All ladies of the club wore evening gowns, with gleaming gay colors and men wore white trousers and dark coats. The club had a cake with eleven candles lighted to represent the years of the club. We had a very fine supper, which was served free. All members and visitors enjoyed themselves.

We danced by the music recorded by Fats Waller, Louis Armstrong, Cab Calloway and many other well known orchestras. Committee: Miss Lucy Jones, Pres., Mrs. C. M. Thompson, Fin. Treas., Mrs. L. Cole, Home Treas., Miss N. Sims, Asst. Pres., Mr. Earl Sims, chaplain, Mrs. Katharine Sims, Sec., Mrs. Eva Moss, Rec. Sec., Mr. Robert Thompson, Reporter.

WHEN IN ORANGEBURG

If you want your hair done just right, see Mrs. Floria Smith, 35 Peasley street. She has had years of experience in hair work and knows just what to do and how to do it. Mrs. Smith may also be reached by telephone.—E. O.

MISS MARGARET DORSEY IN RECITAL

Chester, S. C., May 11—From the auditorium of Mt. Olive Baptist church, Miss Margaret Dosey was presented in a "Television Radio Form Recital", Tuesday night May 6th which was soul stirring to all. It was composed of sacred songs and Negro Spirituals. At the conclusion of the program the ushers waited on the audience and received the contribution. As a blessing over the offering Miss Dorsey chanted "The Lord's Prayer". Mr. Gibbs Dorsey, accompanist; Mr. James Gore and Douglass announcers.

THE EAGLE CLUB

The club met Friday nite, May 16 at the home of Mrs. Victoria Gloston 1007 Divine street, with the president Mr. John Trezevant. The opening selection was led by Mrs. Christine Murray. Prayer by the president. Next selection led by Mr. Ezekiel Moten. Bible verses were recited. The minutes were read and approved. The house was opened for business. The club planned to have a silver tea Sunday June 1st. The place to be announced later. Mrs. Matilda Brown was reported sick. We hope for her a speedy recovery. The club was saddened by the passing of our beloved brother and officer Mr. Harry Lucas on May 11th. We loved him but God loved him best.

The roll was called. Members present 12. We were made glad to have a new member Miss Martha M. Cruel. The club is open for joiners until June 30th. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Murray, 1323 Gregg St. The hostess served delicious refreshments.

ACES CLUB PRESENT FIRST SPRING DANCE

Laurens, S. C.—The Aces club presented their first Spring Dance (formal) at the Franklin's Sky-view ballroom on Friday evening May 16th.

The members made their debut to guests by waltzing out being beautifully attired in 18th-Century styled log-o-Mutton, gold, tightly fitted jackets and black gowns. Repeating their Preamble, sang their club song which was composed by Miss Mattye Fuller, using the tune Wayne King's waltz, after which they continued waltzing being followed by guests.

In keeping with the club cools their pennant was displayed on the walls. A huge balloon was suspended from the ceiling and the master of ceremonies, Mr. Berry Madden ripped the cords that left the remains in threads—causing tiny balloon souvenirs to float in space being caught on their descent by the thrilled members and guests.

The "Carolina Aces" orchestra of Greenville furnished beautiful music for the occasion. Officers of the club are: President, Mrs. Judith Franklin; Vice-President, Mrs. Mary Scott; Secretary, Mrs. Savillia Higgins; Treasurer, Mrs. Estelle Mills; Reporter, Mrs. Emma Fuller; members: Misses Ruth Foggie, Mary Bailey Mattye Fuller, Mesdames Viola Kennedy, Myra Holland, Rosa L. Butler.

The city guests were as follows: Misses Wilemina Mills, Essie Williams, Melrose Dial, Wilemina Hare, Ellet Watts, Helen E. Nance Juanita Mosely, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Calhoun, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Garlington, Mr. and Mrs. B. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Downs Mr. and Mrs. James A. Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. Kilgo, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rice, Mr. and Mrs. D. Whitfield, Mr. and Mrs. Annet Barksdale, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Young Mr. and Mrs. John Putman, Mr. and Mrs. Darling McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. James Fielder, Mrs. Catherine Jackson, Messrs Carl Leake, Noah Wilson, Johnnie Cyrus, Jr.; Daniel Black, Arthur Putman Berry Madden, Walter Leake, Willie McCoy, Jim Irby, Daniel Writing, Hunter, Luther Leake, Charlton Ullyses Rice, Alonzo Whitener, Paul Brockman, Luke Pitts, Clarence Kennedy, R. D. Holland, A. P. Finley, Will Higgins, "Boysie" Prof. Grady Yeargin, Misses W.

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Blocker, Sineta, Peterson, Mrs. Lillie M. Fuller, Mrs. Gertrude Sanders and others whose names the writer failed to get.

Out-of-town guests: Charleston, Mrs. Martha H. White; Columbia, Miss Gladys Rice; Greenwood, Miss Goings (nurse) Greenville, Misses Pansy Rice, Maggie Lenhardt; Warrenton, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sheller; Spartanburg, Rosebud Embly; Gray Court, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Yeargin; Clinton, Prof. Chester Taylor; Irmo, Mr. and Mrs. Boozier Mr. Willie Jones; Union Miss Ruth Freeman, Dr. Long, Messrs Raymond Johnson, Otis Farr and Alexander Kollock.

Much credit is due the president for promoting such a lovely affair that will long be remembered by the guests and members. The members presented their President, Mrs. Franklin with a lovely pre-birthday cocktail set before the dance.

Emma Fuller, reporter.

THE CITY WING CLUB OF DUE WEST

The City Wing club met at the home of Mrs. Julia and Mannie Lee Childs, Friday, May 9, 8:30 o'clock, opened by the president Singing, Come to Jesus, prayer by the president; singing Mass Jesus Bear the Cross Alone; scripture-reading, I Kings 24 verse after which the house was opened for business. Old and new business was discussed. The offering followed then the meeting adjourned. The hostess, served cake and ice cream. Our next meeting will be at Mrs. Asalee Ellis.

THE BETHUNE DEFENSE CLUB OF WHEELER HILL

The Bethune Defense club met at the home of Mrs. Maria Jackson. This was the best financial meeting we have had. Our Christmas Savings has already reached last year's amount. The club is planning a fishing party on Lake Murray. Mrs. Christian Green presented a very spicy program on Mother's Day. The hostess served a refreshing repast. At the next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Lula McConnell. Mrs. Francis Thomas will demonstrate the making of cheese.

ALLEN-BENEDICT COURT NEWS

The tenants of Allen-Benedict Court have organized a chorus of more than 50 voices. Mr. Lee Washington has been selected as president of this chorus, while Mr. Poole has consented to direct. The chorus is progressing splendidly, and rendered a program to the Negro soldiers at Fort Jackson on Sunday afternoon, May 11.

This program was generously applauded by the soldiers. A representative from radio station WIS arranged an audition for the chorus, and expressed himself as being very much pleased with the caliber of the chorus. On Wednesday May 14 the chorus was given a trial in the studio of station WIS. It is hoped that series of broadcasts will soon be arranged over this station. On Sunday afternoon May 25, the chorus will render a program at the Veterans Hospital.

Tenants of Allen-Benedict Ct. have published the first issue of their newspaper, the Allen-Benedict Court News. This paper contains news of the various activities at the project as well as other news of interest to the tenants.

MISS WHITMIRE



MISS LEONORA WILLIAMS

Charming and lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Press Williams, of Gilliam street, Whitmire, S. C. won the Popularity Contest of Miss Whitmire, and was crowned as Miss Whitmire. Miss Williams is a member of the eighth grade, under the direction of Prof. Robert E. Moore. She is a member of the Class Club and an ardent leader in Sunday school at Sims Chapel Baptist church; and one of the best basket ball players. To you Leonora, your beauty shares, Within the Whitmire school, You won the crown of Miss Whitmire, And kept the scholastic rules. Your personality has won you fame, Among your old home town; We hope you'll wherever you go, The scepter of a crown, Silver and gold, those precious jewels, Shine within your hand; Wherever your virtue stands.

ROBERT E. MOORE, Prin. Whitmire School.

The children of Allen-Benedict Court, under the supervision of Miss Josephine White, playground supervisor, presented a May Day program on the playground Friday afternoon May 16. The May Queen was crowned, groups of children danced, and other appropriate numbers were enjoyed by the nearly 500 present. Following the May party, a Block Party was held on the driveway in front of the office. This was greatly enjoyed by all who witnessed it. The Allen-Benedict Court Boy Scouts assisted with both affairs. The troop is named NATHAN STRAUS TROOP in honor of the United States Housing Authority Administrator because of his interest in the welfare of the Negro race. Mr. Straus wrote a

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A letter to the Supervising Man expressing his sincere appreciation of the naming. There is also a Girl Scout Troop at the Court.

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THE EAST END LOVELY THIRTY-FIVE SAVINGS CLUB

The East End Lovely Thirty-five Savings Club held its last meeting at the home of Mrs. Jacobs, 1110 Lyon St. The meeting was opened by Mr. Willie May. The first song was in The Land, prayer was offered by Mr. Willie May. The scripture lesson was then read by the President, Mr. J. H. Glendon, ten verses of the 10th chapter of St. Matthew. A song was sung in the presence of the Lord. The devotional services then closed. The Bible verses were then called for, and each member responded. A song was sung by the president, I Got a Make-This Journey Some How. Then the minutes were called for, read, received and adopted. No one was reported sick. Unfinished and new business called for. Unfinished business concerning the silver tea. The amount raised from the silver tea was \$27.00. This money was divided among the members of the club. There was no new business. The meeting adjourned; next meeting at the home of Mr. J. H. Glendon, Liberty Hill. The singing song was Lead Me On. Johnnie Mae Terry, reporter.

ALLEN CHAPEL A. M. E. CHURCH Rev. Italy McFadden, Pastor. St. Stephen—Sunday was a high day at Allen Chapel. Sunday school was conducted by Supt. W. E. Matthews. At 11:30 Rev. McFadden took his seat on the rostrum. He delivered a warm message. Every soul was made happy while the man of God preached. After which an invitation for joiners was given. After the benediction a dinner of many dishes was served on the outside by a great number. At 3:30 service was opened for the afternoon. Rev. McFadden presented Rev. Miller his guest to preach. He used as a subject: Come ye blessed of my Father.

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herit the kingdom prepared for you Matt. 25:34, which was enjoyed by all. Collection for the day \$37.37.

Those on the sick list are Mrs. Agnes Davis and Bro. Robert Richardson. We pray for their recovery. Rev. McFadden leaving on Tuesday for the District Conference. We gave our pastor full reports on all items. He is reporting all his money at this meeting.

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