

M'GOWAN FAMILY REUNION

Cross Hill, August 2.—The reunion of the McGowan family was held at Liberty Springs church, Cross Hill, yesterday. Members of this interesting family are scattered over the State and the nation, some of them being prominent in nearly every profession. Among its names are noted physicians, army officers, officers in the navy, newspaper men, manufacturers, judges, college professors, ex-governors, congressmen, senators, merchants, farmers, mechanics, accountants, etc.

The program was thoroughly planned and proved specially interesting throughout. A sumptuous dinner was served on the ground. Among those who made addresses were: Address of welcome, Mayor Edgar Hitt, of Cross Hill, and Dr. John H. Fuller, also of Cross Hill; Response and Key-note address, Capt. J. J. McSwain, of Greenville; "What the Navy Did to Win the War", Admiral Samuel McGowan, U. S. N.; "What the Council of Defense Did to Win the War", Christie Benet, Columbia; "Old Glory Overseas", Major W. C. McGowan, Columbia; an address also by Prof. E. H. Snowden, of the University of South Carolina, and "What the Press Did to Win the War", P. H. McGowan, Washington, D. C.

Several impromptu speeches by friends of the family were made at the request of Frank P. McGowan, of Laurens, who presided.

The family voted unanimously to hold the next reunion here in August 1921. It was also voted that J. F. J. Caldwell, of Newberry who has written a history of the McGowan's Brigade, be requested to publish a revised and enlarged edition of it. Moreover, it was voted that a thorough Genealogy of the McGowan connection which has been begun by Mrs. Mary Nancy Daniel, of Saluda, be completed and put in permanent form.



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Editor Press and Banner:

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Which road do you prefer? Of course there can be only one answer. Now, the good roads movement is on in the United States and its momentum will subside only when the whole country will be crossed in every direction by permanent highways.

Abbeville county will be no exception.

But a few roads will be built to begin with; and until the completion of the whole system (which completion will take a long time) only a few citizens of the country will receive the benefit of the permanent roads, and the majority of people will have to rely, as heretofore, on the present roads to carry on their business.

In regard Abbeville county, especially, its roads are shamefully hilly, not only at the approaches of our rivers, creeks and branches, but everywhere else.

If Abbeville county builds one or two permanent roads across or

around the county, it is no exaggeration to say that a small minority of as our steep roads will absolutely prevent us from increasing the actual capacity of our loadings.

In my opinion the grading on a level, as much as practicable, of our actual roads by competent engineers, should be the first step towards the improvement of Abbeville county's system of highways.

When this regrading will have been done, then the improved permanent highways could be located intelligently and in a manner to be of benefit to any farmer in the county.

I would gladly vote for any amount of bonds having this objective in view.

I submit the above observations for what they may be worth, with the hope that they might be of some help in finding the solution of the problem of building a road system of which Abbeville county should be proud of.

E. C. Meschine,
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