

**ANNOUNCEMENT PARTY
AT MT. CARMEL**

Mt. Carmel, Sept. 27.—An entertainment of unusual interest was given Wednesday afternoon, September 24, by Miss Robbie Covin, at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. S. H. Riley, in honor of Miss Sara Boyd. The home was beautiful in its decorations of ferns, golden rod and daisies.

Little Bradley Morrah dressed in a Western Union boy's uniform, brought in a telegram signed by cupid, announcing the engagement of Miss Sara Boyd to Mr. S. T. Russell of Wilmington, N. C., stating also, that the wedding would take place on the first of November. He then handed around blank forms requesting the guest to telegraph their congratulations to the happy pair. These were then turned over to the bride-elect and she read them aloud.

The dining hall with its tasteful decorations of ferns and flowers was most attractive. A coy cupid surrounded by daisies formed the central piece for the table, blending beautifully with the color scheme of gold and white. From the chandelier white and gold tulle was gracefully festooned to the four corners of the table, on which stood a large gold and white cake, also comports filled with white mints. A delicious salad course was served followed by cream and cake, after which the bride's cake was cut. Miss Bessie Jones drew the coin, Miss Emily Mae Hester the ring, Miss Ethel Sharp the thimble, and Miss Robbie Covin the wish bone.

Little Gladys Scott and Irene Boyd served mints while little Hessie Morrah pinned on dainty souvenir cards. The bride-elect looked lovely in a handsome dress of brown tricolette. The guests were the intimate friends of Miss Sara Boyd, as follows:

Misses Louise McBride, Isabel McBride, Dora Black, Florence Black, Mrs. Walter Boyd, Mrs. J. T. Scott, Miss Eva Tarrant, Miss Ethel Sharp, Mrs. Bradley Morrah, Mrs. Will Scott, Mrs. L. L. Hester, Miss Emilie Hester, Miss Bessie Jones, Miss Susie Patterson, Miss Maggie Sutherland, Miss Mildred Boyd, Mrs. Horace Brown, Mrs. Oscar Covin, Mrs. Ollie



A Screamingly Funny Scene, From Selwyn & Co.'s Big Comedy Success, Coming to the Opera House Friday Night, October 3rd.

Watson, Miss Janie Leroy, Miss Laura Leroy, Miss Fannie May Wright, Miss Edna Smith, Miss Corinne Smith, Miss Rebecca Wardlaw, Miss Elizabeth Wardlaw, Miss Janie Lee Morrah, Miss Reba Wells, Miss Ella Grant, Miss Lizzie Grant, Mrs. Jim Hemminger, Mrs. B. F. Manning, Miss Gertrude Morris, Mrs. J. W. Boyd, Miss Pet Hawthorne, Mrs. S. J. Wakefield, Miss Jenna Boyd, Miss Maggie Brough.

Poison For Boll Weevils.

Clemson College, Sept. 27.—Though the boll weevil injury in some counties is heavy this year, it must not be forgotten, says Prof. A. F. Conradi, of the Entomology Division, that the weevil has not yet developed his full force in any part of the state. Tremendous efforts are being made, meanwhile, by the Federal Government and by the State Crop Pest

Commission to work out a poisoning system of efficiency and economy, which it is hoped may be of much service another year. But the Commission urges that it is necessary for farmers to obtain accurate information before attempting any poisoning work. Full instructions should be obtained in regard to arsenate of lime and dusting guns, or there will be severe disappointments. A campaign is now being organized for work with planters in the Coastal and Savannah River counties. The progress of this work will be frequently announced as the work goes on in these counties during the fall and winter.

BOLL WEEVIL QUARANTINE.

The boll weevil having begun its annual fall migration, the quarantine lines can not remain stationary for long periods at this time of the year,

says Prof. A. F. Conradi, entomologist at Clemson College, but every effort is being made to interfere with commerce as little as possible, and the State crop pest commission tries to anticipate weevil movements so that there will be a minimum disturbance of seed contracts. Shippers are requested not to cross quarantine safety or weevil line without permit, but permits will be issued in every case when the commission is satisfied that it can be done with safety.

Correspondents are requested to write to the State crop pest commission direct, as this will insure a prompt reply, whereas, if the inquiry is addressed to an individual, it is sometimes delayed owing to the party's absence.

**DUE WEST.
(The A. R. Presbyterian.)**

Due West, Sept. 25.—A telegram to Dr. Cowan states that Judge L. O. Cowan of Arizona, had undergone a very serious operation. No particulars.

Mrs. W. C. Kerr and little son, William, of Covington, Tenn., are the guests of Mrs. Margaret Kennedy.

Mr. Barron Agnew, who has had a position in Abbeville, has taken up work in Bell's Drug Store in Due West.

Miss Virginia Reid reached Due West last week after a refreshing vacation of two months visiting various sections of the country. She very much enjoyed the summer.

Mr. Olin Hagan, who has been a resident of Greenville for some months took up work Monday morning with the firm of W. A. Markham and Co. Mr. Hagan's many friends are glad to have him return to Due West.

Mr. George Hagan of Ora, S. C., has been spreading a few days in Due West, to the pleasure of his friends.

Mr. Jno. McGee returned on Tuesday from a trip to Midway, Calhoun Falls and Lowndesville in the interest of the 75 Million Drive of the Baptist Church. He presented this matter at each of these points and is enthusiastic over the work.

Miss Kate Neal of Newberry, came

up last week and attended the opening of her Alma Mater. She brought with her three pupils for the Woman's College. Miss Neal is a very capable and aggressive teacher. An instructor, who is enthusiastic and in love with her work.

**HELP FOR COTTON INDUSTRY
IN AMENDED WAREHOUSE ACT**

To place the business of cotton warehousing on a stable basis and provide receipts for cotton that are negotiable at any bank has long been an aim of persons interested in cotton, and under the amended United States cotton warehouse act this is likely to be realized. That is the opinion of men in the Bureau of Markets, United States Department of Agriculture, who are charged with issuing Federal warehouse licenses.

The warehouse act has just been amended so as to permit the acceptance of personal bonds from warehousemen and to permit the issuance of negotiable receipts, when requested by the depositors of cotton in the warehouse, without stating the grade of the cotton. The grade must be stated, however, unless the request to omit it is made.

The purpose of the warehouse act is to create a warehouse receipt of unquestioned value and one which will be acceptable to all bankers as security for obtaining loans, regardless of the location of the warehouse. In this way warehousemen will furnish a receipt to their customers which will be of the utmost value to them as negotiable paper, and enable them to borrow close to the actual value of their stored goods at cheaper interest rates. Thus they may market their cotton slowly and in conformity with the needs of the manufacturers. The full description of the cotton stored requested to be stated on the face of the receipt will enable the owner to know the value of his cotton and enable him to market it intelligently. The proper development of the warehouse will make possible the practice of marketing the cotton crop through the warehouse, and thus avoid the enormous losses resulting from weather damage.

Warehousemen desiring to take ad-

vantage of the opportunity extended should apply to the Bureau of Markets, at Washington, D. C., for the application forms. Upon receipt of the blanks they should be filled out and sent to the Bureau of Markets at Washington along with the nominal inspection fee required. This fee is based on the capacity of the warehouse at the rate of \$1 for each 1,000 bales of its capacity; thus, a 5,000 bale warehouse will pay an inspection fee of \$5; a 6,000-bale warehouse has a capacity of less than 5,000 bales, the fee will be \$5. The maximum inspection fee is \$50. Thus a warehouse having a capacity of more than 50,000 bales will be required to remit a fee of only \$50. This inspection fee, a license fee of \$2 and the cost of his bond is the total expense of the warehouseman. If for any reason the license is not issued or the inspection is not made, any unassessed fees will be returned to the applicant.

**BAPTISTS NAME FOUR
MINUTE SPEAKERS FOR
75 MILLION CAMPAIGN**

Greenville, Sept. 27.—Before the first of November at least 2,500 Baptist Four-minute speakers will have been appointed for work in connection with the Baptist 75 Million Campaign by the state leaders at headquarters here, it was announced today. These Four-minute speakers will avail themselves of every opportunity to make very brief addresses in behalf of the drive, working in a manner similar that used by the Four minute Speakers in the various war drives.

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Grocery Store

SPECIAL VALUES FOR THIS WEEK.

24 lb. sack fancy patent Flour.....	\$1.50
Quaker Oats, per package	11c.
10 lb. Karo Syrup,	85c.
Jello, per package,	11c.
Tall Pink Salmon,	22c.
Columbia River Salmon,	25c.
Standard Peas, can	15c.
Wesson Oil, quart	85c.
2 1-2 lb. box stick candy (all flavors).....	50c.

We have just received a large shipment of "Premier" and "Sunbeam" canned goods, including Peaches, Pears, sliced Pineapple, grated Pineapple, Apricots, California Cherries, French Peas, Stringless Beans, Spinach, Okra, Imported Sardines, Crab Flakes, and many other items. Come in and inspect our stock, or phone 38.

Hardware Store

We are moving in our new Hardware Store and have a stock of hardware that would do credit to a larger city.

You will be able to buy just "what you want and when you want it," and you will not have to hunt for it.

We have the exclusive sale of Deering and McCormick farm machinery, and our prices are right.

Stoves and Ranges, Heaters, Oil Stoves and Kitchen Utensils are on display.

There are too many things handled in a Hardware Store to attempt to name them, but if there is anything you need in this line, you are very likely to find it in our stock.

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