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WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 1909.

It is one of the most beautiful compensations of life, that no man can sincerely try to help another without helping himself.—SHAKESPEARE.

The corn contest closes June 1st. Have your name enrolled at once.

Governor Ansel is being very generally commended for declining to grant pardons indiscriminately.

Commencement week in Edgefield is always a gala week. But next week, after all of the students and teachers' leave, the old town will be a deserted village.

Send in Your Name.

We have extended the time for enrolling names for the corn contest until June 1st. If you purpose entering the contest and have failed to send in your name drop The Advertiser a card at once. Tell your neighbor to send his also. We do not wish to debar anyone, but positively all names must be enrolled by June 1st. We cannot arrange the committees of judges without having the name and address of every contestant.

Union Meeting.

The union meeting of the 2nd division of the Edgefield association will meet with Rehoboth church on Saturday, May 29th.

10:00—Devotional exercises.

1st Query—Would it not be advisable for our churches to devise and adopt some plan to equalize and systematize our contributions for the support and advancement of the cause of christianity. Rev. P. B. Lanham, R. A. Cochran.

2nd Query—How can we best develop young Christians into active church workers? J. D. Hughey, W. D. Holland.

3rd Query—The great work of the Sunday school, and who should be in it. Geo. Wright, J. D. Timmerman, C. E. Quarles.

4th Query—What do we know about our mission fields? Rev. J. P. Mealing, Rev. J. T. Littlejohn.

Sunday morning 11:30—Missionary sermon by Rev. A. T. Jamison. Afternoon service to be provided. S. B. Mays, Clerk. J. D. Hughey, Mod.

Union Meeting.

The union meeting of the third division of the Edgefield association will convene with the Red Oak Grove Baptist church fifth Sunday in May and Saturday before at 10 a. m.

10:15—Devotional exercises by Rev. J. P. Mealing.

1st Query—The laymen's movement:  
A. Its educational advantages along missionary lines, J. G. McKie.  
B. Its reflex influence, Revs. G. W. Bussey, J. P. Mealing.

C. The propriety of effecting a permanent organization, J. C. Harveley, J. C. Morgan.

2nd Query—A life of self denial, Luke 9:23, 24. J. W. Blackwell, C. Y. D. Freeland.

3rd Query—A revival and how to make it perpetual, Rev. P. B. Lanham, L. G. Bell.

10:30 Sunday, May 30th. Sunday school exercise conducted by Superintendent Red Oak Grove School.

11:30—Missionary sermon to be provided for.

1st Query—B. Y. P. U. outlook, paper by Miss Carrie Banks.

2nd Query—The relation of the B. Y. P. U. to the pastor, address B. M. Bussey.

3rd Query—What should be the atmosphere of the B. Y. P. U., address by Dr. D. A. J. Bell.

L. B. White, For Committee.

Union Meeting.

The union meeting of the first division of the Edgefield association will meet with Mountair Creek church Saturday and Sunday May 30th-31st.

10:00—Devotional exercises conducted by the moderator.

10:30—Enrollment of delegates and verbal reports from the churches.

1st Query—The Christian's duty in suppressing the unlawful sale of whiskey in his community, Walton Fuller, B. W. Satterfield, W. L. Johnson, T. C. Callison, O. Sheppard, Rev. D. W. Heckle.

2nd Query—Some reasons why the Baptist Courier ought to go into every Baptist home in the state. J. M. Rambo, Whit Harling, J. J. Griffin, P. B. Callison, J. L. Mims, Dr. C. E. Barts.

Intermission.

3rd Query—Christian benevolence: What per cent. of the Christian's income belongs to the Lord. J. F. Quits, Jr., D. L. Burnett, S. N. Timmerman, Lundy Coleman, Rev. J. F. Dendy, Rev. P. P. Blacklock.

4th Query—Education.

(1) The importance of better common schools, F. P. Johnson, W. A. Cheatham, R. T. Strom, W. D. Holland, Rev. T. E. Dorn, F. N. K. Bailey.  
(2) The importance of the denominational college, J. K. Allen, O. M. Calvert, J. M. Gaines, Prof. Entzinger, Mr. W. A. Hart, Rev. G. L. Knight.

5th Query—Church attendance, its importance: Is it on the decline? If so some reasons why, James Strom, Sumpter Lewis, J. D. Arrington, E. A. Rodgers, A. S. Tompkins, Rev. G. H. Burton.

SUNDAY.

11:00—Duty of church members to the Sunday school. Rev. T. E. Dorn, Rev. J. P. Dendy, Rev. G. H. Burton, Rev. G. L. Knight, Dr. C. E. Barts.

1:00 Intermission

2:30—Temperance mass meeting with short speeches by J. L. Mims, Prof. Entzinger, O. Sheppard, F. N. K. Bailey, Dr. C. E. Barts.

Class of 1909.

The graduating class of the S. C. I. is unusually large and is composed of unusually bright young ladies and young gentlemen. The names of the graduates are as follows, ten of the sixteen being from our town and county:

Ben Terrell Burkhalter, Eileen Watson Quits, Robert Franklin Keels, Helen Evelyn Strom, Grace Nyla Frier, Annie Mae Mims, Wallace White, Lura Mims, Roselle Bandy Burns, William Harris Mathis, James Samuels Boles, Lewis David Holmes, Lillie Mae Bussey, Susie Louise Lyon, Mattilee Schenk, Maizie Mays.

When the graduating exercises are held Monday morning next Mr. Wallace White will deliver an oration and Misses Eileen Quits and Grace Frier will read essays.

Graded School Exercises

The little folks in Edgefield are now free from all school duties, the graded school having closed last week for the summer vacation. A very unique and exceedingly pretty entertainment was given by the graded school pupils Thursday evening. Our limited space will not permit of a lengthy notice, suffice it to say that the little folks performed their parts beautifully, and the teachers were very generously congratulated upon their splendid success. The program was as follows:

- Music By Band.
- Chorus By School.
- Dolly Show Part I.
- Dolly Show Part II.
- Topsy Turvy Song.
- Recitation "The Minuet." Florence Mims.
- Flag Medley.
- Piano Solo (a.) "Sleep my Dolly Sleep."—Engelmar. (b.) Margaret Margretha Krentzner.
- Margaret May.
- Song Better Be Good.
- Duet Reuben and Rachel. Arthur Tompkins, Natalie Padgett.
- The Little Mothers.
- Violin Solo - William Keels.
- Floral Drill.

Mendals make in ladies' white shirt waists and in ladies' and children's muslin underwear made by the Defender Manufacturing Company is enough said for quality and fit. For sale by Rives Bros.

Five-pound bucket of roasted Mocha and Java coffee—flavor unexcelled—only \$1.00. B. Timmons.

Attention Ladies.

If you want a hat that's choice and different, with correctness of style, we are here to serve you. The Corner Store.

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How To Find Out. Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours, a brick dust sediment, or settling, stringy or milky appearance often indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back are also symptoms that tell you the kidneys and bladder are out of order and need attention.

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Joined Sainly Parents.

On Wednesday, May 12th, Mrs. M. W. Rogers, departed this life. For more than a year her health had steadily declined, and during the weeks just preceding the end she was a great sufferer. Before her marriage Mrs. Rogers was Miss Hattie Bell, the youngest child of the lamented Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bell. Though she was cut down in the prime of life, she had lived long enough to reflect the teaching, by example and precept, of her saintly parents. And we doubt not that this the youngest member of a once happy, unbroken home circle has joined her father and mother in that upper and better land. God having called her, no human agency availed to prolong the life of Mrs. Rogers. She had the best medical skill, and friends and loved ones ministered to her unceasingly, but nothing could stay the hand of Death. The self-sacrificing devotion of her husband during her long and very trying illness was beautiful. Our Rehoboth correspondent pays Mrs. Rogers a tribute, and writes of the funeral service in his letter this week.

Memorial Day Fittingly Celebrated at Johnston.

Memorial Day was observed on Tuesday afternoon with fitting exercises.

A line of march was formed on lower main street, and all marched to cemetery where the graves of the departed heroes were decorated. The line of march was composed first of the carriages containing the speaker and other honored ones, then the school children, each bearing small confederate flags and garlands; next the D. of C., each wearing the chapter badge, with the mourning side upward; then the veterans.

After the graves had been decorated, all repaired to the auditorium where the address of Miss Grace Lumpkin, of Columbia, was listened to. Miss Lumpkin is a rare and gifted orator for one so young, and charmed her hearers. Her youthful heart is filled with patriotism and her address brought forth repeated applause. At the conclusion, she was presented with a hand painted picture of Lee's home, "Arlington," the work of one of the D. of C., Miss Marie Coleman, now departed.

The bestowal of the crosses of honor was next on program, five being given, one of them being the cross won by the late Col. Jack Tompkins, and bestowed upon his eldest daughter, Mrs. F. M. Warren.

One of the pleasant features of the afternoon was when the local president of the D. of C., spoke of this day being the 88th birthday of Mrs. Angeline Bacon, the oldest member of the chapter. She was asked to come forward and was presented by Mrs. Eleanor Ivy with a gift from the chapter, the book entitled, "The Women of the Confederacy."

Several patriotic songs were sung during the exercises, and "Nearer my God to thee" concluded the exercises.

For Sale Real Estate

No. 101. One of the Best Hotels in any country Town in the South, 14 Rooms and all appurtenances, already furnished, well established, well equipped, well patronized. Situated near the business part of the Town of Edgefield, S. C. This Hotel is known and patronized by the T. P. As from all over the country.

No. 102. A comfortable Cottage on Buncombe Street, in Edgefield, S. C.

No. 103. A Cozy Cottage near the business part of the Town in Edgefield, S. C.

No. 104. Residence on Jeter Street in Edgefield, S. C.

No. 105. 60-acre Farm between Edgefield and Trenton S. C.

No. 106. 200-acre Farm about 10 miles South of Edgefield, S. C.

No. 107. The Capt. Lewis Jones place—70 acres beautifully located in town of Edgefield. Purchaser could sell almost enough town lots to pay for the place. 2 4-room dwellings.

No. 108. Good Farm, 205 acres on road between Edgefield and Parksville, 4 miles from latter place 100 acres of timbered land, well watered, two good tenant houses.

No. 108. Good farm on Parksville road six miles west of Edgefield containing 77 acres. Good three room house, good water and good pasture, very desirable place.

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E. J. Norris, Insurance and Real Estate Agent

There is no better buggy on the market for the money than the Hackney buggy. A car of 40 buggies just received. Ramsey & Jones.

Card of Thanks.

Dear Advertiser. We desire to express our appreciation of the exceedingly kindness of the people of Edgefield village to our dear departed sister in her long illness. We wish you could know how our dear sister spoke of you, calling your names and telling us about your kind attention before she got too weak to talk. We want you to know that your names are engraven upon the tablets of our memory, assuring you, that as we are a family that remember things, we shall never forget you.

God will bless each of you, for we have the assurance of the Master Himself, "that with what measure ye mete it shall be measured to you again," and those kindnesses will be returned to you in due time.

D. A. J. Bell, L. G. Bell, Mrs. Sallie Strom, J. M. Bell, Mrs. Clara Faulkner, Mrs. Mattie Strom.

Mrs. C. A. Griffin went down to Charleston and spent Sunday with Mr. Griffin, who has been engaged in the Pullman service for the past six months.

We have one odd lot of Regal and R. & G. corsets that we are closing out at 50c each. Rives Bros.

Notice.

The Farmers Union No. 222 will not hold its regular meeting at Harmony Friday 7th, on account of district conference at Johnston, but will meet Friday May 14th. Let all members be on hand at 3 o'clock. H. W. Doherty, Pres't.

Freshen and beautify the interior of your home by using our calcino and alabastine. B. Timmons.

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Beautiful lot of suit cases, traveling bags and trunks. Ramsey & Jones.

Our stock of undertaker's supplies is always complete. Can supply cheap and medium price coffins or metallic cases. Our hearse responds promptly to all calls, night or day. Edgefield Mercantile Co.

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The Story of Esaw Wood.

Esaw Wood sawed wood. Esaw Wood would saw wood! All the wood Esaw Wood saw Esaw Wood would saw, writes W. E. Southwick in the Woman's Home Companion. In other words all the wood Esaw saw to saw Esaw sought to saw.

Oh, the wood Wood would saw! And, oh, the wood-saw with which Wood would saw wood.

But one day Wood's wood-saw would saw no wood, and thus the wood Wood sawed was not the wood Wood would saw, if Wood's wood-saw would saw wood.

Now, Wood would saw wood with a wood-saw that would saw wood, so Esaw sought a wood-saw that would saw wood.

One day Esaw saw a saw saw wood as no other wood-saw Wood would saw wood.

In fact, of all the wood-saws Wood ever saw saw wood, Wood never saw a wood-saw saw wood as the wood-saw Esaw saw saw wood would saw wood, and I never saw a wood-saw that would saw wood as the wood-saw Wood saw saw wood until I saw Esaw Wood saw wood with the wood-saw Wood saw saw wood.

Work Weakens the Kidneys.

Doan's Kidney Pills Have Done Great Service for People Who Work in Edgefield.

Most Edgefield people work every day in some strained, unnatural position—bending constantly over a desk—riding on jolting wagons or cars—doing laborious housework; lifting, reaching or pulling, or trying the back in a hundred and one other ways. All these strains tend to wear, weaken and injure the kidneys until they fall behind in their work of filtering the poisons from the blood. Doan's kidney pills cure sick kidneys, put new strength in bad backs. Edgefield cures prove it.

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ANNUAL CONCERT S. C. C. I. Auditorium, Wednesday Evening, May 19, 1909.

- 1. Hey Ho! For Merry June! — Vincent
- 2. Pasquinade (Four Pianos) — Gottschalk Misses Elizabeth Rainsford, Clara Frier, Frances Burgess, Emily Tompkins, Annie Laurie Attaway, Blanche Landram, Nan Mellett, Maggie Shaffer.
- 3. Fantaisie Espagnole — H. D'Aubel Misses Mary Hughes and Ida Timmerman
- 4. Polonaise — MacDowell Miss Madge Turner
- 5. Solo in unison—Polish Dance (three pianos) — Scharwenka Misses Nan Mellett, Annie Laurie Attaway, Clara Frier
- 6. Valse de Concert — Moszkowski Miss Sadie Mims
- 7. Concordantia (four pianos) — Ascher Misses Madge Turner, Lily May Bussey, Lura Mims, Eileen Quits, Helen Strom, Ruth Forrest, Mamie Dunovant, Marion Blalock
- 8. a. Faites-lui mes aveux (From the opera-Faust) — Gounod b. Hour of Sweet Repose — Howe Miss Grace Frier
- 9. Valse Brillante — Moszkowski Miss Frances Burgess
- 10. Princess Waltz — Goldner Miss Gladys Tarrant
- 11. Siegmund's Love Song from "Walkure" (Wagner) — Lange Miss Emily Tompkins
- 12. Waltz (four pianos) — Kramer Misses Tompkins, Landram, Rainsford, Attaway, Mellett, Shaffer, Frier, Mays, Hamrick, Burgess, Jones, Padgett.
- 13. a. Nocturne — Casp b. Etude — Wollenhaupt Miss Lura Mims
- 14. Estudiantina — Lacomme
- 15. Solo in unison—Hungarian March (four pianos) — Kowalski Misses Emily Tompkins, Elizabeth Rainsford, Frances Burgess, Sadie Mims

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