

## GOLDEN JUBILEE.

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own wisdom in excluding the brethren, for the talks on varied enterprises were so fraught with interest and enthusiasm, that it was selfish to limit their horizon.

The devotions were conducted by Miss Sallie May Burton of Batesburg, corresponding secretary of the Woman's Missionary Union of South Carolina and the welcome was most graciously extended by Mrs. R. H. Mims, appropriately selected for this service, as she is probably the most advanced in years, and served in that most useful capacity as organist of the Baptist church about forty-eight years, and is the aunt of Rev. John Lake. Some one remarked to her that they were just beginning to find out her gifts, and with all the greatness of her past service, she had been hiding her light under a bushel.

Deaconess Anna E. Sands.

Dressed in the regalia of a deaconess of the Episcopal church, most becoming, with the bonnet covering a face showing great beauty of character, Deaconess Sands, now laboring in Horse Creek Valley, stood before the audience of ladies, and told with the gentleness and refinement of extreme culture, of work for the people of the valley, her great interest in, and the need for compulsory education, and kindred laws to meet the situation as it is seen in the mill section. She especially showed the need of the municipal ballot among the men of the mill towns. A number of these are towns entirely controlled by the mill authorities, and the men have no opportunity of expression by ballot. This takes away their sense of personal responsibility as to the sanitary and moral condition of their communities. She also commended the valley for its splendid graded schools in nearly all the towns.

Mrs. W. J. Hatcher.

"Western women in eastern lands" is the title of a book on mission study which is attracting the attention of our women the world over, having been written by Helen Barrett Montgomery, the beautiful Boston woman, who has consecrated her intelligence to the cause of missions. She was at one time president of the state Federation of Clubs of Massachusetts, and is now a trustee of Wellesley College, and an alumna of that institution. Mrs. Hatcher presented the first two chapters of this book. No one can write of Mrs. Hatcher's attractive appearance before an audience. She is winsome and gracious, and enthusiastic and vivacious, one who is used as a vessel for the Master's use. One lady who had not heard Mrs. Hatcher before said to her neighbor on the seat, "Who is that one—where did she come from?" and the reply was "She only came from Johnston, our neighboring town from our own county, and did you expect that no good thing could come out of Nazareth?" The truth of the matter is that Mrs. Hatcher is a Georgian, but she did not do all these great and good things so well till she became a resident of South Carolina a number of years ago.

And now the lunch hour has arrived, and the women and all the good brothers who had the temerity to venture so near must be served with the bounteous provision made ready for the hour, for the good women can cook as well as talk. Now we all had thought that the women of all the churches had made a most beautiful composite picture, but how would the platters look, with Methodist, Presbyterian, Episcopal and Baptist cakes and sandwiches, chicken and salads, placed upon them, and even coffee that came from Roman Catholic Brazil? It could not be surpassed, and if anything, the love and labor that lay behind it all, and the unity and good fellowship that was blended with it, made it all the better and more wholesome, and there was enough and to spare.

Monday Afternoon.

After a short devotional service conducted by Mrs. M. D. Jeffries, the ladies betook themselves into the land of dreams and romance, for there seated on the platform were five Chinese girls, dressed in every color of the rainbow; and Deaconess Sands conveyed us all over the beautiful Islands of Hawaii; in the homes of the native; around the leper colonies; on the beautiful beach with its opal waters; around Pearl Harbor and over extinct volcanoes, and those in eruption, defying the heathen gods and goddesses; by the bedside of the dying Hawaiians or the schools of the myriad nationalities who inhabit these islands; through the famous fern forests and the hospitals for the sick and helpless; hearing the story of Captain Cook and his brave but degraded seamen; and the greater life among the Hawaiians of Vancouver, the American discoverer and Christian. Months would not suffice to tell the

wondrous story of these spots of beauty out in mid-ocean, being now transformed from benighted heathenism to enlightened Christianity.

Miss Bolick brought us back again to the stern realities of the work right here in our midst, when she was called to the platform for a few minutes more of her work at Langley. She was full of intense and sober earnestness, and made every listener anxious to come to her assistance in the work which she is laboring to do in the Horse Creek Valley. Miss Bolick and Mrs. Snuggs were both exponents of the great cause and need of the kindergarten both among the heathen and among our own people of South Carolina.

Mrs. W. J. Hatcher as the last speaker for the afternoon gave a short but thrilling account of the jubilee celebration in Atlanta, and with "Blest be the tie that binds" the afternoon meeting came to a close.

Monday Night.

For this service Dr. H. M. D. Bose of St. Johns Methodist church of Augusta did our quiet country village the honor to come over and give one of the most powerful missionary sermons ever heard in our town. In this service we had the children in a beautiful Sunbeam song, and the young ladies singing "Jesus is calling me," and Mrs. R. G. Shannonhouse, in a solo "Come unto me," and then this eloquent orator, who not only favored us with his great presence, but gave us the best he had. It must have been the best, for how could it have been surpassed? His theme was "Help these women who labor together with me in the gospel." The climax of it all was that wonderful old song, "Shall we gather at the river?" and everybody sang as if they believed they would, and we believe they will, perhaps after great sufferings and chastisement, but after all, they will one day stand

"On the margin of the river  
Casting up its silver spray,  
They will walk and worship ever  
All the happy golden day."

But what of all the enthusiastic committees and their work. There was Mrs. W. L. Dunovant of the hospitality committee who amid many other pressing duties found time for this added one, and never failed to smile until she found that others had stolen her personal share of delegates.

And Mrs. Peak of the finance committee whose face was wreathed in smiles as she stood over against the treasury, and saw the generous offerings of the people sufficient for the needs.

And Miss Lou Gary on the decorating committee whose taste gave such a festive look to the church, so simple, and yet so suggestive of the golden jubilee idea, and enjoying it all as she wove her enthusiasm in this labor of love.

And Mrs. J. E. Hart as she served the luncheon and Mrs. Holland and Mrs. Griffin attending to all the details of the Brazilian coffee. What a multiplicity of details all this involved, and yet directed with such good cheer and order, it seemed to evolve as if by magic.

And the ushers, Misses Emily Strother and Royal Peak, and Mrs. B. Timmons of the reception committee, who with the other helpers stood at the door and in the aisles, receiving the coming guests, with smiles and pleasant greetings.

All these were but types of the committees which they represented. And now last, and "the last shall be first," is Dr. Jeffries, who so graciously presided over all the meetings, spoke so kindly of all that was said and done, and indeed was the greatest, because he was willing to be the servant of all. And what more can be said of all the workers, and speakers and helpers, unless at this approaching Christmas season we remember the words of Tiny Tim, and say "God bless you every one."

F. A. M.

## AUCTION SALE.

Having decided to move to Georgia I will sell at auction about the middle of January my piano, furniture, store, cooking utensils, buggies, wagons, harness, mower, rake, harrows, planters and other farming implements, 60-gallon self measuring kerosene tank, general merchandise, oats, corn, fodder, hay, blacksmith shop tools, milk cows, dry cattle, four oxen, one Devon bull, twenty head Berkshire hogs and pigs, about 40 colonies of bees. The exact date and fuller notice will be given later.

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## Hoke Smith a Marked Man.

Washington, Dec. 6.—Under the headline, "The Renunciation of Hon. Hoke Smith," a Washington afternoon paper comments to-day on the fact that yesterday he refused to accept \$3,000 back salary, and characterizes him as a marked man. This story says:

"Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia has astonished his compatriots and colleagues in the senate by refusing to take wages which he did not earn. It appears he was elected last July 19th, but he did not take the oath of office until the first day of this session. Something like \$3,000 had accumulated in senate salary to his credit, but when the disbursing functionary tendered him the amount he refused to take it, and ordered it turned back into the federal treasury.

"This is a strange proceeding for a member of congress. True, if one were to go out on the street to-day and hire a man to work about his house or his yard or his farm, and the man aforesaid did not begin operations until five months hence there would be no accumulation of wages in the meantime. The hired man would not even think of asking it. But this is not the senate way of doing things. About the only case on record before Senator Smith came to town of a statesman refusing salary he had not earned was when David B. Hill of New York was elected, but was compelled to remain in Albany for a time. He, too, refused to accept the salary. But this was not allowed to be considered a precedent.

"The Hon. Hoke Smith has branded himself from the outset as an insurgent. He will be a marked man from this time forth in senate circles."

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## Annapolis Scholarship.

Congressman James F. Byrnes has been called upon to fill a vacancy at the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland, by the appointment of a principal and three alternates for examination at the Naval Academy, April 16, 1912. For the purpose of filling this vacancy, Mr. Byrnes will have a competitive examination held at Blackville, S.C. Friday, December 29, 1911.

Applicants must have been actual bona fide residents of the 2nd Congressional District for the past two years, and between the ages of sixteen and twenty years on April 16, 1912.

Candidates are required to be of good moral character, physically sound, well-formed, and of robust constitution, and must stand a thorough examination in all the ordinary English branches, including algebra, quadratic equations, and plane geometry (five books of Chauvenet's Geometry, or an equivalent.)

All persons interested should communicate with Mr. Byrnes at once.

## Round Trip Christmas Holiday Rates.

Via Southern Railway-Premier Carrier of the South:

Account of Christmas Holidays, the Southern Railway announces reduced round trip fares between many points. Tickets on sale December 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 30, 31, 1911 and January 1st, 1912, good returning January 8, 1912. For detailed information, call on nearest Southern Railway ticket agent, or, John L. Meek, AGPA., Atlanta, Ga.  
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## Statement of the condition of THE BANK OF EDGEFIELD

located at Edgefield, S. C., at the close of business December 5, 1911.

Resources,	
Loans and Discounts	\$237,856 72
Overdrafts	1,463 60
Furniture and Fixtures	1,596 83
Banking House	4,073 95
Other Real Estate	434 85
Due from Banks and Bankers	56,616 48
Currency	4,108 00
Gold	1,775 00
Silver and other Coin	185 55
Checks and Cash Items	344 89
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$308,456 02</b>

Liabilities	
Capital Stock Paid in	\$57,400 00
Surplus Fund	17,000 00
Undivided Profits, less Current Expenses and Taxes Paid	7,874 36
Due to Banks and Bankers	1,421 46
Individual Deposits subject to Check	90,383 78
Time Certificates of Deposit	134,376 42
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$308,456 02</b>

## STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF EDGEFIELD,

Before me came E. J. MIMS, Cashier of the above named bank, who, being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is a true condition of said bank, as shown by the books of said bank.

E. J. MIMS.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of December 1911.  
W. B. Cogburn, Clk of Court (L. S.)

Correct Attest,  
J. C. SHEPPARD,  
W. W. Adams,  
A. S. TOMPKINS,  
Directors

## Statement of the condition of The Bank of Trenton

located at Trenton, S. C., at the close of business December 5, 1911.

Resources,	
Loans and Discounts	\$64,216 98
Overdrafts	3,688 27
Furniture and Fixtures	2,110 22
Banking House	1,100 00
Due from Banks and Bankers	9,256 60
Currency	1,229 00
Gold	120 00
Silver and other Coin	186 19
Checks and Cash Items	29 07
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$81,936 33</b>

Liabilities.	
Capital Stock Paid in	\$12,500 00
Surplus Fund	2,500 00
Undivided Profits, less Current Expenses and Taxes Paid	2,497 98
Due to Banks and Bankers	3,749 88
Individual Deposits subject to Check	29,866 07
Time Certificates of Deposit	17,822 40
Bills Payable, including Certificates for Money Borrowed	13,000 00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$81,936 33</b>

## STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF EDGEFIELD,

Before me came Jas. D. Mathis Cashier of the above named bank, who, being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is a true condition of said bank, as shown by the books of said bank.

Jas. D. Mathis  
Cashier  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of December 1911.  
W. D. Holland, [L. S.]  
Notary Public, S. C.

Correct Attest,  
S. T. HUGHES,  
J. F. BETTIS,  
J. C. LONG,  
Directors.

## Some Modern Definitions.

(From the "Devil's Dictionary.")

**Abdication.** n. An act whereby a sovereign attests his sense of the high temperature of the throne.

**Bacchus.** n. A convenient diety invented by the ancients as an excuse for getting drunk.

**Brute.** n. See husband.

**Fib.** n. A lie that has not cut its teeth.

**Friendship.** n. A ship big enough to carry two in fair weather, but only one in foul.

**Garter.** n. An elastic band intended to keep a woman from coming out of her stockings and desolating the country.

**Gout.** n. A physician's name for the rheumatism of a rich patient.

**Hand.** n. A singular instrument worn at the end of a human arm and commonly thrust into somebody's pocket.

**Hash.** n. There is no definition for this word—nobody knows what hash is.

**Idleness.** n. A model farm where the devil experiments with seeds of new sins and promotes the growth of staple vices.

**Impostor.** n. A rival aspirant to public honors.

**Indiscretion.** n. The guilt of woman.

**Lawyer.** n. One skilled in circumvention of the law.

**Limb.** n. The branch of a tree or the leg of an American woman.

**Miracle.** n. An act or event out of the order of nature, as beating a normal hand of four kinds and an ace with four aces and a king.

**Teetotaler.** n. One who abstains from strong drink, sometimes totally, sometimes tolerably totally.

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