

Edgefield Advertiser.

Mrs. Dobson Gave Delightful Dinner.

Mrs. Emma N. Dobson had as her guests this week Mr. Charles R. Dobson of Atlanta, and Misses Grace and Lois Dobson, of Augusta. Several guests from town were invited to dine with these visitors on Saturday and in the afternoon the children had an enjoyable party. After the usual games, delightful refreshments were served.

A Guest.

Goods by Parcel Post.

Messrs. Stewart & Kernaghan announce this week that they have established a new delivery service through the parcel post. All the farmers have to do is to mail this progressive firm their orders or send them by telephone and the goods will go out the next morning postage paid. You can have any article of merchandise carried by Messrs. Stewart & Kernaghan under 11 pounds in weight (except dynamite) delivered by mail. Read the advertisement in this issue and have the new delivery man, Uncle Sam, bring the goods to your very door.

Caused Complete Change of Plans.

A striking instance of how "man proposes and God disposes" is found in the experience of Prof. J. F. Entzinger and Maj. T. J. Lyon. Just as they completed comfortable, modern-appointed residences, fitted after their heart's desire and almost within a stone's throw of what appeared literally sixty days ago to be their life's work, through the mutations of providence there came an abrupt and complete change of plans. If they follow the institution with and for which they have labored so many years, these pretty homes must be left and will be occupied by others. Make our plans as we will, "there is a destiny that shapes our ends." It is practically certain that Prof. Entzinger will go to Greenwood but there is a probability that Maj. Lyon will remain in Edgefield. Would that we could keep both of these exemplary and very worthy young men here!

Attend The Corn Exposition.

The great National Corn Exposition opened in Columbia Monday morning and will last two weeks. Wonder how many Edgefield county farmers will attend? We hope the number will run well up into the hundreds. It is not probable that another national corn exposition will be held near us again soon, as there are so many large cities of the forty-odd states bidding for it annually. We would not have had it now in South Carolina had it not been for Jerry Moore's remarkable achievement. Go over to Columbia this week or next. Not only go once but go twice or three times if possible. It is not simply an exhibition of corn but there are dozens of experts on hand from the national government and from at least half of the states who are presenting from an expert and scientific standpoint every phase and form of agricultural life. It is therefore as much a farmer's institute as it is a corn exposition, very probably more so. The wide-awake, ambitious farmer will not have to be urged to improve such an opportunity.

Programme.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet Monday afternoon, February 3, at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Mamie N. Tillman. Frances Willard commemorative meeting.

Devotions, Mrs. Rainsford.

Crusade hymn, and crusade psalm.

"Frances Willard, the child, the student, the teacher, the reformer, and the woman." Mrs. Tillman.

Reading, "Frances Willard's influence on the present age," Mrs. Woodson.

Vocal solo, "Victory," Mrs. Shannonhouse.

Reading, Recollections of Frances Willard, Mrs. Peak.

Singing, White Ribbon rally song.

How we use our memorial fund in home mission work.

Our friend, the Indian, Mrs. Dunovant.

"What the fund has meant to the colored people." Mrs. Jeffries.

"The immigrant," Mrs. Wells.

Singing, "We are coming dear leader."

Contest.

All members are asked to bring a contribution to the Frances Willard memorial fund, which is carrying the gospel of temperance to the dark places of the homeland.

Will do Their Duty.

Now for a long pull, a strong pull, and a pull all together, for the establishment of adequate educational facilities in Edgefield. When put to the test our people have never lagged in educational matters, and we do not believe they ever will. Taking into account their resources, we believe the people of Edgefield will provide as good educational facilities as any other town of like size in the state.

Mr. T. B. Lanham at Home.

Mr. T. B. Lanham, better known and loved in Edgefield and throughout Edgefield county as Tom Lanham, is at his old home for a fortnight's mid-winter vacation. He stopped over in Greenville Friday and Saturday to see his daughter Miss Ethel Lanham who is a student at the Greenville Female college and to see Rev. and Mrs. John Lake who are in Greenville for the present. Mr. Lanham has been very cordially greeted by his Edgefield friends. He is doing a great work among the young men of Medina, Ohio, as secretary of the Young Men's Christian associations.

S. C. C. I. News.

Dr. John F. Vines, who is holding a revival meeting at the Baptist church, with Dr. Jeffries visited the school Wednesday morning and the former conducted chapel devotionals. He spoke on "Manly manliness and manly womanliness in our youth." Dr. Vines gave us a fine message, direct from Him and much good seed was sown.

Mr. Walker surprised us by coming to the college Saturday night. He conducted the devotionals and spoke on "Safety, character and time." Mr. Walker urged us to attend the services at the Baptist church.

Col. Bailey was in Greenwood Wednesday morning but returned in the evening.

Our hearts were saddened by the news that the sister of one of our cadets had passed away several days ago. The loss was suffered by the family of Cadet Bryan Hutto of Perry and the deceased was Miss Christine Hutto.

Miss Jennie Holley is visiting her sister Mrs. J. F. Entzinger.

Miss Ethel Black of Bamberg came to the college Friday on a visit to the president's family. She left on Sunday.

A new student has arrived from the fair state of Florida. Cadet Lewis Kilgore of Orlando reached the college Monday night. He expects to enter the sophomore class. He is a brother of one of the boys now in school.

Our community is surely being stirred by the earnest, forceful and soul-reaching sermons of Dr. Vines. The students have given him their most hearty support, at nearly if not all the meetings some cadets and college girls being present. From the first the boys were interested and went again and again to hear Dr. Vines. Considerable visible fruit has been reaped, fourteen cadets and six girls having announced their decision for Christ and applying for baptism and membership into the various churches of the town. Scores of cadets and girls have requested special prayer. The effect in the barracks is most gratifying also. The very atmosphere seems to be saturated with a Christian spirit. Cadets who used to talk lightly about God and his church, now are sober and walk around with a determined look on their faces to lead a better life. Surely a revival, a great revival, is in our midst.

As the time for the expiration for the officers of the Pierian Literary Society was now here the society elected the following new officers who will be installed next Saturday: President, D. B. Woodward; vice-president, G. H. Barris; secretary, J. B. Huggins; treasurer, H. C. Edens; chaplain, A. S. Kilgore; sergeant at arms, J. W. Massey; junior critic, E. S. Dunbar.

H. H. S.

We Get the School.

Greenwood gets the Military School for Boys. The Bailey Military Institute it is to be called officially and it will be a first-class one.

The great advantages of such a school here have been pointed out time and time again. All good citizens are aware now of what a fine thing a school like this will be and there will be general rejoicing that we are to have it.

Col. Bailey and all the members of his faculty, fine citizens they are, all of them, will be most cordially welcomed to Greenwood. They are coming to a good town. They know that. We want to make them feel at once that they are part and parcel of this good town and that we are all to grow up together.—Greenwood Index.

Provides for Care of Dumb Animals.

A new club appealing to lovers of dumb animals is in the course of formation in London, under the patronage of many well-known people. A novel departure will be the dogs' cloakroom, consisting of premises, with attendants, which will be utilized for the purpose of taking charge of members' dogs when visiting the club. Boarding the animals at the club will be one of the features, and there will be a catering section where dogs can have their meals.

He Knew Teacher.

"A small boy dropped into a store on the North Side on his way to school to get some candy," says the Holton Signal. "While he was looking over the assortment displayed in the case the salesman called his attention to some fresh lemon drops. 'Naw,' the boy said, 'Gimme some jelly beans. I want something the teacher can't hear me eat. Teacher can hear a feller eat lemon drops clear across the room.'—Kansas City Star.

Various Forms of Hiccough.

Allied to the rare forms of nervous hiccough there is also the emotional hiccough, which arises in connection with a moral shock, severe fright and sudden emotion, the hiccough due to irritation and hysterical hiccough. The latter is a particularly noisy form, with a rough, coarse sound. It is sometimes a sort of yelping or barking noise, persisting for some minutes or even hours.

The Mocker.

"I understand you are on the outs with Binks, Dubbleigh," said Jorrocks. "I am that!" returned Dubbleigh, with fervor. "No more Binks for me. Last Sunday when my new car lay in the ditch I asked Binks to see if he couldn't find somebody or something to pull it out, and the blistering idiot offered me a corkscrew."—Harper's Weekly.

Easy Check to Forge.

Judge Lumley Smith remarked at the Old Bailey that checks for £8 odd were most frequently altered by forgers engaged in what was now an extensive business. Only a "y" was needed to change the eight into eighty. In the case before him a check for £8 14s had been made into one for £80 14s.

The Ginger Man.

Sometimes the weather puts ginger into some men. Then there is a kind of man that all the time puts ginger into everybody around him. Nobody in this old world is more useful to it than the chap who gives his fellow men shots of ginger in all kinds of weather.

Different Kind.

Wife (anxiously)—I do wish you were in some other work, dear. I am in constant fear that you will touch a charged wire at the shop." Hub—"Oh, the charged wire at the shop doesn't bother me; what I have more dread about is the charged account at the store."

Fleeting Shade.

"By jove, I am glad to see you looking so gay and festive!" said Mr. Olde Friend. "You were all in black the last time I saw you." "Yes," demurely replied Mrs. Brown, who had just taken a second husband; "but it wasn't a fast black."—Judge.

Surely Justified.

Lady Motorist—"Oh, Mr. Policeman, when I tell you why I speeded you'll let me go." Officer—"Why were you speeding?" Lady Motorist—"I was trying to catch up to that car ahead to see how the lady had her hat trimmed."—New York Globe.

He Knew.

Teacher—"Tommy, you are too great an idler. Do you know what becomes of people who won't work?" Tommy—"Yessum. They gets supported by the rest of the family."—Judge.

His Little Best.

Little Eleanor, who was very fond of chickens, stood over a dead rooster. Thinking that something good ought to be said, she remarked between her sobs: "He was always so glad when one of the hens laid an egg!"

Mirrors at Road Corners.

A mirror about three feet high, which shows the approaching traffic, has been placed on a sign post erected at the junction of four roads at Beckenham, Kent.—London Mail.

The Sinner and His Sin.

One of the hardest lessons for us to learn is how to distinguish between a sinner and his sin, how to love the one and hate the other.—Christian Endeavor World.

Objected to Chastisement.

A young man named Dubois is bringing an action against his sweetheart at Marseilles, France, because she boxed his ears for being late to take her to the theater.

Different Function.

"I presume you never quarreled with your wife?" "Certainly not," replied skippy little Mr. Hennypeck. "I am merely a husband, not a lion tamer."—Exchange.

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Death of an Estimable Citizen.

After a very brief illness Mr. James P. Wells died early Monday morning at the home of his son, Mr. C. A. Wells, in his 84th year. He was one of the oldest and at the same time one of the most sterling citizens of the county. Mr. Wells was born and reared where the town of Plum Branch is now located and moved to the Horn's Creek section to make his home soon after his marriage to Miss Elizabeth Glover, who preceded him to the upper and better world about 20 years ago.

Mr. Wells entered the Confederate army in the early stages of the Civil war and rendered gallant service. When he came home at the close of the war he rode the horse which he had ridden in many a conflict. He named the faithful animal "Old Reb" and kept him until his death many years after the war, giving him the attention of a pet. Mr. Wells also rendered valuable service to his county and state during the

reconstruction period of 1876.

It was unfortunate for the people of his day and generation that Mr. Wells did not mingle more with the people. Being extremely modest and retiring in his habits, he spent but little time away from home. He attended strictly to his own affairs and never interfered with the affairs of others. Mr. Wells was a man who has always been conspicuous among those who knew him personally for his rugged honesty and strong, unerring judgment. He spent his entire life upon the farm, more than 50 years upon his Horn's Creek farm, and his very marked success caused him to be pointed to as a model worthy of being followed by his fellows.

Mr. Wells was a member of Horn's Creek church, from which the funeral was conducted Tuesday afternoon by his pastor, Dr. M. D. Jeffries. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. H. S. Quarles, and four sons, A. A., C. A., W. G. and M. P. Wells.

Great Mass of Proof.

Reports of 30,000 Cases of Kidney Trouble. Some of Them Edgefield Cases.

Each of some 6,000 newspapers of the United States is publishing from week to week, names of people in its particular neighborhood, who have used and recommended Doan's kidney pills for kidney backache, weak kidneys, bladder troubles and urinary disorders. This mass of proof includes over 30,000 testimonials. Edgefield is no exception. Here is one of the Edgefield cases:

W B Paul, clerk, Butler street, Edgefield, S. C., says: "I was bothered by kidney complaint from childhood and it got worse after I had the measles about twelve years ago. I suffered from acute pains throughout my body and I had much trouble from weakness from the kidneys and bladder. Doan's kidney pills were just what I needed, driving away my pains and strengthening my kidneys and bladder. Whenever I have felt in need of a kidney medicine since, Doan's kidney pills have come to my aid. I consider them the best kidney medicine to be had."

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Trapping a Lawyer.

In some cases counsel receive answers to questions that they had no business to put, which if not quite to their liking, are what they justly deserve. The following story of old George Clark, a celebrated negro minstrel, is a case in point. On one occasion, when being examined as a witness, he was severely interrogated by a lawyer.

"You are in the minstrel business, I believe, inquired the lawyer."

"Yes, sir," replied the minstrel.

"Is not that rather a low calling?"

"I don't know but what it is sir," replied the minstrel, "but it is much better than my father's and I am rather proud of it."

The lawyer fell into the trap.

"What was your father's calling?" he inquired.

"He was a lawyer" replied Clarke in a tone that sent the whole court into a roar of laughter as the discomfited lawyer sat down.—Weekly Telegraph

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