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JOHNSTON LETTER.

Mr. Nickerson Claims Columbia Bride. Baptist Pastor Assisting in Rock Creek Revival Meeting.

Rev. W. S. Brooke is assisting Rev. Henry Bell White in a protracted service at Rocky Creek, on Sunday morning, Rev. White filling the former's pulpit.

Mrs. Julia Browne of Newberry is visiting Mrs. A. P. Lott.

An interesting mid-summer marriage was that of Mr. George Nickerson, a former Johnston young man, and Miss Julia Hand, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. W. H. Hand of Columbia. The happy event took place on last Thursday morning at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. Leo Gillespie officiating. The marriage was a very quiet one, owing to the recent death of Prof. Hand's sister, and was witnessed only by the family of the bride, and the groom's sister, Miss Maud Nickerson, and brother, Mr. Charlie Nickerson. The bride is a lovely young woman and was beautiful in a modish costume of dark blue and champagne crepe-de-chine, with all accessories of her toilet in harmony. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley. Soon after the ceremony the young couple left for a honeymoon in the mountains, and later will come here for a visit to the groom's mother, Mrs. Fannie Nickerson.

Dr. C. P. Corn has had the home he recently purchased on west main street remodeled and with its paintings of dark green and white, presents a very attractive appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudieck McGee went over to Augusta last week to carry their little daughter, Margaret to the hospital who has been sick for several weeks.

Miss Loise Coleman of Aiken is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. E. LaGrone.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulton and little son, Miss Fanni Ferrell and Miss Evelyn Martin of Danville, Va. are guests of Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Brooke.

Mrs. J. W. Hardy has returned from a two week's visit to Murfreesboro, Tenn.

Mrs. Fallon has returned to her home in Texas after a visit in the home of her aunt Mrs. J. M. Turner. Mrs. Fallon is pleasantly remembered as Miss Minnie Courtney.

Miss Ruth Smith of Tenille, Ga. is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Ouzts.

Rev. G. P. White of Union has been on a short visit to relatives and is now at Dry Creek assisting the pastor in a revival.

Mrs. M. T. Turner, Wallace Turner and Misses Frances and Bessie Ford Turner were visitors in Augusta the latter part of the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Courtney have returned to Atlanta after a visit to relatives.

Miss Daisy Sawyer of Vidalia, Ga., is spending a while in the home of her sister, Miss Clara Sawyer.

Miss Loise Boyd has gone to Chester to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Stewart and was accompanied by Miss Sallie Dozier, who will visit with her.

Mrs. Rayson and little daughter have returned to St. Matthews after a visit in the home of the former's father, Rev. J. H. Thacker.

Mr. David Ouzts, of Columbia is spending two weeks here with relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. F. H. Williams and little son will move to Columbia soon to make their future home, Dr. Williams having a position there.

Mr. J. H. Allen, John Jr., and Miss Mary Lewis spent Thursday here with relatives. Mr. Allen told of the improvements that had been made on Stevens Creek church, which edifice, there is scarcely a person in the county who has not worshipped there and who will be interested in it. A baptistry with ante-rooms have been added this being done on the inside as the church was of such large proportions it could well be cut off. The painting of the church will begin at an early date. Mr. Allen stated that the members were pleasantly anticipating the Edgefield association in September.

Miss Mallie Waters has returned from a two week's stay in Colum-

Campaign Meeting at Colliers.

Accepting the kind offer of our good friend, J. W. Cox, Esq., to share his Ford with him, the editor of The Advertiser joined the happy campaigners at Colliers Wednesday. In spite of the very heavy rain and several near-bottomless mudholes, the journey of 12 miles was made without the slightest trouble. However, the making of the journey without auto troubles of some kind was due to having a skilled driver at the wheel in the person of Mr. Cox himself.

We reached Colliers about noon. Mr. M. P. Wells was telling the good people who had assembled the why and wherefore of his candidacy. As all of the candidates for the house of representatives had spoken and Mr. Wells was well under way with his speech, when we alighted from the car, we took no notes and will make no report of the campaign or political feature of the day. Mr. Nicholson followed Mr. Wells and the good roads advocates, seven in number, followed Mr. Wells. Mr. Cox would have spoken but the people, old and young, seemed to be obsessed with base ball after dinner, preferring to follow the movements of nine men on the diamond to one man on a platform.

A bountiful dinner, barbecued hash and a picnic menu, was served, the proceeds of the dinner being used for the repainting of Peace Haven Sunday school building. During the day Mr. Henry McKie and Mr. James Hammond served refreshing iced drinks in sufficient quantity to submerge the Deutschland. From the dinner and iced drinks about \$110 was realized.

Two games of ball—a double-header, as the sports call it—were played in the afternoon between the Colliers and White Town teams. On this occasion the visiting team seem to have had fortune with them, making the highest score.

Mr. Joe Hammond is the manager of the Colliers team and the lineup was as follows:

- Wallace Hammond, Pitcher.
- Tom Adams, Catcher.
- Fred Adams, 1st Base.
- Jack Miller, 2nd Base.
- James Hammond, Short Stop.
- J. M. Holland, 3rd Base.
- George Miller, Left Field.
- Harris Mathis, Centre Field.
- Todd Rainford, Right Field.
- Mr. Dan White is the manager of the White Town team and their line-up was follows:
- Herbert White, First Base.
- J. Mann, Short Stop.
- Will Cooper, Right Field.
- Kirkland White, 2nd Base.
- Walter Hammond, 3rd Base.
- Ethan White, Centre Field.
- J. B. Landrum, Pitcher.
- Irby White, Catcher.
- J. Miner, Left Field.

bia with her cousin, Mrs. Waring. She had intended a visit to the mountains of North Carolina, but was marooned in Columbia.

The friends of Mr. Marion Wright, the son of the late Mr. Preston L. Wright will be interested in his marriage which took place recently at Winston-Salem, N. C., to Miss Leila Jones of that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright are now in Virginia on a honeymoon. The bride is one of the city's most charming young women, and is a graduate of the college of that place. Mr. Wright is well known and beloved here. He is a member of the faculty of Winston-Salem college and his record at South Carolina college is one of distinction both as a speaker and debater, he having won the South Carolina state intercollegiate oratorical contest in 1913.

Miss Emmie Kemp is visiting Miss Erline Bodie at Batesburg.

Messrs. Clyde and Marvin Atria of Graniteville were visitors here last week.

Miss Floride Miller and Messrs. Henry Stevens and Carr Smith of Augusta spent Sunday here with friends.

Miss Sadie Bruce has gone to Atlanta to visit relatives.

Miss Williams of Cleora is the guest of Miss Sara Stevens.

Miss Ellen Prescott is visiting in the home of Dr. F. L. Parke.

Mesdames Will Hoyt and David Crim have returned from Nashville, where they were cad by telegram at the death of their mother, Mrs. Foster.

Mrs. Harriet Kenny has returned from a visit to Aiken at Edge-

HARDY'S HAPPENINGS.

Protracted Service at Ebenezer. Mrs. Mathis Entertained. Mr. Wise Improves Public Road.

Great interest is centered in the protracted service which is being conducted at Ebenezer by Rev. Jos. Gaines this week. Rev. Gaines was formerly a Trenton boy and it is a great pleasure and a privilege to have him come back to the scene of his childhood and mingle with us in this religious service. His sermons are beautiful and the large crowds that go to hear him are an evidence of the real zeal and enthusiasm he has created.

Miss Carrie Duncan who is in training in the University hospital Augusta, came home to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Duncan.

Misses Cornelia Webb and Lois Black are two little maidens who are enjoying a visit to Saluda.

Mrs. H. W. Scott, Sr., and Miss Minnie Greene from Wisazky are visiting Prof. and Mrs. Scott.

Miss Laurie Moore was hostess for the "Rose Bud" embroidery club on Tuesday afternoon. Music and delicious refreshments were also much enjoyed.

Miss Ben Castellaw, Mr. Jule Day and Miss Elizabeth Day from Columbus who came to attend the Mid-Day wedding returned home on Friday.

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Misses Samuella and Willie Padgett spent the week-end at Gilbert, guests at the home of Mr. J. C. Price.

Mrs. Gattin and her attractive children from Reeford, N. C. are visiting Mrs. J. H. Courtney.

Mrs. J. D. Mathis entertained on Saturday afternoon last for that charming visitor from Birmingham, Mrs. J. Frank Day.

A very attractive visitor in the home of Miss Eulis Padgett is her classmate Miss Nipa B. Owlson of Springfield. In honor of Miss Odum, Miss Padgett and Miss Marie Marsh, who is also her classmate, have given several very delightful lawn parties and spend the day parties.

Mrs. W. G. Ouzts was hostess at a much enjoyed spend-the-day party recently, the honor guests being Mr. Edward Bearden, Misses Irene Bearden and Nina Odum.

Miss Mary Padgett spent the past week with Mrs. W. G. Ouzts.

Miss Beatrice Stevens has returned home after a lovely visit to Mrs. D. R. Day.

Little Susan Elizabeth Mathis entertained a number of her friends at a rook party on Tuesday, serving cream and cake late in the afternoon.

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Mrs. Ruby Shealy entertained the matrons' embroidery club very delightfully on Thursday, serving tempting refreshments when work had been abandoned.

Misses Lily and Souget Cooper from Ninety Six are charming house guests of Mrs. Rudolph Swearingen. In compliment to these young ladies Mrs. Swearingen gave a lovely party Saturday evening.

Mr. P. B. Wise who is always thoughtful and public spirited has done some splendid work on the road between his home and Trenton, using his own labor and teams.

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Letter From Rev. G. W. Bussey.

Dear Advertiser: We closed a very interesting meeting today during which Rev. Joseph A. Gaines pastor of First Baptist Church West Baden Indiana, did the preaching. The people were delighted with his preaching. Every sermon was strong, clear and uplifting. I don't think I ever heard 9 sermons delivered successively that were better. We all felt that the coming of Bro. Gaines was a God's gift. We hope some day to have him again.

Last week I assisted Rev. Thomas Walker in a meeting near Harlem, Ga., at Silver Run church. We had a very fine meeting. We closed in five days and there were more than twenty additions by baptism. That is the community in which your correspondent lives. "Uncle Iv." Morgan. The last three days of the meeting he was too unwell to attend church, which all regretted for he was a great help while there. I will go next for a meeting in a church near Hephisbah, Ga., to assist the same Bro. Walker.

G. W. B. Red Oak Grove, S. C.

Entertainment For Library.

Through the efforts of Miss Marie Abney, whose public spirit, and unselfish service have never been surpassed in Edgefield, an entertainment will be given in the opera house to-morrow (Thursday) evening for the benefit of the public library. The money realized from the entertainment will be used to pay rent and to purchase new books. Besides a play entitled, "The Goddess of Love," there will be several attractive features that will provide entertainment of a high order or all who attend. Every ticket purchased will aid in a worthy cause. Popular prices will prevail. Reserved seats 35 cents and general admission 25 cents. Tickets on sale at the drug store of Penn & Holsten.

Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

The August meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held at the Baptist church on Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Mrs. Peak conducted the devotions and Mrs. Tillman presided at the organ. The meeting was a collection of the various reports of the officers and superintendents of departments and was of great interest. The largest membership in the history of the organization is reported, there being 77 now enrolled. Splendid reports were made by several of the superintendents, and dues were collected from a large number of the August members.

Miss Miriam Norris sang a beautiful solo with pipe organ accompaniment by Mrs. Tillman.

At the close of the program ice cream and cake were served out on the church lawn and a pleasant social half hour was spent.

Meeting Street Campaign Meeting.

The editor of The Advertiser, owing to pressing business engagements, was unable to attend the county campaign meeting which was held at Meeting Street last Thursday. Reports have reached us that a very satisfactory meeting was held. All of the candidates were given a respectful hearing and were made to feel at home. The people of the community who were the hosts of the occasion were as truly and as genuinely hospitable as they have been all down through the years. A splendid feast was served in a most satisfactory manner.

Generous Offer of Southern.

Washington, D. C. August 4.—Notwithstanding its own losses from the recent floods in North Carolina and with the desire to see the anti-fund contributed by citizens go to relieving actual necessities in the storm-stricken district of Western North Carolina, President Fairfax Harrison, of the Southern Railway, authorized the free transportation of shipments from the State Relief Committees of clothing and other supplies consigned for gratuitous distribution among those who suffered.

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Apply at once the wonderful old reliable Dr. PORTER'S ANTISEPTIC HEALING OIL, a surgical dressing that relieves pain and heals at the same time. Not a liniment. 25c. 50c. \$1.00.

RED OAK GROVE.

Splendid Services' Highest Commendation of Efforts of Rev. Joseph Gaines.

Mrs. Bussey Missed.

On being requested to say something about our series of meetings at Red Oak Grove, last week brought forth a three-fold sentiment. First, that our people had enjoyed a blessing and desired to let others know it. Second, that it had been my privilege to enjoy the services, rejoicing to see what interest our people manifested during the entire meeting, despite inclement weather. Good attendance, remarkable, unbroken attention at each excessive service. Each service was as beholding a beautiful picture, so lovely explained in all sincerity and implicitly, that even our little children felt and manifested the influence of the God-given message. It has never been my privilege to see the scripture so beautifully illustrated, never losing the slightest connection of the full meaning of each picture presented. It is not in my power to present the meeting as it has been impressed upon us. Rev. Bussey remarked, that it had never been his privilege to listen to a more beautiful service. Best wishes of the Red Oak Grove go with Rev. Joseph A. Gaines as he returns to his home West Baden, Indiana. We enjoyed his work more than we can express, because he is one of our very own, being a production of old Edgefield parentage, and a son of our esteemed friends Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gaines.

It with real pleasure we note the up-building and progress in the community in which they reside. The appreciative nature of that splendid people at Mt. Zion is responsive to every good work. We will rejoice to see the time when our rural communities become aroused to the fact of united efforts to improve the conditions of our county. The still hold that the foundation work begins at our firesides. Oh parents now is deciding time with us, schools will soon open. Let us not overlook the duty, for it is as much a duty to educate our children, as it is to think of their food and raiment. We owe it to them, to our country and to our God. The grandest and most wonderful thing about life is building for another generation, for those to come when even the memory of us here is gone forever, as the mist in the morning. Let us be more alert than were our forefathers, if possible, in sincerity, integrity and courage, always letting Christianity characterize our every endeavor.

Miss Ruth Timmerman has returned from a very pleasant to Aiken and Augusta.

Miss Mary Gignall of Branswick, Ga., accompanied her grand father, Mr. P. W. Lamb back to Edgefield, and is much admired for her sweet lovable disposition.

Mrs. Mamie Bussey will return home this week. Mr. Geo. Bussey has gone on a visit to Harrisville and she will return with him. Her friends regret to learn she has not improved much in health. Her presence was missed at church last week.

Our farmers are noted for their industry, and they are again steadily going about their affairs.

Legumes Feed Soils, Livestock and Men.

When one considers just two facts regarding legumes, these should be sufficient to give them a more prominent place in Southern agriculture: They gather nitrogen from the air and store it in their bodies, or leave it in the soil. They are thus the best and cheapest source of nitrogen and humus, the two greatest needs of Southern soils.

But the other fact is scarcely less important. Animals must have protein, protein not only contains nitrogen for tissue-building or muscle-making, but also mineral matter for bone and frame-building. Legumes are the richest of all our farm plants protein-nitrogen. In other words, the legumes at once, feed both our soils and our livestock and ourselves best. If these are facts, and they are, it would seem that legumes ought to have a more important place in our cropping system.—Progressive Farmer.