

**PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS**

**In Case of Fire Phone 5,000**

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Brantley and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fixer, left this morning for Pass-a-Grille where they expect to enjoy the bathing.

John B. Sutton L. L. B., a Lakeland boy who recently graduated from the State University with honors, is here in the interest of the University, being the representative of this institution.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Pillans have just returned from a trip of several days made by auto, in which they took in Largo, Clearwater, St. Petersburg and other West Coast points. Mr. Pillans had some business in that section, and he decided to combine pleasure with the trip, which proved to be a most delightful one.

Mrs. Oscar Wolfe and children are in Waycross, Ga., having been called there by the death of Mrs. Wolfe's uncle Dr. J. H. Redding, one of the most prominent physicians in Georgia. Mrs. Wolfe will visit various other points in Georgia before returning home, being absent probably for several weeks.

Mr. B. T. Bardin left today for Georgia, where he will be joined by Mrs. Bardin and together they will proceed to New York City, where they will spend the summer. They will be joined there in August by Mrs. Bardin's sister, Miss Effie Nelms, who is now attending the Normal at Tallahassee.

Electric current will be turned off from 8:30 to 10:30 tomorrow morning for repairs.

R. L. RAFFO, Supt.

Elnora Rebekah Lodge No. 4 will meet Monday evening at 7:30. Members and visitors are cordially invited to be present at this meeting.

Dr. Nowlin runs a picture of himself on the editorial page of the Witness and in the last issue of that paper he says:

"You will please have the cut which appears on this page shaved, as the editor has lost his beard. While we were making so many improvements in the appearance of the paper we thought it might be well to make some improvement in the appearance of the editor. And it is with great pleasure that we report that those who have passed judgement on the matter declare that the improvement in the appearance of the editor is equal to, if not greater, than the improvement on the paper. No, ye editors will not have the chance, we'll just confess it. There was room for improvement—yes, and is still. The difference between us and some of our other editors, they have room for improvement, if they only had the means. And it is beyond question that some of them would use the means if they had it. Yes, as we did."

**IN SOCIETY**

**A Farewell Adieu To Mrs. Dodd**

Yesterday afternoon at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Tweedell on South Tennessee avenue, a very pretty party was given Mrs. Dodd, by Mrs. Tweedell and Mrs. A. E. Pooser as hostesses. Each guest was greeted at the door by these charming ladies. The receiving line consisted of Mrs. Hull, Mrs. Dodd, Mrs. Bostick of Wauchula, and Mrs. B. F. Wilson, who greeted each guest. The reception hall was a beautiful bower of green and red foliage, arranged in an artistic way on the first landing. The south parlor was decorated more simply but with the same artistic effect. Cut flowers arranged in baskets and vases with banks of ferns were arranged throughout the living and dining rooms, making the whole a very pleasing and cooling retreat to the eye.

The spacious veranda showed much skill and artistic work in its arrangement and in looking over Lake Morton made it a spot where one wished to stay. Misses Estelle Rogers and Gladys Wilson served punch in the southwest corner of the veranda. Progressive rook was the afternoon's entertainment and so friendly and congenial an atmosphere prevailed throughout, so that no table was prepared to move at the tapping of the bell. It is such congeniality and hospitality that makes life sweet to live.

Mrs. Wm. Steitz won the first prize—a lace fan. Mrs. Dodd, the honoree, a pretty hand-painted dish. Mrs. W. D. Galloway cut with Mrs. B. F. Wilson for consolation prize, Mrs. Galloway winning, receiving a box of handkerchiefs. Mrs. Snooks won the booby prize, consisting of a box of rook cards. Delicious refreshments of ice cream and dainty cakes were served by Misses Rogers and Wilson carrying out the color scheme of pink, yellow and brown.

Those present were: Mmes. McIlwain, Davis, Steitz, C. White, Lufsey, O'Doniel, Goodrich, Goodyear, Jones, C. Wilson, Bryan, Stevens, U. G. Bates, Grether, A. A. Smith, Maynard, Davis, Snooks, Hetherington, Bostick, Dodd, B. F. Wilson, Jim Wilson, Galloway, Richards, Boulware, Hatcher, Dickson, Crutchfield, Sloan, Flanagan, Wheeler, Hull, Van Huss and the Misses Reynolds, Rogers and Gladys Wilson.

Mrs. Reginald Dodd leaves with her husband for Lynchburg, Va., on next Tuesday and it is uncertain as to their returning here. Mrs. Dodd has made herself dear to all who have known her. Not only possessing beauty of an unusual type in appearance, but a personality that speaks favorably for her wherever she goes. We are sorry to lose this gracious lady from our midst, but trust that they (as others) may return to Lakeland, the place that is always welcoming friends back again and making an ideal spot to live and enjoy life.

**Misses Southard Entertain**

One of the most delightful informal affairs of the summer took place Thursday evening when Misses Margaret and Laura Southard were the hostesses at a buffet supper. The guests were bidden to arrive at 6:30 and promptly at that hour the spacious porch and lower floor of the lovely Southard home were filled with their merry laughter and chatter. Soon all repaired to the dining room where a most delicious supper was served, after which music was the order of the evening. Presently, however, the moonlight without became irresistible and all enjoyed

an automobile ride around the lakes, returning to thank the charming hostesses for a very delightful evening. Those present were Misses Lucy and Florence Conibear, Daisy Knowles, Mabel and Josephine Drane, Margaret and Laura Southard, Messrs. Fred Benford, Karl Kern, Ossian Drane, W. S. Moore, Morgan Groover, Clarence and Albert Smith.

**Mrs. Drane Entertains—**

One of the most enjoyable affairs of the season, was the informal "At Home" given by Mrs. Drane, Friday afternoon from three to six at her beautiful home "Hil Crest," in honor of her mother Mrs. W. M. Boswell.

About seventy invitations had been issued, and despite the showers of the afternoon about fifty of those invited were present. The guests were met by Mrs. G. W. Watson, who in her most cordial manner made every one feel at home.

Little Miss Mary Watson, with a dainty basket received the cards.

The entire lower floor of the home was thrown open, and on the spacious colonial veranda refreshing cherry punch was served, by Miss Josephine Drane, and Miss Laura Southard. In the hall Mrs. Drane, in her most gracious manner, received with the guest of honor, Mrs. Boswell.

Although the invitations gave no hint of it, some of the guests suspected that it was Mrs. Boswell's birthday, and she was the recipient of a number of beautiful gifts, which while such a surprise to her was none the less appreciated.

The violatrolo presided over by Master Frank Watson, of Quincy, with its sweet music, added much to the pleasure of the afternoon.

Miss May White was introduced as great-grandmother, being gowned in Mrs. Boswell's mother's wedding dress, which made her quite an interesting attraction.

"The Minuet" an old but always appreciated recitation was beautifully rendered by Ellen Watson.

Mrs. A. R. Bond of Tampa, gave several vocal selections, in her most charming manner, her friends here being delighted to hear her again.

Mrs. Fletcher whose music is always looked forward to with so much pleasure gave delightful entertainment with her instrumental numbers.

Mrs. Drane after much persuasion gave some of her most enjoyable songs.

The dining-room was a vision of beauty and attractiveness, with its handsome mahogany table, lovely cut flowers, candelabra and cut glass. The center piece of gorgeous hydrangeas was very much admired.

A delicious salad course was served by Misses Drane and Southard.

At a late hour the guests loth to leave, bade goodbye, wishing Mrs. Boswell many, many happy returns of a most delightful day.

**Miss Grace Murrell Entertained at Rook**

Miss Grace Murrell was the charming hostess of a rook party given in honor of her cousin, Miss

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**CORRECTION IN MR. COUNCIL'S ARTICLE RELATIVE TO PARK DRAINAGE**

By leaving out a line in Mr. Council's article yesterday, the linotype made that gentleman say that \$2,000 was spent in draining Munn Park. This is not correct, of course, as the \$2,000 was expended in building a retaining wall around the park. The line that was left out reads: "It was necessary to drain Lake Wire at a cost of over \$2,000 and erect a retaining wall around Munn park at a cost of \$2,000 or more."

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