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Clower is spending to-morrow on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Edman, of the Dodson Supply Co., of Atlanta, is in town today on business.

Thompson left this morning for Fort Meade. She will be out two weeks in that portion of the county in the interest of the Canning Club work.

Clough's many friends are expected to see him on the city while this morning. He is confined to his home for several months, but is now slowly improving.

Florida representative of the Exchange, with headquarters in Jacksonville, is in Lakeland looking after the placing of features with the local telephone houses.

Patterson is now with the Citrus Exchange, having accepted the position of book-keeper and office manager, which position will doubtless fill with satisfaction to all concerned, being a business man and an actor of exceptional ability.

Cathcart who has been in Lakeland for the past year, left Saturday for Florence, South Carolina where he has accepted a position in a jewelry store. Mr. Cathcart made many friends here and his departure is regretted.

Fountain, of Wilmington, N. C., has accepted a position as a dispatcher in the city Friday. His duties in that capacity will probably make his stay here and he is expected to arrive within a short time.

A. Hoffpauir is over from Lakeland to make a proposition to the commissioners to do the engineering work on the roads of the county in connection with the proposed issue. Mr. Hoffpauir has the endorsement, on account of his former residence and work in Lakeland.

B. Smith, of the realty firm of Smith & Smith, is moving to the pretty country home overlooking Lake Hollingsworth, formerly the property of Mr. Wm. Samuels. This is one of the prettiest homes in that section, and Mr. Smith and his wife are naturally very much pleased to be able to occupy same.

A. Cook & Sons, building contractors of Lakeland, have contracted with Mr. G. E. Mitchell to build a handsome bungalow on the corner of Lakeland and Plant streets. Mitchell is from Kansas and has been coming to this city for several years, finally deciding to locate here permanently.

Port Morris, brother of Mrs. VanHuss, is in Lakeland. His home in Atlanta Saturday afternoon on account of an illness of two years. Mrs. Kate Morris, reaching Lakeland four hours before his leaving left here Friday. It is expected that Mrs. Morris will be at home by her daughter, who will spend the winter in Lakeland. The family have the deep sympathy of all in their sad bereavement.

In Society

Moore-Drane Wedding Takes Place Tomorrow

The marriage of Mr. W. S. Moore to Miss Mabel Drane takes place tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock at All Saints Episcopal church, which event is being looked forward to with pleasurable anticipation by the many friends of the popular couple.

The ceremony will be performed by the Rt. Rev. Davet, of Bartow, and the music will be in charge of a selected vested choir, Mrs. O. M. Eaton at the organ. The ushers for the occasion will be Mr. O. M. Eaton, Mr. J. S. Jewett and Mr. X. V. Stevens.

The wedding promises to be one of the most beautiful ever witnessed in the city, and uniting as it does two of the city's most prominent young people, it holds unusual interest for the many friends invited. Miss Josephine Drane will be the bride's maid, Mr. O. W. Drane being the best man. Little Nan Jewett and Virginia Rodrick will be the flower girls.

Immediately after the wedding the bridal party and a few intimate friends will be entertained at luncheon at the bride's home. Later in the afternoon the happy couple will motor to Tampa, where they will sail for Cuba on their wedding trip, carrying with them the hearty good wishes of a host of friends for a long and happy wedded life.

Miss Gladys Lovell Gives Pretty Rook Party

A pretty Halloween function occurred Saturday afternoon when Miss Gladys Lovell entertained a number of her friends at cards in honor of the "As You Like It" club and the K. K. K.'s at her attractive home on South Massachusetts avenue.

The reception room and living room were beautifully decorated with yellow daisies, bamboo and golden rods, which, with the Halloween decorations, made a most effective arrangement, and in these two rooms, tables for the accommodation of the guests were arranged. Rook, popular among the young people, was played, affording the participants an entertaining hour. Upon the conclusion of the game it was found that Miss Olive Woods had made the highest score and the first prize, which was a dainty pair of silk hose, was won by her. The consolation went to Miss Heloise Bowyer and was a Halloween treat. Delicious refreshments, consisting of chocolate and gold ice cream and devil's food and gold cake were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Marie Flood. Those who attended this charming party were Misses Hazel Williams, Josephine Drane, Ada Padrick, Gladys Wilson, Heloise Bowyer, Georgia Lanier, Ruby Lanier, Olive Woods, Mary Jackson, Mildred Youngs, Georgia Pelham, Alma Bassett, Virginia Lufsey, Frances Straw, Lurline Pillans, Mildred Hampton, Genevieve Morrow, Mamie Castles, Elizabeth Conner, Laura Southard, Edith Hoefler and Marie Flood.

Those who were invited but were unable to attend were Misses Hazel Ormsby, Vera McRae and Helen Hobbs.

Dr. and Mrs. Grover Give Dinner in Honor Moore-Drane Bridal Party

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Grover entertained the members of the Moore-Drane bridal party Friday evening with a seven o'clock dinner, at their lovely home on Lake Morton.

Upon the arrival of the guests, dinner was announced and they were invited into the dining-room which had been made pretty with cut flowers and Halloween decorations, every detail, from the candle shades to the lovely cut glass bowl of yellow cosmos that formed the centerpiece, appropriately carrying out the color scheme of yellow and black. The guests found their various places

MISS LASHER'S CONDITION IS VERY GRAVE

Miss Edith Lasher, the twenty-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Lasher, is lying in a very critical condition at her home in Dixieland as the result of an automobile accident on South Florida avenue Saturday night at about 10 o'clock when a small roadster, driven by Charlie Williams, ran into and completely demolished a wagon in which the young lady, her mother and three brothers were riding, the whole family being thrown to the pavement and more or less painfully injured.

Miss Lasher was picked up in an unconscious condition and taken into the home of Mr. Frank McKay at 409 South Florida avenue and Drs. Moon, Maynard and Wilson were called, who gave her immediate surgical attention. She remained unconscious all through the night, but rallied yesterday morning and it was thought she was going to get along all right. This morning, however, concussion of the brain developed, and she lapsed into an unconscious condition twice during the day. Dr. Moon, the family physician, this afternoon stated that her condition is very grave. While no bones are broken, Miss Lasher is bruised from head to foot, and is suffering great pain, especially from her head. She has no recollection whatever of the accident, and does not seem to understand how she came to be so badly injured.

At the time of the accident, Mrs. Lasher and her daughter and three sons were driving home, going south on Florida avenue. Charlie Williams, who was going in the same direction, claims that a child ran out into the street, and he either had to strike the child or the wagon. He chose the latter course, striking the wagon in the rear, completely wrecking same and throwing the whole family to the ground. Mrs. Lasher and the three boys sustained scratches and bruises, but none so serious as the young lady. The young man greatly regrets the accident, and has offered to bear all of the expenses incident to same.

GREAT DAY AT FIRST METHODIST CHURCH YESTERDAY

"What a host of people! What a magnificent congregation!" exclaimed a man looking out over the sea of faces at the First Methodist Church last night, and the congregation was almost as large in the morning. Dr. Wray preached the fifth and sixth sermons of his series on "Love, Courtship and Marriage," or "The Christian Home." The selections by the choir and the solos by Mrs. Hall and Miss Pritchett delighted the great congregations.

Next Sunday Dr. Wray will deliver the seventh and eighth sermons of his popular series. At 11 a. m. his subject will be, "A Piece of Wedding Cake to Dream On," and at 7:30 "The Poisoned Wedding Cake."

The Sunday school raised \$62.00 for the Orphans' Home yesterday and the pastor's appeal for another conference collection for orphans, the fund for the widows and orphans of the worn out preachers, met with a liberal response. The First Methodist Church has raised a great deal of money this year and made noble payments on old debts, but now everybody is begged to pay up this year's claims for the charities, or conference collections of the church. The annual conference is only six weeks off.

at tables by means of little envelopes, containing fortunes which were read aloud and created much interest and amusement. These fortunes and the decorations for the table were the handiwork of Mrs. William Steltz and displayed great originality. Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Drane, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Skipper, Misses Mabel Drane, Josephine Drane and Marie Smith; Messrs. William S. Moore, Ossain Drane, Morgan Groover and Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Groover.

IMPRESSIVE INSTALLATION SERVICE AT BAPTIST CHURCH

At the Sunday school hour at the First Baptist Church on Sunday morning Rev. Wear gave a talk on the Power of Personal Influence. Giving three examples of the influence that emanates from those with whom we come in contact—citing the good example of Abraham, the bad example of Lot and the example every Christian should follow in the life of Christ.

At the close of Sunday school Prof. Jones made a strong plea to the boys and girls to grasp opportunity as she knocks at the door of each young life.

Success or failure awaits each at the turn of the way—youth's susceptibility to all surrounding influences—the great value of education, were the points in this eloquent and forceful talk, closing with a real jewel of verse which would be an incentive to a truer and nobler manhood and womanhood. Rev. Wear's text for the morning hour was from Jeremiah, the weeping prophet, "Is it nothing to you all, you who pass by?" The thoughts that remained with the listeners were, the church in its work of evangelization is not keeping pace with the advance of things mundane. Greater social reforms needed; each Christian must stand firm against the advancing tide of sin in every form. The only remedy the Gospel of Jesus Christ. The key to the situation is prayer.

Mrs. J. F. Townsend sang a solo—a transcription of Jesus Lover of My Soul, with pathos and feeling carrying us on the wings of song into the realms of soul life.

The installation service at the evening hour was impressive and full of interest. The officers of the church and Sunday school and of the several organizations of the church who had previously been elected by the church to their positions to serve for the ensuing year were installed. They occupied the rostrum and when the impressive words of Rev. Wear's charge to each body of officers was delivered they remained standing. Mr. H. C. Stevens, superintendent Sunday school, Mr. Halderman, assistant superintendent and Mr. Aaron Sloan, secretary of Sunday school, were first installed, followed by the superintendent of the Primary Department, Miss Johnson and the teachers. Rev. Wear's charge to them was one of the most beautiful worded tribute to the influence these teachers would have in molding the young lives entrusted to their care. The superintendent and teachers of the Junior Department were charged with the responsibility of this, the golden age of youth. It is indeed a golden opportunity.

Superintendent and teachers of Intermediate Department were reminded of the great responsibility that was theirs, this age in the life called the indifferent age and calls for deeply consecrated teachers. The superintendent and teachers in the Adult, Baraca and Philathea Departments were charged with the training of the future leaders of the church. Their's the privilege to teach the doctrines of the Baptist church from The Book. Teachers chosen for their faith and stability, Cradle Roll and Home Department superintendents were re-elected but not installed.

Officers of the Senior and Junior B. Y. P. U. were next installed; their's the pleasant task of helping the young life to unfold so that Jesus will have first place in each young heart.

In the charge to the officers of the Woman's Missionary Union consisting of the W. M. S., Y. W. A. and the Sunbeam Band they were urged to spread missionary knowledge and to instruct the young women and little ones of the church.

The deacons were admonished to lead blameless lives, to live near to God—a noble body of men consecrated to the work of their church. Mr. Sanford, as clerk of church, Mr. Dickson, as treasurer, their's one of the most vital to the interests of the church. The trustees of the church were urged to be faithful as keepers of God's sanctuary and to be faithful in the discharge of their duties.

The organists of the church and Sunday school were charged with the duty of assisting in one of the most

DINING ROOM OF HOTEL KIBLER THROWN OPEN YESTERDAY

The Hotel Kibler opened its dining room Sunday at noon with a special dinner and it was a big success. Everybody was so well pleased that the management has decided to serve these special dinners every Sunday. That he has the hearty endorsement of a great number of Lakeland citizens will be shown in a list of those who took advantage of the occasion.

The Kibler management advises that those intending to attend these special Sunday dinners will please make reservations ahead of time on account of the large crowd. In this way they will get better service.

The following are some who were present: Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Frances, Frances Beach; J. M. Groover, city; Mrs. W. P. Myers, city; Miss Irma Wilkes, Tampa; Sam. L. Cheatham, Tampa; H. Nordhausen, New York; O. W. Gardner, Jacksonville; H. D. Kirk, Chicago; Marcus Conant, Jacksonville; Miss Kendale, Tampa; Cracker Jones, city; S. C. Steele, Live Oak; Geo. Moore, city; W. J. King, city; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hulme, city; Mr. and Mrs. William Steltz, city; Mrs. Mae K. Thomas, Memphis, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Holworthy, city; J. A. Cooper, city; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Clayton, city; Miss Ethel Stow, city; B. D. Fudge, Atlanta; G. A. Leland, Chicago; Dr. Herman Watson, city; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Carswell, city; Miss Gertrude Overstreet, city; N. H. Rutherford, city; Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Pinch, city; Jas. V. Gray, Atlanta; E. H. Dennison, Jr., Pittsburg, Pa.; A. A. Moyer, Philadelphia, Pa.; Miss Emma Robison, city; Mrs. Ella Bruce, city; A. M. Robison, city; F. E. Baxter, Orlando; Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Betts, city; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, city; Miss E. Cork, city; Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Moon, city; Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Richards, city; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lindsey, city; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Spencer, Jr., city; Miss Nettie Chambers, Tampa; Miss Frances Chambers, Tampa; Miss Roberta Chambers, Tampa; Miss Caroline Holmes, Tampa; Dick Quimby, Tampa; H. D. Wyeth, Tampa; O. F. Brown, city; O. F. Taylor, city; Dr. and Mrs. S. F. Smith, city; Miss Della Mae Marshall, city; J. W. Lumpkin, city; H. C. Slaughter, city; W. S. Braddock, city; H. Edwards, city; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Marshall, city; Thomas Marshall, Jr., city; Theron Marshall, city; H. Haynes, city; Don Patton, St. Louis; Croom Moore, Tampa; Claud Sanders, Chattanooga; E. A. Hoffpauir, Miami; J. H. Sanford, North Carolina; O. W.

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