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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1918.

CLYDE FRIDAY DIES AT HIS HOME IN DALLAS.

Correspondence of The Gazette.
DALLAS, Dec. 26.—A pall of sorrow fell upon our town amid the rejoicings of the Christmas morning because of the death of William Clyde Friday at his home here at 7 o'clock. "Clyde" as we knew him was only 20 years of age and numbered his friends by his acquaintances, who offer their heartfelt sympathy and sorrow with the bereaved family. For more than a year Clyde bore his sickness with patience, was ever cheerful, and unqually grateful for every attention given for his comfort. He was a most devoted son and a faithful member of Long Creek Baptist church. The funeral service, conducted by Rev. J. L. Vipperman, assisted by Rev. R. A. Taylor, was most impressive and touching. Several passages of Scripture were used assuring the fact that death must come to all but hope was for only those who die in the Faith. "Jesus Savior, Pilot Me" was softly sung as the casket was slowly borne from the church and the remains interred in the Friday burying ground, five miles north of Dallas.

Surviving, beside his father and mother are four brothers, Sgt. Grady Friday, now in France; Latham Friday, lately discharged; Edgar Friday, of Dallas, and Walter Friday, of High Shoals; also three sisters, Miss Lela Friday, Mrs. A. P. Willis, and Mrs. Ralph Costner, all of Dallas.

The pallbearers were Lawrence Holland, Caleb Rhodes, Carl Cloninger, Harvey Rutledge, Wayne Clemmer and Everett Brown.

CHERRYVILLE LODGE ELECTS NEW OFFICERS.

Correspondence of The Gazette.
CHERRYVILLE, Dec. 26.—The following officers have been elected by Cherryville Lodge No. 174 Knights of Pythias for the ensuing term: Tressley C. Dellinger, chancellor commander; Ed C. Stroup, vice-chancellor; M. C. Mauney, prelate; Dr. A. W. Howell, master of exchequer; Sam W. Dellinger, master of finance; Forest Waters, keeper of records and seal; Floyd Waters, master of work; A. J. Mauney, master at arms; Q. C. Randle, inner guard; Carlis J. Dellinger, outer guard.

The installation of the above named officers will take place the first Thursday in January when a smoker will be given. A large attendance is expected.

A Double Wedding.

A double wedding took place Christmas day at the home of Mr. James L. Hanna, 303 South Chester street, Rev. J. C. Dietz, pastor of the Lutheran church, officiating. The couples were Mr. Horace Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith, and Miss Ossie Auten, daughter of Mrs. James Auten, both of Tuckasee, and Mr. C. L. Ellis, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ellis, of Charlotte, route 8, and Miss Hazel Mauney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mauney, of Tuckasee.

THANKS SANTA CLAUS.

Dear Santa Claus: I didn't write you to bring me anything for I felt sure you would anyway, as you never had failed and so you did, brought me the very thing I wanted so bad. You also remembered my little brothers and sister, for which we are very thankful. Words can not explain our appreciation. Wishing you a Happy New Year.

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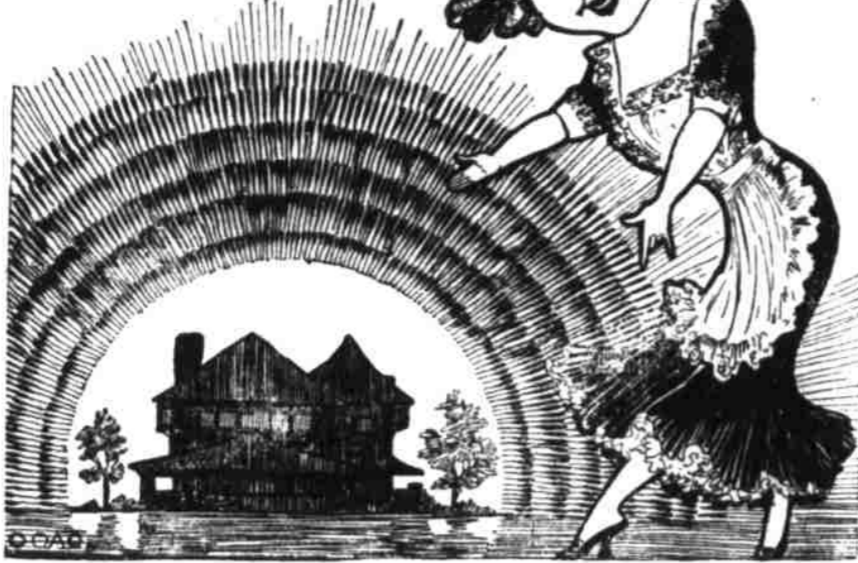
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CHRISTMAS DAY AT THE SPENCER HOME.

Pleasant Family Reunion Was Held Christmas Day at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Caleb A. Spencer—Was a Day of Unalloyed Pleasure.

(Written for The Gazette.)
There is no place like grandfather's house on Christmas day, when the children, grand children, sons-in-law and daughters-in-law gather at the old home to spend the day with the grandparents. It is a day looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure. In this busy age, when there is little time for the better side of life, it is a rare treat to lay aside the cares of everyday life and spend one day making each other happy. As we grow older and the load of life increases, Christmas is not just like it used to be, and yet I doubt if we were ever happier on Christmas day than we were Wednesday.

When Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Spencer sat down at the old family dining table they looked very happy and though grandfather has seen the snows of fifty-seven winters and grandmother has seen sixty, they did not show it yesterday. Really they looked many years younger. They had just cause to be happy, all their children gathered around the table with them. Only the children were allowed a place at the first table. It was a happy scene to those of us who were privileged to look on. There were no vacant chairs at the table. Surely there was just cause for gratitude. Though many have fallen all about us, this happy circle was still unbroken. For this we lift our hearts in humble gratitude to Him who has been so gracious to us.

The beautiful table was equal to our highest expectations. When we sat down to this Christmas dinner we were not forgetful of those millions who have little or nothing. Surely they would have been glad to have had the crumbs that fell from our table. When we remember these things we looked up to Him who has so beautifully provided for us.

A happy surprise was in store for the children. When they turned their plates they found a \$2 bill under each plate. Grandpa looked a little shy, and we know what Joseph had put the money there. The names of the children with their families are as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kendrick, Leonard, Annie Lee, James, Howard and Alfred, of Gastonia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edgar Spencer, Albetus and Burnette, of Thrift.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles G. Lynch, and Raymond, of Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Spencer, of Gastonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Spencer and Lamar, of Gastonia.

Misses Carrie and Hattie Spencer, of Gastonia.

Others present as guests were Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Reach and two children, and Miss Edith Kendrick.

After dinner Grandpa won the prize over the sons and sons-in-law at the shooting match, not bad for 57. The day was thoroughly enjoyed by every one present. We now turn our faces toward the new year, and wonder if we shall all meet again at the old home next Christmas day. Would it be too selfish to ask Him who has kept us thus far to keep us still against that day? We make such a request and have that hope. May it please Him to make it possible.

C. G. L.

—Mrs. B. L. Hicks has as her guests for a few days her daughter, Mrs. M. V. Moss, of Greenville, S. C., and Miss Elizabeth Stroup, of Cherryville.

To Meet Next Thursday.

The last meeting of the present administration of the Gastonia Chamber of Commerce will be held Thursday, January 2, and final reports received and approved. The new administration will take over the reins of government immediately afterwards, holding the first meeting the same afternoon.

Airplanes For Sale.

Want to buy an aeroplane? If you do communicate with the Gastonia Chamber of Commerce. The Chamber of Commerce isn't engaged in anything quite so lofty as an aerial program but Uncle Sam has asked Executive Secretary Fred M. Allen to give notice of a sale of aeroplanes by the government. If anyone wants the address they can have it for the asking.

CHERRYVILLE, ROUTE 2, NEWS.

Correspondence of The Gazette.
CHERRYVILLE, Route 2, Dec. 26.—Mrs. Hester Warlick is very sick, suffering from an attack of grip.

Mrs. B. D. Wessinger and children, who have been very ill from influenza, are able to be up again, to the delight of their many friends.

—Mr. H. G. Winget and family spent Christmas day with relatives at Pineville.

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I have bought from J. S. Michum, the old Eli Ramseur place, containing 185 acres, 2 and 1-2 miles west of Lincolnton, on South Fork River, opposite the sand clay road from the T. F. Cline home place, in the very heart of the best farming section of Lincoln County.

I have cut this tract into small farms, every farm fronting on public road, practically level, well watered and timbered, in high state of cultivation. Excellent residence, large barn, tenant house, fine spring at residence. Place paid this year 15 per cent on a \$15,000 investment, raised 18 bales of cotton besides grain and other crops. Thirty acres of river bottoms. No other such farm lands for sale in Lincoln County. This is strictly fine land in excellent neighborhood of best farmers of the county.

You can buy as much or as little as you want at this sale at your own price. Go out before day of sale and select you want, and be on the grounds on day of sale. Brass band will furnish music. Every lady on grounds will receive valuable presents. Twenty-five dollars in gold will be given away.

Remember day and hour---January 4th at 1 P. M., rain or shine. This is opportunity of a life time. Terms one-third cash, balance in 6, 12 and 18 months.

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S. D. Campbell