

THE MISSISSIPPI KITE

COOK MEMORIAL DEDICATION

By Eugene Palmer (Crystal Springs Meteor)



In a ceremony of dignity and simplicity, a martin bird house was dedicated to the Cook family and to the city in memory of Miss Fannye A. Cook. Mayor L. W. Kitchens made appropriate remarks to the family and friends of Miss Cook. Mr. Gilbert Cook of Canton, accepted the bird house for his family. Mr. Gandy, who is head of the Mississippi Museum, made a brief talk on the wonderful work that Miss Cook had done for the state.

Several other friends paid tribute to the memory of Miss Cook. Rev. John Speed opened and closed the ceremony with prayer.

Thanks go to the following for their help: Mr. Sells Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graves, Mr. Howard Nations, Mr. Jimmy Porter, Southern Builders and all others, who helped Eugene Palmer. Also, thanks to the following clubs for taking part: The D. A. R., The Floral Club, Camellia Garden Club, Crystal Gardners and Lions Club.

Pictured at the Cook memorial dedication left to right are: Mrs. Lucy Earl Hastings, Crystal Springs; Mrs. Hollomon Cook, Mr. Hollomon Cook, Jackson; Mrs. Lena Mae Brignac, Crystal Springs; Mrs. G. P. Cook, Mr. G. P. Cook, Canton; Mayor L. W. Kitchens, Rev. John Speed, Crystal Springs; and Mr. B. E. Gandy, of Jackson.