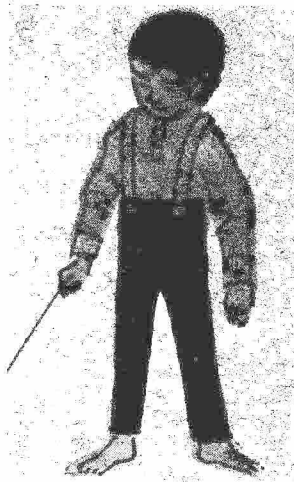


BLUFFTON BOY



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Introduction

Bluffton Boy is a fond recollection of the author's childhood in a picturesque low country coastal South Carolina town. Bluffton remains as unspoiled by the world today as it was in the early part of the century, during which time these stories unfolded.

The author's words flow much like the strokes of an artist's brush, and the reader will laugh with him and perhaps shed a tear or two as the Bluffton Boy shares his boyhood experiences.

Andrew Peebles was born in 1905 and was one of fourteen children of a prominent Bluffton merchant. He graduated from Bluffton High School and later from the University of South Carolina. He was also a graduate of The Alviene School of Dramatic Art in New York. He did his post graduate work at the University of North Carolina in health education.

Mr. Peebles was a feature writer for newspapers in South Carolina and Georgia where many of his stories have appeared.

The author's love and God-given talent for writing are quite evident within the pages of this, his first book. The reader will want to savor the enjoyment of the book, because, regrettably, it is also the author's last work.

Mr. Peebles died on January 16, 1979, just months before publication of *Bluffton Boy*.

Dedicated to his beloved children, Andrew Peeples, Jr.
and Mildred Peeples Grogan, of whom he was very proud.

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