

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Bessie Lane spent Sunday in Latta with relatives. Luther Wilkerson of Hartsville spent Sunday in the city with friends. Miss Bessie Stackhouse spent Friday in the city with friends. Anderson Buckner of Savannah, Ga., is visiting his cousin, Roy Moore. Mr. George Curtis of Baltimore spent Sunday in the city with friends. Miss Anna Calhoun of Fork is visiting Miss Sude Melvin. Mr. W. W. Thompson spent Sunday in McColl with his parents. E. W. Powell and A. B. Welch spent the week-end in Charlotte. Mrs. John Thompson entertained the teachers last Friday night. Messrs. Paul and Frank Finlayson of Cheraw spent Monday in the city with friends. Mr. Dockery of Rockingham, N. C., visited friends in the city the past week-end. Miss Annie Betha of Bennettsville is visiting her sister Mrs. Ludie Betha. Mrs. Paul Phillips is spending a few days with Mrs. E. C. Caldwell in Marion. Mrs. Cottingham and Miss Kathleen Cottingham spent Monday with Mrs. Gus Alford. Miss Bessie Lane of Latta has accepted a position with Mr. Jno. C. Betha. Miss Edna David spent the week-end with her parents at Maple Hurst Farm. Mrs. Claude Brown of Mullins spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. E. T. Elliott. Mrs. W. M. Allen spent a few days last week in Floydale with Miss Bessie Stackhouse. Ruth Allen, who is teaching in Rowland, spent the past week in the city with her parents. O. Frank Hart of Columbia and L. Michie of Darlington are in the city today. There will be preaching at the Little Rock Baptist church next Sunday afternoon at half past three o'clock by Rev. H. A. Willis. Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Sellers are visiting their daughter, Miss Mildred Sellers, who is teaching school in Manning. Miss Miriam Moore entertained last Thursday night in honor of her cousin, Mr. Anderson Buckner of Savannah. Emmett Dalton, once a noted outlaw is in the city today. He is scheduled to lecture at the picture show tonight. Mr. J. C. Shepard, after an absence of three years, has returned to Latta and will take charge of the Latta Observer. Mr. Shepard's many friends are glad to welcome him back to his former home. A patriotic play, "The Spy", will be presented by the teachers and pupils of Minturn School at the Minturn School Auditorium tomorrow (Friday) night at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to attend. An admission fee of 25 and 35 cents will be charged and the proceeds are for the benefit of the school.

Mrs. Max Fass spent Monday in Marion with friends.

Col. G. G. McLaurin spent Sunday with his mother in McColl.

Miss Goldie Brick was hostess to a number of little friends at a valentine party Thursday afternoon. After a number of interesting games had been played refreshments were served.

"The Mysterious Chaffer" will be presented at the High School Auditorium next Thursday evening at half past eight o'clock. The cast is selected from the High School pupils and the proceeds will constitute the beginning of a fund to be raised for the purpose of buying a new piano.

Mrs. Agnes Carmichael is critically ill at her home on East Main street and although she showed marked signs of improvement yesterday little hope is entertained for her recovery. Mrs. Carmichael's health has been falling rapidly for the past several months and this combined with her advanced years makes her condition critical. Mr. John Carmichael, of Columbus Ga., Capt. Edward Carmichael, of Jessup, Ga., Mr. Will Carmichael of Durham, N. C., and Mr. Rod Carmichael, who is a member of the aviation corps in Texas, are at her bedside.

Mr. Edmund McQueen

Mr. Edmund McQueen died at his home near Dunbar Saturday morning after a brief illness. Mr. McQueen was in his 82nd year and was a man of vigorous constitution. He was widely known and had the distinction of being the most active man in the Pee Dee section for his years. Mr. McQueen was the father of Mr. Jenks McQueen of the Carolina section and an uncle of Mr. E. L. Moore of Dillon.

Change in Whiskey Laws

The Herald is in receipt of a telegram from Judge Joe Cabell Davis who is in Columbia stating that Gov. Manning has approved the new whiskey law and that until March 11th whiskey certificates will be issued as usual. After that date Judge Davis will require a certificate from a physician or other positive proof that the whiskey is purchased for medicinal purposes. If this proof or certificate cannot be furnished Judge Davis will refuse to issue the certificate.

BIG TALK FROM KAISER

Says He Licked Russia and Will Lick the Others. In reply to an address presented by the Burgomaster of Hamburg on the conclusion of peace with Ukraine last Monday, Emperor William said: We have gone through hard times. Every one had had a burden to bear—

anxiety, mourning, grief, tribulation and not the least he who stands before you. In him were combined the care and grief for the entire people in its sorrows.

We often entered false paths. The Lord pointed out to us by a hard school the path by which we should go. The world, however, at the same time has not been on the right path. We Germans, who still have ideals, should work to bring about better times. We should fight for right and morality. Our Lord God wishes us to have peace, but a peace wherein the world will strive to do what is right and good.

We ought to bring peace to the world. We shall seek in every way to do it. Such an end was achieved yesterday in a friendly manner with an enemy which, beaten by our armies; perceives no reason for fighting longer, extends a hand to us and receives our hand. We clap hands. But he who will not accept peace, but on the contrary declines, pouring out the blood of his own and of our people, must be forced to have peace. We desire to live in friendship with neighboring peoples, but the victory of German arms must first be recognized. Our troops under the great Hindenburg will continue to win it. Then peace will come.

United States Food Administration

The Department of Agriculture is now opening a campaign urging farmers to refrain from selling hens from the first of February to the first of May, and at the time requesting buyers to refrain from buying hens during that time.

The Poultry and Eggs Section of the United States Food Administration feels that this is a highly desirable move and requests your hearty co-operation in seeing that the best possible results are secured.

Every hen which is sold before the first of May represents a food loss to the nation of about thirty eggs. The total loss of eggs represented by the customary selling of hens between the first of February and the first of May amounts to about 150,000,000 eggs. The value of these eggs is about 80 per cent of what the hen is actually worth, so that this program does not entail a loss to the farmer, but an actual gain.

We hope that you will give full publicity to this program since it is of interest to producers and dealers. W. M. ELLIOTT Food Administrator for South Carolina.

State Teachers Association Called off

On account of the meningitis situation it has been deemed unwise to hold the State Teachers Association in March as had been planned. J. P. Kinard, President, and R. C. Burts, Secretary of the Association, acting upon the advice of the Executive Committee and other members of the Association, reached this conclusion yesterday.

The meeting has been postponed indefinitely whether it will be held later in the spring will be determined a little later. Should it be found possible and should it be thought advisable to hold it later, the members of the Association will be notified. All the programs had been prepared and the final arrangements had been completed for the Columbia meeting, but it was thought that the action of the Executive Committee will meet with the approval of a large number of the teachers of the State.

R. C. Burts.

Milk too High

The report of the Statistical Division of the United States Food Administration for the week ending January 26th, indicates the price of milk in South Carolina is averaging 16 cents per quart, the general average throughout all the States being 12 1/2 cents, while in Utah about 9 1/4 cents seems to be the prevailing price.

The average prices for milk in your neighboring States are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: State and Price. North Carolina .147, Georgia .147, Florida .147.

It is believed by the Retail Division that milk prices in South Carolina should be immediately reduced at an early date.

FAMOUS REFORMED BANDIT IS HERE

EMMETT DALTON, ONCE DESPERATE OUTLAW, WILL LECTURE AT EVERYBODY'S THEATRE TONIGHT

Emmett Dalton, famous reformed bandit, will lecture to night at Everybody's Theatre in connection with the exhibition of motion pictures, which includes a reproduction of the celebrated raid on the Coffeyville, Kan. Bank which brought an end to the powerful Dalton gang. In that raid, Mr. Dalton lost two brothers, Bob and Grat. He himself served in the Kansas penitentiary for the crime. Governor Hoch pardoned him and since then Mr. Dalton



has been following the straight and narrow path and advising all men to do the same, declaring that the outlaw's life is all wrong. For some years Mr. Dalton has been living in Oklahoma and taking an active part in local politics. The Emmett Dalton of today does not suggest a desperado. He is quiet spoken and mild mannered and when he discusses his violent past he is modest enough in reciting the exploits. Since taking to the platform he has received numerous letters on the quality of advice he is giving the boys and young men. Mrs. Dalton is here with him.

Services at the Methodist Church

Main Street Methodist Church, Dr. Watson B. Duncan, Pastor. Sunday School at 10 A. M., Mr. W. Harry Muller, Superintendent. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. by the Pastor. Morning Subject: "The Tragedy Of The Betrayal". A study of Judas Iscariot. Evening Subject: "The Peril of Making Excuses". Epworth League at 6:45 P. M., Mr. L. C. Braddy, Jr., President. Prayer Service on Wednesday at 7:30 P. M. This service will be followed by Choir Practice. Public cordially invited to all services.

ATTENTION MASONS

A special meeting of Dillon Chapter No. 46, Royal Arch Masons will be held commencing at 2:30 p. m. Thursday afternoon, February 21st, at the Masonic Hall. The Most Excellent Master and Royal Arch Degrees will be conferred on 20 Past Masters. The Grand Officers will be present and will assist in the work. Visiting Companions cordially invited to be present. E. C. STANTON, Sec. 2-21-11.



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H. D. TYLER

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