

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. J. C. Klugh went over to Chester last week.

Mrs. E. L. Palmer, was in the city last Saturday shopping.

Mr. John Winn, of near Due West, was in town Saturday on business.

Mrs. Charlie McKenzie has returned from a short visit to friends in Atlanta.

Mrs. Wm. M. Barnwell is at home after an extended visit to her sister in Snowhill, Md.

Miss Lila Beaudrot came up from Greenwood and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Beaudrot.

Mr. Robert Hill and little daughter, Eloise, of Atlanta, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mrs. W. W. Bradley went over to Greenwood Monday to spend the day with friends.

Mrs. W. H. Harris went down to Columbia Tuesday for a visit of a week to her home people.

Miss Lilly Clark is at home after a month's stay in Augusta, the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Clark.

Mrs. C. C. Fleming is in the city from Columbia on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Wham.

Miss Mary Rudisail, teacher of the Rock Spring school, was in the city Saturday, shopping.

Rev. J. M. Lawson will be out of town attending to school business, for one week from March 15th to March 22nd.

Miss Carrie Lander went to her home in Pelzer last Friday and spent until Sunday with her home people.

Mrs. R. H. Cochran and Mrs. M. B. Syfan spent Tuesday with Mrs. W. J. McKee, near Due West.

Roddy Devlin came over from Greenwood last Sunday and spent the day with friends. He is a welcome visitor always.

Miss Lillian McCantey has returned to her home after a short visit to her brother, who is working in Atlanta.

Mrs. Jay and Mrs. Fannie Thomson came up from Troy Monday and were shopping in our stores and seeing their friends.

Miss Frances Calhoun came home last Monday to see her father, who is quite sick at his home on Greenville street.

Mrs. Luther Highsmith and her family of interesting children are in the city on a visit to Mrs. Lucy Thomson on Upper Main street.

Thomas Thomson came over from North Augusta last week to see his mother who has been quite sick for the past week. Mrs. Thomson is better and he has returned to his work.

Miss Janie Morse came home from Easley last Friday and spent until Monday afternoon with her home people. Her visit gave her friends much pleasure.

Mrs. H. A. McLesky, Miss Myrtle and Miss Madge McLesky are going over to Atlanta this week to see the new styles and to spend a few days with friends.

Mrs. T. H. Furman came over from Atlanta this week and spent several days among her friends. Several pleasant parties were given complimentary to her during her visit.

Miss Bessie Lee Cheatham went over to Athens Monday to be with Mrs. Thomas, who is still very sick at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dudley.

Mr. D. A. Rogers came home from the low country last Monday on sick leave. He is running between Charleston and Hamlet, on the new Bonnel road, and is delighted with the country and the people.

The Misses Brown of Columbia, came up to Abbeville and spent Sunday with their father, Engineer Brown, the new man on the Southern. Mr. Brown is stopping with Mrs. Pennel until he decides about moving his family to Abbeville.

Misses Louise and Benie Watson went to McCormick last Sunday and spent the day. They attended divine worship in the city and are agreed that if one carried along enough company one could spend a whole day there without any special trouble or loneliness.

Rev. M. R. Plaxco went up to Due West last Sabbath afternoon and spoke to the Y. M. C. A. that night. Mr. Plaxco is a graduate of Erskine and takes a deep interest in her welfare.

SYMPATHY FOR MRS. THOMSON.
Mrs. J. Calvert Thomson has the sympathy of a host of friends in Abbeville in the death of her father, which occurred in Winnsboro last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Thomson left Sunday afternoon for Winnsboro to attend the funeral.

NATIONAL BABY WEEK.

The observance of National Baby week in Abbeville last week was a success in every way. The program for the week was arranged by Mrs. D. A. Rogers of the Health Committee of the Civic Club, and consisted of conferences held in the home of Mrs. J. V. Elgin, Mrs. Martha Bowen, Mrs. Henry Gilliam, Mrs. W. R. Bradley, Mrs. W. G. Stephens, Mrs. W. E. Johnson, Mrs. W. A. Calvert, Mrs. M. T. Coleman, Mrs. Rogers, and at the mill school house. There was much talk of the best method of caring for children and many helpful articles were read from magazines. All these meetings were especially well attended considering the bad weather.

Thursday afternoon at the Civic Club rooms Dr. J. E. Pressly and Dr. G. A. Neuffer talked to the large crowd of ladies present about the "Physical Welfare of the Child." Both these talks were instructive and entertaining and the many questions asked by the ladies created a feeling of comradeship among all present.

Friday afternoon the meeting was devoted to the discussion of the "Moral Welfare of the Child," and papers were read by Mrs. W. O. Cromer, Mrs. M. T. Coleman and Mrs. J. L. McMillan. These papers treated the subject from the standpoint of the generally improved condition of children in the schools and as to their recreation. Rev. M. R. Plaxco opened the meeting with prayer and every seat in the room was taken.

At three o'clock on Friday afternoon a parade was held, the children meeting at the plaza, forming in line and marching around the square. On account of the wind there were only seventy babies in the parade. There were many health banners on the different carriages and the little girls carried banners of purple and gold bearing inscriptions on health while the boys carried placards around their necks. After the parade the little fellows were taken into the picture show where all who were in the parade were admitted free. This parade was in charge of Mrs. C. C. Gambrell and was well carried out.

On Sunday all the ministers in town preached sermons on the "Spiritual Welfare of the Child." The churches were full and the sermons were enjoyed.

Many of the merchants took an interest in the week and decorated their windows in things pertaining to the care of children. The windows were beautiful and elicited much pleasant comment.

Baby week was something new for Abbeville but from now on it will be the custom. It was enjoyable and profitable and the success of the whole entertainment was due to the careful planning of Mrs. Rogers.

BUYING FORDS.

Mr. Geo. Bowie bought a Ford touring car last week from Longshore, the local dealer.

Dr. Rayford Power had a new one made out of his old one, and is now riding in a "brand-spank" new Ford. Read the Ford ad in this issue. It's good dope.

ABBEVILLE LIBRARY.

The following books have been received at the Library in the past few weeks: viz.

"A Hill Top on the Marne," by Mildred Aldrich. "Drama of 365 Days," by Hall Cain. Also the following fiction: "The Shepherd of the Hills," Harold Bell Wright. "Bob, Son of Battle," Oliviant. "Dear Enemy," Jean Webster. "A Spinner in the Sun," Reed. "Still Jim," Wilkie.

These, with some recently donated by friends of the Library, will add greatly to the edification and enjoyment of the reading public.

Mrs. Jas. Hill, Mrs. G. T. Tate, Miss Elizabeth Gambrell, Mr. T. G. Perrin, Mr. A. B. Morse, and others, have donated books and magazines, all of which are highly appreciated and enjoyed.

Since the debt of the Library has been canceled, the Association seems to have taken on new life and interest and is planning many new features.

Early in April will be given an entertainment unique in its way, entirely different from anything before given in Abbeville. Of this we will hear more fully soon. In the meantime the casual visitor, with a few moments of leisure, will find a visit to the rooms of the Library well worth his while, with much to instruct and interest, if he so desires. Remember the days, Tuesday and Friday afternoons of each week from 3:30 to 6 o'clock.

A HAPPY MARRIAGE.

Announcement cards, giving the news of the marriage of Miss Lillian Kyle Jones, of Knoxville, Tenn., and Mr. Rufus W. Fant, of Anderson, have been received among the friends of the charming bride. This marriage took place, Jan. 29th at St. Johns Episcopal Church, Columbia, S. C., while Mr. Fant was in that city in attendance upon the meeting of the Legislature, he being a member of the Anderson delegation.

Miss Jones visited in Abbeville just before the Christmas holidays and charmed everyone with her lovely ways and her sweet voice. Her mother, who was Miss Rebecca Moore, is well remembered here and every one took an affectionate interest in her daughter.

Friends in Abbeville extend hearty congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Fant.

DR. C. C. GAMBRELL NOMINATED MAYOR

DEFEATS HIS TWO OPPONENTS IN FIRST RACE.

In the city election held yesterday, Dr. C. C. Gambrell was nominated for Mayor for the third time, defeating his two opponents, W. M. Graydon, Esq., and Mr. J. Allen Long by 19 votes. Dr. Gambrell received 136 votes at the city box, 24 at the shops and 91 at the cotton mill, making a total of 251. Mr. Graydon received 85 in the city box, 15 at the shops, and 59 at the cotton mill, making a total of 159. Mr. J. Allen Long received 59 votes at the city box, 5 at the shops, and 9 at the cotton mill, making a total of 73.

In Ward No. 1 Mr. M. B. Syfan was nominated as Alderman without opposition. In Ward No. 2 Mr. H. B. Wilson is nominated as Alderman, receiving 35 votes to 30 cast for Mr. T. M. Miller.

In Ward No. 3 Dr. J. E. Pressly is nominated for the long term, receiving 80 votes in the city box, 17 at the shops and 46 at the cotton mill, making a total of 143, his opponent Mr. Shirley receiving 105 at the cotton mill, 1 at the shops, and 7 at the city box.

For the short term in Ward No. 3, Mr. W. M. Blanchett is nominated. He received 141 votes at the cotton mill and 10 at the city box. His opponent, Mr. J. S. Cochran received 75 in the city box, 6 at the cotton mill.

In Ward 4, Albert Henry had no opposition for the long term, and Dr. J. R. Nickles no opposition for the short term and they were nominated.

J. M. Anderson spent Sunday in Coronaca with relatives.

Frank Jones, of Columbia, was in the city Tuesday on business.

David Wood came over from Atlanta and spent Sunday with his parents.

J. E. McDavid, of Columbia, was in Abbeville a few days last week on business.

Mrs. J. H. Oulla and Miss Sudie Barksdale of Anderson, are spending a few days with Mrs. J. H. Barksdale near the city.

Mrs. L. D. Caldwell and Miss Vivian Caldwell came over from Greenwood Tuesday to do some shopping and to see their friends.

Read the Victrola ad of the McMurray Drug Co.

SPENDING SUNDAY.

Miss Mary Frances Pool went down to her home in Newberry last Friday and carried with her, her friends, Misses Edith and Louise Sullivan and Miss Ione Smith. The visit was a most pleasant one.

A PRETTY VISITOR.

Mrs. George Clark, of Augusta, is in the city for a visit to Miss Lilly Clark. Mrs. Clark has visited here before and has always charmed every one by her vivacious manners. It is always a pleasure to have her come here and many friends in Abbeville are glad to know of the success of Mr. Clark in his adopted home.

A SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTY.

Mrs. Gertrude Sign gave her Sabbath School class and her nieces and nephews a picture party at the opera house last Friday night. The young folks met at eight o'clock and took in the pictures and enjoyed the bags of candy and fruits which were passed around.

TO RENT:—A comfortable cottage on upper Main Street. For terms apply to Fred Cason. 2-9 tf

FOR THE LATEST WAR NEWS—both Europe and Mexico—read the Atlanta Daily Journal. Delivered to you every morning before breakfast. J. C. Cox, Local Agent. 1t.

FOR SALE:—Some seven or eight mules belonging to Abbeville county, on the public square at Abbeville Court House on Saturday, March 18, between 2 and 5 o'clock P. M. W. A. Stevenson, Supervisor.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Bids will be received on March 30, for repairs at the jail as recommended by Grand Jury, overhead plastering, leak in roof, repairs to stove room. Also for a bath tub and the installation of same. W. A. STEVENSON, Supervisor Abbeville County.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cards inserted under this head are strictly cash in advance.

FOR SOLICITOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Solicitor of Eighth Judicial Circuit, subject to the rules of the Democratic Primary. GEO. T. MAGILL.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce W. L. MILLER, of Mt. Carmel, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the rules of the Democratic Primary.

A PLEASANT TEA PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cochran entertained a few friends at tea last Friday night in honor of Miss Lazenby and Miss Martha Platt. A pleasant time was enjoyed and a delightful tea served.

NEW CARS.

Col. A. M. Stone and John Harris went up to Charlotte last week and brought back two fine cars. One has been purchased by Mrs. E. R. Thomson, who is going to take in all the sights of the nearby towns as soon as the weather gets good.

BEAUTIFYING THE SOUTHERN.

Mr. W. M. Foreaker, of Charlotte, General Superintendent of the Southern and Mr. Maxwell, Division Superintendent, were in Abbeville last Friday looking after the road and while here they discussed plans with Mr. Syfan for the beautifying of the Southern Depot. These gentlemen were delighted with the plan to make this a beautiful place and will give much material assistance.

The work will be under the capable management of Mrs. M. B. Syfan, who is known over our town as a lover of flowers.

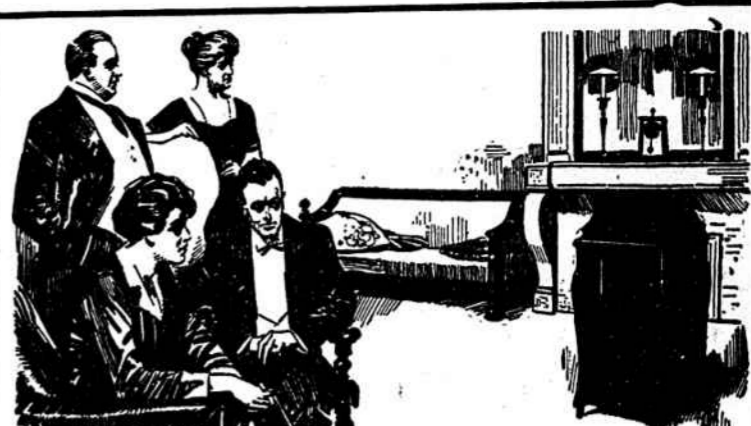
HOW BILL DIVIDES.

Last Friday our son Bill, was one of the young folks invited to take in the picture show by his aunt, Mrs. Sign, when she treated her Sabbath School class to a picture party. Bags of candy and fruit were given each little fellow and on the way home Bill remarked to his aunt that he didn't eat a whole banana, adding "but I was full any way so I gave the rotten spot on my banana to Hap Neuffer."

EARLY CLOSING.

We, the undersigned agree to close our places of business at six o'clock, (Saturdays and pay days at S. A. L. Railway excepted,) from April 1st to September 15th, 1916.

Amos B. Morse Co., H. H. DuPre Co., L. C. Haskell, Dargan-King Co., J. M. Anderson Co., W. E. Johnson, Water & Electric Light Office, J. S. Bowie wholesale grocers, Mrs. Jas. S. Cochran, J. Allen Smith, Jr., The Hot Hustler Racket, D. Poliakoff, L. W. Keller Bros., W. T. Cason, The Rosenberg Mercantile Co., J. R. Glenn, S. J. Link, A. M. Smith, C. D. Brown, Jr., Cason & McAllister, Kerr Fur Co., Stark Vehicle Co., W. D. Barksdale, R. L. Mabry, L. W. White Co., R. Kirkwood, Parker & Reese, E. R. Thomson, R. M. Hill, Haddon, Wilson Co., Philson & Henry, A. M. Hill Co., T. M. Miller, T. H. Maxwell, F. S. Hill, W. A. Calvert, C. H. Bosdell.



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GETTING BETTER.

Mr. Tate Bradley, of Union, in whom our people are interested, was successfully operated on in the Baptist hospital in Columbia, last week, and is getting on nicely. Every one here is glad to know that he hopes soon to be out again.

ATTENDING THE TEACHERS MEETING

Abbeville is to be well represented at the teachers meeting in Columbia this week. Misses Bessie Epting, Miss Eloise Britt, Miss Mae Robertson, Miss Lillian Swetenberg, Miss Mary Frances Poole and Prb. R. B. Cheatham will leave tonight and will be away until Saturday.

PAINTING UP.

Mr. W. M. Barnwell is having a new coat of paint put on his house, which will improve the good looks of the Greenville Street Annex.

LEAVING ABBEVILLE.

Mrs. C. D. Baer and her family of interesting children are leaving Abbeville this week for Atlanta, where they will make their home in the future. This family has lived among us for years and their friends give them up with regret and wish them happiness and prosperity in their new home.

TENNANT-SHUFORD.

A marriage of interest to the people of Abbeville is that of Miss Lillian Tennant and Mr. E. Harold Shuford, of Chester, which interesting event took place at Winnsboro last Friday. Miss Tennant is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Tennant of Abbeville, and is a capable trained nurse and is a woman of broad charities and kind heart. Her friends here wish her happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Shuford will make their home in Greensboro, N. C.

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