

# Local News

## Personals

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Harvin and Frances, returned home to Washington, D. C., Saturday after having had a pleasant vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sondley.

Miss Sadie Hutchinson of Columbia, is visiting her friends, Miss Della Wilson and Mrs. M. L. Link, of Bethia.

Mr. A. W. Bowden went up to Charlotte Thursday and will spend several days.

Miss Margaret Reese, after several days in the city with Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Reese, left for a visit to friends at Laurens and Cartersville, before she returns to her home in Florence.

Miss Nan Scott returned to her home in Atlanta Sunday, after spending two weeks with relatives in the city and the Sharon section.

Mrs. Lucie E. Cochran, Ellen and Gilbert Nabers, Miss Carrie Cochran, Paul Link and Roy Pittard motored up to Anderson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jas. S. Cochran went up to Charlotte Friday to spend a week with relatives.

Miss Julia Mabry is at home from the hospital in Chester and is rapidly regaining her accustomed good health, which is good news to her many friends.

Mrs. L. D. Caldwell, Miss Eulalie Turner, Messrs. Oscar Cobb and G. C. Hammond were among the interested visitors from Greenwood last Thursday for the Carnival.

William Leslie came home from Clemson and spent Sunday with his home people. William is standing behind the president in his war venture but his friends are glad that his number was not drawn on the big day.

Mrs. Fred S. Hill and Master Fred S. Jr., left last Friday for a visit to relatives in Thomasville and High Point, N. C.

Sergt. D. Townsend Smith came down from Greenville on leave last Saturday and spent until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Coleman. Mrs. Smith, who has been here on a visit, returned to Greenville with him.

Sergt. Grayson Hoke, Caspar Little and Jack Stone spent the weekend in Abbeville with their home folks and friends.

Mrs. Virginia Miller is in the city on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. H. R. McAllister and other relatives.

John Lomax is off on a vacation this week and is spending the time in Brevard and Hendersonville.

Mrs. T. Gordon White, Misses Mary and Jense White and Mrs. L. W. Perrin left Thursday for Yorkville, where they will spend sometime with Mrs. Belle Alston. After a visit here they will go on to the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Aug. W. Smith, near Hendersonville, and visit for sometime.

Miss Saidee Magill has returned to Abbeville after a pleasant visit to friends in Due West.

Henry Cason came down from Anderson and delighted his home people by spending the day with them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simpson of Greenville, are in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Anderson.

Miss Kate Marshall is enjoying a two weeks outing in the mountains of Cashiers Valley with Mrs. Sam Orr. Miss Kate made the trip through the country with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Wilson and Mr. Bryson.

Mr. Jas. Bowie returned Sunday from Mt. Clemens, Michigan, where he has spent the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Owen and their handsome little daughter and son came Tuesday from Salisbury, N. C., to spend several days with the family of Mr. W. E. Owen.

Miss Kathleen Wilkes came over Saturday from Laurens to be the attractive guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Moore Mars, for sometime.

Mrs. T. J. Douthart and Miss Mary Ferguson are off to New Orleans for an extended stay with Mr. George Strickle. From there they will go on to Houston, Texas, to spend a while with Mrs. H. L. Houseman.

Miss Emma Harris is at home again after a six weeks stay in Athens with relatives. Misses Sara and Mary Haigler went over to Athens for the week-end and accompanied Miss Emma home.

Miss Jane Alston was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Chalmers for a day or two last week. She enjoyed the Carnival on Thursday.

Miss Annie Greer of Spartanburg, arrived Friday in the city and will visit Miss Mary Quarles Link and Miss Katherine Link for about ten days. Miss Greer is popular in Abbeville and her visits here always give pleasure to her friends.

Miss Leila Link left Friday for a pleasure trip to New York, and will be away about three weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGee, of Spartanburg, went with Miss Leila.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cheatham, Miss Narietta Cheatham, Mr. Otto Haas, Misses Agnes and Helen Dardine are here from Charlotte visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Cheatham.

Miss Sara Cowan returned home Tuesday from a pleasant visit with Dr. and Mrs. Whit Cheatham. Dr. and Mrs. Cheatham came with her and will spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Cheatham.

Mr. Williams Miller and daughter, Miss Belle, of Ninety Six, are spending several days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Cheatham, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cheatham and Mr. Haas went down to Greenwood Tuesday morning and attended the funeral of Mr. Graham Payne.

Misses Leah and Margaret Thornton left Tuesday morning to visit relatives for sometime in Greensboro.

Miss Norma Cheatham came home Saturday from Columbia to spend her vacation with her home people near the city. Miss Laura Haltiwanger came with her and will be her attractive guest during her stay in Abbeville.

Miss Madge McLeskey returned Monday from a lengthy stay in Columbia with her sister, Miss Myrtle, and her grandmother, Mrs. Edwards. Miss Madge had a delightful stay in that city and made a number of friends.

Mr. A. F. McCord, of Liberty, has been spending several days with relatives here and at Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stubbs and two children left Saturday for their home in Fitzgerald, Ga., after a visit to Dr. and Mrs. J. Irwin Gilmer.

### THE MARRIAGE OF MISS BELLE THOMPSON

A marriage in which much interest is centered was that of last Friday, August the 3rd, when Miss Belle Thompson was happily married to Mr. Claud C. Edwards of Chester, in Greenwood at the Presbyterian manse, the ceremony being solemnized by Dr. J. B. Green, with only a few witnessing the ceremony.

The young couple are now in Washington and other northern cities enjoying a delightful trip, and upon their return will be at home to their friends in Chester, where Mr. Edwards is engaged in business.

Miss Thompson came to us only a year ago as the community worker in the Mill village, and she has worked faithfully and untiringly and has accomplished much good since coming here, and beside this she has endeared herself to everyone by her sweet and attractive manner and affable disposition. The good wishes of our people for a long and peaceful journey through life go out to the happy young couple.

### THE PATRIOTIC DANCE.

The dance at the hall Friday evening was indeed one of the pleasantest affairs of the season. The hall was beautifully and appropriately decorated in the stars and stripes and many of the dancers wore dresses made of the red, white and blue, which made an effective and pretty scene. The music was furnished by the Kay Orchestra and was unusually fine.

Everything passed off in a whirl of gaiety and was enjoyed by all present. Those chaperoning the dance were: Mrs. W. S. Cothran, Mrs. M. T. Coleman, Mrs. J. M. Morgan, Mrs. C. M. McKenzie, Mrs. Harry Wilson, Mrs. Joe Wilson, Miss Latimer.

The proceeds from the dance were turned over to the Woman's Service League.

### THE ANTREVILLE FAIR PREMIUM LIST IS OUT

The printing department of The Press and Banner has just issued for the Antreville Fair association a handsome 46-page premium list for the 1917 fair, which will be held on October 19. The Antreville fair has always been a success and the good people of that section are showing no little interest in the enterprise this year.

### A PLEASANT HOUSE PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Leslie are entertaining a pleasant house party of young people complimentary to their two pretty daughters, Misses Virginia and Sarah Leslie. The visitors are: Misses Lucile Donald and Katherine Brock of Honea Path, Misses Frances and Charlotte McKay of Greenville, and Misses Florence and Maria Neuffer and Margaret Cox of Abbeville. The Leslie's home is well adapted to entertaining and dancing, rook parties and delightful rides will be the order of the day with the young folks.

On Tuesday afternoon a rook party was given the visitors. There were seven tables of players, and a most pleasant afternoon was spent.

### CAMPING AT THE MOUNTAIN.

Mrs. Rachel Minshall and her family went out to Little Mountain Monday morning and will spend the next two weeks there camping and enjoying the mineral water and the cool breezes. They are accompanied by Bill Greene and Miss Elizabeth Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman, Miss Lavinia Coleman and Jim Coleman are also camping at the mountain for the next week or two.

The mountain continues a popular place for picnics and other pleasure parties.

### MOONLIGHT PICNIC.

Misses Sadie Hammond and Lucy White entertained about twenty-five of their friends on last Friday evening with a delightful moonlight picnic in honor of their cousin, Miss Nan Scott of Atlanta. They motored out to Rapleys Shoals about seven o'clock and spent until about ten thirty enjoying the bounteous supper and ice-cream carried along. A jolly time was spent.

### BIRTHS.

Born, in Abbeville, S. C., July the 26th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Tate, a son.

Born, at Abbeville, S. C., August 6, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilleland, a son.

Born, near Abbeville, S. C., Aug. 4th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cochran, a son.

### NAMING THE BABY.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman had their baby christened in the Episcopal church last Sabbath morning by Rev. Mr. Blackford, at half after ten o'clock. The young man will bear the name, Robert Hemphill, and every one wishes that he may grow to be a fine young man and accomplish much that is good in the world.

### MRS. MINSHALL REAPPOINTED.

The daily papers of several days ago carried the news of the reappointment and confirmation of Mrs. Rachel Minshall as postmaster at Abbeville. Mrs. Minshall has made a competent and capable postmaster and the patrons of the office have been pleased with the neatness with which the office has been kept and the efficient manner in which the public has been served.

Mrs. Minshall's friends are delighted at her reappointment.

### HERE FROM NEW YORK.

Frank E. Harrison of New York City, is expected to arrive today to spend sometime with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Harrison.

### DON'T SCOLD, MOTHER! THE CROSS CHILD IS BILIOUS, FEVERISH

Look at Tongue! If Coated, Clean Little Stomach, Liver, Bowels.

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child, See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomachache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, Mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children and grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeits sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.—Adv.

### OUR TROOPS.

(Josh Wink in Baltimore American) They laughed at the poor little army Which Kitchener started to build, The kaiser at sight of its making, With scorn and amusement was filled; But now it has swelled into millions, No more it is looked on askance; The Germans no longer are laughing As it pushes their hordes out of France.

So, too, did they jeer at our forces, For they knew we were people of peace,

With an army the size of a plaything, With no war aims to ask for increase, No spirit of militarism, But immersed in a business-made life, And they scorned us as merchants and traders To prove us as foes in the strife.

But the flower of our manhood is going To fight in the cause that is just, And on the sharp sword we are drawing There's nothing of dullness nor rust; And soon their contempt and their jeering Will come to a terrified hush, For they'll find out our measure as fighters When once we get in the big push.

### A PICNIC FOR THE CHILDREN.

Miss Bessie Lee Cheatham gave a picnic in the Park Tuesday afternoon in honor of Misses Agnes and Helen Dardine and Narietta Cheatham of Charlotte. All the little girls and boys went to the park about two o'clock and spent the afternoon. A fine dinner was served about 5 o'clock and was enjoyed. The merry little folks were chaperoned by Miss Bessie Lee Cheatham, Miss Lila Fernal and Miss Benie Watson.

### A ROOK PARTY.

Miss Louise Brown entertained the Rook club at her pretty home Monday afternoon. Beside the club members there were several visitors present which added pleasure to the entertainment. After the games were finished the dainty refreshments of block ice-cream and cake were served.

### MISS RUTH BEEKS HOSTESS.

Miss Ruth Beeks entertained about eighteen boys and girls at her home Monday with a delightful party. Such games as "Clap in and clap out," "Wink" and "drop the handkerchief" formed the entertainment for the evening until little Misses Elizabeth Beeks and Jenrose Pressly served the guests with dainty refreshments of ice cream and cake. The evening was enjoyed by all those present.

### AMONG THOSE PRESENT.

Among the many interested people over from Greenwood for the Carnival last Thursday were, Misses Edna Magill and Evelyn Verelle and Messrs. Doc Harvey and Heart Coleman, who were delighted with the entertainment and had a pleasant time.

### A YOUNG SOLDIER.

Geddings Roche is attending the Bailey Military Institute Encampment in Greenwood and will be away five weeks. Geddings is bright and an ambitious little fellow and will make a fine soldier. His many friends wish him every good luck.

### GONE NORTH.

Col. Bill Wilson and Mr. W. H. White are in the Northern markets this week buying their fall stock of goods. They will be away about two weeks.

### A PICNIC BY MOONLIGHT.

In honor of her guest, Miss Laura Haltiwanger of Columbia, Miss Norma Cheatham is giving a picnic in front of her home tonight. A number of young people are going out to partake of the good time planned for the crowd.

### A QUIET SALES DAY.

Monday was a very quiet sales day in Abbeville, although an unusually large number of people from the country were in town.

Only one piece of property was sold by Judge Hill, that in the matter of Below vs. Hunter, one acre of land, which was bought by Mr. Below for \$41. The property is in Diamond Hill township.

We have several cars of the

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