

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs Bragg Jones spent several days in Augusta last week. Mrs Seibels has been spending some time with her sister, Mrs Mary Norris. Mrs Kate Butler is visiting her daughter, Mrs Thompson, in Atlanta. The S. C. I. students enjoyed their annual masquerade ball last Friday night. Mrs Lucy Duriso has just put a very becoming coat of paint on her residence on Main street. The family of Mrs Morrall in Buncombe have all been quite sick with grip, but are now recovering. Mrs Ida Sheppard and Mrs Marie May visited Mrs Carrie Miller in the country on Saturday and Sunday. Mrs Zilla Hart will leave Edgefield for John Hopkins hospital in Baltimore next Sunday, where she goes to be treated. Mr Herbert Smith, of our town, returned home last week from a visit to his mother in Union, where she has been very ill, but is now better. J H Cantelou Esq., and the entire family have been quite sick for some time. We are glad to hear, however, that from last accounts all were improving. Rev P P Blalock and family have removed to the place formerly occupied by Miss Amanda Harrison, and will remain there until their new home so completed on Columbia street. Mr Lamb, who is a member of the Sunday-school at the factory, has presented the school with a library of sixty-one books. This gift was highly appreciated, and Mr Lamb was elected orarian. Mrs Rosa Lott expects to leave Edgefield to-day for Orangeburg, where she will make her home with Mrs Samuel Dibble, and during the summer months will spend her time with at Harris Litchia Springs. J W DeVore, Esq., has been very successful at this term of court, gaining all of his cases. They say he is a roaring lion attorney, and it takes two lawyers to buck "agin" him, and then many times he downs them. Mrs Helen Sheppard was detained from attending the funeral obsequies of her father, Judge Wallace, on account of an attack of grip. The many friends in Edgefield sympathize with her in this bereavement. Miss Lena Stevens, of Elmwood, wrote a very interesting account of Mission Day at Little Stevens creek church for last week's Baptist Courier. Among those mentioned who took part in the program were Prof F N Kiley, Rev P P Blalock, Prof J F Antzinger, and Rev. Lutha White. Miss Rosa Lake, who has been in Edgefield for several months, paid a visit to Johnston last week. She will return to her home in Lexington, Ky., in a short time, visiting the B Y P U convention in Charleston, and relatives in Atlanta on her return trip. The mission services Sunday evening ending the week of self denial in our Baptist church, were very interesting. Talks were made by Mr B D Thames on consecration of time, talents, and means to the cause of Christ, by Rev Luther White on the importance of missionary spirit and enterprise, and by Dr Gwaltney. Miss Hettie Sheppard has been offered a position by Rev Mr Wingo as house keeper at the High School and Summer Resort at Campobello, S. C. Mr Wingo has charge of the Mineral Chalybeate Springs at that place during the summer months, and presides over the High School during the scholastic session. The State of last Friday contains a very touching and convincing article from Rev P P Blalock, urging the necessity of separate institutions of learning for the deaf and the blind. An appropriation has already been made to Cedar Springs by the legislature, but Mr Blalock hopes that this will not deter this body from the consideration of an establishment for the blind alone at some future day. The President of the A. W. Wiedersheim club received information from headquarters that a travelling library belonging to the Federation was shipped to her March 19th. This library will be in charge of Mrs F W P Butler, who will be delighted to lend books to all who wish them. We cannot keep the library longer than six weeks, and hope all who wish books will call and get them at once, as on May 1st the library will be sent to another place. Rev Jonathan Bell preached in our Baptist church on Sunday morning. His text was taken from the first chapter of Romans, "I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth." The speaker is an Englishman who has been in America about six years. His discourse was both profound and eloquent, and a little foreign accent gave a peculiar zest to his remarks. While in Edgefield he was the guest of Mr and Mrs Ben Cogburn. From Edgefield he has gone on a visit to his family in Louisville, Ky., they not having yet removed to Johnson where he now resides. Court is still in session but will probably adjourn to-day, Tuesday. In the case of Mrs Jennings against the C. & W. C. R. R. Messrs Thurmond and Sinkins secured a verdict for the railroad, by the way a most remarkable one, and in the case of Mrs Middleton, against the same corporation, J W. DeVore, Esq., pulled a verdict for the Plaintiff. The store room recently occupied by Bell & Davis for rent. H. Parker.

Gen. M. C. Butler is in Edgefield for a short time. On next Sunday night the Presiding elder E. T. Hodges will preach in our village Methodist church. Mr. Elbert Mundy, one of Edgefield's oldest and most esteemed citizens, died at his residence near Sweetwater on March 16th. Mr. Mundy was 84 years of age, left a wife and four sons. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. P. B. Lanham. Quarterly conference will be held at McKendree on next Saturday and Sunday. Presiding elder E. T. Hodges will be present, the local pastor, Rev. G. W. Davis, and Prof. J. C. Clingenscales, of Wofford college. There will be two services on Sunday. Prof. Clingenscales will deliver an address. On Sunday dinner will be served in the grove near the church. Miss Eliza Mims has received an order from Lieut. Gov. Tillman for a hundred dollar portrait of himself taken in his general robes. Miss Mims has already accomplished enough to distinguish herself as a gifted portrait painter, but this reproduction of Gov. Tillman will perhaps be the handsomest piece of work which she has ever done. It is hoped that this portrait will be placed on exhibition at the Charleston Exposition as a specimen of what Edgefield can produce, not alone of handsome and gifted sons, but daughters who by wondrous cleverness of art are enabled to immortalize not only the subject of their skill, but themselves. It is always a pleasure to be able to say something in commendation of our colored friends, who have lived among us as an upright and virtuous life. Such was the life of Laura Brooks, who died at her home in Edgefield on Sunday night, March 17th. She had lived in Edgefield all her life, and was respected by all her acquaintances, and beloved by many whom she was enabled to help in this world. She only had one child herself, but there was never a day that she did not have some child or some unfortunate one in her home whom she helped and comforted. Her funeral services were conducted by Dr. L. R. Gwaltney, who had known her for years. She leaves her mother, Aunt Phoebe Burkett, and her step-father, Uncle Joe Burkett, whom all Edgefield knows and honors, and her daughter, Lou Bailey. Aunt Laura was never an eye-servant, but did her work faithfully as unto God. "Be thou faithful unto death and I will give thee a crown of life." Concordia Lodge, No. 50, A. F. M. A regular communication of Concordia Lodge, No. 50, A. F. M., will be held in the Lodge room on Friday night of this week. Visiting brethren cordially invited. J. H. ALLEN, Sec. YOU KNOW WHAT YOU ARE TAKING When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic, because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle, showing that it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

citizens. Of course money is no object to these visitors. I had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Whitney the wealthy New Yorker, who has done so much for Aiken. When I saw him he had just made a land deal. He was the man you know who served in Mr. Cleveland's cabinet as Secretary of the Navy and fully deserves the credit for the greatness of our navy at present. Mr. Whitney is about five feet ten inches, iron gray mustache and hair and about sixty years old and very pleasant. Strange to say there are very few consumptives in Aiken this season. Most of the visitors are down for the grand Southern climate, and a great many for sport and pleasure. Dr. T. G. Croft is the leading physician of Aiken, and a really good man he is, and deeply interested in the bright future of his town. I want a first-class Milch Cow, fresh to milk, S. T. Mabry, care Augusta Lumber Co., Augusta, Ga. As the hot weather of summer is approaching this paper will constantly keep before its readers TROVEXIA, a remedy which, where known, is being universally used to prevent and counteract the effects of warm weather, upon small children, and it is hoped that all mothers of this community will keep their children in a healthy condition by giving it, for it costs only 25 cents at druggists; or mail 25 cents to C. J. Moffet, M. D., St. Louis, Mo. Advertisers Letters. List of letters remaining in the Post Office at Edgefield C. H., March 23, 1901. Mr's Lizer Bollage, Emma Glover, Mrs Anna Johnson, Mrs Johnnie F Jones, Mrs Mary Jane Jefson, Cora Lurr, Mrs P W Rushing, Mr Jno Witherton and Eugene Cobb, Mr Isamb Feus, Mr Sam Jones, Mr C S Jones, W D Nicholson, When asking for letters on this list say "advertised." Very respectfully, W. H. BRUNSON, P. M.

GOOD ROADS VS. BAD ROADS. HOW TO DO IT. I think the plain demonstration to the eye of the real scientific difficulties that "hills" present in our public roads, as furnished in the excellent diagrams prepared by the Advertiser in the last article on this subject, has made the "hill" matter take a serious aspect in the view of many. It is seen that while only the surface of the road—the holes, ruts and mud—are thought of by many in considering good roads, the matter of hills—steepness of grade—is by far the most important consideration. No matter how "smooth" the road may be if it goes up a steep hill, only a light load can be hauled up it and only slow time can be made. It was a sad mistake, I believe that all the work in Christendom can't make a "good road" up a hill; and that the only way to make a good road there is to go around the hill. We saw that on the authority of the United States Government, only four-fifths as heavy a load can be pulled up a hill rising two feet in every 100 as on a level, that it costs one-and-a-half times more to haul up a hill rising five feet in 100 as on a line, that four feet in 100 is the required grade in the best road sections, and that only one-fourth as heavy a load can be hauled up a hill rising 10 feet in 100 as on a level. We also saw that we have many hills of from 15 to 30 per cent (15 to 30 feet rise in 100) in Edgefield County and some (in small portions) as steep as 50 per cent! We also saw that people elsewhere are doing away with the hills. It was pointed out in the last article that the best thing to do, on the authority of the Government, was to employ a good road engineer and have the roads surveyed around

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