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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Miss Daisy Lyon who teaches the Lott school spent Saturday and Sunday with the home folk.

Miss Janie Louise Hunter of Ora, Laurens county, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. L. T. May.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Jackson of Trenton spent Sunday in Edgefield with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Johnson.

Bear in mind that the lyceum entertainment Thursday evening will be the best ever given in Edgefield.

Hon. J. C. Ramage, one of the leading lawyers of the Saluda bar, was here on professional business Tuesday.

Mrs. Warren Paul spent Monday at Johnston with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Hubbard, who has been quite indisposed for some time.

Mr. T. C. Callison came up from Lexington to attend court and was accompanied by Mrs. Callison and their sweet little daughter.

Mrs. James Velix is visiting her mother in Swainsboro, Ga. She and Mr. Velix now have rooms in the home of Mrs. Sallie B. Moseley.

Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Corley will leave this morning for Atlanta to spend a week. Dr. Corley will attend the mid-winter dental lectures.

The work on Mr. C. M. Mellichamp's new residence on the street leading from the Baptist church near the high school is progressing rapidly.

The last entertainment of the lyceum course will be given in the opera house to-morrow evening. It will be the best of the entire course.

Mr. J. P. Nixon of Clark's Hill was a member of the grand jury. He was accompanied by Mrs. Nixon who visited her sister, Mrs. W. H. Dorn.

Our friend J. M. Bell was in town Monday and received the congratulations of his friends. He appears to be as young as he was a decade ago.

Interest in the county fair continues to grow. Begin now to plan your exhibits. Some can be arranged in a few days while others require some months.

The friends of Mr. S. Cheatham greeted him very cordially while in Edgefield a few days ago. He always receives a warm welcome when he comes among us.

As president of the western division, Mrs. Mamie N. Tillman attended a missionary conference of the Aiken W. M. U. which was held in North Augusta Tuesday.

The ranks of the chargin' gang have received two recruits from the court this week. One additional road-worker was also sent from the court of Magistrate Wise of Trenton.

The last lyceum entertainment of the season will be held in the opera house to-morrow, Thursday evening. Better get your ticket at once. They are on sale at the store of Collett & Mitchell.

Mr. Henry Medlock spent several days in Edgefield as a member of the grand jury this week, bringing with him his little son, Henry Hammond, to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Bessie Carmichael.

The Hungarian Orchestra never fails to attract large audiences, their entertainments being of the highest order. Do not fail to hear this aggregation of musicians in the opera house Thursday evening.

We were delighted to have a call Monday from Mr. W. W. Fowler. He is one of Parksville's most progressive citizens who is always looking upward and onward, never losing an opportunity to advance Parksville's interests.

Miss Maud Rives who is teaching the Beaver Dam school came down to the chautauqua Monday afternoon, being accompanied by sweet little Ruth Wash, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wash, at whose home Miss Rives boards.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Middleton were among the visitors in Edgefield Monday, making the journey from Meriwether in their automobile. They were accompanied by Mr. Young, the manager of the large lumber company that will soon begin operation at Meriwether.

Mrs. E. Pendleton Jones and Mrs. Mamie N. Tillman went to Johnston Tuesday to attend the week of prayer service that was held by the ladies of the missionary society of the Baptist church, being guests of Mrs. W. J. Hatcher.

Mr. Orlando Sheppard attended a meeting of the board of visitors of the Citadel which was held in Columbia Wednesday. He was elected chairman of the board, which place has been filled for a number of years by Col. W. W. Lewis of York.

Luther G. Bell, the youngest widower in the county—but one who seems to be in no great hurry to embark upon the matrimonial sea again—has been in town this week attending court. He says the fruit has already been injured in Clark's Hill section.

Mr. Jas. H. Garrett was in town Monday. He brought several of his fine horses along with him. Mr. Garrett says he is strongly in favor of holding a county fair next fall and that he will exhibit some of his stock. Mr. Garrett has become famous because of his thoroughbreds.

Dr. J. R. Beall of Blythe, Ga., arrived in Edgefield on the early train this morning. Dr. Beall is a member of the Georgia legislature from Richmond county. He was one of the "old guard" that stood so firmly for prohibition during the last session of the Georgia legislature.

Should a baby show be held in connection with the county fair, as was done several years ago, we know of two little ones who will bear away the first prizes. Christine Virginia Holland, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Holland, will win the prize for the girls and Hord Allen, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Allen will carry off first honors for the baby boys.

Essay Contest.

The attention of the teachers is called to the fact that the essays that are being written in the W. C. T. U. contest must be forwarded to Mrs. Thomas H. Rainsford by March 20. The time is close at hand. Let no school fail to be represented in the contest by delaying sending in essays. Mrs. Rainsford very earnestly desires to have every school in the county compete for the cash prizes, and the teachers should see that essays are forwarded by the date set for the close of the contest.

Dr. Prescott's Condition.

For the past week the friends of Dr. W. E. Prescott in all parts of the county have been greatly depressed over his condition. We say "all parts of the county" thoughtfully, for no man in Edgefield is more sincerely beloved than Dr. Prescott wherever he is known. He has rallied from the recent operation and has grown some stronger. His physician and family hope that he will be strong enough to be carried to his home from the hospital in Augusta Friday. We sincerely trust that he will steadily improve.

The Hungarian Orchestra.

The people of Edgefield will have the opportunity of hearing some of the best musical talent in the country in the opera house Thursday evening. The entertainment will be given by Schildkret's Hungarian Orchestra, which is the highest priced lyceum attraction that has ever been brought to Edgefield. The orchestra is composed of six musicians, each of whom is an artist. There are as many musicians and lovers of music in Edgefield as any town of its size to be found anywhere, therefore a crowded house should greet the Hungarian orchestra. Tickets on sale at the store of Collett & Mitchell.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will take place on Wednesday afternoon, March 14, at the residence of Mrs. H. H. Sanders. Everybody is urged to bring a new member and a contribution to the Lillian Stevens campaign fund. The following is the program:

Mrs. Mamie N. Tillman, superintendent of parliamentary usage, in charge.

Devotions, Mrs. J. W. Peak. Violin solo, Miss Louise Couch. Sketch of Miss Lillian Stevens, Miss Mamie Sil.

An incident of the Union Signal given by each subscriber in one minute.

A quartette in song. "Lillian's flag," Mitchell Wells. Parliamentary voices. Let each member be present and bring her year book.

Regular Meeting of Card Club.

Mrs. Bettis Cantelou sustained her reputation Thursday afternoon for entertaining beautifully, when at that time she was the hostess for the regular meeting of the card club. A large number were present to enjoy the hospitality of Mrs. Cantelou, five tables being provided for the spirited game of bridge. The score was recorded by the secretary of the club and will be announced at the close of the series of games. After the members became surfeited on cards, a hot lunch was daintily served by the hostess.

Maximum Attendance.

The Sunday school of the Baptist church has steadily grown for some time, the interest and attendance both increasing. The enrollment reached the maximum figure last Sunday when the secretary reported 231 present, the collection being \$15.87. The Baraca class, the young men's class of the Sunday school, had 68 in attendance. This class is taught by Dr. Jones, who also conducts a teacher-training class every Wednesday evening immediately after prayer-meeting. The superintendent, Mr. W. B. Cogburn, and the other officers of the school are congratulated upon the steady growth the Sunday school has made.

Entertained in Honor of Mrs. McColl.

Saturday afternoon from four to six Mrs. J. B. Kennerly and Mrs. W. S. Cogburn entertained at the home of the latter very beautifully in honor of their cousin, Mrs. D. D. McColl, of Bennettsville. The parlor was beautifully decorated in freesias and ferns. Four tables were arranged and progressive Rook proved to be very pleasant diversion for the afternoon. Mrs. Carroll Cogburn was the most expert player and won the first prize, a box of stationery. Mrs. A. E. Padgett became the possessor of the consolation prize, a crocheted bag. The guest of honor was presented with a beautiful hand-made handkerchief. A salad course, with coffee and whipped cream, was served.

Atkinson-Wates.

Saturday morning, March 4, to the surprise of their friends everywhere, Mr. Charlie Wates and Miss Anita Atkinson were married in Augusta by Dr. Asby Jones, the pastor of the First Baptist church. Miss Atkinson has been teaching in Gaffney and went to Augusta to spend the week-end. Cupid had for some time been formulating plans in connection with the lives of these two young people but the consummation was reached earlier than many expected. Mrs. Wates is the daughter of Mr. John Atkinson of the Republican section of this county and is a young woman of superior worth, one who will make an ideal home for Mr. Wates. Mr. Wates is the only son of the late P. R. Wates of Edgefield. He is now a prominent young business man of Augusta, being the junior member of the firm of Baxley & Wates, wholesale grocers. The Advertiser joins other Edgefield friends in extending sincere congratulations.

A Progressive Luncheon.

Mrs. A. E. Padgett entertained a number of her friends very beautifully Friday afternoon with a progressive luncheon, about thirty guests being present. The parlor, library and dining room were attractively decorated. Daffodils were used in great profusion and the beauty of these harbingers of spring was heightened by graceful palms and ferns. The light from the electric shades was softened by having the shades covered with daffodils. Soon after the guests arrived they were invited into the dining room and seated about a number of small tables, four at each table, where they participated in a luncheon which was daintily served in six courses. At the conclusion of each course a bell was sounded and the guests changed tables, just as the personnel of the tables change as in a progressive game of cards. The unique place cards contained hand-painted daffodils. At the conclusion of the repast, during which sparkling wit and repartee freely flowed, the guests returned to the parlor, where the social hour that followed was punctuated with sweetly rendered musical numbers, both vocal and instrumental. The afternoon spent in the home of Mrs. Padgett will afford pleasant memories for the future for all who were present.

Our stock of saddles, and harness of all kinds is complete. Can supply you with anything you want. B. B. Jones.

The Three-Day Chautauqua.

The people of Edgefield are greatly indebted to the gentlemen who made it possible, by assuming a considerable financial obligation, for the chautauqua to be held in Edgefield. The series of entertainments, six in number, and seven if we include the inspiring sermon in the opera house Sunday afternoon, were wholesome and uplifting. Certainly the ticket holders were well paid for the money spent on the chautauqua. The entertainments were so diversified as to provide entertainment for all classes and ages, giving no reasonable ground for anyone to complain. So well pleased were the gentlemen who composed the chautauqua committee with the entire series of entertainments that they have signed a contract for another chautauqua to be given in the spring of 1917, the last of April or early in May.

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The ladies should not fail to see our beautiful spring silks for waists, especially our crepe de chine at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. No prettier goods were ever shown in Edgefield. Rubenstein.

Beautiful assortment of silver and cut-glass from which to wake your selection. Prices lower than city stores. B. B. Jones.

We carry at all times a full supply of coffins, caskets and burial robes. B. B. Jones.

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We are offering at actual cost two china closets, two library tables and two chiffoniers. Call at our store and see these bargains. B. B. Jones.

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Come to us for your garden seed. We sell Buist's seed, the kind that never fail to germinate. The best cost no more than inferior seed. Penn & Holstein.

The approach of spring suggests that now is the time to brighten up the home by putting new matting on the floors. We have beautiful patterns at reasonable price. B. B. Jones.

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