

Office No. 61.
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Wednesday, July 19

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Miss Mary Byers of Augusta is here visiting Miss Grace Dobson.

Mr. Elmore Jones of Batesburg several days here last week with relatives.

Miss Mattie Stalnaker of Broxton, Ga., is the guest of Mrs. W. W. Fuller.

Miss Mamie Cheatham is visiting her aunt, Mrs. John L. Talbert, in McCormick.

Mrs. Lemie Talbert spent last week out at the home of her brother, Col. S. B. Mays.

Miss Ollie Atkinson of Augusta has been the guest of Miss Rhea Edmunds for the past week.

Miss Ella Mays left last week to spend some time with her brother, Mr. Arthur Mays, in Texas.

Mrs. Annie Easterling of Aiken spent several days in Edgefield last week with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ozuts of Kirksey attended the Timmerman-Mathis wedding at Eureka Wednesday.

Miss Gladys Bell of Aiken and Miss Elizabeth Roper of North Augusta are guests of Miss Florence Mims.

Mr. Walter L. Holston took a short vacation of several days last week, spending a portion of the time in Augusta.

Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Cleveland stopped over in Edgefield last week upon their return from their wedding journey.

Miss Elizabeth Rainsford attended the marriage of her college friend, Miss Agnes Haynsworth, in Sumter last week.

Miss Lallie Peak has returned from a prolonged visit to her sister, Mrs. P. H. Bussey, who resides near Hartsville.

Mrs. John K. Aull of Columbia, accompanied by her little daughter, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Tompkins.

Master Eddie Talbert accompanied his cousin, Carver Talbert, to Parkville last week and will be away for several weeks.

What is more out of place in a wet spell or is more needed in a drought than anything else? A water wagon or street sprinkler.

We saw a colored man yesterday who was thrice happy—he was carrying three watermelons. All of his snow-white teeth glistened in the sun.

In some sections they have even had too much rain for pastures. The streams have overflowed repeatedly and injured the grass and other vegetation.

Practically all of the old cotton has found its way to market. Occasionally a bale or two is offered for sale. Within 60 days the new crop will be moving.

Mrs. Sallie Bigham has returned from a prolonged visit to her children in North Augusta and southern Georgia. She has been very cordially greeted by her Edgefield friends.

The colored people are working for the agricultural fair which will be held at Edgefield next fall. The premium list is being printed in pamphlet form in The Advertiser's job department.

Mr. Albert Reel and Misses Maggie Reel and Ida Timmerman are sojourning in the mountains of North Carolina for several weeks. They went up in Mr. Reel's car Wednesday last.

Prof. W. L. Mellichamp of Fairfield county has been employed as principal of the Red Hill school for the session of 1916-17. He has been attending the summer school for teachers at Winthrop college.

You'll make a mistake if you do not take advantage of the shoe bargains that are being offered this week by the Corner Store. If you can get a fit, you can shoe yourself at about half the wholesale cost.

Mr. P. M. Feltham has been spending several days here with his family, having come from Waycross, Ga., early last week when a veritable flood visited that section, the rainfall being nearly 12 inches in one day.

Miss Elma Etheredge of Pleasant Lane is visiting Miss Grace Dobson.

Go to Collett and Mitchell's or Miss Eliza Mims, for handpainted china, for the weddings.

Mrs. D. W. Smith of the Antioch section spent the past week in Edgefield with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Lyon.

Prof. and Mrs. P. P. Burns of Birmingham have arrived to spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Sheppard.

Mesdames B. L. Jones, Sallie Brooks Mosley, Ida Blount and Miss Daisy Lyon are spending some time at Glenn Springs.

Miss Lucy Katherine Easterling of Aiken is spending this week in Edgefield in the home of her uncle, Mr. M. C. Parker, and as the guest of Miss Grace Dobson.

Mr. W. Wallace Sheppard who holds a position in the Indian service of the government and is stationed in Nebraska is visiting his parents, Ex-Gov. and Mrs. J. C. Sheppard.

The county campaign meeting at Red Hill which was fixed for August 5th has been called off by request of the people of that community, and there will be no county campaign meeting at Red Hill.

Miss Sallie Mae Nicholson has as her guest the past week Mrs. Allen Jervey of Charleston who was her class-mate at Winthrop college. Mrs. Jervey's husband, Dr. Allen Jervey, is major of the second regiment stationed at Stux.

The last call for candidates' pledges. All candidates for office in Edgefield county must file their pledge and pay their assessment by noon of Friday, July 21. The first campaign meeting will be held the following day at Johnston.

Miss Lura Mims was carried to the hospital in Columbia Friday. At the time it was thought she would have to undergo an operation for appendicitis but after a more thorough examination it was found that an operation would not be necessary.

Dinner will be served at the county campaign meeting at Colliers Wednesday, August 2, in order to raise funds with which to repaint Peace Haven Sunday school building. We hope the good people of that splendid community will meet with much success.

Mr. John R. Scurry knows how to do things right. He has had the shingles coated with creosote on his pretty cottage on Jeter street which is nearing completion. About 90 per cent of people overlook the painting of the roof, the part of the building most exposed to the weather.

Mr. J. Richard Hammond announces his candidacy this week for the office of county commissioner of Edgefield county. Mr. Hammond is a sterling citizen of the Colliers section who is highly esteemed by all who know him. Should the people elect Mr. Hammond, he will do his utmost to render satisfactory service.

After spending two weeks very pleasantly in Camden and Columbia with her brothers, Jasper W. and Ben Talbert, Miss Mary Talbert joined Miss Sunie Talbert Saturday in North Augusta, where they will visit Miss Mildred Scott. Before returning to Edgefield they will spend some time in Grovetown, Ga., and at the Isle of Palms.

Mr. C. M. Williams was in town Saturday. He is one of the leading hog raisers in the county. For him it is a money making enterprise. About two weeks ago he sent a load of hogs to Greenwood and realized \$87.50 for them and last week sent a load to Augusta and sold them for \$80. He has another "crop" in the clover field and just "loads" of small pigs "coming on."

Several days ago Mr. C. M. Mellichamp received an interesting letter from his sister, Miss Viola Mellichamp, who resides at Agricola, Miss., giving a detailed account of the terrific storm which visited that section early last week. The rainfall was also unprecedented. Some buildings were blown down, parts of others were torn away and a number were lifted from their foundations. The church near Agricola was lifted from the pillars and left as the Leaning Tower of Pisa. There was no loss in that section.

Fresh Turnip Seed.

Let us supply you with turnip seed. We have just received our first shipment of ruta baga and all the popular varieties of turnip seed direct from the celebrated Buist farm. They are the kind that always germinate and give entire satisfaction. Penn & Holstein.

Roper-Burkhalter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. P. Roper announce the marriage of their daughter, Mae, to Mr. William Brooks Burkhalter, Wednesday, July 12, 1916, North Augusta, S. C.

Miss Mae Roper was greatly beloved in Edgefield, where she resided during the years of her girlhood and young womanhood. The Advertiser joins her host of Edgefield friends in wishing her great joy and happiness during the years that lie before her.

Meriwether To-Morrow.

The annual picnic will be given by the members of the Meriwether Agricultural club at Meriwether hall to-morrow, July 20. It is expected that the attendance will be large. Edgefield will be represented. Our people know from past experience what charming hosts the members of the Meriwether club are. They never leave anything undone that will contribute in any manner to the comfort and pleasure of their guests. All of the candidates and all of the people of two counties and two states who can go will be at Meriwether hall to-morrow.

Miss Woodson Entertains.

On Tuesday evening Miss Hortense Woodson entertained for Miss Gladys Bell at a delightful tea. Others present were Miss Ida Folk, the Misses Fitzmaurice, Miss Florence Mims and Mrs. Woodson. Several young men came during the evening.

The dining room was decorated in yellow daffodils. The table was covered in gilt mats, and decorated in candles and paper cups made in the shape of daffodils. After the delicious supper gelatine and whipped cream were served in daffodil cups with carmel cake. The evening was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Sunbeam Meet.

There will be a gathering at Edgefield of all the Sunbeam bands in Edgefield association at a Sunbeam meet on Thursday, August 3 at the school building and grounds. All of the children of these organizations are invited to come. Lunch will be served on the grounds.

The exercises will be held in the morning in the auditorium and in the afternoon games and outdoor sports will be enjoyed. There will be two medal contests, declamation and song, and contestants from each band will compete for the prizes.

Story telling, illustrated talks and a playlet will be other features of the interesting program.

Mrs. M. N. Tillman, Asso. Supt. Sunbeams, Edge. Ass'n.

Death of Mrs. W. T. Saunders.

Friday, July 14, Mrs. W. T. Saunders died at a hospital in Columbia where she had been staying for some time for special treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders moved to Edgefield from Georgia to make their home about a year ago, and since coming among us she has endeared herself to a large circle of friends who sympathize deeply with the bereaved loved ones. She was a very noble and an altogether unselfish woman. Mrs. Saunders was an active member of the Methodist church. The funeral was conducted by her pastor, Rev. A. L. Gunter, and the interment took place in the village cemetery. She is survived by her husband and three daughters, Mrs. W. F. McMurray, Miss Anna Belle and Mattie Saunders.

Red Hill Rippings.

The trustees of our school elected Prof. W. L. Mellichamp of Fairfield county as principal and he has accepted. This gives us a fine teaching force. Prof. Mellichamp principal, Miss Alpha Hammond first assistant, Miss Mary Townes second assistant.

Mr. Albert Quarles who has been in a hospital in Columbia came home last Friday.

Mr. W. W. Littlejohn of Spartanburg visited Rose Cottage last week.

The ladies missionary society will meet with Mrs. Willie McDonald Thursday afternoon.

There was a good congregation at Red Hill Sunday morning also at Colliers in the afternoon.

Rose Cottage.

FOR MAGISTRATE.

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the position of Magistrate of the eighth magisterial district of Edgefield county, and pledge myself to abide the result of the Democratic primary election.

J. W. BLEDSOE.

WANTED: To buy your remnants of cotton seed at 50 cents per bushel, immediate delivery. R. M. Winn, Plum Branch, S. C.

Summer Clearance Sale.

Mr. Rubenstein has purchased a full page in The Advertiser this week, the second page, to tell the people of Edgefield county about his Summer Clearance Sale which he will conduct for 15 days, commencing next Friday, July 22. Read every word he says and you will see what bargains will be offered. He asks that you take the advertisement to his store and prove for yourself that he makes good every statement contained therein. Prices have been reduced in every department. Something can be purchased for every member of the family.

A Well Equipped College For Women.

Coker College is the new South Carolina Institution for the education of women. It has been made possible through the liberality of Major J. L. Coker and other friends. The General Education Board of New York recently recognized the worth of the institution by a \$50,000 gift. It is said to be one of the growing institutions of the south. Its endowment of over \$250,000 assures its permanence. Dr. E. W. Sikes has recently been called from Wake Forest College to take charge of it.

Hardy's Happenings.

Wish we could divide rain with the Texas people who had not had any for more than a year. We are still having lots of it, and general green, still marshalls his army in the crops. We are having plenty of nice vegetables now, when we can wade in to the garden without bogging too much. The tomatoes are rotting very badly, from so much rain. They are large, and so nice, when perfect. We have already put up 6 gallons of beans for winter, and will make corn relish and cabbage pickle this week. We hope to put up 12 dozen cans of tomatoes, and equally as many of the corn, okra and tomatoes for soup. All these things help out, cold or rainy days, when 'tis too bad to get to the garden for turnips, cabbage or collards. Our fruit crop has been a failure this season. Still we have enough left from former years to carry us through. What a blessing it is too, now that sugar is so high.

Hardy's services were sparsely attended Sunday we are told. Owing we suppose, to the bad rainy day. The W. M. S. meeting has been postponed from the 20th to the 27th when we are to meet at Mrs. Tom Briggs. The date was changed on account of the Meriwether club barbecue, which is to take place on the 20th.

We attended the Lanham-McCatcher marriage at Republican on the 11th. The church was beautifully decorated by friends of the bride. Miss Minnie Lanham presided at the organ and played the wedding march. Revs. P. B. Lanham and J. T. Littlejohn performed the ceremony. Messrs. Bennie and Willie Lanham were the ushers. They came in first, then the two sweet little flower girls, Misses Mary Bunch and Florence McKie. Then the bride, Miss Mattie Lanham and Miss Lena Lanham the bridesmaid. Mr. Greg McCatcher and his brother met them at the altar and the ceremony soon joined two happy hearts as one. The bride was very becomingly attired in a tan coat suit, and all accessories to match.

They tarried only a few minutes, when the slipped away to Augusta to catch the 2 o'clock to Bishopville, S. C., where they will make their home. The bride was very pale, sweet and pretty. Miss Lena Lanham was at her best—very pretty, and we would not be surprised if she captivated some heart. The sweet little girls did their part beautifully, and looked so sweet.

Mr. and Mrs. Burkhalter are spending two weeks in Asheville.

Mrs. Sallie Bunch has been quite sick this week. Mr. P. B. Lanham visited her Sunday. He took dinner at Mr. Harry Bunch's and spent the night at Mrs. Georgia McKie's, we think.

Mrs. Willie Walker and little daughter spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Julia Townes, and they returned home Sunday last.

Hardy's.

GRIFFIS BARBECUE.

I give notice that I will hold my annual barbecue Friday, July 28. I have engaged the McKinnie band of Augusta to furnish music and I have been informed that it is better than last year. I want it understood that no new or late dances will be allowed. No whiskey will be allowed on the premises either. I will serve dinner as heretofore, having planned to feed all who attend.

J. J. Griffis.

Notice to Creditors and Debtors.

In re the Estate of Mrs. Leila L. Stone. Notice is hereby given to all creditors of the estate of Mrs. Leila L. Stone, dec'd., to render to the undersigned an account of their demands duly attested, on or before the 28th day of August, A. D., 1916 or be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate must make payment to

J. H. STONE.
Adm. Est. Mrs. Leila L. Stone, deceased.
7-12-31.

FOR SALE—Several thousand tomato plants, ready to be transplanted. Leave orders at the Bank of Edgefield.

ALLIANCE FOR BLOOD PURIFICATION AND KIDNEYS

(Continued from Fourth Page.)

August 13th cash	9.00
Total	\$715.99

March 12th by check of Bank of Edgefield for interest on note . . . \$	44.42
March 20th by check J. T. Mims, Insurance	52.00
April 8th by check H. A. Smith, Insurance	45.50
April 18th by check E. J. Norris, Insurance	67.40
April 19th by check Harling & Byrd, Insurance	45.50
July 26th by check J. M. Paul, work on college building	35.00
August 2nd by check J. M. Paul, work on college building	20.00
July 28th by check J. A. Townsend, R. R. for freight and demurrage on roofing	67.30
August 9th by check J. M. Paul, work on building	15.00
August 9th by check Paul Cousins in part for roofing building . . .	75.00
August 13th by check E. S. Johnson on contract with J. M. Paul . . .	27.69
August 14th by check Paul Cousins in part for roofing bldg.	75.00
August 22 by check J. M. Paul, for work on building	142.00
Sept. 20 by check J. M. Paul	9.00

Total	\$720.12
Overdraft	4.22

J. C. SHEPPARD, CHAIRMAN BOARD OF TRUSTEES.
In Account With The Bank of Edgefield.
1914.

Jan. 21st deposited check by County Treasurer	\$1000.00
Feb. 13th deposited proceeds discounted note	463.35
Total	\$1463.45

Jan. 27th by check to Farmers Bank Edgefield in payment of note . . .	433.00
Feb. 12 by check C. A. Griffin, Insurance	13.00
March 13th by check Bank of Edgefield in payment of note	433.00
March 13th by check Bank of Edgefield in payment of note	274.67
March 13th by check Bank of Edgefield in payment of interest on old school notes	54.30
May 8th by check Bank of Edgefield for balance due on old school note dated Dec. 28, '95	87.00
May 19th by check Bank of Edgefield for payment on account of F. N. K. Bailey	100.00
Overdraft	4.22

Total	\$1,399.19
Balance to credit	64.26

J. C. SHEPPARD, CHAIRMAN BOARD OF TRUSTEES.
In Account With The Bank of Edgefield.
1915.

To balance from last year	\$ 64.26
March 9th deposited proceeds of note authorized by Board of Trustees	463.95
May 8th deposited cash	10.00
Sept. 16th deposited cash	5.00
Nov. 6th deposited proceeds of musical instruments	34.60
Total	\$577.81

March 17th check to Bank of Edgefield for balance due on old note dated March 24th, '06	49.24
March 17th check to Bank of Edgefield on old note dated Jan. 27, '06	237.90
April 10th to check Bank of Edgefield	200.00
Nov. 1st check to W. S. G. Heath	2.50
Total	\$489.64
Balance to credit	888.17

By way of explanation it should be here stated that on March 17th 1915, the County Treasurer issued two checks for \$500.00 each, one check on the Bank of Western Carolina, and one check on the Farmers Bank of Edgefield. The check on the Farmers Bank was given to the bank in payment of a note for the same sum for the last year; and the check on the Bank of Western Carolina was given to the Bank of Edgefield in payment of a note for the same sum for the last year.

J. C. SHEPPARD, CHAIRMAN BOARD OF TRUSTEES.
In Account With The Bank of Edgefield.
1916.

Jan. 1st, balance from last year	\$ 88.17
Feb. 28th deposited proceeds of discounted note authorized by Board of Trustees	461.35
March 20th deposited proceeds sale of building	125.00
June 2nd deposited check by treasurer	110.00
Total	\$784.52

Check to Farmers Bank for interest on past due note	\$ 2.33
Feb. 22 Bank of Edgefield interest on past due note	2.33
March 15th to Mark Paul for work	7.00
March 29th to Bank of Edgefield for interest on old note	21.65
April 13th to Bank of Edgefield balance due on old note dated Jan. 27, '06	262.05
Total	295.36
Balance to credit July 6, '16	489.16

By way of explanation, it should be here stated that on Feb. 22nd, 1916, the County Treasurer issued two checks for \$500.00 each, one on the Bank of Edgefield, and one on the Farmers Bank; and these two checks were delivered to these two banks respectively in payment of notes given previous year for the same respective sums.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Edgefield.

Personally came before me, J. C. Sheppard, who being duly sworn, says, that the above statements for the years 1913, 1914, 1915, and 1916, correctly represent all the monies received by him and paid out by him as Chairman of the Board of Trustees for said years respectively.

J. C. SHEPPARD,
Notary Public, S. C. (L. S.)

B. E. NICHOLSON,
County Chairman.

FOUND—A gold bracelet on the street crossing between the store of Collett & Mitchell and the Edgefield Fruit Store. Apply at The Advertiser office.