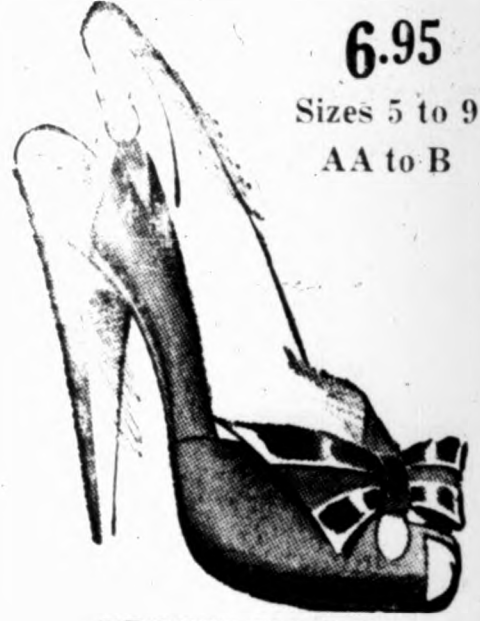


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For the Week . . . LYDIA MILLS NEWS

MRS. MART SATTERFIELD,
Correspondent and Representative

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Black, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Black and children visited Mrs. Floyd E. Brown, who is a patient in the Newberry hospital, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Willard and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Billings near Ware Shoals Sunday. E. D. Grace spent the week-end in Pineville, N. C., with his parents.

W. E. McGinnis of Piedmont, was the week-end guest of his daughter, Mrs. W. I. Bailey, and Mr. Bailey. Mrs. E. J. Grace and daughter spent the week-end in Warrentonville with relatives.

D. N. Morgan spent the past week in Spartanburg with his daughter, Mrs. J. T. Gentry, and Mr. Gentry.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Prather and family and Mrs. Rex Harris and son spent Sunday in Ware Shoals with Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Madden.

Patsy Fuller spent Sunday with Bobbie Joe Todd near Laurens.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Roach and children of Westminster, spent the week-end recently with Mrs. J. W. Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davis and son of Spartanburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Rex Harris Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Yarborough of Fountain Inn, visited Mr. and

Mrs. J. O. Womble over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Womble returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Reeder of Whitmire, spent Sunday with Mrs. Ellie Reeder.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reeder and children visited Chimney Rock, N. C., Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Rhodes and Frances Fuller of Rhodens, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Emory.

Sgt. and Mrs. James H. Drake have returned to Biloxi, Miss., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Williams the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cauble and Donaree and Miss Pat Davenport visited Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Cauble in Laurens Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James O. Sanders visited relatives in Union Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Johns had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Walker Jones and Etta Mae of Union.

Mr. and Mrs. William Griffin and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Estes and children, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Smith of Ninety-Six, visited Mrs. Jessie Mills Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. O'Shields and children, Mrs. Hugh Ballari and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Douglas in Gray Court Sunday.

Among the Sick

Mrs. Roy Carter is ill on Oak street. Friends of Granny Grace will be sorry to learn she continues ill. Mrs. Claud Willard has flu.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Little Nancy Ann Smith will celebrate her birthday October 27.

Clyde Rhodes, Jr., has a birthday October 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Willard celebrated their wedding anniversary October 11.

Marvin Patterson had a birthday October 18, and Mrs. Marvin Patterson has her's October 23.

Mrs. Cleo Abercrombie celebrated her birthday October 14.

Mrs. Henry Abercrombie will celebrate her birthday October 23.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Abercrombie will celebrate their wedding anniversary October 20.

Birthday Party For Carroll Mills
On Friday night the home of Mrs. Jessie Mills was the scene of much fun and merriment on the occasion of Carroll's 12th birthday. Twenty-six friends helped to make it a lovely party. Games were played after which the gifts were opened by Carroll.

In the center of the table was a birthday cake. Mrs. Mills was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. W. R. Cauble.

Halloween Party To Be Given
Thursday (tonight) at 7:30 the Woman's club will have a Halloween party at the community center. All members are asked to dress in costumes.

Patterson-Attaway Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Patterson announce the engagement of their daughter, Faye Elizabeth, to Freddie Attaway, son of Mrs. C. B. Grogan. The wedding will take place in December.

Colier F. Bailey Passes

Colier F. Bailey, 60, died Sunday night at Hays hospital after two years of declining health. He was a native of Laurens county, a son of the late Samuel D. and Emma Leake Bailey. He spent most of his life in Greenville, but had made his home at Lydia Mill for the past 15 years. He was a member of the Methodist church.

He is survived by one son, James D. Bailey, of Lydia Mill; one grandson; two brothers and one sister, Silas J. and James C. Bailey of Greenville, and Mrs. W. L. Mulliken of Spartanburg.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Lydia Mill Baptist church. The Rev. P. L. Bauknight and the Rev. R. D. Gregg had charge of the services. Interment followed in the Leesville Methodist church cemetery near Clinton.

Much Spraying Against Diseases Done In County

Special to The Chronicle.

Columbia, Oct. 19—A grand total of 179,818 residences in South Carolina were sprayed between the first of April and the first of September in the annual D.D.T. spraying program of the South Carolina State Board of Health, according to Dr. G. E. McDaniel, director of the preventable diseases department of the board of health.

Residences sprayed in Laurens county numbered 5,334. Laurens was

in the group of counties in the upper part of the state in which spraying was done by mobile crews in sections selected as being potentially malaria areas, Dr. McDaniel explained.

In the lower part of the state, where malarial areas are more widespread, a county-wide spraying of all rural residences was undertaken.

The department of preventable diseases also conducted two experimental spraying projects during the summer. In some counties the inside of buildings occupied by animals were sprayed as well as the residences, and in another group of counties pine resin was added to the spray and the outside of the buildings and fences in rural areas were also sprayed.

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