

Special and Personal News

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Near The Dawn.

Life's troubles gather darkly the way we follow here. The hope the sad heart lightens, the voice speaks a word of cheer; the thought the shadow scatters, the cheering ray. The night appears the darkest, the dawn is not far away.

Adversity surrounds us, our sunshine friends pass by, the dreams so fondly cherished, the shattered treasures lie; amid such gloomy seasons sweet thought can yet be drawn, the darkest hour is present, always near the dawn.

The spirit fluttering lingers the confines of this life, coming from all joyful memories, from every scene of strife, the scene is sad and gloomy, the body shrinks in fear, the dark hours will soon be vanished, the glorious morn be here.

Cannot affect us always, better days will soon be here; we may oppress us often, a happier time is near; our earthly journey, the reflection lights the way—the darkest hour is always before the break of day.

Picnic and Barbecue.

Annual picnic and barbecue at Laurel Thursday Aug. 28th. W. O. W. are expected to take care of dinner. All are invited to come and bring baskets. Music and address by eminent speakers a part of the program. Come and enjoy the day. J. W. MAYNARD.

Majestic Theatre PROGRAM

Today Friday Aug. 22. Metro Presents The Great Nazimova in "THE RED LANTERN" The greatest production in all history of motion pictures. All Seats 50c

Saturday Aug. 23rd. Thomas H. Ince Presents CHARLES RAY IN "HAY FOOT, STRAW FOOT" Also a new episode of "THE TIGER'S TRAIL." With Ruth Roland

Monday Aug. 25th. Special Showing of "THE LAW OF NATURE" By Congressman R. F. Hobson. Matinee 3 p. m. Ladies Only. Night 8:45 p. m. No children under 16 admitted unless accompanied by parents. All seats will be 50 cents

Tuesday Aug. 26th. Metro Presents VIOLA DANA IN "SOME BRIDE" A winsome star in a light frothy comedy drama

Wednesday Aug. 27th. William Fox Presents MADEIRA TRAVEL IN "THE ROSE OF THE WEST" A picture of the great West

Thursday Aug. 28th. MARGUERITE CLARKE IN "GIRLS" See this play by all means

RECEPTION AT GRAVEL RIDGE

Gravel Ridge, the beautiful country home of Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Hay assembled a wide circle of friends on Wednesday evening from nine to eleven o'clock, the occasion being a reception tendered Mr. Henry Boykin and his charming bride, who was Miss Hortense Swift, of Des Moines, Iowa, and who is not a stranger in Camden, having spent several tourist seasons here where her pleasing and attractive personality won many friends and admirers who are delighted to welcome her and to know that she is to make her home in Dixie.

The rooms were simply but beautifully decorated, flower-filled from the generous gardens of this lovely home. The guests were welcomed by Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Hay and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Kirkland. There was no formal receiving line, as informality seemed to be the keynote of an occasion that was charming and delightful in every particular, but Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Boykin and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Cantey assisted in receiving and presenting the bride to those who had not already had the pleasure of her acquaintance. Mrs. Henry Boykin was most attractive in a simple but becoming dress of pink organdy, with light blue and pink accessories.

In the dining room a tastefully arranged table formed a center decoration. White, green, and pink made an effective color scheme; the dainty green vines and white waxy flowers of the clematis led from the table to the chandelier, and the colors were cleverly carried out in the refreshments. The punch bowl was presided over by Miss Halle, Miss Mary Boykin Heyward, Miss Wingate and others, and baskets of cake passed by a bevy of pretty young girls. The guests from Camden were "on time" and stayed the time out, for they had a "love to linger round here feeling", and it was hard to break away from the genuine Southern hospitality for which the Boykin neighborhood is noted.

MISS MARY SEIGLER COMPLIMENTED

In compliment to her guest Miss Mary Seigler, of Wimsboro, Miss Nancy Lindsay entertained three tables of bridge Tuesday afternoon. The rose draperies of the north parlor blended effectively with a profusion of pink crepe myrtle and the lights gleamed softly through the rose-tinted shades forming a lovely setting for the merry dozen girls in their airy summer dresses, representing the tints of the beautiful rainbow that just now spans the sky of each. The score prize was won by Miss Sue Halle, and the honor guest was also remembered with a pretty souvenir of the occasion. After cards refreshments were served, consisting of ices and cake.

See Nazimova in "The Red Lantern" tonight at the Majestic, a play where passion, like scarlet pomegranate flowers, burst into bloom.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Katherine Zemp has returned from a long stay at Wrightville Beach. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cato, of Canyey, Wednesday night, twins, a boy and a girl.

Miss Ella Orr of Greenville is visiting her aunt Mrs. J. H. Clark for a couple of weeks.

Misses Annie and Margaret Rast are visiting relatives and friends in Orangeburg and St. Matthews.

Mrs. J. R. Belk, Mrs. Minnie Traylor and Miss Annie Mae Belk are spending a while in Charleston.

See Nazimova, the greatest artist of the screen or stage, at the Majestic tonight in "The Red Lantern."

Mr. Horace Latham of the U. S. Army is on a furlough and is visiting relatives and friends in Camden this week.

Nazimova in "The Red Lantern" showing at the Majestic tonight. See a story of the purple city—dazzling in its grandeur.

Mrs. Sallie K. Blakeney and Misses Lal Blakeney and Mary Villepique returned Thursday from a stay in the mountains.

Mr. David Perkins has gone North for a stay of a few weeks. It is hoped that Mr. Perkins and his interesting family may find it feasible to remain in Camden and continue to make it their home. A wide circle of friends here would regret to give them up.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mitcham, of this city received word from their son, Captain Doris Mitcham that he arrived at Norfolk, Va., last Thursday after a long service in France. He was immediately ordered to San Francisco and it will be some time yet before he will return to Camden.

Mr. Harry K. Griggs, of the firm of E. H. and W. J. Peck Co., coffee importers, of New York City, spent Wednesday in Camden. Mr. Griggs was a frequent visitor to Camden years ago and it was his first trip back here in nine years. Also it was his first trip to the Southland in the summertime. He had been spending a part of his vacation at Savannah, Ga.

Miss Cornelia Thomas of Columbia is the guest of Mrs. Margaret Miller. Dr. and Mrs. Edwin Muller left Thursday for Atlantic City and other points. They expect to be away about one month.

Boys who have come back from 'across' know what Cole's Hot Blast Heaters did in France. The Camden Furniture Co. is selling this celebrated line of fuel savers which are guaranteed to use 25 to 50 per cent less fuel than ordinary stoves.

ITEMS OVER THE STATE

M. S. McKinnon, of Hartsville, S. C., has been chosen as president of the Southern Retail Merchants' Association. The association has just closed a three day session at Richmond, Va.

George Peters, aged 55, a white farmer of near Baltimore, was murdered and his body set afire Sunday. Catherine Peters, his daughter was shot twice. The crime was committed by an unidentified negro.

Jake Gosnell and Hugh Bramlett have been transferred from the state prison to Greenville where they will be placed on trial soon. Gosnell for the murder of Sheriff Rector and Bramlett for the murder of his mother-in-law.

O. M. Sanders, believed to be from Union, S. C., is unconscious in a Columbia hospital, from the effects of swallowing eight ounces of paragon.

A stolen car containing fifteen or twenty gallons of contraband whiskey was wrecked on the streets of Greenville at an early hour Tuesday morning. The man in charge made his escape and left the car and cargo.

Buster Cook, of Spartanburg, an eight year old lad who has been held in jail charged with the murder of his five year old brother, has been released upon a bond of \$1,000.

Jim Grant, a returned negro soldier, was lynched at Pope City, Ga., Thursday. The negro had shot two white men, father and son, and was pulled off a train as he was making his escape.

Fritz M. Behre, a white man of Sumter, died Wednesday in that city from pistol wounds inflicted by Joe Wells last Saturday afternoon. Wells has been re-arrested charged with murder. Behre killed a brother of Wells only a few weeks ago, and the shooting of Behre grew out of the first killing.

James L. Dibble, a well known colored man now residing in St. Louis, is here on his annual visit to relatives.

Opens Rest Room For Colored Women.
George McLain has opened a rest room for colored women in the Sheheen building on South Main Street, south of J. S. Rhame's Store.

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THE GREAT NAZIMOVA



IN The Red Lantern

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Majestic Theatre, Friday, Aug. 22

Starting promptly at 6 p.m.; Second show starts 8 p.m. Third show at 10 p. m.

You'll appreciate the picture more to see it at beginning

Admission 50c to All Seats, War Tax Included

MRS. KING COMPLIMENTED
In honor of Mrs. Wm. King who has recently returned to Camden after an absence of more than a year, Mrs. John Lindsay entertained on Wednesday morning a number of Mrs. King's friends in an informal "welcome home". The spacious rooms were attractively arranged

for the occasion and flower-filled with a variety of summer bloom. Tall vases of astors in all their lovely pastel shades, great bunches of pink crepe myrtle, and huge bowls of old time zineas brought to velvety perfection by cultivation blended in pleasing effect and converted the rooms into a summer garden. The hours were spent in plying needles and tongues.

At noon a dainty luncheon was served.

WANTED AT ONCE
One policeman for the City of Camden. Salary \$85.00 per month. Applications will be received up to Wednesday, August 27th.
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City Clerk and Treasurer.

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