

## PERSONAL MENTION.

People Visiting in This City and at Other Points.

—Harry White, of the U. S. navy, spent the past week-end in the city.

—Postmaster J. B. O'Neal, of Fairfax, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

—Miss Evelyn Fuller, of Greenwood, has been visiting Miss Medrue Free.

—Franklin Campbell, of Islandton, spent several days in the city last week.

—Mrs. D. C. Murph, of Orangeburg, visited relatives in the city last week.

—Charlie Moye has returned to the city from a visit to relatives in Walterboro.

—J. Carl Kearse has returned to the city after spending a few days in Columbia.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Henderson returned this week from Cedar Mountain, N. C.

—Mrs. P. G. Carnes spent several days last week with relatives in Orangeburg.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shuler, of Aiken, have been visiting relatives at Hunter's Chapel.

—Mrs. J. Y. Hicks and children, who have been visiting in Branchville, are at home.

—N. P. Smoak has returned home from Charleston, where he recently went for treatment.

—Harold Simmons, of Greenwood, is spending some time in the city with relatives and friends.

—Mrs. D. W. Shealey has returned to Fountain, Fla., after a visit to relatives in Bamberg.

—Mrs. G. W. Folk and daughter, Miss Wilhelmina, have returned from a visit to Walterboro.

—Miss Genevieve Kirsch is spending some time with relatives and friends in Charleston.

—Mrs. W. B. Tarkington, of Laurinburg, N. C., is spending a few days in the city with relatives.

—Mrs. E. J. Wannamaker, of Orangeburg, visited Mrs. M. A. Bamberg in the city last week.

—Mrs. S. A. Rowell is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. M. A. Moye, in Charleston.

—Mrs. J. A. Price, of Denmark, spent a few days in the city last week with Mrs. H. D. Free.

—Miss Eula Harrison returned to the city Monday from Savannah, where she spent a week's vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Whitaker have returned to the city from a visit to relatives in Newberry.

—F. M. Moye left Monday for the North Carolina mountains where Mrs. Moye is spending the summer.

—W. D. Rhoad, Sr., and Marion Rhoad returned to the city Saturday from a business trip to New York.

—Miss Ray Bazard has returned to the city after spending her vacation in the North Carolina mountains.

—H. Floyd Steedly has returned to the city after spending a portion of his vacation with relatives at Holly Hill.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Stokes and Mrs. W. E. Stokes returned to the city last week from Lake Junaluska, N. C.

—Miss Wilhelmina Folk, who is visiting at Ashton, will leave Saturday to join a house party at Yonge's Island.

—Ted Stuckey, of Bishopville, spent several days in the city last week with his brother, Dr. H. J. Stuckey.

—Thomas Ducker returned last week from Asheville, and reports that Mrs. Ducker continues to show improvement.

—C. W. Rentz, Jr., and Mayor LeVerne Thomas left Monday morning by automobile for Florence to spend a week.

—Mrs. A. F. Free and Mrs. S. D. Duncan and children, of Millhaven, Ga., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Free and family.

—Mrs. W. E. Spann, Mrs. H. F. Spann and Miss Evelyn Spann left Monday for Hendersonville and Asheville to spend two weeks.

—Misses Clyde and Ruby McGinnies, of Sparta, Ga., and Daisy Rizer, of Olar, spent the past week-end in the city with Mrs. J. J. Jones.

—Miss Elizabeth Johnson is visiting her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Hunter, of Hunter's Chapel section of Bamberg county.—Williston Way.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Folk, Miss Virginia Folk, and John and Faber Folk, returned last week from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gilds in Columbia.

—Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Felder, after a visit of a few weeks to relatives in Georgetown, returned home Monday, Mrs. Felder's sister, Miss Beatty, returning with them for a visit.

## EHRHARDT BUREAU

W. F. Hiers, Manager.

## FINE DOG KILLED.

Ehrhardt, August 23.—Diana, the fine bulldog belonging to P. B. McLeod, while playing on Main street Saturday morning, was run over by an automobile and killed. W. G. Muller was driving the car, but no blame is attached to him as the accident was unavoidable.

## CLEANING UP THE TOWN.

We are glad to note some activity during the past few days on the part of the weed cutters and ditch cleaners of the town. This is a very good thing, for it not only helps to beautify our town but also enhances its healthfulness, both of which are necessary to enjoyable living.

## VACATION TIME SOON OVER.

Vacation time for teachers and students will soon be over. The Ehrhardt school will open on September 12. Supt. L. E. Kirby again will be in charge of the school. This will be his third year here. He will be assisted by Mrs. J. R. Peters and Miss Elizabeth Black in the high school, and in the grammar school by Misses Ruth Bishop, Pearle Hook, Nettie Godbold, and Oda Baker. The music department will be in charge of Miss Alene Pritchard. A full attendance is expected from the beginning, as the compulsory attendance law will be put into effect on this date.

## EHRHARDT WINS AGAIN.

When the smoke of battle had cleared away last Thursday at Smoaks, it was found that Ehrhardt was again victorious, this time by the score of 4 to 3. Smoaks had

strengthened her team considerably by the addition of some good material from Branchville, but the lightning speed of Purcell, interspersed with a choice assortment of curves, proved too much for them. He struck out sixteen men and allowed five scattered hits. Sauls, after the first inning, pitched a good game for Smoaks.

## TO ELIMINATE MOSQUITO.

Ehrhardt has an opportunity of taking advantage of the government's offer to assist in the eradication of the mosquito and the control of malaria. It is necessary that the town

guarantee by the first of September that it will raise its share of the money to do this work. A mass meeting of the citizens was held in Copeland hall last evening to see if the people wanted this work done and to work out a means of raising the money. Judging from the number who attended this meeting it appears that the mosquito has a great number of friends here who would not like to inconvenience him in any way by putting the government forces in behind him. However, the small number who did attend was very enthusiastic over this movement and has gone to work to see what can be done.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Clyde Eaves and daughter, Verna, of Williston, are visiting relatives here.

Miss Margaret Staple, of Stapleton, Ga., is here on a visit to Mrs. John G. Copeland.

Miss W. W. Blount and two daughters, of Charleston, and Mrs. E. E. Howard and daughter, of Vicksburg, Miss., are visiting Mrs. F. H. Cope-

## VICTORY.

On the day after the armistice that ended the not-so-late war a southern mountaineer, driving down from the hills on one of his rare visits to town, encountered a whiskered squirrel hunter.

"What was that racket down to the Forks last night, stranger?" he inquired. "Red lights and fireworks and sechlike. Sounded like it might be some sort of a celebration."

"It shore was," said the other. " Didn't ye hear? The war's over."

"It is? Say, did we—did we win?" "We shore did."

"Hooyay!" shouted the moonshiner. "It took a leetle more time than I expected but I never had a doubt for one durn minute but what we'd finally kick them damyanks."

## HIS ALIBI.

A meek looking darkey was brought into a suburban police station and a petty charge was put upon the blotter. He pleaded innocence.

"Well," asked the examining officer, "is there any one here who can vouch for your respectability?"

Whereupon the darkey sinled out the head of the small police force. "He can," said the colored man, pointing to that officer.

"I can," gasped the policeman.

"Why, I don't know you."

"Dat's it exactly," said the accused. "I's lived in this place fo' mo' dan five yeahs an' de police don't even know me. So, you see, gents, I can't be such a hard lot."

## 27 SHOT STORMING JAIL.

Most of Wounded Are Curiosity-Seekers—All Wounded Are White.

## FINE DOG KILLED.

Knoxville, Tenn., Aug. 19.—Twenty-six persons were wounded, six seriously, at 9:30 last night when deputies guarding the Knox county jail fired on a crowd which had crossed a "dead line" in approaching the jail with the avowed purpose of demanding Frank Martin, a negro held as a suspect in a criminal assault upon a country school teacher Thursday.

All of the wounded are white. Two are women. Most of the wounded were curiosity-seekers who were standing to one side upon the courthouse lawn, which is 30 feet above the street level at the corner where the jail stands. One officer was wounded in the arm by return fire from the crowd.

The machine gun company 117th infantry, Tennessee national guard, was on duty at the jail. Half a dozen soldiers joined in the firing with their revolvers. The machine guns were not put into operation.

Following reports that the school teacher today had positively identified Martin as her assailant, large crowds began gathering in the vicinity of the jail before dusk tonight.

Several times the crowd started down the hill on Main street leading to the jail. They were turned back by police. Efforts were made to hold them a block distant.

Gradually some of the bolder ones edged down the street. There were probably 200 men and boys in the crowd that gradually approached the jail. Several hundred other persons, many of them women, were in the court house yard looking down upon the scene.

## SHERIFF GAVE WARNING.

As the crowd in the street came within 100 feet, Sheriff Cate stepped under an arc light and demanded that they disperse. He gave warning that an imaginary line between two telephone poles should not be crossed.

As a dozen men passed these poles, the sheriff picked up a shot gun and fired over the heads of the crowd into the air. Four deputies who were with him then fired two volleys. Two men in the court house yard and two or three in the street fired revolvers in reply.

Sheriff Cate stated tonight that the first shot came from the court house lawn almost simultaneously with which several rocks were thrown from that hill, one of them striking Deputy Sheriff Charles Lewis, whereupon he fired over the heads of the crowd. His statement was substantiated by Adjutant General P. L. Brummit, who hurried here from Nashville, arriving tonight, and by Captain J. J. Schneider, of the machine gun company.

The shooting then became general. Many of the loads of buckshot fired by the officers and intended to go above the heads of the crowd in the street, went among spectators in the court house yard. Several of the wounded are suffering from bullets of large calibre.

At 11 o'clock a heavy detachment of police, summoned from their homes for riot duty, dispersed the crowd. No one was allowed to pause within a block of the jail.

Expect No More Trouble.

At that hour it appeared that there would be no further trouble.

The local troop of national guard cavalry was mobilized but had not appeared on the scene at 11 o'clock.

On August 30, 1919, the Knox county jail was stormed and dynamited by a mob searching for Maurice Mays, a negro, accused of murdering a white woman. Mays had been removed during the afternoon but the mob released many prisoners, six of whom were charged with murder.

Following that attack there was a general race riot over the city and two men were killed and 20 wounded before troops gained control of the situation. Mays is in the county jail tonight where he is held pending appeal from his second conviction on the charge of murdering Mrs. Birdie Lindsay, the first conviction having been reversed by the supreme court.

All of the wounded reside in Knoxville and immediate vicinity excepting Jesse Childers, of Elba, Ala., wounded in the hip and above the ankle, and R. W. Gleaves, aged 22, of Nashville, who was shot twice in each leg, through the left thigh, through the left arm and in the back. Gleaves's condition is grave.

## EVENTUALLY, WHY NOT NOW?

"Joe," snorted an ambitious father, "you're a spendthrift and a lazy good-for-nothing. Why don't you go out into the world and make something of yourself?"

"I would," whined the lazy son, "honest would—I've been meaning to for a long time, but I haven't any money to start out."

"Well, that's better. That's more like it. If that's all that's troubling you I'll advance the money."

"I know it, but after I've spent it, how'll I get back?"

## DENMARK BUREAU

J. E. Steadman, Manager.

## "FATS" AND "LEANS" BATTLE.

Denmark, August 23.—A very interesting game of base ball was played here yesterday afternoon between the "fats" and "leans." The final score was 13 to 11 in favor of the leaners. It was hotly contested, and the outcome was in doubt until the last man was put out. The real feature of the game was the pitching of Andrew Baxter for the fats, who accomplished the unheard of feat of throwing the ball to 2nd base while standing in the pitcher's box facing the batter. It is rumored that a scout for one of the big league teams witnessed the game and has made offers to several of the players, among these being F. Sturgeon, who played right field for the leaners.

The fats are not at all satisfied with the outcome and still contend that they have the better team and it is said that their manager-left fielder, H. R. Gillam, has issued a challenge to play the game over in the near future.

## MRS. WYMAN ENTERTAINS.

Last Thursday afternoon Mrs. J. W. Wyman entertained the Goolsby-Green bridal party at a luncheon. The color scheme of pink and white was very tastefully carried out.

Those present were: Miss Lillian Goolsby (the bride), Spann Green (bridegroom), Miss Doris Goolsby, Miss Anna Goolsby, Miss Gladys Dukes, Miss Gertrude Riley, and Mesdames Goolsby and Martin; G. W. Goolsby, H. W. Goolsby, Winchester Graham, William Stokes, Fred Martin, Otis Sandifer, Jenkins Walker and Mr. Paschall.

## PEANUT BOILING.

On last Tuesday evening Miss Dorothy Riley gave a peanut boiling. A large crowd of young folks was present and enjoyed it to the fullest extent.

## PERSONAL ITEMS.

Miss Margaret Milhous, of Columbia, is the guest of Mrs. W. F. Shillito.

Mrs. J. D. Huggins and daughter, Miss Barnwell Huggins, of Manning, are the guests of Miss Rosa Bell Turner.

Carroll Mobley, who has been out in Arizona and New Mexico for about a year, has returned to his home here.

Mrs. Wesley Morrison, of Savannah, Ga., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wesley Crum.

B. M. Steadman, E. C. Tyler, Laurie Gillam, Harold Boozer, Philip Cox, Marshall Gillam and Clifton Gaze spent Sunday at Tybee, Ga.

## NEGRO PREACHER RUN OUT.

Said "White People Are Curs" and Other Bad Things.

Ellerbe, Aug. 16.—Rumors which appear to be well founded, are to the effect that Rev. John McClellan, a negro preacher of this community, was visited yesterday by a committee of Ellerbe citizens and ordered not to let the sun go down on him here as a result of remarks he is reported to have been making. It is understood that he quickly responded to the "invitation" and with his wife left town immediately in his buggy. The last seen of him, it is said, was when he passed through Creston about noon going toward Columbia.

The following article which refers to Rev. McClellan, was taken from "The Light," the negro publication of Columbia, which is edited by a Rev. C. G. Garrett, colored:

"Rev. W. D. King, the noted evangelist, had a card from the Rev. John McClellan to come to the big picnic at Ellerbe, and speak, but Rev. King did not go, and now he is glad of it. He must have observed when he was down there, that John was bad company, and he is. Any negro and especially a supposed Christian minister, who will publish in a church paper that, 'white people are curs and hell is too cool for them,' is a wicked fool, that's what Rev. McClellan did and dated his letter Ellerbe, S. C., with his own signature.

The good colored people who live by the assistance and kindness of the white people, should kick out in three