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Local and Personal

Next Saturday is the "Glorious Fourth."

Mr P B Feagin of Harpers was in the city Monday.

Miss Sallie Cox is on a visit to the home of Mr G O Epps.

Dr and Mrs W S Boyd of Heinemann was in town Monday.

Mr W B McElveen of Cades was in town on business Tuesday.

Misses Dell and Grace Van Keuren visited Lake City last week.

Mr Harry Riff took in the sights at Lake City one day last week.

The State campaigners will speak in Kingstree on Saturday, July 11.

WANTED—To hear of one picnic these days without a candidate there.

Miss Mai Stoll of Chester is spending some time with relatives in town.

Mrs W H McGee of Greelyville spent Friday and Saturday in Kingstree.

It is rumored that Kingstree is to have another ice house in the near future.

Mr Robert Gregg of Florence was a guest at the Hotel Van Keuren Sunday.

Miss Leafy Byrd of Hartsville is visiting Miss Annie Reddick in East Kingstree.

Miss Miriam Hirsch of Charleston is spending some time in town with relatives.

The local astronomers were out in full force last Sunday observing the eclipse.

Miss Lizzie Salters of Salters Depot visited relatives and friends here last week.

Miss Theo Gregg of Sumter is the guest of Miss Marion Gilland on Academy street.

Capt Charlie Wallace of St Stephens was in town a few hours Friday between trains.

The University of South Carolina, located at Columbia, has a new advertisement in this paper.

Miss Fannie Cordes of Charleston is spending some time in Kingstree with Mrs Robt Kirk.

Misses Louise and Iona Ried of St Charles are guests at the home of Mr T M Gilland in this city.

Mrs Nita S Jones of Brunswick, Ga, is visiting her little daughter, Claudia, for a few days.

Mrs Fladger with her three children of Manning are visiting the family of Capt J H Kennedy.

Mrs H G Askins returned home Friday from Lake City, where she has been spending several days.

Miss Eleanor Gourdin left Wednesday evening for New

York where she will spend several months.

Mr R B Smith is announced in this issue as a candidate for the office of treasurer of the Williamsburg county.

Misses Bessie Van Keuren spent last week with a growing Greelyville.

Mr. A. B. Stuckey is announced in this candidate for solicitor third judicial circuit.

Mr John E Godwin of Sumter announces this week as candidate for road engineer. See his card in these columns.

Misses Minnie and Clara Yarborough and Sara Moore of Columbia are visiting the Misses Gordon on east Main street.

Miss Laura Burgess and little Trent Dye of Jesup, Ga, are visiting the family of Mr D J Epps and other relatives in town.

The new awing at Mr L Stackley's store is up and presents an attractive appearance. It's a good cool place to go to these hot days.

Mr. J. N. Hammet's friends will be pleased to learn that he has announced himself a candidate for the office of county commissioner in this paper.

Mrs E C Burgess and sister, Miss Alice Nexsen, with pretty little Miss Mae leave today for a sojourn of several weeks with relatives in Summerton and Sumter.

It is announced that a series of services will be held in the Methodist church beginning next Sunday. The pastor will be assisted by Rev Peter Stokes of Charleston.

Mr H D Reddick has recently installed a new awning which adds much to the appearance of his store front, and is also an interesting proposition from a mechanical standpoint.

Mr Marvin McConnell, who has recently completed a course in bookkeeping at Draughan's business college, Columbia, has accepted a position as bookkeeper for the People's Mercantile Co.

Be sure to read the new advertisement of Louis Cohen & Co., and give them a call next time you are shopping in Charleston. They have what you want in their mammoth stock.

Bro J E Mahaffey was the man at the quill which brought about our splendid editorial department this week, for which most efficient service we feel grateful beyond our powers of expression.

Miss Nettie Burgess of Moulton spent several days in town recently with her brother, Mr Chas C Burgess. She was en route to her home from the Sunday school convention recently held at Camden.

In some way or some how or

other the announcement of Mr W P Gause for the legislature did not appear in last issue as it should have done, for which we hereby offer our apologies. Be sure to read his card in this issue.

Rev E C Bailly of Timmonsville is assisting the pastor, Rev Ervin, in a meeting this week at the Methodist church. Mr Ervin is a speaker and a preacher. He has had a good time in his days, and it may not all be out of him yet.

As will be noted elsewhere in these columns, Mr W Wolfe, the editor of this paper, is away and will be absent several weeks taking a much needed vacation and at the same time receiving special treatment with the view of benefiting his declining health. Those upon whose duties devolve will do their very best to get out a presentable paper each week until his return, and in case it does not come up to its usual standard, or should errors creep in, we humbly pray the kind forbearance of the public until the regular pilot is at the wheel again.

Social Functions.

MISS HANNAH GALE ENTERTAINS.

On Wednesday evening the 24th inst., Miss Hannah Gale entertained at the home of Mr and Mrs L S Jennings, on Academy street, the guest of honor being Miss Janie Allen of Florence. The house and grounds were beautifully decorated with flowers, pot plants, and vines, and the many Japanese lanterns with their soft and mellow light made the scene one of beauty, and the cozy nooks and cool retreats curtained by nature's choicest flowers surpassed the beauty of Fairy-land. As the ladies arrived each one was given a small bow of ribbon the corresponding color of which was pinned to a paper heart and the several hearts pinned to a large heart and put upon the wall as a target, at which the gentlemen had to shoot with bow and arrow to determine who his partner for the evening should be; and "Lucky was he who's aim so straight, determined then his future fate." The couples being paired off they were given several pictures representing various advertisements and requested to write the name of the article represented by the picture, and for quite a while it was two souls with but a single thought, and that thought was who would win the prize. At the conclusion of the contest Miss Janie Allen was declared the winner of the prize, a five pound box of candy incased in a heart-shaped box of American beauty roses. Dainty refreshments were then served, and at the hour of twelve "The flowing bowl that flowed so free, an-

nounced the parting of them and me." The guests of the evening were: Miss Janie Allen of Florence, Miss Ruth Foster, of Augusta, Ga, Misses Lillie and Belle Ervin, Marie and Selma Thorne, Nonie Webb, Maymie Jacobs; Messrs P G Gourdin, A C Hinds, Thomas McCutchen, Heyward Scott, Theodore Hemingway, Dr McCabe and Judge Wallace. To our host and hostess, Mr and Mrs L S Jennings and Miss Gale, we are indebted for a delightful evening pleasantly spent. R. K. W.

MISS ADELAIDE HARPER ENTERTAINS.

Miss Adelaide Harper was the hostess at a most enjoyable affair on Friday evening given at her home in honor of Miss Marion Gilland's popular guests, Misses Reid, Mikell and Ried. Miss Harper is one of the season's graduates from Winthrop and her many friends are glad to welcome her home after her long absence. It was this spirit of welcome home-coming that gave an added zest to the pleasure of the evening.

The lawn in front of the house was ablaze with Japanese lanterns and presented a picturesque spectacle. Under one of the beautiful shade trees Miss Rosa and Master Archie Wilkins dispensed delicious fruit punch. Inside the house the decorations were particularly pleasing, a profusion of pot plants being placed about artistically and quantities of flowers added their sweetness and beauty. In the dining room where the guests were at small tables the color scheme of pink was gracefully carried out. On each table was a vase of pink roses and the rosy hue prevailed in the ice cream and delicately iced cakes.

The leading game of the evening was quite a unique one and called for cleverness and originality. Each guest was presented with paper and pencils, the papers being numbered—the ladies to correspond with the gentlemen. The ladies were told to write a line of a proposal and hand the paper on to the next lady, who read the line written and added another. The gentlemen were given the task of writing answers to proposals, this being leap year. Each one read only the line written immediately before he or she received it and folded the paper. After each one had written a line the couples paired off according to the number on the paper in possession at the close of the game. Then each couple read aloud the proposal and answer. Naturally most of the results were absurdly funny and merriment ran high as each couple went through their love scene and were greeted with bursts of laughter.

The occasion was one of the most brilliant of the season and it was with genuine regret that the guests made their final

adieux.

MERRY EXCURSION PARTIES.

The good ship Mercedes was chartered by merry excursionists on last Saturday and Monday afternoons respectively and on each trip that staunch old vessel presented a delightful scene of youthful gaiety and rare beauty, with its precious cargo of handsome young ladies and happy young men. The following composed the crowd booked for the Saturday voyage:

Misses Ione and Louise Ried, Theo Gregg, Marion Gilland, Ada Brockington, Selma Thorne

and Florrie Jacobs.

Mrs W V Brockinton chaperon.

Messrs J D, W S and Tommie Gilland, A C Hinds, Claude McCabe, Lamar and Benton Montgomery.

Monday afternoon the passenger list was as follows: Misses Yarborough, Moore and Yarborough, Esther, Martha and Mary Gordon.

Mrs W H Carr, chaperon. Messrs Peter G Gourdin, R K Wallace, Burrie Brockington and Benton Montgomery.

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