

# Local News

## : Personals :

Max Smith is really working at S: J. Link's.

Miss Mary Quarles Link is very much improved.

Mrs. W. D. Hood is making a week's visit in Lawrenceville.

Mrs. Jas. Martin and children are in Spartanburg on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. R. M. Brewer of Atlanta is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. J. Duncan.

Mrs. Joe Wilson and Mrs. H. H. Hill went down to Hodges Friday afternoon.

Mr. C. W. Coyle has been called to the colors. He left for Camp Wheeler Friday.

Mrs. Joseph Everett of Spartanburg, is here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Wilson.

Mr. F. S. Hays spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hays in Anderson.

Mr. E. H. Longshore, who spent last week in McCormick on business, returned to the city Saturday.

Miss Arline Frank returned to Sumter Saturday, after a pleasant visit in the city with Miss Boyd.

Rev. Geo. W. Swope left yesterday for Fair Forrest, S. C., where he will hold a week's revival meeting.

Miss Eleanor Gambrell is here to spend the summer with her father, Mr. Geo. C. Gambrell and other relatives.

Jim Coleman, William Hill, Donald Harris and Claud Gambrell enjoyed several days last week out at Little Mountain.

Mrs. R. D. Purdy returned Saturday from the mountains of Tennessee, where she has been enjoying the past three weeks.

Miss Ruby Edmunds returned on Saturday from Spartanburg, where she successfully attended the Cecil Business College.

Miss Margaret Bradley returned Sunday from Antreville, where she has had a most delightful visit with Miss Annie Bell.

Miss Lois Shaw is back at her work at the telephone exchange after a pleasant vacation spent with friends near Antreville.

Misses Howard Hill and Marion Wilson went down to Ninety-Six on Friday to attend a party given by Mrs. John Benson Sloan.

Miss Gladys Wham and Hoyt Ham, who have been visiting Miss Sarah Lee Armstrong in McCormick, returned home Saturday.

The Misses Ruth Cook and Annie Dukes of Ninety-Six, who have been visiting Miss Sophia Reames, returned to their home Friday.

Mrs. Henry Hagerman of Greenville, is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. J. A. Harris. Mr. Hagerman came down and spent Sunday.

Miss Georgia Romanstein of Columbia, who is visiting Mrs. W. P. Ham, is spending a few days in the West with the Misses Seawright.

Mr. L. W. Dick passed through Abbeville last week. He came in in morning and left in the afternoon. His friends here are going to get out an injunction next time to make him stay long enough to read them the news.

Mrs. W. L. Peebles is visiting relatives in Greensboro.

Miss Louise Haddon of Antreville, was in town Saturday.

Mr. J. B. Scoggins of Lowndesville, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Thos. Pennal and son, of Belton, were in town Saturday.

Mrs. R. N. Tiddy and children are visiting relatives in Shelby, N. C.

Mr. John U. Wardlaw of Bellevue, was in the city Saturday on business.

Misses Jennie and Clara Wideman of Bellevue, spent Thursday in the city.

Mrs. J. E. Gray of Greenville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Link Evans.

Miss Helen Edwards has returned to the city after a visit to Van Wychk.

Mr. Pierce Bowen and Mr. Julius King were in town on business yesterday.

Mrs. Jas. H. Sherard of Calhoun Falls, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Denny Miller.

Little Miss Winona Welsh is in Monroe, N. C., on a visit to her grandparents.

Miss Mary Wilson has returned to Clinton, after a pleasant visit to her brother, Robert Wilson.

Mrs. Nannie Harkness has returned from Winthrop, where she attended the summer school.

Misses Hattie and Mary Bradford have returned to Chester after visiting their sister, Mrs. J. R. Power.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pope of Atlanta, spent several days this week in the city with Mr. and Mrs. J. Irwin Gilmer.

Mr. Lucian Lomax has returned to the city from Poughkeepsie, N. Y. where he has been for several months taking a business course.

Mrs. B. S. Reames, Miss Eva Reames and Miss Blanche Smith spent the week-end in Honea Path. They visited Miss Reames' cousin, Mr. Irving Freeman.

Mr. T. G. Perrin returned home Saturday from a vacation spent in Asheville, Hendersonville, Waynesville and other places in the mountains of North Carolina.

Miss Victoria Howie and Buster and Tom Howie returned from Atlanta Sunday, after spending several days with their uncle, Mr. T. A. Dry.

Mr. M. B. Kay and his children, Louise and Sanford, of Abbeville county, were in town Saturday. He is an esteemed reader of The Press and Banner and came in to see how the paper is put up.

Dr. and Mrs. P. B. Speed and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Speed had a delightful trip through the mountains last week. They made the trip in their car and visited Hendersonville, Asheville and Waynesville.

Mr. S. F. Cannon and family of Spartanburg, visited the family of his brother-in-law, Mr. G. T. Tate, while in town Saturday and Sunday attending the Interdenominational Sunday School Convention.

Mrs. J. B. Shirley and son, Edward, of Greenwood, spent Saturday and Sunday in town at the home of Miss Martin. She came to be with her husband, who is acting foreman in The Press and Banner Printing Department.

Mr. Wilson and wife, and their son, Chas. Wilson, the two children, and Mrs. C. A. Loetern dared the weather and motored out to the home of Mr. Sam J. Wilson Sunday. They were caught in a big rain as a result.

Mrs. G. A. Neuffer, Mrs. Frank Henry and Miss Mamie Hill went up to Honea Path last week and visited among their relatives for a day or two. They made the trip in Mrs.

Neuffer's car and arrived safely in spite of the heavy rains.

Quite an automobile party from Troy visited Abbeville Saturday, among them our valued local correspondent for Fairfield. In the party were: Mr. Sam Long, Mrs. Jennie Bell Long, Mrs. John McCaslan, Mr. David Young, Mr. Joel Young, Misses Eva Young, Alma Young and Irene Young.

### SOCIAL NEWS.

Mrs. Frank Benton entertained a small card party Saturday morning complimentary to her sister, Mrs. Marvin Parler, who is here from Wedgefield on a short visit. The morning was spent in the playing of a game of cards and in the enjoyment of plates of delightful refreshments.

### A BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Miss Jeanse White celebrated her birthday last Saturday by giving a pleasant morning party to her little friends. They spent the time in playing "spin the plate," "wink," "clap in and clap out", and such other lively games and in enjoying the "party" which was ice cream and cake.

### HERE FOR A REST.

Miss Bess and Miss Jennie Allen are in the city for a week's visit to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Allen. They have spent a delightful winter enjoying the pleasures of Camp Sevier but even among all the handsome captains and lieutenants, they love to come to Abbeville.

### THE LESLIE BOYS.

Frank and Alpheus Leslie have passed successfully at Plattsburg and have been recommended as eligible for commissions. Frank Leslie has taken a second course at the big camp and is still there, while Alpheus has left to engage in other war work. Albert Leslie is at Newport News in a ship building yard, while William Leslie is on his way to France. William had only been in Camp Jackson for a short while when volunteers from the college graduates were called for and William was one of four selected for special work and is now on his way across seas.

These boys are sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Leslie and are making for themselves a record of which we are all proud.

### THE WRONG DRINK.

John, the young son of Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Neuffer, came near meeting with serious trouble last week. While watching his brother, Hapoldt, repair and clean up his bicycle, the little fellow picked up a glass from the table and took a good size drink of kerosene oil, which was to be used in polishing up the bicycle. The little boy was made desperately sick for several days but is better now and is able to be out again.

Watch this space for attractions at the  
**Opera House**

TO-DAY—TUESDAY

**"The Girl From Beyond."**

With  
**Nelle Shipman.**

—WEDNESDAY—

**"Wolves of the Border"**

With  
**Roy Stewart.**

—THURSDAY—

**"Her Decision"**

With  
**J. Barney Sherry**

Also  
**Hans and Fritz**

IN  
**A Katzenjammer Kid Cartoon**

# LADIES' Walk-Over Slippers

We have a good assortment of these slippers yet for your inspection. If you have never worn a pair of WALK-OVERS, we are sure if you will look through our line that you will be impressed with them and that your next pair will be

## WALK-OVERS

# J. M. Anderson Co.

H. H. DuPre Stand.

### RED CROSS PLAY

#### NEAR DUE WEST

"The Spinster's Return," a play, will be presented Friday evening, August 2, at the home of Mr. W. J. McKee, by the young ladies of the Arborville section. The proceeds will go to the Arborville Auxiliary of the Red Cross.

#### HOME ON A VISIT.

Prof. Robert Hemphill Coleman is at home on a visit to his parents. He is meeting with great success as a teacher and his friends here watch his career with pleasure and pride. He comes from New London, Conn., which has been much in the public eye lately and he has many interesting stories to tell of submarines and the "chasers."

#### A SURPRISE MARRIAGE.

Miss Wilhelmina Averi, of Rockwood, Tenn., and Mr. Oscar Shelley, of Monroe, N. C., were quietly married on last Thursday evening, July 25th, at the Presbyterian Manse, by Rev. H. Waddell Pratt, in the presence of a few relatives and friends.

Miss Averi and Mr. Shelley had been sweethearts for sometime and were engaged to be married. But the war came on and their plans for the future had to be changed. Last week Mr. Shelley was notified that he was to be shortly called into the service. His sweetheart hearing the news, on the invitation of members of his family, came to visit them before he departed. She first visited in Monroe and then the couple came to Abbeville to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hipp, Mrs. Hipp being a sister of Mr. Shelley.

They were here for a few days and everything went happily until the time for the parting drew near. Then they began to think that maybe after all it would be better to be married before the parting came, and to make the story short, they were married.

The beautiful young bride, who before her marriage was one of the accomplished and popular young ladies of her home town, and the

handsome and promising young groom a valued employee of the Seaboard, have the best wishes of their friends in Abbeville and elsewhere as they start out in life with so much of promise before them.

#### MR. COCHRAN BETTER.

The many friends of Mr. James S. Cochran, are glad to learn that his condition is somewhat improved Monday.

Mr. Cochran was suddenly seized with illness Thursday morning and confined to his bed. His sickness is distinctly felt as a loss in Red Cross and musical circles.

#### KATHLEEN McDOWELL ENTERTAINS HER FRIENDS

Little Miss Kathleen McDowell gave a charming party yesterday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. Sam McDowell. It was her fourth birthday and about thirty little friends were present to wish her a happy day. Games of all kinds pleasing to such young company were played, and nice, cool refreshments were served. The children seemed to have the time of their lives.

#### MR. GUY INTERRED AT LONG CANE

Mr. J. E. Guy, who died suddenly in Atlanta Saturday, was buried at Long Cane cemetery Monday morning. He was forty-three years old and held a position as yard foreman with the Central of Georgia Railroad. Some time ago, his health being bad, he remained in Abbeville a period with his sister-in-law, Mrs. J. W. Baker. Upon recovering, he returned to Atlanta. Upon the day of his death, he was feeling well and retired in good spirits. Later, his wife heard a little noise coming from the direction of his bed and went over to find him dead.

The funeral was held in Atlanta, but the interment took place here. Rev. M. R. Plaxco officiated. The Brotherhood of Trainmen performed the rites of burial. Among the out-of-town persons

attending the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. McElroy, Miss Nina Guy, and Miss Marie Guy, all of Atlanta.

The deceased leaves a wife and two children, Joe and Douglas, also a daughter by his first wife, Miss Marie Guy. A sister, Mrs. Joseph Ivy, lives in New Orleans. She was unable to come to the interment.

Mrs. Guy and her two children will live for the time being with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Baker.

#### MAN SHOT AND KILLED.

Alfred Gray shot and killed another colored man, Solomon Williams at Turkey Hill, Abbeville County, Saturday night after dusk. The tragedy took place on Mr. Jim Gilliam's place, about ten miles from Abbeville.

Gray and Williams became aroused over a family quarrel and each took to their guns, single barrel breech-loading shot guns. Two shots were fired by each party. In the melee, Williams was downed and lost his gun. He begged for mercy and pleaded with Gray not to fire any more. But the enraged negro loaded his gun again, stuck it in the prostrate man's mouth, and fired. Williams died instantly.

Gray surrendered himself about twelve thirty Sunday morning. He was incarcerated in the Abbeville jail to await trial. The inquest was held by Mr. M. E. Hollingsworth.

"Over the Top", will be shown at the Opera House on Friday, August the 9th, matinee and night. You should see it.

**Catarhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured** by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.