

ENJOY BANQUET

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HOLD IMPORTANT MEETING.

Large Attendance by Enthusiastic Citizens - Commercial Secretary Elected for Coming Year.

The Chamber of Commerce held its annual meeting at the court house on last Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The meeting was very largely attended and much enthusiasm was manifested.

President R. H. Jennings presided over the business session and much business was transacted. It was decided that the Chamber of Commerce join the National Rivers and Harbors Association.

The booster button committee made a report but action in the matter of a selection of a button was postponed for further action.

The annual election of officers was entered into and John Cart was elected president and W. L. Moseley, vice-president.

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The following were elected as the executive committee of the chamber of commerce: W. C. Crum, Sol Kohn, J. W. Smoak, W. F. Falrey and T. J. Hayden.

Upon adjournment of the business session, the two hundred business men, headed by the Orangeburg military band, marched down Russell street to Broughton and counter marched back up Russell and on to the armory.

The parade was a stirring sight and Orangeburg business men marching beneath the "great white way," resolved in their hearts to make Orangeburg a great city.

The banquet was one of the best ever served anywhere. The long tables were laden with best things to eat. Much merriment and laughter was evidenced about the festal board.

The meeting Wednesday night marked a great event in the history of Orangeburg, as it was decided the passing of the old and the birth of the new Orangeburg.

Dr. Sturkie's Card.

Editor Times and Democrat: Permit me to say through your paper that I appreciate very much the support given me by my friends in the recent election.

The official count shows the vote to be as follows: Dibble, 587; Sturkie, 510; Friday, 344. Thus Mr. Dibble lacks 135 votes of having a majority.

I appreciate very highly the fact that the seven precincts combined in the Fork gave me a good majority. Also that I carried Ayers, Jamison, Rowesville, Stokes, Ebenezer and received a flattering vote at Branchville.

LONGS OF SOCIETY.

Social Events of Recent Interest Jotted Down.

The Edisto District Convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy has been postponed. The date that was originally set for the meeting was May the third, and May the fifth has been selected as the day on which the convention will be held.

That was some banquet given by the Chamber of Commerce Wednesday night. Mine Host Reeves did himself proud in the preparation of the "big eats."

If old Jupiter Pluvius will just be good tomorrow everybody will be happy. Easter is the day that most folks make their appearance in new spring togs, especially hats.

The following from Rock Hill will be of interest to the many friends of Mr. T. E. Cummings of Barnwell, formerly of this place:

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stewart in this city was the scene of a beautiful double wedding Tuesday night at 7 o'clock.

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Among the out-of-town people attending this double ceremony were: Mrs. K. M. Cummings, Miss Clementine Cummings and J. A. Cummings of Orangeburg.

The attendants for the Stewart-Cummings ceremony were: Maid of honor, Miss Maud Stewart; dame of honor, Mrs. R. Boyd Cole of Barnwell.

The same usher flower girls and ring-bearer served for both ceremonies.

DEEP WELLS AT SPRINGFIELD.

Discovery Promises to be of Benefit to Community.

Springfield, April 13.—Special.—What promises to be of benefit to this section is the discovery of deep water wells with a considerable air pressure coming from the earth.

Several years ago, a deep well was sunk in the streets of Springfield, in which the contractor struck rock at a distance of about 75 feet.

Last year Dr. H. A. Odum in sinking a well on one of his plantations near town, struck rock mixed with shell, teeth, bones, etc., and after passing through this strata of rock, found water in large quantities.

A few weeks ago, S. J. Boyleston, who has recently bought a part of the old Porter estate, started a contractor boring a well. At a distance of 78 feet he struck an air current that made a blast like an exhaust pipe.

The well was continued through the rock, and an abundant supply of pure water gotten, although an immense amount of air is constantly escaping from a point apparently above the source of water.

The indications are that with the proper machinery, artesian wells may be bored here without a great deal of expense.

Easter Sunday at St. Paul.

Easter Sunday services at St. Paul Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will be unusually interesting and attractive.

The pastor, Rev. H. W. Bays, D. D., will preach morning and night. His subject for morning service will be on "The Resurrection," and at night "Triumph of the Cross."

The choir director, Mr. O. K. Wilson, has arranged special music for these services, and in addition to the regular choir, consisting of Mrs. J. A. Berry, soprano, Miss Sue Walker, contralto, H. C. Wannamaker, tenor and M. N. Perryclear, basso, has secured the services of the following well known vocalists: Miss Sinsie McMichael, soprano, Miss Ruth Hallman, contralto, G. A. Schifley, Jr., tenor, D. H. Marchant, basso.

In addition to well known hymns in which the congregation will join in singing, the choir will sing a special Easter anthem entitled, "The Resurrection," by J. Wesley Hughes.

Voted for Bonds.

The result of the election held Wednesday on the question of issuing bonds by the town of St. Matthews for the construction of a Court House and Jail for Calhoun County was: For bonds 96; against bonds 4; irregular 2. A total of 116 votes was registered.

PENSION MONEY

COMPLETED LIST OF PENSIONERS IN THIS COUNTY.

Who Can Get Their Checks by Calling on Mr. G. L. Salley, Clerk of Court.

The list of pensioners in Orangeburg County receiving a part of the \$250,000 appropriated yearly by the State of South Carolina has been prepared by the State pension board.

There are 3 in Class A, 2 in Class B, 5 in Class C, No. 1, 102 in Class C, No. 2, 13 in Class C, No. 3, and 123 in Class C, No. 4, making a total of 248.

The following is the list, and those named can get their money by calling on Mr. G. L. Salley, Clerk of Court:

- Class A. J. B. Adkins... J. E. Hutto... J. W. Peagler... Class B. A. A. Amaker... Henry M. Smith... Class C, No. 1. J. A. Benton... J. A. Fogle... Z. A. Garrison... Class C, No. 2. Allen A. Arrant... J. W. Ashe... John J. Ayers... Class C, No. 3. J. B. Adkins... J. E. Hutto... J. W. Peagler... Class C, No. 4. J. B. Adkins... J. E. Hutto... J. W. Peagler...

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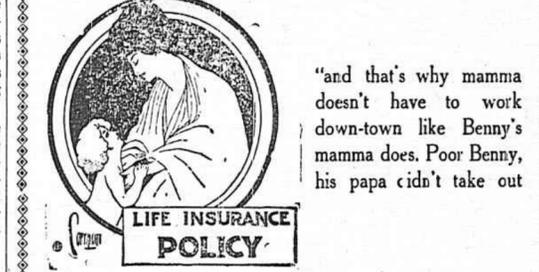
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