

THE CITY PRIMARY COMES ON TUESDAY.

THERE ARE TWO CANDIDATES FOR THE OFFICE OF MAYOR.

Among the Candidates for Aldermen There is Opposition Only in Wards 1 and 3.

The first city primary will be held on Tuesday. As there are not more than two candidates in any of the races, this primary will be decisive, except in case of a tie. In that instance a second primary will be held on Friday the 27th.

The time for filing pledges expired at 12 o'clock on Wednesday. The following candidates had filed their pledges.

FOR MAYOR.

John W. Earhardt.
Robert H. Welch.

FOR ALDERMEN.

Ward 1: M. M. Harris and John T. Hutchinson.
Ward 2: A. T. Brown.
Ward 3: Van Smith and H. E. Toad
Ward 4: C. M. West.
Ward 5: J. M. Guin.

The polls will be located in council chamber, opening at 8 a. m. and closing at 4 p. m. All Democrats who have duly registered for the municipal election of 1903 shall have the right to vote.

The managers of election are: Jacob Senn, G. S. Nolan, and F. W. Higgins.

MAYOR JNO. W. EARHARDT

Issues a Card Stating His Reasons for Not Making a Personal Canvass—He Wishes to Stand on His Record.

To the Democratic Voters of Newberry: I have been announced a candidate for re-election to the office of mayor, which position I have filled for one term. During the past year I have sought to do my duty as I saw it, and above all things to give the town a clean administration. I have sought to advance the town along moral and material lines of progress. It is for you to judge the measure of success which has attended my efforts. The absence of a stench which was in the nostrils of the community when I came into office speaks for itself, as does the material progress of the city.

Owing to a recent affliction in my family and to the pressure of duties, I have been unable to make a personal canvass of the city. I feel, however, that there is need of none. The record of my administration is known, and it is upon this record alone that I ask a second term at your hands. I have no promises to make except that, if re-elected, I shall strive to do my duty as I see it, as I have done in the past, and to give you a clean and honest administration.

Thanking you for the support and co-operation which you have extended me during my term of office, and with gratitude for the many words of encouragement and assurances of support which I have received during this campaign, I beg to remain,

Your obedient servant,
JNO. W. EARHARDT.

Hose Wagon Broke Down.

While going to a small fire at the house of Jack Wilson, colored, who lives in the negro village on the western outskirts of the city, on Tuesday morning, the hose wagon struck one of the rocks across Boundary street near Mr. C. M. West's residence, and the right hind wheel was completely broken down. It was necessary to carry the hose to the fire on another wagon. The fire caused little damage. The wagon is being repaired and will probably be ready for use to-day.

PURELY PERSONAL.

The Movements of Many People, Newberrians and Those Who Visit Newberry.

Mr. I. H. Hunt went to Columbia yesterday on professional business.

The Rev. R. E. Livingston will preach at Beth Eden Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Misses Y'Jenia and Marguerite Harmon, of Prosperity, were in Newberry on Wednesday.

Dr. I. E. Crimm, the eye specialist, went to Prosperity last night and will spend the day there.

Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Cronk, of the Lutheran mission of Atlanta, were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. E. J. Womble, after a pleasant visit to the family of Col. D. A. Dickert, has returned to Columbia.

The Rev. S. C. Ballentine, of White Rock, secretary of the South Carolina Synod, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Cook, of Columbia, visited relatives and friends in Newberry and in the county this week.

Miss Gussie Dickert, after spending several days with her father, Col. D. A. Dickert, has gone to Augusta on a visit.

Mr. L. H. Nixon, representing Chas. M. Stieff, of Baltimore, Md., has just sold two beautiful Stieff pianos in Newberry this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are in the city. Mr. Johnson is here in the interest of the Virginia Life Insurance Company, and they will probably make Newberry their home.

Supt P. I. Welles, of the Southern Railway, was in the city yesterday looking after his track at the Mollohon mill. Supt. Welles says that he and President Childs, of the C. N. & L., will be in Newberry in the next few days in connection with the union depot matter.

VARIOUS AND ALL ABOUT.

The cold wave which was predicted has come and is now in full force and effect.

The Newberry Cash Store is conducting a six-day bargain sale, which is drawing large crowds.

The Primary and Junior Teachers' Union will meet at Central Methodist church Friday, at 3:45 p. m. Mrs. Herbert will teach the temperance lesson. The public is invited.

The Governor has offered a reward of \$100 for the apprehension and conviction of the party or parties responsible for the burning of the barn and stables of Mrs. Laura Mayer, in the upper part of the county, on October 23d.

The Kimball piano exhibit at Gilder and Weeks' drug store has been attracting large crowds. It is an excellent exhibit. Mr. H. M. Pemberton, the manager for the factories, who is in charge, says that the instruments in this exhibit will be closed out, that they may be left here as standing advertisements.

POMARIA CHARTER CASE.

Petitioner Ruled Out of Court On a Question of Jurisdiction.

The suit of Charles H. Counts, petitioner, to have the charter of the town of Pomaria set aside and declared null and void, came up before Judge Ferguson Wednesday morning. R. H. Welch, Esq., raised the point that the case had not been docketed before the regular term and Judge Ferguson, acting as special judge, could only act upon such matters as were docketed before the preceding regular term.

Messrs. Sease and Dominick and Cole. L. Blease, representing petitioner, will carry the matter before Judge D. A. Townsend.

BOSTON IDEAL OPERA CO.

Will Sing Olivette on Next Wednesday Night—A Strong Company in Popular Comic Opera.

The Boston Ideal Opera company, who will appear at the opera house on Wednesday next, are scoring great successes on their tour of the South. They carry all special scenery and an excellent chorus of handsome young ladies beautifully costumed.

The company will sing the popular comic opera, "Olivette." This will very probably be the operative event of the season, and it is an opportunity that every lover of good music, poetic motion and charming situations should take advantage of.

The Raleigh News and Observer, speaking of the presentation of "Olivette" in that city by this company, says, inter alia:

"Olivette, the popular comic opera, was presented by the Boston Ideal Opera company at the Academy of Music last evening in the same delightful manner in which they rendered The Mascotte the night before. The solos by Mr. Ed. L. Western and Miss Jule Foreman were simply charming and met with a storm of applause from the great audience. Any company would be proud indeed of two such magnificent voices."

"The Hottest Coon in Dixie."

The colored organization, "The Hottest Coon in Dixie" will be seen here at the opera house Monday night, November 23d. This organization is one of the leading colored attractions of the country this season, both in number and the prominence of its members. It comprises forty singers, dancers, comedians and specialty artists. The piece is a lively farce comedy and travesty in three acts and three scenes. The entire gallery will be reserved for colored people. Prices: gallery, 35c; down stairs, 50c and 75c.

ANOTHER NEGRO BROUGHT IN.

Sheriff Buford Captures Ben Abney in Greenville—Abney Gave too Many Mortgages Last Year.

Sheriff Buford returned to Newberry yesterday with Ben Abney, colored, wanted here on several charges. Abney was captured in Greenville county, where he has been leading a brilliant life. Only last week he was shot while attending a hot supper over the line line in Anderson county.

Abney lived in Saluda county last year and got in the habit of coming over to Newberry and buying goods and giving mortgages and liens on property and crops of which he was not possessed. He gave several of these to Mr. E. M. Evans. Sheriff Buford had been looking for him for some time.

Telephone Subscribers.

Please add to your increasing list of subscribers the following:

- NEWBERRY EXCHANGE.
96-2—C. W. Bishop, Residence, Caldwell Street
148—Kibler, Dennis & Co., Furniture, Main Street.
11—Jno. B. Daniels, Meat Market, Friend Street.

PROSPERITY EXCHANGE.
18—The Peoples National Bank of Prosperity.

Subscribers who enjoy the best service and have educated themselves how to use Long Distance Telephones, say "Speak with your lips close to the Transmitter."

Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Co., R. G. Spearman, Manager.

THE ENTERTAINMENT TONIGHT.

It Will be Given in the Armory by the Lutheran Ladies and Will Be Something New.

The entertainment to be given in the Armory tonight under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer should draw a large crowd. The price of admission is 25 cents. Tickets will entitle holders to admission, luncheon, the use of the post office, to try their luck at the fish pond, and the privilege of having their fortunes told by the gypsies. A gypsy band will be encamped in the hall with gypsies playing guitars, mandolins and violins, and rendering a number of vocal selections, including the "Gypsy Chorus" from the "Bohemian Girl." The notion counter and cake table will be features.

Dr. I. E. Crimm.

The following is taken from the Lutheran Visitor:

"Dr. I. E. Crimm, the eye specialist, is in Newberry on one of his regular visits. Dr. Crimm's work here on former visits has added new patrons to his already long list. The doctor is a native of Germany, the land of scholars and scientists, and he is a worthy representative of his profession. A member of the Visitor force can use his eyes better since Dr. Crimm has fitted him with the necessary article in eye glasses. All who consult Dr. Crimm may be assured of the fact that they are securing the services and skill of a most competent eye specialist."

Dr. Crimm will be in Newberry only until Saturday night, when he leaves for Greenville.

People's National Bank.

The People's National Bank of Prosperity, recently organized with a capital stock of \$25,000 has installed a burglar proof safe and insurance fire-proof vault, and is doing a general banking business. This bank has a board of directors composed of sound business men, and accords prompt and polite attention to its patrons.

WE WOULD ADVISE THE PIANO BUYING PUBLIC to go a little slow in accepting endorsements from foreigners, that are scattered broadcast over the country. Foreigners come to America for the sole purpose of making money, and almost any kind of a Piano looks good to them, especially if there should happen to be a roll of currency under the fall board.

The very best endorsements that we wish to offer in selling the WORLD RENOWNED STIEFF PIANOS, are from the best people on earth; PEOPLE WHO LIVE RIGHT HERE IN SOUTH CAROLINA. STIEFF PIANOS are thoroughly known in South Carolina, and are used by hundreds of the very best people of THIS STATE, the Governor included.

We do not need testimonials from foreigners to sell our goods in South Carolina. As we said before foreign testimonials count for naught in America.

Our time to give bargains is every day the year round. Some concerns have used the advertising scheme so long that people are beginning to wonder why their pianos are not more favorably known by this time. A word to the wise is sufficient. Now, if you are contemplating the purchase of an artistic Piano, write us at once, and we will mail you a little booklet full of testimonials from the finest musicians, and the very best people in SOUTH CAROLINA, not Europe.

CHAS. M. STIEFF,
Piano Manufacturer,
Baltimore, Md.
Southern Branch Wareroom,
213-215 N. Tryon St.,
Charlotte, N. C.
C. H. WILMOTH, M'gr.

THE COTTON MARKET.

What the Fleecy Staple Was Bringing Yesterday Afternoon in the Various Portions of the County.

Table with cotton market data including Newberry, Prosperity, Chappells, Pomaria, Little Mountain, and K'nards. Columns include quality (Good Middling, Strict Middling, Middling) and price (11-18, 11, 10-7-8).

SPECIAL NOTICES.

BUSINESS OPENING. WANTED, a man with stock and capital on our farm near Chapin, 175 acres in cultivation 100 acres in pasture, fine for cotton, grain, tobacco, stock, etc. 150 acres in original forest. Will sell lease or rent. Also a 6-acre truck or cotton farm near Columbia to let. Apply to C. M. DEMPSEY, 1811 Main Street, Columbia, S. C.

HORSE FARM FOR RENT—Apply to M. M. BUFORD, Newberry, S. C.

COMPLETE LINE best Perfumes and Toilet Waters at Wooten's.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—Sixty Acres adjoining incorporate limits of Newberry. High state of cultivation. One hundred and forty acres one and a half miles from town. Good creek and river bottom, fine meadows on both tracts. For information apply to G. M. B. EPTING, or E. H. AULL.

WANTED—Faithful person to travel for well established house in a few counties, calling on retail merchants and agents. Local territory. Salary \$20.00 per week with expenses additional, all payable in cash each week. Money for expenses advanced. Position permanent. Business successful and lushing. Standard House, 330 Dearborn St., Chicago.

FOR RENT—Six Room Cottage on College street, in front of Collere campus. Apply to Mrs. M. E. LAKE.

WELLS BORED—Although I have bored two thousand wells in Newberry county I am still in the business. Parties desiring my services may leave orders at my office over W. T. Tarrant's store. I. A. McDOWE, Newberry, S. C.

Get the Best for the Asking. When you order a sack of patent flour from your grocer, do not tell him to send you "a sack of good flour," but tell him to send you a sack of "Clifton," because "Clifton" is the best patent. Every sack is sold with this guarantee, and if it does not prove as represented, your money will be refunded. "Clifton" is an all-round flour, and is as good for cake and pastry as light rolls and biscuit. T. J. HAYS.

Do you want one of the prettiest and most stylish Hats in town this season? If so you must have it made by the

The Riser Millinery Co

Our prices are the lowest and our styles the newest that can be found in the city.

IF NOT DISPOSED OF BEFORE, I will sell at public outcry, at the Court House, at Newberry, S. C., during the legal hours of sale, on Monday, sale day in December being 7th day, the following described real estate of J. B. Graham, deceased: 166 acres located in Township No. 11 and bounded by lands of R. P. Cromer, G. J. Wilson, Colon Graham and others.

Terms, one-half cash, balance in one and two years, with interest from date, secured by bond of purchaser and mortgage of premises with privilege to purchaser to pay all in cash.

For further information as to land apply to the undersigned. W. F. SUBER, Acting as agent.

The most complete line of Jewelry, Watches, Diamonds, Clocks, Silverware, and Spectacles ever seen in Newberry, at my store. Come in and see the prettiest store in town. Yours very truly, J. GUY DANIELS.