

PURELY PERSONAL.

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

Dr. F. W. P. Butler, of Edgefield, was in the city this week.

The "Isle of Spice" at the opera house tomorrow night.

The Emery club met with Mrs. F. Z. Wilson on Wednesday morning.

M. Rutledge Rivers, of Charleston, was in Newberry on Wednesday before Chief Justice Pope.

Mrs. L. W. Floyd gave a dining in honor of Miss Kate Leavell, of Houston, Texas, on Wednesday.

Miss Nan McCaughy will leave for Spartanburg tomorrow to visit friends.

Mrs. Charles E. Bell, of Augusta, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Schumpert.

Miss Sue Dunlap, of Lexington, Ky., will arrive tonight to visit Miss Bessie Gilder.

Mrs. T. M. Neel, Jr., after visiting relatives in the city, left for her home in Washington.

Cole L. Blease, Esq., obtained bail for John Walker before Judge Prince at Greenwood on Wednesday in the sum of \$500.

Mrs. O. McR. Holmes returned from Atlanta on Monday accompanied by her sister, Miss Daisy Schenck.

The Woman's club will give a Gypsy party tonight at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Hunt. The funds will go towards the State Reformatory for Boys.

The Mower Company will have their Spring Millinery opening on next Tuesday, April 3rd. They will have on exhibition a gorgeous display of pretty, as well as stylish, hats.

Those who are to practice for the Old Maid's convention will meet the trainer, Miss Dunkell, at the library on Saturday afternoon. The children at 3 o'clock and the ladies at 4 o'clock.

Mimnaugh's opening will be on the 3rd and 4th, two days. On account of the immense stock that has been received additional help has been secured. Mrs. Ramsey will have the millinery department in charge.

Hon. George S. Mower, who was in the city yesterday on a business trip, said that a meeting of the court house commissioners of that county would be held on April 4, to determine the location of the new \$40,000 building. After that the plans will be advertised for.—The State.

Mr. James R. Davidson has purchased, through Frank Hunter and Co., the C. M. West property, on Boundary street, and yesterday moved into his new home. Mr. West will temporarily occupy the Davidson property, which Messrs. Hunter and Co. will divide into three lots and offer for sale soon.

Miss Flourney, the skillful and stylish milliner, who had the millinery department at Hair and Havard's in charge last season will be with them again this spring and on Tuesday, at the opening, will display a great number of beautiful and attractive hats of every description.

The Old Maid's Convention. Arrangements have been made by the members of the Drayton Rutherford Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, to present an Old Maid's Convention, "The Funniest Thing That Ever Happened," in Newberry on Friday evening, April 6, at the opera house. The entertainment will be under the direction of Miss Anna L. Dunkell, assisted by local talent.

It is clever, unique and altogether funny. In the second part of the programme there will be a series of beautiful statue poses. This entertainment, as stated, is given for the benefit of the Daughters of the Confederacy, who desire to use the funds in marking the graves of the Confederate soldiers, paying for crosses of honor and furnishing lunch to the Confederate Veterans on Memorial Day. It should be liberally patronized by our people not only on account of the enjoyment to be had from the play itself, but from the fact that the proceeds will be used for worthy causes.

Numerous requests have been received by B. C. Whitney, who has the "Isle of Spice" under his direction, to send the attraction to the Pacific coast, as those in the west having heard of this remarkable musical comedy, are desirous of passing their opinion on the piece. It is surmised the "Spice" may go westward next season.

LOCATION OF COURT HOUSE.

The Committee To Meet on the 4th of April—Bids To Be In By Tomorrow.

Some interest is being taken in the location of the new court house. The committee will meet on the 4th of April to consider proposals. It is a very important matter and The Herald and News hopes that those who have eligible lots will not place the price beyond the reach of the commission.

Dr. McClintock's lot would make a very desirable site. It is high and contains an entire block and then the Jones lot might be secured by the town for a small park as was contemplated some time ago. This lot and the old female academy square are the two most desirable sites in the city. From what can be learned we fear Mr. Mann has placed his figures beyond the reach of the commission though of course we do not know what his figures are.

In building the new court house we should remember that we are not only building for the present, but for the future.

Base Ball At The College.

The initial baseball game of the season in the inter-collegiate series will be played on the college diamond this afternoon by Newberry and Erskine. All lovers of the sport will want to see the game. Erskine is said to have a strong team, as usual. Crouch and Cabaniss will be Newberry's battery. They will be supported by part of last year's winning team, and some of the new men are said to be very fast, both in the field and at the bat.

The following will be Newberry's line up: Cabaniss, catcher; Crouch, pitcher; Hoover or Derrick, 1st base; Busby or Wicker, 2nd base; Boozer, 3rd base; Owen, short stop; Wessinger, Scoury, Parks, Bedenbaugh, Houck outfield.

Erskine Lineup.

Kirkpatrick, short stop; Brownlee, 1st base; Wideman, 3rd base; Long, catcher; Pressly, J. P. second base, (captain); Stevenson, right field; Pressly, H. E. center field; Robinson, left field; Cashion, pitcher; Miller, Riddle and Carmicle, substitutes.

Food Sale.

The ladies of the Lutheran church will have their regular week end food sale, on Saturday, at the Summer Brothers carriage repository. They will have on sale many varieties of large and small cakes, chicken, ham, salads, home made candy and other articles. If any one wishes them to prepare any special articles of food, they are requested to telephone any member of the committee in charge: Mrs. Lucy Young, Misses Thyra Schumpert, Ruth Wells and Ruby Holloway.

Langford-Wright.

The cards are out announcing the marriage of Mr. Robert Herman Wright and Miss Clara Langford on Thursday evening, April 12th, at 7:30 o'clock, in the First Baptist church.

To Preach Baccalaureate Sermon.

Rev. A. J. Bowers, D. D., of the faculty of Newberry college and a graduate of the college in the class of 1880, will preach the baccalaureate sermon before the graduating class at the approaching commencement.

Dick Taylor Dead.

Dick Taylor died at his home in Newberry yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock of heart disease, aged 35 years.

Drayton Rutherford Chapter.

The Drayton Rutherford Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, will meet with Mrs. John M. Kinard on Tuesday afternoon, April 3rd, at 4 o'clock. The president urges that there shall be full attendance and especially requests the finance committee to come prepared to make full report, and those who have not paid their funds for marking the graves of the confederate soldiers come prepared to make their contributions.

Mrs. P. E. Scott, Secretary.

WANTED—Ladies or Gentlemen who are willing to work. Easy and pleasant work. Will pay 2 dollars per day to right person. For information call at Mrs. Ruff's Boarding House Boundary st., Newberry, S. C., at once. We will leave Saturday morning.

Next Tuesday the Mower Company

will display a large number of beautiful hats at their Millinery Opening. They are showing a greater number this spring than ever before and it will be the place to get a stylish, up-to-date spring hat.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Press Association To Meet In Newberry Next Thursday To Consider Next Annual Meeting.

Col. E. H. Aull, president of the South Carolina Press association, was in the city last night, on his way home from Batesburg where he attended the funeral of Attorney General Ganter. Mr. Aull stated that he would call a meeting of the executive committee of the Press association on April 5th at Newberry to discuss the time and place for the next meeting. A number of the members of the committee have expressed themselves in favor of Norfolk for the annual meeting, since the White Springs hotel has been destroyed by fire. The members of the committee are President Aull of Newberry, Vice President William Banks of Columbia, Secretary C. C. Langston of Anderson, Treasurer August Kohn of the Columbia bureau of The News and Courier, Col. J. E. Norment of Columbia, Mr. E. H. DeCamp of Gaffney.—The State.

The meeting has been called to meet here next Thursday evening.

The correct membership of the committee is: E. H. Aull, president; Wm. Banks, 1st vice president; J. C. Mace, 2nd vice president; C. C. Longston, secretary; August Kohn, treasurer; and C. M. Galloway, E. H. DeCamp and W. W. Ball.

It is hoped that every member of the committee will be present. The editor of the Herald and News has been president of the association some twelve or fourteen years and we have never had a meeting of the committee in Newberry. It is very much desired that every member be present. The place of meeting will have to be definitely decided upon since the burning of the White Stone Hotel and the program arranged.

Besides this some of our friends in Newberry have arranged with James Dunbar to serve the committee a little luncheon that evening and we are satisfied we can make their meeting here pleasant and we want every member present.

Song Service.

Instead of the regular Sunday evening service at the first Baptist church on next Sunday evening there will be a song service. The public is cordially invited to be present.

Chance For Everybody.

Hair & Havard are going to give everybody a chance for a whole week to secure silks, linen, mercerized waistics, madras, gingham, table linen, mohair, lawns, in fact, everything in the dress goods line at remarkably low figures.

If you have been there once you will go again. If you haven't been, be sure and go, for it is a chance that you should not miss and will regret if you do not avail yourself of this opportunity.

Read their advertisement on another page and be convinced that their prices are right. Visit their store and you will be treated right.

Miss Flourney again has charge of the millinery department, and will give you the latest points in millinery.

Dots From St. Philip's.

The weather is very rainy at this season, but hope it will make a change now soon so the farmers can till the soil.

We are very sorry the cold weather

has damaged the fruit crops.

There will be a picnic at St. Philip's school house Saturday, April 14. The exercises will begin ten thirty sharp. The public is cordially invited to attend with well filled baskets.

The wedding bells are still ringing in St. Philip's community. If they keep on there will not be any girls left, but plenty of old boys.

Sunday will be the first day of April and that will be fool's day.

There will be a dance at Mr. A. P. Ruff's April 2nd, 1906.

I will close for this time. Much success to The Herald and News.

Tom Thumb.

Many A Slip.

Washington Star. "Politics is extremely uncertain," remarked the man who makes trite remarks.

"Yes," answered the discouraged looking citizen: "you read the papers in the hopes of deciding on the best candidate, and then start out for the polls. And maybe you'll be allowed to get to the polls. Then, perhaps, you'll be allowed to deposit a ballot, which in your excitement you may or may not have marked correctly. And if you did mark it correctly there is a chance of its not being counted, anyhow. As you say, it's extremely uncertain."

ASSESSMENT OF PROPERTY.

The County Board of Equalization Has Finished its Work—A Difficult Task.

The county board of equalization which has been in session for two or three days going over the returns of property and trying to equalize the assessments, finished their work and adjourned yesterday afternoon. Owing to the disparity of assessments as made by the owners of property in making their returns, the work of the board this year has been anything but a pleasant task.

There have been a good many complaints which the board has considered, and the members have had difficulty in an effort to do justice and at the same time please those whose property was raised. Under the law, the board cannot reduce the assessment below the average at which it is returned by the owners of the property, and as stated some time ago, the efforts have been to assess property on sixty per cent valuation. In doing this it has been necessary to raise some of the property as returned by the owners. The board is composed of good men, whose only purpose was to do their duty and to get an equitable assessment. This is a very difficult task, but the members of the board feel that they have discharged their duty conscientiously.

The property will remain as fixed by the board unless the comptroller general makes abatement.

GREAT COUNCIL RED MEN.

To Meet Here April 9-11—Pocahontas Degree To Be Conferred by Catechee Council.

The Great Council of Red Men will meet in Newberry on the 9th, 10th and 11th of April. The program for this meeting has already been printed in The Herald and News. All preparations are being made to have this one of the most delightful conventions of the Great Council ever held in the state. The local tribe is arranging to spread a banquet for at least 350 people, which includes in addition to the members of the local tribe, a number of invited guests, and of course, the representatives of the Great Council. The contract for serving this banquet has been let to Mr. James Dunbar, and he has already gone about making preparations to serve it.

On April 9th, at 8 p. m., Catechee Council, No. 4, will confer the Pocahontas Degree upon all representatives who are not already members of the Pocahontas Council. This work will be done under the direction of Mr. Otto Klettner, and by a team composed of the members of the Bergell Tribe and the Catechee Council. They have been practicing for some time and will be able to confer it very effectively. There will also be a good many candidates from Newberry and other points to take this degree. Every Red Man in good standing, his wife or daughter and all women and young ladies sixteen years of age are eligible to take this degree. A special dispensation has been granted by the Great Sachem to receive application, ballot and confer the degree the same night. All applicants must be of reputable character and good bodily health. Any one desiring to take the degree may file his or her application with E. H. Aull, C. L. Blease, J. H. Hair or Otto Klettner.

Now Making Five Dollars Where

They Formerly Made One.

Thousands of young men are now making salaries five times as large as formerly, as the result of securing a thorough business education at that widely renowned institution located at Macon, Ga., the Ga.-Ala. Bus. College, while hundreds of others who were trained there are now at the head of large and successful business enterprises of their own.

The great reputation for expert work which the graduates of that College enjoy has caused business men everywhere to call upon it for office help far beyond its ability to supply. The College has therefore very generously resolved to give to every boy and girl in the land, no matter how limited their means or education, an opportunity to secure a practical business education and get the benefit of these good places. Every ambitious young person is urged to write this very day for the special offer and written guaranty of position.

Addressing.

E. L. Martin, Pres., Macon, Ga.

"Talking of that banquet last night," said Holmes. "I suppose you heard some fine language." "Yes," replied Lushman, "I heard some fine language this morning that affected me very much." "This morning?" "Yes. It was: 'Ten dollars and costs.'"—Philadelphia Press.

A GOOD COLLECTION.

County Treasurer Epps Collects 99 Per Cent of All Taxes Levied.

The time for paying taxes has expired and the few unpaid are being prepared to be turned over to the sheriff.

Treasurer Epps says he has made the best collection ever made since he has been in office.

His collections show that he has collected ninety-nine per cent of the total amount charged up on his books.

The following are the amounts collected by him:

Table with 2 columns: Category and Amount. State: \$32336 64; Ordinary county: 14699 04; Special county: 2939 76; School (3 mill): 17638 21; Special school: 8354 22; R. R.: 7048 22; Polls: 4737 00; Deers: 1069 50.

GREENWOOD'S FESTIVAL.

Preparations On in Earnest—Many Newberry People Will Likely Attend The Event.

The Choral Festival which is to be held in Greenwood on the 18th and 19th of April is exciting no little interest locally. It is thought that a large crowd will go from here to take advantage of the great opportunity offered to hear some great singing by some equally great artists. The railroads will grant low rates, and the schedules are so arranged that those who intend going to Greenwood in April may do so at little inconvenience, inasmuch as practically all of the three performances may be taken in, allowing the busy men to return home easily in-time for opening business.

From all that can be learned, the Choral Festival in Greenwood will be a great event for this section, and the people of that little city have at a great expense to themselves, secured some well known artists to sing there. They are busily engaged making all preparations for the great event, and the three concerts which will be given as follows: Wednesday night, Thursday afternoon, and Thursday night, will be well attended. People all over this section are contemplating attending. And it is well, too, for not often does the opportunity present itself for lovers of music and by great artists too to hear and attend an event of such magnitude.

The chorus which will sing will be composed of one hundred and forty five well trained voices a fact, in itself, which will prove great drawing card. Then, in a great measure adding luster to the musical event, are the renowned singers from the West who have, at a great price, been secured to sing at Greenwood. It costs no little outlay of money to induce a singer of national and worldwide reputation to sing, and the people of Greenwood realize this fact.

The seat sale was opened last week in the store of S. C. Hodges, to whom all letters should be addressed. In order to secure the choicest seats in the house a great number have already been sold, but those in charge are urging the people to secure seats at once, so that those who attend will get the best places. The prices of admission are only seventy five cents for each performance, while the season ticket entitling the holder to the three performances are only two dollars. This is regarded very moderate for the high class of singing to be had.

Greenwood congratulates herself upon securing of the most renowned artists in the country. Among the number are Genevieve Clark Wilson, soprano; Harriet Frahm, contralto; H. Aug. Smith, tenor, and Gustaf Holquist, bass. With the grand chorus of 145 voices, these will present such an array of musical talent as has never before been seen in this section. All of them will come to Greenwood in April with a reputation well earned, with voices, well known and appreciated and on Wednesday night, the 18th which is Artists Night will delight a large audience which has already signified its intention of coming. S. C. Hodges, of Greenwood, who is in charge of the tickets, and can furnish any information, states that the seat sale has been more than gratifying, and that the only way to secure the best locations in the auditorium is to write for them now.

Finished the Course in Pharmacy.

Mr. Warren Edward Fulmer and Mr. Perry Drayton Simpson, who have been attending the Atlanta College of Pharmacy, have completed the course and will receive their diplomas at the commencement Monday evening, April 2. These two young men have taken a very creditable stand in their studies and we congratulate them on the successful termination of their work.

The hats are prettier than usual this season. Go to Mower Company's next Tuesday for your new spring selections, as it will be opening day, and will be an opportune time to make your purchases.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

IF you don't believe the Laurens Steam Laundry does good work, try it and if the work is not good they will make it good. Send your laundry to The Herald and News Office Thursday and get it back Saturday. Laundered up-to-date.

THE Envelope Hand Bag at Mayes' Book store, is the noblest thing in town.

FOR SALE—Four good milch cows. Anne O. Ruff.

STRAYED—One dark bay mare mule small knot below knee on hind leg. If found notify Summer Bros.

AT COST—In order to reduce stock I will offer my entire stock of Merchandise, consisting of Shoes, Clothing, Hats, Dry Goods, Etc., Etc., For Ten days at Cost, for Cash. W. T. Tarrant.

FOR SALE—Half acre land with new storehouse on it 20 x 50 feet, in business portion of place. Price \$750.00. B. M. Havird, Silver Street, S. C.

WANTED—25 Able bodied men for saw mill work, good wages, steady employment. Paid fortnightly. Apply to Leaphart Lumber Co. On C. N. & L. R. R. —7 miles from Columbia.

FOR RENT—Entire second story. G. L. Robinson.

WANTED—Empty Cotton seed meal sacks, 3 cents each. Prosperity Cotton Oil Mill Co.

SHAW'S Pure Malt clears the cobwebs from the brain—gives vigor to old age. For sale at The Dispensary.

FINE lot of sweet potatoes for sale. Vineless and Georgia Buck variety. Apply to M. B. Caldwell, Newberry, S. C.

FOR 10 DAYS—I will pay cash for second hand spring clothing. Mrs. Dora Watts, Racket Store.

WANTED—By Chicago wholesale and mail order house, assistant manager (man or woman) for this county and adjoining territory. Salary \$20 and expenses paid weekly; expense money advanced. Work pleasant; position permanent. No investment or experience required. Spare time valuable. Write at once for full particulars and enclose self-addressed envelope. Superintendent, 132 Lake St., Chicago, Ill.

WANTED in each State salesman to sell large line tobacco. Permanent position. Central Tobacco Co., Penicks, Va.

WE have hay for sale. A nice lot of Meadow hay, baled. Quick delivery. Phone 19. 4 rings. Jeff T. Cromer, Manager.

WELLS—I have purchased a well boring machine and am prepared to do satisfactory work or no pay. Any in need of wells should consult or write me at Newberry. G. P. Hill.

WANTED—Mannager for Branch office we wish to locate here in Newberry Court House. Address, with references. The Morris Wholesale House, Cincinnati, Ohio.

IF From opening time until closing time and all the time, you want good time then have your watch and clock cleaned and repaired by W. B. Rikard, Jeweler, at The Herald and News Office.

CHICKEN FEED.

We have just received another lot of Chicken Feed (Fine and coarse). The kind when once used you will want again, a trial convinces you that it is the best.

SUMMER BROS.