

# MISSIONARY MEETING AT LUTHERAN SYNOD.

Interesting Programme Arranged for  
Session at Prosperity Next  
Week.

The Woman's Missionary conference of the South Carolina synod of the Lutheran church will meet in Grace church, Prosperity, on November 1 and be in session three days. The call has been issued by Mrs. M. S. Habenicht, the vice president, and Mrs. M. O. J. Kreps, the secretary. An interesting programme has been arranged as follows:

Sunday morning—9 o'clock, quiet hour; 11 o'clock, preaching service, sermon by pastor loci.

Sunday afternoon—Children's hour. Exercise by local mission band; welcome to Junior Workers, Miss Annie Laurie Etheridge; talk to children, Miss Ellen Hendrix; a journey with Mrs. Cronk to the Far East. Sunday evening—Address of welcome, Mrs. Kreps; response, Mrs. Sylvan; address, Rev. Edward Fullenwider.

Monday morning—Praise service, led by Mrs. Bultman: (a) "How Praise," Miss Amelia Habenicht; (b) "Why Praise?" Miss Lucile Efrid; formal opening of convention; enrollment of delegates; discussion, "Possibilities of Development in Our Mission Work," conducted by Mrs. S. O. Kaminer; (a) "The Women," Mrs. J. P. Setzler; (b) "The Junior Workers," Miss Rosaline Summer; (c) "The Children," Miss Elen Hendrix; (d) "The Cradle Roll," Mrs. C. E. Weltner.

Monday afternoon—Bible reading, mission study class, taught by Miss Gertrude Simpson; echoes from Savannah; business.

Monday evening—Talk by Mrs. E. C. Cronk; address, Rev. J. H. Harms.

Tuesday morning—Prayer service, led by Mrs. A. J. Bowers; discussion, "Literature," conducted by Mrs. Cronk; (a) "For Our Women," Mrs. P. E. Monroe; (b) "For Our Young Workers," Miss Amelia Habenicht; (c) "For Our Children," Mrs. Jennie Holman; general discussion; discussion, "Our Forward Movement," introduced by Miss Gertrude Simpson and Mrs. Dr. Sease; business.

Tuesday afternoon—Bible reading, led by Miss Clara Berg; mission study class, taught by Miss Mary Lou Bowers; discussion, "Best Methods of Interesting Our Young People and Children in Mission Work," Mrs. F. W. Seegers and Mrs. S. T. Hallman; business; consecration service.

Tuesday evening—Address by Rev. C. E. Weltner on "Our Training Work: Its Needs and Possibilities," address, Dr. R. C. Holland.

Special notice to delegates and visitors:

In order that arrangements for entertainment may be satisfactorily made, all delegates and visitors to this convention are earnestly requested to notify Mrs. S. D. Duncan at Prosperity of their intention to be present.

# GEN. BONHAM DEPARTS ON HIS SPEAKING TOUR.

The State.

Anderson, Oct. 23.—Gen. M. L. Bonham left for New York tonight to report for duty as speaker for the Democratic cause. He will stop over in Baltimore to visit his daughter in college and will arrive at New York Sunday. His work will be confined to New York State and New Jersey.

Proctor A. Bonham, recently nominated solicitor of the Tenth circuit, accompanied his father.

# KAISER'S SON MARRIED.

Brilliant Wedding Performed at the  
Palace in Berlin

Berlin, October 22.—Duchess Alexandra Victoria, of Schleswig-Holstein, daughter of Prince Frederick, Duke of Schleswig-Holstein, was married in the chapel of the Imperial Palace at 5 o'clock this afternoon to Prince August William, of Prussia, fourth son of Emperor William.

The ceremony was witnessed by the members of the Imperial family and fifty princes and princesses of the minor German royal houses.

The Chancellor of the Empire, Prince von Buelow, as well as the other high State functionaries, the members of the diplomatic corps, including Dr. Hill, the American ambassador, and the members of the embassy staffs, with their wives, altogether about 800 guests, also were present.

The civil ceremony was held in the private apartment of the palace, after which the Empress placed the Hohenzollern crown upon the head of the young princess.

The royal party then marched in procession to the chapel. The bride was clad in a white silk dress trim-

med with lace and her train, richly embroidered with silver and 13 feet long, was borne by four pages. The simple ceremony of the Lutheran State church was performed by Dr. Dryander, the court preacher, assisted by several minor ecclesiastics.

# Shot His Sister While Drunk.

Easley, October 23.—John Hughes became rowdy after drinking too much whiskey today at Liberty and shot his sister, Mrs. Hunter. She is still alive, but her recovery is doubtful. A policeman went to arrest Hughes, when the latter ran into his sister's house to get a pistol to shoot the officer. Mrs. Hunter tried to prevent him, and he shot her.

# BILLY AND I.

(By special request of one of our best friends we republish this poem.) They say they are going to shoot you, Old Billy, but don't you fret, For the fellow who dares to meddle with you must reckon with me, you bet; You're a poor old horse, Old Billy, and you aren't worth much, it is true; But you've been a faithful friend to me, and I'll see you safely through.

Shoot Old Billy? I guess not, though you may be old and gray; By the self-same stretch of mercy they'll be shooting at me some day; For I'm three times older than you are, for I've reached three score and ten; And shooting isn't the thing to do to horses no more than men.

That's right, Old Billy, I like it—your muzzle against my face; We've had rattling times together, and once we won the race—Do you remember it, Billy, the dude that we downed that day? And the way he swore, that an old farm-horse should show his trotter the way!

I haven't much love for the fellows who follow the shooting plan; If they had more pity for horses and dogs, they'd have more love for man; And this world would be much nearer the glad millennium day

If they'd just stop burning powder for good and fire their guns away.

Well, Billy, we're both great sinners, for we've both grown old, you know;

And we've only a little further adown the road to go;

So we'll fare along together till the Master calls us home

To the happy Home-Land stables, and our feet forget to roam.

Yes, we've jogged along together for many and many a day, So we'll just keep on a-jogging to the ending of the way; And at last, when the shadows falling shall tell the time for rest, We will meet them, nothing fearing, for you know we've done our best.

Won't it be jolly, Old Comrade, in the pastures green and fair, To roll in the fragrant clover that must bloom forever there? You'll be there, Billy, I know it, for they'll surely let you in—I only wish my record on earth was a quarter as free from sin.

They tell us that horses have no souls, and they all declare it true; That shows how little they know, Old Boy, and it proves they don't know you; Well, well, 'tis a mighty question, and quite beyond my ken—But the more I know of horses like you, the less I brag about men.

Now, trot away to the pasture and hear the thrushes sing; And list to the children playing, and hear how their voices ring; See the white clouds drifting over, hear the cooling brooklet's flow—'Tis sweet, glad world, Old Billy, and we'll stay till we have to go. Shoot Old Billy! By ginger! they better not try that on; For the man who draws a gun on you will wish he'd never been born; They say it will cost to keep you! all right, you have earned it fair; So don't you worry, old friend of mine, you shall have your honest share.

You've been a good horse, Old Fellow, steady and brave and true; You have given us faithful service—done all that a horse could o; You have earned your keep; you shall have it; so live as long as you can—

For justice is justice, and right is right, whether its horse or man.

J. S. Cutler,

In Boston Evening Transcript.

# Post Cards!

All the aliens and prodigal sons cannot return for the old home week celebrations, but thanks to the man who invented the Picture Post Card, they may be reminded of the old home scenes at an expenditure of a few cents. Remember, I have the largest assortment of Post Cards in town. Comic Post Cards free of charge Saturday, the 31st of October.

# Mayes' Book Store.

COME TO THE

# Charleston Fall Festival.

AND VISIT THE

# NAVY YARD

With her large Battleship "TEXAS" and Torpedo Fleet in Port.

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Nov. 16-21, 1908

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# WEDNESDAY, "SHRINERS DAY"

Military Parade; Fantastic and Trades Display; Fire Department Parade and Horse Reel Contest; Automobile Floral Parade; Foot Ball Game, Charleston vs. Savannah; Aquatic Carnival in Harbor; Street Carnival.

# Low Rates on Railroads.

# EXCURSION RATES TO COLUMBIA, S. C., AND RETURN VIA SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Account South Carolina Colored State Fair the Southern railway announces very low round trip rates from all points in South Carolina to Columbia, S. C., tickets to be sold November 7th to 13th inclusive, and for trains scheduled to arrive Columbia before noon of November 14th, 1908, limited for return until November 16th, 1908.

For rates, detailed information, etc., apply to Southern railway ticket agents or address,

J. C. Lusk,  
Division Passenger Agent,  
J. L. Meek, Charleston, S. C.  
Asst. Gen. Pass. Agt.,  
Atlanta, Ga.

# THE STATE FAIR.

President Mobley Says the Best Yet—Special Trains to Handle Newberry and Prosperity.

Preside it Mobley of the Fair Association says: "We will have a great fair of five full days, four days of grand racing, three days of football, five days of superb horse shows, large and varied free attractions, great midway attractions, two flights each day of Chas. J. Strobilas Airship. These flights will be made to the height of 500 and 600 feet daily; grand military display; great attractions that have never before been offered to the people of South Carolina and adjoining States attending the fair. Railroad rates cut in half, transportation facilities enlarged so that every one can attend the fair with easy access."

The fare this year will be \$2.05 from Newberry and \$1.85 from Prosperity. Tickets to be sold Oct. 24th to 29th inclusive, with final limit Nov. 2nd, 1908.

The railroads are providing special trains and equipment to handle the immense crowd of fair visitors.

In addition to regular trains the Southern has already announced the schedule of a special train which leaves Anderson at 5.30 a. m., on Oct.

28th and 29th, passing Newberry at 9.05, Prosperity 9.20, and arrives Columbia 11.00 a. m. Returning this train will leave Columbia 7.00 p. m., reach Prosperity 8.35, and Newberry 8.47 p. m.

In addition to the above special the Southern has arranged for a special train to leave Newberry mornings of Oct. 28th and 29th, which will arrive in Columbia 9.40 a. m.

The exact time this train will leave Newberry has not been fully decided upon, but will be in the neighborhood of 7.00 a. m.

The C. N. & L. is preparing for an extensive travel via their line. They have a regular morning train which leaves Newberry at 8.47 a. m., and this train furnished with extra equipment always handles a large crowd to and from the fair; it being run on a very suitable schedule, convenient to make a round trip in a day. This train will be held in Columbia on Wednesday and Thursday until 6.20 p. m.

It has not been learned yet whether the C. N. & L. will operate a special train or not.

# She Likes Good Things.

Mrs. Chas. E. Smith, of West Franklin, Maine, says: "I like good things and have adopted Dr. King's New Life Pills as our family laxative medicine, because they are good and do their work without making a fuss about it." These painless purifiers sold at W. E. Pelham & Son's drug store, 25c.

# NOTICE TO DRAW JURY.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, jury commissioners, for Newberry County, S. C., will at 9 o'clock A. M., Oct. 31st, 1908, in the office of the clerk of court, openly and publicly draw the names of thirty-six men who shall serve for one week as petit jurors at the fall term of the court of general sessions, which will convene on the 16th day of November, 1908.

Jno. L. Epps,  
Wm. W. Cromer,  
Jno. C. Goggans,  
Jury Commissioners for Newberry County, S. C.

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Secretary.