

The Herald and News.

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The road question is the big one before the people of this country today, but they seem not to realize it. Any old road seems good enough to the average citizen. That we need better roads no one will question, and that better roads will pay we do not believe any sane man will question, but when you try to come down to hard facts and tell the people that it takes money to build and maintain good roads they are not so willing to furnish the cash. The great trouble is really not the building of the roads, but the maintenance of them after they are built. There is very little use to build good roads and make no provision to maintain them. Take the road from Newberry to Whitmire, while it is not the kind of road we would like to see, yet it is a good road as roads go in this county, but the question now confronting the people is the maintenance of this road, and if it is not given attention it would have been better to have done nothing to it. We believe the people along this road are going to see to it that it is maintained. We hope so.

If some provision could be made to have the split log drag used at the right time on our roads there would be little complaint about the condition of many of the roads that are now in bad condition. It is so inexpensive it does seem that some provision could be made to use it on more of the roads of the country.

Our local reporter seems to have a spite against the condition of Friend street from the depot to the postoffice. We do not know much about it, but we let it go, for it is a pretty safe guess that most any of our streets would give you a shake-up if you undertook to travel over them very fast. All we know of Friend street is from Caldwell to our office door and that portion is very good. We do know that a portion of Main street from the end of the brick paving going east is about as bad as any road we would care to travel. We suppose the city council is doing all it can with the means at hand to make good streets. The city is putting up some permanent bridges which is in the right direction for the expenditure of the public funds. It is almost criminal to spend the public money on patch work.

The employe who is a clock watcher and who does not feel that he should ever give a moment of his time that is not paid for may never hope to be anything but an employe and he is really not fit for that job.

Now is the time to send in your subscription to The Herald and News. It can be had now for the pitiful sum of \$1.31 for 12 months. Or you can get four good magazines and The Herald and News for a whole year for \$1.49. Or we will give you The Herald and News for a year and the Progressive Farmer, the best agricultural paper published in the South, and the Housewife, a good family paper, all for the small sum of \$1.98. Could you ask or expect anything cheaper? Now is your opportunity. Then we are publishing the best paper we can, and that is some paper. If you are the least skeptical and send in your name we will send you a few sample copies free. And we feel that is cheap enough for any one.

WE LOVE YOU.

We love all our subscribers. We feel like they belong to our own household. We hate to part with any of them. We would regret very much to see any of them to leave the household. But, you know, it takes a little of that old stuff we call sometimes "filthy lucre," to buy the necessaries for the household. And to buy paper and pay the printers and keep the necessaries in our own pantry, not to speak of the interest on the bank notes, it takes a little money. Some time ago when we were selling the paper for a whole year for the

pitiful sum of \$1.19 we not only made the statement in the paper, but we sent each one of our out of county subscribers a statement telling him how his subscription stood, and that he could pay for a whole year for \$1.19, and then the date to which you are paid is on the label on your paper every time you receive it. Not many of them took advantage of this very liberal offer.

The point of this paragraph is to say that we are going to begin the cash in advance system again, and we are going to start with our out of the county subscribers. That may sound strange, but those of our household who have left the county should be willing to send the small amount that is due if they want the paper, and if they don't we are going to cut them off on the first of January. We are going to give you that long. We love you and will hate to part with you, but love to be lasting must be reciprocal, and your part is to send us the amount you owe us and the renewal.

Now, dear friends, come along and do your part and do it right now. We need it and we are due it. If you love us show your love by the little check that will pay your subscription for another year, with the amount you owe for the past year. We can not afford to accumulate a big amount on back subscriptions again, for our experience is that it is worthless.

We do not care for money, but we do love to pay what we owe, and we could do it easily if those who owe us would come along and like little men pay what is due. You get a whole year now if you pay \$1.31 by the 20th of November. After that date it is now our intention to charge every one the old price, which is cheap enough, \$1.50. We want to give you an inducement to pay what is due. We have carried many of our subscribers during the summer when money was scarce and times were hard, and we were hard up, too, but we managed to carry you, and we now ask you to come along and show your appreciation by paying the amount that is due. We appreciate your standing by us when we were in

trouble, but we want you to show your appreciation by paying the small amount that is due. That is fair.

The split log drag is a very simple device, but a very useful thing if used properly and at the right time in making better roads for the county. Pity there could not be some arrangement for its regular use on the roads.

No merchant in Newberry county who has goods to sell should miss an opportunity to have his name and his goods in our anniversary edition. It is going to be the greatest newspaper ever published in Newberry county. We every merchant in the city and give him every merchant in the city and give him an opportunity to have a place in the picture, but we may not be able to do so, and you may come right around to the office and buy your space. The price is reasonable for the service. We are getting out the paper on our own account and no outsider is interested. It is a big undertaking, but we are going to do the best we can, and we ask your co-operation. It is going to be a paper that all the good people of Newberry will be proud of. It is going to every home in Newberry county and no better medium to reach the people can be found.

The sudden death of Mr. J. Lawson Wise in Prosperity on Sunday night was a great shock to his many friends in Newberry. He was a good citizen and an upright man and his word could always be depended upon. He was quiet and unassuming, but a man of influence in the community because every one respected him and had confidence in him. His death is not only a loss to the business and religious life of the town in which he lived, but a distinct loss to the county and the state, because they have lost a good citizen. The editor of this paper extends to his wife and children our most heartfelt sympathy.

Military astronomers doubtless decided long ago that the canals on Mars were trenches for army maneuvers, both real and sham.

Going Out of Business

After standing the storms for 50 years, just half a century, two panics, two wars, 4 1-2 cent cotton, we are as solid as the rocks of Gibraltar, not being closed out, not that we must have the money, simply retiring after 50 years of service. We have an elegant stock of new, snappy, nice goods which we intend to close out by the 1st. of January, 1916.

As a starter we offer all men's and boys' Clothing, Hats and Caps, Dress Goods, Rugs, Art Squares, Trunks and Valises, Lap Robes, Laces and Embroidery, Ladies' and Misses' Coats and Sweaters, all millinery at 25 per cent off on the dollar or one fourth off. On all shoes 10 per cent off.

This is a great cut on new, nice merchandise and we want our friends and customers to take advantage of it. Remember when Moseleys advertise they always carry out their ad to the letter. No catch penny wild cat scheme but solid facts. Most of these goods were bought in New York this fall and would not be sacrificed but for the fact we are going out of business after January 1st., 1916. We are giving up a prosperous business leaving a fine opening for some active young men and our store for rent after Jan. 1st., 1916.

New prices and new goods added daily. The entire stock must go by 1st. Jan., 1916.

MOSELEY BROS.

Prosperity, S. C.

Better Service to You

We don't want you to think of The Commercial Bank just as a place to deposit your money, although of course we are glad to have you keep as large a balance with us as is possible.

It is our desire to render our patrons every service and accommodation that can reasonably be expected from us. The Burroughs Bookkeeping Machine, which we have just added to our equipment, makes it possible for us to give you better service in the handling of your accounts than ever before.

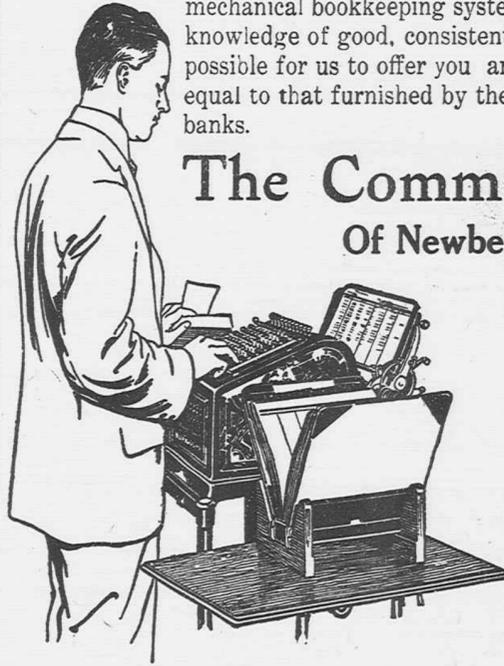
By the machine method, your account is kept in balance all the time. If, as sometimes happen, you want a statement of your balance in a hurry, we can give it to you, including today's checks and deposits, in less than five minutes.

This statement shows all checks and deposits and gives the balance of your account to date, taking the place of the tedious and unsatisfactory plan of calling in and balancing pass books.

The machine affords absolute protection against errors in figure handling. It can't make a mistake. You can always be sure that your machine-figured balance is correct.

The increased speed, accuracy and protection of this mechanical bookkeeping system, added to our thorough knowledge of good, consistent banking methods, makes it possible for us to offer you an improved service that is equal to that furnished by the country's most progressive banks.

The Commercial Bank Of Newberry, S. C.



CONDENSED STATEMENT:

RESOURCES:	
Loans	\$458,865.81
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	12,502.74
Real Estate	16,072.25
Cash on hand and in banks	85,554.98
	\$572,995.78
LIABILITIES:	
Capital Stock	50,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	77,789.18
Dividends unpaid	2,069.00
Bills Payable	20,000.00
Deposits	423,137.60
	\$572,995.78

The Hub Store **THE HOME OF BARGAINS** The Hub Store
Smart Suits and Boys' Clothing
For Winter Wear



The Hub's hand made clothes stand for all that's best in men's clothes. The suit sold by us must be right. We see that the fabrics, the designing, the tailoring and the fitting qualities are one and all exactly what they should be before we permit them to be put in our stock. So buy these famous suits with absolute confidence in them. You'll get top value for your clothing money. You'll get all the style, quality and worth that it is possible to crowd into clothes. Some particularly fine suits are being shown now. They are brand new things that possess every new style kink that dame fashion favors.

The showing of boys' clothing is especially attractive. In it are represented the new form fitting suits, regulation suits and big roomy box suits. There are dozens of different colorings, styles and grades in the collection, which is the largest line of clothing ever offered in a Newberry store. Suits \$10 to \$22.50. Mackinaws \$5.00.

Boys' Suits and Overcoats

We take special care of the little fellows. Mothers will find here the most complete line in Newberry of stylish suits and overcoats that make the boys well cared for. Serviceable school suits and stylish "best suits", all at prices that will please those who know what good clothes are.



Boys' Suits 98c to \$8.50

Mackinaws \$3.95 to \$5.00

Hats and Caps

You will find here a full line of Jno. B. Stetson Hats in all the new shapes and colorings. Look for the big black and red sign and don't let any one mislead you.

THE HUB STORE

The Home of Bargains.