

CITY COUNCIL MEETS

DETERMINES TO IMPROVE THE CITY POWER PLANT.

Other Matters of Interest Were Considered, Discussed and Passed by the Council.

The City Council met in regular monthly session on Friday night and soon disposed of what business came before that body.

The treasurer's reports showed \$23,089.54 as amount that had been collected from taxes and what had been done with the same.

Messrs. James Salley, City Electrician, and Edward N. Scoville of the board of public works appeared in regard to the purchasing of additional electrical machinery for the local power station.

After hearing these gentlemen the Commissioners of Public Works were authorized to expend \$4,000 for improvements at the power station.

The petition from the property owners of Doyle street to have it graded and improved by the city engineer was fully discussed.

The Committee on the Fire Department asked that a special meeting of Council be called to consider a "building code" which they would submit.

After much discussion the street committee was authorized to put a 24 inch drain in lower Doyle street through Sellers Avenue and through Rowe street to the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad.

The finance committee was authorized to negotiate a loan of not more than three thousand dollars to meet the expenses of the city, until the taxes were collected.

After some discussion as to the back lights on automobiles, during which Mayor Dukes stated that he had never fined anyone for not having it lighted, Council adjourned.

Mrs. Malpass Entertained. Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Malpass gave a card party on Friday evening in honor of Mr. Townsend Wolfe.

Fighting Boll Weevil. In starting this season's campaign against the cotton boll weevil the Department of Agriculture has just issued a farmer's bulletin on the fighting of the pest.

Entertainment at Neeses. Mr. John H. Blume and bride, Miss Marie King, of Hartsville, arrived at Neeses Wednesday evening, coming directly from the bride's home.

A Sad Death. Mrs. Hasletton, Bonnett, widow of the late George Bonnett, died on the 9th of July. She was sixty-two years old.

Gave Up the Fight. Leaving a note in which he stated there was "too much boss from mother-in-law" in his family and that his wife sided with her mother.

Blind Man a Murderer. Earnest Wollridge, a blind negro, was sentenced to the penitentiary in Greensburg, Ky., this week, for the murder of Tom Chaudon, also colored.

Did Not Want Him. During the heat of Thursday week, a black bear invaded the village of Caton, N. Y., and ensconced itself in the village water trough.

NOVEL WEDDING CEREMONY.

Brother and Sister Had Double Wedding Sunday Morning.

On Sunday morning Rev. D. D. Dantzier performed a very unique and interesting ceremony, by which four young Orangeburg people were married. Two of the principles in the merry scene were brother and sister.

Mr. Walter O' Cain has been working for some time in the firm of Theodore Kohn. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis O' Cain. Miss Dollie Inabinet has also been employed by Theodore Kohn's Emporium.

All of these young people are to be congratulated in taking this important step in life upon the selection of such suitable and charming young mates.

BOOSTER TRIP DATE FIXED.

Party of Business Men Will Leave August 8, 9, and 10.

At a meeting yesterday morning it was decided that the booster trip of the local Chamber of Commerce would take place August 8, 9, and 10, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Fifteen autos are already pledged and these alone will take a party of sixty men. The pilot car will be the one devoted to the Chamber of Commerce, and will lead the way the other cars following at minute intervals.

Prevent Their Breeding.

The Lancaster News calls attention to the fact that the recent rains have filled any old tin cans and other vessels to be seen in back yards and in back lots.

Find Newspapers Best.

Shoe dealers all over Indiana awakened to the fact that newspapers are the business friends and partners. The relation of the press to good health has long been recognized by the dental profession and by teachers.

School Dental Inspection.

The State Dental Association is taking a great interest in oral hygiene. The relation of the teeth to good health has long been recognized by the dental profession and by teachers.

Notice of Discharge and Call to Creditors.

On August 18th, 1911 I will file my final account as Administratrix cum testamento annexo, of the estate of Allen David Stroble, deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of Allen David Stroble deceased, will present same to the undersigned or be barred by payment.

Elizabeth A. Stroble, Administratrix cum testamento annexo of the estate of Allen David Stroble, deceased. July 17th, 1911.

Shock Proved Fatal.

Charley Lawson, a negro living on J. E. Broughton's place was killed Wednesday about five o'clock by lightning. Mr. Broughton and his hands had sought shelter in an out-house and all were shocked by the bolt that killed Lawson.

Professional Notice.

Dr. C. I. Green will not be in Orangeburg until August 1. He is now in Baltimore on a visit.

RALLY WAS A SUCCESS

GREAT DAY FOR GRAND OLD NEWBERRY COLLEGE.

Drs. J. H. Harms, G. B. Cromer and T. H. Dreher Make Entertaining and Instructive Addresses

St. Matthews, July 14—Special: Newberry College was in the hands of its friends at Mount Lebanon Lutheran Church, three miles below the thriving little city of Cameron today.

When the Rev. James B. Sherer, a former president of Newberry College was straining every nerve to secure \$50,000 as a prerequisite to gift from Dr. Pearson of \$25,000, this congregation contributed over \$4,000 of the sum.

The church was full to the doors and the people seemed greatly interested in the speeches for their institution, which they love so well and patronize so faithfully.

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Dr. T. H. Dreher, of St. Matthews was the first speaker. He was proud of the honor of being an alumnus of Newberry College, and it was his constant aim to bring no reproach upon her; takes a practical view of education; useless to force square pegs into round holes.

The Hon. Geo. H. Cromer was introduced. He was in fine trim and made a most stirring appeal for one hour, which made a fine impression. He is a man of splendid presence, the king bee in the Lutheran hive of South Carolina laymen, and is immensely popular in this section.

There is the Lutheran Seminary in Columbia, which can now be sold at a profit of \$40,000. He gave facts of the remarkable growth of the Publication Society and Japanese mission work. Graphically did he describe the opening of Newberry College in 1877 in a photograph gallery at Newberry; the sacrifices and the splendid work of the Newberry notables, such as Drs. Smetzer, Baerman, and Holand, who never tired nor grew weary.

There is Holland Hall, the gymnasium, the technological department, the professors homes and the Kelled building, all during the past few years. The finest endowment of the College has been the steadfast and unwavering loyalty of her alumni.

President J. Henry Harms, of the College, was then introduced, and made a splendid speech. He presents a fine appearance, the picture of health and strength, and is now occupying the highest seat in the Lutheran synagogue at an age when most ambitious and brainy men are clutching desperately at the lower rungs of the ladder.

He asked the significant question, "What is Newberry College?" and answered that it is the spirit and devotion of those who have gone before; stressed the splendid loyalty of the alumni, complimented the young men on their interest in these reunions, and what they had accomplished. The Lutherans were small in number compared to the other denominations, but this was largely compensated for by their sacrifices and heroic efforts.

Competition is fierce, but from this crucible have always come the great and noble things of the world. Every pastor, save one, of the Georgia Lutheran Synod, is a Newberry College man. Education sets a man free, makes him large and broad and strong, but there is an education uncharged with a genuine spirituality and grace, which Newberry undertakes to instill as an antidote to scepticism, which is the deadly bane of the home, of society, and in all the avenues of human endeavor.

Wished to refute the charge flung out occasionally by the jealous and the envious that Newberry college is a factory for the making of preachers. He was proud of her record in that line but she makes almost anything from a minister to a canoe—inclined 8-horse dynamo, airplanes etc. Complimented the farmers upon their magnificent agricultural conditions among the highest in the State.

MISSIONARY MEETING.

Joint Meeting Held by the Societies of St. Paul's

On Friday afternoon at six o'clock in the Sunday school room, the three missionary societies of the Methodist church held a joint meeting. Mrs. A. S. Jennings presided, having been elected president pro tem during the absence of the regular president, Mrs. R. L. Berry.

Songs, Onward Christian Soldiers. Song by Juvenile Choir, Just a Little Bit of Love. Talk by Mrs. Wright, City Missionary. Paper by Miss Minnie Bowman, "Our Training School".

After this there was a social meeting when an ice course was served, during which very sweet instrumental music was rendered by Miss Minnie Bowman and Katherine Josey.

SHOOTING ABOARD EXCURSION.

Unruly Negro Killed After Wounding Two Officers.

The Charlotte Observer publishes the details of a homicide, which occurred Thursday evening between Catawba River and Fort Mill, aboard an excursion train for negroes, which was returning via the Southern railway from Columbia to Charlotte.

Policemen Robert Estridge and John Wilson of North Charlotte, were aboard, when John Reed, colored sitting alone in a smoking compartment commenced firing his pistol through the right chest. Wilson went in and called on him to give up the pistol.

Officer Estridge who had come up behind Wilson received a bullet through the right chest. Wilson turned, and seeing Estridge fall, shot the negro dead. Reed's body was taken off at Fort Mill, where first aid attention was also given to the two wounded officers.

Sheriff's Sale of Stock of Goods. The State of South Carolina, County of Orangeburg. In Court of Common Pleas.

By virtue of certain executions issued by the Clerk of Court for Orangeburg County S. C., and to me directed, and by virtue of an agreement entered into by the respective parties in interest I will sell, at public auction, on Saturday the twenty-second day of July 1911, beginning at 11 o'clock A. M. of that day, at the Store House, in the Town of Branchville, South Carolina, lately occupied by F. A. Bruce & Brother, as a store, a stock of goods, consisting of dry goods, Shoes, Notions, groceries, store fixtures, and also Book Accounts, and all other property belonging to the defendants in execution in said store house and premises.

Levied on as the property of F. A. Bruce & Brother, and J. R. C. Bruce and other defendants in execution, at the suit of The Bay State Fruit Company, and other execution creditors.

The said sale will be continued through the day, afternoon and evening of said twenty-second day of July 1911, until all of said stock of goods and accounts shall be sold, and in case the same shall not be sold in full, the said sale will be continued on the following Monday, July 24th, 1911, and from day to day until all of the said stock of goods etc., and accounts shall be sold.

Terms of Sale, Cash. A. M. SALLEY, Sheriff of Orangeburg County, S. C. July 13, 1911.

Notice.

State of South Carolina, County of Orangeburg. By virtue of certain tax executions to me directed, I will sell at public auction, at Orangeburg Court house, in said County and State, during the legal hours for sales, on the first Monday in August 1911, being the 7th day of said month, the following described real estate, to wit: All that certain tract of land, situate, lying and being in Orange township, in said County and State, containing 20 acres more or less, and bounded as follows: On the North by lands of Carrie Smith, and on the East, South and West by lands of the estate of Eligh Robinson. Levied on as the property of Thos. Shuler.

Terms, cash. purchaser or purchasers to pay for all necessary papers, and all taxes falling due after day of sale, and if purchaser or purchasers fail to comply with the terms of sale, property will be re-sold on same or some subsequent sale day, at risk of former purchaser or purchasers. A. M. Salley, Sheriff O. C. July 18th, 1911.

Thought Him Joking.

Thinking he was only joking when he called for assistance Arthur Green aged 19 years, was drowned near Birmingham, Ala. He had been doing fancy swimming for the amusement of his friends and it is believed he gave out.

the fight to the finish this season, and he was expecting the best opening in the history of the college next September. The Rev. J. H. Wilson, of Orangeburg, pronounced the benediction, and a picnic dinner, peculiarly characteristic of the hospitable community was spread out on long tables for the edification of the inner man. T. H. Dreher.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

PICKED UP ALL OVER TOWN BY OUR REPORTERS.

What Is Happening Here and There.

Local Items of Personal Interest to Our Readers.

The Book Sale begins today at Sims Book Store.

Miss Simale McMichael left Monday for a visit to Sullivan's Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Spahr left Sunday morning to spend several weeks on Sullivan's Island.

Work is expected soon to be commenced on the new postoffice but just when nobody seems to know.

See the display of Bibles now on in the window at Sims Book Store, selling at greatly reduced prices.

A. W. Summers, Esq., and family returned Saturday night from a pleasant visit of a week to Sullivan's Island.

The high school department of the city school needs strengthening very much. One of its greatest needs is male teachers.

The many friends of Mrs. William Detreville will be glad to hear that she has arrived in this city and is the guest of Mrs. N. H. Bull.

Three large rock fish were caught in the Edisto river on last Wednesday. One weighed 27 and two 25 pounds each. They were whoppers.

Vance, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Garrick passed away on the twenty-fourth of June. His parents and five sisters mourn his loss.

Rev. A. S. Tesley, of Harleyville, Ga., will preach at Gerzlin church Sunday morning, July 30th. Tesley was formerly pastor of this charge.

There will be a Sunday School picnic and Children's Day service at Gerzlin church Saturday one week, the 29th. There will be several speakers.

Mr. W. W. Williams, of Jamison, presented us on last Saturday with one of the largest and most deliciously flavored peaches we ever saw raised in this country.

Probate Judge Redmon issued the first marriage license for Calhoun county on Friday. The parties were A. F. Adams, age 57, and Katie Thomas, age 47. They were colored.

Chester Reeves, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Reeves, who graduated at the Orangeburg schools last year, has been announced as winning the scholarship to the College of Charleston.

Sunday night's services were held at the Baptist Church, and were led by Rev. Davis. He delivered a stirring talk. Next Sunday night Rev. Bays will preach at the Presbyterian church.

Some sections of Orangeburg County is still needing rain. We had hoped that the recent rains had covered the whole county, but such seems not to be the case, as some sections are still dry.

Mr. Jas Izlar Sims, Publisher and Manager of The Times and Democrat, spent the last three days with Mr. A. W. Pittman at Carlisle. He came back this morning after having a most pleasant visit.

As you pass Sims Book Store each day take a look at its window. The various books for sale will be displayed there. Bibles today. Copyrighted fiction will be on display tomorrow and Wednesday.

Some people's idea of consecration is to live in a sort of cloudland of fantastic theories and talk. No one knows what it is until he gets down into the region of actual, plain, every day living where he can be and is of service to his fellow men.

Next Friday the Woodmen of the World at Lone Star will entertain their craft and their friends at a general picnic and barbecue dinner. An attractive programme has been arranged. A number of noted Woodmen and other speakers have been invited.

The St. Matthews correspondent of The State says "it is understood that negotiations are now underway for a splendid tourist hotel. Aiken would better look to her laurels for she may at no distant day have a formidable rival in the race for Northern shekels and trade."

Society rests upon conscience, not upon science. Without virtue, which embraces love of neighbor, reverence for law and fidelity to duty everything would go into chaos. Neither culture, refinement, wealth, luxury or law can take the place of virtue.

One of the things that the Editor of The Times and Democrat insisted when he was on the school board of trustees was that the salaries of the teachers who do the real work of the should be raised every time the superintendent's was raised. That had much to do with his being made a victim of the steam roller.

Advertising always pays, but always better in a live medium. The other day at a picnic a box, containing some valuable merchandise and \$9 in cash, was taken—the persons supposing the box to have food in it. Upon finding its loss the lady advertised for it in The Times and Democrat and as a result it has been delivered to her. The money, and goods therefore, were recovered by a little advertising.

Vance Locals. Mrs. Mazie Butler is visiting her mother Mrs. B. E. Bannister. Mrs. Jessie Wagener, of Bainbridge, Ga., is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. Bull. Miss Georgia Thomas, of this place, and Mr. R. H. Harvey, of White Stone were married a few days ago. They have the best wishes of their friends.

KOHN'S. We are deliberately sacrificing all Summer Goods. This means that 1 dollar here equals 2 at any other store. Besides—we are sacrificing the foundation stone of this store—QUALITY FIRST; but we are cutting prices to clear our shelves for Fall. These Bargains Speak for Themselves. EVERY ITEM SPELLS E-C-O-N-O-M-Y. 5c for an immense assortment of new Val Laces. 10c for La France 2c Talcum. \$5 for Linen Suits worth \$10. 11c for large size 20c towels. 7 1-2c for yard wide 10c S. C. Bleach. 8c for over 50 patterns in 15c Fouldars. SPECIAL---All Trimmed Hats Half Price. YOU KNOW KOHN MILLINERY—THINK WHAT THIS MEANS. White Slippers—All sizes 90c to \$3, 50c for grand silk hosiery in all shades. 10c for Grand Quality 20c Dotted Swiss. \$1 for \$1.50 to \$2 white skirts. KOHN'S "Better Quality at the Same Price."

John Wanamaker, whose life has been insured for a million and a half, once said: From the day an honest man pays the first premium for life insurance, that first receipt of his gives a new impulse, a new light to his eye and a new hope to his heart. The late Grover Cleveland said: Get a policy and then hold on to it. It means self-respect; it means that nobody will have to put something in a hat for you or your dependent ones. Dr. Lyman Abbott said: One could easily bear to take his wife and children down with him into poverty so long as he could be with them to help carry the load but to go off to his eternal rest and leave them to go down into poverty and to fight the wolf from the door, what more terrible prospect? The Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, said: It is a mean thing to go up to heaven while your family go to the poorhouse. When they are out at the elbows the thought of your splendid robe in Heaven will not keep them warm. The minister may preach a splendid sermon over your remains, and the quartette may sing like four angels alighted in the organ loft, but your death will be a swindle. SEE ZEIGLER & DIBBLE SPECIAL AGENTS Orangeburg, S. C. THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY. STRONGEST IN THE WORLD. PROTECTION THAT PROTECTS.

Dear Friend: I went this morning to the grocery. I had a basket on my arm. I got the basket full of things and brought them home. Mama said I was a good trader. This is what I got: A Ham, a Breakfast Strip, some Bologna Sausage. Canned Peas, Corn, Beans, Tomatoes and Kraut. Your Friend, JACOB. P. S.—I got the the things good and cheap because I went to CRAIG'S PURE FOOD STORE. The Best Buggy on Earth. is what we claim ours is. We don't care what you pay us. We get a handsome, easier riding, better built carriage. Take a look at it. The more you know about buggies and their values, the more you will admire ours and the more you will appreciate the moderation of our prices. We have just received a car load of Buggies. Also another lot of Batteries. Call and get your supply before they are gone. L. E. RILEY. Sims Book Store for the best stationery