

HEAVY LOSS BY FIRE.

Mr. Sidney Mayer, of No. 6, Loses His Barn, Stables, Live Stock, And Other Property.

Mr. Sidney Mayer, who lives on the old Sacterwhite place, in No. 6 Township, sustained a heavy loss by fire on Friday night. His barn and stables, containing a wagon and buggy and a quantity of rough food, were totally destroyed, and two mules and a horse were burned to death.

The fire was discovered at about 9 o'clock Friday night and was put out. About an hour later the fire started again and burned up the property completely. It is believed to have been of incendiary origin.

The place on which the fire occurred is the property of Mr. Mayer's mother, Mrs. Laura Mayer, and is near the old Dominick place and about 12 miles from the city.

This section of the county has sustained a number of losses by fire during the past year or more. During last year Mr. Fred Harmon's residence was destroyed. During the first part of this year an old kitchen near the residence on Mr. F. H. Dominick's place was destroyed. Some time later Mr. Hardy Proctor's store house was burned, and only a few months ago Mr. Fred Harmon's gin and mill were burned. All these fires occurred within a radius of one or two miles and were either very destructive or only prevented from being so by hard work. All the fires are believed to have been of incendiary origin and the community is considerably wrought up, and naturally so.

Second Week Jurors.

The following jurors have been drawn for the second week of the November term of court for Newberry County, being the Common Pleas Court, commencing November 9th:

- J. B. T. Scott.
Jas. L. Connelly.
Jesse B. Adams.
Joe W. Epting.
Press S. Livingston.
George F. Hunter.
Arthur H. Dickert, Sr.
Daniel P. Adams.
Leland M. Speers.
J. S. Werts.
Ira M. Dominick.
L. W. Cozby.
Geo. M. Kinard.
P. D. Odell.
J. Partlow Neel.
T. Hayne Chalmers.
Rainey Hitt.
J. Ada Baker.
Alonzo Dickert.
J. C. Turner.
J. J. White.
George F. Krell.
Thos. W. Abrams.
Wm. R. Smith, Sr.
Jno. F. Cromer.
David S. Teague.
C. C. Davi.
Thomas Blair, Jr.
Jacob Sena.
J. R. Boulware.
Ernest L. Paysinger.
T. Griff Williams.
C. H. Shannon.
John S. Pitts.
Ben Cannon.
Jas. P. Blair, Jr.

A Coming Marriage.

Mr. J. B. Stockman and Miss Cora Boozer, of the St. Lukes section, will be married at the home of the bride's parents today at 1 o'clock p. m., by the Rev. D. P. Boyd. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. B. F. Boozer. The bride and groom will leave immediately after the ceremony to attend the State Fair.

PURELY PERSONAL.

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

Dr. D. D. Wallace, of Wofford college, Spartanburg, is in the city.

Mrs. E. E. Manget of Trenton, S. C., is visiting Mrs. S. E. Broadus.

Mrs. Henry B. Wells left Saturday for a visit to relatives in Columbia.

Mr. M. Coleman, of Saluda county, was in the city on Saturday.

Col. D. A. Ruff, of the county went to Greenville on Saturday on business.

Major R. H. Welch was in Laurens last week on professional business.

Hon. Cole. L. Blease went to Greenville yesterday on professional business.

Miss Elizabeth Dominick, who has charge of the school at Peak, spent Sunday at home.

Sheriff M. M. Buford carried his son Munson to Atlanta last week to have his eyes examined by a specialist.

Mr. Oscar P. Wise has returned to Tulane University, New Orleans, to continue his course in medicine.

Dr. W. E. Pelham, Jr., left on Saturday for New Orleans to continue his course in medicine in Tulane University.

Mr. Claude M. Riser, of Newberry college, has a position in Columbia during Fair week, in the office of the general superintendent of the Fair.

Col. O. L. Schumpert attended the Sessions court in Laurens last week. He was one of the attorneys for the prosecution in the case against John G. Wham, who was acquitted.

Messrs. T. W. Coleman, B. H. Jones, H. G. Smith, J. K. S. Ray, W. H. Raysor, W. A. Merchant, and Dr. R. L. Stokes, prominent citizens of the progressive town of Whitmire, attended a Masonic meeting in the city Saturday night.

AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

The Who What When Minstrels Tomorrow Night—What the Press Says About the Troop.

The Who What When Minstrels will appear at the opera house tomorrow night. This is one of the largest and best minstrel aggregations now touring the country. Speaking of the leading members of the troop the New York Herald says: "Alsora and Parker are headliners for this week at the Grand. They are certainly a clever pair. Now with the Who What When Minstrels."

LIQUOR SEIZURES.

Constable Perry and The Officers Still Catching the Blind Tigers.

Constable Perry and Policeman S. G. Carter seized three quarts and seven half-pints of liquor on Sunday from Sam Harris, colored, at his little shop and grocery store in front of the Hoge school.

Constable Perry also captured nine quarts on Sunday from Peter Adams, a negro from Ninety-Six who has been in the habit of coming to Newberry to purchase his liquor. Adams was at the depot ready to leave on the train. His valise was examined by Mr. Perry and the liquor was found.

Constable Perry has been getting in some good work for some time past.

Reduced Rates to State Fair.

Tickets via Atlantic Coast Line on sale October 21th to 29th, inclusive, and for trains scheduled to arrive in Columbia prior to noon of October 30th. Final limit of all tickets will be November 2nd, 1903. The rates from Newberry to Columbia and return for this occasion will be \$2.01, including one admission into the Fair grounds.

AT THE LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Work of Erecting the Pipe Organ Progressing Rapidly—Special Services. Entertainment by the Ladies.

The work of erecting and voicing the pipe organ in the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer is progressing rapidly, and will certainly be finished by Thursday or Friday. No services were held last Sunday, and the midweek service usually held on Wednesday evening will be omitted this week.

In the Lutheran Church, the Sunday nearest October 31st is known as Reformation Sunday. Next Sunday will be the Festival of the Reformation and will be appropriately celebrated. The subject of the morning sermon will be "Justification by Faith." In the evening the monthly college night service will be held, when the subject of the address will be "The Life of Faith."

Just one year, to the day, since the ladies of the church conducted the delightful entertainment, which they called "A Trip Round the World," they are arranging to give another unique entertainment, for which they have not yet chosen a name. It will be unique in many ways. It will be held in the Armory on Friday evening, November 6th.

The installation of deacons, postponed from last Sunday will take place next Sunday.

VARIOUS AND ALL ABOUT.

The Who What When minstrels will appear at the opera house tomorrow night.

Johnston Academy, Mr. Thos. E. Wicker teacher, opened yesterday with a good enrolment.

Large crowds will go from Newberry to the State Fair today and tomorrow and Thursday.

The Bachelor Maids will meet at four o'clock this afternoon with Miss Helen Mower.

The Workmen's Protective Union paid out \$78 last week to its members in sick benefits.

Mrs. Bull, of Columbia, who is visiting in Helena, sang in Central Methodist church Sunday morning, much to the delight of the congregation present.

The Southern will operate special trains to Columbia on Wednesday and Thursday, leaving Newberry at 8.20 a. m., and returning leaving Columbia at 6.30 p. m.

A freight car on the Southern road loaded with shafting jumped the track about 150 yards below the depot here yesterday morning and plowed up the ground for a few feet, finally settled almost on its side.

A protracted meeting was begun at O'Neal Street Methodist church on Sunday. The Rev. J. H. Graves, of Greenwood, arrived in the city yesterday to assist the pastor, the Rev. G. E. Edwards, in conducting the meeting.

Messrs. J. E. Lee and Rhodes, have been commissioned policemen for the Mollohon mill village. These officers were chosen by the mill authorities and will be paid by them. They were commissioned by the city. Mr. Lee, the day patrolman, will be uniformed. Mr. Rhodes will be on duty at night.

The Court of Common Pleas and General Session for Newberry will convene next Monday. In the absence of Judge Klugh, who is sick, Hon. H. J. Haynesworth, of Greenville, will preside during the hearing of the jury cases. During the third week Hon. J. W. Ferguson, of Laurens, will preside at the hearing of equity causes.

He Was a Handsome Animal.

"Carlo," the handsome and intelligent shepherd dog owned by Harry W. Dominick is dead. The dog was one of the finest of his kind in this section.

SHE TOLD A PITIFUL STORY.

His Wife's Tearful Pleading to Magistrate Chappell Secures Laws Griffin's Release From the Chain Gang.

Magistrate Chappell was unable to withstand the tears of a wife and mother. By his order, her husband, unable to take the alternative of paying a fine, had gone to the gang the day before. When he heard the woman's pleadings and saw her tears he went to Supervisor Schumpert and agreed to be responsible for the fine, and the man was released from the gang and went home to his wife and children.

The man released from the gang was Laws Griffin. He and his little brother, aged thirteen years, were brought before Magistrate Chappell Friday morning charged with petit larceny. The boy was convicted of petit larceny and the man of concealing the stolen property, and each was sentenced to pay a fine of \$18.50 or to work on the gang for thirty days. Each pleaded guilty to the charge on which he was convicted. The two Griffins were arrested by the town authorities early Thursday morning, on a telegram from the conductor on the G., C. & N. train which passed Clinton at 3.30 Thursday morning, stating that they were suspected of stealing a gold watch and an empty pocket book from a lady on the train. The property was found on the man's person, and he said the boy stole it, and the boy confessed the theft. The full story of the crime and the capture appeared in the last issue of The Herald and News. The property when taken to a jeweler was valued under \$20, and the crime having been committed at Whitmire, in Newberry county, the case was taken before Magistrate Chappell, with the result stated.

Griffin and his brother being unable to pay the fine of \$18.50 each, went to the gang Friday morning. The boy, it is said, proved to be a hard customer, saying when he reached the gang that if he had to go to work he supposed he must, but that he would like very much to have a cigarette first, if the gentleman would give him one.

Laws Griffin, the elder man, has a wife and three children at the Mollohon mill, where he was working before going to Chester in search of hands, on the return from which trip he got into the trouble which had sent him to hard labor for thirty days for the county's benefit. His family was in straightened circumstances. After his conviction, the woman said, starvation stared her and her three little children in the face. Saturday morning she went to Magistrate Chappell to ask intercession for her husband. She promised to help her husband work and pay the fine, and she promised to see that it was paid. She said she was physically unable to support her children, and they were thrown on the mercy of the world. She pleaded and finally she wept, and then it was that the magistrate promised that her husband should be released. He arranged the matter with Supervisor Schumpert, and on Saturday Griffin went back to his home at the Mollohon mill.

Griffin's brother, the little boy, is still on the gang.

The woman on the train from whom the watch was taken, it has been learned from the conductor of the train, was Mrs. W. A. Hearn, of Lake Charles, La., who was on her way home. The property has been returned to her by the railroad authorities.

If troubled with a weak digestion try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will do you good. For sale by W. E. Pelham & Son, Newberry, S. C., and Prosperity Drug Co., Prosperity, S. C.

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, Good Middling, and Market Steady prices.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

WANTED.—Manager for new branch of our business here in Newberry. Write promptly, with references. The Morris Wholesale House, Cincinnati, Ohio.

WANTED—Persimmon, Dogwood, Hickory and Holly Logs. Freight paid on carloads. James Cockshot, Charleston, S. C.

LOST—Dove-colored, small Jersey Cow, with small horns, white spots. Stolen Friday, the 9th. Reward, \$2.50. THE SETZLER CO., Pomaria, S. C.

WANTED—Saws to sharpen. Furniture to repair. Mr. D. L. Ham, the expert, is with me and will do you up right. R. C. WILLIAMS.

ESTRAYED—From W. R. Casey's, in West End, pointer pup, 5 months' old, speckled, named "Belle." Suitable reward if returned to this office or Casey & Lee's store.

THE HOGAN SHOES are the best for Children. Wide, durable, comfortable. For sale by S. J. WOOTEN.

NINE HORSES—Just received a nice lot of Kentucky horses. Call and see them. A. L. KNIGHTON & CO.

THE BEST SUIT for \$4.50, \$5, \$5.50, to \$10 at WOOTEN'S.

ESTRAYED OR STOLEN—Yellow hound dog, 1 year old, white around neck, white feet, tip of tail white, answer to name "Ranger." Lost from my home in Newberry. Suitable reward if returned to T. D. JONES.

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. McDOWELL, Newberry, S. C.

RESTAURANT—Fancy Groceries—Mr. John J. Eargle who has bought out the grocery store of C. W. Douglas will also continue the restaurant at the same place and you can secure a good meal cheap. He also has a good line of fancy and staple groceries at prices that are reasonable.

How to Make Money.

Agents of either sex should today write Marsh Manufacturing Co., 538 Lake Street, Chicago, for cuts and particulars of their handsome Aluminum Card Case with your name engraved on it and filled with 100 Calling or Business Cards. Everybody orders them. Sample Case and 100 Cards, postpaid, 40c. This Case and 100 Cards retail at 75 cents. You have only to show sample to secure an order. Send 40c at once for case and 100 cards before some one gets ahead of you.

WHY NOT BUY THE BEST? You can get it from Guy Daniels. Everything to be had from a first-class Jewelry Store. The finest and largest stock of spectacles and eyeglasses in the State. GUY DANIELS.

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.

Caution!

This is not a gentle word—but when you think how liable you are not to purchase the only remedy universally known and a remedy that has had the largest sale of any medicine in the world since 1868 for the cure and treatment of Consumption and Throat and Lung troubles without losing its great popularity all these years, you will be thankful we called your attention to Boschee's German Syrup. There are so many ordinary cough remedies made by druggists and others that are cheap and good for light colds perhaps, but for severe Coughs, Bronchitis, Croup and especially for Consumption, where there is difficult expectoration and coughing during the nights and mornings, there is nothing like German Syrup. The 25 cent size has just been introduced this year. Regular size 75 cents. For sale by W. E. Pelham & Son.