

PURELY PERSONAL.

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

Miss Rosa Wright, of Laurens, is visiting Mrs. D. M. Ward.

Mr. O. M. Jamieson arrived in the city yesterday.

Mr. Matt. W. Coleman, of Saluda county, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. W. B. Werts, of Spartanburg, was in the city yesterday.

Dispenser John J. Mayer is again confined to his bed with sickness.

Mr. T. M. Nee has come home from Vanderbilt to spend Christmas.

Miss Lois Goggans is at home from Winthrop college, Rock Hill.

Miss Lizzie Dominick will come home from Peak on Thursday to spend Christmas.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Humbert are visiting relatives in the city.

Miss Nellie Coats has returned from a visit to relatives and friends in Laurens.

Miss Nellie Bishop, of Laurens, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Kate Coats, at Helena.

Miss Gussie Kibler has come home from Atlanta to spend Christmas.

Mr. W. Carl Sumner is home from Clemson to spend the holidays.

Miss Lula Werts came home from Mont. Amoena, Mt. Pleasant, N. C., to spend Christmas.

Miss Sue Dunlap, of Kentucky, will spend Christmas with Miss Bessie Gilder.

Mr. L. Coppock Speers, of the New York World, is spending the Christmas holidays at home.

His many friends were glad to see Dr. D. L. Boozer on the streets yesterday after a long illness.

Miss Pauline Gilder returned home from Converse, Spartanburg, on Friday to spend Christmas.

Miss Camille Vance, of Clinton, will visit Miss Bessie Gilder during the Christmas holidays.

Misses Lillian Jamieson and Lillie Griffin are at home from Elizabeth, Charlotte, N. C., to spend Christmas.

A number of the college students have not yet come home for Christmas but will get in about Wednesday.

The Rev. D. P. Boyd left yesterday for his new field of labor at Fountain Inn. Newberry regrets to see Mr. Boyd leave.

Mr. Will Reeder, who has been working in the Seaboard shops at Portsmouth, is at home for Christmas.

Miss Bessie Schumpert came home on Friday from Elizabeth college, Charlotte, N. C., to spend the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Lewie Lane, who has a position in Atlanta with the Southern Bell, is at home for Christmas.

Mr. Will Coppock has come home from Atlanta, where he has been attending a business college, to spend Christmas.

Miss Elizabeth Land, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John M. Kinard, has returned to her home in Augusta.

Dr. J. W. Nance, of Lake City, Fla., is expected to arrive in Newberry on the 26th to spend the holidays among friends and relatives.

The Rev. Geo. E. Edwards is spending the Christmas holidays at his old home in Marion. The Rev. Mr. Edwards will return to Newberry next week to spend a few days before going to Pelzer to take up his new work.

Mr. L. J. Williams, of Edgefield, was in Newberry on Friday night to attend the silver wedding of Dr.

and Mrs. J. K. Gilder. Mr. Williams is the present chairman of the State board of directors but will not be a candidate for re-election at the approaching session of the legislature.

VARIOUS AND ALL ABOUT.

This is beautiful weather for Christmas week.

The new city council will be sworn in this morning at 10 o'clock.

Constable T. B. Perry made several seizures of liquor at Whitmire last week.

The city schools suspended on Friday until January 1, giving two weeks' holiday for Christmas.

Cotton seed was selling at 17 1/2 cents yesterday, the price having gone up 1/2 cent since Saturday.

The Southern company will present Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet" in the open house on January 31st.

There was only one case before the mayor yesterday morning. Dave Cannon, colored, receiving a fine of \$5.00 for throwing rocks at another negro's yard.

Dr. H. B. Seether, of Newberry college, has been appointed one of the judges in the Civil Rights schoolship examinations for South Carolina.

Mr. S. F. Wheeler, a Newberry county lawyer and now the popular proprietor of the Columbia hotel in Columbia, was married in Hendersonville on Sunday.

County Superintendent of Education Werts has discontinued his visits to the schools of the county until after Christmas and may be found in his office every day until Christmas.

Mr. P. E. Scott has resigned as director of the National bank and Mr. S. B. Aull, of Jalapa, has been chosen in his place. Mr. Aull is one of the county's most successful farmers and merchants and one of her safest business men. His selection as bank director is wise.

Mr. Howard Holland of Manchester, Va., has been employed as coach for the baseball team during the coming season. Mr. Holland has played professional ball for a number of years and has won quite a reputation on the diamond. Last season he was with a leading team in Columbia.—Newberry college cor. the State.

The Rev. J. E. Beard has assumed his duties as pastor of the Newberry circuit. Mr. Beard was admitted to the conference in 1881. He is a good preacher and has been sincerely liked and esteemed wherever he has been.

The Rev. J. H. Graves.

The Rev. J. H. Graves, the new pastor of O'Neall Street and Mollohon, preached two very excellent sermons in O'Neall Street church on Sunday. The Rev. Mr. Graves is well known in Newberry, having preached here a number of times. He is a very young man, having been born in 1875, but he is very popular and has already made an enviable reputation as a good preacher and pastor. He received his education at the Presbyterian college at Clinton, and was admitted to the conference in 1898. He served the Greenwood and Abbeville mission the past two years.

O'Neall Street and Mollohon regret very much to lose the Rev. G. E. Edwards but welcome Mr. Graves as a worthy successor.

Operation for Appendicitis.

Mr. J. B. T. Scott, of Little Mountain, carried his daughter, Miss Bessie Scott, to Columbia yesterday to be operated upon for appendicitis. Drs. Knowlton, of Columbia, and Sease diagnosed the case on Sunday and pronounced it appendicitis.

BACK TO THE OLD SCHEDULE.

The Change Will Be Made on January 12. Statement Issued By Superintendent Welles.

The Southern railway through the superintendent of this division, Mr. P. I. Welles, has announced that on the 12th of January it will restore the old schedule on the Columbia and Greenville Division, and the old through passenger train, leaving Columbia at 7 o'clock in the morning and arriving in Greenville about noon, and returning arriving in Columbia at 1.20 a. m., will again be run. The change will be made on account of the numerous complaints the road has received against the new schedule now in effect.

The Newberry board of trade held a meeting on last Friday afternoon at which time resolutions similar to those of council already published were adopted asking that the present schedule be continued. Newberry, however, seems to be alone among the towns along the line in the matter of being pleased with the schedule as at present operated and the change will be made.

Following is the statement issued by Supt. P. I. Welles.

The train schedules between Columbia and Greenville have been thoroughly discussed in the public prints, and no two persons or communities seem able to agree as to the merits of the present schedule. It has been so pronounced as to make it appear that the former schedule or as to what schedule would suit but the adverse criticism against the present schedule was satisfactory to more people and to a larger section of the country which the road traverses than the present schedule. Therefore it has been decided, on the next change of time card, January 12, to restore trains 15 and 16 to their former figures, leaving Columbia 7 a. m., arriving Greenville at noon, and returning, leave Greenville at 8.10 p. m., arriving Columbia 1.20 a. m. Any further adjustment of the figures on the line of various suggestions offered will be given careful consideration."

A SILVER WEDDING.

Dr. and Mrs. J. K. Gilder Celebrate The Twenty-Fifth Anniversary of Their Marriage.

Dr. and Mrs. J. K. Gilder on Friday evening, the 18th, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. The decorations were very beautiful. The handsome and spacious home was in gay Christmas attire, each room being wreathed and garlanded in holly and mistletoe. Numerous palms and ferns, with great masses of crimson carnations dotted here and there, added to the beauty of the scene. Brilliant electric lights, shining through red shades, lent a roseate glow.

In the dining room the color scheme of red was further carried out. From the chandelier to the four corners of the table were streamers of red satin ribbon, caught with holly. A tall vase of crimson carnations and ferns formed the centerpiece.

About one hundred guests enjoyed the charming hospitality of Dr. and Mrs. Gilder. An elegant hot supper was served. The punch bowl was gracefully and graciously presided over by Misses Schumpert and Fant.

Numerous costly and beautiful silver presents were received.

Dr. and Mrs. Gilder have hosts of friends in Newberry and throughout the State who wish for them many more returns of their wedding anniversary and much happiness and prosperity as they together pass the milestones along life's pathway.

CHRISTMAS DAY.

Appropriate Services Will Be Held in the Lutheran Church—An Appeal For Aid.

There is no day in the year upon which Christians should count it a greater privilege to worship in God's house than Christmas day. It is a home day, full of joy and gladness, but it is first of all a day of gladness in the church.

Appropriate services will be held at the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer on Christmas morning at 11 o'clock. It is hoped that every member of the congregation, who can possibly attend, will be present, and all others are cordially invited to worship with them.

The congregation of the Lutheran church of Norfolk, Virginia, which was recently destroyed by fire, asks from all other Lutheran churches a Christmas offering to help them rebuild. An opportunity will be given for such a free will offering at the Christmas service of the Church of the Redeemer. The pastor of the Norfolk church is a Newberry College man, well known and highly esteemed by our people, the Rev. W. H. Riser.

St. John's the Evangelist's Day.

This year this day falls on Sunday, December 27th, and will be observed in the Lutheran church of the Redeemer at the evening service. This day is not only an important memorial day in the church year, but is a day of great interest to one of the largest and most influential secret organizations in the world. A cordial invitation is extended to all and a special invitation to all who are specially interested. The theme of the sermon will be "St. John, the Evangelist."

A Christmas Tree.

There will be a Christmas tree at Central Methodist church on Thursday night at 7.30. Fruits and candies will be distributed to the children. Parents and friends are requested to contribute presents as early as possible.

Wicker-Wessinger.

Invitations have been issued announcing the marriage, on Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, December 23d, of Mr. Thomas E. Wicker and Miss Minnie Wessinger. The marriage will take place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Wessinger. Mr. Wicker is at present teaching school. He is a graduate of Newberry college and has done a considerable amount of literary work. He is a promising young man. Both the young people have hosts of friends.

Another Store Robbery.

Messrs. E. A. Griffin & Co. found one of the lower doors to their establishment open one morning last week. It is probable that several articles are missing. It seems that some one was locked in the night before, as was the case with Messrs. Purcell & Scott some time ago. The thief has not yet been captured.

MONEY TO LOAN—We negotiate loans on improved farm lands at seven per cent. interest on amounts over one thousand dollars, and eight per cent. interest on amounts less than \$1,000. Long time and easy payments. Hunt, Hunt & Hunter, Attorneys.

WANTED.—Board for two. Will furnish furniture. Room on first floor desired. Address W. care of this office.

WANTED.—Table Boarders January the first. Mrs. George McWhirter.

FOR SALE.—100 cords Oak Wood, 2 feet long. Apply to S. B. Aull, Jalapa.

RESTAURANT—Fancy Groceries—Mr. John J. Earle 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.

THE COTTON MARKET.

What the Fleecy Staple Was Bringing Yesterday Afternoon in the Various Portions of the County.

Table with columns for location (Newberry, Prosperity, Chappells, Pomaria, Little Mountain, Kinards) and cotton grades (Good Middling, Strict Middling, Middling) with corresponding prices.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Car load Cotton Seed Hulls just received, get your supply now. At E. M. EVANS & Co.

WANTED Two good looper hands. Also two good families with knitting mill help. Good prices, good water and good pay for all. Apply at once to Coronaca Mill, Anderson, S. C. P. S.—Will furnish transportation to any good family or loopers.

PARTIES having houses to rent or lots for sale will do well to see Aull and Higgins in regard to same, who will rent and take charge of collections, etc.

DON'T miss seeing those handsome Feather Bows at WOOTEN'S. ELEGANT line of PERFECT SHAPE Umbrellas, at WOOTEN'S.

ANNOUNCEMENT.—Dr. Jerome Knowles, late member of Faculty of Southern School of Osteopathy, and Dr. Ross P. Knowles, have located in Newberry, S. C., for the practice of osteopathy. Treatment given at residence or at treating room. Lady operator and lady attendant when desired. Consultation and examination free. Residence at Mrs. Glenn's Office under preparation.

HUNTER & SANER are running a saw mill about one mile from city on road to Lindsay's bridge, and are prepared to fill all orders for lumber.

FOR SALE The 6-room cottage, with outbuildings, 8 acres of improved farming land and nice young orchard and vineyard, 1 mile from Newberry College, will be sold first Monday in January unless sold before at private sale. For terms etc., apply to DR. D. L. BOOZER, Newberry, or DR. J. W. BOOZER, Columbia.

NOTICE—I have moved my saw mill on Mrs. Ida N. Boozer's place near New Chapel Church, and am prepared to furnish on short notice, long and short leaf pine lumber—heart or sap—at reasonable prices. Any one in need of first-class lumber will do well to get my prices before placing their orders. H. O. LONG, Silver Street, S. C.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—Sixty Acres adjoining incorporate limits of Newberry. High state of cultivation. One hundred and forty acres one and a half miles from town. Good creek and river bottom, fine meadows on both tracts. For information apply to G. M. B. EPTING, or E. H. AULL.

First Cost Not the Cheapest. The first cost of an article does not necessarily determine its cheapness. For instance, a sack of "Clifton" flour may cost you a little more than other so-called patent flours, but it will be cheaper to you in the end. Why? Because it will not only make more bread to the sack, but will take less lard and soda to make it. Order a sack of "Clifton" and make a test for yourself. It will prove the truth of this statement. T. J. HAYS.

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.

Get the Best For the Asking. When you order a sack of patent flour from your grocer, do not tell him send you "a sack of good flour" tell him to send you a sack of "Clifton" because "Clifton" is the best patent flour. Every sack is sold with this guarantee and if it does not prove as represented your money will be refunded. "Clifton" is an all-round flour, and is as good cake and pastry as light rolls and such. T. J. HAYS.

WANTED—Faithful person to travel for well established house in a few counties, calling on tail merchants and agents. J. R. Rito y. Salary \$20.00 per week expenses additional all payable each week. Money for expenses advanced. Position permanent successful and lasting. House, 330 Dearborn St., Chicago.