

CHRISTMAS IN NEWBERRY.

Observed In Several Of The Churches By Christmas Trees And Services—Day Passed Off Quietly.

Christmas Day passed off very quietly in Newberry. The weather was as disagreeable as a Christmas Day could well be.

On Christmas Eve night there was the usual celebration by the shooting of fireworks and it was during this celebration that a negro lost his life.

METHODIST CHRISTMAS TREE.

A Christmas tree service was held in Central Methodist church on Thursday night. The tree was very beautiful and was laden with fruits and candies and other presents for the children.

AT WEST END BAPTIST CHURCH.

A missionary Christmas tree exercise was held on Sunday night at West End Baptist church, consisting of songs, recitations, dialogues, etc. The little folks acquitted themselves well.

AT THE LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Services were held at the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer at 11 o'clock on Christmas morning. There was a small congregation in attendance.

Death of a Little Child.

Charles McFall, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Purcell, died on Saturday afternoon shortly after 4 o'clock, aged nearly five months.

The little boy had been ill for several weeks. Medical skill and loving care and attention were of no avail and the end came not unexpectedly.

The deepest sympathy of hosts of friends goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Purcell in their hour of bereavement.

Death of Mrs. R. G. Wallace.

Mrs. R. G. Wallace died at her home at Belfast on Thursday afternoon shortly after 1 o'clock. The remains were interred at Bush River at noon on Christmas day.

Mrs. Wallace was a native of Newberry county and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. L. Spearman, now living at Helena. In addition to her parents she leaves a husband, who is a brother of Editor W. H. Wallace.

Mrs. Wallace had hosts of friends in Newberry county, as elsewhere, who were pained beyond measure to learn of her death.

A destructive storm near Americus, Ga., on last Friday destroyed a number of houses and killed several people.

PURELY PERSONAL.

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

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lowe, of Spartanburg, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Chessley Dominick.

Prof. and Mrs. H. B. Dominick, of Fountain Inn, are visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. Jessie D. Coats, linotype operator on the Times-Dispatch, Richmond, is in the city on a visit to relatives.

Mr. S. D. Shockley, who holds a position with the Bryan Printing company, Columbia, has been visiting relatives in the city.

Prof. Wm. C. Bynum, of the Georgetown city schools, is at home for the remainder of the holidays.

Mr. John W. Robertson left Sunday for Gaffney to take charge of the Western Union office there.

Miss Kate Floyd Clark, of Spartanburg, is the guest of Mrs. D. Fair Pifer.

Miss Jule Lee, of Greenwood, is visiting Miss Helen Jones.

Miss Dameron, of Jackson, Miss., and Miss Willis, of Pensacola, Fla., accompanied Miss Lucile Wilson home from Converse to spend the holidays.

Miss Leora Wallace, of the county, spent last week in the city the guest of Miss Anna Sligh.

Mr. E. W. Werts, of Prosperity, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mr. E. H. Leslie came home from Bennettsville last week to spend a portion of the holidays.

Mr. Alan Johnstone and Misses Lilla and Maggie Johnstone attended the funeral of Dr. T. E. Todd in Laurens on Sunday.

Miss Clara Cook who has been spending the holidays with relatives, returned to Camden yesterday.

Mrs. W. H. Wallace is visiting her son, Dr. D. D. Wallace, in Spartanburg.

Mr. W. H. Day has been in the city the past several days.

Mr. J. D. Copeland, of Union, is in Newberry.

VARIOUS AND ALL ABOUT.

The city lost a valuable mule on Sunday from lockja v.

The Bachelor Maids will meet with Miss Nina Carlisle on Thursday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock.

The pension commissioner will be in the auditor's office each Saturday in January to receive pension applications. The pension board will meet 1st monday in February.

E. W. HIERS IS DEAD.

Called Home From Newberry College by Death of His Grandmother was Buried With His Brother.

News was received in Newberry yesterday that Mr. E. W. Hiers, a popular student of Newberry College, who was called to his home at Weimar little more than a week ago on account of the death of his grandmother, had died of pneumonia and was buried on Saturday with his three-year-old brother who had died from the same cause.

Bilious Colic Prevented.

Take a double dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as soon as the first indication of the disease appears and a threatened attack may be warded off.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

Lewis Hampton, The Man Who Superintended The Work of Cementing the Sidewalks.

Mr. Lewis Hampton, who in the employ of Frank Barker, of Savannah, superintendent the work of cementing the sidewalks in Newberry, which work was completed only a few days ago, was found dead in bed at his room at the Central hotel yesterday morning.

Mr. Hampton's death was discovered by Jake Shears, a little negro who went to his room about 8 o'clock yesterday morning to wait on him, as had been his custom.

After making the discovery Shears first went across the street and talked to his father and was questioned by Mr. C. E. Boyd, who was working in Speers' marble yard. He then went back to the house and told Mrs. Eidson, the proprietor of the hotel. When several gentlemen went to the dead man's room they found his pockets slightly turned as if some one had gone through them and they contained not a cent of money, although Mr. Hampton was known to have had money on the Saturday night before.

The little negro having excited suspicion by going across the streets and talking to his father before notifying those in the house and having been the only one in the room, he was arrested by the city authorities and turned over to the magistrate. Soon after the discovery of Mr. Hampton's death the coroner empanelled his jury of inquest.

Mr. Hampton had been engaged in a difficulty on Friday night which had left bruises on his eye, and it was only after the thorough post-mortem examination by the physicians that the verdict was rendered. Mr. Hampton was severely afflicted with asthma, and from this and other causes had been indisposed during Sunday.

Notice of Election.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Town Council will hold an election on Wednesday, December 30, 1903, at 7.30 o'clock P. M., for the following officers:

- Clerk and Treasurer at a salary of \$50.00 per month.
City Attorney at a salary of \$100.00 per annum.
Chief of Police at a salary of \$50.00 per month.
Four Policemen at a salary of \$40.00 per month.
One street Overseer at a salary of \$1.00 per month.
Lamp-lighter and Janitor at a salary of \$25.00 per month.
One hose wagon driver at a salary of \$30.00 per month.

Application must be in handwriting of applicant, except that of Lamp-lighter and Janitor and Hose Wagon driver, and handed to the Clerk of the Town Council by 7.30 o'clock on the evening of December 29th, 1903.

For any further information apply to the Clerk and Treasurer. By order of the Council, JOHN W. EARHARDT, Mayor. THOS. O. STEWART, C. & T. T. C. N. Dec. 23, 1903.

Knights of Pythias, CASTLE HALL, Newberry Lodge No. 57. STATED CONVENTIONS OF THIS Lodge will be held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday nights of each month at 8.00. Visiting Knights cordially welcomed. THOS. E. EPTING, K. of R. and S. Crotwell Hotel Building.

\$111.00 IN CASH.

That is What the City Got from Christmas Offenders in Addition to Days Meted Out.

The mayor's court on Saturday, the day after Christmas, netted the city treasury \$91.00 in cash, and yesterday morning \$20.00 more was raked in. This makes a total of \$111 received by the city from Christmas jollifiers in addition to the days meted out to those who could not pay.

Be Quick.

Not a minute to be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. It never fails, and is pleasant and safe to take.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A red hound dog, answers to name of "Walker." Strayed or stolen from my home on Christmas Eve. Reward if returned, or information as to whereabouts, furnished to I. O. Burton, Newberry, S. C.

WANTED—At the Newberry Hotel Turkeys, Chickens, and Eggs. W. A. Jamieson, Proprietor.

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

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. 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.

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.

MONEY TO LEND—I am authorized to negotiate loans on real estate mortgages running 3 to 5 years. Apply to Johnstone & Welch. GEO. B. CROMER.

3 HORSE FARM FOR RENT—Apply to M. M. BUFORD, Newberry, S. C.

Annual Meeting.

THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE Commercial Bank of Newberry, S. C., will hold their annual meeting at their Banking house on Wednesday, 13th of January, 1904, at 12 o'clock m. for the purpose of electing directors, and any other business that may come before the meeting. Z. F. WRIGHT, Cashier. Dec. 28, 1903.

Notice to Creditors.

ALL PERSONS HOLDING CLAIMS against the estate of David Hipp, deceased, will present the same, duly attested, to us or our attorneys, Messrs. Hunt, Hunt & Hunter, on or before the 10th day of February, 1904. M. M. HIPPI, Admr. R. H. HIPPI, Admr.

As the Year 1903 draws

to an end I want to thank my many patrons for their liberal patronage during the past year and hope for a continuation of same.

Remember I am at the same stand and am always ready to serve you with the very best of Jewelry, Watches, Toilet Articles and everything to be found in a First Class Jewelry Establishment.

My business in Optical Goods has greatly increased also, showing my knowledge and ability in fitting Spectacles and Glasses.

New Sterling Silver just received; new ideas and new goods, also quadruple plated goods, Whiting Mfg. Co's, Derby Silver Co., Benedict & Rodgers.

Yours for a prosperous new year, J. GUY DANIELS.

THE COTTON MARKET

What the Fleecy Staple Yesterday Afternoon in the Portions of the Country

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