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PRESIDENT DERRICK MADE VERY HAPPY

Most of Us Would be Under Same Circumstances—Receives Check For \$5,000

President Derrick was made very happy on Sunday morning when he opened his mail at the postoffice to find a check from the General Education board for \$5,000 to be used the present year in meeting current expenses of the college for this year. It is the first money this college has received from this source.

TOWN TO TOWN TALKS ON KINGDOM WORK

Brief, devotional, inspirational and instructive addresses will be delivered at Prosperity Baptist church on next Friday afternoon at four o'clock, April 7th.

Speakers expected for this occasion are: Lee Davis Lodge, Dr. C. A. Jones, Rev. E. S. Reaves, and Dr. W. T. Derieux.

Laymen, W. M. U., B. Y. P. U., Sunday school workers and others from nearby churches are invited. It is to be a season of good fellowship. The services will last one hour. You are urged to attend!

American Legion Auxiliary

There will be a meeting of the auxiliary on Thursday afternoon at 3:45 at the residence of Mrs. Geo. W. Sumner, Sr., Mrs. F. D. Mower, Mrs. O. R. Sumner, Miss Carabel West and Miss Grace Sumner, assistant hostesses. The meeting is called fifteen minutes earlier than the usual hour so as to give all the members desiring to do so an opportunity to attend the Civic League rook tournament at 4:30 p. m.

Miss Sadie Goggans, Pres. Miss Carabel West, Secty.

Negro Killed by Auto

An automobile, which he was driving, alone, turned turtle Sunday afternoon at about two o'clock just beyond Mt. Olive, colored, church, and killed Lumas Pitts, who lived with Mr. A. J. Johnson at Kinards, just across the line in Laurens county. The car fell across Pitts' back, death resulting instantly. Coroner F. M. Lindsay went up and viewed the body an hour after he had received word of the fatal accident. No inquest was necessary, Dr. Thos. H. Pope having certified to the death in accordance with the above facts. Pitts was about 23 years old.

ATTORNEY FILES

GAPPINS APPEAL

No Word From Fox and Kirby Cases as Yet—May Be Dismissed by Supreme Court

The State, 1st.

T. C. Sturkie, attorney for Jesse Gappins, one of the Brazell murder trio, has completed the appeal to the supreme court for Gappins and the papers in the case have been filed with the clerk of the court. The appeal will be heard on the call of the Eleventh circuit, which will be some time in May.

So far the Gappins appeal is the only one of the three to reach the supreme court and it is very probable that the alleged appeals of C. O. Fox and S. J. Kirby will be dismissed by the supreme court as soon as Solicitor Callison makes the proper motion for the dismissal, as attorneys for both of these men have never completed their appeals, so far as is known, and the time has long since elapsed.

The notice of appeal to the full supreme court from the refusal of Justice Cothran to grant a stay of execution in the Fox case is all that has been received by the court and this will, in all probability, it is thought, result in the throwing out of this case.

In his appeal Gappins bases his entire plea on the grounds that no official record is available showing that the grand jury which indicted him was sworn. On these grounds, Gappins says that the court was without jurisdiction and that he was deprived of his life and liberty without due process of law as provided for by Article 5, Section 1, of the United States constitution.

Don't let a cold hang on; it may cause you to drop off.

LAST CALL FOR ANNUAL MEETING C. OF C.

Large Crowd Expected to Attend Interesting Program Planned

This is the last call for the annual meeting of the Newberry chamber of commerce, which is to be held in the court house tonight (Tuesday) at eight o'clock, and every member of the organization is urged to answer the call by being present.

In addition to announcing the names of the persons receiving the highest number of votes for directorship in the organization, a very interesting program has been planned, including a report of the accomplishments of the organization to date and the announcing of some plans for future work.

While the present board of directors do not boast of accomplishing very much during the past year, yet there have been a number of things done that mean much for the entire county, and it is hoped that during the coming year more important propositions can be put across—and it can be done if every member will put his shoulder to the wheel with but one thought—a greater Newberry city and county.

Let every member be present at the meeting to start the new board of directors off with a boost and a pledge of undivided cooperation.

A PLEASANT FISHING PARTY FROM LITTLE MOUNTAIN

The Luther league of Holy Trinity church, Little Mountain, had an especially enjoyable outing last Thursday afternoon and night on Broad river. Early in the afternoon several of the boys who are good fishermen accompanied by Raymond Shealy, Henry Fulmer and Jas. E. Shealy, who are expert fishermen, went seining and were well rewarded for their efforts. Mrs. Shealey and Mrs. Fulmer, who are skilled in the art of preparing fish and fire for outdoor cookery, had everything in readiness when in the late afternoon the truck with 30 hungry and enthusiastic boys and girls arrived. The girls took turn at the three pans and frying was in order for more than an hour. During this time the boys were busily gathering wood and brushes for two huge bonfires. Then the lunch boxes were opened and bread, pickles, sandwiches, eggs, cake and soft drinks were spread in a long row between the fires. Lastly two big dishes, piled high with crisp, brown fish, were set on the "table" and the feast was on. No picnics on Broad river have ever had a better time.

With its able driver, Leon Matthews, the truck brought its load safely home about eleven o'clock. Rev. Long was the jolly chap.

The Hampton Literary society of the Little Mountain high school held a public debate on Friday night. The question was, Resolved, That the program of the joint special committee on revenue and taxation offers the best solution of South Carolina's tax problems, and the negative side, upheld by Misses Pearl Stockman and Thelma Clark won.

Dr. and Mrs. V. B. Sease and son, John William, of Parlin, New Jersey, arrived on April 1 for a visit to relatives.

Rev. J. C. Wessinger has been appointed magistrate in place of J. B. Lathan, deceased.

NEWBERRY PLAYS CITADEL THURSDAY, APRIL 6TH

The game of baseball which was scheduled to be played with the Citadel Friday, April 7, has been changed to Thursday, April 6th. The Citadel in all probability has a good team, and this is expected to be one of the best games of the season. The Indians have been practicing for several weeks and should be in fine trim for this game. A large crowd is expected. The admission is 50c.

It is said that the people of Ulster spend \$45,000,000 a year for whiskey. And yet some people expect peace there.

The seismograph is a wonderful instrument. It records earthquakes that nobody would have known about otherwise.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS PROSPEROUS PROSPERITY

Prosperity, April 3.—The Luther league of Grace church was entertained Friday evening by Mr. Robert Counts at the hospitable home of his parents, Prof. and Mrs. E. O. Counts. The reception hall and parlor were very attractive with vases of Easter lilies and daffodils. For two hours the guests enjoyed a "nutty party" at which all games and stunts were suggestive of "all fool's day." Nut cake and frozen ices were served by the host's mother, assisted by Misses Rebecca Harmon and Elizabeth Brown.

The William Lester chapter U. D. C. of Prosperity is proud of its offspring, the James D. Nance C. of C. There are 33 enthusiastic young members, with Miss Willie Mae Wise as leader. The April meeting was held Saturday afternoon with Miss Elizabeth Brown. The literary hour was devoted to "Arlington," the home of Robert E. Lee, on which an excellent paper was given by Miss Salome Dominick. Miss Florence Wheeler read some interesting articles from the "Confederate." The hostess was assisted in serving ice cream and cake by Miss Rebecca Harmon. Baskets and vases of fragrant trailing wisteria gave a spring like air to the rooms.

The Eastern Star will hold its regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening at 8:30.

Beginning Monday, April 3rd, and lasting through the week Wightman Chapel Methodist church will hold evangelistic services, with Rev. E. S. Jones, presiding elder of the Cokesbury district as the preacher, assisted by the Methodist pastor, Rev. J. D. Griffin. The services will be held twice daily at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Public cordially invited.

A new enterprise for Prosperity is a shoe repair shop opened by B. B. Mathis in the rear of W. L. Mathis' store. Mr. Mathis says he will be pleased to serve his friends.

The William Lester chapter, U. D. C. will meet Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Wise hotel with Mrs. L. W. Harmon as hostess.

The Ladies' Aid society of Grace church will meet Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Mrs. A. G. Wise.

J. L. May has returned from Lexington where he attended court.

Mrs. Wm. Johnson of Newberry spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. J. A. Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Counts have gone to Hardeeville to visit their daughter, Mrs. J. C. Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Wise spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Columbia.

V. E. Kohn is home from New Bern, N. C., where he bought nine fine Hampshire hogs.

J. T. Hunter was a business visitor to the capital city on Monday.

Dr. G. T. Pugh has returned to Winthrop college after having been called home on account of the illness of his mother, Mrs. W. P. Pugh.

Mrs. A. H. Kohn and Mr. and Mrs. Hart Kohn and Hart, Jr., have been on a visit to relatives here.

George S. Wise and Heyward Singley spent the week-end at Clemson college.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Dominick have gone to Spartanburg to make their home, Mr. Dominick having entered Cecil Business college.

Mrs. Minnie Burns of North Carolina has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Boland.

Miss Moss Fellers spent Saturday in Columbia.

L. G. Lever of Columbia has accepted the management of the Prosperity Pay-U grocery.

T. L. McMeekin of Jenkinsville was a business visitor to Prosperity on Friday.

Miss Elsie Pitts of Newberry college spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Elizabeth May.

Mrs. Mary Sitz has been visiting Miss Minnie Black of Columbia.

L. M. Wise of Greenville was home for the week-end.

Misses Rosalie and Helen Wheeler teachers of Greenville city schools, are home for the spring holidays.

Mrs. P. E. Krantz and little Misses Catherine and Mattie Ruth Krantz have returned to Charleston after visiting Mrs. J. J. Singley.

Miss Gladys Miller, teacher at Union is home on a visit.

Miss Georgia Porter of Newberry

is visiting Miss Eunice Livingstone. C. O. Kurch of Bamberg has been a recent visitor to Prosperity.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hawkins spent Friday in Newberry, the guest of Mrs. Lula Fellers.

Prof. John Bedenbaugh of Pomaria was home for the week-end. Mrs. Etta Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Quattlebaum, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Stockman, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Stockman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stockman and Mr. John Stockman attended the funeral of their relative, Mrs. A. C. Stockman in Greenwood Wednesday.

Ernest Brooks of the University of South Carolina has been home for a few days.

Mrs. B. B. Schumpert spent the past week in Saluda with her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Hunt.

Miss Rosa Ridgell of Batesburg has been on a short visit to her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Wise.

Miss Celeste Singley of Columbia was home for the week-end.

Messrs. Paul Grozclose and Ernest Williams of Columbia spent Sunday with the former's aunt, Mrs. L. A. Black.

Mrs. J. A. Singley spent the week-end in Saluda.

Mrs. L. A. Frick of Little Mountain is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Saner.

Mr. Sidney Stoudemayer has returned to his home at Chapin after a visit to his brother, "Uncle Bob" Stoudemayer.

Mrs. J. A. Sease spent Tuesday in Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Hamm motored to the capital city on Saturday.

Miss Rosine Singley, teacher at Greenville, is home for the spring vacation.

R. K. Wise of Columbia spent Sunday with the home folks.

S. S. Birge has gone to Columbia to visit his sister, Mrs. A. H. Kohn.

Mr. E. B. Keisler of the Lutheran seminary filled Grace pulpit Sunday and Rev. P. E. Monroe of Summerville preached at St. Lukes.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hair of Columbia were guests Sunday of the former's parents, Judge and Mrs. B. B. Hair.

Mrs. L. A. Black has returned from a visit to Fairfax.

Rev. J. D. Griffin, Joe Connelly and Frank Harmon represented Wightman Chapel and Zion Methodist churches at a Sunday school convention held at Greenwood Tuesday.

G. D. Brown, Jr., is spending this week in Greenville, Anderson and Spartanburg.

Mrs. Maggie Fellers of Newberry was the week-end guest of Mrs. George F. Hunter.

Mrs. Nellie Hunt has returned to Newberry after spending a few days with Mrs. Jim Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois Dominick have been visiting in the Bachma chapel section.

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BOY SCOUTS

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Last Friday night the scouts held their regular meeting at headquarters. The troop was formed and religious exercises held. The routine business was dispensed with. We turned our attention to the subject of baseball and decided that we would not make it a troop activity until vacation. The scoutmaster announced that at the next meeting a committee would report on the point system. It was announced that Dr. Kneese would give us our first aid exam. on Tuesday night. There being no further business the troop was dismissed.

On Tuesday night the scouts wishing to pass their first aid reported to Dr. Kneese's office. Eighteen questions were asked, among them was "Demonstrate artificial respiration." All who had been attendant upon the lectures given by Dr. Kneese passed the exam successfully. One scout only, who had missed five of the lectures, failed to pass.

The premiers of Great Britain and France apparently have a lot of secrets that they are not willing to trust their diplomats with.

But we suppose the professional reformer doesn't care how much people knock him just so he gets his salary regularly.

SCOUT EDUCATION REAL CURE FOR "FIDGITARIANISM"

By George S. Wyckoff, scout executive, Terre Haute, Ind.

Some one has said that when God made the first man he made the world significant, but when he made the first boy he made it interesting. Teachers know only too well the capacity a boy has for making things interesting, and this capacity for making things interesting is nothing more nor less than what we have long called the "boy problem." And did you ever stop to think that all of our familiar problems—the crime problem, the labor problem, the church problem, the political problem, the war problem, are but the "boy problem" grown up?

It has appeared to another observer that "man is made of dust, but a boy is made of dust-plus-electricity." A teacher would express this by saying the boy is a fidgetarian, and "fidgetarianism" analyzed is found to be constituted of nothing more alarming than instincts, to run, climb, throw, gang build, hide, collect, make campfires and the dramatic and religious instincts.

All of these instincts, inconvenient as they are in the school room, are nevertheless the "tadpole's tail." They can not be cut off; they must be absorbed and utilized for full development. And as the highest aim of education is full development, we have in the scout plan for applying these instincts a great big educational program to supplement that of the schools, that of the church and that of the home.

And, of course, this point in a discourse on the educational aspect of scouting could not be passed without reference to Dean Russell's celebrated statement that "the scout program is the most significant educational movement of the age." It is character education by "directed doing" of the things that a boy naturally wants to do. It is recognition of the fact that a boy is being educated—that is, he is receiving impressions and forming habits—four waking hours out of school to one that he is being educated in school.

In brief, the plan works like this: On one side we set up the things we want the boy to do; on the other side we put the things that he naturally wants to do; we tie them together and make it all one game, and because they are part of the game he simply insists on living up to all the virtues prescribed.

The things we want the boy to do are represented in the twelve points of the scout law: A scout must be trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean, reverent.

The things the boy wants to do appear in the "units of achievements" necessary for becoming successively a Tenderfoot, a Second class, a First class and a Merit Badge scout. These things comprise the endless features of camping, woodcraft, signaling, fire-building, swimming, and first aid to the injured, and are all practical, constructive and definitely useful accomplishments.

The motto of the scout is "Be Prepared." As education is preparation for life, so the scout is preparing himself to be the sort of citizen who shall more than ever be needed in the times to come. And, furthermore, he is "prepared" for present emergencies. The scout is the fellow always at hand who, through his training, knows what to do, how to do it, and intelligently and cheerfully does it.

A scout is expected to do a "good turn" every day. The scouts are the school's organized and honored helping force, and the hundreds of thousands of scouts constitute Uncle Sam's great helping force of picked boys.

Truly the patriotic significance of scout movement can not be over-estimated. Uncle Sam recognized this in 1916 when the congress of the United States granted the Boy Scouts of America a federal charter and section 125 of the army reorganization law specified his uniform along with the army, the navy, the marine corps, the national guard and the naval militia.

The question in your mind is, "What ties together the things we want the boy to do and the things he

naturally wants to do?" It is the oath a boy takes when he becomes a Tenderfoot scout: On my honor I will do my best.

1. To do my duty to God and my country, and to obey the Scout law.

2. To help other people at all times.

3. To keep myself physically strong, mentally awake, and morally straight.

Surely a safe program to which the boys of your school, of your community and of your country.

NEGRO BEING TRIED WHILE WIFE A CORPSE

Magistrate Douglas Had a Criminal Right Before Him Monday, and the Man's Wife Lay a Corpse

James Johnson, colored, began a 90 days term of service, in lieu of paying fines aggregating \$150, on conviction Monday before Magistrate C. W. Douglas, having been arrested by Deputy Sheriff L. M. Player, charges being on three indictments, each of which called for \$50 or 30 days—under false pretenses, petty larceny and vagrancy. The false pretense charge consisted of peddling medicine which he claimed would cure the sick; the larceny case was for stealing a silk waist from his sick wife, who had already prosecuted him for non support; the last act consisted of witchcraft and telling fortunes. After he had deserted his sick wife his mother-in-law had Magistrate Douglas to issue the warrant for his arrest. The guilty man also had the meanness to take his forsaken wife's waist to another woman and try to get her to marry him. His wife died and when the criminal was being tried she lay a corpse in the home where he had deserted her. He deserves punishment.

CRUSHERS ASKING FOR LOWER TARIFF

West Tells Committee That High Rates Would Injure American Exports

The State. Washington, March 31.—The South Carolina Cotton Seed Crushers' association, which some time ago favored the high tariff on cotton seed oils contained in the Fordney bill as it passed the house, is now insisting that the tariff be materially lowered.

The secretary of the association, W. B. West, testified today before the finance committee of the senate.

He argued that if the high tariff prevails, Europe, which now buys American cottonseed oil as an edible oil, and for it pays handsomely, will buy Oriental oil and thus deprive the American product of a lucrative market. He contended that if the tariff is very low American will consume the Oriental oil in laser purposes and thus leave Europe open for the American product.

It is regarded as probable that the committee will follow the advice of Mr. West. Apparently it wishes to give Southern protectionists just what they desire for their products.

H. W. R.

TWO MEN ARE KILLED WHEN PLANE CRASHES

Pilot of Machine in Serious Condition at Hospital in Macon

Macon, Ga., March 31.—Two automobile racers, Jules Devereaux of Portland, Ore., and John J. Costa of Anthony, Kan., are dead and W. L. Fisher, member of the British Royal Flying corps during the war, is in a serious condition as the result of an airplane in which they planned to go to Atlanta, crashing into a tall chimney at the Macon, Dublin & Savannah railroad shops near here late today. The men hopped off at 4:30 o'clock in a machine which had been used in a flying circus that appeared here early in the week. Soon after leaving the ground, according to eyewitnesses, the plane seemed to have struck a "down current," causing it to swerve and strike the smoke stack. All three men were badly burned, Costa being rescued while running down a railroad track with his clothes ablaze, when a man knocked him down and rolled him in the sand to put out the flames.

Fisher gave his home as Mack, Col. Devereaux's real name is Ray Roundtree.

RAIN PREVENTS NEWBERRY GAME

Comers Only Hesitate on College Campus—No Chance to Play

The State, 1st.

The Comers marched to Newberry yesterday afternoon, turned right around and marched right out again. It was raining when Manager Zinn Beck, President Foster and 17 players reached Newberry and it was raining when they left. The Comers dressed and waded out to Newberry college field, but soon after arriving on the campus it was seen that baseball was out of the question for the afternoon and the players hotfooted it back to their hotel, did a quick change act and barely caught a train that returned them to the Jackson shortly after 5 o'clock.

The failure to play the game disappointed many Newberry fans who were anxious to see Watson Luther, Columbia boy and college pitcher extraordinary, try his shots against professionals. Columbia's team is very popular in Newberry and President Foster and Manager Beck were busy acknowledging good wishes for success for the champions in the Sally season about to open.

Before starting on the hike to Newberry, Manager Beck released Pitcher Ditch and Outfielders Riley and Woolley. The three are young and show promise but their lack of experience prevents their making the Class B grade at this time.

As the three go, however, three more are about to arrive. Catcher Hartman is on his way here from St. Louis. He is the lad recommended by Dick Kerr. Outfielder Murphy, secured from the New Haven club in the Lacy deal, will report tomorrow and a telegram from "Bird" Hope last night said he would report Monday.

NEWBERRY MAY YET HAVE CHANCE TO PLAY COMERS

It was a great disappointment to the Newberry "fans" that they did not get to see the Indians cross bats with the "Comers" Friday afternoon. However, we may yet have a chance to see the "Comers" in action as an effort is being made to bring them back one day this week. If we succeed it is hoped that the weather man will be more favorable to us.

Business is picking up on the athletic tickets. The student ticket is becoming popular. There's a reason. Ask about it. The first response from letters sent to alumni came from Herman Boozer, Brooklyn, N. Y. Mr. Boozer said, "I am proud to hear old Newberry made such an excellent record in basketball this year. May the financial campaign be such a success as to insure even greater things for the future." However, the inclosed check for \$10.00 spoke more eloquently than his words.

Tickets on sale at the New Book store.

Additional names on list of Newberry college "boosters":

Herman W. Boozer.

T. M. Neel, 2 half tickets.

W. A. Counts, half ticket.

A. F. Busch, 1 alf ticket.

R. H. Anderson, 1 half ticket.

N. S. Holmes.

Miss Teresa Maybin.

Miss Rosaline Hupp.

Miss Sudie Dennis.

Miss Roberta Lominick.

Miss Willie Belle Duckett.

Miss Sarah Thompson.

R. L. Mayes.

J. H. West, two tickets.

Caldwell Sims.

E. S. Sumner.

Complete list of "boosters" will be found in New Book store window. Look it over.

Publicity Committee.

Play at Pomaria

Friday evening at 8 o'clock "Deacon Dubs" will be played in the high school auditorium. Admission 15 and 25 cents. Look for a full program in Friday's paper.

The reason there is so much room at the top is that so many people are willing to stay at the bottom.

You can't always tell. The prettiest silk stockings that you see on the streets may have a hole in the toe.