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MAYOR OTTO KLETTNER **WELCOMES CONFERENCE**

MATTER OF REMOVAL OF FEMALE COLLEGE POSTPONED UNTIL TODAY.

Made The Special Order For Ten O'clock This Morning---Recommendation Of Committee Overruled-Mr. Clifton's Response to Welcome Address.

The second day's session of Conference held yesterday was largely taken up with an address of welcome, on behalf of the city, by Mayor Klettner, responded to by the Rev. J. A. Clifton, D. D., on the part of Conference; and the discussion of the matter of the removal of the Columbia Female College. The Board of Trustees of the College submitted their report recommending that the institution be moved from Columbia to Greenwood. The point was raised that in making this recommendation the Board had transcended its authority, and the point was sustained and the recommendation overruled. After a good deal of discussion the consideration of this matter was postponed until today, and it was made a special order for 10 o'clock this morning.

The Story In Detail.

The session was opened at 9.30 o'clock with devotional exercises conducted by Rev. J. C. Stoll.

Mayor Klettner was introduced, and on behalf of the city of Newber ry extended to Conference a most hearty welcome. The welcome address was appropriate and delivered in a pleasing manner. Mayor Klettner said:

The Address of Welcome.

Venerable Bishop and Members of the South Carolina Conference: You are here upon invitation of the Johnstone Street Methodist Episcopal Church, heartily endorsed by a resolution of the city council, for the purpose of taking counsel with regard to the varied interests of your Conference.

But while your sessions will be held in this church the intervening hours of rest and recreation will bring you in contact with Newberry and her people. During the days that you will spend here you will be the guests of our city, and it becomes my pleasant office and duty, as mayor of Newberry, to extend to you a most hearty welcome on behalf of the good people for whom I have the honor to speak. I wish to assure you that it is not within my power, being unused to public speech, nor would it be even if I were one of the most polished and brilliant orators, endowed with the power of eloquence, to find proper words to give expression to the great pleasure and honor that we feel in having you to meet amongst us. Your coming here affords us great pleasure for several reasons. In the first place we

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know that you represent a great the world. All have the same aims AMENDMENT TO and influential Church, a Church that can boast of many great and mighty men, who have battled nobly in the cause of God and of humanity. A Churen which still today has thousands of strong men who stand well to the front in every effort for the betterment of



DR. JAS. H. CARLISLE.

We know of your great activity in the Mission work, sending hundreds of men and women to all parts of the world to preach the gospel, carrying light and comfort to those who are in darkness and and better home and those more spreading that kingdom which must triumph over all the world. We know of your tender sympathy and love for the widow and the orphan, and for all who suffer under the misfortunes which deprive so many of our fellowmen of the joys of life. selfish cause of religion and phil-We are also acquainted with your anthropy.

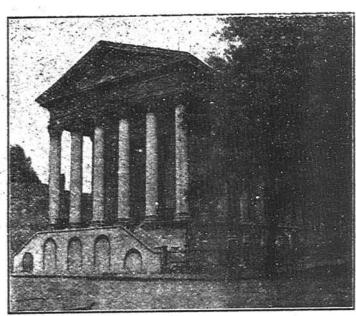
and all have the same hopes.

"Our hope is in heroic man, Star-led, to build the world again."

We would be strange, therefore, if we did not feel interested in one another's undertakings, and rejoice in one another's successes.

We welcome you here again, because we believe your coming will do our city good. An intelligent community can not fail to be impressed by the presence of such a host of great, noble, and mighty men, gathered together in so good a cause.

ways and means to enrich your own selves that you come here. It is honors and the profits of office that have caused you to gather in this church. No, ten thousand times no, it is the unselfish purpose of taking counsel together in the interest of the souls of men, to provide for the directing of the attention of man to the things that are higher, grander and more important than all earthly things. And this fact can not and will not fail to cause many to think of that bright enduring riches which the Word of God alone holds out to men. Men may pool their millions for the sake of increased profits in trade or manufacture, but you are pooling your experience and wisdom in the un-



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your institution.

the midst of us, because you repre- higher plane of living. Especially

zeal in the cause of Christian educa- I feel that it is but just and right tion, and we look with unbounded and a matter of real gratification to admiration upon the grand re- you that I should call your attensuits which you have achieved in tion to the signs of a healthy progconnection with your Twentieth ress in church work which our own Century Endowment Movement. city and county present to your Such has been your success that view. We have a number of vig we wonder sometimes what new orous congregations of different deand peculiar methods you have nominations, with able and faithful adopted in the matter of raising pastors, and each of them has a money, and which have enabled flourishing Sunday School with a you to take the lead in endowing band of earnest and devoted workers, as well as other societies which But we are glad and proud to are exerting themselves in the comhave your Conference convene in mon cause of lifting humanity to a



REV. J. C. ROPER.

cause in which all Christians have the faithfulness and untiring ena common interest.

The different Churches or devisions of a great army. They all Why not have a thorough up-to have a common foe to fight. They against the evil that is in the world. All of them are seeking to promote peace and good will among men, to make men better morally and truer and kinder in their relations and dealings with one another All labor for the advancement of God's kingdom and the enrichment and elevation of human life throughout

sent a great and glorious cause, a would I refer on this occasion to ergy of the highly esteemed and worthy pastor of this Church, Rev. W. I. Herbert. With a hand and heart ready for any cause that can appeal to human sympathy and help, he has ever been found in the front ranks of those who have labored to relieve suffering and distress, or to help forward the moral and religious welfare of our people. As a monument to his enterprise and zeal I may point you to this beautiful church, this house of God. It is indeed an ornament to our

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CHARTER NECESSARY

IN ORDER TO REMOVAL OF COLUMBIA FEMALE COLLEGE.

Understood that Committee on Legal Status Will so Report to Conference This Morning.

bia Female College and to report Columbia. upon the question of legal obstacles It is with no thought of devising in the way of the removal of the in- the removal of the college was to stitution, will report today that an have been settled yesterday, but not the ambitious hope of political sary in order to its removal. It is the members desiring a longer time at 10 o'clock.

be secured through the Secretary of today. It will come up as a special State without action by the legisla- order at 10 o'clock this morning. It Telegram Received Last Night Stating

The general opinion seemed to prevail last night that, from information obtainable without an examination of records, the committee discussion. was inclined to the belief that the deed is held in fee simple. If this It is understood that the com- be true, there is then no legal obmittee appointed by Conference at stacle whatever in the way of the the session yesterday morning to removal of the college, or of the look into the charter of the Colum- sale of the property in the city of

The whole matter in regard to

thought that this amendment may for consideration, it was postponed is an open question whether or not it will then be definitely decided. However, it can be confidently predicted that there will be a lively

Teachers Meeting.

The next Teacher's meeting will be held in the Boundry Street school on Saturday, December 13, at 10 o'clock a. m.. Prof. E. L. Hughes of the Greenville City Schools, will be present and deliver an address. All the teachers in the county should show their appreciation by attending. Teachers amendment of the charter is neces- several questions arose, and some of are urged to be present promptly

That He is in Very Critical Condition.

Rev. G. E. Edwards received a telegram from Rev. W. I. Herbert last night in which he stated that his father, the Rev. T. G. Herbert, was no better and that he was in a .. very critical condition.

Program for Today.

Business session, examination and passing of character 9:30 a. m. Columbia Female College ques-

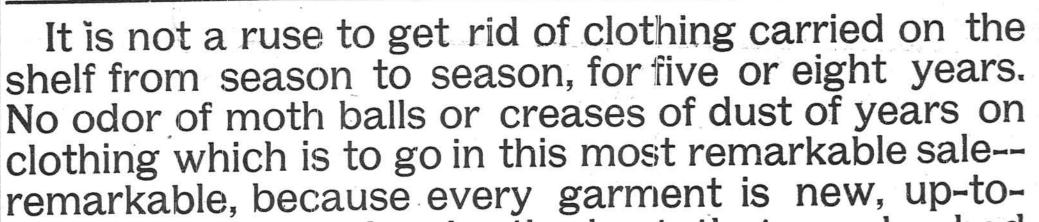
Preaching by Rev. J. G. Beck. with 4 p. m.

tion 10 a. m.

Address by one of the connectional men 7:30 p. m.

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