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OUT AMONG THE PEOPLE

COTTON

Cotton is the overcoat of a seed that is planted and grown in the Southern states to keep the producer broke and buyer crazy.

The fiber varies in color and weight, and the man who can guess the nearest the length of a fiber is called a cotton man by the public, a fool by the farmer, and a poor business man by his creditors.

The price of cotton is fixed in New York, and goes down when you have bought, and up when you have sold. A buyer working for a group of mills was sent to New York to watch the cotton market. After a few days' deliberation, he wired his firm to this effect: "Some think it will go down, and some think it will go up. I do, too. Whatever you do will be wrong. Act at once."

WAS TEAR JERKER

Court house officers wept and snorted and scattered like rats from a sinking ship the other day when an old tear gas bomb was discharged in the sheriff's office. The old bomb had been lying around the office for about three years and no one suspected it had any kick left in its system. They are guaranteed for only one year. One officer not suspecting anything noticed he was suddenly weeping copiously headed for a drug store and demanded something for the "awful" cold that had seized him so suddenly. Fumes of the gas lingered in the court house for several days.

A MATTER OF TITLE

John Henry Baxter swapping barter with Barber Son the other morning declared when he amassed a fortune the newspapers would start referring to him as "J. Henry Baxter". Newspapers worth a cuss do not "play up" to anyone Mr. Baxter, but how to the line and treat everyone alike. If you will just give us an inkling that you would prefer the tone sounding title we will start using it from this hour. It's all the same to the linotype, and surely it is to us. Some newspapers, however DO go out of their way to "lick" persons on their way up, or who have already arrived.

GET XMAS SAVINGS

Employees of the Newberry Cotton Mills will today participate in the distribution of some \$20,000 from the mills Christmas savings club. The mill has been taking care of part of its employee's salary each year for a number of years. Some of the employees will draw as much as \$250.

Kendall Mills Lutheran Parish

Rev. J. B. Harmon, Pastor

Bethany (Oakland School house Sunday, 10:00 a. m., Sunday school, Mr. E. B. Hite, superintendent.

Sunday, 11:00 a. m., Preaching services. Every member visitation in the afternoon.

Summer Memorial Sunday, 10:00 a. m., Sunday school, Mr. Eugene Shealy, superintendent.

Sunday 6:00 p. m., Luther League. Lutheran Brotherhood.

Sunday 7:00 p. m., Preaching services. Installation of officers.

All are cordially invited to attend all of these services.

SEEN ABOUT TOWN

Mrs. James Kinard driving new auto...Holland Ruff remarking that he couldn't get along without his car heater...Mary McClure mailing letter...Martha Vance Ellesor, welcomed visitor in the city over the weekend...J. C. Brooks enjoying cigar...Brooksie Hutchinson greeting friend across the street...Harry Bedenbaugh collecting...R. G. Reagin having some difficulty lacing up new shoes and telling your scribe that the difficulty was due to an oversupply of buttermilk for lunch...Jordan Poole putting on gloves...A. P. Farris carrying small toy boat...Store window displays looking very attractive...Edna Halfacre parking car...B. P. Ringer giving Kate Williamson a lift...Little Jimmie Wiseman making plans to celebrate birthday Saturday...Macie Davis taking small brother and sister to theatre...Elizabeth Mower and Frances Baxter walking up street carrying knitting bags...Floyd Bradley going home for lunch...Walter Dorritt whistling...Ernest Mayo subscribing to the Sun.

Clarkson Heard By Three Magistrates Report \$332 Fines

Newberry Group Guests of Columbia Club

Members of the Lions Clubs all over the state gathered at Columbia Hotel as guests of the Columbia Lions Club Tuesday evening to hear an address by International President Birch. John C. Clarkson was on the program for the evening and responded to the welcome issued by a member of the Columbia club.

Among the Newberry Lions attending were Mr. Clarkson, Holland H. Ruff, Roy Elam, M. O. Summer, P. K. Harmon, C. E. Hendrix, White Bullock, George Dominick, R. G. Wallace, P. J. Stokes, Claud Sanders, D. O. Carpenter, Tom Fellers, and J. C. Longshore.

SUITABLE FOR ESKIMOS

If you thought Tuesday morning was the coldest yet, you may have been right because the official thermometer reading was 12 degrees according to Newberry's weather man, John Henry Baxter. Low Wednesday was 24 degrees while this morning (Thursday) the reading was 33.

Or possibly you had rather know how warm it has been in the past few days. Tuesday the thermometer high read 39 degrees and Wednesday showed 51 degrees. Today about 12:30, Mr. Baxter reported 44 degrees.

Beth-Eden Lutheran Parish

Rev. M. L. Kester, pastor

Beth-Eden 10:00 a. m., Sunday school, Mr. Hamilton Folk, superintendent.

11:00 a. m., The service. Sermon by the pastor.

St. James 2:00 p. m., Sunday school, Mr. Harold Long, superintendent.

Election of officers.

3:00 p. m., The service. Sermon by the pastor.

Colony 10:00 a. m., Sunday school, Mr. Henry Cousins, superintendent.

Rehearsal of Christmas pageant immediately after Sunday school.

Tentative Location

Tentative locations and box numbers for new fire alarm system, arranged by wards.

WARD 1.
121 Vincent at Harrington.
122 Vincent at Harris.
123 Vincent at Cline.
124 Vincent at Wardlaw.
125 Nance at Boyce.
126 Nance at Purcell.
127 Nance at Cline.
128 Nance at Chapman.
129 Nance at Fair.
130 Pope at Brown.
131 Caldwell at Speer.

11 Boxes. WARD 2.
11 Harrington at College.
12 Harrington at Jr. Hl.
13 Harrington at Colhoun.
14 Harrington at Glenn.
15 College at Tech.
16 College at Wheeler.
17 College at Fair.
18 Cheek at Lindsey.
19 Harper at Crenshaw.
20 Mayer Ave. at Summer.
21 Mayer Ave. at Hunt.

11 Boxes. WARD 3.
21 Friend at College.
22 Friend at Wilson.
23 Boundary at Wilson.
24 Johnstone at Coates.
25 Johnstone at Holman.
26 Johnstone at Amelia.
27 Johnstone at Glenn.
28 Glenn at Adelaide.
29 Ade aide at Welcome Sign.
30 Glenn at Mollon Mill.
31 Milligan at Payer.

11 Boxes. WARD 4.
41 Nance at Friend.
42 McKibben at O'Neal.
43 Boundary at Drayton.
44 Boundary at Langford.
45 Boundary at Pauline.
46 Boundary at Alley.
47 Brantley at South.
48 Drayton at McSwain (Oil Mill).
49 Caldwell at Starvation Hill.
50 Caldwell at Johnstone.
51 Caldwell at Adams.
52 Caldwell at Hunter.
53 Caldwell at Sillas.
54 Caldwell at Milligan.

15 Boxes. WARD 5.
51 Drayton at Mill Park.
52 Drayton at Scott.
53 Clara at O'Neal.
54 O'Neal at Senn.
55 O'Neal at Pauline.
56 O'Neal at Kennedy.
57 Academy at Crosson.
58 Graves at Floyd.

8 Boxes. MAIN ST.
71 Main at Drayton.
72 Main at Vincent.
73 Main at McKibben.
74 Main at Caldwell.
75 Main at Thompson.
76 Main at Calhoun.
77 Main at Randall.
78 Main at Sumner.
79 Main at Hunt.

9 Boxes.
65 Boxes.

Three Magistrates Meet Again About Fire Alarm System

Only three magistrates of the six in Newberry county turned in November reports to the county treasurer's office. The districts reporting were Newberry, No. 2, Prosperity, and Whitmire.

Magistrate Dawkins of No. 2 reported 10 cases during the last month and collected \$186 in bonds and fines. Two cases were handled by Magistrate J. L. Bowers Jr. at Prosperity and \$76 turned over to the treasurer. In the Whitmire district, three cases were reported and \$70 collected by Magistrate Watts.

Of the districts sending in reports, a total of fifteen cases were tried during November with fines and bonds amounting to \$332.

T. M. ROGERS BETTER

The condition of T. M. Rogers, who has been seriously ill the past few days, was reported to be considerably better as the Sun goes to press.

CHURCH CATCHES FIRE

Newberry fireman were called to the Holiness church in High Point about 1:15 today to put out a roof fire. It is thought the roof caught from a spark from a passing train. Damages totaled approximately \$350.

COLLEGE OPEN HOUSE

Newberry College students will hold formal open house Saturday night in Smeltzer hall. Chris Caughman and his orchestra will play for the occasion.

AT S. C. University

President James C. Kinard is to speak at the University of South Carolina in Columbia tomorrow (Friday) at the luncheon hour.

NEWBERRY COLLEGE SINGERS

The Newberry College Singers under the direction of Paul Ensrud, will give a program of Christmas Carols this evening (Thursday) in Holland hall at 8 o'clock. There will be no admission fee charged but a free will offering will be taken. The public is invited to attend.

HAL'S ADLETS—

Christmas wreaths. Our showing of more than 100 lovely Christmas wreaths now ready. Priced from \$1 to \$5, 10 per cent off if you "cash and carry" your wreath between this and the 15th. See our window.

Painting of Old Court House, by Mrs. Bullock. See it on display and it's for sale.

Potted plants, cyclamen, primroses, begonias and other lovely blooming plants. Two shipments each week insure lovely and fresh plants.

Roses, carnations, lilies and other seasonable cut flowers. You will find just what you want here.

Haviland China. Sets of three sizes in plates, 8 each and 8 cups and saucers \$35 and \$40. One 61 piece Haviland set for \$50. This is very fine china. Then we have the Lenox agency, the finest china in the world. We'd be mighty glad to have you see both lines.

Fosteria glassware. 5 barrels came last week. It's well known, well liked and most reasonable in price. We have Fosteria from 15c stems up.

Table and boudoir electric lamps. Our line of lamps is personally selected. You will like them. \$1.50 up.

Roseville pottery This is another line we are proud to have. A tremendous shipment has just been placed on sale. Rich colors, good designs, useful items. Fine for gifts.

Mirrors, convex and plain. A nice stock to select from. Also table mirror plateaus. They enhance any dining table.

Candles in Christmas red and other colors. Our line is Will and Baume's hand dipped and long burning, with no drip. They begin at 15c pair.

Christmas greeting cards. Our stock is well displayed and most reasonable in price. We'd like to have you browse around our card counter.

Picture frames, metal frames with velvet covered sliding backs. From \$1 up. They are high grade and will look fine for a lifetime. We have double and single styles. We have double and single styles.

Last shipment for December of pansy plants now in. 50 fine Swiss Giant plants for 50c.

We are open evenings until 9 until Christmas. You'd be most welcome any evening, every evening.

—HAL KOHN

Meet Again About Fire Alarm System

NEED OF CALL BOXES AGAIN COMES TO FRONT

Misdirected calls to the fire department recently have served to revive interest in the fire alarm system which was to have been installed from the proceeds of a bond issue sold sometime back and from which a fire truck was bought and the fire house remodeled.

Only recently adarms were sent in calling the department to box 51 instead of 28. As it happened these were small blazes but according to the fire chief had they been serious fires the time lost going to the wrong location would have seriously handicapped the firefighters and resulted in considerable loss. It seems the department is continually getting misdirected calls which of course would be eliminated by the alarm system.

The original citizens' committee was called together as a result of the recently misdirected calls and again the importance of the alarm system emphasized. Following are the complete minutes of that meeting:

Dr. James C. Kinard called a joint meeting of the committee who met, proposed and circulated petitions for the issuance of \$37,000 in bonds for a Modern Fire Alarm System, for the addition to the fire house and the purchase of the fire wagon a couple of years ago. The meeting was held at 10:00 o'clock in the Council Chamber.

The following were present: A. H. Clark, H. D. Whitaker, J. T. Hayes and C. A. Shealy, members of the Council. Mr. Charles A. Douglass was absent and Mr. J. W. Earhardt, Mayor was absent on account of illness of his wife. Members of the committee were Dr. James C. Kinard, H. B. Wells, Mrs. J. H. Summer, L. F. Fischer, C. B. Spinks, R. H. Wright, H. O. Switenburg, Burton Wells, A. J. Bowers, Jr., Wright Cannon, and J. H. Glass. Alan Johnstone was present by request.

Dr. Kinard called the meeting to order and stated the purpose of the meeting.

It developed during the course of discussion that of the \$37,000 voted the following sums had been expended according to the statement of Drayton Nance, City Clerk: Fire engine \$8,250, for the improvements on the fire house \$14,200. It was not clear whether all of the outstanding bills had been paid, and Mr. Clark thought that between \$500 and \$900 should be reserved for the payment of outstanding bills and for any other work required to be done on the fire house.

The W. P. A. had expended to date according to report furnished by F. C. Polhemus \$16,589.00 for labor and material, of which \$10,061.00 was spent for labor and \$6,528.00 for material. The W. P. A. had credited the city for spending \$6,826.88 for labor and \$7,968.26 for material or a total of \$14,795.14.

Mr. Nance stated that there was left of the bond issue the sum of \$12,900.00. It was recalled by various of the conferees that the P. W. A. had at one time offered to make a grant of 45 per cent of the sum of \$28,000.00 thought to be necessary to complete the fire alarm system with 65 boxes. Of the \$28,000.00 the city part of 55 per cent amounts to \$15,400.00, reserving the \$900 for the completion of the fire house, 12,000.00 of the bond money is now available for the fire alarm system.

It further developed that the sum of \$1,300.00 had been expended by city council out of the bond funds for the purchase of hose according to Mr. Nance's statement. The position of city council was that such an expenditure was proper in their discretion and Mr. Clark stated that the city attorney had so advised.

Mr. Alan Johnston stated to the chairman that in his opinion three questions should be properly considered:

First: could the P. W. A. grant be revived?

Second: could council procure the \$3,400.00 additional funds now required to comply with the P. W. A. grant?

Third: if not could the fire alarm project be reduced to come within the funds available?

H. B. Wells, Burton Wells, L. F. Fisher, C. B. Spinks and A. J. Bowers spoke to the question. Mr. Clark spoke for council and said that he preferred a full meeting of council before replying to the questions as to whether or not the \$3,400.00 could be provided for by council and spoke of a forthcoming meeting on Tuesday next.

It was then resolved by members

Dr. and Mrs. Kinard Occupy New Home

Upon first occupying their commodious new home on College street last Wednesday evening, December 8 Dr. and Mrs. James C. Kinard with their sons, James and Frank, and a few invited friends, very appropriately and thoughtfully consecrated their home with a service beautiful in its simplicity as the residence itself is simple and beautiful in the chaste Colonial style of architecture.

The company gathered in the large and well-appointed living room where, with Mrs. Edwin B. Setzler at the piano, all present joined in a favorite hymn of the family. The Rev. E. Bryan Keisler, pastor of the church of the Redeemer, and the Rev. Dr. J. C. Peery, a former pastor, then led in a consecratory ritual, jointly prepared for them, which breathed the beauty and sacredness of home and a fireside. The service was composed of appropriate Scripture responses and selected poems glorifying home and life and the fine sentiments that cling around it and those welcomed to share its hospitality.

Those who shared with the family this delightful occasion were, besides Dr. Keisler and Dr. Peery, Dr. and Mrs. Sidney J. Derrick, Dr. and Mrs. Edwin B. Setzler, Mrs. J. C. Peery, and Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Goodman. After the guests were shown over the house, Mrs. Kinard and Mrs. Sidney J. Derrick served coffee and cake, an hour was passed in delightful conversation. The guests departed congratulating Dr. and Mrs. Kinard on their new home, which adds another to the city of Newberry's distinctive residences.

FISH AND GAME GROUP

Meet Monday At Hartford School

The December meeting of the local chapter of the Game and Fish Association will be held Monday evening at the Hartford school house. The women of the Hartford community will serve a supper.

Following the supper, a general business session will be held presided over by Sam Williams, president of the chapter.

TURNER ADDRESSES TEACHERS

B. R. Turner, director of industrial education in the state department of education, was obtained to speak at the general meeting of the Newberry County Education Association this afternoon (Thursday) in the place of Governor Olin D. Johnston who was unable to appear because of a previous engagement. Mr. Turner, who succeeded Clemson Wilson, has been in office about two months.

Is 80 Next Sunday



MRS. M. J. GARWILE

of the committee present:

1. That the chairman be requested to communicate with the P. W. A. to ascertain if the former project would be carried out by the P. W. A. on the basis of a complete fire alarm system of 65 boxes.

2. That the committee would recommend to council the levying of an additional one-half mill tax for a period of four years to raise the required sum if so much levy be necessary.

The resolutions were put before the committee meeting and unanimously adopted.

It developed during the course of the discussion that council had levied a one mill tax to take care of interest levied had been increased was est, etc. It developed that the additional two mills levy by which the

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Lutherans Will Elect Members of Council

The Sunday school begins at 10:30. There are classes for all ages and competent teachers for all classes. Dr. James C. Kinard is the superintendent, and Prof. Harry H. Hedgepath the assistant superintendent.

At the services which begin at 11:30 the pastors subject will be, "Fleeing, Following, Fighting." There will be special music by the choir under the supervision of Prof. Ensrud.

In connection with the service next Sunday a brief business meeting of the congregation will be held for the purpose of voting for five members of the council. The nominees were named last Sunday by the congregation. The Senior Luther League goes to the County Home next Sunday afternoon to render services.

The Luther League will meet at 6:45 on Sunday evening.

At the Vespers next Sunday the pastor's subject will be, "The Forgiveness of Sins." This is the continuation of a series of Sunday evening sermons on the subjects in the Apostles' Creed.

The Aid Society will meet Monday afternoon at 4:00 at the home of Mrs. L. F. Fischer. The associate hostesses are Mrs. T. E. Setzler, Mrs. Harry Culcaure, and Miss Sudie Dennis.

The Women's Missionary Society is sponsoring a food shower for the Lowman home. All those who desire to share in the worthy enterprise will please get their contribution to Miss Nora Long by next Monday, December 13th.

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE

Donations Needed To Promote Cause

Plans for the Community Christmas Tree for the benefit of underprivileged children of Newberry county are rapidly going forward.

Committees are making investigations as to the children and families to be helped this Christmas. Anyone interested in helping along lines of monetary contributions, clothing, fruits, food, or toys is asked to get in touch with Mrs. J. D. French or Mrs. D. W. A. Neville.

MRS. LAURA ANN MOORE

Mrs. Laura Ann Moore, 88, widow of Jacob D. Moore, died Sunday afternoon at the home of her daughters, Mrs. Irene Smith and Mrs. Ida Baker on Davis street after a short illness.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at Zion Methodist church near Prosperity, conducted by the Rev. B. F. Rodgers assisted by the Rev. E. E. Hite. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Four daughters and two sons survive. They are Mrs. F. J. Frazier, Prosperity; Mrs. S. T. Matthews, Mrs. Ida Baker, and Mrs. Irene Smith, Newberry; J. B. Moore and J. E. Moore, both of Whitmire.

James R. Leavell, mortician, in charge.

RECENT ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jones announce the birth of a son at the local hospital Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Q. Harmon announce the birth of a son, Monday evening, December 6, at the county hospital.

WE THE PEOPLE SPEAK---

Have you done your Christmas shopping?

Mrs. George K. Dominick: "No, I haven't had time to think about it. I guess I will just put it off until the last minute and then have to take what I can find."

Katherine Adams: "No, I haven't even thought about it. I'll just wait until Christmas eve, then it will be too late and I'll have to wait until next Christmas."

Marie Moore: "I haven't bought a thing. It wouldn't feel like Christmas unless I rushed the last minute to buy things."

A. P. Farris: "I don't think I'll buy anything. I'm just going around and pay the bills I owe."

Miss Elizabeth Brehemer: "No, I haven't. I haven't done any yet."

Everette Evans bringing in notice. Jackson Bowers stopping by for a brief greeting. Ernest Mayo coming in to subscribe. Mrs. Odell Wilson bringing in birth announcement. Ned Purcell stopping by to discuss Gipsy Smith services with ye editor. Mrs. A. H. Counts and daughter, Betty Jo, pausing long enough for us to wish Betty Jo a happy birthday. Claude Sanders buying the force dopes. Postmaster G. K. Dominick on business. J. C. Brooks looking over new office. Odell Wilson installing telephone. Marie Brown bringing in check. Mary McClure looking over copy of the paper. Arthur Eargle browsing around. Judge Eugene Blease inquiring as to office moving progress. George Koon in for a brief chat. Burton Wells stopping in and being called on to do a little carpentry work. Pinckney Abrams selecting Christmas cards.

DOWN MEMORY LANE

TWENTY YEARS AGO

To the people of South Carolina:

I desire to appeal to the people of South Carolina to lay down for themselves certain definite and specific days on which we will save flour, meat, and sugar fats.

Our National Government has come to us asking for the performance of a specific duty. We are asked to save meat, flour, sugar and fats. I am confident that South Carolinians, red-blooded and patriotic, realizing that American freedom, liberty and justice and honor are at stake will respond to this call, and will do our part to win the war.

Richard I. Manning
Governor.

Miss Ernestine Wicker is teaching in the place of Miss Sadie Goggans, whom the trustees refuse to let resign from the faculty of the city schools. Miss Wicker will hold the position at the Boundary Street school until Miss Goggans is able to resume her duties.

Mrs. Herman Wright and Mrs. Robert Wright spent yesterday in Columbia on their way to Florence to attend the State U. D. C. convention. Both are prominent daughters of the confederacy, the former a member of the Calvin Crozier chapter and the latter the president of the Drayton Rutherford Chapter.

At least some of the churches in the city are progressing. The A. R. P. parsonage (or manse?) is nearing completion, the First Baptist has raised Mr. Babb's salary to \$1,800, St. Luke's collected a good sum for the Episcopal orphans and Central Methodist is beautifying its lots with a cement pavement on the Johnstone street side, under the direction of Street Supervisor Joe Wertz.

The recent every member canvass in Grace Lutheran church, Prosperity, Rev. C. J. Shealy pastor, was very successful. Already the entire budget has practically been raised, and the canvass of non-resident members completed. The first time in the history of the congregation more than the amount estimated by the council for the beneficence was pledged. The pastor's salary was increased by the addition of \$203.

We wish the weather moderator would get on his job in Newberry.

Official figures obtained through the national council of defense show that there are 1,340,000 men in the armies of the United States.

Rev. J. B. Harmon of Prosperity has moved into the new parsonage of the Mt. Tabor church, which his parishioners recently built near Mt. Tabor church.

Messrs. George B. Cromer, George S. Mower, and I. H. Hunt have been named by Governor Manning as Newberry County's board "to assist on the government's plan to procure maximum efficiency by thorough classification of all men available for service under the selective draft."

The names of the various county county boards were recommended to the governor by Provost Marshall