

# BY THE WAY...

By DORIS ARMFIELD

All right, I give up. There ARE people who can work the crossword puzzles in the Sunday New York Times. For several weeks, Ikey Blalock and Coke Dickert have accurately completed these puzzles; they have the highest "batting" average so far of all those submitted, so to them I apologize for saying the puzzles were almost impossible. I have come to the conclusion that I just don't have enough sense to work them.

Sometime last year, I was complaining about the congested traffic at the corner of College and Harrington streets, and the lack of a sidewalk for pedestrians on the College Street Texaco side. I am glad to see that something is finally being done about it, what with a new Texaco station under construction, to be built away from the street, leaving room for the sidewalk that should be there.

Now, if city council would get busy and get a traffic light at the corner, I believe it would solve the problem of congested traffic completely—at that corner. It is still bad on Harrington street between College and Nance, where two side parking is allowed, on the narrow street, as it is several other places in town. A number of people have said, "why don't you write about so-and-so"—usually a complaint, many times justified. I just can't seem to remember them all, but I will make this suggestion: if anyone would like to voice a complaint through this column, I will be glad to print your letter or statement.

Having become camellia conscious recently, (with two lone camellia bushes growing at Gildercrest) I was interested in talking with Judge Marvin M. Mann of St. Matthews, who was presiding at court in Laurens a couple of weeks ago. Judge Mann retires from the bench on December 4th of this year and I was wondering what he would do with his spare time. I found that he has enough plans to keep several people busy, but his first love is camellias.

At his home in St. Matthews he has more than 200 varieties of the beautiful flower. He grafts and cultivates many of his own plants and, I understand, his camellia garden is a showplace during season—and by the way, he is always glad to have the public visit his garden. Judge Mann says his flowers are usually prettiest in January or early February, although because of the warm weather this year many of them were in bloom in December. Camellia enthusiasts may make note of this and plan to visit the Mann camellia gardens next year.

The Columbia Music Festival is offering a splendid concert series this year. Last Saturday night, Mario Berini, Metropolitan opera tenor, appeared at the Columbia Township Auditorium. Many Newberryans were present, and among those I saw were Mrs. A. W. Murray, Mrs. W. R. Anderson, Mrs. Wilton Todd, Mrs. J. P. Moon, Gus Houseal, and I'm sure there were many others I didn't see.

On April 1st, the Festival will present Vladimir Horowitz who is considered the world's greatest pianist.

I don't believe I have made any mention in this column of Tom Pope's election to the Speakership of the House of Representatives. I could say many things about Tom's ability, but I think a letter which he received, a copy of which was sent to me, just about expresses what we all feel:

"Congratulations on an honor too long delayed. Your election to the post as Speaker assures South Carolina of a capable, honest and fearless presiding officer, something we have long needed. It is indeed a pleasure to see you begin to reap the reward you so richly deserve."

I believe that is enough said, and I would just like to add my congratulations to the many others.

### TEACHERS MEETING TO BE HELD IN COLUMBIA

The Annual Teachers Meeting of the South Carolina Education Association will be held in Columbia next Thursday and Friday, March 17-18.

The general meeting will begin at noon Thursday in the Township Auditorium, and other meetings are scheduled to be held at different times and various places during the two day period.

"The schools in the city and county will be closed as usual for the meeting, and almost a hundred per cent attendance of teachers is expected to attend from the city and county," said James D. Brown, Supt. of Education of Newberry County.

# EVER NOTICE? People stand up when they hear the national anthem—and fall down when they start to sing it.

## Neighborhood News

### Texaco To Have Modern Station

Work was begun Monday of this week on the new Texaco station, to replace the present building of the College Street Texaco station at the corner of College and Harrington streets.

The building will be patterned after the newest of the Texaco styles, according to Leroy Wilson, manager. It will be approximately 40 feet by 27 feet, and will be located in the center of the lot, 33 feet from College street and about 30 feet from the Harrington street side, a distance of 20 feet from Smith Motor Company.

Mr. Wilson states that the contractors, W. E. Baker and Son of Whitmire, will complete the new structure in two months.

"We will continue our regular service as well as facilities permit during the construction," said Mr. Wilson, "although we will not have parking space until the building is completed."

A list of the services and accessories offered by College Street Texaco station may be found in an advertisement in this issue of The Sun.

### Shealys Make Gift to College

The library at Newberry College has recently been equipped with a new and modern system of fluorescent lighting, a gift from the Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Shealy of Leesville. Ten white enamel pendant fixtures now provide lighting that will meet the most exacting standards.

Mr. Shealy is a graduate of Newberry College, and Mrs. Shealy graduated from Sumnerland, which was merged with Newberry in 1931. They have always shown a devoted interest in their alma mater. The first new furniture installed in Smeltzer Hall after the dormitory was opened to women students in 1931 was donated by them.

The Shealys now have two sons enrolled in Newberry College. Armand will receive his degree this June and Marvin is a sophomore. Last year another son, Otho, graduated from there.

In commenting on the recent gift, the cost of which approximated \$500.00, President J. C. Kinard said, "We are deeply grateful for this very generous gift, which adds so much to the attractiveness and usefulness of our library."

### Jersey Cow Takes Honors

A registered Jersey cow, Standard Novle Licia, owned by Ira B. Duck, Jr., of the county, made an outstanding record during the month of January by producing 80.3 pounds of butterfat, according to the honor roll recently issued by Clemson College.

Sharing honors was another registered Jersey cow, Estelle Stan Bet, from the herd of Ward Crim of Spartanburg. These two cows topped the list for the month of January for Jersey and all dairy breeds in South Carolina in the amount of butterfat produced.

### The Civil Service

The Fifth U. S. Civil Service Region is announcing examination for Engineering Aid and Physical Science Aid SP-1 grade through SP-8, salaries \$2152 to \$3727 a year. The SP-1 grade requires no experience. In the higher grades high school courses in mathematics and sciences may be substituted for experience. These positions are in the Federal Agencies of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, South Carolina and Tennessee. Closing date March 24, 1949.

Sadie Bowers  
Local Secretary.

### MEET WITH MRS. FISHER

The Ladies Aid Society of the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer will meet Monday March 14th, at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. L. F. Fisher on College street. Mrs. Fred Hayes, Mrs. Roy Mills, and Mrs. J. E. Nichols will be associate hostesses. All ladies of the Church who have had a birthday since the first of January are asked to remember to bring their birthday years in pennies to this meeting.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

**Newberry**  
Mrs. Margaret Kinard Keitt to Mrs. Rook Kinard McCarrell to Mrs. Elizabeth Kinard Norris, one lot and one building, 1100 Calhoun street, \$9000.  
Ida Mae Mills to Harry A. Mills, one lot on Pearl Street, \$5,000 love and affection.  
Mary Ellen Burton to Laura B. Burton, two lots and one building on Adelaide street, \$1,000 love and affection.  
The Kendall Company to town of Newberry, one lot, newly cut street to be known as Berry street, \$1,000.  
Elizabeth K. Norris, et al to E. Maxey Stone, one lot on Mayer Avenue, \$3000.  
Willis P. Berry to Lena Belle Berry, three lots and one building, 580 Glenn street, \$5,000 love and affection.  
Tabor L. Hill, Tax Collector, Newberry County, to Thomas-Dean Strong and Willis N. Boozer, one lot and one building, property formerly owned by Thomassen, Boozer and George Clark, \$8,933.  
**No. Outside**  
Hal Kohn to Leela Castles Phillips, one lot \$1200.  
Hal Kohn to Otis Clifford Phillips, one lot \$800.  
Commercial Investment Company to Eugene L. Longshore and Mattie A. Longshore, two lots, \$300.  
Alfred T. Tudor, Jr., to R. Clayton Smith, one lot, \$600 and other considerations.  
**O'Neill**  
Sallie Pugh, as Executrix to Wyche W. Moore, 292 acres, Mrs. Carrie Pugh estate, \$4750.  
**Midway**  
Fairfield Forest Products Company, Inc., to M. A. Riddle and James A. Riddle, 3.3 acres, \$335.  
**Helena**  
G. W. Hendrix to Marie M.K. Nabors, one lot and one building, \$2500.  
**Mt. Pleasant**  
Frank Glymph to Y. J. Glymph, one acre, \$5,000 love and affection.  
**Tranwood**  
D. R. Rice to Annie Belle Martin and Nathaniel Martin, 183 Reid Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., .35 acres, \$1800.  
**Whitmire**  
Bessie Stewart and Ida Sims to Magnolia Lodge No. 80 of the most Prince Hall, Lodge of Free accepted Masons, one lot on Duckett street, \$110.  
Jack and Elija Crisp to Oscar Crisp, one lot \$190.  
**Mollohon**  
Carl Baker to Frank A. Reed and Brama R. Reed, four acres and one building, \$3980.  
**Fork**  
John Allen Wicker, Jr., to J. P. Dowd, one lot \$150.

### To Sell Cakes

The Youth Center Service Club is sponsoring a sale of home made cakes on Saturday March 12, from 3 to 5 p.m., at the Girls Scout Cabin for the benefit of the Youth Center Building Fund.

You are invited to attend this sale Saturday and get a delicious cake for only \$3.00. There will be angel food, chiffon and layer cakes to select from.

### A DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Hamm of 1223 Edgewood Road, Charlotte, N. C., announce the arrival of a daughter, Janice Melvenia, born in the Charlotte Memorial Hospital on Monday, March 7th. The Hamms have another child, a two and one-half year old son. Mr. Hamm is the son of Mrs. J. H. Hamm of Silverstreet.

### MOLLOHON T.W.U.A. MEETS SUNDAY

Mollohon Textile Workers' Union of America, Local No. 324 (CIO), will hold its regular scheduled meeting Sunday afternoon, March 13th, at 3:00 p.m. in the school building. All members are expected to be present and keep informed. Visitors are always welcomed.

### MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

Miss Parnelle Fellers was again honored on Saturday evening, March 6th, with a lovely miscellaneous shower given by Miss Elizabeth Ruff, Miss Annette Ruff and Mrs. Harvey Jordan.

The living room of the Ruff home was made effective with pretty arrangements of early March flowers. The bride's chair was marked with a lovely corsage.

An interesting series of games was enjoyed throughout the evening.

The bride received many lovely gifts.

### Training School Program Given

Program of the Reedy River Association Training School for The Baptist Training Union, Mr. J. D. Hughey, Director.

Program for the week of March 14-18: Place — First Baptist Church, Newberry, Time—7 to 8:45.

The Baptist Training Union Manual—Rev. Shalor Walters, Columbia, teacher — For all General officers and pastors and deacons.

Meeting the needs of Adults through the Baptist Training Union — Prof. T. E. Epting, teacher — For all adults in the B.A.U.

Planning a Life — Mrs. Eugene Spearman, teacher — For all young people.

Junior and Intermediate Manuals — Mrs. W. H. Beiers of Greenwood, teacher — For all Junior and Intermediate leaders and sponsors.

Witnessing for Christ — Rev. James Mitchell, teacher — For Intermediates who have had the Manual.

Intermediate Manual — Mrs. J. Aubrey Estes, teacher. For all intermediates who have not had the Manual in last year.

Junior Manual — Mrs. James Mitchell, teacher — For all Juniors.

Story Hour Leadership Manual — Mrs. James Young of Fort Mill, teacher — This class is for all leaders and workers in the Story hour.

NOTE—On Monday evening March 15, everyone will assemble in the Church auditorium at the beginning, which is 7 o'clock. On each evening thereafter everyone will go directly to the class room.

Books are available and each person will purchase his or her book.

### Metropolitan Group At The College

The Metropolitan Artists Group will present the next in the series of artist concert programs being offered at Newberry College during the current session. This is an ensemble with each member a competent soloist especially selected from a concert field. Included in the group are: Nora Dee, Coloratura Soprano; Adelaide Trentadue, Dramatic Soprano; Richard Jones, Tenor; Carl Bryson, Tenor; George Graham, Baritone; Allan Mars, Bass Baritone; Mildred Holstad, Piano. This ensemble combines the vigor of a male group with delightful soprano voices in presenting a program of the best in contemporary, light classical, and operatic numbers. They are well known to varied audiences from coast to coast. Each member of the group is a soloist in his own right and was selected from among leading contestants in the Chicago Civic Opera and Chicagoand Music Festival competitions. Their ensemble repertoire includes songs from opera, light opera, and musical comedy; in addition to special arrangements of many familiar classics. The program is very varied and is enhanced by solos, duets, sextettes, and quartettes, in which the artistry of the individual members as well as of the group is abundantly demonstrated. To the musical education of their performance they add the attractiveness of youth; in artistic performance and in pleasing appearance they are acclaimed by their audiences.

The program will be presented in the auditorium of Holland Hall on the Newberry College campus at 8 p.m. Saturday, March 12. Tickets of admission are priced at one dollar for adults and fifty cents for students, and can be secured at the door of the auditorium.

### LICENSED TO WED

George Peter Bursinger, To-mah, Wis., to Bess Caldwell, Strother.  
Gurna G. Dominick, Newberry, to Una Mae Haskin, Chappells.  
David Houseal Long, Newberry, to Sophie Elizabeth Way, Newberry.  
Olin E. Evans, Newberry, to Ruby Frazier, Joanna.  
Carlton G. Bowers, Little Mountain, to Mary Nell Hartman, Prosperity.  
Troy Vernon Walling, Fort Jackson, to Minnie Christine Wicker, Pomaria.  
Charles Edward Brown, Whitmire, to Velma Jean Brown.  
Paul Lester Willis, Whitmire, to Frances Viola Peay, Whitmire.  
Lloyd James Walters, Orangeburg, to Jacqueline Lowe Brigman, Orangeburg.

### On Dean's List

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Kurtz of New York City have received notice from Yale University that their son, Peter Kurtz, has made the Dean's List at Yale.

Mrs. Kurtz is the former Gladys Chappel of this city. Peter entered Yale in September of 1948.

### BETA CLUB MEMBERS ATTEND CONVENTION

Approximately 25 girls and boys of the Newberry High School Beta Club attended the Beta Club Convention which was held in Columbia last Friday and Saturday. They were accompanied by their sponsor, Miss Julia Kibler, who was assisted by Miss Margaret Paysinger.

### Picture of Game Be Shown Here

A moving picture of the Clemson-Missouri Gater Bowl football game which was played in Jacksonville, Florida on January 1st, will be shown in the Newberry High School Auditorium next Thursday evening, March 17th, at 8 o'clock.

There will be a play-by-play narration of the game by Walter Tilley, Jr., of the Clemson Athletic Association.

The picture is being sponsored by the Newberry Lions Club and former Clemson students in the city and county.

All Clemson graduates are asked to meet in the Auditorium immediately following the showing of the picture for a meeting.

The picture is open to the public and no admission will be charged.

### Dr. Bryan Keisler Acting President

Word has been received here of the appointment of the Rev. Dr. E. Bryan Keisler as acting president of Central Lutheran Theological Seminary in Fremont, Nebraska. Dr. Keisler is pleasantly remembered in Newberry as a former pastor of the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer. He served also for several years as a part-time professor of Bible in Newberry College.



DR. KEISLER

Dr. Keisler is now professor of Practical Theology in Western Theological Seminary. The name of the institution has been changed to Central and Dr. Keisler will head a new program of expansion for this Seminary serving an important section of the United Lutheran Church in America.

Before going to Fremont Dr. Keisler was professor of Bible and Religious Education at Carthage College. He was also chaplain of the college.

His many friends in this section rejoice in this promotion that has come to him as a recognition of his outstanding success.

### Permits To Build And Repair

The following building permits were issued by building inspector Sam Beam during the month of February and the first few days in March:

Mrs. Lola Alewine, repairs to dwelling on Drayton street, \$900.  
W. H. Sterling, one wood frame out house on Vincent street, \$250.  
Mrs. John Huffman, repairs to dwelling on Wilson street, \$1500.  
Edward Bedenbaugh, general repairs to dwelling on Lyles street, \$900.  
T. B. Perry, one five-room frame dwelling on Adelaide street, \$5000.  
Central Methodist Church, repairs to parsonage on Caldwell street, \$330.  
Mrs. J. D. Livingston, repairs to dwelling on Drayton street, \$200.  
G. V. Clamp, repairs to dwelling on Boundary street, \$700.  
Addie Kinard, repairs to dwelling on Glider street, \$300.  
J. E. Abney, one five room wood frame brick veneer dwelling on Pope street, \$6500.  
Harry Kemp, one car garage on Caldwell street, \$100.  
J. T. McCrackin, repairs to warehouse on Thompson street, \$800.  
Gertrude Rikard, repairs to dwelling on Snowden street, \$40.  
A.R.P. Church, adding Sunday School room, \$8000.  
Joe Willie Wertz, repairs to dwelling on Main street, \$3500.  
Roland Williams, repairs to dwelling on Green street, \$300.  
Odell Ruff, one out house on Baker street, \$30.  
J. O. Harmon, wood shed on Glenn street, \$20.

### Happy Birthday!

Mrs. Pearl Pugh, March 9; J. F. Lomnick (Boundary St.), March 10; Sam Johnson and J. M. Hove, March 12; Joseph L. Keitt, Jr., March 13; T. M. Padgett, March 14; J. H. Summers, Mrs. Barbara Abrams Counts and Donna Pugh Connelly, one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Connelly, March 16; Miss Lula Bess Whitney and Robert W. Housel, Jr., March 17; Mrs. McBeth Sprouse (Polly Sumner), March 18th.

### Local Merchant Dies In 42nd Year

Earl Lee Scott, age 42, passed away in the Columbia Hospital early Monday morning, after a brief illness. Mr. Scott had lived in Newberry since 1938, coming to Newberry from Union. He was born in Chester, in March, 1906.

Mr. Scott, prominent business man of Newberry, was proprietor of the Scott Auto Parts and was actively interested in the progress of his city and community. He was president of the Newberry Lions Club at the time of his death, a member of the First Baptist church and president of the Baraca class, in which he took a great interest.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, March 8th, at the Leavell Funeral Home at 4 p.m. Interment followed in Rosemont cemetery in Union. Officiating at the services were Rev. J. Aubrey Estes and Dr. Francis W. Warden of Union.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Rozelle E. Wood Scott; his mother and father, Mrs. Ardra Laura Scott and Ernest C. Scott of Union; one brother, Malvin L. Scott of Union; three sisters, Mrs. C. D. Lawson of Chester, Mrs. E. W. Satterfield of Rosemont and Mrs. Carol Sumner of Hammond, Indiana.

### WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Geo. W. Martin underwent a major operation in the Newberry Hospital Tuesday morning. She stood the operation fine and is doing as well as can be expected.

Leland S. Boozer of the Mt. Bethel Garmany community was admitted to State Park Hospital near Columbia last Thursday where he is undergoing treatments.

Ed Schumpert is out again and back on the job at Berger's Clothing Store after being confined to his home for a week with flu.

Dr. H. K. Boyd who has been a patient in the Providence Hospital since February 19th, returned to his home near the city Wednesday afternoon and is reported to be improving nicely. His many friends will be glad to learn.

### MERIT EXAMS FOR E. S. JOBS

The Merit System Council of the South Carolina Employment Security Commission announces examinations for seventeen classes of positions in the agency. Positions for which examinations will be administered and their entrance salaries are as follows: clerk, typist, stenographer, junior clerk (Farm Placement), \$147.50 senior clerk (Farm Placement), telephone operator and receptionist \$170.00; junior interviewer, junior interviewer (Farm Placement) \$205.00; senior interviewer, senior interviewer (Farm Placement) \$235; Manager II \$270.00; appeals referee, informational representative and public relations officer \$375.00; assistant director E. S. \$425.00; director E. S. \$500.00; executive director \$625.

For application forms and announcement containing additional information, write E. H. Bradley, Merit Supervisor, 1128 Pendleton Street, Columbia, or call at any local S. C. State Employment Service office.

Applications must be filed on the official form, the supervisor said, and no forms will be mailed from the supervisor's office after April 1. No applications will be accepted for these examinations unless they are in the hands of the supervisor by, or postmarked prior to, midnight of April 4.

Members of the Merit Council are: J. Arthur Knight, J. W. Shealy, and Thomas Crenshaw.

### Local Merchant New Poor House Is Now Occupied

The new county home has been completed at a cost of approximately \$41,000.00, and was formally accepted by the Supervisor and Commissioners during the past week. The building was constructed by Builder's, Inc., a contracting company from Columbia which was low bidder on the project. Mr. Irvine Leslie, of this city, was architect.

The new home is a one-story concrete block building, containing ten bedrooms, bathrooms, two dining rooms and a large kitchen. It is equipped with a large electric range, a hot water heater and has steam heat. This building is connected to the superintendent's home by a breezeway and is thoroughly modern and safe for the inmates. The superintendent's home was also remodeled and furnished with bathroom facilities and steam heat. It is understood that a practical nurse will be on duty at the home to assist the superintendent, Mr. Tom Adams.

Formerly, the inmates of the home lived in small wooden buildings with no sanitary facilities and with open fires. The new home is designed to eliminate the fire hazard and to furnish sanitary facilities and to keep the inmates safe and comfortable.

The Newberry County Legislative Delegation authorized the Board of Commissioners to build a new County Home a year ago. The county Board of Commissioners, consisting of that time of Mr. E. H. Spearman, Supervisor, Mr. C. E. Schumpert and Mr. Wilbur Epps. The Commissioners hired Mr. Leslie as architect and authorized him to advertise for bids. No local firms submitted bids and the lowest bid was approximately \$70,000.00.

All bids were rejected and Mr. Leslie then drew new plans and re-advertised. Again, no local firms submitted bids and Builder's, Inc., of Columbia, was the low bidder. The County Delegation appropriated \$41,700.00 to cover the cost of construction and the purchase of a new electric stove and hot water heater for the home.