

County Hospital Patients Listed

Mrs. Lucille Brock, 1305 Broom street, Whitmore. Mr. William A. Boland, Prosperity. Mrs. Virginia Berley, Route 3, Pomaria. Rev. G. F. Clarkson, Prosperity. Mrs. Mary Ruth Chapman and baby boy, Prosperity. Master Marty Cook, 403 Crosson street. Mr. F. B. Dawkins, 1208 Speers street. Miss May Dold, Newberry. Mrs. J. S. Evans, route 1, Newberry. Mrs. Marie Epting, Prosperity. Mrs. Margaret Fellers, 1207 Chapman street. Mr. Gary Felker, route 1, Whitmore. Miss Anne Gatlin, 1323 Milligan street. Mrs. Gussie Hipp and twin boys, route 2, Prosperity. Mr. J. J. Hughes, 1507 Hiller street. Walter Wilson Hester, route 1, Chappells. Master Joe McSwain Martin, route 1, Box 211B, Newberry. Mr. J. B. McDowell, 1600 Evans street. Mrs. Nell Ruff and baby girl, route 2, Newberry. Mrs. Essie Wicker, route 2, Newberry. Mr. James L. Stephens, Cline street. Bobby Hentz, Pomaria. Varn Glenn, Brachville. Mr. Daniel Graham, route 1, Pomaria.

December Meet Of UDC Chapter

The Drayton Rutherford Chapter of the UDC met Tuesday afternoon, December 6th at the lovely country home of Mrs. Emerson Westwood, with Mrs. S. H. McLean and Mrs. G. G. Sales as associate hostesses. Seventeen members were present. The home was decorated for the Christmas season. There were 21 gifts placed under the lovely tree for Mrs. Wooten, the chapter's sunshine sister from the Confederate home in Columbia. The president, Mrs. R. D. Wright, presided and led in the ritual to the flag after which Mrs. Parr, our chaplain, led in the ritual. After a short business session the Historical program was turned over to Mrs. E. B. Setzer who had prepared a most interesting program. Mrs. Bothwell Graham gave a most instructive and delightful review of Bernard M. Baruch's life, portraying him as one of the world's most colorful and picturesque figures—a person everybody loves and admires. Mrs. Charles Boyd then gave a most interesting paper on "Confederate Women Spies," reminding us again of the wonderful bravery and courage of our Southern Women. The program was closed by the singing of Christmas carols led by Mrs. J. E. Wiseman. The hostesses served a beautiful Christmas plat with hot coffee and salted nuts. Mrs. R. D. Wright, Pres. Mrs. A. J. Briggs, Secy.

CONCERT AT The COLLEGE Sunday

Sunday afternoon, at 4:30 p.m., December 11th, in Holland Hall, the Newberry College Singers will render their annual program of Christmas music. The program follows: Prelude: Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring—Miss Doris Brubaker, Piano; Miss Mazie Dominick, Organ. Processional: Wake, Awake For Night Is Flying; Send Forth Thy Spirit; Let All the Nations Praise the Lord; How Bright Appears the Morning Star; Silent Night—Miss Faye Mitchum, Soprano. Christmas Story—Dr. Jas. C. Kinard, President, Newberry College. Hark! the Herald Angels Sing. God Rest You Merry Gentlemen. The First Noel. Listen to the Lambs—Miss Marcia Marth, Soprano. Norwegian Cradle Song—Miss Margery Smith, Contralto. A Joyous Carol—Miss Margery Smith, Contralto. Christmas Lullaby. Christal Benediction. Recessional. The public is cordially invited to the concert.

Christmas Cards Require 2c Stamp

Don't try to mail your Christmas cards this year with 1½c stamps. The postage rate on unsealed greeting cards, which travel by first class mail, was raised to 2c last January. So don't try to mail this year's Yule greetings with 1½c stamps left over from last Christmas. All sorts of embarrassing things may happen—Your mail carrier may return the cards to you stamped, "Insufficient Postage." Or they may be held until the addressee supplies the additional postage required by the new law before the mysterious envelope—which turns out to be your "Merry Christmas" wish—may be delivered to him. Or your cards may be shunted into the Dead Letter Office, if they're deposited at the peak of the Christmas mailing rush and they bear no return address. To preserve your cheery Christmas cards from these indignities, the Postmaster recommends sending them all by first class mail. That means with a 3c stamp. First class mail rates "directory service," by which skilled post office clerks try to trace down addresses who have moved. Your card may be forwarded from one address to another. If the addressee isn't located, the card will come back to you if the envelope bears your return address. Christmas cards carrying 2c stamps are third class mail. They must not be sealed and must not contain personal messages. Only one effort is made to deliver them. If the address proves incomplete or incorrect, your warm-hearted Christmas greetings land in the Dead Letter office. "One of the saddest sights on Christmas Eve," says the local Postmaster, "are the many undeliverable Christmas cards. Each represents a bit of lost Yuletide sentiment. Practically all are the result of carelessness. Especially illegible handwriting, inadequate addresses, and stamps that fall off en route because they weren't affixed properly."

2 Re-Sentenced For Jail Breaking

Criminal court, which convened here Monday morning, with Judge J. Henry Johnson of Allendale presiding, adjourned last Wednesday afternoon after trying the following cases: W. H. Metts, tried for non-support of wife and child, pleaded guilty and sentence was deferred pending medical report of his condition. E. L. Robbins, violation of bad check, continued. W. P. Bailey, assault with intent to kill, not pressed. James Moore, reckless homicide, not guilty, directed verdict. W. E. Metts, larceny, found guilty and sentenced to six months. Reed Erskine, non support of wife and child, pleaded guilty, sentenced to pay \$1,000 or one year, but upon payment of \$20.00 per week to clerk of court, put on probation five years. J. C. Mitchell, house breaking and larceny, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to John G. Richards Industrial school in Columbia until he reaches the age of 21 years. Julius Jackson, escaping public works in Newberry county. Plead guilty and given an 18 months sentence to begin at end of the sentence he is now serving for manslaughter. This is the second time that Jackson has escaped the public works there. Jack Cromer, escaping public works in Newberry county, pleaded guilty and was given a sentence of nine months to begin at expiration of sentence he is now serving for assault and battery with intent to kill. Johnnie B. Thomas, larceny, found guilty and drew a sentence of 18 months, but upon service of eight months, to be placed on probation for a period of three years. Walter Toland, non support of wife and children, found guilty and given a sentence of one year and payment of \$1,000 but upon payment of \$30.00 every two weeks to clerk of court, placed on probation for a five year period. Robert Bouknight, Thomas Bodie and Fred Wheeler, charged with assault and battery with intent to kill, case continued. George Jeter, assault and battery with intent to kill, not guilty. Leroy Calemes, carnal knowledge of woman child, pleaded guilty and drew a sentence of four years.

Ginners To Meet In Shelby, N. C.

Announcement is made today that the Carolinas Ginners Association will hold their 11th Annual meeting in Shelby, N. C., on Monday, January 9, 1950. The meeting will take place at the Armory and will last one day. The Carolinas Ginners Association, Inc., a combination of the old South Carolina Ginners Association, and the old North Carolina Ginners Association, was formed in December 1946. G. T. Ashford, Red Springs, N. C., has remained president of the association since it was formed. All cotton ginners are urged to attend this meeting.

Byrnes Asked To Head New Party

Washington, Dec. 6.—Former Secretary of State James F. Byrnes of Spartanburg, S. C., was asked today by the Americans for Democratic Action to head a new political party consisting of conservatives in the Republican and "Dixiecrat" ranks. In a letter to Byrnes made public by former Republican Congressman Charles M. LaFollette of Indiana, who now is national director of ADA, LaFollette accused Byrnes of being "a Democrat who has left his party to work for conservatives." LaFollette said that the proposal made by Republican Ohio Sen. John W. Bricker that Byrnes lead a "conservative alignment in America . . . has merit." LaFollette's letter follows: "I address this letter to you as a Democrat who has left his party to work for conservatism. I think we as political independents are particularly qualified to discuss with each other the future of our country's political system. "Your recent speech at Biloxi stimulated conservatives the country over. Demands have risen in the conservative press that you take over the leadership of the bipartisan opposition to the Fair Deal x x x. "I am sure you will agree that there is a very real kinship between many Northern Republicans and many Southern Democrats. A great number of Republican Party leaders are in reality 'Northern men of Southern principles.' Scratch a Dixiecrat and you will find a Northern or Eastern special interest. Dixiecrats fume at proposals for guaranteeing civil rights. Many Northern chambers of commerce have an equal distaste for FEPC. I suggest that all of them ought to live in the same house together. "The proposal that you head up the conservative alignment in America is a serious one, and I think it has merit. The coalition that functions so well in Congress should be formalized, be given shape and form. As a man of great public stature who has left no doubt where he really stands, you are a logical choice for the job. We urge you to accept the nomination. "Americans for Democratic Action supports candidates of any non-totalitarian political group if they agree with ADA's liberal principles. If, however, the candidates of your group agree with you and Mr. Hoover and Mrs. Dulles that balancing the financial budget is more important than balancing the budget of human needs, I am afraid they will have to get along without liberal and independent support."

BYRNES GETS APPLE PIE A LA MODE

Clemson, Dec. 7.—Former Secretary of State James F. Byrnes dined in the Clemson dining hall here today and was served a special dessert, home made pie on which was piled high ice cream from Clemson's own creamery. Tom Littlejohn, negro cook for 37 years at the college and for whom a colored housing project has just been launched on the campus has been named, prepared the dessert as a "special" for the distinguished trustee, who was chapel speaker. On the menu of several vegetables, milk, meats, and so on, were two popular items—South Carolina corn bread and molasses, a standby at Clemson dining tables for years. The former speaker partook of these generously and pronounced them "old-fashioned and good—just like the best things in life."

FIND DP'S LIVING BETTER THAN MANY IN U.S.A.

New York.—Senator Pat McCarran said here that he found living conditions of displaced persons in camps in Europe far better than living conditions of the average inhabitant of many areas in the United States. He returned from Europe with Senator Maybank of South Carolina and Elmer Thomas, of Oklahoma. "Everywhere I went in some dozen or more camps and resettlement centers," he said, "I studied living conditions and found them to be more than adequate for the care and maintenance of displaced persons. McCarran said his study convinced him too little attention had been paid to the security of the United States in the administration of the Displaced Persons Act. Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mills and family are now making their home with Mr. Mills' mother, Mrs. John Pappas on College street extension. They moved from 1527 Caldwell St.

EDUCATION RALLY HELD IN COLUMBIA

The Adult Department of the State Department of Education, the South Carolina Education Association, and the Opportunity School jointly sponsored a forum on "Education, a Basis for Social and Economic Progress in South Carolina" at the Opportunity School in Columbia Sunday, December 4. The first portion of this educational rally was held in the Opportunity School chapel with Dr. Gordon Blackwell, head of the department of Sociology at the University of North Carolina as guest speaker. Following dinner, which was prepared by the Opportunity School, there was a panel discussion, in which leading South Carolina educators analyzed the school situation in the state, comparing it with Connecticut (which ranks very high in education) and with the United States as a whole. Finally suggestions were made as to what could be done to relieve the deficiency in the education situation in South Carolina. Attending from Newberry County were Miss Pearl Stockman, president of the Newberry County S.C.E.A.; James D. Brown, superintendent of education; Mrs. James D. Brown and a representative from this newspaper.

CAPT. BOYD AND FAMILY ENROUTE TO STATES

Captain and Mrs. King Boyd and their four-months-old son, James Francis, left Stuttgart, Germany by plane for Frankfurt, on December second, where they left by plane for the States. They are expected to arrive in Boston, Mass., any day, and will then come on to Newberry to visit in the home of Captain Boyd's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Hugh K. Boyd near the city, until January 4th at which time Captain Boyd will report for duty at Kemper Military Institute in Boonville, Mo., where he will be an instructor in the ROTC. Captain Boyd has been on duty in Germany for the past three years with the U.S. Constabulary. His last assignment was with the Special Troops of the Constabulary Headquarters.

PROF. KNEECE ATTENDS EDUCATION MEET

Prof. J. V. Kneece, principal of Newberry high school, has returned to Newberry from a week's stay in Houston, Texas, where he attended the annual meeting of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools where he studied the new ruling on classifications and entrance requirements to the association. He was also a representative of the Newberry high school on the principal of Clinton high school on the trip.

85-YEAR OLD M. D. HAS PRACTICED 60 YEARS

Washington, Dec. 6.—An 85-year old small town doctor who admitted that he began his practice with "deadbeats and scalawags" was named the nation's outstanding practitioner for 1949. The honor was bestowed on Dr. Andy Hall of Mt. Vernon Ill. by the house of delegates of the American Medical Association meeting here this week in clinical sessions. Despite his years, Dr. Hall still carries on an active practice, except for major surgical operations. At a press conference today, he showed that he still retains the sharpness and zip of the day 60 years ago when he hitch-hiked rides on freight train cabooses to visit patients when roads were impassable because of mud. Surrounded by reporters and blinking his eyes at photographer's flash bulbs, he said he believed that heredity has an important part in longevity. "My father lacked a month of living 99 years," he said. "Liquor? I never drink," he said. "Well, I do drink a beer once in a while and when I had measles they fed me some whiskey." "No, I won't smoke," he said. "Neither do I chew tobacco." He said that in addition to heredity he believes a temperate life should be followed at all times if a person wants to live long. "People generally are living longer these days," he said, "and there are many reasons. In the first place they are becoming immunized against most of the diseases. We are also traveling in heated automobiles, and not exposed to the elements by riding horseback." Dr. Hall was asked what he thought of "nationalized medicine." "Socialized medicine would be bad for the people, the patient and the taxpayer," he said. "There are only two places where socialism might work. One is in heaven where socialism is not needed, and the other is hell where they already have socialism."

MRS. RAMEY STILL IN CRITICAL CONDITION

Mrs. W. G. Ramey, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident last Saturday afternoon at the intersection of Boundary and College streets, is reported to be in a critical condition yet. She was admitted to the Columbia hospital after the accident where she is still a patient. Mr. Ramey of Newberry was driving a Pontiac and was going west on Boundary street, and Miss Barbara Fagan of Orangeburg, was driving a Ford and going south on College street when the accident occurred. Mr. Ramey and Miss Fagan escaped without injuries.

LITTLE ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW

Mrs. Bernice Werts has returned to her home on McSwain street after spending two weeks in Rockingham, N. C. with her daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Werts Misener and family. Mrs. Misener and daughter, Neta, returned home with Mrs. Werts for a week's visit. Mrs. Carol Ringer and son, Douglas of Florence spent several days last week in the home of Mrs. Ringer's sister, Mrs. Ralph Rowe. They were joined in Newberry for the weekend by Mr. Ringer, who spent last week in Columbia on business. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Robelot and C. B. Fellers of Charlotte, N. C., M-Sgt. and Mrs. Ralph Fellers of Fort Benning, Ga., spent the past weekend in Newberry to attend the funeral services of their grandmother, Mrs. Mary S. Fellers. Boyd Campbell of Spartanburg, spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Campbell on Harrington street. Mrs. Campbell and two sons, Billy and Joe, who have been on a two weeks' visit, returned to Spartanburg with him where they will make their home. Miss Janet Garland of Columbia spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs. W. C. Schlenck who has been ill for the past couple of weeks with virus pneumonia. Mrs. Schlenck's condition is reported to be much better at this time. Miss Lillie Norris of Chester is visiting in the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Clamp on Calhoun street. F. B. Dawkins, who has been ill at his home on Speers street for several months, was rushed to the Newberry Hospital Saturday night where he underwent an appendectomy. He is reported to have stood the operation fine and is getting along as well as could be expected. Cam Wallace, a student at Union Theological Seminary in Richmond, Va., spent the past weekend with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Wallace in Whitmore.

DRIVE-IN THEATRE

Always a Complete Show After 10:00 P.M. — Saturdays 10:30 Show Starts at Dusk Dark SHOW RAIN OR SHINE FRIDAY and SATURDAY VIGILANTES RETURN (In Technicolor) With Jon Hall and Margaret Lindsay Cartoon—Juke Box Jamboree Comedy—Dig That Gold SUNDAY and MONDAY SOMETHIN IN THE WIND with Deanna Durbin, Donald O'Connor and John Hall —Laughing, Loving and Music—Cartoon and Comedy Added.

TEACHERS EXAMINATION TO BE HELD IN FEBRUARY

South Carolina teachers may apply now to take a certification examination on February 18th, the State Education Department said today. Common examinations required for teaching certificates will be given all day in various examination centers throughout the state. White teachers in Newberry county may take their examinations in Newberry county, the place to be announced later. Negro candidates may take the exams in various places in the state, but the closest place probably will be Greenwood. The Library Assistant examination is open again. Applications will be accepted until January 5, 1950. The positions are in various federal agencies in the states of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, South Carolina and Tennessee. The entrance salaries are from \$2450 to \$2875 a year, depending on the amount of experience. All applicants must take a written test, but the lowest grade position, G-2 requires only six months of library experience or six semester hours of college credit in library science. For further information ask for announcement No. 5-113(49) at local post office. Sadie Bowers, Local Secy.

VISHINSKY WISHES HAPPY NEW YEAR—BUT

Mr. Vishinsky wishes us a happy new year, but he doesn't think things look too happy. He was smiling, and he even waved his hat as he left yesterday for home in mother Russia. He wished everyone in the U. S. a "happy New Year." But he said the United Nations General Assembly meeting here was "not satisfactory." The Soviet Foreign Minister, completing more than two months here as chief of the Soviet delegation to the U. N. assembly, said the Soviet Union will fight for peace and international security "as it has always done."

NEW SKIN CANCER TREATMENT FOUND

Cleveland, Dec. 7.—A new treatment for skin cancer swabbed on like iodine on a scratch, was reported today. Two specialists told of using a radioactive liquid, thorium X, on 39 patients who had 51 cancers of the skin. In all cases except one, the skin lesions disappeared. Dr. J. J. Sher and Dr. Willard E. Howes, both of Brooklyn, N. Y. Cancer Institute, told of the new, simple treatment at a meeting of the Radiological Society of North America. They began work on the patients a year ago, after developing the technique a little more than two years ago. The 39 patients have been seen at regular intervals since treatment began, and not one patient has developed a new lesion.

COUPLE FROM McCALL DIE IN AUTO ACCIDENT HERE

W. A. Doares, 72 and his wife, 63, of McCall died from results of wounds received in an auto accident last Friday about 1:30 on the Columbia highway. The accident occurred at the intersection of the Columbia and Wigginsboro highways at Adgie Longshore's filling station. The 1940 Chevrolet sedan which was driven by W. A. Doares collided with a Johnson Trailer Transfer truck, driven by Clarence F. Sisk of Greenwood. The Doares were enroute to Greenville to visit a son when the accident happened. Mr. Sisk escaped injuries, and was released under a \$1,000 bond, posted by his employer. Coroner George R. Sumner made an investigation, and stated that an inquest will be held at 8 o'clock Friday evening, December 9th.

ADOPTION OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Bickley of Route 1, Newberry, announce the adoption of a four-month-old son, Randolph Senn, on Tuesday, December 6th.

BIRTH OF TWIN SONS

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Hipp of Route 2, Prosperity, are celebrating the birth of twin sons, born in the Newberry Hospital, Tuesday, December 6th.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Dominick celebrated their 20th wedding anniversary Monday, December 19.

JIM STEPHENS SUFFERS HEART ATTACK

Jim Stephens who suffered a severe heart attack last Saturday night was admitted to the Newberry Hospital late Wednesday night. His condition is reported to be fair.

REV. CLARKSON PATIENT IN LOCAL HOSPITAL

Rev. G. F. Clarkson of Prosperity was admitted to the Newberry Hospital Tuesday after suffering a heart attack. His condition was reported today to be "fair."

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Miss Anne Gatlin, 1323 Milligan street, underwent an appendectomy in the Newberry County hospital Tuesday. Miss Gatlin is a part time employee at the hospital. Her condition reported good.

BUILDING PERMITS

Only two building permits were issued during the past week by Sam D. Beam to the following: T. H. Julian, general repairs to dwelling on Glenn street, \$200. Harry E. Moose, repairs to dwelling on Mower street, \$400.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY

The December meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Lutheran Church of Redeemer will be held on December 12th at 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon at the home of Mrs. Waldo Huffman. The associate hostesses will be Mrs. A. W. Welling, Mrs. Ernest Brooks, and Mrs. Leland Wilson. Let's have a nice attendance for the final meeting of the year.

RAID ON SLOT MACHINES

Several members of the State Constabulary with Chief Colie Dowd and a number of policemen made a raid in the city Monday on slot machines. In the raid five large machines and one small one were secured from different business places. Chief Dowd stated that "a good many" arrests were also made in the city over the weekend, most of which were for intoxication.

SPENDS LEAVE HERE

Forrest Connelly, Rd-3, arrived in the city Wednesday morning to spend a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Connelly on Cornelia street. He is stationed at Portsmouth, Va., and has recently completed Radar school there. He was accompanied home by his wife and their two-month old daughter.

SCHROEDER ATTENDS BOARD MEETING

Mr. J. E. Schroeder of Charleston, a member of the Newberry College Board of Trustees, attended a Board meeting held at the College this week. He was accompanied by Mrs. Schroeder and they spent a couple of days with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Kohn, Jr., while in the city.

CAPTAIN WORKMAN PASSES OVER CITY

Judge and Mrs. Eugene S. Blease received a wire from their grandson, Capt. Jack B. Workman of Philadelphia, Pa., to the effect that he would fly over Newberry Thursday morning between 9 and 10 o'clock. He wanted them to be outside as he flew over their home on Boundary street, so that he could get a glimpse of them, since he could not land. Captain Workman was enroute to Warner Robbins, Ga., for a few days.

BIRTHDAYS

J. C. Neel, E. A. Carpenter and Tom Graham, December 10; Mrs. Josie McAllister, Caroline Cook and Joe Sumner, December 11; Forrest Lominack, Mrs. Beta L. Wright, Mrs. Nelson Connelly and Dr. J. E. Stokes, December 12; M. O. Sumner, and Alice Gear Rilev, December 13; R. Derrill Smith, Thomas E. Wicker and Mrs. G. W. Shealy, December 15; Mrs. Aubrey Harley, Mrs. D. L. Nance, Mrs. Albert Ringer, Will Waters, Mrs. L. E. Wood (Florence), Marion Wiggins and Moriett Nichols, December 16th. Also, Miss Joan Seger Dominick, December 15.