



There is nothing harder on a woman's clothes than another woman.

Character is what you are—reputation is what you get caught at.

## LITTLE ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. (Pete) Coleman spent last week at Myrtle Beach.

Mrs. D. O. Frick and Mrs. J. C. Linder of Little Mountain spent Tuesday in Newberry on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Casper Fowler of Chesterfield, S. C. spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dawkins on Nance street.

Miss Eva Dominick of near Prosperity was a business visitor in Newberry Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Halfacre visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matthews Keizer in Gilbert Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Carpenter spent last week in New York buying summer merchandise for Carpenters store.

Mrs. Ben Wessinger and mother-in-law, Mrs. Jim Wessinger, of Jalapa, were business visitors in the city Wednesday morning.

A. P. Salley returned to his home on E. Main street last Sunday from the Providence Hospital in Columbia, and is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Buzhard of Morganton, N. C. spent Sunday with Mr. Buzhard's mother, Mrs. Epe Buzhardt on Boundary street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weber of Columbia spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Weber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Graham on Martin street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dawkins had as their guests over the weekend, Mrs. Dawkins' cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Casper Fowler of Chesterfield.

Mrs. Frazier Lominack, Mrs. W. A. Mason, Mrs. A. E. Morehead and Mrs. J. W. Earhardt, Jr., attended the State Congress of PTA which was held last week.

Mrs. Harry Miley a member of the Walterboro city schools faculty, spent the past weekend with her sister, Mrs. O. K. Brown and Mr. Brown on Caldwell street.

Mrs. Arthur McCarroll and daughter, Margaret, of Lancaster, recently spent several days in the home of Mrs. McCarroll's sister, Mrs. John Norris and family on Calhoun street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Sale and Mrs. Wilmer Wallace of Augusta, Ga., were visitors the past weekend in the home of Mr. Sale's mother, Mrs. G. G. Sale on Nance street.

Mrs. R. H. Shirley returned to her home in DeCatur, Ga., Sunday, after spending a week here in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. H. West on Calhoun street.

Rev. Paul B. Cobb of Alamance spent the Easter holidays here in the home of Mrs. Cobb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bowers on McCaughrin Avenue.

Reubin Boylston, stationed at Shaw Field, Sumter, and sister, Miss Elizabeth Boylston of Columbia, spent the past weekend with their mother, Mrs. Bertha Boylston, and aunt, Miss Blanche Davidson on Calhoun street.

Little Tommy Longshore has returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Longshore, after spending a week in Rock Hill in the home of his aunt, Mrs. W. C. Tarrer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lominick of Charleston, and Jack Pruitt, Jr., of the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, were guests during the past weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lominick on Hunt street.

Mrs. H. B. Bost of Statesville, N. C., spent Easter Sunday in Newberry with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wike on Jones street. They were accompanied home to spend a week by Mrs. Wike.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ruff spent the weekend in Winnsboro in the home of Mrs. Ruff's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Macfie. They were accompanied to Winnsboro by Mrs. J. H. Ruff who spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Julia Long.

J. Dave Caldwell and Fitzgerald Rutherford, of Newberry, B. O. Creekmore, Ware Shoals, and Henry Stevens of Greenville left last Friday for a week's vacation in New Orleans La. They expect to return to Newberry this weekend.

## Out For Congress



THEO. L. VAUGHAN

Theo L. Vaughan of Anderson, has announced his candidacy for nomination to Congress in the Third Congressional District of South Carolina. This confirms the general understanding that Vaughan has for some months been laying a foundation for the contest.

In his announcement Vaughan stated: "I am a candidate for Congress from the Third Congressional District, South Carolina, in the coming Democratic primary. I am making the race because I believe that I can make my greatest contribution to my country as a member of the National Congress.

"My campaign will be based on two time-tried foundation stones: Christian ethics and American democracy. Hence my stand on every issue projected will be tested by two measures: Is it Christian? Is it democratic? Our great country was created on these foundations and can be preserved only by continued application of them today."

## Civil Service Examinations

The position of Deputy US Marshal is open again now for vacancies in the judicial districts of the states of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, South Carolina and Tennessee. The entrance salary is \$3100 per year. A written test is required and in addition certain pertinent experience positions such as police officer, deputy sheriff, constable or positions having similar duties. Military or naval police experience is qualifying. Also certain education may be substituted for experience. Applications must be received in Atlanta, Ga., by the close of business April 27, 1950.

Also there is announced an examination for Supply Specialists, in the fields of general supply, storekeeping and storage, property and stock control, surplus property disposal, printing and publications, and supply cataloging. Location of these positions is in Washington, D. C. and vicinity, and the salary range is \$3100 to \$6400 a year. No written test is required but three to six years of experience, depending upon the grade of the position. For some of this experience appropriate education may be substituted. Closing date May 16, 1950.

## MRS. HUNTER IS HOSTESS TO NOSEGAY GARDEN CLUB

The Nosegay Garden Club met April 13 at the home of Mrs. William Hunter, with Mrs. John Waldrop and Mrs. White Fant as associate hostesses. The vice-president, Mrs. Roy Anderson, presided during the business session and welcomed Mrs. John Earle Smith as a new member.

Mrs. Albert McCaughrin gave a review of a portion of the book, "The Southern Garden," which the club is studying. Mrs. Fred Dominick read an interesting article on the origin of names of some of our common flowers.

The club voted to arrange and change the flowers in each room at the Newberry Memorial Hospital every morning. It was decided that a flower show be held in June.

## Women Meet At Aveleigh Church

The Aveleigh Presbyterian Church will be hostess to the Fifty-First Annual Meeting of the Women of the Church of South Carolina Presbytery on Friday, April 21. The theme for the occasion will be "Looking Unto Jesus." Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m. The morning session will begin at 10:00 o'clock with the devotional being led by Mr. H. B. Fraser, chairman of Woman's Work in South Carolina Presbytery. Mrs. D. W. A. Neville will bring the greetings with Mrs. W. P. Shealy giving the response. During the morning there will be reports from various committees and presbyterial officers. The Bible hour for both morning and afternoon will be conducted by Mrs. W. Ted Jones. The inspirational address will be delivered by Mr. George B. Tolbert of Blairs, Virginia, which will be followed by a message from the Synodical president, Mrs. H. L. Timmons. From 12:30 to 1:15 has been set aside for the lunch period which will be prepared by the Women of Aveleigh.

The afternoon session, beginning at 1:15, will be opened with prayer by Mr. Neil Truesdale. The cause secretaries, the standing committees, and the executive board will present their reports during the afternoon. Mr. Neil E. Truesdale will install the new officer. The meeting will close at 3:15 following the reading of the minutes and the benediction.

## MRS. BAKER HOSTESS TO UDC CHAPTER

The regular meeting of Drayton Rutherford Chapter UDC, was held Tuesday afternoon, April 11th, at the home of Mrs. Richard Baker, with her mother, Mrs. Blease, as associate hostess. There were 18 members and 3 visitors present.

The president, Mrs. R. D. Wright, presided and led in the salute to the flag. Mrs. Park, as chaplain, led in the ritual and prayer. Then followed an interesting business session. Mrs. Setzler, historian, had charge of the program. She gave a splendid review of the "Giant in Grey," an authentic biography of General Wade Hampton, written 50 years after his death. The author describes him as a true soldier, great in body and great in heart. A most interesting discussion followed.

At the conclusion of the program the hostesses served delicious pound cake, cheese straws, salted nuts and coffee.

## THOMAS R. ROWLAND

Thomas R. Rowland, 70, died early Thursday morning at the Veterans Hospital in Columbia. He had been in ill health for the past five years.

Mr. Rowland was born and reared in Greenville, a son of the late Edwin and Octavia Longshore Rowland. Early in life he moved to Newberry County where he made his home with the exception of 17 years that he spent in Detroit, Mich.

He was a veteran of the Spanish-American War and a member of the John J. McSwain Camp. Mr. Rowland was a member of the Mt. Zion Baptist church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Louise Attaway Rowland; two sons, Thomas R. and James Edwin Rowland all of Newberry; two sisters, Mrs. J. B. Smith of Kinards and Mrs. F. M. Dickerson of Johnston and a number of nieces and nephews.

## MRS. OLA B. PITTS

Mrs. Ola Bishop Pitts died Thursday afternoon at her home in the Trinity section of Newberry County. She had been in declining health for several years.

She was the daughter of Mrs. Minnie P. Bishop and the late C. B. Bishop.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 11 a.m. at Trinity Methodist Church conducted by Rev. R. L. Hall, pastor of the church. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Surviving are her husband, Ray Pitts; three daughters, Mrs. Eddie Gentry of Newberry, Mrs. O. P. Parkman of Spartanburg and Mrs. Robert E. Lee of Meggett; one son, James Ray Pitts of Newberry; her mother; two brothers, James Bishop and Horace Bishop, both of Newberry; two sisters, Mrs. Malcolm Hendrix of Newberry and Mrs. Dewey Steele of Cayce.

## NEWS BRIEFS

### REV. BENNETT AT CLAYTON MEMORIAL

Rev. W. R. Bennett will preach Sunday at Clayton Memorial Universalist church on "The Last Best Hope of Earth."

### OPENS HEADQUARTERS

Thomas H. Pope, candidate for Governor has opened his headquarters in the building at the corner of Caldwell and Friend streets.

### MRS. MARTIN IN COLUMBIA HOSPITAL

Mrs. F. N. Martin was admitted to the Columbia Hospital last Friday where she is undergoing treatment. She is doing nicely and expects to return to her home on E. Main street in about ten days.

### MISS BROWNING - FRACTURES ANKLE

Miss Violet Browning, who fell and fractured her ankle about ten days ago, is still confined to her home on Johnson street with her ankle in a cast. She is reported to be doing nicely and hopes to return to her position at Lawyer Aubrey Harley's office in a few days.

### BIRTH OF A SON

Mr. and Mrs. McGee M. Reid, Sr., 748 Pope street, announce the birth of a son, McGee Morris, Jr., at the Newberry Memorial Hospital, Friday, March 24th.

Mrs. Reid is the former Elizabeth Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Long, Sr., of this city.

### BO DUKES TO ATTEND CONFERENCES IN OHIO

Bo Duke, manager of the local Good Year store, left Wednesday to attend conferences for the Good Year officials, which will be held in Cincinnati, Youngstown and Dayton, Ohio. He expects to return to Newberry the first of next week.

### INQUEST SET FOR FRIDAY NIGHT

An inquest for Estelle Rikard, colored, will be held in the court house Friday night, April 21, at 8 o'clock, according to Coroner George R. Sumner.

She died from results of wounds said to have been inflicted by her husband, D. S. Rikard, about 5:30 Sunday afternoon on Ben Abrams' farm where she lived.

Rikard was lodged in the county jail by deputy J. C. Neel, pending the outcome of the inquest.

### NORTH CAROLIANS VISIT RELATIVES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Holmes of Fayetteville, N. C. spent several days last week in the home of Mrs. Holmes' sisters, Mrs. Butler B. Holmes and Mrs. Seth Meek and Mr. Meek on Harrington street. The Holmes left Saturday for Tusculoo, Ala. to visit their son-in-law and daughter, Lieut. and Mrs. Frank Everette, Jr. and son Frank, 111. They returned to Newberry the first of the week, accompanied by their daughter and grandson, to spend a few days before leaving for their home in North Carolina.

### MRS. ANDERSON TO JOIN HUSBAND IN JAPAN

Mrs. W. Roy Anderson, Jr., left Thursday for Fort Lawton, Seattle, Washington, to report before sailing at an early date for Yokohama, Japan, to join her husband, First Lieut. W. Roy Anderson, Jr., who has been stationed in Yokohama since August of last year, as a member of the 97th AAA Bn.

Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gurnie R. Sumner will accompany her to Seattle. En route they will visit friends in El Paso, Texas and Los Angeles, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Sumner, who are expecting to be away about a month, are planning a western tour on their return trip.

### BUILDING PERMITS

The following building and repair permits were issued during the past week to the following: James R. Williams for general repairs to dwelling on Drayton street, \$65.00. A. B. Ashill, general repairs to dwelling on Poplar street, \$200.

James Smith, repairs to dwelling on Davis street, \$250. Lillie Mae Toland, repairs to dwelling on Vincent street, \$300. Griffin Langford, one car garage on McKibben street, \$100. Bill Watkins, add one room to dwelling on Bouknight Alley, \$150.

## Hall Winner In Spelling Contest

Again this year as in previous years the State Department of Education in cooperation with the Anderson Independent and the Anderson Daily Mail, are conducting a state-wide Spelling Bee to select a state winner who will participate in the 23rd Annual National Spelling Bee.

The regulations provide that the contestant must not have passed his sixteenth birthday by June 1 1950 nor passed beyond the eighth grade.

Three schools of Newberry County have selected their best spellers accordingly and the County finals were held at Newberry high school Saturday morning, April 15th at which time Lee Hall (Seventh grade), a student at Junior High, won first place. He will represent Newberry County in the State Contest on Saturday, April 29. Lee is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Robert L. Hall of 925 Cornelia street.

The second place went to Lucy Loric (Seventh grade), a student at Whitmire high school, and Mildred Long (Sixth grade), a student at Silverstreet high school won third place.

These young people and their schools are to be commended for the splendid effort put forth.

R. E. Beck was in charge of the 1950 contest, and the judging was headed by Rev. Aubrey Estes.

## To Get Annals

The Newberry County Legislative delegation is taking steps to make copies of the "Annals of Newberry" available free to public schools and libraries of the county.

Three hundred forty copies of 50 that were lithographed are to be distributed free to schools and libraries and the remainder sold.

The County Board of Education is appropriating \$1,800, if so much is necessary to pay a balance of \$1,201 due the lithographing firm, \$500 to G. L. Sumner or agent on handling annals and \$79.83 for express and carrying charges.

## LICENSES REVOKED

During the month of March eight Newberry county motorists lost their driving privileges for violating the safe driving laws of the state. Chief Commissioner Claude R. McMillan announced today.

All cases were tried in magistrate's courts and the fines and forfeited bonds turned over to the respective counties. A report of the department's motor vehicle decision showed that all the drivers convicted in the county were white men.

Drivers in the age group 17 to 29 were the greatest offenders for the state as a whole. In Newberry county, however, there were four in the age group of 30 to 39, and one in the age group 40 and up.

## WILMER H. GAVER MEMORIAL CHIMES

The Wilmer H. Gaver Memorial Chimes, a gift to Newberry College from student, alumni, and friends, will be dedicated Sunday afternoon, May 7, 1950, at 5:00. Students, alumni, and friends contributed to this fund as a memorial to the late Prof. Wilmer H. Gaver, Head of the Department of Mathematics at Newberry College, 1919-1949. The chimes are Mass tubular chimes and the keyboard is attached to the Hammond Organ. Funds are still being received with the several numbers and Miss Doris Brubaker at the piano and Miss Mazie Dominick at the organ and chimes will render musical numbers on the organ and piano with the chimes. Miss Mazie Dominick will play one special number on the chimes, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought." The public is cordially invited to the dedicatory program.

Mollohon TWUA Local 324 will hold its regular scheduled meeting Sunday afternoon, April 23rd, at 3:00 in the Mollohon school auditorium. A ll members are urged to attend.

## APRIL 29th. Deadline

The deadline for candidates to file pledges and otherwise qualify for the summer primary has been fixed at noon Saturday, April 29th. Mrs. A. H. Counts is secretary with whom pledges may be filed.

Fees for the various officer are:

House of Representatives, \$100.00. Probate Judge, \$125.00. Game Warden, \$100.00. Commissioners, \$25.00. Magistrate, Newberry, \$50.00.

Magistrate, Whitmire, \$40.00. Magistrate, Prosperity, \$30.00. Magistrate, Pomaria, \$25.00. Magistrate, Chappells, \$25.00. Magistrate, Little Mountain, \$20.00.

A registration certificate will be required of all voters this year.

Dates for the campaign meetings will be set sometime after the 29th.

## Couples Annuncement With Plea For Schools



THOS. H. POPE

## Jim Stephens Dies

James Lawson Stephens, 48 died early Thursday morning in the Newberry Memorial Hospital where he had been a patient since Sunday. He had been in declining health since the latter part of last November.

Funeral services were incomplete when going to press Thursday morning.

## ADULT SCHOOL STUDENTS TO VISIT CHARLESTON

The annual Charleston Pilgrimage of Negro Adult Schools in South Carolina is scheduled for Sunday, April 23, according to Miss Marguerite Tolbert, State Supervisor of Adult Education.

More than 3,500 Negro students who have been learning to read and write in the winter school are expected to attend along with their families and friends.

The students will tour the City of Charleston, visit the museum, cross Cooper River Bridge, and visit Sullivan's Island. A special program has been arranged to be held at the County Hall on King St. Special music will be rendered by the Glee Clubs of Bonds-Wilson and Burke High schools.

Cooperating with the State Department of Education in this citizenship project are the Charleston County Board of Education, the Charleston Museum, the State Highway Department and the Charleston County and City Traffic Departments which will assist with the tours. The County Health Department will have a doctor and nurse on duty at the County Hall for the day.

## RE TRANSFERS

Newberry A. D. Barron to Walter Rengery, one lot on Johnstone St., \$200.

E. Maxey Stone, Probate Judge, Newberry County, to Josephine S. Glasgow, one lot on Boundary street, \$3025.

Thomas N. Penn to Raymond Cowler, one lot and one building on Gilder street, \$1200.

Mrs. W. J. Ledbetter to I. T. Timmerman, one lot and one building on James street, \$700.

Mrs. Kate Mower to Mrs. Alva S. Dominick, one lot on McHardy street, \$200.

Clara R. Buford to William R. Buford, one lot and one building on Main street, \$8500.

Newberry Outside Hal Kohn to Bunch A. Nugent, one lot and one building on Keroco Avenue, \$5632.

J. S. Renwick to James W. Corley, one lot and one building, assumption of mortgage.

Utopia Guy V. Whitener, Jr., to Whitener Lumber Company, Inc., 82.2 acres, \$1000.

Prosperity G. A. Amick to Claude Amick 2.72 acres, \$90.00.

Mt. Pleasant Mary Lyses Browne to William N. Henderson, 360 acres, \$500.

Whitmire Carrah Lee Baseen, to T. W. Suber, one lot and one building, 1002 Heron street, \$1250.

Aragon-Baldwin Cotton Mills, Whitmire, transferred to employees 23 houses for a total sum of \$64,900.00, ranging in price from \$1,915 to \$4,050.

Beth Eden Estelle C. Clary as Executrix of estate of Matilda H. Caldwell, to John Alfred Phibbs 33 acres, \$1300.

Thomas H. Pope, Speaker of the House of Representatives, today opened his active campaign for governor with a call for an improved school system in South Carolina. Mr. Pope announced his candidacy for governor in 1948, being the first candidate to do so, and today opened campaign headquarters at 1100 Caldwell street, in Newberry.

"The crying need in South Carolina today is for better schools, better school buildings, better instruction and better administration. We must become more concerned with the training and the future of our children, for they are our principal problem.

"Right now, South Carolina has more school children in proportion to population than any other state in the nation. They are our greatest resource and our greatest responsibility. We must insure their future, and that of our state, by establishing and maintaining an adequate school system throughout the entire state."

While championing state-wide improvement or school facilities, Mr. Pope called on individual counties to meet their share of the burden and to show good faith in providing for their own children.

"I believe that state aid for education should be given only to those counties and school districts which do their part toward maintaining adequate schools. It is not proper for a county or a district to evade its share of the tax burden for education. Every division of the school system must contribute so that our educational progress can be uniform and continuous."

Mr. Pope said his view on education was based on ten years' legislative service in the South Carolina General Assembly, and upon his personal observation as the father of three children. He was co-author of the 1947 Act raising teachers' salaries and led the fight for its passage in the House.

"It will cost money to give our children what they deserve," he said, "but that problem can be met if we apply intelligence and logic to it. I have no panacea for our educational and financial problems, but I do have suggestions I believe to be worthwhile. In the near future, I will advance my ideas on taxation. We must find a pattern for education and taxation which will allow us to at least equalize our salary schedule with that of other states in the Southeast."

Mr. Pope is a veteran not only of peacetime service in the South Carolina General Assembly but of five years in the army during World War II. More than two years of his military service was spent overseas, where he saw combat service in North Africa and in Europe. At the war's end, while still in uniform, he was elected without opposition by the voters of Newberry to the House of Representatives, and resumed a legislative career begun in 1938.

Last year he was unanimously elected Speaker of the House to succeed C. Bruce Littlejohn, of Spartanburg, who was named Judge of the Seventh Circuit.

Mr. Pope was born and reared in Newberry county, the son of the late Dr. Thomas H. Pope and Mrs. Pope. His wife is the former Miss Mary Wates Lumpkin, of Columbia. Mr. Pope was educated in the Newberry city schools and is a graduate of The Citadel and the University of South Carolina. While in college, he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa and served as editor-in-chief of the Citadel student newspaper.

Mr. Pope is a member of the First Baptist Church of Newberry, President of the South Carolina National Guard Association, a former president of the Citadel Alumni Association, a Past Commander of American Legion Post No. 24, and Past Master of Amity Lodge No. 87, A.F.M. He is an active member of the VFW, the 40 & 8, the Shrine and WOW.

## BIRTHDAYS

Henry T. Fellers, Mrs. George Stephens (Fauline Duncan), Mrs. George Minick, Mrs. Joseph L. Tolbez (Ninety Six), and Mrs. Frank Mills, April 22; Margaret Elizabeth Leavell, April 23; Gloria Cleo Hawkins and J. Ray Dawkins, April 24; Mrs. Wilson Todd and Fred Gilbert, April 25; Mrs. William Milam, April 26; Mrs. W. Roy Anderson, Jr. (Mabel Sumner), April 28th.