

**South Carolina Presbytery.**

The Presbytery of South Carolina met at Seneca, S. C., September 22, at 8 P. M. Twenty-two ministers and thirty-five ruling elders were in attendance.

By request of the moderator, Rev. F. H. Wardlaw, Rev. W. M. Morrison, D. D., preached the opening sermon, in which he emphasized the call of God to the Southern Church to give the gospel to Africa.

Officers.—Rev. J. C. Shive, moderator, and Rev. F. H. Wardlaw, temporary clerk.

A conference on Foreign Missions was held on Saturday morning and Rev. W. F. Junkin made an encouraging address on the work and opportunities of the Church in China. The Presbytery, by a very hearty vote, expressed its appreciation of the presence of the dear brethren from the foreign field and of their inspiring addresses. Special prayer was made that God might send the needed help so urgent at this time in all the mission fields.

Memorial services of Rev. R. L. Rogers were held, and the short addresses by ministers and elders, as well as the written memorial, showed the high esteem in which the beloved brother was held by those who were most intimately associated with him in the Master's service.

Dissolved.—The pastoral relation between Rev. E. C. Ligon and the Synod and Rev. Morris Church was dissolved on account of his serious afflictions, and the Presbytery engaged in special prayer for him and his family, and instructed the moderator to write him a letter of condolence.

Rev. Dr. W. G. Neville spoke, by request, in the interest of the Presbyterian College of South Carolina, and the Presbytery, by a very hearty vote, assured him of its lively interest in the great work of the church committed to him. Rev. J. C. Shive was elected to fill the vacancy in the Board of Trustees of the College, made by the death of Rev. R. L. Rogers.

Educational.—In response to an overture from the Presbytery of Bethel, it was agreed to unite with it and the Presbytery of Enoree in receiving Chlorea College, subject to the indebtedness of about fifteen thousand dollars. In response to another overture from the same Presbytery, this Presbytery agreed to associate with other Presbyteries of the Synod in the ownership and control of schools and Colleges within the bounds of the Synod, and appointed Rev. W. F. Greeg and Elder W. P. Anderson as trustees to meet with trustees from other Presbyteries for the perfecting of a plan.

Presbyterial High School.—A Committee consisting of Rev. S. J. Carledge, Rev. J. C. Shive and Elder M. S. Strubling, was appointed to take into consideration the establishment of a Presbyterial High School for the preparation of our boys and girls for College, and report at the next meeting of Presbytery.

By recommendation of the Committee in charge, Mr. S. A. Linly was given the usual appropriation to candidates for the ministry.

The Walhalla, Richland and Bethel churches were granted permission to employ Rev. W. W. Akers, of the Presbytery of Memphis, as stated supply until the next regular meeting.

The supply relations already existing were continued.

A conference on Home Missions was held on Saturday evening, at which addresses were made by Rev. J. C. Shive, Rev. Dr. W. G. Neville, and Elder J. B. Pickett.

Presbyterial Meetings.—In response to an overture from the Abbeville church, the Presbytery admonished its ministers and churches against unnecessary pro-nata meetings.

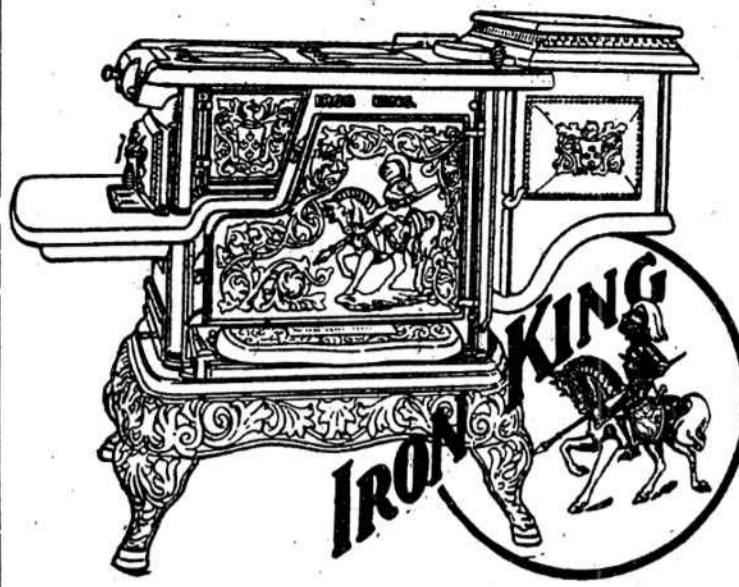
Assembly's Overtures.—The Presbytery approved the proposed amendment of paragraph 128 of the Book of Church Order, and docketed for future consideration the proposed substitute for Sec. 7, Chap. 5, of the Form of Government.

The following are the Permanent Committees, with the chairman of each:

1. Education and Relief, Rev. J. L. Williams.
2. The Home and School, Rev. J. F. Matheson.
3. Colored Evangelization, Rev. J. J. Harrel.
4. Foreign Missions, Rev. J. C. Shive.
5. Local Home Missions, Rev. M. R. Kirkpatrick.
6. Assembly's Home Missions, Rev. T. P. Burgess.
7. Sabbath Schools, Dr. W. E. Pelham, Newberry, S. C.
8. Church and Christian Education, Rev. J. G. Law.

Next Regular Meeting.—Newberry, at 8 P. M., on Tuesday, after the third Sabbath in April.

After expressing its grateful appreciation of the generous hospitality of the Seneca Presbyterians and their friends, Presbytery adjourned to meet during the sessions of the Synod at the call of the moderator. S. L. Wilson, S. C.



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HIS OFFICE WILL BE OPEN FROM MONDAY, OCTOBER 16th UNTIL SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30th, 1905.

**The Rate of State, County, School and Special Tax, Including One Dollar Poll Tax, One Dollar Commutation Tax.**

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ACT TO raise supplies for the fiscal year commencing January 1, 1905, notice is hereby given that the office of County Treasurer for Abbeville County will be open for the collection of taxes for said fiscal year from Monday, October 16th, until Saturday, December 30th, 1905, and thereafter.

A penalty of one per cent. on all taxes not paid on January 1st, 1905.

A penalty of two per cent. on all taxes not paid on February 1st, 1905.

A penalty of seven per cent. on all taxes not paid on March 1st, 1905.

Rates Per Cent. of Taxation are as follows:

State Tax	5 1/2
County Tax	2 1/2
Special County (Rich) Tax	1 1/2
Sinking Fund	1
School	5
Special County (Poor House)	1/4
Total	12 3/4

In addition to the above, a special tax will be collected for school purposes as follows:

Abbeville Special School	5 1/2
Abbeville Special R.R. bonds	1 1/2
Bethel	3
Sharon	4
Lowndesville	4
St. Carmel	3
Wilmington	3
Maryland	2
Due West	2

A poll tax of One Dollar per capita on all male citizens between the age of 21 and 60 years, except such as are exempt by law, will be collected.

A commutation road tax of One Dollar will be collected the same time as other taxes from all male citizens between the ages of 18 and 50 years, except such as are exempt by law. Unpaid taxes will be paid by first of March, 1905, eight days work upon the public highways will be required under an overseer, if so much be necessary.

Taxes are payable only in gold and silver coin, United States currency, National Bank Notes and Coupons of State Bonds which be come payable during the year, 1905. A tax of 50 cents will be collected on each dog.

Parties desiring information by mail in regard to their taxes will please write before December 15th, stating the location of their property, and include postage for reply, and those paying taxes by check must include the charge for collection.

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