

## PURELY PERSONAL

## The Movements of Many People, Newberrians, and Those Who Visit Newberry.

Mr. Robert E. Leavell left on yesterday for his rounds of West Virginia.

Miss Nannie Henderson is visiting Mrs. J. M. Bowers.

Mr. J. B. Cook was in the city on Saturday from Prosperity No. 3.

Mr. J. D. Lorick, of Prosperity No. 6, was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Frank C. Sligh and little son have returned from Greenwood.

Mr. W. S. Mann has been reappointed janitor of the court house.

Mr. Humbert M. Aull, of Newberry, was here this week the guest of relatives.—Anderson Intelligencer, 10th.

Mrs. J. O. Erwin, of Spartanburg, is visiting Mrs. I. H. Hunt, 1225 Calhoun St.

Miss Lillie Mann, bookkeeper at J. A. Minnaugh's has returned from Columbia.

Miss Elizabeth Dominick attended the Ransom-Meeze wedding at St. Matthews last week.

Mrs. F. C. Sligh and little son Frank are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Tabor Hill, in Greenwood.

Mrs. S. J. Leaphart is visiting her friend, Miss Elizabeth Dominick at Newberry.—Lexington Dispatch, 6th.

John Bushardt, of Newberry, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Ernest Lorick in Oak street.—The State, 9th.

Mr. Robert Porter has been made a captain in the military ranks at the Citadel academy, Charleston.

Mr. J. H. Alewine was in the city on Saturday from Chapin, having changed from Little Mountain.

Miss Nellie Adams left on Monday for Columbia, to assume her duties in the engraving department during the session of the legislature.

Mr. Roy Armfield, of the Newberry Observer, was a welcome visitor to Edgefield one night of the holidays.—Edgefield Chronicle, 7th.

Mrs. H. J. Garrison and her daughter, Miss Ruth Hepler, of Winder, Ga., are visiting Mrs. Garrison's daughter, Mrs. B. E. Julian.

Dr. Clyde Epting, of Newberry, was the guest of Mrs. Ernest Dent this week, returning to Baltimore to resume his studies at the University of Maryland.—The State, 9th.

Miss Juanita Epting spent a day or so this week with her cousin, Miss Sue Dent, in Senate street, on her way to Sumnerland college from her home in Newberry.—The State, 9th.

Mrs. G. B. Shockley and attractive little daughter, Fredna, have returned from a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cromer, at Newberry.—Lexington Dispatch, 6th.

Mr. William Small, of Winnepeg, and former superintendent of construction of the Parr Shoals development was in Newberry last week on a visit to Mr. Henry L. Parr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Summer, who have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Summer, left yesterday for their new home in Greenwood, having moved from Jacksonville, Fla.

Mrs. W. S. Williamson went to Columbia yesterday to return last night with Mr. Williamson who has been at the Babcock sanitarium for treatment, having suffered a breakdown in health.

Mr. J. W. Pitts took his daughter, little Miss Vera Elizabeth, to the Columbia hospital last week. After the removal of her tonsils and adenoids the little patient was returned to her home doing well.

The social season was ushered in on the new year when Miss Rosa Ratchford entertained in a charming and unique style at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Tillie Deaver, who will on the 20th of January become the bride of Everett M. Evans, of Newberry.—Union Times, 5th.

President Harms is one of the most interesting and popular speakers heard here from year to year and his coming is always the signal for an unusual attendance. The meeting will last one hour.—What he News and Courier says of Dr. J. H. Harms, who spoke on Sunday afternoon to the Charleston Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Ford Kurtz, of New York, of the firm of J. G. White and company and chief engineer in the construction of the Parr Shoals development, spent several days the past week with Mr. Henry L. Parr in Newberry. It is said that there possibly was other attraction in Newberry for this young New Yorker than the pleasure of a visit to his friend Mr. Parr.

## VARIOUS AND ALL ABOUT

"Zuzora" didn't work, so "Elaine" takes her place.

The Solax theatre opens today. The band will play.

Musical act and dancing in vaudeville this week at the Opera House.

Voices of the night—soft and low, sweet and musical—at the Lutheran church Sunday night.

The Bachelor Maids will meet with Miss Eva Goggans Tuesday afternoon January 12, at 4 o'clock.

Auditor Eugene S. Werts will be out of his office all the week taking tax returns.

That entertainment at the Lutheran church on Sunday night was like a sweet dream. The Lutherans had the crowds.

Mr. G. W. Bowers showed us a peculiarly shaped egg, which looked to be very hard and like it had been mashed flat on one side, shortening its natural shape.

In the published list of counties paying State taxes up to December 31, Newberry paid \$2,856.79 (percentage .065) out of the assessment of \$43,900.71.

The Herald and News is requested by Mr. R. T. C. Hunter, to state that all those who have had petitions asking a referendum on the liquor question send the same to him not later than Saturday of this week.

Policeman B. F. Melton caught John Dorroh, colored, selling whiskey on the Sabbath. Recorder John W. Earhardt on Monday gave Dorroh, who pleaded guilty a sentence to pay \$75 or work for 30 days. On account of the war Dorroh couldn't pay.

Making old shoes as good as new is the art of that ready-made shoeman, Mr. J. Lurey, of West Main street, aided by Veteran W. H. Blats. When you get a pair like that together, pairs of old shoes are made even better than new in some instances. This is an actual fact and can be proved.

Manager Henry B. Wells, of the Opera House, started his benevolent campaign by devoting his Wednesday performances to charity. Not satisfied with that he has enlarged his scope by dividing his Tuesday receipts for worthy purposes. These together with his free Friday afternoon entertainments for the children, will give Mr. Wells a lasting place in the heart of the people.

"The Clutching Hand," the super-criminal, is the foundation of "The Exploits of Elaine" the new serial by Pathe, it is in 15 installments, one every week in two reels. Pearl White, who played Pauline will again be seen in the leading part. Never was there a serial with such thrills as are found in this one. If you enjoy good detective stories here is one for you at the Arcade today.

"See that man hanging to the wire?" was one of the first remarks to the reporter as he was going down Main street yesterday morning. Looking back he saw the figure of a man partly reclining on the awning to the Commercial bank. People were looking. Men were there with a step ladder and arms outstretched and banded necks, looking up. First thought was that another unfortunate lineman had been electrocuted. Approaching nearer, it was discovered to be Mr. Russell Tidmarsh, who had slipped to the edge of the awning after trying to open his office window from the outside. He had forgotten his key, and as he had opened up that way before, thought he would do so again, his window being next to a window he could get through from the inside of the building, but this time his foot slipped. He didn't get hurt, but some people were frightened at first, thinking he was injured.

## Scared, but No Coward.

"You look scared, lieutenant," said the coarse grained fellow in the ranks to an intelligent young officer as the regiment was ordered to charge.

"I am scared," was the frank reply. "If you were half as scared as I am you would be on the run five miles in the rear."—Boston Transcript.

## PARENTS AND TEACHERS SPEERS STREET SCHOOL

The weather permitting there will be a meeting of the parents and teachers association of Speers street school at the school building on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A full attendance is desired as business of importance will be transacted.

## Farmers Union.

The meeting of the Farmers Union published to be held in Newberry on Monday was very slimly attended. Mr. J. W. Reid, the secretary of the State union who was to be present did not come and did not send any message. Mr. B. Harris who was in Newberry made a short talk to the few farmers present and it was decided to hold another meeting and reorganize the union in this county. The meeting will be called by Mr. R. T. C. Hunter and due notice of the time and place will be given by him.

## THE NEWS OF PROSPERITY

## Death of Rev. W. P. Counts—Rook Party—Judge Hair's House Warming.

Prosperity, Jan. 11.—Miss Mamie Birge, of New York, is the guest of her uncle Mr. S. S. Birge, at the Wise hotel.

Mr. William Whiteside, of Hickory Grove, C. S., has been visiting his sister, Mrs. C. H. Nabers.

Mrs. Mary Brown, of Columbia, spent the week-end with Mrs. Elvira Kibler.

Miss Charlotte Jackson has returned to Columbia after a month's stay with Miss Annie Moseley.

Miss Kate Barre spent Monday in Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe. B. Hartman and little son, Everton, spent the week-end in Little Mountain.

Mrs. Janie Reagin has returned from Haralson, Ga., where she was called on account of the death of her brother, Rev. Henry P. Counts. Rev. Counts and family moved from here about a year ago and his death brings sorrow to his many friends.

Miss Ellen Werts entertained most charmingly a body of young people at Rook on Thursday evening. Refreshments were served.

The house warming on Friday evening at Judge B. B. Hair's was enjoyed by quite a number of young people from the town and surrounding community.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 with Mrs. E. W. Leslie.

The Daughters of Confederacy will celebrate Lee's birthday Tuesday, January 19th. Full programme will appear in next issue.

Mr. B. L. Miller had the misfortune to lose his fine horse named Fifi last week which cost about \$1,300.

Mr. Ervin M. Mills and Miss Vinnie M. Taylor both of near Prosperity, were married Sunday, January 10, at the Lutheran parsonage, Rev. E. W. Leslie officiating.

## A Most Valuable Book.

We have seen, in the hand of Dr. W. G. Houseal, a letter to his brother, Mr. W. P. Houseal, of Columbia, which was written by the Rev. C. H. Little, pastor of St. Lawrence Parish Evangelical Lutheran church in Morrisburg, Ontario, describing a book that he has in his possession. As Mr. Little says the book is of no especial value to him aside from its antiquity he writes Mr. Houseal that he will turn it over to him, believing it would be of especial interest to him "as a sort of heirloom in the family."

It is an old German book of funeral sermons published in 1687. Mr. Little says the book was the property of the Rev. Houseal, United Empire Loyalist Lutheran minister, who came to Halifax in the years immediately succeeding the Revolution, and that the book has on the front lid inside the following inscription apparently in Rev. Houseal's handwriting:

"Johan Michael Houseal, D. V. M.  
"Si Christum discis: sat est, si castera nescis  
"Si Christum nescis: nil est, si castera discis

"Memento Mori! Exds. 38.

"Homi soit qui mal y pense!"

And in another's handwriting, "Soli Deo Gloria."

Dr. Houseal is on the 7th generation descended from the Rev. John Houseal. The book has been mentioned as being a valuable prize for any library, as it is a very rare work. It will be highly prized by Mr. Wm. Houseal, who is fortunate in falling heir to it. The Herald and News is glad to have come across so interesting a piece of information.

## A Little Fellow Who is Brighter Than the Average.

One of the brightest little boys that ever gladdened a community by his presence is little Charles Bowers, the motherless child of Mr. A. J. Bowers, of Atlanta. Charles is being reared by his grand mother, Mrs. J. F. Todd, in Newberry. He is exceptionally smart for his years, being not quite three, and of an affectionate nature. He is very fond of Dr. W. C. Houseal, who he calls "Doc Howeal" in his baby tongue.

Charles is popular with all who know him, and they are many. He was taken to the Opera House one afternoon recently to see the moving pictures. It happened that one of the scenes showed the calling in of a doctor to treat an injured foot. Charles took it all in. He knew the "doctor" by his appearance upon the scene, and it worried him, as it was real to him and they didn't have the right doctor to suit him, as those around him soon found out.

"They dot the wrong one," lisped Charles, "Send for Doc Howeal, he give you bad medicine but he make you well."

That was a high compliment to Dr. Houseal and an advertisement for the moving pictures.

## Newberry County Teachers Meeting, January 16, 1915.

Following the committee meetings for fair and field day in Newberry high school at 9:45 Saturday, January 16, 1915, the regular teachers' association will be called to order at 10:30. The programme will be as follows:

Discussion of the daily preparation of the teachers, led by Miss Lucia Winn and Prof. S. J. Derrick.

Song—"Bonnie Blue Flag."

Discussion of January lessons, Miss Elizabeth Neel.

Song—"Dixie" (all standing.)

Business.

Report of committees.

Making perception cards.

Teachers rest room.

12:00 to 1:00—Mrs. M. C. Morris, Miss Winton Agnew, Miss Leila McTeer.

1:00 to 2:00—Miss Mae Amick, Miss Olive Feagle, Miss Lucy Ligon.

## Pearl White Leading.

The Arcade the popular little movie house has scored another hit this time. It is "The Exploits of Elaine" a new serial picture by the Pathe Co. who produced "The Perils of Pauline" which delighted thousands of movie fans throughout the entire world. Pearl White the delightful little leading lady who played Pauline again takes the leading role in this new serial supporting her are Arnold Daly and Sheldon Lewis, prominent stars of the stage who have just recently joined Pathe. The date set for this picture to start is Tuesday, January 12. The prices of admission remain the same 5 and 10 cents.

## Officers of Firemen.

At the meeting of Excelsior Hose company No. 1, on the night of December 28, last, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

H. B. Wells—chief.

J. W. Earhardt—1st assistant chief.

W. J. Swittenberg—2nd assistant chief.

R. H. Wright—president.

Jno. A. Peterson—vice president.

J. H. Baxter—secretary and treasurer.

W. C. Waldrop—captain.

John Nance—foreman.

They have the same drivers Malcolm Lessessne and Fleming Jeter.

## Calvin Crozier Chapter.

A very interesting meeting of the Calvin Crozier chapter U. D. C., was held with Miss Lucille Wallace January 7th.

After the business discussion the members signed petitions, that are to be sent to our senators asking for the Library Commission Law and for traveling libraries in South Carolina.

The historical programme consisted of a paper entitled, "Southern Soldiers in Northern Prisons," by Miss Eva Goggans and a selected reading by Miss Gilder.

A salad course and coffee were served at the conclusion of the programme.

## An Old Knife.

Mr. J. W. Amick, Sr., was in town from Chapin last week and showed us a large pocket knife which was bought 52 years ago by Mr. John Moore who died in 1869. At his death the knife came into the possession of his son, J. C. Moore, at whose death it was given to his sister, Mrs. E. C. Brooks, who, ten days before she died, gave it to her sister Mrs. Harriett Moore Amick, the wife of Mr. Amick who showed us the knife. It is one of the old time knives with a single blade in a genuine buck horn handle.

## Death of Mrs. Meredith Reighley.

Mrs. Fannie Reighley, widow of Meredith Reighley, died at her home in No. 2 township on Saturday and was buried at Ebenezer on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, service by the Revs. J. W. Carson and C. H. Nabers. She was 48 years old. Mrs. Reighley was the daughter of the late H. S. N. Crosson. She leaves four daughters and one son, as follows: Mrs. George Suber, Misses Lizzie, Ola and Fannie May Reighley and Allen Reighley, and a sister, Mrs. Sim Price, all of the county.

## Married.

Miss Effie Faucet, of Union, S. C., and Dr. C. H. Workman, of Chappells, S. C., were married on January 9, 1915, at Chappells, S. C., the Rev. G. T. Asbill officiating.

## NOTICE.

All the officers together with the township chairmen and the heads of the several departments are earnestly requested to meet with Rev. J. C. Carman, State superintendent, at the court house next Saturday, January 16, at 12 o'clock, m. to discuss important matters connected with the Sunday school work in the county.

Rev. J. W. Carson, President.

J. B. O'Neill Holloway, Secretary, Newberry County Sunday School Association.

## SEEING THE SUN.

## A Traveler's Experience Among the Natives of Manchuria.

In "Thirty Years in Mukden" Dr. Dugald Christie tells the following story of an experience that he and the Rev. John MacIntyre underwent on a trip they took from Mukden to the river Yalu, the border of Korea. On their way back they found themselves toward dusk one day in a sparsely inhabited district several miles from the only inn. They reached it by fording a swift river swollen with melting snows and found a poor hovel with only one common room and two old men as innkeepers.

"There was neither candle nor lamp, but the end of a tarred rope that hung from a beam was burning, and by this dim light I looked at my watch," says Mr. Christie.

"What is that toy?" asked one of the old men.

"It tells the time," I answered.

"What time? What do you mean by time?"

"It shows where the sun is."

"Turning to his brother, he asked in a puzzled way: 'But the sun's down long ago. How can he tell where it is?'"

"'Aj-ya' said the brother, with awe. 'He can still see it in the glass. What can these foreigners not do?'"

"Early the next morning we were astrir, preparing to go on. As our horses were being saddled the old man questioned us again:

"How far away is your country?"

"Many thousand miles."

"And did you ride all the way on that horse?"

## Luring the Bees.

The Arabs and Bedouins of Tripolitania profit by the industry of bees wherever vegetation abounds. At the swarming season empty hives are placed close to the old ones, and a trail of honey laid at each entrance. If a queen is disposed to fly away with her subjects lemon rind is rubbed on a wall near the hive; the quickly diffused, pungent odor attracts the bees, arrests their flight, and the lure of the honey at the portal completes their capture.

## In the Trench.

We live in trenches, and so few of us realize it. Life is a trench. Beside us are the jesters and the heroes, the living and the dead. In the intervals of our own escapements we make mud pies and gaze at the stars, or the sun's rays warm us and stir our loves and sentiments and cosmic cravings. We do not fight always in life's trench. Sometimes we lie asleep and dream, while others guard our sense of glory. And we helped to dig it.—Life.

## A Spelling Test.

"I prophesy an agreeable ecstasy in perceiving the unparalleled embarrassment of a harassed postilion while gauging the symmetry of a potato peeled by a sibyl." Did you see this sentence and find how many of your friends will be able to spell it aright.—Exchange.

## Experienced.

Mrs. Hitherto—Have you an experienced maid? Employment Agent—I can send you one who's had so much experience she can break steel enamel picnic dishes.—Puck.

What a good thing it is for most of us that money is not the only thing that will purchase happiness!

## The Trouble With Golf.

Queen Victoria once induced Count Shuvalov, the Russian ambassador, to try a game of golf at Balmoral. The Russian did try, but after innumerable misses he turned round to one of the bystanders and said:

"Ach, monsieur, it would be a very nice game if the ball was ten times larger. Now let us go home."

But what he said in Russian to himself is not recorded.

## Felt Safe.

On Jimmie's birthday his mother gave him a knife. A little friend told him that he ought to give his mother a penny, so that it would not cut their friendship, whereupon Jimmie replied, "It won't cut anything else, so I guess it won't cut our friendship."—Delin-eator.

## The Way of It.

"The doctors who attended me after my automobile accident told me I was full of grit."

"Yes; I understand they removed a great deal of the road you were holding in your teeth."—Baltimore American.

Employ thy time well if thou meanest to gain leisure and, since thou art not sure of a minute, throw not away an hour.—Franklin.

## The Man and the Machine.

"How many votes did you get?" "Not nearly as many as the other fellow," said the man who is always philosophical. "You see, I had to depend entirely on my own efforts for my votes. His were machine made."—Washington Star.

## Consistent.

Brown—Why is your daughter going to talk against the permanence of a republic in that college debate? Smith—Because she thought the advocacy of a republic would not go well with her new empire gown.—Brooklyn Citizen.

## Perfectly Proper.

"I am afraid this company is doing business on an inflated capital." "Yes, but then it deals in automobile tires."—Baltimore American.

## A Regular Gadder.

A lady bought some furniture at an auction sale in Glasgow the other day. On paying the porter she remarked: "Had I known how dirty that furniture was I would not have bought it." "Weel, ma'am," replied the porter, "it was the dirtiest hoose I ever saw; but, there, whit cud ye expect—the mistrees was only 'at bame' every Tuesday. Ah ken it fer a fac,' cause I read it on a caird I gat in that drawer there."—Glasgow News.

## The Sick Man of the East.

The phrase "the sick man of the east" originated in a speech of Czar Nicholas to the British charge d'affaires at St. Petersburg at the time of the Crimean war. He said: "We have on our hands a sick man, a very sick man. It would be a great misfortune if one of these days he should slip away from us before the necessary arrangements have been made."—Argonaut.

## Perfect Happiness.

Grubbs—What is your idea of perfect happiness? Stubbs—Well, if my wife would stop telling me what she thinks of me, and I had the privilege of telling my respected employer what I think of him it would seem about right.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Take care that no one hates you justly.—Syrus.

## Corrected.

Miss Kitty—Before you were married, Mrs. Blunt, did your husband bring you many flowers? Mrs. Blunt—I didn't have any husband before I was married, dear.

## His Hint.

Hunter—Are you ever shot at by mistake for a deer? Guide (impressively)—I dunno. They never live to tell what they shot at me for.—Exchange.

## CITY LICENSE

Municipal Licenses of the Town of Newberry, S. C., are now due and payable at the City Clerk and Treasurer's office. Licenses must be paid promptly, or the ordinance will be enforced against delinquents.

By order of Council.

Z. F. WRIGHT,

Mayor.

J. R. SCURRY,  
Clerk and Treasurer.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

Trespass Notice—All persons are hereby notified not to trespass by hunting or any other way upon my lands in Saluda county and upon the Bonham place in Saluda county. A. R. Coleman. 1-12-3t.

\$10.00 Reward—Finder of a dark tan leather suit case lost on train 53 at Newberry station Saturday, December 26, 1914, containing one blue silk, a green wool poplin and a dark red cotton poplin dress and other clothing. Finder return same and contents to Joe Tucker, Newberry station and receive reward. 112-1t.

Little Dog Lost—Between Sunday night and Monday morning a fox terrier, with black spots, brown face, and short tail. Red ribbon and bell on neck. Answers to name of Pepper. Finder will please report to this office. 1-11-1t.

Wanted to Buy—One hundred bushels sound white corn for milling purposes. J. D. Quattlebaum. 1-11-2t.

Bids Wanted—For the manure off the streets and at the fire department to be handed to the clerk of the city council by the 12th of January, 1915. 1-5-3t.

For Rent—One front room, furnished, at 3031 College street. Apply to Mrs. C. M. Cook. 1-5-4t.

Wood for Sale—4 ft., 2ft. and for stove. Will also saw your wood at your own