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## NEWBERRY MEMBERS DO RIGHT THING

### ROAD EXTENSION SUGGESTED BY COMMISSION ENDORSED

Provision to be made by Newberry Delegation to Issue Bonds Outlined in Herald and News

We have information from Columbia that the Newberry delegation have decided to order the issue of \$150,000 additional bonds for roads in Newberry county to carry out the suggestions of the Newberry Highway commission to extend and to build the roads as outlined in The Herald and News of last Friday.

That is a fine thing and we desire to commend the delegation for permitting and the highway commission for suggesting the roads that they propose to build. It will make Newberry take a place in the lead in the matter of a fine system of highways and then we are sure the commission will provide for the proper maintenance of the roads when they are built.

As soon as the weather permits we shall expect to see a number of contractors extending and building these roads and then you can go to any part of the county in any season of the year.

### Once More About the Bridge

Mr. Editor: Please allow me space in your paper to correct what seems to be a mistaken idea with some people. I have been asked by several why Wat Henderson and I did not compromise on some point for the proposed bridge over Broad river. I want to say that this matter of a location does not personally concern me or Wat Henderson and it is a pity either of us have had a say about it, because of his unwarranted desire to oppose any and all things we ask, pertaining to the interest of the people of this section.

The bridge may yet be located where it will do the least good to the majority of the people. The plain facts in the case are that we got together teams and people amounting to 52 weeks work on the Ashford ferry road and asked the board to give us the gang, a surveyor and line out the road and we would work it at but little cost to the county. To this I think Mr. Henderson raised the only dissenting voice. We met several times with the board, with the same dissenting voice. Knowing the need of the road and the wishes of the people, I would, had it been necessary, have gotten down on my knees and begged for the least encouragement and help, to work out this road. But we got nothing, only that the matter would be considered finally at a call meeting of the board at which about half were present. But they considered our road favorably. The minutes of the meeting were sent to the absent members. Did any of them object except Mr. Henderson? He raised Cain and would stand for nothing. Now they have sifted it down for the board to go down the river in a boat and locate a place for the bridge. Now, Mr. Editor, would you not like to be one of the boys sailing down Broad river in mid stream locating a suitable place for a bridge, not knowing anything about the country which the road would lead through from the bridge.

Now, in conclusion, I want to say, take the Ashford ferry road from Newberry to Winnsboro via Strothers. Many of the people below this road on both sides of the river have married and intermarried and naturally they feel an interest and love for both counties. These people for 12 or 15 miles have an ocean of water put between them by the Parr Shoals dam, only a makeshift at Dawkins and Strother to cross this water when they want to visit their loved ones. These good people are anticipating this bridge at the nearest point between them and the head of this back water. Now they have Dawkins ferry in the back water, Strother about the head of back water, Blairs 2 miles farther up by water and 3 to 5 miles by land.

Now we propose to knock out the middle ferry at Strother, which offers every advantage, in cost, of roads and every way. The bridge at Strother would give these people a convenient place to cross and when across could

### MEETING IN PROSPERITY MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20

Prosperity, Feb. 16.—At a recent meeting of the citizens of Prosperity it was resolved that the citizens of Prosperity and surrounding community be requested to assemble at the town hall on Monday, February 20th at 7:30 p. m. The ladies also are cordially invited. The purpose of the meeting is to consider plans for the erection of a first class modern up to date flour mill. Every one interested in the progress and development of the town is urgently requested to attend.

C. T. Wyche, Mayor.

The Farmers Cooperative association met Saturday in the town hall and decided to build a potato house. This news will be read with delight by the many potato growers of this community, as there will be room for everybody's potatoes.

### RESOLUTIONS ON RESIGNATION OF REV. MR. HOLMES

Whereas, Reverend Wilnot S. Holmes has tendered his resignation of the rectorate of St. Luke's church of Newberry, South Carolina, which has so long and so efficiently administered:

And whereas, notwithstanding the loss which we shall suffer from his departure, we recognize that he is better able than we to select the field of his future service:

Therefore, be it resolved by the vestry of the said church,

1st. That we accept the said resignation; and  
2nd. That we thank our rector for his teaching, his direction, and his influence during all the years of his ministry amongst us, and trust that he shall be equally useful in his future labors, and enjoy the fruits of a well spent life.

J. F. J. Caldwell, Senior Warden.

Jas. C. Kinard, Secretary.  
Feb. 13th, 1922.

### REDUCED FARES ACCOUNT MARDI GRAS CELEBRATION

Southern Railway will sell round trip tickets at one and one-half fare, February 25th to 28th, with final limit March 7th, to the following points: account of Mardi Gras celebration: New Orleans \$37.71; Mobile, \$30.15; Pensacola \$29.28.

An extension of final return limit until March 22nd, may be secured by presenting ticket to ticket agent and upon payment of fee of \$1.00.

For further information apply to ticket agents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Grover McDowell of Clinton spent a day or two this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McDowell.

go to Blairs or Dawkins and any place in either county they wished. Now it is these good people on both sides of the river that I am representing. These good people who have married and mingled together in spite of the Parr Shoals water that lies like an ocean between them.

These good people in Fairfield away down to Alston and Jenkinsville who always wanted to visit and trade in our town, Newberry, but for that barrier, this ocean of water. Yes, a man, a prominent farmer of lower Fairfield told me yesterday that if we had a bridge at Strother or below Strother he would haul all of his cotton to Newberry (and he has a lot of it on hand). Yea, and Newberry would come in for a lot of trade and pleasant visits from those good Fairfield people and, my word for it, when you cause to be erected a substantial bridge at Strother, all and more if possible will come our way. But if erected above Strother it will go out of your county to Blairs then down and up the railroad and will do neither Newberry nor Fairfield any good. I am a true American, but I am a Newberry-American, and I am working for Newberry and our kin and kind friends in Fairfield and I believe those few who are working for the bridge at Blairs are working solely for the interest of Blairs, and Parr Shoals dam the people.

J. S. J. Suber.

Pomaria, S. C.

### IT WAS OUR ERROR STROTHERS WE MEANT

Dear Mr. Editor: I notice in your issue of the 10th inst., under the caption, "To Build the Topsoil Highways," in speaking of the projected routes from Newberry to Winnsboro, the following: "There are two routes contending for the location of this road. The one route is down the Ashfords ferry road out by Mr. Thos. W. Keitt's and Rutherford school house to Mr. Jeff Suber's and Shelton." There is an error here. It is not intended to go to Shelton; but to Ashford's ferry, thence across the river so as to connect with Winnsboro.

It is contended for, because it is the shortest route from Newberry to Winnsboro by several miles; it is an old established route with an excellent roadbed; it can be built more cheaply than any other route; it will serve four people or more where the other route will serve one.

It is understood that a saving of \$25,000 can be effected by bridging Broad river at Ashford's ferry. This route will serve No. 3, No. 2, and No. 11 townships. It is the dividing line between No. 3 and No. 11 from the old Jno. A. Cromer home to Ashford's ferry. The road as contended for by others would serve only No. 3 township. The idea of the board is wise. Build this road as suggested and take the chain gang and make a road through No. 3. We all need good roads. We need to build up and not tear down.

Thos. W. Keitt.

### HOME DEMONSTRATION

Profit in Poultry

Girls and boys in the home demonstration clubs of South Carolina are making their own money by means of poultry, canning and similar ways. Alton B. Smith of the Millers' club in Marion county, made a clear profit of \$65.00 on his flock of barred rocks. Alton sold 10 settings of eggs at \$2.50 each, besides selling some of his best fowls.

Oliver H. Moody of the Bermuda Poultry club of Dillon county reports a profit of \$112.25 on her flock of Orpingtons. Besides selling eggs and chickens, the family was kept supplied with poultry products.

Thelma Miller, a 12 year old member of the Poplar Springs poultry club of Spartanburg county, purchased a pen of pure bred Barred Rocks, set pure bred eggs and raised a total of 74 birds. Thelma sold 14 dozen eggs, 24 fowls, won four prizes at the county fair, and has a yard full of fine birds to begin the new year's work. Her profit for last year, after deducting expenses, amounted to \$98.65.

Geneva Langford, a Richland county poultry club member living at Blythewood, raised White Rocks. Her sales from fowls amounted to \$126.85. Geneva won \$10 in prizes on her best birds at the fair. A flock of about 75 birds is in the yard for beginning another year of successful work.

These are only a few of the many splendid records made by poultry club members last year.

### Community Market

The proceeds on Saturday, Feb. 11th, amounted to \$79.09.

Eggs are in great demand as well as horse radish. More produce was needed. Farmers, let's not have a feast or a famine, let it be "fair to middlin'."

### Itinerary For Hom. Dem. Agent

Smyrna, Thursday, Feb. 16th, 3:00 o'clock, school.

Smyrna (ladies), Friday, Feb. 17th at 3:00 o'clock at Mrs. Teague's.

### DELIGHTFUL MEETING OF PASTIME CLUB

Mrs. George Kimball was hostess on Wednesday of last week to the members of the Pastime club. The rooms presented a very pretty appearance with bowls of narcissus and other blossoms. The players at two tables spent a most pleasant afternoon at bridge and at the close of the afternoon a tempting fruit salad course was served.

### MEETING OF BACHELOR MAIDS WITH MRS. BRYSON

The Bachelor Maids club held its monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. M. Bryson. In spite of the inclement weather quite a number of the members were present at this meeting.

The rooms of the home were made very pretty with hued jonquils and daffodils, and the brightly burning fires gave to the rooms a cheery appearance in marked contrast to the gloom outside.

A business session was held and reports made by committees, after which a social hour was enjoyed when the hostess served a dainty course of sandwiches and Russian tea.

### A False Impression

Mr. Editor:

Allow me space to correct a false impression. I learn that my Maybinton friends have been impressed with the idea that I am trying to do them an injury. In an effort to have the Ashford ferry road opened up I want to say just here that this road has nothing to do with Maybinton. And if I thought any road would injure any part of the county I would spare it. And if I were a commissioner my effort would be to benefit all parts of the county and the counties adjoining. I would exercise a broader vision. I would not narrow down to my own front porch and doorsteps. I would not want a road built just because I wanted to haul a big engine over it. I would not want a stream bridged just to accommodate me and my business at the expense and inconvenience of other people. I ask my friends at Maybinton to relieve their minds of such an impression and think of me as a broader minded citizen ever praying God that I may never narrow down to the limit of some people.

Respectfully,

J. S. J. Suber.

Pomaria, S. C.

### NEWS OF TROOP ONE

On Wednesday, February 8th,

Troop One met to celebrate Anniversary day, this being the 12th anniversary of the founding of the movement in this country. At 8:15 all scouts the country over renewed their oath.

Present at this meeting were the Hon. W. W. Cromer, Prof. O. B. Cannon and Mr. F. N. Martin. These gentlemen took the oath as honorary tenderfoot scouts at this meeting.

As part of the observance of anniversary week the troop has been doing some civic good turns.

At a well contended game of basketball Thursday night the Flying Eagle patrol defeated the Bob Whites by a score of 16 to 13. Eddy and Bullock for the Flying Eagles, and Boyleston and Green for the Bob Whites, played an excellent game.

On Friday night at our regular meeting Dr. Kneec gave us one of the series of First Aid talks which he so kindly has been giving us. Dr. Kneec also gave the scoutmaster the examination for merit badge in first aid.

At 8:15 on Saturday morning, having made preparations for an all day hike, the troop left headquarters, bound for a spot near Langford's mill. On the way out, some of the second class scouts added certain trees to their list of trees already identified, this being part of the nature study requirement for first class work.

After reaching the spot where we were to spend the day, we played a game of Capture the Flag which lasted forty-five minutes. We then gathered wood, and built fireplaces of stone, after which we started dinner. Some of the second class scouts passed their first class cooking requirements at this time, and the new tenderfeet were given instruction in the second class cooking requirements which are to cook one quarter pound of beef and two potatoes without utensils. They were also instructed in firemaking requirement (2nd class) which is, "Make a fire in the open, using not more than two matches, care for it and PUT IT OUT."

After dinner, instruction was given in other subjects, some games were played, and about five o'clock the troop started for home, arriving there in time for supper.

### AUXILIARY TOURNAMENT A GREAT SUCCESS

The ladies of the American Legion auxiliary entertained last Saturday afternoon and evening with a bridge and rook tournament which was largely attended by those in the town who enjoy pleasures of this nature.

The Legion hall, in which the parties were given, was beautifully decorated in graceful festoons of red hearts and many attractive valentine ideas formed a background for the players, this idea being further accentuated in the score cards and other features of the occasion.

In the afternoon twenty tables of card players passed a pleasant afternoon, there being a number of tables engaged for special parties desiring to entertain their friends, in addition to the individual players.

Those who entertained with special tables in the afternoon were as follows: Mrs. Neely and Mrs. C. P. McDaniel, three tables; Mrs. James McIntosh, one table; Mrs. J. L. Keitt, Mrs. Z. F. Wilson, Mrs. W. H. Carville and Mrs. McFall, four tables; Mrs. Ernest Summer, three tables; Mrs. L. F. Fischer, one table, and little Miss Katherine Fant, one table.

In the evening Mrs. Everett Evans and Mrs. D. J. Burns entertained with two tables, Mrs. Forster Smith entertained at one table, while Dr. John B. Setzler entertained a number of his friends at four tables. While other gentlemen were present and entered into the games Dr. Setzler was the only one who had special tables reserved and he entertained his guests in a very cordial manner.

After the players had passed an enjoyable period at cards the committee on refreshments of which Mrs. J. M. Kinard was chairman, served dainty sandwiches and tea, while at a pretty booth presided over by Mrs. T. H. Pope, home made candies were served.

The ladies of the auxiliary realized quite a nice sum from the tournaments which were successful and enjoyable in every respect.

### MEMBERS OF LEGISLATURE INVITED TO SPEAK TO TEACHERS

The county board of education has extended an invitation to the senator and representatives from Newberry county to address the teachers and trustees of Newberry county who have been asked to meet at the court house on Saturday at 11 o'clock to discuss the finances of the schools of the county. It is hoped that the members of the legislature may be able to meet with the trustees and teachers and that they will tell them something of the appropriation by the legislature for the support of the schools under some of the state aid laws.

### NEWBERRY STUDENTS AND ALUMNI CALLED TO MEET

Prosperity, S. C., Feb. 16, 1922  
The Herald and News: Please announce in Friday's issue of your paper the alumni and former students of Newberry college who live in and around Prosperity will meet at the town hall Saturday night at 8:00 o'clock for the purpose of organizing a Newberry College club. President Derrick and Coach McLean and probably others will be present.

Very respectfully,

J. M. Bedenbaugh.

### DEATH OF CHILD OF MR. AND MRS. I. S. DAVIS

Lucile, the beloved child of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac S. Davis, died Wednesday afternoon, February 15th, at 2:30. On last Sunday she attained the age of eight years. The immediate cause of her death was the growth of a tumor on the brain. On discovery of the same, all was done by medical skill and watchful care of loving hearts, that was possible; but in response to the Savior's call, she entered the haven of divine rest and glory. Early in life she was baptized into membership of the Lutheran church.

The funeral services are to be conducted Friday afternoon at the Rosemont cemetery. The funeral party will leave the home at 4 p. m. Dr. C. A. Freed, assisted by Rev. W. H. Cutton, will conduct the service.

### POE MEETING WAS LARGELY ATTENDED BY NEWBERRIANS

Much Enthusiasm Manifested—1253 Bales of Cotton Signed Up and Over 100 Cows Pledged

It has been a long time since there has been a meeting so largely attended as that of last Monday afternoon when Dr. Clarence Poe, editor of the Progressive Farmer of Raleigh, North Carolina, addressed the farmers and business men of Newberry county on the subject of cooperative marketing. The court house was filled almost to capacity long before the time set for the meeting to be called to order, and throughout the audience could be seen representatives from all sections of the county, as well as many people from adjoining counties. They had come to hear a good speaker on a good subject, and we might say that they did not go away disappointed, for in all sincerity Dr. Poe measured up to all expectations of his address.

Following Dr. Poe's address, Mr. G. Cushman, assistant extension dairyman of Clemson college delivered a very valuable address on the subject of properly handling milk and cream.

Dr. Poe's address was centered on the subject of cooperative marketing of cotton and all of his arguments were delivered in a most forceful manner, and in a way not a single person present could misunderstand. Dr. Poe illustrated the cooperative manner in which manufacturers and jobbers sold their products and compared this method against the one used by the many farmers throughout the country in selling their cotton. In fact Dr. Poe convinced his audience that the farmers did not merchandise their cotton, but merely "dumped" it on the market, and appealed to them to accept a more safe method of marketing their cotton. Dr. Poe dwelt at length on the plans of the South Carolina Cotton Growers association, saying that this association had really adopted the safest plan of marketing cotton than any other organization that has ever been organized, further stating that the plans of the association had received the hearty endorsement of all the leading business men and bankers almost throughout the cotton producing section.

It is impossible to give Dr. Poe's address in detail on account of lack of space, but those who heard him will long remember the many good things brought out by him.

Following the conclusion of Dr. Poe's address, Major Bramlett of Rock Hill made a brief address, after which committees canvassed the audience with contracts to be signed; the result being that twelve hundred and fifty bales were signed up before the meeting adjourned. This will be followed by a thorough canvass of the entire county within hopes that every farmer of the county will become a member of the association.

### Dairy Expert Talks

Mr. C. G. Cushman, assistant extension dairyman of Clemson college was introduced and delivered a very valuable and interesting address on the subject of properly handling milk and cream. Mr. Cushman came to the meeting in the interest of the creamery which will be established in Newberry within a very short time. Mr. Cushman's address received the very closest attention by the many farmers interested in furnishing cream to the creamery.

Mr. Cushman stated that he did not know of any project more valuable to any county than a creamery and congratulated those interested in the establishment of this creamery and said that within a few years they could look back and see the creamery the most valuable asset of the entire county, and that as a result of this enterprise Newberry county would become one of the richest and most fertile counties in the section, due to the fact that the fertilizer from the cows would increase the fertility of the soil to such an extent that within a few years commercial fertilizer would be a thing of the past, except in just a few instances.

Following Mr. Cushman's address an opportunity was given farmers interested to pledge the number of cows they would furnish cream from the result being that more than one

### CALENDAR SOCIETY GIVES BIRTHDAY PARTY

The Calendar society of Central Methodist church gave a most delightful "birthday party" Tuesday afternoon, celebrating the sixteen years of its existence, at the home of Mrs. Mary Wright.

In the spacious hallway of this handsome residence was the beautifully adorned table upon which was placed the "birthday cake"—a creation of art, made by Miss Annie Bynum who presided over the table. Sixteen candles adorned the huge frosted cake—which was in reality a camouflaged receptacle for receiving the silver offerings brought by the guests. The table was arranged to represent a valentine, being draped in red tissue. From its sides were suspended hearts from ribbons with cards attached on which were written rhymes, the original work of Miss Bynum. These bright and clever bits of verse created much amusement when read.

A delightful musical program, arranged by Miss Mazie Dominick, was carried out, the accompaniments being played by Miss Dominick and Miss Troxelle Wright. The program follows:

Violin solo, "Minuet in G," Beethoven, by Joe Vigodsky.

Vocal solo, "Rose of My Heart," by Miss Julia Johnstone.

Vocal duet, "Reuben and Rachel," Miss Pauline Fant and the Rev. E. V. Babb.

Vocal solo, "Two Eyes of Gray," Mrs. W. K. Gotwald.

Saxophone duet (waltz), Mr. Busch and Mr. Kreps.

Vocal solo, "O Heart of Mine," Miss Inez Green.

Quartette, "Come Where the Lilies Bloom," Miss Pauline Fant, Miss Julia Johnstone, Dr. John B. Setzler and the Rev. E. V. Babb.

Solo, "Wont' You Be My Valentine," Miss Pauline Fant and chorus of girls.

In the dining room delicious sandwiches and tea were served, as well as red and white mints. The table was very beautiful, having as a center a pretty basket covered with red tissue and filled with lovely narcissi and ferns. Attractive valentine favors were presented the guests by Misses Troxelle Wright and Abbie Gaillard.

This party was one of the loveliest and most successful yet given by the ladies of the Calendar society and was greatly enjoyed by the large number present.

### Home demonstration notes .....itlayy

Itinerary For Home Dem. Agent

Midway—Tuesday, Feb. 21, 2:45 at school.

Silverstret—Thursday, Feb. 23rd, 2:45 at school.

Varnville—Friday, Feb. 24, 3:00 p. m. at Mrs. Watkins'.

The community market will be open to the public on Saturday—as usual good fresh vegetables, meats, poultry and eggs will be on sale. There are twenty-three club markets in this state and they are helping to solve the farmers' problems, and in so doing the stress of hard times is made lighter for the merchant. Not until we look at marketing from other views than selfish ones will the public be generally benefited. If every merchant and butcher in Newberry will put on his "thinking cap" a few minutes he will readily see that by helping the farmer's economic condition he is helping himself. In the list of the fifty richest agricultural counties of the United States South Carolina boasts four. Our farmers made it so! The club or community market is a gainful occupation as well as a liberal education, a practical training, a means of self expression through creative work and salesmanship, a money maker and a game all combined, in which you can start on next to nothing capitalization. If the club market could be spread from a local to a nation-wide cult it would be one of the biggest things that has ever happened in the United States.

hundred cows were pledged.

The meeting as a whole was one of the most successful held for a long time, and it is believed that if the purpose of the meeting is carried out, Newberry's farmers will realize more for their products and at the same time be encouraged to produce a larger variety of crops.