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## SESSIONS COURT DOES FINE WORK

### JUDGE WILSON GOES RIGHT AFTER BUSINESS

Number of Cases Disposed of and Court Adjourns Wednesday Afternoon—Grand Jury Report

The court of general sessions which convened at Newberry on Monday with Judge J. S. Wilson presiding and Solicitor Blackwell representing the state, got right down to business without any frills and by Wednesday afternoon the jail had been cleared and the business of the court completed and adjournment had.

Quite a number of cases were disposed of and with the pleas of guilty and the convictions a goodly number were added to the chaisingang.

The grand jury made its presentment on Wednesday and recommended that several roads be given attention by the highway commission and they are all important roads and should have the attention of the working force.

The following cases were disposed of until Wednesday afternoon:

Ransom Williams and Colie Gary, murder, not guilty.

H. H. Garmany, disposing of property under mortgage, mistrial ordered.

Geo. D. Boland and Harold Boland, violation prohibition law, pleaded guilty. Harold Boland, six months on the gang or pay fine of \$100. Geo. D. Boland, six months on the gang or pay fine of \$400. On payment of fine of \$300 balance of sentence suspended during good behavior.

Geo. D. Boland, assault and battery with intent to kill. Guilty. Sentenced to six months on the gang or fine of \$300.

Jim Green, violation prohibition law. Plead guilty. Sentenced to six months on gang and pay fine of \$300. Upon service of one month and payment of \$200 balance of sentence suspended during good behavior.

Whist Johnson and Buford Praylow, house breaking and larceny. Plead guilty. Sentence one year on the gang.

Ben Watts, house breaking and larceny, pleaded guilty, sentence nine months on gang.

J. P. Young, murder, pleaded guilty to manslaughter, and sentenced to three years in the penitentiary or chaisingang.

Oliver Kinard, assault and battery with intent to kill and carrying concealed weapons. Plead guilty to assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature. Three months on the gang or fine of \$75.

Spence Gray, housebreaking. Plead guilty. Sentenced three months on gang.

Luke Griffin, violation prohibition law. Plead guilty. Sentenced six months or fine of \$300. Upon payment of \$200 or service two months balance of sentence suspended during good behavior.

Leroy alias Buddie Rushton, assault with intent to rape. No bill by grand jury.

Ernest Krepes and Walter Rikard, housebreaking and larceny. Not guilty.

Luke Griffin and Essie Goodman, adultery and fornication, bench warrant issued to arrest to answer to indictment.

Colie Davis, assault and battery with intent to kill and carrying concealed weapons. Plead guilty to assault and battery of high and aggravated nature. Sentence six months and \$200.

Chris Gordon and Willie Suber and Geo. Wilson, housebreaking and larceny. Not guilty.

Wade Boozler, violation prohibition law. Plead guilty. Sentence six months or fine \$300. Service two months or payment of \$100 balance sentence suspended during good behavior.

William Johnston, murder, pleaded guilty to manslaughter. Two years on the chaisingang.

Robert Childs and Wesley Rice, housebreaking and larceny. Guilty. Robert Childs on account of one arm one year on gang and such labor as he can perform. Wesley Rice, one year on the gang at hard labor.

Notice of appeal was given in the cases of Geo. D. Boland and he was

ordered released on bond of \$500.

Will Young was admitted to bail in the sum of \$200 a true bill being found against him on the charge of disposing of property under lien.

Joe Smith, assault and battery with intent to kill. Not guilty.

**Presentment of Grand Jury**  
To His Honor: Judge John S. Wilson, presiding at criminal term of court for Newberry county, beginning 20th day of March, 1922:

We, the grand jury, make the following presentment. We desire first to express our appreciation to the presiding judge for the able charge given on convening, further to thank him for the advice and counsel given us from time to time.

We further desire to thank the solicitor, sheriff and other attaches of court for their assistance and courtesy shown us during court.

We have acted on all bills and indictments handed us by the solicitor.

We wish to commend the highway commission in the fine roads they have given our people and wish them to know that they have the full cooperation in a continuance of same. The question of good roads is such a vital one that several stretches of bad road have been called to our attention, as follows: a public road leading from L. D. Ringer's to Cannon Creek church. That bridge over Cannon creek on this road is dangerous for traffic. Also portion of public road leading from old Gary place on Piedmont highway to Bush River church (white) which has been abandoned.

Also portion of public highway leading from Deadfall to W. H. Sanders' store be put in condition. Also road leading from Belfast road to Chappells. Greenwood road by Mt. Zion church be put in condition. Also that public road from Jalapa to "shack" community be worked. Most all of these roads are connecting links for rural mail routes and should be put in condition at once.

It has been reported to us that the moral influence of Mary Beard over her fourteen year old daughter is such that the court take such steps as it seems necessary to correct this condition.

We recommend that our clerk be paid his usual charge.

Jas. W. Johnson,  
Foreman.

**BIRTHDAY OF GENERAL WADE HAMPTON**

Address by Matthew Page Andrews

The chapters of the Daughters of the Confederacy have arranged an interesting program for Tuesday, March 28, the birthday of South Carolina's peerless military and political leader, Wade Hampton. The exercises will be in the auditorium of the high school at 4:30 p. m., the full program to be announced in the next issue of the paper.

The committees in charge have been most fortunate in securing a speaker for this occasion Mr. Matthew Page Andrews of Baltimore, the well known historian and writer. Being in South Carolina on a business trip, he has accepted the invitation of the chapters for this occasion.

Mr. Andrews, though still a young man, has been an indefatigable worker, having to his credit a number of literary productions, notably two school histories of the United States and The Women of the South in War Times. As the son of a Northern father and a Southern mother (a member of the Page family of Virginia) he is fitted by birth and rearing to write an impartial American history; and in his histories he has given just what the Daughters and Sons of the Confederacy plead for—simple justice to the South.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public generally to attend these exercises, but the Daughters invite especially the students and teachers of the college, the pupils from the high school, and the teachers from the schools, both town and county.

Seats will be reserved for the Confederate veterans.

The peace dollars are harder to get hold of than those that were in circulation during the war.

Some autoists would live longer if they didn't think the signs at the crossings were made for the trans.

## NEWBERRY COUNTY SUPPLY BILL

### LEVY FOR ORDINARY PURPOSES SEVEN MILLS

Salaries Remain the Same—Arrangement Made to Pay County Claims as They Are Due

The tax levy for ordinary county purposes and for road maintenance in Newberry county for the year 1922 will be seven mills, that amount having been fixed by the supply bill in the legislature recently adjourned. The levy includes a special assessment of one mill for road maintenance purposes. Even with this extra levy which was not carried in the law for last year the tax levy of the county as fixed by our delegation is one mill less than it was in 1921. Last year, without the road maintenance levy, but including a levy for past indebtedness of one and one-half mills, the total levy fixed was seven and one-half mills.

Practically no changes were made in the salaries of the county officers and employees. The salary of the clerk of court was increased to \$700, this being due to the fact that there has been a great decrease in the fees of this official.

A magistrate and constable were provided for Number 12 township, these officers to receive a salary of \$600.00 per annum.

The salary of the chairman of the highway commission, including all his expenses, was fixed at \$2400.00 per year, but this officer is now required to perform all the duties formerly performed by the road superintendent. Heretofore the chairman only received \$500.00 and was allowed \$200.00 per year for expenses, making a total of \$700.00 and the road superintendent received a salary of \$2,000.00 per year, making a total for the officers of \$2,700.00. By combining the two positions there has been a reduction of \$300.00 per year.

Hereafter there will be only one motorcycle officer as against two for last year.

The appropriation for the health unit was reduced from \$5,000 to \$2,500.00.

The state appropriation for the venereal disease clinic was cut out, and accordingly Newberry county will save \$2,500.00 thereby, that amount having heretofore been furnished by the county.

In addition to the ferries now maintained by the county a new ferry was established at Peak, provided Fairfield county contributes one-half of the amount necessary for such ferry.

Some reduction was made in the dieting fees of the sheriff. Formerly seventy cents per day was allowed for dieting. Now when as many as fifteen prisoners are in custody the fee for dieting will be sixty cents per day.

The amount fixed heretofore for the home demonstration work may be reduced, depending upon what agreement the legislative delegation may make hereafter with the authorities in charge of this work.

Authority is given the commission to pay the claim of Mrs. J. B. Amick and Mrs. G. T. Reid against the county about which there has been some dispute in the past. Authority is also given the commission to settle the two cases of J. S. Crouch and Mrs. Nora Crouch against the county for damages on account of an accident at Long Bridge. These two suits involve a settlement for \$1250.00.

Fairview school district and Vaughnville school district are given authority to arrange for the building of schoolhouses in these districts.

Provision is made for the building of a bridge over Saluda river at or near McNary's ferry if Saluda county and others interested arrange for the payment of one-half of the amount necessary for the erection of such bridge.

An appropriation of \$75.00 was made for reconyng the dilapidated book of abstracts of judgments in the office of the clerk of court.

Provision is made for the payment of the amount due to Lexington county as interest on bonded indebtedness on account of the transfer of certain territory from Lexington to Newberry county.

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## SEND NOMINATIONS FOR DIRECTORS IN TODAY

### Plans for Chamber of Commerce Annual Meeting Nearing Completion

Have you turned in your nomination for the new directors of the Newberry chamber of commerce? This is an important matter, and if you have not sent in your nominations do so today (Friday) as the "polls" will close at six o'clock, and after this time no nominations can be received. On the 20th, Secretary McDaniel mailed to each member a nomination blank with instructions, and if for any reason any member has failed to receive one they should call Mr. McDaniel immediately and he will see that they get a blank before the "polls" close.

Dr. John B. Setzler, Mr. E. A. Carpenter and Mr. R. H. Wright have been officially appointed to serve as tellers for the election and they will meet in the office of the chamber at 7:30 o'clock Friday night and check nominations, selecting the twelve persons receiving the highest number of votes. After the completion of this task, another blank will be mailed to each member bearing the names of the "high twelve" and the members are requested to make a final vote for six of the twelve. This second ballot must be returned by mail or in person to the office of the chamber not later than 6:00 p. m. on Monday, April 3rd so the tellers can meet again on that night and check the six persons receiving the highest number of votes. The result will be announced at the annual membership meeting to be held on Tuesday night, April 4th at 8:00 o'clock at the new court house.

**Directors to Meet**  
The last meeting of the present board of directors will be held in the office of the chamber on Tuesday afternoon, March 28th, at which meeting all plans for the annual meeting will be completed. This will be a very important meeting and every member of the board will be expected to be present.

**Meeting of Newberry Shriners**  
All Shriners living in Newberry county are requested to meet at the Masonic hall in Newberry on next Monday night, the 27th, at 8:15 o'clock. Nobles Geo. T. Bryan, John M. Holmes and W. C. Cleveland of Greenville are expected to be on hand to explain some important matters concerning Hejaz temple.

Miss Mildred Evans returned Tuesday from Charleston.

Mr. J. W. Wheeler, manager, has in this issue an ad of his goods in the semi-service store, at the well known stand of A. P. Boozler of McKibben street. At this store the public will find "Save-U" trade, and save you bargains in groceries, etc., come in good these latter days. In this respect Manager Wheeler sheds light on the darkness of hard times. It may result in great benefit to you to consult with him in regard to the new and up-to-date service he has inaugurated in the line of goods necessary to your well being.

Take in "The Little Minister" at the opera house Friday, and while enjoying the picture think of the good you are doing by contributing your bit to be used for a good purpose by the ladies of the civic league, as half of the proceeds goes to that progressive society for the benefit of the community.

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to borrow necessary funds to pay the expenses of the county during the year so that claims may be met promptly when due.

**ENTERTAINMENT AT O'NEALL STREET METHODIST CHURCH**

Class No. 15 of O'Neill Street Methodist church will give a show in the West End hall at 8:00 p. m. Saturday, March 25. The play is in two acts, by Helen Bogz, author of other good plays. There will be also a short comedy in one act. Music will be furnished by the West End orchestra. The entire proceeds will go to the church.

Admission 25 and 35 cents.

A man who strikes out for himself usually makes a hit in business, but not in baseball.

buy blind tiger liquor, make the self-



DAVID J. FANT

Locomotive Engineer

(32 Years With The Southern Railway)  
**A MAN WITH A COSPEL MESSAGE—Hear Him!**

Is coming to Whitmire March 26th under the auspices of the Whitmire Laymen's Brotherhood and will preach three times during that day at the Methodist Church. Everybody is cordially invited to come and help make it a real Hallelujah Day.

Bring a basket of Lunch as dinner will be served on the grounds.

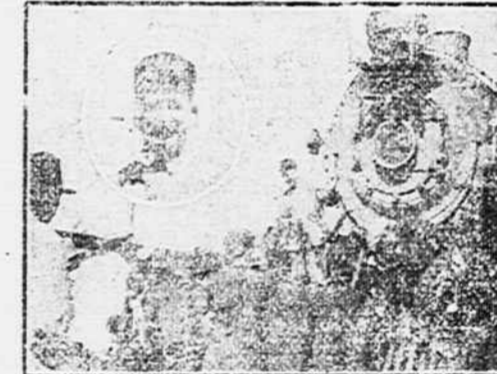
### Program

11:15 A. M.—"The Man That Lost His Axe."

1:00 P. M.—Intermission for Dinner.

3:00 P. M.—"An Emergency Run."

7:30 P. M.—"On the Limited to the Great Terminal."



### A Card of Thanks

We speak from the depths of our hearts full of gratitude and thankfulness to our many friends and acquaintances for their untiring consideration, unselfish service and heaven-born kindness during the protracted affliction and recent death of our beloved wife and mother. We appreciate also the profound kindness of the Ebenezer congregation. We wish to extend our special thanks to Rev. Suzer for his abiding and loving administering. You all, dear friends, have assisted wonderfully in sustaining us and in bearing our burdens. May every one realize the blessedness of having "done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

Gratefully yours,

Walter Alewine and family  
Silverstreet, S. C.  
March 22, 1922.

### ST. PATRICK'S DAY OBSERVED AT PROSPERITY

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### MARKET NOTES

Heme Dem. Agent's Itinerary  
Silverstreet—Thursday, March 23, 3:00 p. m. at school.

Little Mountain—Friday, March 24th, 3:00 p. m. at school.

Jalapa—Tuesday, March 28th, 3:00 p. m. at school.

Jalapa (girls)—Wednesday, March 29th, 3:00 p. m. at school.

Trinity—Thursday, March 30th, 3:00 p. m., Mrs. Waldrop's.

Long Lane, Friday, March 31, 3:00 p. m., school.

The proceeds from the community market on Saturday were \$99.55. The demonstration agent wishes to commend Mrs. Matthews and Mr. Wedeman for the able manner in which they managed the market in her absence.

Parties having friers and broilers for sale will please communicate with Miss Berrie, chamber of commerce.

A market has been secured in Atlanta for any number of eggs. Get busy, folks, and ship them.

### NEWBERRY COLLEGE WILL PLAY SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE

There will be a game of baseball at the College park Friday, March 24th, between Newberry college and the club of the South Atlantic league.

This will be the Indians' first game of the season. They have bright prospects for an excellent team this season, therefore the game with the Columbia club promises to be a very good one.

The game will begin with Luther on the mound. A large crowd is expected. The admission is only 50 cents.

The game will be called promptly at 4 o'clock.

## MUCH LOWER RATE GOTTEN BY STATE

### THREE MILLIONS BORROWED AT FOUR PER CENT

Loan Made Through Palmetto National Bank of Columbia. Governor Pleased

The State, 21.

The excellence of South Carolina's credit was well demonstrated in the success of the state borrowing committee's visit to New York, at which time a loan of \$3,000,000 was negotiated at 4 per cent. The loan was made through the Palmetto National bank of Columbia and is at a rate of interest very much lower than that secured last year.

"We caught the market just right and I heard of no one doing better than we did in the way of low interest," said Governor Cooper last night in discussing the loan. "You know Victory bonds are selling about at par and they draw 4 3-4 per cent interest." Governor Cooper added that he knew of no state getting as low a rate of interest and was much pleased with the arrangements the committee was able to make through the Palmetto bank.

The state borrowing committee went to New York last week, returning to Columbia yesterday. J. Pope Matthews, president of the Palmetto National bank, accompanied the committee to New York.

### DOES NOT NEED RETURNS TO U. S. ON INCOMES

Tax Commission Will Proceed With Income Tax Assessment Without U. S. Data

The Record, 21.

The state tax commission will proceed with the collection of the income tax enacted by the recent legislature, regardless of the announcement that comes from Washington to the effect that the collector of internal revenue will not allow the state tax commission to use its income returns for the purpose of making assessments for the state tax. The tax commission will rely on affidavits from every person who paid a federal income tax in South Carolina.

The key to the success of the assessments in South Carolina is the list of income tax payers published by the federal government. The collector of the federal tax makes public each year a list of persons who pay the federal tax though no amount is mentioned in connection with the name of a payer of the tax. To every one of these persons who paid the federal income tax the state tax commission will within the next few weeks send a blank form, on which an affidavit will be made as to the amount of federal income tax paid for the year. On the basis of these statements, the tax commission will assess each tax payer. One third of the amount of his federal income tax, the state tax being one third of the federal tax.

In cases where the tax commission feels that the affidavit contains incorrect information, a field agent will make investigations, and if the person is found to have made a false statement as to the amount of income, he will be liable to criminal prosecution. The tax commission has the same powers under the state law for securing information regarding income as the federal collector has under the federal statute.

Many citizens of the state are already paying their state income tax on the basis of one third of the federal tax. The tax commission has been postponed by the tax commission until May 1.

The tax commission has not expected to ask the federal government for information regarding income returns for the federal tax. It was not expected that the commission would be able to get the returns.

### Card of Thanks

We desire to show our appreciation and thanks to our friends and neighbors who were so faithful to us during the illness and death of our dear mother and grandmother. These acts of kindness will never be forgotten. May God add His blessings to all.

Mrs. J. A. Monts and family.