

Volume XLVIII

PETITIONS BEING
CIRCULATED FOR
CITY BOND ISSUE

Call for \$450,000 Bond
Issue for Sewerage,
Water and Street Im-
provements. Needs
Pointed Out at Citizens
Meeting.

A group of citizens upon invita-
tion of Mayor L. B. Bishop, met
Monday night in the college dining
room to discuss and circulate
petitions asking for a \$450,000
bond issue for public improve-
ments. The petitions are now in cir-
culation among friends with the
expectation of completing the in-
itial \$100,000 bond issue.

Mayor Bishop pointed out the
pressing need of sewerage and water
supply in the city to serve newly
developed areas, and as a health and
fire protection. Other sewerage
disposal are entirely inadequate,
and that the city must need that
cannot longer be postponed.

Under the present franchise
city an election on the question
before an election can be ordered by
a majority of 450,000. Out of
the amount, \$300,000 would be
apportioned to the city and the
rest to the State.

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Religious Film
To Be Shown At
Lutheran Church Sunday

"Salt of the Earth," the new religious
motion picture produced in
Hollywood by the United Lutheran
Church of America, will be shown at
St. John's Lutheran Church here,
at 10 o'clock on Sunday, Sept.
19, according to an announcement
made by Rev. James C. Dickert, pastor.

"Salt of the Earth" is the dramatic
story of a woman who did what
she could for the poor. It was
produced in a documentary style
with many of the scenes photograph-
ed in the Pennsylvania coal fields
and farm land. Cathedral Films of
Hollywood is the producer, under
the auspices of The United Lutheran
Church of America. The film was
made at Mahanoy City, Pennsylvania, by
the Motion picture of D. W. Griffith,
Boston Branch, Corp., and in Higgins
Valley, Pa.

The singing role is played by Robert
Armstrong and he is supported by
other featured players as Jane Chandler,
Russell Haines, Pierre Watkins,
Kurt Kato, and the King's Men
Quartet.

The film is a heart-warming and stirring
message in Christian Faith and
faithfulness in the group expressed
to attend its showing next Sunday
evening.

Program Given For
Inter-Club Meet
Here September 23

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**Drug Firm at Joanna
Issued State Charter**

Glenn and Weeks of Joanna, a
general retail drug store business,
were granted a state charter by
State W. P. Blackwell last week.
The firm is owned by Glenn and
Weeks of Joanna.

**Two Lose Driving
Licenses In County**

Two Clinton drivers were among
the 212 who were suspended from
driving licenses in the county
last week. The suspension was
based on a report that the motor
vehicle was not properly insured.
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**One Auto Accident
Reported In County**

Columbia, Sept. 15.—(Special
to The Chronicle.)—A motor vehicle
accident, but no deaths or injuries,
was reported in the county during
the week ending September 14th.
The accident occurred on the
highway near Clinton.

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Clinton, S. C., Thursday, September 16, 1948

YOUNG CLINTON CITIZENS

Young People To
Hold Full Rally In
Whitman Sunday

The annual Fall Rally of the Pres-
bytery of South Carolina Youth Pro-
fessionals will be held Sunday, Sept.
19, at the First Presbyterian church
in Clinton. The program will be
conducted by the youth group
from Presbyterian churches in New-
berry, Laurens, Greenwood and
Beverly counties will be in attend-
ance.

The theme of the rally will be
"Christ To The World." The program
will include a play, a concert, and
a dinner. The program will be
conducted by the youth group
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**113 Arrests Made
By City Police
Month of August**

The report of the city police de-
partment for the month of August
showed 113 arrests made. Funds
collected for the month of August
were \$2,062.94, a substantial increase
over last month.

It is reported each month, there
has been a decrease in the number
of arrests. In August, 113 were
made, compared with 103 in July.
The increase in the number of
arrests was due to the fact that
the police department was able to
locate and arrest a number of
persons who had been on the
wanted list.

**Alcoholics Anonymous
Chapter Organized
For Clinton Area**

An Alcoholics Anonymous chapter
has been organized in the Clinton
area. The chapter is open to all
persons who are suffering from
alcoholism. The chapter is open
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**New Cases Polio
Reported In County**

Columbia, Sept. 15.—(Special to
The Chronicle.)—As of today, no
new cases of poliomyelitis have
been reported in the county since
the week ending September 11th.
The last case was reported in the
county on September 11th.

**Miss Bernice Stroup Joins
Presbyterian Church Staff**

Miss Bernice Stroup of Asheville,
N. C., and Beaufort, is the new
director of religious education at the
First Presbyterian church and ar-
rived in the city yesterday to enter
upon her work. She comes here
from a similar position with the In-
ternational Presbyterian church in Mem-
phis, Tennessee.

Miss Stroup Will succeed Mrs. S. Gray
Mrs. S. Gray who has directed the
past year following the resigna-
tion of Mrs. Eva Harris. She has
been relieved during the summer by
Mrs. Grace Young.

**City Schools To Open
New Session Today**

The city schools will begin their
1948-49 session this morning Sept.
15. The opening ceremony will be
held at 10 o'clock in the city school
house. The opening ceremony will
be held at 10 o'clock in the city
school house.

LOCAL BOY ON CAREER

Thomas C. Wainwright, 15, of
Clinton, S. C., is serving a term
of 18 months in the state penitentiary
for a crime committed in the
state of South Carolina.

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STATES' RIGHTS
LAURENS DINNER
SEPTEMBER 23

Large Attendance Ex-
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\$10. Speaker To Be
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A Laurens County State's Rights
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