

**Local and Personal Mention.**

Mrs. R. Coke Gray is spending a few days with relatives in Due West. Mrs. Rion Workman, of Clinton, spent last Thursday in the city with friends.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Fennell and little son, of Waterloo, were visitors in the city Saturday.

Miss Lenora Thompson, who has been visiting her uncle in Florida, has returned to the city.

Miss Leola Watson, of Coker College, is at home to spend Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Watson.

Mr. O. B. Simmons left yesterday for Miami, Fla., where he expects to visit his sister, Mrs. M. E. Donald, for several weeks.

Mr. W. B. Shealy returned Sunday to Akron, O., after spending several weeks here with his father who has been very sick.

Mr. Gelder Minter, who is attending Blue Ridge Institute at Hendersonville, N. C., is spending a few days in the city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Minter.

Mr. R. C. Richardson, of Pinewood, came up Saturday to spend the weekend with his family here. Mrs. Richardson and the children all have been sick of influenza at the home of Mr. J. H. Sullivan.

Mr. D. H. Counts and family have been moving this week into the Clary residence on Irby Avenue which was recently rented from Mr. Earle Wilson, executor of the estate of Mrs. Clary.

Mrs. F. M. Stutts, who with Mr. Stutts recently moved from Jacksonville, Fla., to Clinton, where Mr. Stutts is employed in the Orphanage, arrived in the city yesterday to visit her mother, Mrs. Ella Riddell, who has been quite sick for the past few days.

Mr. James T. Crews, Jr., returned Sunday to Akron, O., after spending several weeks in the city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Crews. He was accompanied by Mr. Jack Shell, who expects to enter one of the tire factories there.

Mr. Geo. W. Shell, who has been conducting a stock and bond business in Laurens since his return from France, has closed his office here and moved to Greenville where he will be similarly engaged. His many friends regret to see him leave.

Mr. W. Clyde Fowler and W. H. Workman, both connected with the Spratt Grocery Company of Greenville, spent the week-end in the city. Mr. Fowler reported the condition of Mr. Frank Spratt, who has been in the hospital for several months, as very much improved.

Mr. W. L. Gray has been confined to his home for the past week while undergoing treatment for his eyes. He went to Greenville several days ago for treatment by a specialist and expects to have an operation performed soon. His many friends hope for him a complete and early recovery.

**Musicians Entertained.**

Mrs. Arthur Pryor, the wife of the famous band conductor, and Miss Florence Cavanaugh, the soprano soloist with the organization, were entertained at tea in the Arcade Tea shop yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Cora Cox Lucas, a prominent member of the Columbia's musical circle. Assembled around the prettily appointed tea table, which was graced with a center bowl of pink sweet peas were, besides the honor guests and the hostess: Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Bellmann, Mrs. Robert A. Cooper and her guest, Miss Lila Todd of Laurens, and Miss Martha Dwight.—The State.

**Eichelberger-Jennings.**

Much interest is attached to the marriage this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock when Miss Kate Ellen Eichelberger will become the wife of Mr. A. H. Jennings, of Greenwood, at the home of her sister, Miss Louie Eichelberger on Earle Street. Only relatives and a few intimate friends will be present. Rev. A. E. Holler, pastor of the First Methodist church, will perform the ceremony, after which the bride and groom will leave on their honeymoon.

**Engagement Announced.**

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Little have announced the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Talulah, to James C. Dozier, of Rock Hill, the wedding to take place in June. The bride-to-be is an attractive and accomplished young lady, being a graduate of Winthrop College. Mr. Dozier is a lieutenant of the Thirtieth Division in the World War and was decorated on several occasions for gallantry in action.

**Entertains T. K. Club.**

Mrs. O. L. Long delightfully entertained the "T. K." Club at her home on South Harper street Wednesday afternoon. During the afternoon delightful refreshments were served and a very pleasant time spent by the guests.

**NEWBERRY AND LAURENS TO CLASH IN DEBATE**

**High School Boys and Girls to Debate on Railroad Situation, Seventy-four Other Schools Debating.**

On next Friday evening, April 2nd, the Laurens and Newberry high schools will meet to discuss the query: "Resolved, That the United States Government Should Own and Operate the Railroads of the Country." The affirmative team of the local schools will meet the negative team of the Newberry schools here, while at the same time the affirmative team of the Newberry schools and the negative team of the Laurens schools will clash at Newberry.

This subject will be debated by 76 schools throughout the state, each school discussing both sides of the questions. Should both teams of a school win, that school will be represented at a meet to be held in Columbia to decide the winning debaters in the state.

The Laurens schools will be represented by Miss Mary Gasque and Harry Woodside at Newberry, and Miss Edna Riddle and Raymond Gaston will defend the honor of the schools at home.

An interesting program has been prepared to which the public is cordially invited. The program is as follows:

- Piano Solo—Mary Copeland.
- First Speaker, Newberry High School.
- First Speaker, Laurens High School.
- Piano Solo—Sarah Dunlap.
- Second Speaker, Newberry High School.
- Second Speaker, Laurens High School.
- Piano Solo—Lois Fuller.
- Rebuttal.
- Duet—Sarah Katherine Barksdale and Katherine Meng.
- Decision of Judges.

**W. M. U. Auxiliary.**

Quarterly meeting of first division of W. M. U. Auxiliary to Laurens Association, will convene with Lanford Baptist church April 3, 1920, 10:30—Devotional. Mrs. Holmes. Greetings—Mrs. Sallie Higgins. Response—Miss Amanda Putnam. Enrollment.

Thoughts on the Week of Prayer.—Mrs. Ethel Robertson.

Song Message—Sweet Hour of Prayer.—Mrs. Ralph Bobo.

Prayer, Appointment of Committees, Offering.

A Message from the Word.—Mrs. John Hunter.

Lunch Hour.

1:00—Prayer Service.—Mrs. Fitzhugh Grumbles.

Helpful Suggestions as to How Our Quarterly Meeting May be of More Benefit to Us.—Mrs. J. B. Cook, Mrs. C. W. Hood.

The Most Practical Way for Our Churches to Handle the Problems of Every-Day Life Which We are Now Facing.—Mrs. Ralph Bobo, Mrs. Cora Beason, Mrs. J. A. Owings.

The Importance of Stirring Up Our God-given Gift.—Miss Allie Babb, Mrs. Lola Cox.

Acrostic on Mission Study.—Mrs. J. B. Cook.

Reading of Minutes and Report of Committees.

Message from the Word.—Mrs. S. M. Benjamin.

We will be glad to have our Superintendent and Associate Superintendents at this meeting.

MRS. W. W. YEARGIN, Pres.

**Gray Court Lyceum.**

The last number of the Gray Court-Owings lyceum course has been announced for Saturday evening, April 10th, when the Lyceum Singers Male Quartet will give its entertainment. This company is said to be unusually good and a large attendance is expected at the entertainment.

**Business Girl's Club.**

The social meeting of the Business Girl's Club, which was to have been held last night was postponed until next Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock. All members are earnestly urged to be present and bring a friend.

**At Both Stores**

Special values in Ladies' Dress Skirts, latest styles and colors. Silks, wool and cotton, going at 98c up to \$12.39. J. C. Burns & Co.

**PALMETTO LODGE, No. 19, A. F. M.**

A regular communication of Palmetto Lodge, No. 19, A. F. M., will be held on FRIDAY night, April 2nd, at 7:30 o'clock. There will be work in the E. A. degree. Members are urged to attend and visiting brethren welcome.

By order of  
E. O. ANDERSON, L. G. ROFF,  
Secretary. W. M.

**NOTICE OF ELECTION.**

State of South Carolina, County of Laurens.

Notice is hereby given that an election for Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Laurens will be held in the City of Laurens on the 13th day of April, 1920.

The polls will open at the hour of 8 o'clock in the forenoon and close at the hour of 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

**JOIN OUR ALUMINUM WARE CLUB**



**The Set You Get**

**GET A SET OF ALUMINUM SALE**

**ONE DAY ONLY Saturday, April 3rd.**

This Club offer is open to every reputable, honest family or person in this community. Call at our store and ask for a membership card; pay \$2.00 cash "dues" and the set will be delivered to you, then pay us \$1.00 more each week for 12 weeks and then a final payment of 98 cents until the wholesale cost price of \$14.98 has been paid.

Do you realize that this will enable you to equip your kitchen with a set of the purest, best Aluminum Ware, Quality Brand, each piece of which is guaranteed by the makers to wear for twenty years, at a cost to you of only a few pennies per day? Can you afford to continue using out of date, unsanitary (perhaps rusted) cooking utensils when we make it possible to secure this beautiful set on these terms?

Only 50 Sets to be sold. Come early to be sure of yours.

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No person shall be allowed to vote at said election who shall not have registered with the Municipal Supervisor of Registration as required by law.

The polling precincts and managers of the election at the different precincts are as follows:

- For Ward One: Voting place at City Clerk's Office. Managers: John Smith, J. E. Tollison, James Davenport.
  - For Ward Two: Voting place at E. W. Martin's Stable. Managers: E. W. Martin, Jeff D. Sexton, J. H. Cunningham.
  - For Ward Three: Voting place at Laurens Cotton Mill Store. Managers: Jim Lewis, Walt Helams, Horace Teague.
  - For Ward Four: Voting place at Finney House. Managers: J. F. Finney, John W. Fowler, John Switzer.
  - For Ward Five: Voting place at Hicks's Stable. Managers: Edd Hicks, Fred Fuller, Johnny Milam.
  - For Ward Six: Voting place at Power House. Managers: Phil D. Huff, Erskine T. Todd, Ernest W. Machen.
- At the close of the election the

Managers will ascertain the result and return same to the City Council of the City of Laurens as required by law.

C. M. BABB, Mayor.  
STANLEY CREWS, City Clerk.

**NOTICE OF REGISTRATION.**

State of South Carolina, County of Laurens.

Notice is hereby given that Books of Registration for the registration of electors for the Municipal Election to be held on April 13, 1920, for Mayor and Aldermen for the City of Laurens will be closed at 12 o'clock noon, on Friday, the 2nd day of April, 1920.

The said books are open at the office of the undersigned in Laurens, South Carolina, and the production of a certificate of registration from the Board of Registration of the County entitling the applicant to vote in a polling precinct within the incorporated limits of the City of Laurens shall be a condition pre-requisite to obtain a certificate of registration for the Municipal Election and the applicant must be a male citizen of this State and of the United States, twenty-one years of age, or more; a resident of the State for two years, or more; a resident of

the County for one year, or more; and a resident of the City for four months, or more; and the applicant must have paid all taxes assessed against him, due and collectible for the fiscal year 1919.

R. E. RABB,  
Supervisor of Registration.

**NOTICE OF ELECTION.**

State of South Carolina, County of Laurens.

Whereas, petitions signed by a legal number of the qualified electors and free-holders residing in Waterloo school district No. 14, Laurens county, South Carolina, asking for an election upon the question of voting an additional 4 mill tax upon the property in said school district, to be used for school purposes, have been filed with the county board of education, an election is hereby ordered upon said question, said election to be held on the 10th day of April, 1920, at Public School Building in said district, under the management of the trustees of said school district.

Only such elections as return real or personal property for taxation and who exhibit their tax receipts and registration certificates as required in

the general election shall be allowed to vote.

Those favoring the 4 mill additional tax shall vote a ballot containing the word "YES" written or printed thereon. Those against the 4 mill additional tax shall vote a ballot containing the word "NO" written or printed thereon. Polls shall open at the hour of 8 o'clock in the forenoon and shall remain open until the hour of 4 in the afternoon when they shall be closed, and the ballots counted.

The trustees shall report the result of the election to the county auditor and county superintendent of education within ten days thereafter.

R. T. WILSON, Supt.  
By order of County Board.

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