

The Herald and News.

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EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

Columbia, April 9.—The temperance for the last day or two indicates that summer will soon be here. This is the time of year that I long for the country and the farm, and more frequently than at any other season does my mind go back to other days that were spent on the farm.

In my last letter I referred to the amounts in the different banks in Newberry to the credit of individuals to emphasize the fact that we could build a mill at Newberry out of money that was idle so far as those whose it was concerned. And I mentioned the Commercial and Savings Banks because the business of the present mill is done through the National Bank, and there is no reason why the management of each of these other banks should not go to work and build another mill each. And to do so they would have the endorsement and aid and cooperation of the National Bank and its customers as well as their own for the building of more mills in Newberry means much for all the interests that are there. Let the business interests get together and work together for the upbuilding and advancement of the town and county.

When I wrote before I did not have the statements of the banks before me and did not give the correct figures in referring to them. I am glad that all of the banking interests in Newberry are in so healthy a condition and are doing so well. The last statement of the Commercial Bank makes a good showing. With a capital stock of \$50,000 there is a deposit account of \$90,500.69, and a surplus of \$6,652.78, and the bank is only a few years old. By the last statement the Savings Bank with the same capital stock shows a deposit account of \$123,108.47 and a surplus and undivided profits of \$14,006.53. It strikes me that these figures indicate good business management for both these institutions, which have been doing business for only five or six years. The National Bank by its last statement had a deposit account of \$227,013.10. This with the other banks mentioned above makes about half million dollars on deposit in the banks in Newberry subject to check. Of course a considerable part of this money is the commercial capital for a number of the business firms of the city, but a good portion is just there for safe keeping. It would be better for the people who own it to have it invested in a cotton mill than doing nothing.

The State Executive Committee is to meet in Columbia on Wednesday, and I suppose that the political ball will then open for the season. It will not open in full blast, however, until the State Convention meets on May 16th, and then everything will be in full swing.

The Sinking Fund Commission and the State House Commission will meet on the 12th, and plans and specifications and an architect will be selected, and the work of completing the State House will be started as soon as the contract can be let.

I attended services in Newberry last night and heard an address on missions. I am sure the preacher was earnest and serious, but I would like to say to him in all kindness that we do not speak of the war between the States in 1861-65 as the "Rebellion." We were only asserting our rights as free and independent States.

The Society Circus will be held in Columbia on the 19th, and all the railroads will sell tickets for the occasion at one fare for the round trip. It will be a great event, and nothing of the kind has ever been seen before south of New York. It is another evidence of the fact that Columbia is getting to be metropolitan very fast. Let everybody come.

Upon the recommendation of the Newberry delegation Gov. McSweney has appointed Jno. W. Kopp as Magistrate in No. 7, in place of Mr. J. H. Senn resigned. Also upon the same recommendation he has appointed W. B. Oxner as Magistrate for township No. 3.

About ten days or two weeks ago I wrote to Congressman Latimer that the Star route from Pomaria to Glymphville ran a schedule that made all mail from Newberry a day old before it was delivered, owing to the fact that the carrier left Pomaria about an hour before the arrival of the down train, and as this was a daily route I would be glad if he would have the schedule changed. The following letter explains with what promptness Mr. Latimer gave this request attention:

Post Office Department, Office 2nd Asst. P. M. General, Contract Division, Washington, April 4, 1900.

Dear Sir: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a letter addressed to you by Mr. Albert H. Aull of Newberry, S. C., dated 26th ultimo, by you personally filed in this office, requesting on behalf of the citizens of Newberry County a change in the schedule of route No. 20302 (Pomaria to Glymphville, S. C.) so as to connect with the mail by train from Newberry, and to inform you that an order has this day been issued to change the

schedule on said route as desired, to take effect at once.

Very respectfully,
W. S. SHALENBARGER,
Second Asst. Postmaster General.
Hon. A. C. Latimer, House of Representatives.

I want to thank Mr. Latimer for myself and the people of that section for his promptness in this matter, and I want to say to his credit that he has always given the same prompt attention to every request I have sent him since he has represented this district in Congress.
E. H. A.

Glorious News
Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, T. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved—that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poison, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by all druggists. Guaranteed.

It was by a Travelling Correspondent.
Miss Carrie Shelor, of Seneca, is the guest of the family of Mr. Geo. T. Reid, of Chappells.
Capt. B. H. Matthews, a veteran of the Mexican war, is reported dangerously ill at his home near Island Ford.

Prof. J. F. Stillwell and his assistant Miss Dempie Moore Scoury, have a full school here, and we learn they are doing excellent work, which is much appreciated by the patrons.
At an early hour last Thursday morning, the 5th instant, Mr. Christian Malbock, a most worthy and respected Swiss, who had been living with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Irwin, of Chappells, was found dead just outside his room door. Dr. J. W. Holloway said his death was caused by apoplexy. His remains were interred in the afternoon at the family burying ground here. Mr. Malbock was about 70 years of age. He had no relatives in this country. There was a large attendance of the citizens at his burial.

So far no pastor has been called to supply Saluda Baptist church. There is, however, an interesting Sunday school here which meets every Sunday at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. ***
He Fooled the Surgeons.
All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from Rectal Fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest Pile cure on earth, and the best Salve in the world. 25 cents a box. Sold by all druggists.

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RURAL FREE DELIVERY.
Grown to Such Proportions as to Require Creation of New Divisions.
Washington, April 8.—The rural free delivery system of the postoffice department has grown to such proportions that it has been found necessary to create two divisions to properly handle it. An order, effective May 1, signed by the postmaster general today establishes four divisions; the eastern division, with headquarters at New York; middle division, headquarters at Indianapolis, comprising Ohio and all States west to the Missouri and southern States down to and including Louisiana, with P. M. Dice in charge; the western division, headquarters at Denver, and the southern division, including 11 southern States, headquarters at Washington, with H. Conquest Charge in charge.

\$100 Reward \$100.
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient a new blood and a new system. The proprietors have so much faith in their cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CUREN & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists. The Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The National Game.
The base ball season at the College this year promises to be very interesting, and the people of Newberry will be given an opportunity to see some good ball. Games here have already been scheduled with Clemson College, South Carolina College, the Citadel, and the college of Charleston; and games with the Presbyterian College of South Carolina, Erskine, Furman and Wofford are under consideration. The Association has issued season tickets, which can be had upon application to the manager. The price is only \$2.50, and at least ten games are guaranteed. Let every lover of the sport encourage the good cause by purchasing a season ticket at once. It will insure more and better games for the season.

Score cards will be printed for the game Wednesday, and will be on sale on the grounds. Do not fail to get one; they will contain the names, positions, etc., of all the players, and will be interesting souvenir of the "greatest" game of base ball Newberry has ever seen.

THE CUSTOM HOUSE ROW.

Special Agent Macatee has Concluded his Investigation and Sent his Report to Washington.
(News and Courier, 8th.)
Mr. C. A. Macatee, special agent of treasury department, concluded his investigation yesterday into the conduct of affairs at the Custom House. His report will reach the hands of the Secretary of the Treasury Monday morning, but when action will be taken is not known. Mr. Macatee has made a thorough investigation, which lasted exactly one week. When he first arrived he was inclined to give little credence that liquor was stored in the Custom House. Reports were strong enough to lead him to believe that it had been stored there, but he was not inclined to believe that he would find any there. Last Sunday morning, when the empty kegs were found, investigation began a right.

O'Brien's confession was not accepted, in the face of the denial of the collector, deputy collector, janitor and cleaners. This circumstance led everyone to believe that the investigating committee was in hold of evidence of a very strong nature. The main point of evidence is the barrel of rum. Mr. Ostendorf claims it to have been his personal property, but Mr. Macatee, it is said, has reason to doubt this. The internal revenue department can trace every gallon of liquor that makes a legitimate start from the distillery. This particular keg—or, rather, barrel—of thirty-one gallons of rum has passed through its several stages of regulation of the department, except the storing of it in the Custom House. Evidence of a graver nature has been found against certain parties in the Custom House, but for reasons it is withheld.

The last witness called up was a man named Scott, a former employe about the building. His evidence or testimony was used to corroborate certain information gained mostly by Mr. Macatee on the outside. On Friday Mr. Macatee devoted a great deal of his time to outside work and secured valuable evidence in the case. It cannot be stated authoritatively what his recommendation is, but it is rumored a very lively shaking up of the collectors office.

Discovered by a Woman.
Another great discovery has been made, and that too, by a lady in this country. "Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital forces were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly, and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way to recovery, by purchasing of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and was so much relieved on taking first a dose, that she slept all night and with two bottles has been absolutely cured." Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz. Thus writes W. C. Hannick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Trial bottles free at all Drug Stores. Regular size 50c and 1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

Advertised Letters.
Remaining in postoffice at Newberry for week ending April 2, 1900:
A—Pres Allen, (col.)
B—Pannie Blakley, Maria Beatey, Marey Bridget, Ellen Boyd, G. W. Bowers.
C—J. D. Chapman, Maggie Carter, Edd Cannon.
D—Dan Dominick, Eliza Dominick, Fred Dobby.
E—Mary A. Ehram.
G—Lou Griffin, Will Griffin.
J—Marie Johnson, W. A. Jones.
K—Limus Kiny.
L—P. K. Loggs (2), Mike Long, H. J. Lanford.
N—George Martin, David Miller, D. J. Moore, F. R. McCullough, D. Martin, F. H. McEachern, Bonnie McMorris.
N—S. J. Nurtle, C. H. Norcum.
O—J. C. O'Dell.
P—Abbie Pitts, Ada Paysinger, J. F. Price.
R—B. B. Rikard, Isaac Reed, Jonnie Reiff, Davis Rushton.
S—Emma P. Senn, G. M. Sheely, Ned Stephens, Molly Sims, Jim Simms.
W—Scott Waites, Janie Wright (2), Enira Willson, Henry Werts, J. L. Werts, Alice Ward.
Parties calling for the above letters will please say that they were advertised.
WM. Y. FAIR, P. M.
April 2, 1900.

Fremont's Tournament at Charlotte.
The fremont of Newberry have received an invitation to take part in the big fremont's tournament to be held in Charlotte, N. C. on May 23rd. The prize list is quite attractive and this and the good time the fremont are assured will be theirs in Charlotte may induce them to accept the invitation.
The prizes are as follows:
Hand hose reel race, first prize.....\$200
Hand hose reel race, second prize.... 75
Grab race, first prize..... 150
Grab race, second prize..... 75
Horse hook and ladder race, first prize..... 175
Horse hook and ladder race, second prize..... 75
Horse hose wagon race, first prize. 175
Horse hose wagon race, second prize..... 75

Programme Teachers' Association.
The following is the programme for the next meeting of the County Teachers' Association, to be held at Newberry, in Graded school building, Saturday, April 14, 1900, at 11 a. m.
Are there too many studies required in the common schools, and if so, what is the remedy?—Prof. W. K. Sligh, Miss Lillian Luther.
Nature Study.—Miss Gertrude Simpson, Miss—Hughes.
Address.—Hon. John J. McManan, LILLA K. JOHNSON, Secretary.

ALLEGED CONFESSION

ONE OF GOEBEL'S MURDERERS TELLS HIS STORY.
He Implicates "Governor" Taylor in the Conspiracy—Sixteen Hundred Dollars the Price.
Louisville, April 6.—Youtsey is reported to have confessed that he paid Jim Howard to kill Goebel. He says the plot was hatched in the office of Powers and that sixteen hundred dollars was paid over. Taylor was to pardon Howard.
Frankfort, April 6.—Youtsey's statement implicates Taylor. He asserts that he was one of the eight men who knew of the conspiracy as carried out in Powers' office.

The men implicated are: Taylor, Powers, John L. Powers, Charles Finley, W. H. Culton, Jim Howard, probably Henry Howard and one other man and Youtsey himself.
Youtsey went out of the room and got the \$1,600 and turned it over to the proper person.

BECKHAM IS GOVERNOR.
Supreme Court of Kentucky Decides in His Favor.
Frankfort, Ky., April 6.—The Court of Appeals today handed down a decision in the Governorship case in favor of the Democrats.
Ex-Governor Taylor, tonight authorized the statement that an appeal on behalf of Governor Taylor and Lieutenant Governor Marshall will be carried to the Supreme Court of the United States.

Mr. Bradley and Judge W. H. Yost, counsel for the Republican State officers, were in consultation with Governor Taylor for several hours this afternoon and the above statement was made at the close of the conference. It is said that Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge and the Republican leaders from different parts of the State will meet Governor Taylor in conference here tomorrow morning.
Ex-Governor Bradley said: "We will not take advantage of any technicalities to delay the progress of the case. The decision of the Court of Appeals is not disheartening to us. We will ask for a writ of error to the Supreme Court at once and these contests will now be at an end in a very short time."

The Court of Appeals today handed down its decision in the gubernatorial contest in favor of Beckham, Judge Darolle dissenting. The other two Republican Judges, Burham and Guffy, handed down a separate opinion, which differed in its reasons for the opinion of the Democratic Judges, but agreed with them in its conclusion.

CAPT. B. H. MATTHEWS DEAD.
He was the Last Laurans Survivor of the Palmetto Regiment of the Mexican War.
Laurens, April 7.—News reached Laurens today of the death of Capt. Benj. A. Matthews, at his home, Islandford, on the Saluda river, in this county. He was the last Laurans survivor of the Palmetto regiment, Mexican war. He served in a Newberry company, and held the medal from the State for gallant services.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.
Newberry, April 7.—Benjamin Matthews, veteran of the Mexican war, survived by only one member of the company from Newberry, died this afternoon, at his home, near Chappell's, aged 73 years. He volunteered in January, 1847, at the age of 19.—Special to News and Courier.

YELLOW PINE GETTING SCARCER.
Sawmills in Carolina, Georgia and Florida Curial Their Output.
Tifton, Ga., April 8.—The Georgia Saw Mill Association, representing some 300 yellow pine mill plants in Georgia, South Carolina and Florida, at a meeting held here yesterday decided by a practically unanimous vote that on and after May 10 all mills belonging to the members of the association will be run on two-thirds time. This will affect thousands of operatives, and decrease the output of yellow pine in this State nearly one-third. It is understood that the limited supply of yellow pine timber in sight is largely the cause of this action, as the association doubtless thinks prices should rule higher in view of the small supply. It is by no means a secret that many of the larger mills only have enough standing timber in sight to last three or four years, while even the most fortunate only report sufficient in sight to run seven and eight years.

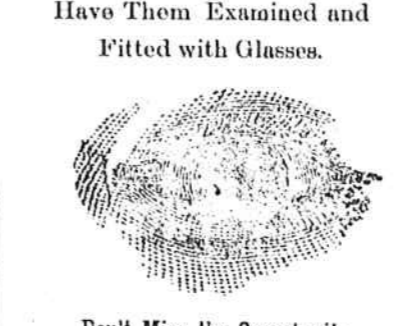
Central Luther League.
Programme for meeting of the Central Luther League, to be held at St. Luke's church, Newberry County, Saturday, May 5th, 1900:
1. Devotional Exercises, conducted by Mr. J. B. Derrick.
2. St. Matthew 22:30—Rev. M. G. G. Scherer, Prof. W. K. Sligh, Mr. A. E. P. Bedenbaugh.
3. Recitation—Miss Mary Miller.
4. Essay—Miss Grace Bedenbaugh.
5. What useful work can the Central League accomplish?—Rev. G. S. Beardler, Mr. A. G. Wise.
6. Address—Rev. C. H. Armstrong, Committee.

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