

BY THE WAY...

By DORIS ARMFIELD

What with the March of Dimes campaign well under way, the City of Florence had a novel way of collecting funds. I was down there Monday, and noticed little tags hanging from all the parking meters. Of course I had to investigate, and found printed on the cards "any money placed in this meter today will be donated to the March of Dimes."

I was out of town the last few months of 1948 when so much activity was taking place in city council, and I am just beginning to catch up on what went on and what is to take place. I am referring especially to the election which will be held on February 15, at which time, I understand, four issues are to be voted on. First will be the division of the city into six wards instead of the present five; (wards to be affected, I believe, are 2 and 3.) Second will concern electing an alderman at large, and third will be a vote for the city manager form of government; and last will concern the consolidation of the Commission of Public Works with the city government.

In trying to understand the various issues in involved, I find that electing an alderman at large does not mean that a person in one ward may be a candidate for election in some other ward. For instance, our very efficient alderman in ward 4, Ernest Layton, could not run for the office of Alderman in Ward 2. The candidate must live in the ward which he will represent, but the voters of the city, instead of voting for their one alderman, will vote for all six. I say six, presuming the vote will be favorable to dividing the city into six wards.

I also find that a number of people are confused about voting for the city manager plan, voted in favor of that. It is saying, "well, we've already true that a vote was taken on that in the summer of 1947, but that vote was merely a sentiment vote" in a campaign conducted by the Junior Chamber of Commerce to ascertain the sentiment of the citizens as to the city manager plan. As you may remember, that election proved very favorable to adopting the city manager plan. The election on February 15 will be the official ballot, and if the vote is again favorable, action will be taken, I understand, to obtain a well qualified city manager who will handle all administrative duties pertaining to city management.

City Registration certificates must be obtained by February 5 in order to vote in the election on the 15th. They may be obtained at the office of the city clerk. It will be necessary for men of voting age to present county registration certificates in order to obtain a city certificate. Women need only show the county registration certificate.

Before I took up this business of being an official Stenographer reporter, I was warned "you know, official reporters are considered a peculiar group of people." I am beginning to understand that, after getting up a couple of times at 5:00 a.m. to get to a hearing, or traveling 250 miles to a hearing that lasts only an hour. It is this lack of routine that makes the job so interesting. I never know from one day to the next where I'll be.

But what started this is a story one of the lawyers down in Florence told me, which explains why reporters are sometimes considered a bit "peculiar." The lawyer was attending a hearing, and the reporter on that hearing was from Alabama.

It was a lengthy affair, and instead of transcribing his own notes, the reporter each night dictated the day's proceedings on to a record, and sent the record back to his home office to be transcribed.

It seems that my lawyer friend wanted to see the reporter about something, and went up to the floor of the hotel where the reporter was staying. He didn't know the room number, so asked the bell boy "Where is Mr. Smith's room?" The bellhop said "you mean that crazy man?" "What makes you think he's crazy?" the lawyer asked. The boy replied "why that man crazy as he can be. He sit in his room every night and ask himself the foolish questions then answers them. He's just plumb crazy, Cap'n!"

DR. KINARD TO SPEAK AT ST. PHILIPS

Dr. James C. Kinard, president of Newberry college, will be guest speaker at the Lutheran Brotherhood of the Newberry district which will meet at St. Phillips church, Sunday, January 30th.

All members are urged to be present and congregations that do not have brotherhoods are invited to attend.

MANY MEN who are pleasure-bent tonight will end up pleasure-broke tomorrow morning.

Newberry Recruiting Station Awarded Trophy



The Newberry US Army and US Air Force Recruiting Station, 1221 Nance St., was presented a Recruiting Trophy for their recruiting achievement during the month of December 1948. In the above picture are T. Sgt. Leonard H. Martin, USAF, M. Sgt. Charles J. Smithers, USAF, Station Commander, Mayor A. P. Salley of Newberry; M. Sgt. Claude E. Blankenship, USRA, and Newberry Chief of Police Colie Dowd.

Personal Items

Mrs. Lewis Waddell and two children, Kay and Tommy, returned to their home in Columbia the first of the week, after spending several months here in the home of Mrs. Waddell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chappells on Pauline street. Mrs. Chappells who has been ill quite some time, is now able to be up and around her home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Reid of Spartanburg, were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Long on Pope st. and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Spinks of Friend street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lipscomb and three children expect to move the first of next week from the Wiseman apartment on Calhoun street, to 1201 Chapman street into the Ben Spotts house which they recently purchased.

Mrs. Eunice Glasgow of Greenwood, spent last week in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith on Calhoun street.

Mrs. May Stuck was a weekend visitor in the home of her sister, Mrs. L. A. Spearman and family in Hickory, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Senn, Mr. and Mrs. Tyrus Senn and son Sedley, spent Sunday at Clemson in the home of Prof. and Mrs. T. L. Senn and family.

Mrs. George L. Epps returned to her home on College street Saturday after spending three weeks in Charlottesville, Va., with her son, Dr. George L. Epps, Jr., and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Smart are spending this week here in the home of Mrs. Smart's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Taylor on the Cut-off.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Halfacre, and Mr. and Mrs. G. Y. Taylor and son, William Edwin, were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Halfacre's son, E. H. Halfacre and family in Ermo.

Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Harmon and small son, Kenneth, will move to the Wiseman apartment as soon as the Lipscombs vacate it.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Layton and daughter, Sue, and Mrs. Dora Shealy spent Sunday in Bamberg, with their sons, Charles Layton and Bud Shealy who are students at Carlisle Military Academy.

Mrs. Jess B. Mayes of Waterloo is spending two weeks here in the home of Mrs. W. O. Miller on Friend street, and Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Chapman on College street.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Stauffer are now making their home at 1822 Main street. Mr. Stauffer is a student at Newberry College.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Clamp have moved to 715 Drayton street, where they will make their home.

Business visitors in Newberry last weekend and the first part of this week include Mrs. C. M. Smith, Kinards; Mrs. Edna C. Copeland, Clinton; Mrs. Joe Eason, Whitmire; Mrs. John Gray and Mrs. Shannon Suber, Whitmire.

Also Mrs. Mary Hentz Breton and Mrs. H. H. Huggins, Pomaria; Misses Caroline and Elizabeth Keith, Chappells; Mrs. Julia Coleman, a teacher in the Laurens city schools; Miss Carrie Wightman, a teacher in the Whitmire schools and Mrs. Dan Hamm, Prosperity.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin O. Summer, attended the Furniture Market at High Point, N. C., the first of last week, when there went to Knoxville, Tenn., and spent the weekend with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. McBeth Sprouse and grandson, Kerry. They returned to their home on Mayer Avenue Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. B. Gardenhire will leave Sunday for Columbus, Ga., to spend a week in the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. George K. Reiney and Mr. Reiney.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Chapman and family moved Wednesday from 1720 Harrington street to their beautiful home on Calhoun street.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Sikes of Columbia, were weekend visi-

tors in the home of Mrs. Sike's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Goggans in the Hartford community.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ringer and small son Douglas of Florence, spent the past weekend in the home of Mr. Ringer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Ringer on Chapman street.

Furman Reagin spent Wednesday in Columbia on business.

J. H. Clary, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Haygood Clary and Wilson Brown attended the spring showing of men's clothing which was held at the Barringer hotel in Charlotte, N. C., Wednesday.

Mrs. O. B. Cannon left last week for a six week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Cecil Reid and Mr. Reid in Fredericksburg, Va.

Mrs. J. Ernest Summer of Atlanta, Ga., arrived in the city Thursday to spend a few days in the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. Roy Summer, Sr., on Main St.

Mrs. R. G. Carroll spent Sunday in Whitmire in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Roberts.

Mrs. Cornelia Mayer, a member of the Columbia city school faculty, spent the weekend here with her mother, Mrs. O. B. Mayer on Main street.

Miss Lila Norris, a teacher in the city schools, was a weekend visitor in the home of her mother, Mrs. John Norris, Sr. in the county.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Pitts, Sr., on Cline street, were Mr. and Mrs. Madison Pitts and children of Denmark.

Mrs. Helen Scarborough will leave Saturday for Orlando, Florida, for several weeks' visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Palmer Pillians.

Buddy Morehead and Keisler Riley of the Lipscomb Motor Company, will return to Newberry Sunday after spending ten days in South Bend, Indiana, where they attended mechanic Training School at the Studebaker factory.

Miss High Miss Miss Paysinger

Miss Mary Paysinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Paysinger, of the Newberry High School, who has been selected as the outstanding senior girl from Newberry High School, will be honored with 148 other South Carolina high school seniors in the forthcoming 12th annual Miss High Miss edition of the Johnsonian. Winthrop college weekly newspaper.

Miss Paysinger is editor of the school newspaper, photograph editor of the annual and secretary of the student council at Newberry high.

INJURED IN FALL

Leland Kibler, 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Kibler, route 4, Newberry, who fell out of a pecan tree on McKibben street Saturday morning and broke his right leg just above the knee, is a patient in the Columbia Hospital where he is being treated.

Plampin Lad Hit

Little Phillip Plampin, five-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete C. Plampin received a broken hip when he was struck by a car driven by Eddie Bedenbaugh about 3 o'clock Monday afternoon.

The accident occurred when Phillip darted across the highway from behind a sign in front of his home on College street. Extension. He was carried to the Newberry Hospital where X-rays were made, and was later admitted to the Baptist Hospital in Columbia, where he underwent a bone operation Wednesday morning. His condition is reported to be good.

WILLIAM HENRY SHANNON

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shannon of 923 Fair Street are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a son, William Henry, born at the Newberry county hospital, Tuesday, January 18th. Mrs. Shannon the former Elizabeth Hawkins, daughter of Mrs. Bloomer Hawkins, and son are doing nicely.

Taylor To Head Exchange Club

At its annual election meeting which was held at the Wiseman Hotel on December 23, Garvis Taylor was elected to serve as president of the Exchange Club for the ensuing year. E. D. Beck was named Vice-president, John Abrams, Secretary, and Harold Cook, Treasurer.

The new members of the Board of Control are Charlie Bowers, Walter Dorrity, Louis Lipscomb and Oscar Stone. The retiring officers, were voted appropriate pins in recognition of their services.

The Club is planning many important projects, and is looking forward to an interesting and successful year.

Mrs. J. P. McMillan spent the weekend here in the home of her sister, Mrs. James Smith on Calhoun street enroute to her home in Greenville, after a three week's vacation trip to Florida.

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County Hospital Patients Listed

Mrs. Sam Berry, 69 Player. Mrs. Ralph Black and baby boy, Prosperity.

John D. Bedenbaugh, 1900 Milligan street.

Mrs. Clara Bell Cobbler, Rt. 1, Saluda.

Mrs. G. W. Dominick, 1104 Wildwood Ave, Columbia.

Mrs. J. A. Dominick, Kinards.

Mrs. J. A. Dunklin, 925 6th Place, SW, Birmingham, Ala.

Mrs. Elizabeth Fowler, 1510 Harrington street.

Mrs. Bessie Free, Pomaria.

Mrs. J. M. Felker, Whitmire.

Elsie Mae Gilliam, Whitmire.

Miss Goldia Glover, city.

Efrid Hayes, N. Main, Joanna.

Mrs. Lizzie Hyler, 700 Clara street, city.

Miss Mae Hendrix, No. 415 Wright street.

Mrs. Alan Hipp, 1737 Johnston street.

Mrs. G. D. Kinard, Wright street.

Guy Jackson, Newberry.

S. L. Merchant, Rt. 4, Newberry.

Rev. P. D. Risinger, Leesville.

Mrs. Georgia Schumpert, 315 Caldwell street.

Mrs. C. Forrest Summer, Rt. 3, Newberry.

Mr. B. Y. Seymore, Route 1, Whitmire.

Mrs. Flossie E. Sligh, 1620 First street, city.

Mrs. Rosa Belle Schumpert, Kinards.

Mrs. A. C. Turner, Route 1, Newberry.

Miss Johnnie Wedaman, 1136 Summer street, city.

Mr. Z. F. Wright, 736 Caldwell street, city.

Mrs. J. M. Weeks, Pomaria.

Sara Frances Wofford, Route 1, Newberry.

Mrs. B. R. Walker, Route 2, Newberry.

January Building Permits Given

The following building permits have been issued since the first of January, by Building Inspector Sam Beam:

Oscar Morris, repairs to dwelling on Pearl street, \$10.

Levenia Spearman, one four room dwelling on Scott street, \$2500.

J. W. Schumpert, one six room dwelling on McHardy street, \$8000.

Rev. Gauden, one six room dwelling on Brantley street, \$6000.

Emma Johnson, repairs to dwelling on Gilder street, \$40.

Mrs. W. J. Swittenburg, repairs to dwelling on Harrington street, \$75.00.

Dr. R. E. Livingston, repairs to dwelling on Main street, \$2500.

Mrs. Clara Buford, one five room garage apartment on Main street, \$5000.

Lillie Mae Adams, repairs to dwelling on Snowden street, \$350.

Hattie Moore, repairs to dwelling on James street, \$25.

J. W. Counts, two car garages on O'Neal street, 350.

One Day Enough For Civil Court

The January term of Civil Court which convened here Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock with Judge M. M. Mann of St. Matthews, presiding, adjourned Tuesday morning after one day of court.

The four cases which came up Monday were all default cases. The case of Corrie Lei Havird against the Highway Department, was settled out of court, also George W. Harmon against a Chevrolet truck, and H. C. Waite, Administrator, against one four door sedan Hudson. Six cases were continued until the next term of civil court.

Exchangeits Hear Farm Discussion

Hugh Epting, a prominent farmer of the county was an honor guest at the regular meeting of the Newberry-Exchange Club, which was held at the Wiseman Hotel on January 18th.

An interesting question and answer period concerning farming, particularly that in Newberry County, was held. Members present asked Mr. Epting various questions which were answered very affectively.

It is the policy of the club to hold programs of this nature from time to time to acquaint its members with the various types of vocations available in the local community.

Local Boy Acts In Advisory Role

Captain Carroll D. Shealy, son of Supervisor and Mrs. G. W. Shealy of Prosperity, has been assigned to the National Guard units located in Winston-Salem, N. C., and three surrounding towns.

Captain Shealy has assumed his new duties in Winston-Salem as advisor for the First Battalion, 120th Infantry, 30th "Old Hickory" Division. He will maintain his office in the National Guard Army there.

He will also serve Headquarters Company, Mount Airy, which has six officers and 40 enlisted men; Company A Burlington, Two officers and 68 enlisted men; Company B Winston-Salem, Six officers and 80 enlisted men; Company C, Lexington, three officers and 60 enlisted men; and Company D, Winston-Salem, four officers and 47 enlisted men.

Captain Shealy initially entered the service in September, 1940, serving overseas during World War II in the Aleutians and Alaska and Europe. He was commander of Company K, 26th Infantry, First Division, in the European Theatre.

His wife the former Annie Laura Pruitt of Anderson, and his two sons, Carroll, Jr., 6, and Charles Richard, 4, expect to join him in Winston-Salem soon. The Captain attended Clemson College and taught school before he entered the army.

Engagement Told

Mrs. James Wilson Caldwell of Strothers, S. C., announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Bess Caldwell to Mr. George Bursinger, of Tomah, Wisconsin.

Miss Caldwell received her master of arts degree from Winthrop College, Rock Hill, and her Library Service degree from Peabody College, Nashville, Tenn. For the past year she has been Chief Librarian with the Veterans Administration in Tomah, Wisconsin.

Mr. Bursinger is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Bursinger of Tomah, Wis. He attended the University of Wisconsin and the University of Michigan. He served in the Marines from 1942 to 1946 and since his discharge has been employed in the Finance Department of the Veterans Hospital at Tomah.

The wedding will be held on February 18th.

Auxiliary Banquet

Mrs. C. A. Dufford, National Executive Committeewoman, American Legion Auxiliary, Department of South Carolina, left Sunday for Indianapolis, Indiana where she will attend the National Executive Board meeting of the Auxiliary. At this meeting plans will be made for the next year's activities.

From Indianapolis, Mrs. Dufford will continue to Washington, D. C., where she will be present for the National Defense Conference of Patriotic Women's organizations.

Each year the American Legion Auxiliary Department of South Carolina invites all the South Carolina Senators and Congressmen with their wives to be guests at the National Defense banquet. Mrs. Dufford will be hostess for the South Carolina Department at this banquet.

MOLLOHON T.W.U.A. MEETS

Mollohon Textile workers local Union No. 324 (C.I.O.) will hold its regular semi-monthly meeting Sunday afternoon, January 30th, at 3 p. m. in the Mollohon School Auditorium. All members of the Local are expected to attend. Regular business will be attended to. Visitors are welcome. (G. F. P. Local 324)

Happy Birthday!

Mrs. B. R. Pickens, (Laura Nance McCaughrin), Mrs. R. C. Williams and Mrs. J. T. Bouknight, Jan. 29; Mrs. B. E. Stockman, Jan. 30; John T. Norris, Houseal Norris, John Jordan McCullough, Kenneth Shealy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Shealy, and Mrs. A. C. Ward, Jan. 31; Mrs. Hugh Boyd, Feb. 1; R. C. Williams, Peggy Sue rice and Seth Meek, Feb. 2; Bernard Hawkins and Mrs. T. J. Harmon, Feb. 3; A. H. Counts, Mrs. Henry T. Fellers, Miss Anne Hiller, Sherrill Jean Humphries and Mrs. Horace T. Boozer, Feb. 4.

Widow Of Late Dr. Hentz Dies

Mrs. Fannie Caldwell Hentz, 80, widow of the late Dr. E. O. Hentz, died last Wednesday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. M. Daniel, 703 Boulevard, Anderson. She had been in declining health for several months.

Mrs. Hentz was originally from Mt. Carmel in Abbeville County and spent her early childhood there, but had made her home in Newberry most of her life. She was a daughter of the late J. E. and Martha Mars Caldwell. She was a prominent citizen of Newberry and was a devoted member of the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer. Her husband preceded her to the grave 11 years ago.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer with the Rev. Paul E. Monroe and Dr. R. A. Goodman conducting the service. Interment followed in Rosemont Cemetery.

She is survived by two sons, W. E. Hentz of Augusta, Ga., and Dr. E. O. Hentz of Anderson; two daughters, Mrs. H. M. Daniel of Anderson, and Mrs. Walter L. Welborn of Newberry one sister, Mrs. J. O. Erwin of Spartanburg; one half-sister, Mrs. Sara Caldwell Powell; two half-brothers, Boyce Caldwell and Carroll Caldwell, all of Texas; 11 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were J. W. Smith, W. C. Brown, P. K. Harmon, T. E. Setzler, C. B. Parr, Sr., John Clark, Vernon Carlton and Drayton Nance.

Real Estate Transfers

Newberry
Mattie Miller and Robert Miller to Lizzie Taylor and Jeff Taylor, one lot and one building on Brantley street, \$370 and other considerations, Glenn E. Jones to Wilbur H. Chapman and Ruth K. Chapman, one lot and one building, 605 O'Neal street, \$2750.

Rutherford
A. E. Reese to Nancy Bates and Edith Bates, 59 1/2 acres and one building, \$1250.

Red Knoll
Mrs. E. M. Oliver, et al to Ernest E. Oliver, 35 acres, W. O. Oliver, estate, \$5 love and affection.

Little Mountain
W. A. Counts, et al to C. W. Wessinger, 18 acres, \$5350.

Old Town
Ellen W. Sanders and Julia Elizabeth Sanders to William Burton and Kate Burton, 113.93 acres, W. H. Sanders estate, \$2500.

Tranwood
Charles O. Tinsley to J. L. and Savannah Tinsley, 2 1/2 acres, \$5.00 love and affection.

Kinards
Mrs. Pearl Rice to J. G. Johnson, 35 acres, \$2500.

MARY RUTH AND AGNES CAROL ARMFIELD CHRISTENED SUNDAY

Sunday, January 23, 1949, Mary Ruth and Agnes Carol Armfield, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. O. Franklin Armfield, Jr., of Laurens, were christened at the First Presbyterian church in Laurens by the Rev. Tom Cook, pastor of the church.

Petit blond Mary Ruth, 22 months of age and her seven months old brunette sister, Agnes Carol, wore pink dresses trimmed in blue.

Mrs. O. F. Armfield of Newberry, mother of Mr. Armfield and Mrs. Mary Templeton, mother of Mrs. Armfield, were present for the christening services.

MRS. CROMER IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Jas. A. Cromer who underwent a major operation in the Columbia Hospital last week, is recuperating nicely and expects to return to her home on Newberry route 4, this weekend.

FIRE DEPARTMENT HAS QUIET MONTH

The Fire Department have answered only two alarms so far this month. One on January 3rd when a truck caught fire on Friend street, and one false alarm.

FRANCES CRUMP

Frances Susanna Crump, six-month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Crump of Greenville and Newberry, died early Tuesday morning at the Newberry County Hospital. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Central Methodist Church with the Rev. Claude Evans and the Rev. G. H. Hodges officiating. Interment followed in Rosemont Cemetery.

She is survived by her parents; her paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Crump of Newberry,

See Ballet Russe

Among the following Newberrians who attended the Ballet Russe which was presented at the Township Auditorium in Columbia Tuesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Hal Kohn, Jr., Mrs. J. P. Moon, Mrs. W. Roy Anderson and daughter, Miss Virginia Anderson, Mrs. A. W. Murray, Mrs. James N. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Carpenter, Gus Houseal, Mrs. LeRoy Anderson, Nancy Padgett, Doug Stokes, Mrs. Fitzgerald Rutherford and daughter, Kate Rutherford and Mrs. John Goggans.

Calvin Crozier Chapter UDC will meet at the home of Mrs. T. Roy Summer, Sr. on Main street Tuesday, February 1st at 8:30 p. m. Miss Lila Summer will be associate hostess.

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