

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 1902.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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PERSONAL.

Mr. Dennis O'Donnell is in town. Mr. H. Drane Tindal is in town. Mr. M. G. Ryttenberg has gone to New York. Capt. R. J. Brownfield was in the city today. Miss Moneta Otseen has returned from Charleston. H. L. B. Wells, Esq., is in Manning on business. Mr. J. E. Cousar, of Bishopville, was in the city today. Capt. W. S. James, of Bishopville, spent Friday in town. Mr. Neill O'Donnell left for New York Saturday night. B. Frank Kelly, Esq., of Bishopville, spent Saturday in town. Mrs. Y. Strass has gone to Charleston to spend some time. Miss Josephine Clifton, of Orangeburg, is in the city visiting friends. Col. J. J. Dargan, of Darlington, spent several days last week in town. Mr. J. J. Harby, of the Sumter Ice Co., is spending the day in Columbia. Misses Fannie and Lula Haynsworth are spending a few days in Charleston. Misses Blanche DeLorme and Edna Hnghson have returned from Charleston. Miss Annie Warren after spending some time in Camden has returned home. Lieut. L. S. Carson, of the U. S. Army, is home on a three months furlough. Miss Edith DeLorme went to Charleston last Thursday to spend several days. Mr. and Mrs. S. Emanuel, of New York, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Altamont Moses. Mr. A. B. Cargile, editor of the Lee County Leader, spent Friday in the city. Mr. Frank O'Donnell is now filling the position of night clerk at the Hotel Sumter. Miss Etta Seymour after a pleasant visit to friends in Orangeburg returned home Wednesday. Mrs. Sarah Moses, of Seattle, left for her home Tuesday morning after a visit to Mrs. A. C. Moses. The Misses Solomons will entertain a few friends Wednesday evening, with an informal at home. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. B. Wells left for Charleston Saturday afternoon, where they will spend a few days. Mrs. J. N. Talley, of Macon, Ga., has been on a visit to the family of her grandfather, Dr. John H. Furman. Miss Hattie D. Richardson has returned home from Plantersville, Georgetown County, where she has been teaching. Misses Jessie and Tannie Mason and Elizabeth Plowden left for Charleston Tuesday morning to spend a few days seeing the Exposition. Mr. Jno. T. Green has accepted a position with O'Donnell & Co., where he will be pleased to serve his many friends in the future. Miss Carrie Shuford returned to Bishopville on Saturday to the regret of her many friends, after spending some time with relatives in this city. Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Nash and Miss Broughton have returned from New York. Mr. Nash stood the trip well and it is thought was benefitted by his visit. Dr. Cheyne has returned home from New York where he went about a week ago in company with Mr. B. R. Nash, who went there to consult a specialist. Dr. Louis Alexander, of New York, after a stay of several weeks in the city as the guest of Mr. Isaac Strauss left for home last Friday. His health was greatly benefitted by his sojourn in this city.

To the surprise of nearly everyone the telephone franchise issue was not raised at council meeting last Wednesday night. In trimmings J. Ryttenberg & Sons are offering something new and this week are making a special run on their ladies' and children's hose. The registration for the city election is moving slowly, only 320 have so far qualified for voting, and not a candidate has appeared in the field. We predict with the spring weather that a full crop will show up. Mr. D. J. Chandler is now prepared to furnish the most fastidious, his spring clothing has arrived and the latest in ties and hats are indeed nobly and new. At a recent meeting of the City Board of Education it was decided to give holiday on the 17 and 18 of April, in order to give the pupils of the graded schools an opportunity to attend the Charleston Exposition. Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock fire was discovered in the picking room of the Sumter Cotton mill. The sprinklers which are placed through the entire mill worked to perfection, and it was only a few moments before the entire room was flooded. The cotton was immediately removed to the yard where it continued to burn at intervals the entire night. The loss was small and in no way interferes with the operating of the mill. The first batch of recruits left Tuesday afternoon, entering the naval service. James White and Pressly Tisdale, will report to Port Royal and Donald White, formerly connected with the W. U. T. Co., left for Newport, R. I. While Sumter, does not like to see her young men leave home, still she feels proud to know that the city will be so well represented and will watch with eagerness the career of the young seamen. No boy was better known in the city than Donald White and his manly bearing and obliging manner, made him quite a favorite with every one.

DEATHS. Mr. W. F. Stack, Sr., died last Thursday night at half past eleven o'clock. Funeral services were held on Saturday morning, at half past ten, at the Lutheran Church. The friends of Col. J. Harvey Wilson were pained to hear Saturday morning of the death of his wife which occurred at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The funeral services were held at Mt. Zion Church at 11 o'clock Sunday, morning. Mrs. Flora Burns, widow of the late Capt. J. A. Burns, of Privateer Township, died in Paris, Texas, Feb. 19. She was the daughter of Dr. James Mellett, in his day a prominent physician in the Privateer section. After the death of her husband she removed to Texas. Mr. A. A. McDowell father of Mrs. J. H. McLeod, died in Camden Sunday morning, and was buried Monday afternoon in the cemetery there. Mrs. McLeod lost her father and buried her husband the same day. J. E. D. Pisgab, March 4. Funeral of Mrs. Wilson. St. Charles, March 2.—Mrs. Cornelia Wilson, (nee Chandler), the estimable wife of Col. J. Harvey Wilson, who died suddenly on last Friday afternoon, was laid to rest in the quiet and picturesque cemetery, attached to Mt. Zion Church, this morning. There was a large assemblage of relatives and friends and a concourse of citizens generally from far and near, thus attesting by their presence, a due respect and regard for the deceased as well as the high esteem entertained for the character, worth and wide popularity of Harvey Wilson whose friends comprise legions here and over the State. Among those attending from Sumter was noted the presence of Senator R. I. Manning and Honorable Thos. B. Fraser, Altamont Moses, H. F. Wilson and others. The solemn services were conducted by Rev. V. R. Gaston while a sympathizing silence and profound respect for the bereaved living and blessed dead marked every moment engaged. Another marked, because rare feature of this and a few other funerals nowadays, and one that is significant as evincing high regard for true worth, was the voluntary presence of large numbers of colored people, thereby demonstrating their affection for and appreciation of the bereaved and the dead. A genuinely warm and lively sympathy is being extended to our esteemed friend and citizen by his old comrades and the whole community in this his time of sore desolation. J. M. R.

MARRIED. Dr. Charles P. Osteen and Mrs. Emma C. Nigels were married at 5.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, in the Presbyterian Church, Darlington S. C., the ceremony being performed by Rev. D. M. Fulton. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of the friends of the contracting parties, the large and handsome edifice being filled until there was scarcely standing room. Messrs. G. A. Lemmon, J. E. Norment, Cox, Dantzer and Drs. H. M. Stuckey and N. G. Osteen, Jr., acted as ushers. Immediately after the marriage Dr. and Mrs. Osteen drove from the church to the depot and left on the evening train for Charleston.

THURSDAY NIGHT'S STORM. High Wind and Heavy Rain, but no Serious Damage. The wind and rain storm Thursday night caused great uneasiness and many people were apprehensive that serious damage had been done. The only damage in this city resulting from the high wind was caused by a tree falling across the back piazza of the old Pate house at the corner of Liberty and Magnolia Streets. The piazza roof was crushed in and the rear part of the house otherwise damaged to some extent. A great many fences were blown down, window blinds blown off and telephone wires broken, but the damage was much less than anticipated. All of the out of town lines of the Sumter Telephone Co. were down this morning and no connection could be had with other parts of the county by telephone. Telegraphic reports from Charleston, Augusta, Orangeburg and other places state that while the wind was high and boisterous no damage was done in these places and no loss of life or property has been reported.

KILLED IN THE STORM. Negro Woman Crushed to Death by Falling House. Alice Rhame, colored, who lives on the farm of Mr. S. A. Harvin, a few miles from this city, near Cain's Mill was instantly killed Thursday night during the wind storm that swept over this section of country. The woman and her husband and two other negroes were asleep in the house which was blown down in the height of the storm. The woman was caught beneath the falling timbers and her life crushed out. The other inmates of the house escaped without serious injury. The roof of a cotton house on Mr. Harvin's place was blown off and other buildings on the place were somewhat damaged.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING. Only Routine Business Transacted—Telephone Petition Not Presented. The City Council held a regular meeting at 8 o'clock last Wednesday night. Present, Mayor Stuckey and Aldermen Chandler, W. H. Epperson, Hurst, Purdy and Boyle. The minutes of the 12th and 18th instants were read and approved. The committee in charge of the city map stated that they had accepted Mr. John R. Haynsworth's map with some improvements to be made, and had made partial payment for same. Mr. Hurst stated that Mr. W. H. Seals, county supervisor, had suggested that he be permitted to do the work due the city on Cemetery Avenue, making it into a clay road for the present, leaving the road where he is now working north from Mile branch on the Bishopville road. Council voted to accept this offer of Mr. Seale and the clerk was directed to notify him. Mr. Boyle asked further time to report on the extension of water main in Washington Street from Bartlette Street to Graham Street. His request was granted. Mr. Hurst stated that he learned that Mr. E. P. Ricker would give three feet of land to widen sidewalk along the line of his property in Calhoun Street, and on his motion the Mayor was authorized to accept the offer and have fence built for Mr. Ricker. Mr. Chandler presented request of Mrs. A. J. Reardon for a plank drain in John Street where it is greatly needed. On motion of Mr. Hurst the request was referred to the committee of public works with power to act. The Mayor reported that he had gotten the fire department to test hydrants on North Church Street with the following results. At Mr. Harby's house the pressure was good—as good as anywhere in the city. At the corner of Church and Blanding Street it was quite as good. He also stated that at both hydrants small rocks, flint and granite, had come into the nozzles and partially stopped the flow of water. How they got into the hydrants cannot be explained. Letters from Mr. W. F. Rhame, clerk of the Bartlette Street Church, were received, asking: 1. Improvement of sidewalk on North side of Bartlette Street and, 2. Location of an electric light at the corner of Bartlette and Sumter Streets. These requests were referred to committee on streets. An application from Mr. H. J. McLaurin, Jr., to rent office in City Hall (formerly fire chief's office) was received. The application was referred to the City Clerk with power to rent for one year. Messrs. J. F. Pate and J. E. Gailard offered through Supt. of Streets White to give land on Council Street to widen sidewalk. The matter was referred to the proper committee with power to act.

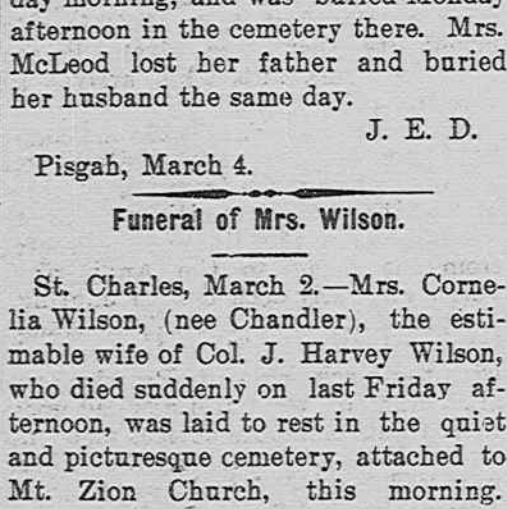
ENJOYABLE MUSICAL. Miss Hutcheson's Music Class Entertains Friends. The pupils of Miss Hutcheson's music class entertained their friends at a musicale last Thursday evening. The recital hall was prettily decorated and quite a large crowd of music-loving people were present, who attested their appreciation of the programme rendered by enthusiastic applause. The pupils and members of the Glee Club played very well indeed, considering the short time they had been studying, and much credit is due Miss Hutcheson, under whose instruction they have made such marked progress. The programme was as follows: Mandolin Club—Section—Gutman. Violin Solo—Luray Waltzes—Escher—Miss Nita Stucky. Mandolin Duet—Lange—Miss Hutcheson, Mr. Warren. Violin Solo—Fairy Redowa Waltz—Gutman—Mr. Bartow Walsh. Piano Solo—Pas de Charge—Matti—Mrs. Blanding. Banjo Solo—Selected—Miss Hutcheson. Vocal Solo—Happy Days—Streleski—Miss Stansell. Mandolin Solo—5th Nocturne—Leyback—Mr. Robt. Warren. Violin Solo—Berceuse—Godard—Miss Alice Harby. Quintet—Story Teller Waltzes—Farland—Misses Harby and Hutcheson, Mesdames F. Levi and Blanding, Mr. Robt. Warren.

MINER WALDEN GALLUP. A Young Musician of Great Talent and Promise. The piano recital Thursday evening by Miner Walden Gallup was a complete and gratifying success from an artistic and musical point of view, but owing to the weather there was but a handful of music lovers present to hear this remarkably gifted young musician. He is an artist of the first rank and there is before him a great future for his talent, already recognized by those whose opinion carries weight, is certain to win for him both fame and fortune before he is many years older.

RECRUITING STATION FOR THE NAVY. Has Been Opened In This City. Master at Arms, H. Wilson, of the Port Royal Naval Station, arrived in the city Thursday night and has made arrangements for opening a recruiting station for the enlistment of men for the United States navy. Young men between the ages of 18 and 25 years will be enlisted as landsmen and boys between the ages of 15 and 17 years will be enlisted as apprentices. The term of enlistment for landsmen is four years and the pay \$16 a month in addition to clothing, rations, medical attendance etc., and there is every opportunity for advancement. Apprentices receive \$9 a month. Lieutenant, L. L. Mitchell, will have charge of the recruiting station. He will have with him a surgeon and four enlisted men.

A MISSIONARY FROM BRAZIL. Dr. J. W. Tarbeau was in the City on Sunday. Rev. J. W. Tarbeau, D. D., missionary to Brazil from the M. E. Church, South preached in the First Methodist Church Sunday morning and in Magnolia Street Church that night. He also lectured to the First Methodist Sunday School in the afternoon. Dr. Tarbeau is a zealous worker and a strong preacher. He has spent nineteen years in Brazil, and is thoroughly conversant with social, religious, political and industrial conditions in that wonderful country. He is an interesting speaker, and those who had the privilege of hearing him were highly entertained and instructed. Recently the government of the State of Murias has removed its capital to a new site, and is projecting a fine city on modern plans. The legislature of that State has given an entire square in the heart of the capital city to the Southern Methodist Church, on condition that they erect thereon a church, a parsonage and a school. This is recognized as a valuable concession to a Protestant Church, and Dr. Tarbeau is attempting to raise six thousands of dollars in South Carolina towards the buildings. The contributions received yesterday were generous. The native Methodists of Murias have subscribed six thousands of dollars also. These sums will be supplemented by the Church Extension Board of the Church, and the work bids fair to become an accomplished fact in the near future.

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