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Introduction

In this paper we shall consider the following evolution equations

$$(0.1) \quad \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} u - \sum_{i=1}^n (|u_{x_i}|^{p-2} u)_{x_i} - \Delta \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \beta(x, u) = f(x, t)$$

in $\mathcal{Q} \times (0, \infty)$ together with the initial-boundary conditions;

$$(0.2) \quad u|_{\partial \mathcal{Q}} = 0, \quad u(x, 0) = u_0(x), \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(x, 0) = u_1(x),$$

where \mathcal{Q} is a bounded domain in R^n with a smooth boundary $\partial \mathcal{Q}$.

It is our purpose here to establish the existence of global (bounded) solution to the above problem (0.1)-(0.2).

In the case $\beta(x, u) = 0$, problem (0.1)-(0.2) was studied by Greenberg [2] for $n=1$, and by Tsutsumi [6] for general n . On the other hand, Clement [1] and Kakita [3] have obtained the existence of weak periodic solution. (In [3] more general equations has been treated.). But in their works $\beta(x, u) = 0$ was also assumed. In the case $\beta(x, u) \neq 0$, especially $\beta(x, u)$ is not monotonic in u , the methods of earlier papers do not apply to our problem and here we shall consider such cases. Our method is related to Nakao [5], where semilinear hyperbolic equations have been considered.

1. Preliminaries.

We shall employ usual notations. For brevity we use the notation $\|u\|_p = \left(\int_{\mathcal{Q}} |u|^p dx \right)^{1/p}$. The following lemma is well-known.

LEMMA 1.1. (Sobolev)

If $u \in W_0^{1,p}(\mathcal{Q})$, then $u \in L^q(\mathcal{Q})$ and the inequality

$$(1.1) \quad \|u\|_q \leq S_{q,p}(\mathcal{Q}, n) \|\nabla u\|_p = S_{q,p}(\mathcal{Q}, n) \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \left\| \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_i} \right\|_p^p \right)^{1/p}$$

holds, where q is a number satisfying

$$(1.2) \quad 1 \leq q \leq \frac{np}{n-p} \text{ if } n > p \text{ and } 1 \leq q < \infty \text{ if } n \leq p.$$

Let p be a real number ≥ 2 and α a nonnegative real number.

Our hypotheses are:

H.1. $\beta(x, u)$ is Lipschitz continuous in u for almost all $x \in \mathcal{Q}$ and satisfies

$$(1.3) \quad |\beta(x, u)| \leq K_0 |u|^{\alpha+1} \text{ for } \forall u \in \mathbb{R}, \text{ a.e. } x \in \mathcal{Q},$$

where K_0 is a positive constant and

$$(1.4) \quad 2 \leq \alpha + 2 < \frac{np}{n-p} \text{ if } n > p \text{ and } 0 \leq \alpha < \infty \text{ if } 1 \leq n \leq p.$$

$$H.2. \quad f \in C(\mathbb{R}; L^2(\mathcal{Q})) \text{ and } M = \sup_{t \in \mathbb{R}} \left(\int_t^{t+1} \|f(s)\|_2^2 ds \right)^{1/2} < \infty.$$

Definition 1. $u(x, t)$ is said to be a bounded solution of (0.1)-(0.2) with initial value $\{u_0(x), u_1(x)\}$ if $u \in L^\infty(\mathbb{R}^+; W_0^{1,p}(\mathcal{Q}))$,

$u' \in L^\infty(\mathbb{R}^+; L^2(\mathcal{Q})) \cap L_{loc}^2(\mathbb{R}^+; W_0^{1,2}(\mathcal{Q}))$ and for $\forall \varphi \in C_0^1(\mathbb{R}^+; W_0^{1,p}(\mathcal{Q}))$ the variational equation

$$(1.5) \quad \int_0^\infty -(u'(t), \varphi'(t)) dt + \int_0^\infty \left(\sum_{i=1}^n |u_{x_i}|^{p-2} u_{x_i}, \varphi_{x_i} \right) dt + \int_0^\infty (u'_{x_i}, \varphi_{x_i}) dt \\ + \int_0^\infty (\beta(\cdot, u), \varphi) dt = \int_0^\infty (f, \varphi) dt + (u_1, \varphi(x, 0))$$

is valid, where $\mathbb{R}^+ = [0, \infty)$ and $(u, v) = \int_{\mathcal{Q}} u(x)v(x) dx$.¹⁾

2. Approximate Solutions

In this section, we shall prove an existence theorem concerning approximate solutions.

For this purpose, we employ the Galerkin's approximation procedure.

Let $\{w_j\}, j = 1, 2, \dots, m, \dots$ be the basis of $W_0^{1,p}(\mathcal{Q})$ and consider the system of ordinary differential equations:

$$(2.1) \quad (u_m''(t), w_j) + \langle Au_m(t), w_j \rangle + ((u_m'(t), w_j)) + (\beta(\cdot, u_m), w_j) \\ = (f(t), w_j), \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, m.$$

with initial values

1) For the sake of simplicity, we denote by the symbol' the differentiation with respect to t .

$$(2.2) \quad u_m(0) = \sum_{j=1}^m \lambda_{m,j}(0)w_j \rightarrow u_0 \text{ strongly in } W_0^{1,p}$$

$$(2.3) \quad u'_m(0) = \sum_{j=1}^m \lambda'_{m,j}(0)w_j \rightarrow u_1 \text{ strongly in } L^2,$$

where $u_m(x, t) = \sum_{j=1}^m \lambda_{m,j}(t)w_j(x)$, $((u, v)) = \int_a^b \nabla u(x) \cdot \nabla v(x) \, dx$ and A is the operator from $W_0^{1,p}(\mathcal{Q})$, to $W^{-1,p/p-1}(\mathcal{Q})$ defined by

$$\langle Au, v \rangle = \int_a^b \sum_{i=1}^n |u_{x_i}|^{p-2} u_{x_i} v_{x_i} \, dx \text{ for any } u, v \in W_0^{1,p}(\mathcal{Q}).$$

The solution $\{\lambda_{m,j}(t)\}_{j=1}^m$, and consequently $u_m(t)$ exists on an interval, say, $[0, t_m]$ by the standard theory of ordinary differential equations. We must give a priori estimates for approximate solutions $u_m(x, t)$. First we shall consider the case where $p < \alpha + 2$.

Now we introduce some functionals on $W_0^{1,p}(\mathcal{Q})$ as follows;

$$(2.4) \quad J_0(u) = (1/p) \|\nabla u\|_p^p + \int_a^b \int_0^{u(x,t)} \beta(x, s) \, ds \, dx$$

$$(2.5) \quad J_0(\tilde{u}) = (1/p) \|\nabla u\|_p^p - (K_0 S_{\alpha+2,p}^{\alpha+2} / \alpha + 2) \|\nabla u\|_p^{\alpha+2}$$

$$(2.6) \quad J_1(u) = \|\nabla u\|_p^p + \int_a^b \beta(x, u) u \, dx$$

$$(2.7) \quad \tilde{J}_1(u) = \|\nabla u\|_p^p - K_0 S_{\alpha+2,p}^{\alpha+2} \|\nabla u\|_p^{\alpha+2}.$$

By the assumption (1.3) and Lemma 1. 1, we have

$$(2.8) \quad \tilde{J}_0(u) \leq J_0(u) \text{ and } \tilde{J}_1(u) \leq J_1(u) \text{ for } \forall u \in W_0^{1,p}(\mathcal{Q}).$$

Also we put

$$(2.9) \quad D_1 = \text{Max}_{x \geq 0} \{x^p - K_0 S_{\alpha+2,p}^{\alpha+2} x^{\alpha+2}\} = x_0^p - K_0 S_{\alpha+2,p}^{\alpha+2} x_0^{\alpha+2}$$

where $x_0 = (p/K_0 S_{\alpha+2,p}^{\alpha+2} (2+\alpha))^{1/\alpha+2-p}$,

and put

$$(2.10) \quad D_0 = (1/p)x_0^p - (K_0 S_{\alpha+2,p}^{\alpha+2} / \alpha + 2)x_0^{\alpha+2}.$$

We define the stable set W by

$$(2.11) \quad W \equiv \left\{ (u_0, u_1) \in W_0^{1,p} \times L^2; \|\nabla u_0\|_p < x_0, \|(u_0, u_1)\|_W \right. \\ \left. \equiv \frac{1}{2} \|u_1\|_2^2 + J_0(u_0) < D_0 \right\}.$$

LEMMA. 2.1. *In addition to the hypotheses H.1 and H.2, we assume that $(u_0, u_1) \in W$ and $p < \alpha + 2$. Then there exists a positive number $M_0 = M_0(\|(u_0, u_1)\|_W)$*

such that if $M < M_0$, approximate solution $u_m(t)$ exists on $[0, \infty)$ and satisfy

$$(2.12) \quad \|u'_m(t)\|_2^2 \leq 2D_0 \text{ and } \|\nabla u_m(t)\|_p \leq x_0 \text{ for } \forall t \in [0, \infty)$$

and

$$(2.13) \quad \int_T^{T+1} \|\nabla u'_m(t)\|_2^2 dt \leq D_0 + M\sqrt{2D_0} < \infty \text{ for } \forall T > 0,$$

where m is a sufficiently large positive integer.

PROOF. We shall show that $(u_m(t), u'_m(t))$ stays in the stable set W for all time as long as they exist. Then (2.12) will follow easily from the inequality

$$(2.14) \quad \frac{1}{2} \|u'_m(t)\|_2^2 + \tilde{J}_0(u_m(t)) < D_0 < \text{Max}_{x \geq 0} \left\{ \frac{1}{p} x^p - (K_0 S_{\alpha+2, p}^{\alpha+2} + 2) x^{\alpha+2} \right\}$$

Since $(u_0, u_1) \in W$, we have by the definition of W

$$(2.15) \quad \mathcal{E}_0 = D_0 - \left(\frac{1}{2} \|u_1\|_2^2 + J_0(u_0) \right) > 0.$$

Also since $(u_m(0), u'_m(0)) \rightarrow (u_0, u_1)$ in $W_0^{1,p} \times L^2$, we may assume

$$(2.16) \quad \frac{1}{2} \|u'_m(0)\|_2^2 + J_0(u_m(0)) \leq D_0 - \mathcal{E}, \quad 0 < \forall \mathcal{E} < \mathcal{E}_0,$$

for large m .

Suppose that our assertion was false. There would then exist the smallest time $\bar{t} \in [0, t_m]$ at which

$$(2.17) \quad \frac{1}{2} \|u'_m(\bar{t})\|_2^2 + J_0(u_m(\bar{t})) = D_0.$$

We shall derive a contradiction. First of all we note that

$$(2.18) \quad \tilde{J}_0(u_m(t)) \leq J_0(u_m(t)) \leq D_0 \text{ for } t \in [0, \bar{t}],$$

and the continuity of $\tilde{J}_0(u_m)$, with respect to $\|\nabla u_m\|_p$, implies

$$(2.19) \quad \|\nabla u_m(t)\|_p \leq x_0 \quad \text{for } t \in [0, \bar{t}].$$

Now multiplying (2.1) by $\lambda'_{m,j}(t)$, summing over j from 1 to m and integrating over $[a, b] \subset [0, t_m]$, we obtain

$$(2.20) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2} \|u'_m(b)\|_2^2 + J_0(u_m(b)) + \int_a^b \|\nabla u'_m(t)\|_2^2 dt \\ & = \frac{1}{2} \|u'_m(a)\|_2^2 + J_0(u_m(a)) + \int_a^b (f(t), u'_m(t)) dt. \end{aligned}$$

In the above we take $b = \bar{t}$ and $a = 0$ to get by (2.16)

$$(2.21) \quad \mathcal{E} + \int_0^{\bar{t}} \|\nabla u'_m(t)\|_2^2 dt \leq S_{2,2} \int_0^{\bar{t}} \|f(t)\|_2 \|\nabla u'_m(t)\|_2 dt.$$

Hence we have

$$\mathcal{E} + \int_0^{\bar{t}} \|\nabla u'_m(t)\|_2^2 dt \leq \int_0^{\bar{t}} \|\nabla u'_m(t)\|_2^2 dt + \frac{S_{2,2}^2}{4} \int_0^{\bar{t}} \|f(t)\|_2^2 dt$$

or

$$(2.22) \quad \int_0^{\bar{t}} \|f(t)\|_2^2 dt \geq \frac{4}{S_{2,2}^2} \mathcal{E}.$$

Now let us assume

$$(2.23) \quad M < M_1 = \sqrt{(4/S_{2,2}^2) \mathcal{E}_0}.$$

Then from (2.22) and (2.23), it is easily seen that $\bar{t} > 1$ for large m .

Thus we can take $b = \bar{t}$ and $a = \bar{t} - 1$ in (2.20), and we have

$$(2.24) \quad \int_{\bar{t}-1}^{\bar{t}} \|\nabla u'_m(t)\|_2^2 dt \leq \int_{\bar{t}-1}^{\bar{t}} |(f(t), u'_m(t))| dt$$

and hence

$$(2.25) \quad \int_{\bar{t}-1}^{\bar{t}} \|\nabla u'_m(t)\|_2^2 dt \leq S_{2,2}^2 M^2, \quad \int_{\bar{t}-1}^{\bar{t}} \|u'_m(t)\|_2^2 dt \leq S_{2,2}^4 M^2.$$

Therefore there exist numbers $\bar{t}_1 \in [\bar{t} - 1, \bar{t} - \frac{3}{4}]$ and $\bar{t}_2 \in [\bar{t} - \frac{1}{4}, \bar{t}]$ such that

$$(2.26) \quad \|u'_m(\bar{t}_i)\|_2 \leq 2S_{2,2} M, \quad i = 1, 2.$$

Next, multiplying (2.1) by $\lambda_{m,j}(t)$, summing over j and integrating over $[\bar{t}_1, \bar{t}_2]$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\bar{t}_1}^{\bar{t}_2} J_1(u_m(t)) dt &\leq |(u'_m(\bar{t}_1), u_m(\bar{t}_1))| + |(u'_m(\bar{t}_2), u_m(\bar{t}_2))| + \\ &+ \int_{\bar{t}_1}^{\bar{t}_2} \{ \|u'_m(t)\|_2^2 + |(\nabla u'_m(t), \nabla u_m(t))| + |(f(t), u_m(t))| \} dt \end{aligned}$$

and by virtue of (2.25), (2.26) and (2.19),

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq 4S_{2,2}^2 M \max_{[t-1, t]} \|u_m(t)\|^2 + S_{2,2}^4 M^2 + S_{2,2} M (\text{mes } \mathcal{Q})^{\beta-2/2\beta} x_0 + M \max_{[t-1, t]} \|u_m(t)\|_2 \\ &\leq S_{2,2}^4 M^2 + x_0 \{ 4S_{2,2}^2 M S_{2,p} + S_{2,2} M (\text{mes } \mathcal{Q})^{\beta-2/2\beta} + M S_{2,p} \} \\ (2.27) \quad &\equiv C_1(M) + x_0 C_2(M). \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\bar{t}_1}^{\bar{t}_2} J_1(u_m(t)) dt &\geq \int_{\bar{t}_1}^{\bar{t}_2} \tilde{J}_1(u_m(t)) dt \\ &= \int_{\bar{t}_1}^{\bar{t}_2} \|\nabla u_m(t)\|_p^\beta (1 - K_0 S_{\alpha+2,p}^{\alpha+2}) \|\nabla u_m(t)\|_p^{\alpha+2-\beta} dt \end{aligned}$$

by (2.19) and the definition of x_0

$$\geq (1 - (p/\alpha + 2)) \int_{\bar{t}_1}^{\bar{t}_2} \| \nabla u_m(t) \|_p^p dt .$$

From (2.27) and (2.28), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\bar{t}_1}^{\bar{t}_2} \| \nabla u_m(t) \|_p^p dt &\leq \frac{\alpha + 2}{\alpha + 2 - p} \int_{\bar{t}_1}^{\bar{t}_2} J_1(u_m(t)) dt \\ (2.29) \qquad \qquad \qquad &\leq \frac{\alpha + 2}{\alpha + 2 - p} (C_1(M) + x_0 C_2(M)) . \end{aligned}$$

The inequality (2.29) together with (2.25) implies that there exists a point $t^* \in [\bar{t}_1, \bar{t}_2]$ such that

$$(2.30) \quad \| u'_m(t^*) \|_2^2 + \| \nabla u_m(t^*) \|_p^p \leq 2C_3(M) ,$$

where $C_3(M) \equiv S_{2,2}^2 M^2 + (\alpha + 2/\alpha + 2 - p)(C_1(M) + x_0 C_2(M))$.

In (2.20) we take $b = \bar{t}$ and $a = t^*$ to get by (2.30)

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{1}{2} \| u'_m(\bar{t}) \|_2^2 + J_0(u_m(\bar{t})) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \| u_m(t^*) \|_2^2 + J_0(u_m(t^*)) + \int_{\bar{t}-1}^{\bar{t}} |(f(t), u'_m(t))| dt \\ &\leq C_4(M) \equiv C_3(M) + \frac{K_0}{\alpha + 2} S_{\alpha+2,p}^{\alpha+2} (2C_3(M))^{2+\alpha/p} + S_{2,2}^2 M^2 \end{aligned}$$

This contradicts (2.17) if we choose $M < M_2$, M_2 being the smallest number satisfying $C_4(M) = D_0$.

Thus if we take $M_0 = \text{Min}(M_1, M_2)$, the proof of (2.12) is completed.

Furthermore if we take $b = T + 1$ and $a = T$ in (2.20), then we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_T^{T+1} \| \nabla u'_m(t) \|_2^2 dt &\leq \frac{1}{2} \| u'_m(T) \|_2^2 + J_0(u_m(T)) + \int_T^{T+1} |(f(t), u'_m(t))| dt \\ &\leq D_0 + M \left(\int_T^{T+1} \| u'_m(t) \|_2^2 dt \right)^{1/2} , \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and hence } \int_T^{T+1} \| \nabla u'_m(t) \|_2^2 dt \leq D_0 + M \sqrt{2D_0} ,$$

where T is any positive number.

Next we shall consider the case where $p > \alpha + 2$.

LEMMA 2.2. *In addition to hypotheses H.1 and H.2., we assume that $p > \alpha + 2$. Then approximate solutions of the problem (2.1)-(2.3) exist on $[0, \infty)$ and satisfy*

$$(2.12)' \quad \| u'_m(t) \|_2^2 + \| \nabla u_m(t) \|_p^p \leq C(u_0, u_1, M) \text{ for } \forall t \in [0, \infty) ,$$

$$(2.13)' \quad \int_T^{T+1} \| \nabla u'_m(t) \|_2^2 dt \leq C(u_0, u_1, M, T) \text{ for } \forall T > 0 \text{ and } \forall m .$$

PROOF. First we can obtain the estimate

$$\frac{1}{2} \|u'_m(t)\|_2^2 + J_0(u_m(t)) \leq C(u_0, u_1, M) \text{ for } t \in [0, \infty] \text{ and large } m.$$

This is verified by the similar way of the Lemma 2.1.

Next, using Lemma 1.1 and Young's inequality, we have

$$\frac{1}{2} \left(\|u'_m(t)\|_2^2 + \frac{1}{p} \|\nabla u_m(t)\|_p^p \right) \leq C(u_0, u_1, M),$$

which implies (2.12)'.

3. Passage to the Limit

By the passage to the limit of approximate solutions, we shall obtain;

THEOREM 3.1. *In addition to the hypotheses H.1 and H.2, we assume that $\alpha+2 > p$, $(u_0, u_1) \in W$ and $M < M_0$. Then the problem (0.1)-(0.2) admits a bounded solution u with initial data (u_0, u_1) in the sense of Definition 1. Moreover the estimates (2.12) and (2.13) hold for $u_m = u$.*

THEOREM 3.2. *In addition to the hypotheses H.1 and H.2, we assume that $\alpha+2 < p$ and $(u_0, u_1) \in W_0^{1,p} \times L^2$. Then we have the same conclusion as Theorem 3.1 without any restrictions on M and (u_0, u_1) .*

We shall verify Theorem 3.1 only, because Theorem 3.2 is verified in a similar way.

PROOF of Theorem 3.1. We construct the approximate solutions $\{u_m(t)\}$ by (2.1), (2.2) and (2.3). By the Lemma 2.1 we have

$$(3.1) \quad \|Au_m(t)\|_{W^{-1,p/p-1}} \leq x_0^{p-1} \text{ for } \forall t \in [0, \infty).$$

Let $\{T_n\}$ be any positive sequence tending to ∞ as $n \rightarrow \infty$. Then by (2.12), (2.13) and (3.1), we can use the standard compactness arguments to extract a subsequence from $u_m(t)$, which will be denoted also by $u_m(t)$, satisfying;

$$(3.2) \quad u_m(t) \longrightarrow u(t) \text{ weakly star in } L^\infty(\mathbb{R}^+; W_0^{1,p}(\mathcal{Q})) \text{ and a.e. in } \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^+,$$

$$(3.3) \quad \beta \cdot u_m(t) \longrightarrow \beta(\cdot, u(t)) \text{ weakly star in } L^\infty(\mathbb{R}^+; L^{\frac{\alpha+2}{\alpha+1}}(\mathcal{Q}))$$

$$(3.4) \quad u'_m(t) \longrightarrow u'(t) \text{ weakly star in } L^\infty(\mathbb{R}^+; L^2(\mathcal{Q})) \text{ and a.e. in } \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^+,$$

$$(3.5) \quad u'_m(t) \longrightarrow u'(t) \text{ weakly in } L^2_{loc}(\mathbb{R}^+; W_0^{1,2}(\mathcal{Q}))$$

$$(3.6) \quad Au_m \longrightarrow \chi \text{ weakly star in } L^\infty(\mathbb{R}^+; W^{-1,p/p-1}),$$

$$(3.7) \quad u_m(T_n) \longrightarrow u(T_n) \text{ in } L^2 \text{ strongly}$$

$$(3.8) \quad u'_m(T_n) \longrightarrow u'(T_n) \text{ in } L^2 \text{ weakly}$$

$$(3.9) \quad u_m(T_n) \longrightarrow u(T_n) \text{ in } W_0^{1,2} \text{ weakly.}$$

To show that the function $u(t)$ is a solution, it is sufficient to prove that $\chi = Au$.

From (2.1), for every T_n , we have the identity

$$\begin{aligned} & -\int_0^{T_n} (u'_m(t), \psi'(t)) dt + \int_0^{T_n} \langle Au_m(t), \psi(t) \rangle dt + \int_0^{T_n} ((u'_m(t), \psi(t))) dt + \\ & + \int_0^{T_n} (\beta(\cdot, u_m), \psi(t)) dt = \int_0^{T_n} (f(t), \psi(t)) dt + (u'_m(0), \psi(0)) - (u'_m(T_n), \psi(T_n)) \end{aligned}$$

for all functions of the form $\psi = \sum_{k=1}^N d_k(t) w_k$, where $d_k(t)$ are smooth function on $[0, T_n]$.

Taking the limit as $m \rightarrow \infty$ in the above equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & -\int_0^{T_n} (u'(t), \psi'(t)) dt + \int_0^{T_n} \langle \chi, \psi(t) \rangle dt + \int_0^{T_n} ((u'(t), \psi(t))) dt + \\ & + \int_0^{T_n} (\beta(\cdot, u), \psi(t)) dt = \int_0^{T_n} (f(t), \psi(t)) dt + (u_1, \psi(0)) - (u'(T), \psi(T_n)). \end{aligned}$$

Thus we can replace ψ by u in the above equation to obtain

$$(3.10) \quad \begin{aligned} & -\int_0^{T_n} \|u'\|_2^2 dt + \int_0^{T_n} \langle \chi, u \rangle dt + \frac{1}{2} \|\nabla u(T_n)\|_2^2 - \frac{1}{2} \|\nabla u_0\|_2^2 + \\ & + \int_0^{T_n} (\beta(\cdot, u), u) dt = \int_0^{T_n} (f(t), u(t)) dt + (u_0, u_1) - (u'(T_n), u(T_n)). \end{aligned}$$

Also we have

$$X_m = \int_0^{T_n} \langle A(u_m) - A(v), u_m - v \rangle dt \geq 0, \quad v \in L^2((0, T_n): W_0^{1,p}(\Omega)),$$

and, replacing w_i by u_m in (2.1),

$$\begin{aligned} X_m &= \int_0^{T_n} \|u'_m(t)\|_2^2 dt - \frac{1}{2} \|\nabla u_m(T_n)\|_2^2 + \frac{1}{2} \|\nabla u_m(0)\|_2^2 + \int_0^{T_n} (\beta(\cdot, u_m), u_m) dt \\ & + \int_0^{T_n} (f(t), u_m(t)) dt + (u'_m(0), u_m(0)) - (u'_m(T_n), u_m(T_n)) - \\ & - \int_0^{T_n} \langle Av, u_m - v \rangle dt - \int_0^{T_n} \langle A(u_m), v \rangle dt. \end{aligned}$$

Taking the limit as $m \rightarrow \infty$ in the above equation, we get

$$(3.11) \quad \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} X_m \leq \int_0^{T_n} \|u'(t)\|_2^2 dt - \frac{1}{2} \|\nabla u(T_n)\|_2^2 + \frac{1}{2} \|\nabla u_0\|_2^2 +$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + \int_0^{T_n} (\beta(\cdot, u), u) dt + \int_0^{T_n} (f(t), u(t)) dt = (u_1, u_0) - \\
& - (u'(T_n), u(T_n)) - \int_0^{T_n} \langle Av, u-v \rangle dt - \int_0^{T_n} \langle \chi, v \rangle dt.
\end{aligned}$$

From (3.10) and (3.11), we have

$$\int_0^{T_n} \langle \chi - Av, u-v \rangle dt \geq 0 \quad \text{for } v \in L^2((0, T_n): W_0^{1,p})$$

which gives $\chi = Au$.

The limit function $u(x, t)$ satisfies evidently the equality (1.5), and the estimates (2.12), (2.13) and (3.1) hold for u .

Remark 1. We note that $\beta(x, u)$ is a monotonic in u , then the Theorem 3.1 holds for arbitrary f satisfying only the hypothesis H.2.

Remark 2. If we choose the sequence w_i as the basis of $W_0^{s,2}(\mathcal{Q})$, $(s > n(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{p}) + 1)$, we can easily obtain a priori estimate of u_n'' in $\|u_n''\|_{L_{loc}^2(\mathcal{R}: W^{-s,2})}$ and consequently we have slightly better solutions. (see [6]).

Remark 3. Under additional appropriate condition, we can obtain the Theorems 3.1 for more general equation;

$$u_{it} - \sum_{i=1}^n (a_i(x, u_{xi}))_{xi} - \Delta u_i + \beta(x, u, u_i) = f. \quad ([1], [3]).$$

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