

# The Barnwell People-Sentinel

BARNWELL COUNTY'S BEST  
A MOST POPULAR NEWSPAPER  
ALL HOME PRINT.

"If you want money, we have it—  
If you have money, we want it."  
HOME BANK OF BARNWELL.

Established in 1877.

"Just Like a Member of the Family"

Largest County Circulation.

NUMBER 2.

VOLUME XLIX.

BARNWELL, SOUTH CAROLINA, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1925.

## Dr. L. M. Mace Dies After Long Illness

Dr. L. M. Mace died at his home here at 2:45 Sunday morning after an illness of several months following a serious operation. Although his death was not unexpected, the news that he had answered the final summons brought sadness to a host of friends who had hoped against hope that he would win out in his manly fight against the Grim Reaper. His body was laid to rest that afternoon in the Barnwell Baptist Churchyard with Masonic honors, the funeral services being conducted at the residence by Dr. W. M. Jones.

Dr. Mace, who was just in the prime of life, being only 34 years of age, came to Barnwell a number of years ago and after a few months residence here engaged in the drug business. He was very successful and at the time of his death was a partner in the firm of Mace and Deason. He was very popular with the people of this city and always took an active part in civic and religious affairs. He was a Mason, a Shriner and a member of the Baptist Church.

Several years ago he married Miss Marie Baxley, who, with one son and one daughter, survive him. He also leaves two sisters, Miss Ethel Mace, of Bamberg, and Mrs. Elizabeth Mauldin, of Hampton; and three brothers, Messrs. Emory Mace, of St. Louis, Mo., Archie and Victor Mace, of Hampton, who have the sincere sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

The large number of beautiful floral designs that covered his last resting place attested to the respect and esteem in which Dr. Mace was held by the people of his adopted home.

## Barnwell Baptists Preparing to Build

At 7:30 o'clock Thursday morning of last week, the work of tearing down the old Barnwell Baptist Church building in preparation for the erection of a handsome new edifice was begun and splendid progress is being made. The present church is one of the old landmarks of Barnwell. It is to be replaced by a beautiful brick church costing approximately \$35,000. Much interest has been manifested in this work and the congregation of the church is to be congratulated upon the success attained in raising an amount sufficient to begin construction.

It is understood that the Methodist Church will also be torn down at an early date to be replaced by a modern brick structure.

### Smut Control of Oats.

Every year there is quite a large damage to the oat crop as a result of smut. Most farmers when planting wheat nearly always treat their seed for the prevention of smut, however, with oats they do not. Smut in oats can be prevented the same way as is done with wheat. The treatment is very inexpensive and would result in many cases in a large saving. There are two methods of treatment with the use of formaldehyde, one called wet treatment and the other dry.

The greatest objection to the wet treatment is after seed have been soaked, it is necessary for them to be spread out to dry before planting with a drill, with the dry treatment this objection is overcome. Wet treatment consists of the following: One pint of commercial formaldehyde (40 per cent.) in thirty gallons of water, soak seed for ten minutes and they are ready to plant wet or be spread out to dry if not to be planted at once. Dry treatment: Mix about eight parts of water with one part of commercial formaldehyde and this solution sprinkled over the seed as they are piled in piles on the floor. Such amount of this solution should be used so that one pint of the original commercial formaldehyde is used to each forty or fifty bushels of grain. The pile of grain is then covered with burlap or some cloth covering and allowed to stand for three or four hours, after which they are ready for use. If not used immediately they should be spread out in order to allow the fumes of formaldehyde to go away. Any assistance necessary in treating seed or in the purchase of material will be gladly furnished by me.—H. G. Boylston, Co. Agent.

## Organize This County For Golden Rule Week

Mrs. Aumerle Schumpert, who is connected with the work of the Near East Relief, under Lex W. Klutz, with headquarters in Columbia, made a very earnest appeal to the school children at the Barnwell High school building on Thursday morning, when she presented the work in a very forceful manner. Mrs. Schumpert caught the attention of the children when she stated that she had a story to tell of the destitute children of the Near East. She spoke very interestingly of the Golden Rule House Party Week, which begins on Dec. 1st and winds up on Sunday, December 7th, this day to be observed as Golden Rule Sunday. She spoke feelingly of the 40,000 little orphans living in American orphanages, sleeping on wooden cots or mattresses on the floor, eating from long bare tables such food as could be had. A 12-inch Golden Ruler was exhibited to the children. This ruler had slots cut thereon for insertion of twelve dimes, one foot of dimes being enough to support a child for one week, and they were asked to measure their gifts by the "Golden Rule."

Mrs. Schumpert is being sent out by headquarters to organize the Golden Rule Campaign in Barnwell County and has met with a hearty response in every town which she has visited. Col. H. D. Calhoun, of Barnwell, has been chosen as County Chairman; Mrs. A. H. Ninestein local Chairman for Blackville; Mrs. G. M. Green local chairman for Barnwell, with Miss Zelma Diamond as assistant. Chairmen for the towns of Williston, Eiko, Dunbarton, Kline, etc. will be named at once.

The hearty cooperation of the superintendents and teachers of the various schools of the county is assured and Barnwell County expects to go over the top in the observance of Golden Rule House Party Week.

## Mrs. Bonner Talks to Mothers of Barnwell

(Contributed.)  
At the October meeting of the Missionary Society of the Barnwell Methodist Church, by request the women from the various auxiliaries of the other churches of this city united with us to hear Mrs. V. P. Bonner, whom Barnwell proudly claims as her own. (Previous announcement had been made that Mrs. Bonner's address would be made to mothers, her subject being, "Dangers Confronting Youths of Today.") The large attendance, as well as the rapt attention accorded the speaker, attested the fact of deep-felt interest on the part of mothers in this timely topic—perhaps the most needed and the most vital of all topics of this day in which we live.

At a later date Mrs. Bonner also made a talk at the school house to girls 12 years of age and over. If only every mother and every girl of our broad land might be privileged to hear such a message there would certainly be fewer wrecked, wretched young lives and fewer broken hearts down through the years to come.

Because of Mrs. Bonner's broad experience and study, her innate refinement, her pleasing personality and, most of all, her entire consecration, she is peculiarly fitted for this delicate and difficult presentation.

"Where our Captain bids us go  
'Tis not ours to murmur 'No.'  
He that gives the sword and shield  
Chooses too the battle field  
On which we are to fight the foe."

### Govan News.

Govan, Oct. 17.—The October meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of the Baptist church was held Saturday afternoon at the school house. The president, Mrs. R. L. Lancaster, presiding.  
Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Bolen and daughter, Estelle, of Orangeburg, were the week-end guests of Mrs. A. R. Lancaster.  
Mrs. S. Fail of Swansea has returned to her home after a stay of several days with relatives here.  
Miss Martha Livingston spent the week-end at her home in North.  
Mr. and Mrs. S. Mather of Pelion spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Mather.  
The days lose 12 minutes in sunshine this week.

## ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCES FAIR WEEK PREMIUM LIST

At a conference held by the directors of the Barnwell County Fair Association, Miss Willie Mae Vann, Home Demonstration Agent, and Mr. Harry G. Boylston, County Agent, it was decided that exhibits will be displayed in addition to the other features of the Barnwell County Fair, which is to continue through the week of November 2 to 7. The exhibits will be on display in the show windows of various merchants beginning Wednesday morning of Fair week.

The community, individuals and club members are asked to cooperate fully in view of the late date in order to have the best possible exhibits. Judges for different features of the work will be announced later. The premium list is as follows:

Best Community Exhibit — \$15.00  
Second — 7.50  
Third — 5.00  
Best loaf Wheat Bread — \$1.00  
Second — .75  
Third — .50  
Best pound of Butter — 1.00  
Second — .50  
Most economical renovated gar-

ment — 2.00  
Second — 1.00  
Third — .50  
Best complete girl's sewing exhibit — 3.00  
Second — 2.00  
Third — 1.00  
Best club uniform (apron and headband) — 1.00  
Second — .75  
Third — .50  
Best club girl's exhibit in glass — 3.00  
Second — 2.00  
Third — 1.00  
Best pen (cock and 5 hens) — 2.00  
Best pen Turkeys (1 tom and 2 hens) — 2.00  
Best dozen white eggs — 1.00  
Second — .50  
Best dozen brown eggs — 1.00  
Second — .50  
Boy's club exhibits:—  
Best ten ears of corn — \$3.00  
Second — 2.00  
Third — 1.00  
Best cotton club exhibit — 3.00  
Second — 2.00  
Third — 1.00  
County and Home Dem. Gents. Barnwell County.

## Sheriff Destroyed 2 Stills Last Week

Sheriff B. H. Dyches and his deputies captured and destroyed two liquor stills last week, landing one alleged violator of the prohibition law in jail.

The first raid was made Tuesday afternoon, a complete steamer outfit of 60-gallon capacity being found on Simon's Branch in the Western part of the county. No one was at the still at the time.

Saturday morning a raid was made in the Ashleigh section, the still having been located Thursday night. Three men were coming away from the still at the time and they ran as soon as they saw the officers. Sheriff Dyches succeeded in running down and arresting Heyward Black, but the others succeeded in getting away. Black was lodged in jail, being later released under bond. The still, which was also of 60-gallon capacity, had never been operated. The sheriff states that some new equipment had been carried to the plant between the time of his first visit Thursday night and his second visit Saturday morning.

## Interesting Social News of Blackville

Blackville, Oct. 17.—Friends will regret to learn that little Stewart Rich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rich, is confined to his bed.

Miss Eva Rich, who holds a position in Columbia, is visiting her mother, Mrs. R. Rich, and recuperating from a recent operation.

Mrs. Ryan A. Gyles and sister, Miss Bailey, will teach the Ashleigh school near here the coming term.

Friends of Dr. Ryan A. Gyles will be glad to learn that he is better, after being in bed for several days.

Earl Delk has returned to his post of duty, after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Delk.

The improvement of Mrs. Grover Kennedy, after a serious illness, is a source of joy to her friends.

Mrs. Julia Price and little daughter, Elsie, have returned from a visit to relatives in Norway.

Mrs. Harry Free and baby are at home again, after a visit to relatives in Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian A. Price are the happy parents of a lovely little baby daughter, who will be called Elsie.

A community Bible class has been organized here, which will be called The Dora Perkins Community Bible class, in honor of Mrs. Dora Perkins, an extension worker, in the H. L. Stevens evangelistic party, who has just closed a meeting here.

### Veterans Attend Fair.

The following Confederate Veterans from this county are attending the State Fair in Columbia this week: A. Black, Isaac A. Dyches, Henry Hutto, Starling Hutto, H. W. Jones, L. F. Hair, G. W. Boylston, D. P. Lancaster, T. J. Ready, Henry J. Croft, F. N. Hair and H. B. Cave.

## May Bridge Savannah Opposite Allendale

Sylvania, Ga., Oct. 18.—Friday a delegation of business and professional men from Allendale met here with a similar delegation from Screven County for the purpose of considering the building of a highway to the Savannah river. The highway on the South Carolina side is already under construction and it is considered highly probable that work will begin before long on the Screven County side. A resolution requesting the building of a highway from Sylvania to a point on the Savannah River known as Burton's Ferry, opposite the point to which the highway on the South Carolina side leads, was passed by the joint delegation Friday and sent to the Georgia State Highway Commission. The question was discussed from every angle by the members from both Allendale and Screven Counties. Senator R. P. Seanson, of Allendale, J. M. Patterson and Dr. J. E. Warnock, also of Allendale, told of the history of the bridge project up to the present day, and told why the point at Burton's Ferry is the logical point at which to build the bridge, this being a central point, halfway between the two bridges at Augusta and Savannah.

While in Sylvania the visitors from Allendale were royally entertained. They were given dinner at the Pfeiffer Hotel and after the meeting in the afternoon were entertained at supper. They were guests of the Kiwanis Club in the evening, at the regular meeting of the club, at which the board of county commissioners were also present.

The bridge project looks more favorable at the present time than at any other time since its first proposal several years ago.

### Galilee News.

Galilee, Oct. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Aiken Still, of Blackville, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Baxley, of the Reedy Branch section, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Faust Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Ready, of Baldock, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hutto Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Baxley and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Charlie Zissett, of Barnwell.

Mr. Laurie Hutto, of Galilee, is working in Williston. He spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hutto.

Mr. and Mrs. Jobe Hutto, of Denmark, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Black, of this section, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Black, Mrs. Marian Bird and Miss Jennie Bird spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Black.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gary Grubbs, of the Reedy Branch section, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Black and Mrs. Emma Black, of Blackville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Furman Creech.

Misses Amanda Robinson, Myrtis and Mildred Black spent Sunday with little Miss Rena Creech.

## Barnwell Takes Big End of 19 to 0 Score

The Barnwell High School football team took the big end of a 19 to 0 score over the Hampton squad on the local field Friday afternoon. The extra weight of the visitors meant nothing in the young lives of the Barnwell aggregation and only their own loose playing in the first half was responsible for the fact that only three touch downs were made, two excellent chances to score being lost. In the last few minutes of play, Barnwell sacrificed a chance to score another touchdown when several second string men were run in for actual playing experience. The features of the game were the end runs and gains through the line by Carroll, the interception of a forward pass and 20-yard run for a touchdown by Lemon, Barnwell's diminutive quarterback, and the all round good playing of the entire Barnwell eleven. The local's line was impregnable, the only gains made by the visitors being with forward passes and one freak play. They failed to make a single first down with line bucks and end runs.

Hampton has the makings of an excellent team, but the men are green and show the lack of proper coaching. Both teams played clean football and were better friends when the game ended than they were when the first whistle blew. The visitors remained in Barnwell for supper and to attend a dance and the moving picture show.

### St. Matthews Swamps Blackville.

St. Matthews, Oct. 15.—St. Matthews high defeated Blackville here this afternoon in a one sided game by the tune of 77 to 0. The Saints had advantage in weight by 15 pounds to the man and also a more experienced team. The Saints worked as a whole, the defense holding at all times, interference working perfectly and the offense delivered goodly gains. Individuals could not be named with everybody working as they did. Considering the disadvantage they were under the Blackville boys put up a good fight.

## Counties Get Funds From Gasoline Tax

The tax collected on gasoline in South Carolina during the month of September totalled \$402,356.87, of which amount forty per cent. has been distributed to the county governments and 60 per cent. to the State highway department. Amounts sent counties in this section are as follows:

Aiken	\$3,971.81
Allendale	1,215.98
Bamberg	1,572.54
Barnwell	1,797.48
Calhoun	1,099.01
Colleton	1,323.11
Dorchester	1,431.71
Hampton	1,529.31
Orangeburg	5,619.97

### Dickinson-Ray.

A marriage of much interest to a wide circle of friends was that of Mr. James J. Ray and Miss Edwards Dickinson, which occurred in Barnwell last Thursday afternoon, Dr. W. M. Jones performing the ceremony. Immediately after the marriage the happy couple left for Charleston for a short wedding trip. The marriage came as a complete surprise to their friends, except a chosen few in whom they had confided their plans. Mrs. Ray has been teaching in the primary grades of the Blackville school for several years and has made hosts of friends there. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dickinson, of Ulmers.

Mr. Ray is a prosperous and prominent farmer of the Healing Springs section.

They have the best wishes of the entire community for a long and happy life together.

### Buried at Boiling Springs.

The funeral of Boykin Hay, who died in Atlanta Thursday, was held Friday at the old church at Boiling Springs, several miles from Barnwell. The Rev. F. M. Brunton, of Allendale, conducted the services. Many relatives and friends attended the last rites and the floral offerings attested to their respect and affection.

Mr. Hay was a native of the Boiling Springs community and had many near and distant relatives in that section.

## Calhoun Names Staff for State

Harry D. Calhoun of Barnwell, who has been elected commander of the Sons of Confederate Veterans for South Carolina, names the following as members of his staff, and brigade commanders jointly:

C. Keys Sanders, of Barnwell, chief of staff and brigade commander of the Second Congressional district; R. S. Small, of Charleston, inspector and commander of the First District; J. C. Thompson, of Abbeville, Judge advocate and commander of the Third District; the Rev. W. M. Jones, of Barnwell, chaplain; Holmes B. Springs, of Greenville, quartermaster and commander of the fourth District; Charles L. Cobb, color bearer and commander of the Fifth District; C. P. Evans, of Marion, historian and commander of the Sixth District; J. M. Bell, of Columbia, assistant historian and commander of the Seventh District.

Commander Calhoun has ordered his staff and brigade commanders to meet with him at the Jefferson hotel Thursday evening, October 23, at 10 o'clock, to enjoy a dinner party given by the commander in honor of his staff and brigade commanders, and at this dinner plans will be laid to organize camps of Sons of Confederate Veterans throughout the State, and to thoroughly create more activity among the Sons of Veterans of the State in the cause so near and dear to the South, and to take the leading part in assisting the State committees and the Daughters of the Confederacy in the sale of the Stone Mountain Memorial coins.

Commander Calhoun will have with him and his staff at the dinner party John M. Kinard, commander of the Sons of the Army of Northern Virginia, and H. T. Wilcox, of Marion, who is chief inspector.

## Unloaded Gun Takes Deadly Toll Again

Olar, Oct. 13.—Dan Gibson, age 14, was shot accidentally and almost instantly killed, by Roy Fall, age 13, one mile from Olar this morning at 11 o'clock. The boys with several others were engaged in picking cotton. Roy carried his single barrel shotgun with him to the field this morning, and left it unloaded leaning against an old house. It appears that another boy loaded the gun and left it cocked. Roy, not knowing that the gun was loaded, later took it up, and doubtlessly handled it carelessly. As a result the load was discharged into the stomach, chest and face of Dan, who was on his knees about 75 feet down a cotton row picking cotton. Dan lived only a few minutes. A pitiful scene was witnessed by those who first arrived. Little Dan lying dead beside a cotton row and a few feet away lay Roy on a sheet of cotton with his head in his mother's lap, weeping as though his heart would break. They were surrounded by the other members of the party, who were sorely distressed.

Dan is the eldest child of his mother, who was recently married to Lee Carroll. Roy is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fall.

## Jolly Trixie at Barnwell Co. Fair

Jolly Trixie, the lady that fell off to a ton in weight, is with The Knickerbocker Shows coming to the Barnwell County Fair. Trixie has the reputation of being the most entertaining in the land. She is accomplished in many different ways and though handicapped with nearly a ton of superfluous flesh is almost as active as the ordinary flogger. She extends advance invitations to all the gentlemen over forty to an endurance dance test.

The Dixie Minstrels with The Knickerbocker Shows, are among the feature attractions. Their troupe consists of twenty performers and give a real old plantation show that is always enjoyed by every one.

### To Organize Study Center.

Saturday, Oct. 31st is the day for the organization of the Barnwell-Allendale Study Center for teachers for 1925-1926 session. A teachers' meeting will be held at this time, and a program will appear in next week's paper. The first meeting will be at Barnwell.