

# Church News Of Columbia

BY DR. J. C. WHITE

## BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH

Rev. E. A. Adams, Pastor.

Sunday, May the third, was a very high day at Bethel church. The Sunday school was good, the lesson very impressive. At 11:15 o'clock, the pastor opened the forenoon services. It was thought by many to have been the most impressive service of the season. Dr. Adams spoke from the subject: "Dangerous Pitfalls." The sermon has been very widely discussed and thought about. Six persons joined the church, some among them accepting Christ as their Savior.

The League was good. Among those present was Dr. D. M. McGill and a quartette from his church, with Mr. Clark, the president. The evening service was above the average, and another young woman joined the church, making a total of seven, and Rev. Myers sent six to Bethel from the Tabernacle, still increasing our number.

The collection for the day was good and the congregation appeared to be in the spirit on the Lord's day. The choir seemed to have been at its best. Hear Rev. Adams' sermon to the Mothers, Sunday morning, May 10th. WATCH BETHEL.

## FIRST CALVARY CHURCH

The Church with a Welcome.

The Installation services are moving on nicely and according to the program. Sunday, May 10th, 3:00 P. M., Rev. J. C. White, his choir and congregation will be present to install the pastor, Rev. H. W. Long. The Installation sermon will be preached by Rev. Dr. White. Come out and enjoy this service.

Services were good all day Sunday. The Sunday School with Mr. H. W. Harrison, Superintendent, was well attended.

11:00 A. M., the Pastor preached a powerful sermon from the text Numbers 10:29. Candidates were received for baptism.

3:00 P. M. Rev. H. M. Moore, pastor of Second Calvary Church, his choir and congregation were present. The Rev. Mr. Moore preached a soul-stirring sermon.

7:00 P. M., the B. Y. P. U. was opened by the president, Mr. M. S. Stewart; the subject was very ably discussed by the young people. Mrs. Nelson Roseborough had charge of the program which was very interesting.

8:00 P. M., the pastor, Rev. H. W. Long, preached a very inspiring and helpful sermon.

Mr. P. M. Bowling Chr., Mrs. E. W. Long, Sec'y., Miss L. F. Harrison, Rpt'r., Rev. H. W. Long, Pastor.

JONES CHAPEL A. M. E. ZION Church, Cor. Blossom and Sumter Sts. where the Rev. R. Alexander Carroll is Pastor has set herself in battle array against sin as at no other time and today is forging ahead for strength of the Kingdom of God and setting aright many things which hitherto have been overlooked which are for the good of the community and race.

Last Sunday was a high day with us and the Pastor delivered another of those masterpieces both morning and night. After the morning sermon the holy communion was administered to a very large number of communicants, much larger than the first Sunday in April, and one person joined the Church. Sunday was Founder's day in honor of the Founder of the Church, James Varick. In order to perpetuate the name of the man who organized the oldest Negro Methodist Church in the country, it was decided at the General Conference to celebrate the first Sunday in May of each year, so that at night Dr. Carroll preached a sermon on Zion Methodism—her founder, her struggles and her successes and her contribution to Christian civilization from the text I Sam. 7:12: "Hitherto hath the Lord helped us." Next Sunday is Mother's Day. Come! The Fifth Sunday in May, will be observed as Father's Day, the Generations should think sometimes of the bread winner as well as the house-keeper.

Sunday 10th, the pastor will preach a special sermon at 10:30 A. M. to mothers—Mother's Day. At 8:00 P. M. the choir will render a special program, you should not miss so great a treat, for much is in store for you. Monday night Prof. Gregg will entertain us with one of the finest moving picture plays that he has ever pulled off including Dante's Inferno, as well as the life of Christ with many Negro industrial sceneries of indescribable interests to all race lovers.

## ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School last Sunday was indeed large and enthusiastic with all teachers on hand. Something like \$12.00 was the collection. The one outstanding feature of the lesson was the masterly review by Dr. J. H. Good-

win, the subject of the lesson being "The Benefits of Total Abstinence." Dr. Goodwin being so well used in medicine, the human anatomy and the dire effects that rich foods and alcoholic stimulants have upon the health, that his review of the lesson was not only inspiring, but pregnant with information. Dr. Goodwin traced the great epidemic of high blood pressure to rich foods and showed conclusively why Daniel looked fairer, was more alert, and could apprehend better the governmental problems of Babylon than those who loaded their bladders with the unassimilating richness of the "portion of the king's meats."

The Rev. J. C. White, pastor, ascended the rostrum at exactly 11:30 A. M. and discussed the subject "Gratitude, the True Test of the Christian Life," of that day, eoa.s.uor. ttfwhtec C-icacfx This was Dr. White's master sermon of this year. It was brimful of oratory; he filled his quiver with arrows of sarcasm, which he shot at the selfish men and women, and at times he worked his audience to such a height of enthusiasm, that the speaker had to pause for a hearing. Four came forward and gave the minister their hands at the conclusion of the sermon and demanded baptism. Collection, \$70.00. An after collection of \$8.60 was given to the Jenkins' Orphan Home of Charleston, and another after collection of \$6.00 was given to the Booker Washington Heights School through Mrs. J. C. White, teacher.

At three o'clock P. M. the pastor and Dr. Goodwin, Messrs. James W. Hopkins and John Porter motored over to Batesburg where Dr. White was to deliver the baccalaureate sermon to the high school, Professor Curry, Principal. When Dr. White drove up to the new Batesburg school, because of the enormous crowd they had to provide seats in the yard, on the platform, while scores of automobiles and buggies from all over Saluda, Lexington, and Aiken counties stood around for blocks. Professor Curry first presented Dr. J. H. Goodwin who in a few well chosen words electrified the big audience, then followed Dr. White with a masterly sermon in which he held up these three thoughts: Service, Opportunity and Reward. This sermon was followed by a red hot burning address by State Senator Rigdell, in which he congratulated Drs. Goodwin and White for the sound advice they brought to the colored people of the Ridge Section. Senator Rigdell said the well being of the Negro race depended upon its leadership. He said he cared not about the opinion of the masses, but what the leaders were thinking.

Back-To Zion—At 8:00 P. M. the pastor was back at the "old ship of Zion," where Miss Josie B. White had about 100 small boys and girls to turn out known as the Sunshine Band. Little Miss Francis Goodwin read a paper that would do credit to one twenty years old. This child is 7 or 8 years old. Little Miss Ruphene Jarvis sang a solo entitled "My Mother's Prayer Has Followed Me," which swept the house by storm, this child is 8 years old also.

The pastor preached a children's sermon, reducing his language and illustrations to a child's understanding. At collection \$75.00 was taken for the night's collection.

Next Sunday our Sunday School will observe Mother's Day. May the 13th, Benedict College students will give a drama at Zion Baptist Church, known as "The Path Across the Hill." We cordially invite the entire City to see this excellent play.

BETHLEHEM BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday was a high day with us. Sunday School convened at 10:00 o'clock with Bro. Isaac Fisher in charge. We had a wonderful lesson concerning the three Hebrew boys. At 11:30 Rev. Smith ascended the rostrum accompanied by Rev. Daniels of Charleston and preached a soul stirring sermon. She used for her Subject "The Great Need of Prayer."

Sunday afternoon at 6 o'clock B. Y. P. U. was conducted by Bro. John Sims, President.

Sunday night at 8:00 o'clock the pastor ascended the rostrum accompanied by Revs. Plair, Bracey and King of Detroit Michigan. Rev. King preached a soul stirring sermon which was enjoyed by all who heard him. We pray that he will live long to help the cause of fallen humanity and the advancement of the kingdom of God. We are also blessed to have with us for the next ten days Rev. E. W. Burt of Gastonia N. C., who is conducting our revival meeting. He is one of the ablest ministers that Gastonia affords, pastoring the largest church in Gastonia. The public is cordially invited to come over in Macedonia and help us in our fight against sin.

Our Pastor has been ill for the past ten or fifteen days but is now able to be up and about. We pray that the Lord will strengthen her so that too will be able to fight in this great campaign against sin. Our Pastor has worked so hard during the past five months. As you know we are remodeling the church and she has really stuck to the job. We will never be able to pay her for the service that she has rendered us, but we want to show our love and appreciation to her for her past labors and the church donated to her a \$60.00 coat suit.

ANNIE HARRIS, Reporter.

## SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

Our rally last Sunday night was a gigantic success, and the same was witnessed by an appreciative audience. The rally was conducted after the sermon. Subject: "The Woman Clothed with Sun." Subject for this Sunday night will be: "What Does the Bible say about the U. S. A? Do you know? If you don't, you ought to hear the Evangelist Chas. Curtis on Sunday night. Pictures will be used to illustrate this subject. All Free.

## ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday was a lovely day with us. Sunday school was convened at its usual hour. A very large attendance. Morning service was just grand. Our Pastor Rev. T. C. Crumpton preached a wonderful sermon from I Cor. 12:5. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M., Miss Ida Mae Bowers, president.

At 8 P. M., we listened to another wonderful sermon preached by the Pastor from Ephesians 5:9.

The public is always invited to worship with us at all times.

## NOTICE

Friday, May 15th, 8:00 P. M., there will be a Colonial Wedding at First Calvary Church. The wedding will be presented by children from two to twelve years. Come out and see these little tots. Admission: Adults 10c; Children under 12 years, 5c.

MRS. CLARA NOWELL, Directress.

## NOTICE

The Mt. Pilgrim Baptist Progressive Union will convene with the Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Saturday before the fifth Sunday in May, at 1915 Laurel street, Columbia, S. C. Rev. W. G. Gunter, Pastor; Rev. G. W. Demock, Moderator; Deacon Mayo, Treasurer; Rev. S. W. Jackson, Clerk.

## NOTICE

There will be a dramatic play "Maidens All Forlorn," given at Salter's Memorial church, Thursday, May 14, 1925, at 8:00 P. M., by the Home Economic Department of Allen University. This play will be given to help Salter's Memorial Church, which is situated between Pine and Oak streets on Washington, in her Spring drive. It is a splendid play and carries a moral worthy of being seen. You are cordially invited to enjoy this wonderful play and to help us in our struggle. Admission 15c.

R. I. LEMON, Pastor.

## THE OLD FOLKS HOME

Mr. Editor: Please allow me space to speak of my old folks home. The old folks are getting along nicely. I have nine inmates in the home.

I wish to thank the Zion Baptist Church for the wonderful donation, and also the choir for rendering such great services. The speeches made by Mr. Miller and Mr. Bailey were very much appreciated. I wish to thank the Rev. R. M. Myers for the splendid donation.

I am very sorry to say that the solicitor for the home has been very ill, but very glad to say he is somewhat better. I ask the prayers of the public.

I am thankful for all donations that have been received and will

be glad for any that is to be received.

Rev. Jagger's Daughter,

SUSIE JAGGERS.

P. S. I wish to thank the Sidney Park C. M. E. church missionaries for their donations also.

## IN MEMORIAM

In sad, but loving remembrance of my dear mother, HARRIET JAGGERS, who departed this life May 1st, one year ago; gone but not forgotten. Just a thought of sweet remembrance, just a memory fond and true; just a token of affection, and a heart ache still for me.

We still cherish the vacant chair. But we know that you are in heaven with the sainted ones above. Sleep on dear mother and father, sleep on and take your rest; We loved you well but Jesus loved you best. Sleep on, sleep on. Susie Jagers, Grand-daughter, Silas Jagers, Son, Elouise and James Jagers.

## Clafin Has Music Week

(By The Associated Negro Press.)

Orangeburg, S. C., May.—Saturday ended a week at Clafin pregnant with musical interest.

On Friday night before Miss Helen Wheeler Ferguson, soprano, Xenia, Ohio, assisted by local talent pleased her audience with a varied musical program. Miss Ferguson furnished the singing and was at her best in rendering such love songs as "I Love a Little Cottage," by O'Hara; "The Greatest Wish in the World," by Del Riego; "Colleen O'Mine," by Strickland and many others. Mrs. Coprich, Head of the Violin Department at Clafin, thrilled the audience in a concerto from Schuler arranged by Seitz. Miss Gertrude Holmes soothed and lulled her audience with a Sonata by Beethoven, so well rendered and appreciated was the program that it was presented on Monday night at Voorhees Institute, Denmark, S. C.

A program and play this Friday night, April 24, was presented by the Faculty and students under the direction of Miss F. P. Eaton of the Industrial Arts Department at Clafin. The Clafin orchestra, a vocal solo by Miss Marie Lovette, a reading from Dunbar, an instrumental solo and the Jokers, a violin solo, and the play, "Waiting for The Train," gave the audience enough enjoyment to reward the director and promoters for the preparation and service.

ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. T. C. CRUMPTON, Pastor. SERVICES: Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Service 11:30 A. M. B. Y. P. U. 6:00 P. M. Evening Service 7:00 P. M.

EMANUEL A. M. E. CHURCH Kendalltown. Rev. D. M. MCGILL, Pastor. SERVICES: Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Service 11:30 A. M. A. C. E. League 6:00 P. M. Evening Service 8:00 P. M.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH 1915 Laurel Street. REV. W. G. GUNTER, Pastor. Sunday School 11:00 A. M. Morning Service 12:00 P. M. Evening Service 7:30 P. M.

## CHURCH DIRECTORY

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Corner Sumter and Taylor Sts.

Rev. E. A. Adams, Pastor.

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### SIDNEY PARK C. M. E. CHURCH

1100 Block Blanding Street

Rev. W. E. Farmer, Pastor.

SERVICES:

Sunday School 10:30 A. M. Morning Service 11:30 A. M. Epworth League 5:30 P. M. Evening Service 7:30 P. M.

### JONES CHAPEL A. M. E. ZION CHURCH

Corner Sumter and Blossom Streets

Rev. R. Alexander Carroll, Pastor.

SERVICES:

Morning Service 10:30 A. M. Sunday School 12:30 P. M. V. C. E. Society 6:30 P. M. Evening Service 8:00 P. M.

### 2nd. CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

1500 Block Bull Street

Rev. H. M. Moore, Pastor.

SERVICES:

Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Service 11:15 A. M. B. Y. P. U. 6:00 P. M. Evening Service 7:30 P. M.

### 1st. CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Richland Street

REV. H. W. LONG, Pastor.

SERVICES:

Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Service 11:30 A. M. B. Y. P. U. 6:00 P. M. Evening Service 8:00 P. M.

### WESLEY M. E. CHURCH

Corner Gervais and Barnwell Sts.

Rev. N. S. Smith, Pastor.

SERVICES:

Sunday School 10:30 A. M. Morning Service 11:30 A. M. League 6:30 P. M. Evening Service 7:30 P. M.

### ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. C. White, Pastor.

SERVICES:

Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Service 11:30 A. M. B. Y. P. U. 6:00 P. M. Evening Service 7:00 P. M.

### NAZARETH BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:30 A. M.

Morning Service 12:30 P. M.

B. Y. P. U. 5:00 P. M.

Evening Service 7:30 P. M.

### ST. JOHN BAPTIST CHURCH

Booker Washington Heights

Rev. L. C. Jenkins, Pastor.

SERVICES:

Sunday School 10:30 A. M. Morning Service 11:30 A. M. B. Y. P. U. 6:00 P. M. Evening Service 7:30 P. M.

### FIFTH BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. E. T. Hampton, Pastor

405 Marion Street

Morning Service 11:30

Evening Service 7:30

## UNION BAPTIST CHURCH

Divine Street

Rev. T. M. Boykin, Pastor.

SERVICES:

Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Service 11:30 A. M. B. Y. P. U. 7:00 P. M. Evening Service 8:00 P. M.

## BETHLEHEM BAPTIST CHURCH

Lyon Street

Rev. S. H. Smith, Pastor.

SERVICES:

Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Service 11:30 A. M. B. Y. P. U. 6:00 P. M. Evening Service 8:00 P. M.

## ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Service 11:15 A. M. Afternoon Service 4 P. M.

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SERVICES:

Sunday School 10:30 A. M. Morning Service 11:30 A. M. B. Y. P. U. 6:00 P. M. Evening Service 8:00 P. M.

## MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. R. M. Myers, Pastor.

SERVICES:

Sunday School 10:30 A. M. Afternoon Service 2:00 P. M. B. Y. P. U. 6:00 P. M. Evening Service 8:00 P. M.

## CHAPPEL STATION A. M. E. CHURCH

Corner Senate and Pine Streets.

Rev. L. G. Bowman, Pastor.

SERVICES:

Morning Service 11:30 A. M. Sunday School 8:00 P. M. A. C. E. League 4:00 P. M. Evening Service 7:30 P. M.

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Rev. B. C. Grayhart, Pastor.

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Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Afternoon Service 3:00 P. M. B. Y. P. U. 6:00 P. M. Evening Service 8:00 P. M.

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SERVICES:

Morning Service 11:15 A. M. Sunday School 4:00 P. M. Christian Endeavor 5:00 P. M.

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Rev. J. P. Washington, Pastor.

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