

BENNETTSVILLE NEWS

Bennettsville, July.—The entire group of relatives and friends of Marlboro County are still in mourning over the many sad deaths that recently occurred.



SIR G. W. HOWARD, Member of Committee on Printing.

a sad one. And yet God will take care of us. Again one of our dear ones, Mrs. Sarah McKinney, died in the hospital, Saturday P. M.

Rev. A. E. Lomax just returned from a trip to Laurinburg, where he went to funeralize one of his members, Mrs. Williams.

There are many of the teachers planning to take summer school in Darlington, S. C.

Rev. J. J. Harrison, returned from the convention with quite a good report.

The many friends regret that (Miss) Callie D. Sanders, District Missionary and County Reporter, was some what ill last week and unable to attend the B. Y. P. U. and S. S. S. Convention as she is always on the job.

Saw Mill Sunday School picnic was quite a success. There isn't a pastor in the state that sticks to his people better than Rev. J. J. Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Bommer and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. McKay are very happy over their little grand daughter, Little Nell Mc-

success. The reporter was delighted to see Miss Bertha Pouncy, student of Laurinburg Institute, on Sunday. She reported a pleasant school term.

Mrs. Hattie Pearson of Marlboro and three daughters left Sunday for Virginia to spend their vacation. The new trustee board of Bennettsville Graded School is busy receiving applications for positions.

The social rendered to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Thursday night was quite a pleasant one.

The many friends are looking forward for a good revival meeting through out the county.

The reporter was delighted to have Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bingham call to spend Saturday evening also Mrs. Ella Oberham.

Rev. W. R. Monroe was in the city on business this week. Rev. S. L. Lomax our young preacher still is making fast progress in his work.

Mr. James Easterling still is improving after a long spell of sickness.

Miss Argia Crosland is looking the picture of health since she returned from the Beach.

Nurse V. J. Jones spent her lunch hour with the reporter and sisters Thursday evening.

Miss Ellasteen McCollum, a student in the sewing class was on time Monday morning.

Miss Ellease McColl returned from Florence where she spent a happy stay.

Mrs. Mattie McKennel and Miss Bell Matherson are home from Washington, D. C., for a month of rest.

Mrs. Josie Leake and Mrs. Pearl Bruning spent Monday evening with Mrs. and Miss Sanders.

To the many friends of the State: You will fully see that we have not forgotten our dear father Rev. J. A. Sanders.

God called my dear and beloved father from us, a father that was esteemed and loved by all who knew him.

God will take care of our dear and loved father. He left six girls and three boys, a dear wife and plenty grands to mourn his loss.

O father, a loving father, just sleep, Oh, sleep and take your rest, we loved him, but God loved him best.

(Miss) Callie D. Sanders, R'p't'r.

LYKESLAND NEWS

On July 4, 1925 at 2:30 o'clock Sister Polly Goodson the wife of Rev. B. J. Goodson, departed this life. She has crossed the river. She left to mourn her loss twelve children and twenty four grands, six sisters and three brothers as well as a host of friends.

Sister Goodson was one among the best workers in Beulah. She was a Christian woman and was loved by all who knew her.

Sister Goodson's funeral took place Wednesday at two o'clock, July 8th, sermon preached by Revs. J. B. Barber, R. M. Myers, J. W. Neal, and Rev. John Green.

Rev. Myers took as a text the first Cor. and the fifteenth chapter and the twenty-fifth and six verses: For He must reign till he hath put all enemies under his feet; the last enemy that shall be destroyed is death.

Sister Goodson was laid to rest in Beulah Cemetery. Sleep on Sister Goodson, sleep on and take your rest, lean your head upon yor Savior's breast; we loved thee well, but Jesus loved thee best.

Sunday was a high day at new Light Beulah Baptist Church. Sunday School was open at 10-

30 o'clock all teachers were at their posts. A very fine lesson was discussed.

The hour for preaching arrived and Rev. J. Barber lined hymn 520: I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord. Prayer by some brother then Rev. Barber asked Rev. W. M. Pearson to preach. Rev. Pearson preached from the second chapter of Revelations and the twelfth verse: Behold, I come quickly and my reward is with me.

James Potee, Reporter.

CLINTON, S. C., NEWS

July 20.—Bro. George Chappell departed this life July 14, 1925 at 4:30 P. M.

Bro. Chappell was 75 years old, a hard working man all his days and had earned some valuable property, a fine and productive farm about seven miles from town, and a beautiful home in the city on W. Carolina Ave.

Bro. Chappell was a faithful church worker, being superintendent of New China Baptist Church for a number of years; he assisted in organizing Water-ee Baptist Church and moved his membership there.

After moving to Clinton he was ready to organize the 2nd Baptist Church and said he would do as much to organize the 2nd Baptist as any one.

His wife died about 5 years ago leaving four boys and two girls, and a number of grand children.

Sleep on Brother Chappell and take your rest, we loved you well but Jesus loved you best.

Miss Daisy Sullivan of this city passed away last Thursday morning about 5 o'clock. May she rest in peace.

Bethel church is alive and everything is going forward.

LAURENS NEWS

Laurens, S. C., July 20.—"The Sunshine Club" of Bethel A. M. E. Church held its weekly meeting on last Friday afternoon at the home of the president Mrs. E. S. Nelson on Burns Ave.

The meeting was enjoyed by all. Everybody ought to be interested in our "Sunshine Club" because our leaders seem to be very interested indeed.

And that is what our club calls for, interesting boys and girls. Children should never feel that their hands are too small and weak to serve the world's needs, and to help toward making it a happier place for all to live in.

For want of a nail, A shoe was lost; For want of a shoe, A horse was lost; For want of a horse, A rider was lost; For want of a rider, A battle was lost; For want of a battle, A country was lost.

Just think of the value of the one little shoe nail.

Sunday morning July 19, a most excellent sermon was preached by Rev. A. W. Hill. Sunday night another wonderful sermon was preached by the pastor of St. Paul Baptist Church Rev. A. C. L. Arbouin, of Barnwell, S. C.

The new joiners were Willie Hunter, Laura Hall, J. D. Hunter Louise James.

The "Booster Club" is still doing great work. The "Club's" doors stand open at all times. Visitors, friends are welcome.

The convention was enjoyed by every one. A hearty welcome was extended to all.

Our reporter Miss M. L. Fow-

STRAY LEAVES

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WANDERLUST

Wings were not made for drooping by thy side; Sails were not made for ships that rot on shore; As streams were made forever on to glide, So should the restless soul forevermore, Seek out new trails and ever wander on.

The trail that winds across the blue-rimmed green Of rolling hills; the fleecy drifting clouds; The winds that tell of lovely things unseen. The birds that pass in fearless wand'ring crowds, Stir the nomadic blood that urges on.

Restless, roving, ever searching, seeking What lies behind the hill, beyond the sea; Drinking the beauty of each, yet seeking Contentment, satisfaction, to be free; Yet finding it alone in wandering.



SIR C. B. JOHNSON, Representative from Greenville.

ler is spending her vacation in the city of Spartanburg, S. C. We hope each day will be a happy and successful one during her vacation.

Miss Julia Fowler, Reporter

BEAUFORT NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Kelley of Jacksonville were visitors in town last week. Mrs. Kelley is remembered here is Miss Helen Curtis. While here they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waterman of State College motored here last week to spend a few days with their mother and sisters.

Misses Lottie and Marguerite Means of Charleston are visitors in town. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Searson.

Mr. James Zealey of Savannah, Ga., was a visitor in the city last week. On account of the storm warnings being out the sail which was to have been given last Monday night by the I. B. P. O. E. was postponed until further notice.

Miss Thompson of Anderson, Demonstrator for Allendale County, Miss Ruth Thompson of Allendale, and Mr. John Richardson of the same place motored down on last Sunday to spend the day. While here they were the guests of Miss Mable Williams. We are always delighted to have up-country visitors come to our little city.

The friends of Dr. M. P. Kennedy are delighted and proud to know that he passed the recent medical examinations. We hope for him much success in his chosen profession.

Atty. Charles E. Washington spent a few days in Allendale last week. Mr. Alex Brown of Charleston is a business visitor in this town this week. He comes in interest of the National Benefit Life Insurance Company a branch of which is soon to be opened in Beaufort.

Mrs. Bulah Fisher and Mrs. E. M. Washington attended the Grand Chapter Order of the Eastern Stars which met in Charleston last week.

Many of the County Teachers have returned from the various Summer Schools. They all reported a fine session.

Mr. "Bob" Wynn spent a few days in Barnwell last week. He returned home last Monday morning. The sacred concert given at the F. A. B. Church last Sunday night as well as the entertainment given Monday night, was a complete success.

GEORGETOWN NEWS

Miss Modest Kelly has returned to

Mr. L. Polite spent the week at Pawley Island.

Mr. James Prioleau is spending a few days in Charleston.

The Youth Improvement club was entertained by Miss Mae Fraser at her home. A delightful time was had. Edwin Rhue, James Wildon and A. G. Gill were introduced to the club, and all made inspiring talks.

Mrs. Ella Leathers of Chester and Mrs. Rebecca Whalton, formerly of S. C. but now living in Chicago, are now visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Smith.

The Prosperity Tailoring Co., wishes to call the attention of the public to their new hat cleaning and blocking system.

Prof. J. B. Beck has returned to the city after having a successful session at State College where he was teaching for the past six weeks.

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Kay. She is a perfect doll.

Little Delphine—McDanie spent the week end in Clio with her uncle N. S. Sanders.

Miss G. L. Lomax is still on the sick list.

Mr. R. S. Summon had quite a large crowd from the city visiting him last Tuesday P. M. They reported quite a good crop.

Mrs. Essie Muncy is making good in her beauty parlor on Marshall street. Dr. Cocks still working hard to make the S. S. Convention a