

Church News Of Columbia

BY DR. J. C. WHITE

ZION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS. Sunday School last Sunday was fine, although we missed a number of our teachers...

Dr. J. H. Goodwin, Supt., returned from Laurens and told us all the good news of what happened at the Convention. When it was announced that our Pastor, Dr. J. C. White, had been elected President of that great body there was much rejoicing in Zion.

11:30 o'clock our church was packed with eager auditors. In the absence of Pastor J. C. White, Dr. S. J. Dixon, D. D., Nashville, Tenn., who had been attending the State Sunday School Convention in Laurens preached. Dr. White got Dr. Dixon to come to Columbia and fill the day for him at Zion and Zion Pilgrim at Arthurtown. Dr. Dixon preached a great sermon and at 3:00 p. m., Deacon Willie Lyles motored him down to Arthurtown, where he preached to a crowded house.

He preached a third time for the day Sunday night at Zion to a vast audience. He told us of the great work of the National Baptist Publishing Board and of the National Baptist S. S. Congress. The entire church was glad to have Dr. Dixon with us last Sunday.

Rev. J. C. White, Mrs. Alma L. Hopkins, Misses Josie B. White, Faisie Cook and Laura Bypum, James Hopkins, J. T. Carter and Mrs. Addie Lyles all returned from the S. S. Convention in Laurens, reporting the greatest session in the history of the Convention.

SPECIAL PROGRAM B. Y. P. U. OF FIRST CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH.

The B. Y. P. U. of First Calvary Church will render a special program on Sunday evening July 26, at 8:00 o'clock.

This program will consist of readings, addresses, recitations, duets, and solos, both vocal and instrumental, by some of Columbia's best talent.

The public is invited to come out and enjoy this evening with the B. Y. P. U., at First Calvary Baptist Church, Mr. M. S. Stewart, Pres., Rev. H. W. Long, Pastor.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

Quite a number of persons were out on Sunday night, to hear the Pastor Chas. Curtis discuss whereabouts of the soul, and what it was, all expressed their gratification at being present, for their eyes were opened, as the Bible was the only book used. We anticipate another large crowd next Sunday to hear the subject: "The Greatest Drama," in Five Acts. Pictures will be shown in connection with the sermon. All seats free. The S. D. A. Church, Henderson Street.

BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH

The services at Bethel A. M. E. Church last Sunday morning and night were high class and up to the usual standard. The sermons were very good and much enjoyed by all. Dr. Adams prepares his sermons and delivers them with force.

At the services Sunday morning nine persons joined the church. Among them was the Rev. William H. Read who came back from the Baptist church. A large number was baptized at the close of the services. Over \$100 was received by the stewards in the offering.

SIDNEY PARK C. M. E. CHURCH NEWS

Sunday School met at the usual hour 10:30 with the Superintendent, teachers at their post of duty and the pupils at their respective places. The lesson was taught with much interest. The election of delegates for the State Sunday School Missionary and Epworth League was held. Six were elected to represent the Sunday School, and six to represent the Epworth League, Viz: Sunday School: Miss Irene Brown, Miss Hannah Dreher, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. H. G. Bookman, Mr. Johnson, Mr. B. Booser.

Epworth League: Miss Sarah Belle Watts, Miss R. L. Smith, Miss G. McCollough, Miss Daisy Felder, Miss M. Green, Mr. Alphonzo Smith. At the morning service a splendid sermon was rendered by our pastor, Rev. W. E. Farmer, which aroused the whole church. At 6:00 the Epworth League was held. The president presiding, Wesley M. E. Church's

Epworth League was with us. They rendered a wonderful program. All who witnessed the program said it was one of the best they ever heard.

At 8:30 Rev. Farmer preached another one of his inspiring sermons to a nice audience. Services next Sunday at the usual hours. Visiting friends are invited.

ANNUAL COUNCIL OF COLORED CHURCHMEN, UPPER SOUTH CAROLINA DIOCESE, ST. ANN'S CAYCE, S. C., JULY 17-18-19, '25

The third Annual Council of Colored Churchmen which has been in session came to a close on Saturday night July 19th after an enjoyable and beneficial session.

Council called to order at 10 A. M. after Corporate Communion by the Woman's Auxiliary, in St. Ann's Mission at Cayce's, just over the river from Columbia, Ven. J. B. Elliott, Rector, Bishop H. C. Finley presided over Executive Committee and all sessions of the Council assisted by Suffragan Bishop H. C. Delaney, D. D. who made a report of work done in Diocese, which was encouraging. Bishop appointed several Committees.

Archdeacon Elliott made his report in afternoon, splendid report as to matter and detail and carried some splendid and timely recommendations so much so that Bishop thought it necessary to appoint a Committee to consider and report their findings on it to him to be submitted to the Diocese at its next meeting. Afternoon, Council proceeded to further business. Various Missions reported their conditions after which Council elected officers for next year consisting of Secretary, Treasurer and members of Executive Committee and Clergy. Ex. Com. (Lay members) Mrs. H. E. Mobley, for Auxiliary, Mr. F. P. Paul, St. Luke's Church Columbia, Mr. Shelton, St. Luke's Church, Newberry. Council recessed until Sunday 10 A. M.

Woman's Auxiliary after Corporate Communion celebrated by Archdeacon Elliott, held their meeting in another part of building, elected officers and after hearing addresses from Mrs. Cornell, and Mrs. Cain, two worthy and beloved representatives from the Woman's Auxiliary (white) recessed until afternoon and held exercises in the Church part of building which consisted of Annual address by the President, Mrs. T. T. Pollard, Song by Miss Geneva Cornwell, Paper, by Miss Genevieve Vincent, and Miss Martin, well rendered. The sermon was preached by Venerable Archdeacon, E. F. Braithwaite of Atlanta Diocese, a masterpiece both in rhetoric and delivery. Benediction and adjournment, 6 P. M.

10 A. M. Sunday 19th, Ordination of Mr. Brown to the Diaconate by Bishop Finley assisted by Bishop Delaney who also delivered the Charge and Sermon. A large assemblage present and partook of Communion. Upon general invitation of Bishop many members in good standing in other churches partook. The Aims were given to Mr. Brown to do with as he pleased. A solo was sung by Mr. Harry Vincent during the taking of collection.

A robed choir was present and dispensed splendid music. At Night services two persons were confirmed by Bishop Delaney after which Archdeacon Baskerville of Diocese of South Carolina delivered an address with that usual convincing manner of his. An address was delivered by the Rev. Mr. Taylor, Rector of Good Shepherd, Columbia, briefly but feelingly. After closing the Bishop called for the report of Resolution Committee, which was read by Mr. H. H. Mobley, of St. Luke's Church, Columbia, and the reading follows:

Whereas, This, the 2nd Annual Council of Colored Churchmen of the Diocese of Upper South Carolina, is at its close and while still in its infancy has shown ability of older Councils, in that a great amount of business has been accomplished in a short space of time because of that matchless leadership of that tireless and never failing worker (our Bishop) supported by that never wear-out assistant (Bishop Delaney) and by that not to be misunderstood, stalwart support (Archdeacon Elliott) and by unflinching adherence to their advice by the Rank and File, Clergy and members of Council, and,

Whereas, the interest of co-workers has been shown by their visitations upon our Council by highly esteemed visitors, Archdeacon Baskerville, of South Carolina Diocese; Archdeacon Braithwaite, of Diocese of Atlanta; Mr. Brayshaw of Camden; Mr. Taylor, Mrs. Cornell and Mrs. Cain as well as many of our Denominational

friends, and, Whereas, herculean tasks have been performed by the few remaining at this once prosperous Mission, now almost depleted by "migration," in making it pleasant for us while here, in preparing for and giving us comfort during our visit,

Therefore, Be it resolved, 1st. That we give thanks to Almighty God, for having spared us for this privilege and having blessed our efforts, in that peace, harmony and brotherly love have prevailed throughout the session.

2nd. That we thank God for our Ecclesiastical head and his cabinet and pray His blessing of a long life for each of them.

3rd. That we extend our thanks and appreciations to the untiring women who cared so well for our appetites.

Lastly, but not least we pray Almighty God for future prosperity upon this land and country, and the world at large; all rulers and magistrates; all peoples of all nationalities of all climes; that better feeling will prevail; that lynchings cease; outrages stopped; dogmas erased; law reign supreme; wars prevented the love of God shed abroad in every heart of all nations; that our ranks grow in that each and every Mission will be by the help of that great Artificer of the Universe, restored to life and be represented at our next Council and that we, each one of us, be spared to meet again in our next session.

All of which is respectfully submitted, REV. JULIAN SIMPKINS, H. H. MOBLEY.

A YOUNG PREACHER

After we had rejected the first preacher sent to us by the conference, we rejected the second one also, simply because of their inefficiency to do effective church work well. We didn't mean any harm by sending them back, but we just want a good preacher.

The presiding elder, then sent us a young man looking like a boy. An old church officer came out to meet him and said: "Son what did you come here for?" He replied very kindly, "I came to take possession of the Cayce Circuit. The old man began to speak very rudely, and said, 'I have seen preachers old enough for your father come here and fail and I know you will do the same.'

But the man was acting so nicely and kindly that we decided to let him preach. He went into the pulpit and began to preach and our hearts were made to burn and our soul made to feel happy. We decided to keep him and I must say that was the wisest thought that we ever conceived.

The half cannot be told about this young man and his ability to lead.

In pastoral work, there are not but a few, if any, that will surpass him in the Seventh Episcopal district. As an organizer he ranks at the top, as a preacher he will hold you spellbound.

Rev. P. P. McFarland is an ambitious religious gentleman and carries himself in a dignified manner at all times, he has the young people of our race at heart and is doing everything he can do to develop them physical

ly, morally and spiritually. Rev. P. P. McFarland is building two school houses for us on this side of the river.

We wish to say that we are for and with you, you have our prayers. We love you, the children love you and we all are going to keep you.

We are your in Christ, Official Board.

HARD WORK

We the ladies of the Douglass Cemetery Improvement Club have a big job and a burden to shoulder, when just a few faithful of us have attempted to raise money to clean this cemetery.

We are now calling on our citizens and friends to aid us, any amount that is given will help us raise \$40.00 to have it put in a shape so that no one will be ashamed of the cemetery. Friends of Columbia, help us. Show the spirit that God loves. Open your hearts and lend a willing hand. Don't let the dead be buried and forgotten. We want to have a cemetery equal to any white cemetery. Now we appeal to all friends, come out to the entertainments and meetings we are having around to each home and help us raise this \$40. We have cards out begging for this purpose. God loves the cheerful giver. Why not, everybody look into this work? You are to be buried somewhere. A few of us have taken the step to have some improvements added to Douglass Cemetery and let every person who has a relative buried in Douglass fall in line with us.

Mrs. Rosa Chavis, Pres. Mrs. Sara E. Collins, Sec'y.

"MEMORY"

A little more than a week ago Laurens was blest to have in our church, club meetings and homes, Mrs. White who came to Laurens from Charleston, S. C. to visit her daughter, Mrs. Maude McClellan and son-in-law Rev. J. C. McClellan who is now pastoring Bethel A. M. E. Church.

As I think of Mrs. White's visit here my mind goes to a meeting of the Sunshine Club in which Mrs. White was present and such beautiful advice she gave the girls and all who were present. I remember she said to us to always aim high and she said girls watch your steps because the world is watching you. Could she have said anything that is more needful than watch your step the world is watching you? O that more mothers and teachers would tell the young people to watch. I believe that many who are careless would be more careful. The friends of Mrs. White are plentiful in Laurens. And our hearts droop in sadness with her dear daughter because she is no more. But we must not forget that we all are pilgrims here and are on our journey home. And some day we all will meet again. I pause here to say "Sleep on my friend,

sleep on and take thy rest. We love thee well, but Jesus loved thee best." But Oh! what consolation to know that we will see you again, in that great getting up morning we will be there to help you crown Him "Lord of All."

(Mrs.) Emmaline S. Nelson.

ST. JAMES A. M. E. CHURCH

Last Sunday our attendance at Sunday School was excellent. The lesson was taught and discussed with great interest and enthusiasm. We are doing well but there is room for improvement. Come over and help us and we will assure you that time invested in our Sunday School will profit you.

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BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH. Corner Sumter and Taylor Sts. Rev. E. A. Adams, Pastor. SERVICES: Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Service 11:15 A. M. A. C. E. League 6:30 P. M. Evening Service 7:30 P. M.

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.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH. 2130 Sumter Street. Rev. D. G. Robinson, Pastor. SERVICES: Sunday School 10:30 A. M. Preaching 11:30 A. M. B. Y. P. U. 6:00 P. M. Preaching 8:00 P. M.

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.

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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.

BETHELEHEM 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. Corner Green and Gates Streets. Rev. T. T. Pollard, Pastor. SERVICES: Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Service 11:15 A. M. Afternoon Service 4 P. M.

2nd NAZARETH BAPTIST CHURCH. Rev. R. M. Myers, Pastor. 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.

CHAPPELLE STATION A. M. E. CHURCH. Corner Senate and Pine Streets. Rev. L. G. Bowman, Pastor. SERVICES: Morning Service 11:30 A. M. Sunday School 3:00 P. M. A. C. E. League 5:30 P. M. Evening Service 7:30 P. M.

JONES TABERNACLE. Rev. B. G. Grayhart, Pastor. SERVICES: 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.

LADSON PRESBYTERIAN. Rev. I. D. Davis, Pastor. SERVICES: Morning Service 11:15 A. M. Sunday School 4:00 P. M. Christian Endeavor 5:00 P. M.

ST. JAMES A. M. E. CHURCH. 415 Henderson Street. Rev. J. P. Washington, Pastor. SERVICES: Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Service 11:15 A. M. A. C. E. League 6:30 P. M. Evening Service 7:30 P. M.

TEMPLE ZION BAPT. CHURCH. Ridgewood. Sunday School 11:30. Morning Service 12:30.

EMANUEL A. M. E. CHURCH. Kendalldown. 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.

IN MEMORIAM. In memory of my dear and devoted husband, Joseph Frederick, who departed this life, July 16, 1924. One short year ago today you left me, in answer to the call of God. My heart is heavy and wounded. By the will of our Savior and Lord. Oh! how I miss the sweet words of his counsel in pointing me on the way. And I hope that some sweet day I will meet him in that beautiful kingdom of God. The Silver Cord that binds us has been broken by the will of our Lord. Your heartbroken wife and children. MARY FREDERICK.

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