

NEWBERRY NEWS

Newberry, S. C. Aug.—Prof. T. B. Neely the son of B. F. Neely is visiting his father. Prof. Neely is living in Evansville, Ind., where he is employed in government service. Prof. Neely lectured at Miller Chapel A. M. E. church to a great crowd of people on last Wednesday evening Aug. 12. His subject was "The Abundance of Life." Life has four dimensions, viz. Length, Depth, Breadth and Height. Length of days: God wants us to have long life. The length of man's life



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is forty years, but the length of days is not the most important. Methuselah lived thirty times as long as Jesus Christ stayed on earth. It is a dishonor to live as long as Methuselah lived, leaving nothing behind his life, but reproduction. It matters not how long one lives, but how noble his life may be. While he lives let him live for something.

Depth of life means to stand the storm of life. Jesus was rooted and grew in the truth. How man uses his spare time: There are twenty-four hours in a day, six of those twenty-four hours are spare time of which determining the worth of the man's life. The man is made or unmade when his spare time is employed or wasted. Men don't commit crimes when they are asleep it is when spare time comes that they do.

There was a high day at Miller Chapel on last Sunday. Memorial services were held in honor of the late Rev. F. T. Bailey, former pastor who raised the first money upon which this great work is now being accomplished. The Rev. Julius Holman, pastor of Helena Station preached the morning sermon. Text, Hebrews 12:12. A large crowd was out to hear the Rev. Holman. Sunday School was called to order by the superintendent, E. F. Floyd at 4:00 P. M.

Visitors were out. Miller Chapel has one among the best Sunday schools in the State.

5:00 P. M. the church was crowded to hear the Rev. Jas. A. Baten, pastor of the Bethlehem Baptist church, this city. Rev. Baten preached a wonderful sermon on kindness. The contract for painting Miller Chapel A. M. E. church will be let on August the 28th. All bids are asked to be in the hands of Dr. J. W. Williams at noon of the 28th.

We can get all the eggs, chickens, and fresh butter from Mr. Pettus Boham and Mr. G. W. Butler. They are in the city twice per week, Wednesdays and Saturdays. They are fresh from the country. Mr. Edward Wise is doing a rushing business serving the people at his up to date Cafe at 1013 McKibben St. When you feel like eating call on him. Rev. Ellis with Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. L. M. Gilder and Mrs. S. L. Moon attended the Conference Branch of Missionary Society, which was held in Columbia during this week.

One of the greatest meetings that was ever held at Poplar Spring Baptist church of Simpsonville, S. C., of which the Rev. P. J. Borton is pastor, was conducted by Rev. W. R. Reeder of Newberry, S. C., on the first week in August. During the meeting twenty souls were brought to Christ. The revival meeting at St. John Baptist church of which Rev. Reeder is pastor is being conducted this week by the Rev. J. J. Harrison of Columbia, S. C. I am sure that everyone will enjoy hearing him. We are glad to have Little Miss Jannie Dell Dorrah back after spending a few days in Columbia with friends and relatives. Mrs. Ella B. Moon Reeder and Little nephew Robert Williams, Jr., are back in the city after having spent a part of the summer in Washington, D. C., with husband and mother and other relatives.

NEWS FROM UNION, S. C.

BY A. M. T.

We have had a few showers of rain in these parts and are very thankful. Summer gardens have all failed and it will require steady work and some more rain if our fall gardens produce vegetable.

Visitors are coming and going—"Union the City of Hospitality." Let us make it a city of hospitality. A Biblical play at the church, "The Twelve," the proceeds

of the evening amounted to fifty-three (\$53.53) dollars and fifty-three cents. Miss Mary Janet Nichols, now of Columbia, S. C., assisted by Mrs. Martha McColl, and Mr. Walter McJenkins deserves credit for the success of the entertainment.

Children's Day at St. Paul Baptist church was about over before we knew of it—it was quite an interesting program. The young people in charge worked with a will. Mrs. A. A. Sims and children are back home again from "The Land of the Sky." Prof. Sims has had a bit of experience in house keeping and no doubt will find a little time to rest under the shade of the trees upon their lawn. Mrs. G. W. Bolden returned from her vacation a few weeks ago. She arrived just in time to rescue Prof. G. W. Bolden from a general mix-up with housekeeping and insurance.

Master Whitley was little help as the ball season is on and that required his attention.

Dr. W. O. McGill is our most patient young dentist—no one at home, but the doctor. Mother-in-law and little Hughes left in early spring for New York. The madam has been in N. C. in summer school as one of the instructors (We understand). Dr. McGill is keeping up under the strain. A large number of visitors attended Rev. J. S. Daniels preached two well prepared sermons and as usual all felt that it was good to be there. Among visitors and former members of Corinth are: Mrs. Eugenia Golding and daughter from the "Land of Flowers;" Mrs. Rosa Dawkins and sister Mrs. Hatie Moultrie of Philadelphia, Pa.; Mrs. J. S. Earle and girls from Spartanburg, S. C., who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fant, the parents of Mrs. Earle; Mrs. Medora Tucker of New York; also Messrs. Johnson Young and Claude Ruff. These two attended Harbison College, Iano, S. C. We shall speak of the program of the Junior Missionary in our next. All were pleased with the musical selection and presentation speech by the very faithful president, Miss Ruff. The Senior Class of Zion A. M. E. Church will give a musical program on Thursday evening. Prof. G. W. Bolden is teacher.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Dawkins are planning a trip to Chicago and other points. Dr. Dawkins is much better. Under the skillful treatment of Dr. Hardy, of Spartanburg, and careful nursing of Mrs. Dawkins, we are glad to note that our Doctor is well again. Rev. and Mrs. L. D. Gamble spent a week or two in revival meetings where the Reverend assisted the Rev. Mr. Morgan Dawkins. The meeting at Bethel A. M. E. Church this city, will begin in September.

Master J. C. White, of Columbia is visiting Mrs. Cornelia Wrenicks. We introduced ourselves to J. C. and he seemed pleased when we told him we knew all of his people. Mrs. Satyra Johnson, is back from the city of Greenville, S. C.; where she had a pleasant stay with her sister, Mrs. M. E. Hemphill, the affable widow, has a pretty new bungalow, in place of the large two-story house upon the hill. You will find her comfortably seated upon the porch, overlooking the base ball park. Some are saying that a Prince will soon come along and steal her away. Union has an industrious bunch of widows, not many widowers.

Mrs. Alice Crason, will soon learn to run her car. She spares no pains in trying and believes in the old adage, "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again."

Mrs. Pernetta Freeman and Willie Hodge are teaching in the rural district. They motor to and from school. Mrs. Freeman is the one at the wheel. Mrs. S. L. Humphries will not venture out alone in her coupe. She is a little fearful. Rev. Dr. Daniels is off again this week in revival meeting. We are glad Mrs. Daniels decided to remain at home. We feel lost when both pastor

and wife are away.

We hope no one will visit us and entice Rev. Daniels to leave Union. We are well satisfied for him to remain on longer. The passage from Union, S. C. to heaven is a good one. Many left and landed safely there. This is enough said.

Mrs. Addie Cornwell is well satisfied with her name. She conducts a grocery store on Cornwell St., and solicits your patronage. Mr. and Mrs. Lott Reynolds were delighted to have Mr. Fred Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Littlejohn and their daughters visit them. They motored from Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Maggie Hampton one of the choir members of Corinth, left for Portsmouth, Va. She will visit Washington, D. C., before returning. Mrs. Sara Whitehead and Miss Cynthia Williams were welcome visitors back home.

Mrs. Elise Fishburne is visiting her parents. She and Mrs. Golding are looking real well. They must have discovered the fountain of youth in the "land of flowers."

Mrs. Fraser and little sons, William and James, left on Sunday for their home in Baltimore, Md. They were at the parsonage with Rev. and Mrs. Daniels, the parents of Mrs. Fraser. From Union they visited other relatives in South Carolina.

We have lost trace of Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Brown. Hope both are enjoying their rest, and will take a peep at us before leaving the State.

led "How a Woman Keeps a secret" was given last Thursday evening at Morris Chapel Baptist Church of which Rev. W. P. Williams is the honored pastor. Rev. Williams is an asset to Greenwood and is growing in the hearts of the people. Mrs. Williams his wife dignifies the parsonage. She is an alumna of Allen University.

Professor I. M. A. Myers and family spent a few days in the city last week visiting Mr. R. J. Logan his father-in-law.

President D. H. Sims and Professor C. G. Garrett, Editor of The Light and Rev. R. B. Smith stopped for a few minutes at the A. M. E. manse to see the Rev. George A. Singleton who is the Professor of Social Science at Allen University. They visited District Conference at McCormick and the Greenville District.

Professor W. H. Hilliard is a newly elected principal of Brewer Normal. He bids fair to have the best high school in the State.

Mrs. George A. Singleton wife of the Pastor of Mt. Pisgah is to leave soon for Washington, Philadelphia and New York. She will visit Boston before returning home.

She will visit relatives in each of these cities. Rev. Singleton is rapidly recovering and his church is making an effort to complete a thousand dollar rally by the second Sunday in September. The week before he was stricken he paid six hundred and fifty two dollars on the debt. Before Conference he expects to have put in modern sanitary conveniences.

Meditation of the minister: The reporter wishes to commend the Palmetto Leader on its mechanical make-up, and news content. It is an asset to South Carolina. The manager is the writer's classmate having finished from Allen University with him in 1909.

The minister is glad to say that he is somewhat better. He will ever remember the kindness of Dr. L. M. Daniels, Dr. D. K. Jenkins, Nurse Lillian Norther and the entire staff of nurses of Waverly Hospital during his illness. He wishes to thank the many friends who sustained him and his wife in the trying hour.

ABBEVILLE S. S. INSTITUTE The S. S. Institute of the above named district met in Shiloh A. M. E. Church Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock with Rev. B. J. Ramsey, D. D., presiding and Rev. M. L. Ramsey is the efficient pastor. After the organization and a few preliminary remarks by the P. M., the question machinery was set to work and in a short time the finances were all in. The District Superintendent Miss Hatie K. Pearin made her report which was clear cut and full of helpful information.

Miss Alice Gary is spending the summer in Detroit, Mich. She expected to return soon and resume her work as a teacher in the west end school.

The Misses Eunice and Frankie and Josie Heard are visiting in Detroit. Miss Eunice Heard is teaching in the Graded School in Ellberton, Ga.

Miss Lucile Percival is attending summer school at Columbia University, New York, N. Y.

Miss Lilla Williams is home after having spent six weeks in New York.

A very interesting play entitled "PROGRAM OF THE GETHSEMANE UNION AND SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION, HELD WITH ST. PETER BAPTIST CHURCH, IRMO, S. C., SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, AUG. 29-30, 1925.

SATURDAY SERVICES. 10:00 A. M.—Praise Services led by Bros. F. D. Jones and J. B. Schumppert. 10:30 A. M.—Introductory Sermon—Lie. C. H. Simons or Lie. A. P. Simmons. 11:00 A. M.—Enrollment of Delegates. Reception and Reading of Letters. 11:30 A. M.—Welcome Address—Mrs. Ethel Davis. Response Mrs. Elise P. King. 12:00 M.—Business. 12:30 P. M.—"James the First, Moderator"—Bro. William Charley and Miss Gladys Jones. "Africa's First Introduction to the Christian Religion"—Mrs. R. H. Walton. Recess. Dinner. 3:30 P. M.—Institute Lecture—"The Bible, the Inevitable Word of God"—Rev. L. C. Jenkins. Fifteen minutes discussion on foregoing lecture. Paper—Miss L. F. Harrison. Announcements. Adjournment. 7:30 P. M.—Devotionals led by Dea. J. H. Waiters. 8:00 P. M.—Sermon—Lie. E. C. Cornwell or Rev. E. T. Hampton. Collection. Announcements. Adjournment.

SUNDAY SERVICES. 10:00 A. M.—Sunday School Concert. Dea. J. F. Roberts. 11:00 A. M.—Institute Lecture—"The Missionary Journeys of Paul and their Bearing on Christian Civilization."—Rev. J. C. White, D. D. 11:30 A. M.—Missionary Sermon—Rev. R. C. Stover or Rev. W. P. Peterson. Collection. Adjournment. Dinner. 3:00 P. M.—"Health and its Relation to Christian Service."—Mrs. L. J. Rhodes. Journalism and its Influence on Christian Life.—Mr. J. A. Roach. 4:00 P. M.—Closing Sermon—Rev. H. W. Long or Rev. J. M. Myers. Collection. Reports of Committees. Adjournment. REV. J. C. WHITE, President. REV. W. P. PETERSON, Vice-Pres. REV. J. M. MYERS, Treasurer. E. E. CORNWELL, Clerk.



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Excursion To Spartanburg, S. C. Zion Baptist Church, New Brookland, Arthurtown and Shandon Annex will run the greatest excursion of the season to Spartanburg next Thursday August 27, 1925. Fare round trip, adults, \$2.50; children up to 12 years, \$1.25. Come go and enjoy a day of relaxation. All Spartanburg will turn out to make it pleasant for you. There will be a Big Ball Game between the Columbia White Socks and the Laurens Tigers. Music by Davis Band.

It is said that "all is well that ends well" and the convention ended in peace and harmony Friday afternoon. Rev. J. B. Smith taught lesson 2 in a new method which was enjoyed by all. By the way we will show this article without speaking of the most excellent music rendered by the choir from Little Mountain A. M. E. Church. The crowning feature of the occasion was the address of D. H. Sims, President of Allen University, from the subject "Building Race." The speech was inspiring as well as instructive and electrifying. It concluded a very-very pleasant session. REPORTER.

IN THE LAND OF THE SKY.

On Thursday evening, Aug. 13, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. J. Pagan were hosts to a delightful reception at the palatial home of Mr. and Mrs. Jones, on Crescent St., honoring the visitors to the Land of the Sky, among whom were many Columbians. On entering each guest was asked to place her name in the social register, souvenir cards were then pinned on each guest. After drinking of the "Fountain of Youth," a delicious salad course was served followed by ices and sweets. Each one present left declaring Messrs. Jones and Pagan delightful hosts.

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