

The Barnwell People.

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The chain gang is this week at Mr. T. W. Scott's place near Williston. J. B. Harley, J. B. Morris, Clerk, Supr.

HARMONY LODGE NO. 17, A. F. M.

A regular confraternization of Harmony Lodge No. 17, A. F. M. will be held in Masonic Temple on Thursday December 1st Work to be done on E. A. degree. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend. Rattler Hagedorn, W. M. H. P. Anderson, Sec.

If you have any hay that needs baling, write W. Greene Mathis, Blackville, S. C.

Court at Bamberg this week.

H. F. Bult, Esq. was in town on Monday.

Indian Summer weather arrived on Saturday.

Rev. S. E. Proutie, now of Abbeville, formerly of Barnwell, spent Thursday in town.

Jack Frost made a hearty breakfast Friday morning of the topcrop of cotton. First frost of the Fall was in evidence.

Hear the Y.M.C.A. Glee Club, November 15th "A Song for everybody."

Friday's frost caused Charleston truck farmers a loss of \$100,000 through the destruction of their team and other tender crops.

The kind words of a recent letter from our valued friend Mr. W. L. Morris were as sincerely appreciated as his good deed.

As a letter writer as in all other life occupations the hand of Capt. L. F. Hughes is as true and strong as his heart is faithful and just.

W. H. Townsend, Esq. of Columbia gave the pleasure of his good company to Barnwell county friends and relatives a couple of days last week.

Clive, Hartford, who took his first lessons in the art preservative in The People's Printer, is to open an up-to-date job printing office in Spartanburg.

Mr. John M. Farrell is another young planter setting a wise example. He has planted 300 acres in oats, increasing his acreage 50 per cent over last year.

Contrary to the old rule of giving "sweets to the sweet" some Branchville men have been handing large bounties (home growth) to the editor of The Journal.

Governor Angel on Friday refused to pardon Jim Cave, colored, of this country, convicted 18 years ago of burglary and sentenced to the Penitentiary for life.

There will be preaching at Seven Pines Church on Sunday, fifth inst., at 11 o'clock a.m. by Rev. J. E. Powell. A full attendance is desired. The public cordially invited.

The visit last week of Mr. H. J. Killingworth of Greenville to his old home country gave much pleasure to his many friends, among whom THE PEOPLE is glad to be counted.

Married at the residence of the bride's father Mr. Luther Deik of Brunson, S. C. to Miss Nora Grubbs of Hills, S. C. on Sunday at 7 o'clock p.m. Rev. S. P. Hair officiating.

Under a ruling of Special Master Robert M. Hughes several Barnwell county citizens for damages to person and property will soon get their money from the Seaboard Air Line Railway.

"I never killed a bird in my life and never ate one unless somebody else had killed it, and I don't object to any one hunting on my land," remarked a voter last week.

When the pot hunters have thinned the birds and the insects have thinned the crops he will change his mind.

Mrs. Nellie R. Ray of Healing Springs is one of the Winthrop students ill with typhoid fever. That her fair young life so bright with hope and so full of happiness may be spared is the heart prayer of all the people of her home county.

Evangelist Lyon who is holding services in Northern Kansas, says: "You ask some people if they are Christians and they answer, 'I hope so.' What would you think if you asked a man if he was married and he said, 'I think so'?"

The people would think he lived in Georgia.

A truthful farmer who planted all cotton this year and made a bale to the acre tells us that he did not clear a cent. The fertilizer trust, corn, hay, and meat raisers, work bands, railroads &c. divided the profits among themselves.

Another farmer, as truthful, who did not plant a cotton seed, tells us that he made \$700 worth of food products on a one horse farm.

Mr. J. B. Morris, Jr. went to Hampton on Monday to become Foreman of the Guardian. We congratulate Brother McSweeney in having secured an excellent assistant and are sure that the Guardian will under their joint efforts repeat the legend of the phoenix that rose from the fire in all the fresh beauty and strength of renewed youth.

Mr. R. A. Sisson of Beaufort County spent Sunday in town. His visit to the old county in which he lived years ago was for the plain purpose of caring for the grave of his mother, who sleeps at Blackville. For 29 years he was in the light house service on the coast, resigning last Spring and succeeded by his son. He made a most efficient official and made a brave record during the great cyclone in which so many perished.

He wears with true pride a silver medal presented by Queen Victoria for his military service in helping to suppress the Fenian uprising in Canada.

We count a few more of Andrew's ancestors, his grandfather having been an officer under Wellington in his Peninsula campaign. Among his most cherished possessions is the sword of a great uncle who was killed in the battle of Corunna where Sir John Moore fell, of whom the immortal poem "Nestor" was written. Mr. Sisson is one of the most active and influential Democrats of Beaufort, et cetera.

The government cotton report issued Monday gives 8,190,782 bales ginned this season up to November 1st compared with 5,823,562 ginned to the same date last year.

J. F. Carter Esq. was up from Bamberg on Friday.

The Phoenix people will not go hungry this week. On Monday Mr. S. J. Carroll cleverly brought us a box of beautiful bunch yams of exactly the right size and sweetness for these hard times.

On Monday Mr. R. G. Hay as agent of the Phoenix Life paid to the estate of the late Mr. W. C. Baxley the full value of the policy, \$3,000, that Mr. Baxley had taken out in that company a short while ago and on which he had paid only one premium.

THE ELECTION.

The commissioners of the recent State and Federal elections tabulated the returns on Tuesday and forwarded their official reports to Columbia.

The votes polled were as follows:

For Bryan Electors 1407

" Taft 88

For Congress:

J. O. Patterson 1424

Isaac Myers 27

State and County officers 1331

As there are 50 young lady students there, representing every county in the State, the news carries wide spread apprehension. Effort was made to discover the cause, which was supposed to be in the drinking water or college dairy products.

ANOTHER KILLING.

Coroner Warner held an inquest on the 4th inst., near Durbarton, the jury finding that Robert Garrett came to his death by the careless handling of a pistol and tussling with one Willie Singleton and himself.

The parties to the homicide were young colored men. Upon affidavit of the Coroner a warrant for the arrest of Singleton was issued by Magistrate E. Morris.

UNION MEETING.

Savannah River Association, upper division, will meet at Appleton, S. C. with the Appleton Baptist Church, Nov. 28th and 29th 1908.

Introductory Sermon by J. H. Stoddard, Missionary Sermon, F. Jones Subjects for Discussion:

1. The journeying Samaritan and his lesson to us—R. W. Sanders, F. Jones, J. A. Meyer.

2. Christian giving, and its Attendant Blessings—H. Stoddard, F. Jones.

3. The Baptist Courier and its Claims upon us—J. H. Stoddard, F. Jones, J. A. Meyer, C. B. Ellis.

Sunday Our Sunday School Work—Wallace Caselli, G. Rhodes, Missionary Sermon, Collection for State Missions.

Every body invited and urged to bring money for Missions. F. Jones, for Comte,

Barnwell Association Union Meeting will be held at following churches Saturday and Sunday November 28th and 29th 1908.

Topics:

1. State Missions.

2. The organization of fields and location of pastures.

3. Teacher training.

Division 1 Mt. Calvary.

Saturday 11 a.m. Introductory Sermon M. M. Benson.

Topic 1. J. D. Pitts, F. M. Willis, Jeff Grobbs.

Topic 2. H. J. Hair, R. E. Woodward, R. R. Johnston.

Sunday 10:30 Topic 3. M. M. Benson, F. M. Willis, Mission Sermon J. D. Pitts.

Division 2 Edisto.

Introductory Sermon S. P. Hair.

Topic 1. W. H. Smith, W. H. Hutto, J. C. McMillan.

Topic 2. O. J. Friar, W. G. British, M. J. Free.

Sunday 10:30 Topic 3. S. P. Hair, W. R. Smith, Mission Sermon O. J. Friar.

Division 3 Seggins.

Introductory Sermon W. M. Jones.

Topic 1. C. H. Turner, T. J. Deer J. A. Jenkins.

Topic 2. D. E. Roten, R. M. Mixson, J. O. Sanders.

Sunday 10:30 Topic 3. C. H. Turner, W. W. Cope, R. M. Mixson.

Mission Sermon J. K. Goode.

Dinner on the ground on Saturday Committee.

SECOND WEEK JURORS.

Allendale—V. M. Mauer, G. W. Barber, J. Fred Ligutsey, Robbie Williams, R. Wilson, R. Baldock—Hampton Roundtree, C. C. Ashe.

Barnwell—S. J. Halford, James Riley, H. T. Jones, E. F. Woodward, Charlie Brown, T. J. Attaway, B. F. Patrick, C. C. Owings—W. H. Martin, W. H. Hart Jr., S. C. Still, C. C. Sterne, W. T. Cave Jr., D. P. Johnston.

Four Mile—F. M. Youngblood, Georges Creek—W. H. Sanders.

Red Oak—W. G. Birt, T. O. Davis, W. B. Oxley, Joseph Baxley, J. D. Garrison.

Richland—H. D. Green.

Rosemary—Ed Beasley, A. G. Fredrick.

Steamboat—W. C. Manner.

Williston—W. O. Sprawls, Lee Powell, B. F. Bailey, J. L. Birt.

ELKO NEWS.

South Carolina goes Democratic again, and Elko helped it to do it. Only two Republican tickets were voted here. We are proud to hand down the fact to posterity that we contributed to the Bryan-Kern campaign fund in 1908. The subscription here amounted to \$1,750.

The Council not having sufficient evidence to convict the prisoner of vagrancy released him. The lesson by the Intendant last Friday was a good one though, and it will have its bearing.

Mrs. Mattie Newman recently visited relatives and friends in Augusta and Charleston.

Former Southern Ry. Section Master B. F. Lucas has severed his connection with the Railroad here and has moved his family to Steamboat, where he will be engaged in the same work for the Steamboat Air Line.

The many friends of Mrs. Ashley Mansell regret very much to learn of her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Drummond and Mrs. D. M. Johnston visited relatives in Spartanburg last week. Mrs. Johnston spent a few days with her son Mr. J. B. Johnston in Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hutson, Savannah, recently visited their mother Mrs. Z. T. Hutson.

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RESOLUTION BY BAPTIST MINISTERS CONFERENCE.

Whereas, our dear brothers J. K. Godde and S. P. Hair have recently been called upon to experience the sorrow of bereavement the former in the loss of a child and the latter in the loss of his brother.

It is resolved that we the Ministers Conference of the Barnwell Association of whom they are members, as a body assure them of our sincere brotherly sympathy, praying that the sustaining grace of God may abide upon them.

CASTLE HALL BARNWELL LODGE NO. 16 KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Barnwell S. C. November 6th 1908

P. P. XLV.

Whereas, Our Brother W. C. Baxley, has heard the call of the Supreme Ruler of the Universe, and has left forever, our earthly Lodge and gone to his place in the Grand Lodge on high.

Therefore, Be it Resolved, That while we in humble submission to the decree of Almighty God, may miss and mourn our departed brother and will cherish his memory.

That in the death of Brother Baxley, Barnwell Lodge No. 16 has lost a true and worthy Knight, the brethren a kind, tend and genuine friend and the State and County an upright and honorable citizen.

Resolved, further: That a page in our minute book be inscribed to his memory, that these Resolutions be published in the County papers and a copy of them suitably engrossed be sent to his family, and that the Lodge be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days.

C. J. Bay, J. C. Keel, H. W. Q. Carr Committee.

CURRENT EVENTS.

The Democrats galloping Impressionists to the next Congress. The coming house will consist of 173 Democrats and 218 Republicans.

The recent election cost the taxpayers of this State very nearly \$25,000. They could for the same money have elected the same officers for four years.

Veteran C. L. Rose, 61 years old, died in Spartanburg last week of blood poisoning resulting from a bullet wound in the foot received at Second Manassas.

There is a good prospect for a decline in the price of fertilizers next year. A new company with large capital has been organized to manufacture sulphur acid and the trust will have competition.

Charleston Republicans give more money to the Taft campaign fund than the Charleston Democrats contributed to the Bryan cause. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Tufts have been invited to spend the winter in Charleston.

Boston, the Musical Capital of the United States, commands all lovers of melody this Quartette as representatives of the best talent of the Union, trained and cultured in her best conservatories and reflecting bright credit on their distinguished instructors.

They are all artists of the highest merit and wherever they have entertained, in many States, they have received the enthusiastic commendation of Conductors, Critics and applauding audiences of the best American people.

An evening of delightful enjoyment is coming to all who shall attend, for the entertainment will be a revelation of the excellence of the sweetness of song and the thrilling of perfect music.

Prices of Admission: Adults - - - 35 cents Children - - - 15 - - Reserved Seats - - - 50 - -

Tickets are now on sale at the Store of

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