

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

A regular communication of Harmony Lodge No. 17, A. F. M. will be held in Masonic Temple on Thursday Feb. 29, 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend. G. W. Manville, W. M. Wm. McNab, Sec.

The regular meeting of Barnwell Lodge No. 16, Knights of Pythias will be held at their Hall on First and Third Friday nights at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested. By order of W. C. JENNINGS, C. C. Wm. McNab, K. R. & S.

### Chain Gang Notice.

The chain gang sections this week are:

No. 1 at Healing Springs Church. No. 2 at Williston. W. V. Richardson, G. J. Diamond, Clerk Supervisor.

Watch this

SPACE

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Interesting

Announcement

Mr. C. M. Turner, of Danbarrow, was in Barnwell Friday.

Mr. Paul Del. Black, of Millerville, was here Monday on business.

Mr. W. Riley All, of Kline, was in town Saturday for a short time.

The Hon. Norman C. Creech of Blackville, was in Barnwell Monday.

Mrs. M. Bellinger, of Columbia, is visiting Barnwell relatives and friends.

Dr. J. G. Wooley spent a few days in Bamberg and Orangeburg last week.

Mr. M. L. Middle on, of Allendale, was a visitor to the county seat Saturday.

Attorney R. P. Searson, Jr., of Allendale, was in attendance upon Court Monday.

Mr. J. W. Williams was in town this week and paid The People an appreciated call.

J. Henry Johnson, Esq., of Allendale, was in town this week on professional business.

Judge and Mrs. T. H. Spain and little son, of Darlington, are guests at the Molair House.

Mrs. Sarah Davies, of North Augusta, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Davies.

Mrs. J. G. Wooley and little daughter are the guests of relatives and friends in Orangeburg County.

James M. Patterson, Esq., of Allendale, has been in attendance upon Court here this week.

Capt. J. Ancil Meyer of Meyer's Mill, was a visitor to the county seat Monday. He is ever welcome.

The People acknowledges with pleasure a letter from its good friend, Mr. H. J. Killingsworth, of Greenville.

Messrs. J. M. Loadholt and Wyman Johns, of Jenny were among the out-of-town visitors here Monday.

Attorneys H. F. Buist and A. H. Nipstein, of Blackville, were among the visiting lawyers here Monday.

Messrs. C. J. Fickling and N. Blatt motored over from Blackville Monday to be present at the opening of Court.

The many friends of Miss Esther All will regret to learn that she has been quite unwell for some time at her home at Kline.

Col. H. D. Calhoun represented Barnwell Lodge, No. 16, K. of P., at the District Convention held at Furman last Wednesday.

Mr. H. W. Mustin, of Augusta, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Price. He is well known in Barnwell and his friends are glad to see him again.

The People regrets that it cannot publish an Easter story sent in by an esteemed subscriber, but it is copyrighted by the publishers, and for that reason we are forced to leave it out.

Mrs. Dora Dee Walker, of Appleton, was elected vice-president of the School Improvement Association at a business session held in Columbia last week, and a better one could not have been selected.

An interesting communication from Bethel was received too late for publication this week.

The Revs. J. D. Huggins, of Denmark, and J. C. Collum, of Kline, were indeed welcome visitors to Barnwell Monday.

The People's good friend, Mr. S. E. Bailey, of Jenny, was in Barnwell Monday, and while in town paid a welcome visit to the sanctum.

Dr. J. P. Lee, Jr., of Williston, was in Barnwell Monday on business. Dr. Lee is placing a number of Ford automobiles in this county.

Mrs. B. P. Davies and little son, Ben, returned from Columbia Saturday morning. Mrs. Davies is rapidly recovering from a recent operation for appendicitis.

It is hoped that by Friday the weather will have turned warmer so that the egg hunt at the Baptist parsonage may be enjoyed by all. Hunt promptly at 4 o'clock. Refreshments for sale also.

Charlie Drake, one of Barnwell's "bad niggers," was fined \$100 or 50 days Tuesday in the Mayor's court on three separate charges of drunkenness and disorderly conduct, fighting and resisting an officer.

Clerk of Court W. H. Duncan is performing the duties of his office during the present term of court like a veteran official. He is fast learning the details and promises to make one of the most competent clerks in the State.

The People job department has been kept busy filling orders for the past two weeks, but with the present equipment we welcome the orders. Send us a trial order, if you have not already done so, and let us show you how well it will be filled.

Mr. A. R. Wallack, of Olar, was in town the first of the week. The Olar Pharmacy, with which he is connected, has purchased one of the sweetest soda fountains in the county, and will soon be in a position to give its patrons thirst-quenching drinks.

Among the 30 delegates to the National Drainage Congress, to be held in St. Louis, April 10th to 12th, named by Commissioner Watson Tuesday, are the following gentlemen: Col. Alfred Aldrich and L. Roy Molair, of Barnwell; Dr. John L. Enck and Capt. D. F. Moore, of Brunson; and S. G. Mayfield, Esq., of Denmark. Mr. Watson has made an excellent selection.

Little Daisy Pauline, the two and a half years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Daughy, of Charleston, was painfully though not fatally burned at the home of her parents last week. The little one's clothes caught from a charcoal-smoothing iron. The many Barnwell friends of Mrs. Daughy, who is pleasantly remembered as Miss Agnes McNab, wish a speedy recovery for her little daughter.

Mrs. George H. Bates returned Saturday from a thoroughly enjoyed visit to Col. and Mrs. A. T. Woodward, at Valdosta, Ga. These former Barnwell County people have come to the front handsomely in their adopted home, as their many friends and well-wishers in the mother State knew that they would. Surrounded with an abundance of this world's goods, there doesn't seem to be any likelihood that they will ever return to Barnwell except for brief visits.

**Have Begun Planting Cantaloupes.**  
A gentleman who had been on a trip to the Baldoc section told us Saturday that about ten acres of cantaloupes were planted in that part of the county last week. This is rather early, but the farmers were probably fooled by the Springlike weather.

**Mr. and Mrs. Molair Entertain.**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Molair entertained about twenty-five of their friends Friday evening and the occasion was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Two rooms were thrown en suite and were prettily decorated with pink and white carnations and ferns. During the evening a delightful salad course and hot chocolate were served.

**Two Distinguished Visitors Here Monday.**  
Barnwell had two distinguished visitors within her gates Monday. They were Congressman James P. Byrnes, of Aiken and Attorney-General Thomas H. Peoples, of Blackville. They were in the best of spirits and affairs of state seemed to rest lightly on their shoulders. Their many friends in Barnwell and from the surrounding country were glad to see them.

**Home Mission Campaign.**  
The Rev. J. E. McManaway, evangelist of the Baptist Home Mission Board, will conduct a Missionary Campaign on the following dates and at the following churches: March 22nd at Bethesda; March 23rd at Springtown, Colston and Ehrhardt; March 24th at St. John's and Olar; March 25th at Friendship and George's Creek; March 26th at Ghent's Branch, Double Pond and Blackville.

**Tobin's Millinery Opening.**  
Wednesday and Thursday March 19 and 20th, signalize the real coming of beautiful Spring. On these days the formal opening of Spring and Summer Millinery Goods will take place at Tobin's Millinery Emporium. Every lady in Barnwell and adjoining counties is cordially invited to grace the occasion with her presence.—adv.

### Delegation Met Here Monday.

The Barnwell County legislative delegation met here Monday for the purpose of nominating three county commissioners and two rural policemen to succeed the gentlemen whose terms of office are about to expire. Nothing could be obtained from the members of the delegation as to whom they had nominated, as they preferred to await the action of the Governor before making any disclosures.

A bill was introduced at the recent session of the Legislature, under the provisions of which the disbursing of funds was taken entirely out of the Supervisor's hands and placed in those of the County Board of Commissioners, which is to be composed of three instead of two members, as heretofore.

### A REAL FISH STORY.

**Streams Near Blackville Make Fishing Very Easy.**

Blackville, March 16.—It has rained in torrents here. The streams are so swollen they have overflowed and people are on dry land picking up tubs full of fish—trout, mud pike, cat, etc.

Yesterday morning W. H. DeWitt rode out to one of his farms and found a field of oats full of fish, which had come out of a cypress pond which he converted into a fish pond. He had to go out and hunt up hands to help him rescue the perishing and restore them to the life-giving waters.

### MAJOR HAGOOD IS TRANSFERRED

**South Carolinian Ordered to the Philippines to Inspect Defenses.**

Washington, March 15.—Orders have been issued at the war department transferring Maj. Johnson Hagood of South Carolina from duty at Fort Flagler, Washington, to Manila. His new work will be to inspect cost defenses. Maj. Hagood was detailed to his present duty about one year ago.

### DEATHS.

#### Kilgo Rowell.

Hilda, March 17.—On Friday evening, Feb. 28, the Angel of Death entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Rowell and claimed for its own, their youngest child, Kilgo, aged seven months. Not as a thief in the darkness of night came the mighty Reaper, but as a bright shining angel sent from God, and after an illness of several weeks God called, and when the evening shades had fallen, closing out the light of day, his snow white spirit was borne across the surging billows of the River Death, and into the glorious light of a never ending Eternity. The little body was laid to rest in the cemetery at Salem, the Rev. Walker conducting the last sad rites.

And when the sun, in all his state, illumined the evening skies, He passed through glory's morning gate, And lives in Paradise.

A. J. Tindal, who, with Motley Rush, was drowned in the Santee River Thursday, was one of the first graduates of Clemson College, and in 1906 won the world's prize in corn growing. He was about 30 years old and leaves a wife and three children. Both men were prominent young farmers of Orangeburg.

Remember that the representative of Isaac Hamburger & Sons, tailors, will not be in town any longer than today (Thursday). Better see him now about that new Spring suit. He is at the store of Merchant J. A. Parter.—ad.

### Notice of Election.

A petition having been filed in accordance with section 1208, General School Law 1909, notice is hereby given that an election will be held in Ashleigh School District No. 24 on Saturday, the 24th day of March, 1913, for the purpose of determining whether or not a special school tax of two (2) mills shall be levied in the above named school district.

The said election shall be conducted as is provided by law for the holding of general elections. The polls will be opened at the School House and the following trustees are hereby appointed as managers of election: H. F. Odom, L. F. Miles and J. R. Lancaster.

Those favoring the proposed levy shall cast a ballot with the word "Yes" written or printed thereon; and those opposing the proposed levy shall cast a ballot with the word "No" written or printed thereon.

Horace J. Crouch, C. S. E. Secretary County Board of Education Barnwell County. Barnwell, S. C. March 13, 1913.

### Notice of Final Discharge.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will on Saturday, March 23rd 1913, file with Hon. John K. Snelling, Judge of Probate for Barnwell County, her final return as Administratrix of the estate of George W. Carroll, deceased, and apply for Letters Dismissory.

February 28, 1913. Agnes Carroll, Administratrix.

### Notice of Dissolution

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Hill & Seay, located at Snelling, S. C., has this day dissolved partnership. All accounts due the said firm are payable to the undersigned, or to his agent W. B. Seay, and all persons having claims against the said firm will please present same properly attested to the undersigned, or to his agent, the said W. B. Seay.

J. J. Hill, Snelling, S. C., February 15, 1913.

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