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READY RESPONSE FROM PEOPLE OF BARNWELL

Sufferer from Cancer Left for Chattanooga Monday Night.

Mr. Editor: Following up my letter in last issue of The Barnwell People relative to relief for Mr. John Bryant, I prepared three lists and left them with The Best Pharmacy, Mace Drug Co., and Wall Street Pharmacy. The managers of these three places of business took great interest in presenting same to their friends and patrons and the following shows the results:

The Best Pharmacy accepted cash only while the others accepted the pledges and cash. Too much cannot be said in praise of the efforts of these gentlemen in Mr. Bryant's behalf. On yesterday (Sunday) at Mr. Bryant's church, Mt. Olivet, a collection was taken by Mr. Bates that amounted to \$20.15 in cash and pledges. Mr. R. L. Bronson, Clerk of Court, did excellent work around the Court House but his subscriptions were included in the above lists. A lady from Williston, upon reading my appeal in last week's paper, sent in a check for \$2 but asked that her name be withheld. Dr. Mace, of the Mace Drug Co., gave Mr. Bryant credit for a bill for \$10 which was due by Mr. Bryant to his store. The school children contributed 10¢ each toward this fund but at this time I have not the amount before me.

I wish to thank the Editor of The People for his kindness in making it possible for me to reach the people through his paper.

We published last week that The Home Bank of Barnwell had contributed \$25. This was increased to \$30 on condition that the whole amount be given to defray expenses of Dr. A. B. Patterson, who will accompany Mr. Bryant to Chattanooga. This has been done by said bank turning over to Dr. Patterson the amount named, thereby keeping same entirely separate from amount contributed for Mr. Bryant.

Following is our Honor Roll for this week:

Wall St. Pharmacy, \$5; R. L. Bronson, \$5; Jutson S. Still, \$5; M. M. Mazursky, \$5.15; G. M. Greene, \$5; Jennie P. Greene, \$5; H. J. Crouch, \$5; J. B. Armstrong, \$5; H. L. O'Bannon, \$5; J. K. Snelling, \$5; Philathea Class Baptist Church, \$5; G. M. Calhoun, \$5; Barney and Blatt, \$5; Julian J. Bush, \$5; W. B. Norris, \$5; G. W. Manville, \$5; A. J. Bennett, \$5; Willa Lou McMillan, \$5; M. C. Diamond, \$2; C. F. Molair, \$2; G. M. Main, \$2; J. P. Harvey, Jr., \$2; T. J. Attaway, \$2; Dr. Johnson (Dunbarton), \$2; Cash from Williston, \$2; Mrs. G. B. Grice, \$2; M. P. Harley, \$2; C. K. Sanders, \$2.50; R. S. Dicks, \$2.50; T. J. Hiers, Sr., \$1; Dave Jeffcoat, \$1; Hayne Hogg, \$1; James A. Kennedy, \$1; Miss Eloise Cavé, \$1; W. P. Sanders, \$1; R. M. Kears, \$1; Gary Cook, \$1.10; T. C. Davis, \$1; Cash, \$1; H. A. Prevonga, \$1; L. Cohen, \$1; Miss Olivia Rook, \$1; B. L. Zorn, \$1; W. H. Duncan, \$1; A. A. McAllister, \$1; W. J. Baxley, \$1; W. P. Franklin, \$1; W. D. Harley, \$1; J. P. Harley, Jr., \$1; J. Staff Halford, \$1; J. D. Robinson, \$1; G. S. Harley, \$1; Angus Patterson, \$1; D. A. Brown, \$1; F. W. Falkenstein, \$1; P. A. Price, \$1; J. W. Patterson, \$1; L. P. Wilson, \$1; W. D. Gantt, \$1; Dr. Allen Patterson, \$1; Miss Carrie A. Cave, \$1; C. N. Burkhalter, \$1; L. E. Davis, \$1; Ralph Smith, \$1; F. E. Hightower, \$1; J. M. J., \$1; Miss Ida Browning, \$1; J. M. Diamond, \$1; W. A. Hayes, \$1; F. S. Brown, \$1; Fred Ace, \$1; Winchester Graham, \$1; P. W. Price, \$1; Terry Richardson, \$1; Edgar A. Brown, \$1; Rev. Mr. Boyd, \$1; A. J. Owens, \$1; H. J. Phillips, 75¢; Nick Black, 50¢; M. B. Hagood, 50¢; J. P. Harley, 50¢; Cash, 50¢; H. L. Reeder, 50¢; Thos. K. Bolen 50¢; U. D. Cook, 25¢; Cash, 25¢; Cash, 25¢; B. S. Moore, 25¢; Bud Lambert, 20¢.

Jennie P. Greene.

April 3, 1922.

The People takes pleasure in adding the name of Mr. R. D. Still, of Barnwell route 1, to its rapidly growing list of subscribers. The number of new subscribers that have been added during the past few weeks is a strong indication that there is a reason for calling The People the newest weekly in this section of the State and accounts for its having the largest county circulation.

Advertise in THE PEOPLE.

NEWS OF DOUBLE POND.

Double Pond, April 3.—A good many of the farmers of this community are planting cucumbers for sale with which they hope to have great success.

Sunday school was held at Double Pond Sunday afternoon, a large crowd being present.

The members of the B. Y. P. U. reorganized the class Sunday afternoon, enrolled some new members and hope to have regular meetings and all take interest in the work.

Mrs. Isadore Hartzog and little daughters, Lois and Edith, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hartzog Saturday afternoon.

Miss Julia Mae Warren was the guest of Mrs. John Henry Dyches last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Bodiford and Miss Julia Warren, of this vicinity, were in Hilda Wednesday.

Mr. Isadore Hartzog took a flying trip to Blackville Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hair and little daughter visited the home of Mrs. Ellen Jones Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. W. Warren and Mrs. Henry Bodiford visited Mrs. Sarah Jones last Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Nix, of this community, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winton Jones, of Blackville, Saturday night.

Mr. Henry Bodiford and family were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Grubbs, of the Reedy Branch section, Thursday night.

Mr. Freddie Jones spent Saturday night in Blackville with his aunt, Mrs. Emma Birt.

Mr. Howell Delk and family visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Bodiford, Friday night.

Mr. Lee Croft and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Croft were the guests of Mr. R. W. Warren and family Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dyches and little son, of Lee's, spent last week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hartzog, of this vicinity.

Miss Edith Lott and Miss Doris Hutto spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Black.

Miss Julia Warren spent Saturday night with Miss Mammie Dyches, of Hilda.

Mrs. Jessie Hair was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Weeks Sunday.

Rev. J. F. Davis visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Jones Friday afternoon.

Mr. Willie Sauls attended prayer meeting at Hilda Sunday night.

Mr. R. W. Warren and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Warren, of Hilda, Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Jones, of this community, spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Henry Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Jones, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Nix and Mr. Freddie Jones, of this community, were visitors in Augusta and Warrenton Sunday.

Mr. H. W. Jones was in Hilda Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Willie Sauls visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hartzog Saturday night.

Hilda News.

Hilda, April 4.—Misses Ruby Hughes and Lessie Edwards were the week-end visitors to Springfield.

Miss Julia Delk, of Barnwell, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Miss Leona Hartzog, of Denmark, was the guest of Miss Emma Lou Dyches Saturday night.

Miss Lottie Collins spent last week-end with Miss Eureka Collins.

Miss Felma Still was the week-end guest of Miss Josephine Rowell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Brabham, of Govan, were visitors here Saturday.

Mr. Loyd Black was a visitor to Denmark Saturday.

Messrs. Lewis Cubanks and Cecil Hightower, of Govan, were in town Saturday.

The friends of Mrs. A. F. Carter are very sorry to hear of her serious illness.

Mr. A. P. Collins and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hartzog, of Govan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hightower, of Lees, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson were visitors to Denmark Saturday.

Misses Anstie and Lula Ray, and Messrs. Shelton Stil and Fred Hutto were visitors here Sunday night.

Miss Maude Creech spent the week-end at her home in Denmark.

Mr. Carl Still, of Olar, was in town Sunday night.

AN ENJOYABLE OUTING IN STORE FOR SCHOOL BOYS

Camping Trip of Two Weeks on the Edisto Has Been Proposed.

Col. Harry D. Calhoun and Supt. John D. Robison have proposed to arrange a summer camp for two weeks at Holman's Bridge (Edisto River), beginning full moon in June, which will be about June 5th, for the boys of the Barnwell High School, and others who will be home from other schools, provided they make their grades at school this year. It is the purpose of the organizers to have the boys take with them the usual camping outfit, together with a mosquito net. Tents will be provided and a cook will be along to do the cooking. There will be strict regulations as to when they shall go in bathing, when they shall retire at night and get up in the mornings; in fact, the camp will be operated according to strict military rules. Boats will be provided on the river and ropes will be stretched across for the convenience and pleasure of the boys. It is proposed to keep the camp open until about June 15th.

Written permission for the use of the grounds has been secured, and no boy will be allowed to go unless he has permission in writing from his parents. The age limit, as stated above, will be 10 years and over.

Now, as to the cost: Col. Calhoun and Mr. Robison request that each boy save up at least \$4 for this two weeks' trip, which will be only \$2 per week. The balance of the expenses will be secured by popular subscription.

The girls of the high school will visit the camp twice a week in the afternoons. The boys will serve them a fish supper which they will catch out of the famous Edisto. Parents of the boys will, of course, visit the camp during their stay there. On Sunday they will attend church at Blackville. While at the camp, Williston, Blackville, Bamberg and Denmark will be challenged for games of baseball.

Third Week Jurors.

Petit jurors for the third week of the April term of Court, which convenes at Barnwell Monday, April 10, were drawn Monday, as follows:

A. L. Lowman, Red Oak.
J. R. Harden, Great Cypress.
R. R. Johnson, Williston.
E. D. Peacock, Barnwell.
W. F. Ussery, Williston.
J. M. Weathersbee, Rosemary.
C. L. Hiers, Bennett Springs.
H. E. Dewitt, Blackville.
R. B. Fickling, Blackville.
W. M. Bradley, Bennett Springs.
R. M. Burkhalter, Richland.
Joseph Peters, Blackville.
J. B. Myrick, Blackville.
J. S. Creech, Blackville.
H. W. Sanders, Barnwell.
C. E. Heath, Rosemary.
H. E. Givens, Williston.
R. W. Warren, Blackville.
C. W. Wall, Richland.
E. W. Falkenstein, Barnwell.
Fred L. Hair, Barnwell.
B. B. Easterling, Barnwell.
F. H. Hitt, Williston.
U. D. Lee, Red Oak.
W. A. Hair, Rosemary.
E. M. Givens, Williston.
Therman Creech, Williston.
G. M. Rosier, Bennett Springs.
C. M. Rountree, Four Mile.
W. P. Walsh, Williston.
E. P. Tarrance, Rosemary.
Hugh Sanders, George's Creek.
R. E. Woodward, Rosemary.
T. G. Cobb, Four Mile.
J. M. Birt, Blackville.
R. S. Morris, George's Creek.

News From Rosemary.

Rosemary, April 4.—Messrs. Norman Johnson and Eugene Manuel, of near Williston, were in this section Sunday.

Mrs. E. M. Givens and children, of North, were at Rosemary Sunday.

Mr. Frankie Williams, of Govan, was in this section Sunday.

Miss Mary Bodiford spent last week-end with her parents at Healing Springs.

Miss Catherine Birt returned home Sunday from an extended visit to Miss Sina Birt at Snelling.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Sprawls, of North Augusta, were welcome visitors in this vicinity Sunday.

Mr. L. H. Boland, of Williston, was a visitor at Rosemary Sunday.

The asparagus growers in this section are getting along nicely.

WANTS BARNWELL COUNTY TO ENFORCE LICENSE LAW

Otherwise Much Money from Auto Registration Will Be Lost.

State highway authorities are endeavoring to work up a strong law enforcement plan in Barnwell and the other counties of the State and thereby check up on the automobile owners who are so far evading the automobile license laws. If some form of law enforcement organization can be gotten together in the counties much revenue will be the result highway officials believe.

Under the terms of the appropriation bill of the last legislature, no provision is made for enforcing the law. The legislature cut off the two inspectors of the department who probably cost around \$4,000 a year and by this action the counties and the State together may lose over \$75,000, highway officials estimate.

The motor vehicle registration to date is far below what it should be and this indicates that a large number of automobiles and other motor vehicles are being run with old licenses or without licenses.

L. H. Thomas, secretary of the state highway commission, is writing to the various counties and hopes to get them interested enough to enforce the license laws as the revenue is largely returned to the counties from which it is collected. Some counties are distressingly behind in the matter of motor vehicle registration and will lose a lot of "iron men" if something is not done. The highway department will probably be able to employ expert inspectors to visit the counties and check up the law violators in case the counties are willing to pay the expenses, but this department has no funds for the work this year.

Some Timely Advice to Farmers.

Below I shall attempt to give a few suggestions that, heeded to, will be of some benefit to the farmers at this time:

The most important matter before the farmer at this time is the one of joining the South Carolina Cotton Growers Cooperative Marketing Association. You cannot go wrong by joining this association. There are many benefits that will be derived from being a member and are too numerous to mention. If you want to get the most for the cotton hat you produce and have it sold in an orderly and business like manner, then join the Cotton Growers. Many of the most prominent and best business men of the county have already joined and many others are now joining. Ask your banker what he thinks of the organization, and make your decision based on what he tells you.

Now is the time to plant the cotton that you are intending to plan. Do not plant more than eight acres to the plow. Close spacing will generally be found to be a great advantage. If you are planning to poison the weevil by dusting this season, and that is the only way that has proven beneficial, now is the time for you to make plans for your arsenate and machinery.

Within the next week or ten days the first spring spray should be applied to the young peaches. The exact time is when about half of the shucks at the base of the peach are slipping from the young peach. The following solution should be used: 1 pound of arsenate of lead, 2 pounds of fresh unslacked lime to 50 gallons of water. This operation should be repeated in two weeks, adding to the above 50 gallons of solution about three and one fourth quarts of the commercial lime sulphur solution. This is, if you remember, the concentrated form that was diluted 1 to 9 for the winter spray. This spray is intended to prevent worms in the peaches and the brown rot and if properly applied will control both. Any one that wishes, for further information concerning any of the above matters will take up the matter with,

Yours very truly,
H. G. Boylston,
County Agent.

The People has been swamped with an avalanche of job work during the past week. The orders are being taken care of as rapidly as possible, and a cordial invitation is extended to others to follow the example set by these discriminating buyers of printing by placing their orders with us.

LONG BRANCH ITEMS.

Long Branch, April 4.—The friends of Mr. J. R. Carroll will be sorry to learn of his illness and hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Lila Weathersbee, of Chesterfield, and Mrs. Herbert DeWitt, of Blackville, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Williams last Monday.

Mr. Mickey Birt and sister, Miss Sina, attended services at Long Branch Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Birt, of Blackville, visited this community Sunday. Messrs. Lewis and Frankie Williams, of Govan, and Prof. Eison, of Union, were week-end visitors in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Williams and Mr. O. B. Staley and family were among the Rosemary folks that attended services at Long Branch Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Theodore Baxley spent Saturday with friends in the Friendship section.

Mr. Herman Birt was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Willie Hair, Sunday. Accompanied by him, Mr. and Mrs. Hair motored to Long Branch in the afternoon.

Mrs. Elizabeth Woodward has returned home after visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Carroll, in this community.

Mr. Frankie Williams and Miss Corinne Turner spent Saturday evening with Miss Elizabeth Carroll.

Quite a number of folks from this section attended the Charlie Tillman meeting in Barnwell.

BEST-HAGAN.

Allendale, April 1.—A wedding of much interest to their many friends was that of Miss Sadie Best, daughter of W. L. Best, of Allendale, and George Thomas Hagan, of Due West, which took place at the home of the bride at 3 o'clock, March 24.

The rooms were tastefully decorated in Southern smilax and baskets of wisteria and lighted with many candles. The guests were received by Mrs. Merideth Wollong and Miss Marie Keel. Just before the ceremony a lovely selection was sung by Mrs. Harry All, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Charles Farmer. As the wedding began, the bride and bridegroom entered and stood under an arch of trailing vines and graceful wisteria facing a candle-lit altar, banked with ferns and cut flowers.

The bride, carrying a shower bouquet of roses and valley lilies, was lovely in a navy blue traveling suit. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Henry, pastor of the Methodist Church.

The guests were served a salad course, and immediately afterwards the couple left for a short wedding trip.

Mrs. Hagan, a graduate in special music from Limestone College, is known throughout the State for her charm and beauty.

Mr. Hagan, a member of a prominent family of Abbeville County and a Citadel graduate, is the principal of the Lake City schools.

The out-of-town guests were Miss Lila Best, Miss Elizabeth Hagan, Mr. Hagan, of Due West, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Plowden, of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. George Bull, of Cameron, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Boone, of Rowesville.

Kills Self in Auto.

Bamberg, April 3.—John Steedly, 35-year-old white farmer, who resided seven or eight miles from Bamberg, took his own life this afternoon while riding along the highway in his automobile with members of the family in the car with him. No cause for the rash act is known.

Besides Mrs. Steedly, a brother and the brother's wife were also in the machine at the time. Without any provocation or warning Mr. Steedly drew a pistol from his pocket and fired a bullet into his chest. Death followed almost instantly. The tragedy took place about 5 o'clock on the highway near the Simms plantation. It is not thought an inquest will be held.

SPRAWLS-O-SHIELDS.

Aiken, March 31.—Last Tuesday morning at the Baptist parsonage, Miss Gladys G. Sprawls, of Williston, became the bride of E. C. O'Shields, of Cross Anchor. After the wedding the couple left in an auto for Cross Anchor where they will make their home.

DEMOCRATIC CLUBS IN THIS COUNTY TO MEET

Saturday, April 22, the Date—County Convention May 1st.

Col. Edgar A. Brown, chairman of the Democratic party in Barnwell County, has received a letter from H. N. Edwards, secretary of the State Democratic executive committee, in which attention is called to the fact that the various Democratic clubs are to meet on the fourth Saturday of this month for reorganization and to elect delegates to the county convention. The club meetings will be held Saturday, April 22nd. The county convention will meet on Monday, May 1st, and the State convention on Wednesday, May 19th.

The letter received by Col. Brown is as follows:

"I beg to call your attention to the fact that the time is approaching for the calling together of the clubs in your county as provided by Rule 5, which rule reads as follows: 'The clubs shall meet on the fourth Saturday in April of each election year for the reorganization. Provided, That the county committee may name any other day within the same week for such club meeting by giving at least two weeks' notice by advertisement in one or more county papers. In case any existing club shall fail to reorganize on the day fixed, the county committee may fix a day for such club to meet for reorganization by giving two weeks' notice as provided in this section.'

"You will note that except as provided for by giving two weeks' notice by advertisement the clubs must meet on the fourth Saturday in April."

When the county conventions meet delegates to the state convention will be chosen.

To Choose Officers.

In addition to making what rules or changing any rules that the state convention may deem advisable officers of the party in the state are to be chosen.

In regard to the county conventions the rules provide: "Every general election year county conventions shall be called by the county committees to meet on the first Monday in May at the county seat. The convention shall be composed of delegates elected from the clubs in the county, one delegate for every 25 members, and one delegate for a majority fraction thereof, based upon the number of votes polled in the first primary of the preceding election year."

As to the state convention the rules provide: "The state convention shall be called by the state committee to meet at Columbia every general election year on the third Wednesday in May. The convention shall be composed of delegates elected by the county conventions, each county to be entitled to as many delegates as double the number of its members in the general assembly."

Friendship Items.

Friendship, April 4.—Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Gaskin, of Columbia, and the Rev. and Mrs. D. W. Heckle spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Ray.

Mr. Raleigh Hutto has returned from Columbia, where he underwent a serious operation, and is getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Ray spent Sunday in Allendale.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Diamond spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Ray motored down to Healing Springs last Sunday. Mr. Shelton Still was in Hilda Sunday night attending services.

Miss Susie Creech, of Olar, spent the week-end with Misses Lila and Anstie Ray.

Miss Rosalie Morris, of this section, spent the week-end in Olar.

BLACKVILLE, D. A. R. MEET.

Blackville, April 3.—The Joseph Koger Chapter, D. A. R., of Blackville, held its regular meeting with Mrs. J. W. Johnson, of Williston, the regent, Mrs. I. F. Still, presiding. A large number of the members were present and after disposing of the business, interesting papers were read by Mesdames L. C. Still, R. B. Still and C. J. Fickling.

A pleasant social hour followed the business and literary programs. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. M. F. Weathersbee and Mrs. Cary Smith, served a salad course.