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Hairston Cross Local Attorney Seeking Appoint State Board of Health to Cooperate **Outlook** in This Section Is Brightest visit to his grandmother, Mrs. were held at Double Pond Sunday af ment as Federal Judge. with Local Physicians. the Continent in "Flivver." in Three Years. ternon. Frank Manning, of Bennettsville. He states that crops in that part of Mrs. Blanche Stoudemire and little At a meeting of the Barnwell bar The County Medical Association, Elko, July 17 .- A Ford Sedan on Barnwell County is coming back! son, Hinton, and her brother. Mr. the State are good. held this 16th day of July, 1923, with which is composed of all the practhe streets of Barnwell last Satur-Earl Gillam, of Augusta, spent last Mrs. W. H. Moore and daughter, reference to the suggested retireticing physicians in Barnwell county, week-end with their aunt, Mrs. R. day afternoon atracted more than Hortense, have returned to their ment of Judge H. A. M. Smith from announces that the State Board of ordinary attention. It is the proper-W. Warren, of this community. home in Wilson, N. C., after a visit ty of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hairston, the Judgeship of the Eastern Dis-Health will, during the week of Mrs. Bessie Lancaster and children present a more optimistic feeling to her sister, Mrs. Byron Hair, and July 23-28, have in Barnwell trict of South Carolina, the followof Atlanta, Ga., and carried a Caliother relatives in this section. She of Fairfax were the guests of relaing Resolutions are hereby adopted: County a "better babies week". On fornia License No. 115,468. Mrs. tives here last week. is remembered here as Miss Carrie Wednesday, July 25, they will be in Blanton. WHEREAS, it is understood that Hairston is pleasantly remembered The friends of Mr. John Chitty. the Honorable H. A. M. Smith is Blackville; Thursday July 26, in Wilas Miss Katie McKerley of Elko and Sr., of this vicinity, is very ill. Mrs. M. L. Bolick and son, Robert soon to retire as Federal Judge of liston; Friday; July 27, in Dunbar-Blackville, and they are now on Mr. Freddie Jones was in Blackhave returned to their home in the Eastern District of South Caroton; Saturday, July 28, in Barnwell. visit to relatives in this vicinity. ville Saturday afternoon. Hickory, N. C., after a pleasant visit They had recently motored in their lina, now In Barnwell, in addition to the staff cotton crop is the medicine that has Mr. W. H. Hutto, of Florence, spent to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. BE IT RESOLVED by the said Weathersbee. Mr. Bolick drove Ford from Atlanta to California, inthe week-end with his family. of nurses and the local physicians, there will be a trained specialist in Barnwell Bar, in regular meeting asto nearly every incorporated town Mrs. Gus McBride, of Florence, down for them in his car. diseases of children. All of this is sembled, that we endorse the Hon. and city in that state, back to Atwas the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. The many friends of Mrs. A. Charles Carroll Simms, of this Bar, absolutely free to the people with lanta and thence to Barnwell County, W. Delk, near Double Pond Church, Garber will learn with pleasure that as his sucessor. babies. The representatives from From appearance, it was still able recently. she is recovering rapidly from a re-Judge Simms has been a practitionthe State Board of Health will have to "Take you there and bring you Mr. Horace Hutto and family, of cent operation at an Augusta hospia truck which will be fitted up with tal and will return home shortly. er at the Bar for many years; has back." This sedan was equipped Savannah, have been visiting his everything needed for a first class Mr. Garber went u: last week with a gear shift lever and had the been engaged in every class of mother, Mrs. W. H. Hutto. medical examination of babies, to- visit her. litigation; has been on the opposite advantage of an imermediate gear, Miss Connie Dixon, of Branchville, side of almost every question involgether with nurses and doctors. which is unusual for a Ford in this Miss Sarah Ellen Freeman and is visiting relatives here. ving legal jurisprudence. He has This movement is a forerunner of a Mr. Newton, of Eennettaville, and Miss Julia Warren spent Saturday particular section, but the splendid section. plan to place in this county for Mr. Joe Waters, of Florence, were The contract for the up-keep of enjoyed a large and extensive pracnight with Miss Ollie Lee Jones. three months a trained health nurse, the house guests of Miss Martha tice throughout his county and State Highway No. 37 has been Mrs. M. A. Gillam, of Denmark, the juicy fruit will compensate for whose services, while free to the Dixon last week. State and has been successful beawarded to Mr. L. M. Sprawls. has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. the decreased yield. \$300 and \$400 cople, will be of great value in betyond the average in his profession, R. W. Warren. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kennedy and Sprawls has already begun bis and recently president of the State Ting health conditions. children motored down to Charleston duties as patrolman, and from The friends of Mrs. Henry Bodithe The readers of this article are re- last week for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. type of mules which he had hoosed Bar Association. He has filled ford will be glad to know that she is how to do anything but frown. ested to keep these dates in mind, J. V. Murray. to the drags last week, we must many judicial appointments and has recovering from an attack of malar-

and wherever there are babies which Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Prothro and judge that this road is in good hands, established a reputation as a judge in are undersized, backward in growth daughter, Miss Louise, visited in needing the services of a physician Wateree bridge opening. to enable them to become normal Mrs. J. B. Kitchi to bring them to one of these places treatment. Her friends hope for her His friends here regret that he worthy successor to that eminent colifis. on the dates named, where they will early recovery. have the fullest cooperation of the Mr. and MrR. W. C. . Woodward Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnston and his splendid service to the State. local doctors. There are many have returned to their home in daughter, Ruth, of Walterboro, are Be it resolved further, That a burg. babies in the country who may be Greenville after a pleasant visit to visiting kin folk at Elko this work. copy of these resolutions he handed Little Miss Letha Chitty spent Satsaved to a healthy, vigorous life by the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Co. Supt. of Education H. J. to the daily press and to the County urday night with little Miss Alice these advantages, but if neglected R. E. Woodward. are doomed to ill health and per- Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hair and child- College in attendance upon the An- same be published. haps death. Proper care, when ren, of Enaley, Ala., were the guests nual Summer Conference of County given under the direction of trained of relatives here last week. physicians whose speciality is the Miss Annie Baker Black is spand- is it that doesn't like to see their diseases of children, will mean the ing the summer at Greystone camp, names in print?) gift of vigorous health in after years Taxedo, N. C. She was accompanied The State Spelling Contest will be and proper progress during their there by Mr. Harvey Black and Mias held at Winthrop College Thursday school days. It will be a useless ex- Louise Black, who spent several and Friday, July 19th and 20th. The pense to the taxpayers of the state days in the mountains, making the High School speller fag Barnwell St. Matthews, July 12 .- Last to bring these specialists and their trip by automobils. truck here unless the people of the Misses Lucis and Bessie Pegues, Barnwell High school, and the of Mrs. Reynolds T. Martin formercounty, both white and black, bring of Mt. Pleasant, and Annie Jean Grammar School contestant is Miss ly of Blackville and Williston and their habies to the places appointed Way , of Ridgeway, arrived last Doris McKerley, of Healing Springs her mother, Mrs. Thomas, was deon the dates named.

Mr. Wilbur Hutto, of Charlotte, for splendid judgment, clarity of Misses Evelyn and Dorothy Still

Elko last week. Mr. Hutto is en. judicial poise, of splendid tempera- Ga., are visiting relatives here.

and development, or in any way Eastover last week and attended the N. C., was the guest of relatives at legal vision, legal knowledge and and brother, Hubert Still, of Blythe, plants in order to rid them of the ings is in the gaged in the insurance business and ment, careful, kind and considerate. The little granddaughter of Mr. and healthy babies, urge their parents University hospital at Augusta for has a position in a district office. We, therefore, commend him as a Mrs. R. W. Warren is very ill with Luck to save their cotton crops this

After three years of depression and pessimism, poor crops and, for the most part, low prices, there is at among the farmers and business men in this section than at any time since the Fall of 1920. Good prices for asparagus, strawberries, cucumbers and now watermelons, with excellent prospects for a fair done the work. The hot, dry weather of the past two 'or three weeks has been of great assistance to the farmers in their war on the boll weevil and, with seasonable weather from now on, it would seem that the yield this year will be the largest since 1920. The corn and melon crops, however, have suffered somewhat from the drought in this prices that) are being received for a car is bringing smiles to many faces that apparently had forgotten

There are still many farmers in the county that do not believe in the effectiveness of poisoning the cotton boll weevils. They are trusting entirely to the weather and Old year. In fact, there are many who give the weather so a credit for the just at this time. However, in fields that have not been poisoned evidence of weevil damage to a greater fields that have been poisoned and the squares picked up persistantly rule to find any signs right now, Some farmers are offering rewards to anyone who can find a live weevil in their fields. While the crop is by no means safe, the prospects for a good yield are promising, to say the least. Mr. Terrie Richardson, of Barnwell, has a particularly fine field of fifty acres on the edge of town, as has also Col. N. G. W. Walker. These gentlemen have poisoned their cotton and picked up the early punctured squares and as a result their fields are free of the weevil and have an excellent chance to mature the fruit now on the plants. Another field of cotton that has attracted favorable attention is that of Mr. W. A. Hayes, former chief of polce. Mr. Hayes is an old farmer and while this is his first year of farming under boll weevil conditions, he has fought the pest like a veteran. In consequence, he has cotton as good as any in this section, it being well fruited and free from the boll weevil. In addition to poisoning, he has worked his crop After a lingering illness of several fast and kept the squares picked up. months, Miss Dora Harris, aged 58 Messrs. O. H. and Martin Best also be proud and they attribute the her death being cancer of the throat. and the scarcity of the boll weevil to Her body was carried to Augusta the poisoning that they have done. relatives and friends going from and are now dusting with calcium county to attend the funeral services. Of course, these results could not Miss Harris was born in Fort have been obtained had the weather Worth, Texas, and was left an orphan been wet, but the fair weather has at the early age of two years, her allowed the poison to remain on the father and mother dying of yellow plants long enough to kill the weefever within three days of each oth- vils in th fields. And if early puncer. After the death of her parents, tured squares were picked up, fields she made her home with Mr. Samuel in which no damage is apparent at Hyams, and at his death lived with this time, should be reasonably safe the family of Mr. J. Cohen, a cousin. for the newt two weeks, during She resided in Barnwell for many which time a large number of bolls years and made many friends who will mature. Mr. D. R. Coker, who

Moving to Denmark.

the mery near future be located at to attend the funeral of their mother drier, local farmers are finding less ignited. Mrs. Martin and the fam-Denmark, operating under the firm Mrs. Martha Hair, name of Denmark Buick Co. This Mr. J. C. Hur is spending, some age. Our Elko farmers are now beir lives had not their neighbors, change in location has been brought time in Williamston. about by the growing demand of Mrs. Larkin Weathersbee and Mr sutomobile purchasers for more and and Mrs. C. C. Meyer, of Barnwell, better service, and for this reason were visitors here last week. this concern has decided on Den- Mrs. Mamie Conklin has returned mark as the logical location for the to her home in Jacksonville. Fla., rendering of this service. Denmark after a visit to Miss Hattie Newsom. has wonderful facilities for serving public from a freight-express parcel post standpoint, all of which will enable their many Buick users to get on short notice any part that may be needed from the complete stock they will carry at all times, as well as a nicely assorted stock of accessories. This concern has purchased of Capt., J. B. Guess a very desirable location just at the point on Main Street where the Charleston and Augusta highway crosses Main Street, and they are to Columbia last week. now re-modeling the building suitable to their needs and convenience, and in connection with their general sales and service station they will operate an up-to-date filling station which is also now being fitetd in with the re-modeling of the building, and it is their aim to render service in all lines in keeping with the service that can be had anywhere.

Death of Mrs. C. S. Creech.

C. Smith.

Mrs. Bessle Birt, Mrs. Alice Birt county which sends them credit. The Olar Buick Co., of Olar, will in drove down from Laurinburg, N. C., hotter and the ground gets drier and part of the house, which at first

Miss Carey Ahl has returned from being shipped from here by the a visit to Baxley, Ga.

Miss Catherine Goodson, Gainesville, Fla., is the guest of cars all day long. Misses Nina and Edith Bell.

Misses Lessie and Pearle Boyd, of Augusta, are visiting their father, Mr. J. J. Boyd.

Mrs. M .B. Self is spending the summer in North Carolina.

W. D. Black were business visitors

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kennedy spent of the Dunbarton Field: several days in Allendale last week. Mrs. C. J. Bates and daughter, Runs at 11:30 in the morning, Miss Pinkie Bates, of the Calvary after which several will be baptizedsection, were visitors in Williston last week.

time at Black Mountain, N. C.

A party of Barnwell fishermen cation."

could not stay longer.

Cronch is this work at Winthrop papers with the request that the Johnson, who is visiting her sunt, or less degree can be found, while in

Superintendents of Education. (Who

county is Miss Thelma Brooker, of night about midnight the residence

week for a visit to Dr. and Mrs. W. School. These young ladies will destroyed by fire. The cause of fire surely do themselves and the it a matter of curious speculation.

and several members of their family. As the sun shines hotter and tired. No fire had been about and less evidence of boll weevil dam- ily were asleep and might have lost

wearing 18 carat smiles.

Dunbarton News.

Dunbarton, July 17 .- The subject of great interest in this section at present is watermelons. They are train loads and wagons are hauling of mellons from all directions to the

On July 11th, at the home of Mr and Mrs. G. W .Anderson, Sr., large number of friends and relatives were guests at a birthday feast in honor of the Senior Anderson, who has reached his 79th birthday. It was a happy occasion and Senator A. M. Kennedy and Capt. one that will linger long in the

memory of all present. Sunday Services in the Churches

Sunday morning at Lower Three In the afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at Dunbarton Baptist Church Mr. Gordon will preach a special sermon

H. L. O'BANNON, Acting President. R. C. HOLMAN, Secretary.

Home Destroyed by Fire

Mrs. Martin had not long before rethe Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Crutchfield,

been returning home and discovered the flames. When first seen by Mr. Crutchfield, the rear and top of the building were well enveloped. He rushed in and gave the sleeping occupants warning and commenced single handed to remove the contents. The fire department was immediately upon the scene, but the

best that could be done was to save adjoining residences and a part of the home furnishings. The building was the property of Mrs. Gee at Cameron. It is said that the building was partly covered by insurance, while the property or Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Thomas was insured only

Mrs. Bonham Dead.

Anderson, July 13.-Mrs. M. L Bonham, wife of General Milledge L. Bonham, prominent member of the Anderson bar, died suddenly this morning at her home here. Mrs. Bonham was in her 67th year at the time of her death. She had not been in iil health yesterday and only yesterday she was seen upon the streets. of the city.

Mrs. Bonham prior to her mar-

jurist who is about to retire after ? Little Norman Warren, of this vicinity, is visiting relatives in Orange- small number of weavils in existence

Mrs. Ellen Jones.

Miss Ollie Lee Jones spent Wedneeday night with Miss Lillian Hutto. it is the exception rather than the Mr. L. A. Hutto and family, of Orangeburg, were visitors in this community Sunday. The stork visited the home of Mr.

and Mrs. J. B. Weeks Saturday night and left a fine boy.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Jones, Jr. and little son, James Harvey, spent Saturday night and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hair, of this community.

The revival meeting that began here Monday, July 9th, closed Frillay afternoon with 22 additions to the churches. The services were conducted throughout the week by Dr. O. B. Fall, pastor of the Bamberg Baptist Church. Large crowds attended the services and the success of the meeting is a source of gratification to all.

Immediately after Sunday school on the afternoon of July 22nd, a short program will be carried out by part of the Sunday school pupils, the occasion being Children's Day. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Miss Dora Harris Dead.

years, died Friday evening at 8:30 have a crop of which they may well o'clock at the home of her cousin, Mr. J. Cohen, of this city, the cause of large amount of fruit on the stalks Sunday morning and laid to rest in They used the molasses-arsenate the city cemetery, a large number of mixture while the cotton was small Barnwell and other towns in the arsenate.

in small part.

Creech will learn with regret of her report very poor luck, due, they were don will preach again. In this was Miss Daisy Aldrich, daughter of

The many friends of Mrs. C. S. Combahee River, last week. They tist Church, Meyers Mill, Mr. Gor- riage to General Bonham in 1877

R. A. Ellis, Esq., is spending some from the subject, "Why our Lord. when here on earth in the flesh, found it necessary to go on a va-

went down below Yemassee, on the At night, 8:30, Steele Creek Bap-

are sincerely grieved over her death. is an ardent advocate of th death, which occurred July 9th, after told, to the fact that the moon and church one of the most successful the late Judge Alfred P. Aldrich. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. molasses-arsenate mixture, urges a an illness of several weeks. She was the tide were "wrong" and there revivals was brought to a close on She received her education at the A. Karesh, of Camden. last application of the poison about a member of Friendship Baptist was too much fresh water in the last Sunday night. Mr. James, E. schools of Barnwell, S. C., her forthe 15th of August, at which time Church and was loved by all who river. With all of those things to McCravey rendered most valuable mer home, and in the Ursuline con-Card of Thanks. the weevils begin to migrate. knew her. She is survived by her figure on, the fish certainly ought service as a singer and choir leader. vent, in Columbia. Don't be missaid into thinking husband and eight children: Mrs. J. to bite when everything is just The Rev. Will Gordon did the preach-The deceased is survived by her I thank each and every one for the that the fight has been won, but do M. Templeton, Mrs. J. A. Creech and "right." husband, three sisters, Mrs. H. W. ing. many kindnesses shown . me during every thing possible to combat the Richardson, of Columbia; Mrs. M. the illness and death of my wife, Mrs. The Rev. Will Gordon, preached in Miss May Crech, of Barnwell; W. N. pest for the next two or three weeks: Mr. W. E .McNab, who is traveling each of the Churches during the Re- A. Allen and Miss Rebecca Aldrich, Carrie Creech. She leaves her sus-Creech, of Allendale; M. L. Creech, through Texas in the interest of the vival Meetings, preaching for six of Jersey City, N. J., as well as one band, eight children, four sisters, of Embree; E. H. Creech, of Bam-Hill's Mixture Corporation, writes eonsecutive weeks. There were a daughter, Miss Martha Bonham, of three brothers and 11 grandchildren c; C. F. and Ulmer Creech, of In writing of the destruction of back that crops in the section that bout fifty additions to the churches this city; Proctor A. Bonham, of to mourn her death. She is gone but nwell; three brothers, four sisters Mr. H. W. Sanders' home by fire he has visited are fine. On the on the field. Steele Creek, as did the Greenville har, and Milledge L not forgotten. and eleven grandchildren .-- Conlast week, The People stated that he other hand, a letter received by Col. also Pleasant Hill Church, present. Bonham, Jr., a professor in Hamiltributed. carried only \$4,000 insurance. This Her husband, Harry D. Calhoun from his brother, ed Mr. Gordon with a purse as an ton college, of Clinton, N. Y. was an error, as the total amount **Charlie** Creeck Mr. and Mrs. Huey and little in the Lone Star State contained appreciation for his services, and was \$5,500, placed through Cal daughter, of Charlotote, N. C., are the information that crops along the was told to go on a vacation, which Mrs. Jones and little of Mrs. E. L. Patteraps and children, hour and Co., which ... firm has a the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chartle railroad on which he runs as con- in all probability he will take some- Hephulish, Ga, mrg the of of Atlanta, are visiting selatives is ready adjusted the loss and paid in gangia . ductor are poor. Bennu, Jr. Mrs. Charlie Brown, St.