

**The Bamberg Herald**

Thursday, October 13, 1910.

**SHORT LOCALS.**

**Brief Items of Interest Throughout the Town and County.**

Commencing this week, no more advertising locals will be placed in this column. They will be placed in another column under a head, "Business Locals." Advertisements have no place in news columns.

Mr. C. A. Dean has resigned as boss carder at the cotton mill, and will leave Bamberg. Mr. Dean has been here for two years or more, and he and Mrs. Dean have made many friends who regret their departure.

See the big advertisement of C. R. Brabham's Sons in this issue. They have a magnificent line of goods, and they are being sold at most reasonable prices. Remember they carry only dependable merchandise, no seconds or odds and ends.

Miss Gertrude Oxner left Tuesday morning to resume her work in the school room at Bamberg. She will stop on her way a few days with her brother, Prof. William Oxner, who is teaching at Ridgeway. Her school opens next Monday.—Leesville News.

Mrs. E. O. Kirsch, president of the Woman's Home Mission Society, of Bamberg, and Miss Lewellyn Cleeckley, secretary for Orangeburg district, left Tuesday evening to attend the annual State conference of this organization, which meets in the city of Spartanburg.

The Woman's Home Mission Society will meet next Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock in the ladies' parlor of the Methodist church. This will be an interesting meeting, as the delegate will be just from the conference, which meets at Spartanburg, with a report of conference happenings.

Dr. J. H. Wilson, who has been pastor of a church in Savannah for several years, has accepted a call to the Orangeburg Lutheran church, and assumed the pastorate last Sunday. Dr. Wilson is well-known and has many friends in Bamberg county, he having been pastor of Mt. Pleasant Lutheran church at Ehrhardt several years ago.

Mr. Myrick, of Ulmer, was in the city Monday, and stated that Mrs. A. L. Myrick, his wife, who has been ill for some months with pellagra, is improving very nicely. It will be remembered that Mrs. Myrick was sick for a while at the home of her father, Mr. C. A. Milhous, near town, but about two months ago she was carried back to her home at Ulmer.

A negro escaped from the bridge chain gang Tuesday night, taking his departure on one of the mules. The mule was recovered, however, it having been abandoned by the negro. The blood hounds from the jail were secured early this morning, and the latest news before going to press is that the hounds were trailing him, and it was expected that he would be recaptured. The gang was in camp somewhere in the Denmark section.

**The Cotton Market.**

Cotton is selling in Bamberg today (Wednesday) at 14 1/2 cents the pound. Receipts are heavy, but we have not been able to get the exact number of bales. It will soon be all gone in this section, as the crop is short.

**Ankle Broken.**

Mr. J. W. Barnes, of the Cope section, had his left ankle broken yesterday morning by a fall from a buggy. Mr. J. J. Smoak, of this city, went over to trade horses with Mr. Barnes, and while they were driving one of the horses at rather a rapid pace, one of the wheels of the buggy came off, throwing both men out of the buggy, Mr. Smoak falling on Mr. Barnes. The injury while painful is not considered serious, and no doubt Mr. Barnes will soon be up and around again. Mr. Smoak was not hurt by the fall.

**Corn Fair in Orangeburg.**

We acknowledge with thanks an invitation from Secretary J. P. Matheny, of the Orangeburg chamber of commerce, to attend the corn fair to be given in that city next Wednesday, the 19th. The chamber of commerce, co-operating with the boys' corn club of that county, is managing the fair, and prizes will be given for the best exhibit of corn. The farmers of Bamberg and other adjoining counties are invited to compete for the prizes, of which there are a number, the business men of Orangeburg having responded liberally in the matter of offering prizes for the best corn, while the chamber of commerce offers ten dollars in gold for the best exhibit. It is important that an impetus be given to corn growing in this section, and the corn fair is a capital idea. We trust that there will be exhibits from this county. Write Mr. Matheny for further information.

**Baptist Church News and Notices. DIRECTORY.**

Preaching service every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and evening at 7:30 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. O. J. Friar.  
Sunday-school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, J. A. Hunter, superintendent.  
B. Y. P. U. every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, J. A. Hunter, president.  
Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.  
Woman's M. U. meets Wednesday afternoon after each 2nd Sunday.  
Conference each fourth Sunday after preaching service.  
Observance of the Lord's Supper the first Sunday in each quarter.

**NEWS AND NOTICES.**

**Want to Come Into Bamberg.**

When we wrote the editorial in another column in reference to the article in the Walterboro Press and Standard, we were in ignorance as to any movement on the part of the voters of Warren township to come into Bamberg county, but since that time we have inquired into the matter and find that petitions asking for an election have been prepared and are being circulated in Warren township.

We need only to add that Bamberg will co-operate with these good people in every possible way in order that they may become citizens of this county, and we assure them here and now that they will be heartily welcomed as a part of our county. Colleton is one of the largest counties in the State, and she can easily spare the territory. We trust those back of this movement will push it forward to a successful conclusion, and we stand ready to aid the project in any way that we can.

**Negro Shot.**

Last Saturday night Deputy Sheriff T. J. Rentz and Chief of Police S. A. Hand went just outside of town, near Mr. G. Frank Bamberg's place, and arrested a crowd of negroes who were gambling. During the arrests, a negro named Boisie Pinckney was shot, but who shot him nobody knows. The negro was outside of the house at the time, and he says that Mr. Rentz shot him, but Mr. Rentz and Chief Hand both say that he did not. We interviewed Chief Hand, and he stated that when the two shots were fired, Mr. Rentz and himself were both inside the house, and that Mr. Rentz had charge of three negroes while he was making others come down out of the loft. That the door was shut, and soon after the shots were fired Pinckney came to the door and asked to be let in, saying he was shot. The negro says he was walking up to the house when he was shot by Mr. Rentz, who was standing outside the house at the time, and that there was another negro with him, and the second shot was fired at this negro, but he was not hit and got away.

The bullet took effect in his breast just at his throat, and he is getting along very well. It was at first thought he was fatally wounded, but he is likely to get over it.  
Seven negroes were arrested and brought to jail. They were tried Monday before Magistrate H. D. Free and given \$20 or thirty days on the chain gang. All paid up. Those arrested were: Mike Guess, Peter Simmons, Joe Nelson, Nathan Salley, John Moore, Friday Wright, and Elliott Williams.  
Chief Hand states that there were several negroes outside the house, and he is satisfied the shot which hit Pinckney was fired by one of the negroes on the outside and was intended for either himself or Mr. Rentz. That the shooter wanted to hit an officer.

**Two White Men Shot.**

Marion, Oct. 11.—Two white men, Aleck Watson and Lee McIlvain, were shot this morning near Nebo, 20 miles south of Marion, by Beady Ammons. Watson is said to be fatally hurt and McIlvain seriously. The news was brought to Marion by an old negro man, who claims to have been an eye witness. According to this man, three men were riding in a buggy following close behind. When opposite Ammons' home, Ammons came out with a shotgun and fired without warning, with the result stated above. All the parties connected with the shooting are well known in Marion. The cause of the shooting is not definitely known.

**CHILD IS MANGLED.**

**Leila Baker, Aged Twelve, Has Very Narrow Escape From Death.**  
Lancaster, Oct. 11.—Leila Baker about 12 years old, daughter of Geo. W. Baker, of Antioch, met with a bad accident yesterday at her father's gin. She had been standing in front of the gin watching a hand cleaning off the saws and in turning to leave the skirt of her dress was caught on the saws which caused her to be thrown violently on the sharp teeth, which cut two ugly gashes in her leg. Fortunately Mr. Baker had just cut off the power from the engine, otherwise the child would no doubt have been horribly mangled and killed.

**New Advertisements.**

Jno. H. Cope—For Sale.  
C. A. Phillips Comedy Co.—Coming to Bamberg.  
J. J. Cleeckley, Administrator—Notice to Debtors and Creditors.  
Box 31—For Sale.  
C. R. Brabham's Sons—We Invite You to Our Store.

**Another Correspondent.**

Recognizing the growth of Ehrhardt and desiring to give to our friends in that section the benefit of the services of two wide-awake men, we have engaged Mr. Walter S. Eaves as agent and correspondent at Ehrhardt. We have had the benefit for two years or more of the services of Mr. Jacob Ehrhardt as agent and correspondent, and the appointment of Mr. Eaves will in no way conflict with Mr. Ehrhardt's good work, which he will continue. Mr. Eaves will look after the collection of subscriptions, new subscribers, job work, and advertisements, he being able to give some personal attention to this feature. Mr. Ehrhardt will continue to act as correspondent and agent, and if you want to subscribe to The Herald, pay your subscription, or send us any job work or advertising, call on either of these gentlemen and they will be glad to serve you. So hereafter our readers can look for two news letters from Ehrhardt every week, and as each writer treats news in his own way, there will be no repetitions in their letters. We trust our patrons in that flourishing community will appreciate our efforts in their behalf, and give us a larger business than ever before. This we feel sure they will do, for in no section of the county has The Herald more loyal friends and supporters.

**Walter Sandifer Pardoned.**

Last week the State board of pardons heard the petition of Walter E. Sandifer for a pardon. The board recommended that a pardon be granted, and Governor Ansel issued a full pardon in the case. The report of the board is as follows:

"Walter E. Sandifer was charged with arson and tried in Bamberg county in 1902 (or 1903) as appears from the report. He was found guilty and sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary at hard labor for fifteen years. The petition for his pardon was filed the 20th of August 1910. The solicitor who tried this case recommends that a pardon be granted and this recommendation is based largely on account of the youth of the prisoner at the time the crime was committed, and his gross illiteracy. He further adds that it appeared from the testimony that the store was entered for the purpose of robbery and not arson, the latter being rather accidental. Dr. J. B. Black, whose store was at the time robbed, also expressed the same opinion.  
"Judge Gage, who tried the case, recommends the pardon and urges it upon the ground that the prisoner has recently suffered a serious accident whereby he has lost one foot. The prisoner has been serving his sentence for the past six years or more at Clemson College, and the petition for pardon comes largely recommended by persons of the neighborhood in which the prisoner lived and by the officials at Clemson College.

"Under all these circumstances the board regards this case as one worthy of Executive clemency, and would therefore respectfully recommend that an unconditional pardon be granted the prisoner."

**BUSINESS LOCALS.**

See me before trading your cotton seed. W. G. Hutto at Copeland's store.  
Finest Kalamazoo celery on hand at all times at S. Yeltrakis, also fruits of all kinds. Raw tomatoes, too.  
See G. A. Ducker's jewelry display. Opposite post office.  
Black Cat hosiery, the kind that lasts, at W. D. Rhoad's.  
Wool and cotton underwear for children, men and ladies, at W. D. Rhoad's.  
Beautiful and selling them cheap is what the ladies say about the coat suits at W. D. Rhoad's.  
Armour's soaps, any odor, four cakes for 25 cents Friday and Saturday at Peoples Drug Company.  
Everybody can afford to use a good soap when we sell four ten cents cakes for 25 cents. PEOPLES DRUG CO.  
Special sale on Armour's 10 cents soaps Friday and Saturday at Peoples Drug Company. Four cakes for 25 cents.  
Buy your soap at less than wholesale prices. Four cakes for 25 cents Friday and Saturday at Peoples Drug Company.  
Sold everywhere for ten cents. Special sale Friday and Saturday, four cakes for 25 cents, any odor. PEOPLES DRUG CO.

**COMING MEETING.**

**Sunday School Conference to be Held in Bamberg Next Month.**

Annual Sunday school conference of the Orangeburg district to be held in Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, South, Bamberg, South Carolina, October 21, 22, and 23, 1910.  
"Give diligence to present thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, handling aright the word of truth." II Tim. 2:15.

"And the things which thou hast heard from me among many witnesses, the same to commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also." II Tim. 2:2.

"And they read in the book, in the law of God, distinctly; and they gave the sense, so that they understood the reading." Nehemiah 8:3.

**Our Methodist Motto in South Carolina.**

Organization for education and evangelization.  
Push! Pluck! Progress! Power!  
First Session, Friday Morning, October 21st.

10:30. Devotional service conducted by Rev. J. J. Stevenson, Holly Hill.

11:00. What would it mean to Methodism and our State to have all our people engaged in studying the Bible systematically?—Rev. Chas. B. Smith, Presiding Elder.

11:30. Some questions that vitally concern our Methodist people.—Mr. J. M. Way, General Superintendent Methodist Sunday-school work in South Carolina, Spartanburg.

12:00. Enrollment of delegates and assignment of homes.

3:00. Devotional services, conducted by Rev. T. E. Morris, Denmark.

3:30. An afternoon talk with the teachers. (Ten-minute talks.)

1. The Teacher's Life, What Should it be?—Rev. Thos. G. Herbert, Bamberg.

2. The Teacher's Knowledge of the Book.—Mr. F. S. Dibble, Orangeburg.

3. The Teacher's Knowledge of the Pupil.—Mr. J. Rutledge Connor, Ferguson.

4. The Teacher's Knowledge of Sunday School Organization.—Mr. M. W. Brabham, Bamberg.

5. The Teacher's Knowledge of Our Church Law and Usages.—Rev. H. W. Bays, D. D., Orangeburg.

6. The Teacher's Knowledge of Our Church Doctrines and Ordinances.—Rev. E. A. Wilkes, Barnwell.

4:30. Thirty Minutes Questions and Answers on the "Teacher at Work," conducted by Mr. J. M. Way.

Third Session, Friday Evening, October 21st.

8:00. Special Song and Devotional Service, conducted by Mr. M. W. Brabham.

8:30. Address: "Is the Sunday School Worth What It Costs?"—Mr. J. M. Way.

9:00. Address — "Methodism's Contribution to the Sunday School Cause"—Rev. J. W. Ar'ail, St. George.

9:30. Announcement of Committees.

Fourth Session, Saturday Morning, October 22nd.

9:30. Devotional Service, conducted by Rev. Allan McFarlane, Branchville.

10:00. One hour on "Ways of Working in the Sunday School." (Ten minutes each.)

1. Methods of Increasing the Enrollment.—Mr. M. W. Brabham.

2. How to Hold the Scholars and Increase the Average Attendance.—Dr. J. L. B. Gilmore, Holly Hill.

3. How to Secure the Return of Absentees.—Mr. A. C. Dibble, Orangeburg.

4. The Observance of Special Days—Christmas, Easter, Children's Day, Rally Day, Decision Day, Mother's Day—Rev. Thos. G. Herbert.

5. The Teachers' Meeting.—Prof. J. Caldwell Guilds, Headmaster Carlisle Fitting School, Bamberg.

6. Getting the Church Members All Enrolled in the Sunday-School.—Rev. T. L. Belvin, Woodford.

11:00. An hour on "Sunday School Organization." (Ten-minute talks.)

1. The Cradle Roll, How to Establish and Maintain It.—Mrs. Alma B. Hays, Bamberg.

2. The Home Department, "The Sleeping Giant of the Church"—Rev. J. J. Stevenson, Holly Hill.

3. The Wesley Bible Class Department.—Mr. J. L. Wiggins, Holly Hill.

4. The Value and Importance of Teacher Training.—Rev. J. E. Rush-ton, Smoaks.

5. How to Organize and Maintain the Elementary Department.—Mr. J. M. Way.

6. Organizing the Intermediate Department and Holding the Boys and Girls.—Mr. C. F. Rizer, Olar.

12:00. Round Table — "Sunday School Organization"—Mr. J. M. Way.

Fifth Session, Saturday Afternoon, October 22nd.

3:00. Devotional Service conducted by Rev. A. R. Phillips, Rowes-

ville.

3:30. Short Talks on the Superintendent and His Work.

1. His Spiritual Qualifications—Rev. G. T. Harmon, Jr., Cope.

2. His Training and Native Ability.—Prof. J. C. Guilds.

3. His Selection of Teachers, Whom Shall They be and How Placed?—Mr. M. W. Brabham.

4:00. Making the Sunday School Program.—Mr. J. M. Way.

5. Twenty Minutes of Open Conference on the Superintendent and His Work.

4:30. Short Talks on the Pastor and the Sunday School. (Ten minutes each.)

1. Should He Hold Conferences With the Officers and Teachers? If so, how often and what should be considered at such conferences?—Rev. G. W. Davis Bowman.

2. His Part in Organizing and Promoting New Departments and Classes.—Mr. J. B. Guess, Denmark.

3. The Pastor and His Opportunity in Circuit Sunday School Conferences.—Rev. H. C. Mouzon, Harleyville.

4. His Part in the Observance of Children's Day.—Rev. T. F. Gibson, Norway.

5. Twenty Minutes Open Conference on the Pastor and the Sunday School.

5:30. Reports of Committees and other Business.

Sixth Session, Saturday Evening, October 22nd.

8:00. Song and Devotional Service, conducted by local choir and Presiding Elder.

8:30. Ten-Minute Talks on the Church and the Sunday School:

1. Why Should All Church Members Either Attend Sunday School or Belong to the Home Department?—Rev. Chas. B. Smith, P. E.

2. Should the Church Support the Sunday School from its Own Treasury and then Have the Sunday School Contribute to some Special Object Each Sunday?—Dr. J. L. B. Gilmore and Mr. J. L. Wiggins.

3. Is it Not the Duty of the Church to Provide Suitable Buildings and Proper Equipment for the Sunday School?—Mr. A. C. Dibble and Mr. F. H. Creech.

9:00. Address:—"The Model Sunday School"—Mr. J. M. Way.

Seventh Session, Sunday Morning, October 23rd.

10:00. Praise and Consecration Service, conducted by Rev. Thos. G. Herbert.

10:30. What Can the Sunday School do Toward Establishing a Family Altar in Every Home?—Rev. Chas. B. Smith, P. E.

10:50. How Can We Get All the Church Members Enrolled in the Sunday School and Engaged in Systematic Bible Study?—Prof. J. C. Guilds.

11:10. Address Before Adult Bible Class—Dr. H. N. Snyder.

Eighth Session, Sunday Afternoon, October 23rd.

3:30. Attend Sunday School at Trinity Methodist Church.

4:45. Open Conference Covering All Phases of Sunday School Work.

Conference Notes.

The subject matter of the foregoing program was prepared by the General Sunday-school superintendent of the annual conference.

The Sunday-school of Trinity Methodist Church in Bamberg is one of the leading Sunday-schools of the district, if not in this section of the State, and all pastors, officers and teachers are urged to remain over till Sunday afternoon and see how it is conducted. The conference will attend the Sunday-school at half after three o'clock, and after its adjournment, meet for an hour's discussion of such questions as this Sunday-school may suggest.

Each Sunday-school is entitled to three representatives, and should by all means send them. First, the pastor is one of the representatives by reason of his position; second, the superintendent is another, but in case he cannot attend a competent substitute should be sent; third, the Sunday-school should elect or the superintendent appoint one other delegate from the teaching force, and the person appointed should promise to go before such appointment is made.

There are twelve districts in the annual conference, ten of which have already held their annual Sunday-school conferences. Shall we not work together to make the conference in our district the best of the entire twelve? To do this, we must have all the Sunday-schools represented, and must depend upon the pastors and superintendents to secure the delegates.

The attendance of pastors on the district Sunday-school conferences has been good, and we are relying upon those in the Orangeburg district to rise to the occasion, and keep our district up to the standard of attendance. Why not put it in the lead?

Let no person whose name appears on the program fail to be present and discuss the subject assigned. All speakers are requested to confine their remarks to the time given them on the program.

In 1909 the Orangeburg district

reported a Sunday School enrollment of 4,611 and a church membership of 7,656. If the Methodist Church is to grow and keep her place as a leading denomination she must increase the attendance on the Sunday-schools. If every Methodist Sunday school in South Carolina would secure an increase of 76 per cent. in the enrollment it would give us an enrollment of over 100,000 in the State. Several schools have reported 100 per cent. increase since the requests were sent out a few months ago to get 76 per cent. increase. What about yours?

All delegates should send their names to Mr. M. W. Brabham, Bamberg, S. C., at once, and he will attend to securing homes for those who thus notify him.

Forget not to pray God every day for this conference, and for our general Sunday-school work.

CHAS. B. SMITH,  
Presiding Elder.

**David McMillan Dead.**  
David McMillan, son of Charles McMillan, died October 4th of hemorrhagic fever, after an illness of about eight days. He leaves a wife and four children, while two have preceded him to the grave. He was 43 years old and was buried by kind friends October 5th in the cemetery of the Bethesda church by the side of his two children, Rev. J. Earle Freeman conducting the funeral services.

**SPECIAL NOTICES.**

Advertisements Under This Head 25c. For 25 Words or Less.

For Sale—Moving picture show (colored.) Good paying proposition. Box 31, Orangeburg, S. C.

Store for Rent.—Store for rent in town of Bamberg. Possession given after October 20th. For particulars apply at The Herald office.

Lost.—Savings bank book No. 116, of Bamberg Banking Company. Finder will please return to Bamberg Herald office. A. O. ABLE, Bamberg, S. C.

For Sale.—Dwelling on Railroad Avenue, dwelling on Second street, two dwellings on Bridge street, fourteen acres of land between Bridge street and North street. Terms easy. JNO. H. COPE, Cope, S. C.

Wanted at Once.—Hampton's Magazine wants a reliable man or woman in Bamberg to sell the fastest growing magazine in America. Earn \$1.50 to \$5.00 a day. Write for "Salary Plan" and FREE outfit. Address "Von," Sales Mgr., Hampton Magazine, 85 West 35th St., New York.

Boys! Girls! Free Columbia Bicycles for a little easy spare-time work for Hampton's Magazine. Send postal for wonderful Free Bicycle Offer. Address "Bicycle Club," Room 538, 66 West 35th St., New York.

**Notice to Debtors and Creditors.**

All person indebted to the estate of Sarah Robinson, deceased, will make payment to the undersigned, and all persons holding claims against the said estate will file same duly proved.

J. J. CLEECKLEY,  
Administrator.  
October 7, 1910.

**TAX NOTICE.**

The treasurer's office will be open for the collection of State, county, school and all other taxes from the 15th day of October, 1910, until the 15th day of March, 1911, inclusive.

From the 1st day of January, 1911, until the 31st day of January, 1911, a penalty of one per cent will be added to all unpaid taxes. From the 1st day of February, 1911, until the 28th day of February, 1911, a penalty of 2 per cent will be added to all unpaid taxes. From the 1st day of March, 1911, until the 15th day of March, 1911, a penalty of 7 per cent. will be added to all unpaid taxes.

For State purposes.....	5 3-4 mills
For County purposes.....	5 1-2 mills
Constitutional school tax.....	5 mills
Total	14 1-4 mills

**SPECIAL SCHOOL LEVIES.**

Bamberg, No. 14.....	9 mills
Binnakers, No. 12.....	3 mills
Burford's Bridge, No. 7.....	2 mills
Clear Pond, No. 19.....	2 mills
Colston, No. 18.....	2 mills
Cuffie Creek, No. 17.....	2 mills
Denmark, No. 21.....	6 1-2 mills
Ehrhardt, No. 22.....	4 mills
Govan, No. 11.....	4 mills
Hutto, No. 6.....	2 mills
Hampton, No. 3.....	2 mills
Heyward, No. 24.....	2 mills
Hopewell, No. 1.....	3 mills
Hunter's Chapel, No. 1.....	3 mills
Hunter's Chapel, No. 16.....	1 mill
Lees, No. 23.....	4 mills
Midway, No. 2.....	2 mills
Oak Grove, No. 20.....	2 mills
Olar, No. 8.....	4 mills
St. John's, No. 10.....	2 mills
Salem, No. 9.....	3 mills
Three Mile, No. 4.....	2 mills

All persons between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years of age, except Confederate soldiers and sailors, who are exempt at 50 years of age are liable to a poll tax of one dollar.  
Capitation dog tax 50 cents.  
All persons who are twenty-one years of age on or before the 1st day of January, 1910, are liable to a poll tax of one dollar, and all persons who have not made returns to the Auditor, are requested to do so on or before the 1st of January, 1911, and thereby save the penalty and costs.  
I will receive the commutation road tax of two (\$2.00) dollars from the 15th day of October, 1910, until the 1st day of March, 1911.  
JOHN F. FOLK,  
Treasurer Bamberg County.