

**THE MARLBORO DEMOCRAT**

**BENNETTSVILLE, S. C.**

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Friday, August 21, 1903.

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**John A. Calhoun, Clio.**

**W. J. Atkinson, Blenheim.**

**D. B. Stubbs, Blenheim.**

**W. W. Irby, Smithville.**

**Bennettsville Church Directory.**

**METHODIST**—A. B. Watson, P. C. Sunday school 9:00 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Superintendent Sunday school, Phil. A. Hodges.

**BAPTIST**—Rev. Rufus Ford, Pastor. Sunday school at 10:00. Preaching Sunday at 11:00 a. m., and 8:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Superintendent of Sunday school, H. W. Carroll.

**PRESBYTERIAN**—Bryan McLeod Ph. D., Pastor. Services every Sabbath (summer) 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. (winter) 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 8 p. m. Seats free. Strangers cordially invited. Sunday school every Sunday 10 a. m. Superintendent, J. T. Dudley. All parents and children made welcome at the school.

**EPISCOPAL**—Rev. C. W. Boyd, Rector, Preaching every second and fourth Sunday at 11 a. m., and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Dr. J. A. Faison, Superintendent.

**Directory of Bennettsville Lodges**

**CONSOLIDATED LODGE No. 15, K. of P.**, meets every second and fourth Monday nights at 7:30 o'clock. E. Powers, C. C. C. D. Easterling, K. of R. & S.

**MARLBORO LODGE No. 88**, meets at Bennettsville, Friday evening, on or before each full moon at 8 o'clock. J. F. Kinney, W. M. J. T. Dudley, Secretary.

**County Masonic Directory.**

**MARLBORO CHAPTER No. 30 R. A. M.**, meets at Bennettsville on the second Friday of each month. Robt Chaffin, H. P. H. E. Stockton, Secretary.

**EUREKA LODGE No. 43, A. F. M.**, meets at McColl, each Saturday afternoon, before the full moon, at 4 o'clock.

**AURORA LODGE No. 33, A. F. M.**, meets at Clio, Saturday on or after each full moon at 3 o'clock. J. T. Stanton, W. M. John Parish, Secretary.

**County Church Directory.**

**Bennettsville Circuit Appointments**

**REV. J. W. ARLAHL, P. C.**

First Sunday—11 a. m., Pine Grove 3 p. m., Smyrna.

Second Sunday, 11 a. m. McColl 3 p. m., Beauty Spot, 11 a. m., Pine Grove, 3 p. m., Smyrna.

Third Sunday, 11 a. m., McColl 3 p. m., Beauty Spot.

**Blenheim Circuit Appointments.**

**REV. W. B. BAKER, P. C.**

First Sunday, Hebron 11 a. m., Ebenezer 3:30 p. m.

Second Sunday, Parassus 11 a. m., Bethlehem 3:30 p. m.

Third Sunday, Hebron 11 a. m., Zion 3:30 p. m.

Fourth Sunday, Parassus 11 a. m., Bethlehem 3:30 p. m.

**Clio Circuit Appointments.**

**REV. A. T. DUNLAP, P. C.**

Clio—Preaching every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Epworth League Sunday night at 8 o'clock. Sunday school at 10 a. m. W. A. Hinshaw, Supt. Prayer meeting Monday night at 8.

Beulah—Preaching every Sunday aft at 4 o'clock. Sunday school at 3. H. M. Jackson, Supt.

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**PERSONAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Brown left Wednesday for Wrightsville Beach.

Miss Lucy Gilchrist left yesterday to visit relatives in Darlington.

Mr. H. S. Quick will resign his post as marshal of Bennettsville after Aug 22.

Mr. T. W. Hucklebee of Lester was down yesterday. Plenty of rain in his section.

Mr. N. J. Herndon of Bethel was down yesterday. Heavy rains in his section.

Messrs Meyer Mittle and Walter Rowe left Wednesday morning for New York.

Mr. Eddie Mittle left Tuesday afternoon to spend a few days with his friend Mr. Bethea in the Clio section.

Mr. P. S. Stubbs of Clio section was up Monday. Pine seasons and growing crops.

Mrs. Ella Wright, returned home Saturday after a week's visit to relatives at Dunbar.

Misses Lillian and Elizabeth McNair of Maxton are the guests of their aunt Mrs. J. T. Eason.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Williams and mother of McColl are spending ten days at Jackson Springs.

Mrs. S. F. Powers is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Mary McDaniel at Beauty Spot.

Mrs. Bell Raybon of Lumber town has been spending a week with Mrs. Charley Odum of Clio.

Mr. J. D. Cottingham of Red Bluff was up Saturday and called. Crops fairly good in his section.

Miss Lana McDaniel of Beauty Spot spent Wednesday night in town with her cousin Miss Lena Powers.

Miss Susie Powers and Master Vance Bounds left yesterday to visit their sisters in Clarendon county.

Mr. Charlie Odum of Clio section was up Saturday. He says crops are improving since the rains.

Mr. K. E. Easterling, now of Fayetteville, came down Saturday and spent two days with his parents and friends. He was looking fine.

Mrs. B. I. Emanuel and daughter Miss May, who have been visiting friends in this State and Tennessee returned home Friday noon.

Mrs. J. M. Howell and two children who have been visiting relatives in our town returned to their home in Wilmington this morning.

Master James Howell and sister Miss Ella returned this morning to their home in Wilmington after a pleasant visit among friends and relatives in town.

Misses Bessie and Charika Bell McNair of Maxton and Miss Clarkie Purcell of Alabama, spent Sunday and Monday in our town as the guests of Mrs. Ansel Rogers at the "Marlboro".

**LOST**—The finder of a paper or memorandum of Names and work done on Railroad, will be liberally rewarded if he will return the same to me. The list or memorandum was lost between my house and Bennettsville.

J. J. Munmerlyn.

Avg 19, 1903.

**A Good Haul.**

Constables Meekins and Ofg were well rewarded Monday night for their loss of time and sleep in watching the river road to Society Hill by the capture of one white man J. G. Moody and a colored man named Henry Charles, two buggies, two mules and 7 kegs of good whiskey. The kegs hold about 19 quarts each. Mr. Moody, his sons and a man by the name of O'Hara have been hauling liquor on this route for several years. O'Hara was caught once last year, and the boys hope to catch him again soon.

**FOR SALE!**

One second-hand 60 saw Hall Gin with Feeder and Condenser.

One second-hand 50 saw Van Winkle Gin with Feeder and Condenser. In first class repair guaranteed to give satisfaction.

P. A. HODGES,

There is nothing prettier than the proud look of a mother when some stranger takes smiling notice of her little child.

**Our Prize Offer.**

The Marlboro Democrat will be sent one year to the farmer in Marlboro county sending the Democrat office the largest watermelon between the 25th of July and the 25th of September, 1903. A careful record will be kept of all the melons sent and their exact weight, and the names of those who send them and the weight of each melon will be published in this paper Oct 1.

**That Throbbing Headache**

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents, money back if not cured. Sold by J. T. Douglas & Bro Druggists.

If you want a good smoke try a Cubanola Cigar for sale at W. M. Rowe's.

**Worst of All Experiences.**

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute is your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. L. Newton, Deatur, Ala. "For three years" she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel troubles. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered. For Liver, Kidney, Stomach and Bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It's guaranteed by J. T. Douglas & Bro Druggists.

**YOUNG PEOPLE'S WEEKLY.**

If you want your boy or girl to have a good paper for their own reading give them the "Young People's Weekly" the leading young people's paper of America containing each week from 8 to 12 pages solid fun for young readers. Subscribers to the Democrat can have it sent to any address for 25c. Remember the price of the two papers is only \$1.25.

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**TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.**

Local news is scarce.

New moon to morrow.

Fill a basket and go to Hebron next Friday.

The rains are making peas, hay, and potatoes hustle.

The bright days are coming cotton is beginning to open and farmers are paying cash for extra labor.

One of the visitors from Marlboro says there were 2,000 farmers at Clemson last Wednesday.

It is said Brownsville had a five inch rain Saturday night. They won't need any more for this crop.

Mr. C. E. Breeden is preparing for stock raising by fencing and clearing his swamplands. Take a look as you drive by.

If you want a nice home in Robeson, write J. D. Brown Fayetteville and you can get it.

Plant Buists Ruta Baga turnips and make big ones for market. You get seed at C. S. McColl's.

A full line of boys knee pants 25c to \$1.00 at Jackson's.

Lemons extra Fancy only 20c doz at W. M. Rowe's.

Our town Clerk is ready to write your receipt for the License tax—the first installment of the tax levy for the Electric Light plant.

Real good green coffee 8 1/2 to 12 1/2 cts at W. M. Rowe's.

Royal Baking Powders at W. M. Rowe's.

Just received a new lot of good fresh tea 50c to \$1.00 per lb at W. M. Rowe's.

**What Speculation Will Do.**

Cotton grows in many countries. All that is required to bring the African, Indian and South American crop up to the measure of the world's need is a little more speculative arrogance among American corner makers. They can destroy our preeminence and ruin the one American staple in their mad greed. The foreigners are already wide awake. If provoked beyond reason they will leave us without a market. The corner men should be checked by public opinion if possible. It is wise to be wise in time.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

**A New Ceremony.**

Dr. Bevin, of Georgia tells the following:

Down in the "state of Dooly" there is a poetic justice of the peace. He is also a business like fellow and he never goes around a square when he can cut across. Recently he married a couple and here is the ceremony he used:

Jim, do you take Het Without regret To love and cherish Till one of you perish So help you God? But, do you take Jim To seek for him And darn his socks While you have breath And never stop till death?

The race of life offers some handsome prizes, and the only entrance fee demanded is honest exertion.

Pipes and Smokers Supplies in endless variety can be found at J. T. Douglas & Bro.

Knox's, Cooper's, and Cox's gelatine at W. M. Rowe's.

A complete line of Armour Canned meats at W. M. Rowe's.

Oatmeal Soap only \$3.70 per case at W. M. Rowe's.

**Driven to Desperation.**

Living at an out of the way place remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of accident, resulting in Burns, Cuts, Wounds, Ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on earth 25c at J. T. Douglas Bro's Drug Store.

**ICE! ICE! ICE!**

I want you all to know that I have opened in connection with my market an ice house and am prepared to fill all orders for ice in any quantity at right prices.

Send me your orders and see if I don't fill them promptly. Call and get tickets if you desire to save annoyance in making change.

Respectfully,

C. F. Covington.

**Startling Evidence.**

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland Deaturville, Va., serves as example. He writes: "I had Bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all Lung and Throat troubles, Consumption, Pneumonia and Grip. Guaranteed by J. T. Douglas & Bro Druggists. Trial bottles free, regular sizes 50c and \$1.00.

**A full line of boys shirt waists at Jackson's.**

**Cheap Reading.**

The Democrat and the Semi-weekly Atlanta Journal one year for \$1.50.

The Democrat and McColl's Magazine—an excellent Lady's Book for \$1.50.

The Sunny South and the Democrat for only \$1.50.

The Democrat and New Idea for \$1.50. Sample can had.

**Don't You Love Flowers?**

If so, and you want some pretty pots of all sizes in which to place them, call at the Hardware store and you can be suited.

**MILTON MCLAURIN,**

Attorney at Law and Probate Judge.

Office in Court House.

**RELIGIOUS NOTES.**

Rev. C. W. Boyd will conduct services at St. Paul's Episcopal Church next Sunday morning and night.

We have been authorized to state that for several justifiable reasons Brownsville Church has called off the Union, so there will be no Union-Meeting in August.

Rev. A. B. Watson proposes to organize an Epworth League at the Methodist church on Sunday night next. All the young people of the town are cordially invited to attend.

Strangers and the public generally are invited to the service of the Presbyterian church next Sabbath morning at 11 and evening at 8:30. Subject of morning sermon "Character of Peter."

Rev. E. P. Taylor, P. E. Marion District filed his appointment here last Saturday and Sunday, preaching at the Methodist on the morning and at the Mill church at night. He will be at New Hope, Marlboro Saturday and Sunday next.

Prayer meeting at Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon at 5 p. m.

The hour for evening services at the churches is now 8:30 o'clock.

Prayer meeting at the Baptist church every Thursday evening at 8:00.

Prayer meeting at the Methodist church every Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.

The hour for Sunday School at the Methodist church has been changed to 5:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

**MARION DISTRICT APPOINTMENTS.**

**THIRD ROUND—E. P. TAYLOR, P. E.**

Olio and Beulah, at Beulah July 25,26

Bennettsville et, Beauty Spot July 26,27

Brightville, Boykin, August 8,9

Blenheim et, Zion, " 15

Bennettsville Sta, " 15,16

McColl & Bennettsville Mills, (night) 15,16

North Marlboro, New Hope, " 22,23

Brownsville, 4,30 p. m. " 30,31

**Boys knee pants, sizes 5-10 25c at Jackson's.**

**Unclaimed Letters.**

Letters addressed to the following named persons remain unclaimed for at the post office in Bennettsville:

Men's List.

John Williams, W. P. Moore, V. Haile, Sandy Goodwin, Albert Dean, Dr. S. Z. Bryan, J. M. Alexander.

Women's List.

Mrs S. H. Moore, Mrs. Tisib Irby, Miss Mattie Irby, Peggie Dimery, Maggie Chapman.

**Suicide Prevented.**

The startling announcements that a preventive of suicide has been discovered will interest many. A run down system, or despondency invariably precede suicide and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters. It being a great tonic and nerve will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It's also a great Stomach, Liver and Kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by J. T. Douglas & Bro Druggists.

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**The South Carolina College for Teachers.**

Although nearly approaching its centennial anniversary, the South Carolina College shows no signs of the decrepitude of old age, but rather increasing signs of vigorous life. A new departure of great importance in the College and to the State has just been inaugurated. For some years the College has had a department of pedagogy, for the training of teachers, but last winter, for the first time, the Legislature created a number of normal schools, one for each county. It is the intention of the Trustees and Faculty to secure these scholarships upon a high plane, and to seek thereby to qualify superior young men for positions of leadership and influence in our public schools. However largely women may be employed as teachers, the work of superintendence, direction and control must continue to be most largely in the hands of the men; and it is to supply these positions of leadership and influence in the community as well as in the schools, that the College will chiefly aim, through these scholarships. Hence, no woman is under nineteen years of age is eligible, and preference will be given to such candidates who have already taught with success for at least one year.

The general and technical course of study has been established, on a high yet practical plane, and it is intended that the department shall be worthy of the name to be called a "College for Teachers." All the work will be distributed into every department, and the regular College classes. The Trustees and Faculty feel sure that in preparing these courses and well equipped men for the College will aid in supplying one of the most important needs of the State. They hope, also, that this work, in its success and its results, may meet with such public approval as to lead hereafter to the still further enlargement.

A circular has been issued giving the details of the regulations and course of study.

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**AN ORDINANCE**

To prevent and punish the practice of Gaming or Gambling in the Town of Bennettsville:

Be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Bennettsville in Council assembled and by authority of the same:

SEC. 1. That the playing of any game with cards or dice, raffle, crakelack, and any and all other games of chance for gain, in any public place, store, house, office or other building used as a place of business of any kind, or unoccupied building within the corporate limit of said Town is hereby prohibited.

SEC. 2. That any person violating this ordinance, upon conviction, shall be fined not less than Five Dollars nor more than One Hundred Dollars, or be imprisoned, or work on the public works of the town not less than ten days or more than 30 days.

Done and published in Council this 5th day of June, A. D. 1903.

J. T. DOUGLAS & BRO., Mayor.

**Flowers!**

Mrs. J. T. Moore has a fine lot of Geraniums, Begonias, Ferns, and other plants, well rooted, and she desires to sell Cutting 50c per dozen.

**SPECIAL NOTICE.**

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February 1, 1903.

P. A. HODGES.

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