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Barnwell Jurist Gets Endorsement

Special Judge Charles Carroll Simms, of This City, Is Thanked by Allendale Bar.

Allendale, Nov. 19.—Unanimous endorsement of the official duties performed by C. C. Simms, of Barnwell, special judge, holding criminal court here this week, was expressed in the form of a resolution at the conclusion of court Thursday afternoon. The resolution was read by C. Birnie Johnson, Esq. Speaking to the resolution were R. P. Seanson, Randolph Murdaugh and James M. Patterson. On motion of Fred H. All, the resolution was unanimously adopted.

The full text of the resolution follows:

"Resolved by the court officials and the members of the Bar of Allendale County:

"That the county has been indeed fortunate in securing the services of the distinguished jurist presiding at this court; that in recognition of his able, manly, fearless and human administration of justice tempered with mercy, his strict adherence to the line of duty, his unflinching courtesy, his kindly consideration and thoughtfulness, we offer this testimonial of our admiration and affectionate respect. That at the conclusion of his duties here, so well performed, he carries with him the assurance that the conduct of our court has merited and won the approval of all fair minded citizens, as evidenced by the verdict voiced on every hand by white and black; that in him we recognize the product of a school whose doors are closed, of an environment that is now but a memory of days that are no more, a type depicting South Carolina's best, whom Allendale is proud to call our neighbor and our friend.

"That this resolution be entered on the minutes of the court."

Blackville Cancels Thanksgiving Game

Annual Barnwell County Classic Not to Be Played This Year.—No Other Games Scheduled.

The football fans of Barnwell have seen the 1927 Barnwell High School squad in action for the last time and several of the local players participated in their last high school game Friday afternoon against Bamberg, Supt. G. Frank Posey, of Blackville, having cancelled the annual "classic" between the two teams. This news will be a source of keen disappointment to lovers of the sport in both towns, as usually the teams are pretty well matched and good exhibitions are staged, victory perching first on the banner of one team and then the other. This is the second time in the past several years that such action has been necessary, Barnwell being forced to call off a game on one occasion because several members of the team were suffering with "flu" during an epidemic of that disease. It is understood that the reason for Supt. Posey's action was due to the standard of scholarship required. Coach Hugh McLaurin was willing to waive their ineligibility on this score, but Mr. Posey was not willing to do this.

The Barnwell boys were anticipating a lively scrap, as Blackville has been going good lately, having defeated Williston only a short time ago, 12 to 6, and they were considered worthy foemen for the team that has won seven out of nine games played this season. The outcome of the contest would probably have been in doubt until the final whistle and doubtless the game would have furnished numerous thrills. No other games are on Barnwell's schedule.

Hare Undergoes Operation.

Columbia, Nov. 16.—Congressman Butler B. Hare, of Saluda, is a patient at the Baptist hospital, where he underwent a rather painful but not serious operation. According to a statement of the operating surgeon, Mr. Hare's operation was rather painful but one that is never very difficult or serious. He is doing fine and will be able to leave for home within the next few days, or as soon as the incision heals sufficiently.

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Home Demonstration Clubs Have Exhibits

Hilda, Pleasant Hill and Double Ponds Staged Show Here Last Week. Prize Winners Announced.

The Home Demonstration Clubs of Hilda, Pleasant Hill and Double Ponds staged their annual exhibits in the Tobin building on Main Street last week. The display was very creditable and occasioned much favorable comment.

In the Hilda exhibit, the judges noted 41 varieties of canned goods, 9 varieties of cooked foods, three of fresh fruits, 13 fresh vegetables, 36 varieties of seeds and farm crops, besides many other articles, including a good display of clothing and fancy work.

Articles were displayed in standard containers in the Double Ponds booth, which was decorated in green and white and was very attractively arranged. Here were also displayed 13 varieties of fresh vegetables, 34 varieties of canned goods, five of cooked food, 4 fresh fruits, besides the farm crops, handwork, etc. The cooked foods in this booth were unusually good.

In the Pleasant Hill booth there were 46 varieties of canned goods, 11 of cooked foods, 11 fruits, 10 fresh vegetables, 4 of basketry and 52 of seeds and farm crops.

Some interesting old articles were on exhibit, such as a man's shirt worn in 1865, a pair of scissors that has been in active use for 101 years, and a child's dress 47 years old.

The canning and clothing work by the 4-H Club girls was unusually good.

The Prize Winners.

The following won prizes

Egg Show.

1st prize, browns extra—Mrs. Charlie Hartzog, Double Pond.
2nd prize, browns extra—Mrs. R. S. Weathersbee, Pleasant Hill.
3rd prize, browns extra—Miss Lula Hair, Double Pond.

1st prize, browns pullets—Mrs. Ida Hutto, Double Pond.
2nd prize, browns pullets—Mrs. Lizzie Still, Oak Grove.
1st prize in white pullets—Mrs. A. P. Collins, Hilda.

2nd prize in white pullets—Mrs. M. A. Delk, Hilda.

Girls 4-H Canning Exhibit.

1st prize—Sadie Creech, Galilee.
2nd prize—Merdrew Sanders, Oak Grove.
3rd prize—Katherine Creech, Galilee.

4th prize—Jessie Kennedy, Hercules.

Girls 4-H Sewing Exhibit.

1st prize—Sadie Creech, Galilee.
2nd prize—Kathrine Creech, Galilee.
3rd prize—Lois Hartzog, Double Pond.

4th prize—Merdrew Sanders, Oak Grove.
5th prize—Jessie Kennedy, Hercules.

Some very interesting educational exhibits were put on by Miss Elizabeth McNab, Home Demonstration Agent. In a window was displayed "The Family Budget," showing the amount of canned, dried and fresh vegetables required for one person for six months. This included nine qts. of tomatoes, 12 qts. of beans, beets, corn, peas, etc., 14 qts. of canned fruits, 48 lbs. of apples, 6 lbs. of prunes, 12 lbs. of oranges or grapefruit, 20 lbs. of lettuce, 10 lbs. of cabbage, 12 lbs. of turnips and onions, 10 lbs. of leafy vegetables and 8 lbs. of squash or parsnips.

Another showed a doll representing a child choosing the foods to eat. The "Yes" foods included: Apples, oranges, grapefruit, bread, oatmeal, tomatoes, eggs, milk, butter, prunes, potatoes, onions, leafy vegetables, etc. The "No" foods were: Pickles, fried foods, hot dogs, soft drinks, coffee, tea, etc.

On the walls were posters showing the value of right eating; diets for correct weight, overweight and underweights; the correct posture standards for girls and boys of all three types, thin, intermediate and stocky. In the center was a large poster stating that Home Demonstration Work offers a well balanced program. On one side of the scale was: Improving the Family Life by art of good dressing, beautifying the home, wholesome recreation, housework made easier, meals for health and happiness, and on the other side of the scale was:

An Armful of Thanksgiving



Mrs. R. P. Lesure, of Cornith, Vt., champion turkey raiser of New England, with a 35-pound gobbler from her pens. She successfully raises 80 per cent. of the birds hatched—an unequalled record in large lots.

A Splendid Program Was Enjoyed Tuesday

Excellent Talks Featured Meeting of Local School Improvement Association.

Quite a number of members enjoyed the program arranged by the program committee for Tuesday's meeting of the Barnwell School Improvement Association, which was held in the school auditorium. The meeting was opened by the president, Supt. W. W. Carter, following which Mrs. A. A. Lemon, secretary, and Mrs. R. S. Dicks, treasurer, read their reports. A splendid talk was made by Mrs. W. E. McNab, her subject being "The Relationship Between the Mother and the School Improvement Association."

Mrs. Sol Blatt delighted the audience with a piano selection, after which Miss Dorothy Wragg read an article from "The American Magazine." This was followed by remarks by Miss Virginia Hutto, whose subject was "The Parent and the Teacher."

Supt. Carter made a splendid talk on Arbor Day, and also spoke in a general way about school work. A committee will be appointed to superintend work about the school grounds. The next meeting of the association will be held Thursday, December 15th, at which time it is hoped that there will be a full attendance of the members, many of whom are not attending the meetings as they should.

"Mammy's Lil' Wild Rose."

An appreciative audience greeted the first performance of "Mammy's Lil' Wild Rose," which was presented at the Vamp Theatre Tuesday evening by local talent. The plot was good and as a happy selection had been made in the cast of characters, the production was thoroughly enjoyed. While each member of the cast starred, the comedy part played by Harry Anderson was perhaps the most amusing. Miss Pauline Richardson deserves great credit for the manner in which she directed the play, her work along this line being much better than some professionals who have been here. Quite a nice sum was realized, which will be used for the benefit of the Barnwell Methodist Church. It is understood that the people of nearby towns will be given an opportunity of seeing the play in the near future.

co-operative marketing, gardening, poultry raising, home orchard and home dairying.

In the Egg Show there were 11 entries. A candling machine showing how to candle eggs, which is most important in the marketing of fresh eggs, was available for all visitors to see and use. The prizes won were as follows:

In the Community Exhibits, Pleasant Hill won first, Double Ponds second and Hilda third.

In a separate booth were scales and height rod, where any who wished could be weighed and measured. Displayed nearby were the weight and height posters. During the week, children were weighed and measured.

Blackville Man Is Out for Rail Board

Former Budget Clerk and Member of House of Representatives Seeks Place Held by Blease.

Columbia, Nov. 20.—G. L. Weissinger, of Blackville, former member of the House of Representatives from Barnwell County and former secretary of the State Budget Commission, yesterday announced his intention to offer as a candidate for railroad commissioner at the approaching session of the legislature for the position now held by Sam C. Blease, chairman of the commission, as representative of the Second District.

Mr. Weissinger is a well known citizen of Barnwell County, where he has engaged in farming and mercantile pursuits. He represented his county in the lower House of the General Assembly in 1923-24, afterwards being one of the field agents of the State Tax Commission. He served in 1926 as secretary of the State Budget Commission until the office was closed, resuming his work with the tax commission.

Mr. Barrett Comes For Song Recital

W. Decatur Barrett, of Charleston, will give a song recital at the Vamp Theatre next Wednesday evening, Nov. 30th, at 8:15 o'clock. This engagement has been secured through the efforts of the Men's Bible Class of the Barnwell Methodist Church, the recital being given for the benefit of the heating plant fund of the new church. This class is donating this plant and so the proceeds from the recital will be applied to this fund.

Mr. Barrett needs no introduction in Barnwell, as he gave a recital here about a year ago, and those who were privileged to hear him then will certainly seize this opportunity to hear him again.

He has given concerts in many of the larger cities to packed houses, where he received the heartiest applause. He possesses a marvelous lyric tenor voice, and the News and Courier says of one of his recent concerts: "Mr. Barrett sings with beautiful quality of tone and fine musicianship. His high notes are a joy. He has both voice and imagination."

Allendale Smashes Williston.

Allendale, Nov. 18.—Allendale's powerful football machine continued to pile up points, as Williston was defeated, 44 to 0. Allendale bucked, ran and passed in such a manner that Williston was not able to cope with the attack. The line allowed Williston only one first down and continued to open up for her backs. Chavous featured with his bucks and passes, while Bates, Richardson and Dunbar tore off spectacular runs. Tharin and Williams at ends caught beautiful passes for long gains. Having lost only one game and expecting to close the most successful season of football in her history with victory, Allendale is pointing toward Aiken with determination. This game is to be played at Aiken, November 23rd.

Barnwell Wins Good Game by 14-0 Score

Bamberg Suffers Defeat in Last Game of Season on Local Field.—Hard Fought Contest.

Although the Bamberg High School played the Barnwell High School eleven completely off its feet in the first half of an exciting football game here Friday afternoon, the locals came back strong in the third period and scored two touchdowns to win, 14 to 0. The visitors staged two drives down the field in the first part of the game that were not stopped until the Barnwell defense stiffened near their goal line and then took the ball on downs.

In the third quarter, Davies, local center, ran back a punt about 40 yards from near his own goal. A line play failed to gain, and on the second play Halford made an end run for the remaining distance. A beautiful forward pass netted the extra point. A few minutes later Halford got away with another end run and scored the second touchdown, the extra point being made by the aerial route. Carroll, Davies, Halford and P. Hartin played their usual good game for the locals, with the other members of the squad doing well.

The entire Bamberg team played well and the visitors were a threat throughout the contest. A feature of the game was a beautiful forward pass by the visitors near the close of the second half that netted them about 35 yards. Lemon, local quarterback, who was injured about three weeks ago, was back in the game Friday and ran his team well.

Employe of Carnival Cut Here Last Week

Willie Carter Admitted Guilt in Mayor's Court and Was Sentenced to Pay Fine of \$100.00.

Willie Carter admitted in Mayor's Court Friday morning that he had cut an employe of a carnival company in Barnwell the previous night and was sentenced by Mayor W. D. Harley to pay a fine of \$100 or serve 30 days on the chain gang, half of the sentence being suspended. Being unable at the time to pay the fine, Carter was lodged in the Barnwell County jail. Corbett Hartzog, who pleaded guilty to a violation of the prohibition law, received a like sentence and was released from custody Monday, when he paid his fine.

From what can be learned, it is understood that the difficulty between Carter and the stranger was the result of a balance of 25 cents said to be due by the carnival man to Hartzog or a bottle of liquor, which Hartzog, in Mayor's Court, admitted selling. At first, according to Mayor Harley, Carter professed his innocence and even assisted the officers in their hunt for the assailant. Friday morning he is said to have admitted to the Mayor that he had done the cutting. A short time later, it is said, several affidavits were about to be signed placing the guilt on Shellie Bessinger. Hartzog was called as a witness and admitted selling the carnival man the whiskey. The latter was fined \$5.

Quarterly Rally Held.

Blackville, Nov. 22.—The quarterly rally of the Barnwell Association was held at Blackville on the evening of November 17. The weather was decidedly inclement, and in view of this the attendance was considered good. Denmark had the largest visiting delegation, consisting of 28 members of the several unions of the Denmark church.

The entire program was unusually good. Rev. F. Clyde Helms made the chief address of the evening, which was interesting as well as instructive. Officers for the ensuing year were elected, Mrs. G. N. Smith, of Ehrhardt, being re-elected as president. Mrs. Smith is thoroughly interested in B. Y. P. U. work, and the Association is fortunate in having her services for another term as president. She is both practical and progressive.

Blackville, as the hostess church, served lunch to the delegates. The next meeting will be held at Denmark and the young people are already looking forward to this occasion with pleasure.

Tonsil and Adenoid Clinic Is Successful

Twenty-seven Operations Performed Thursday and Friday by Dr. Kollock, of Charleston.

The tonsil and adenoid clinic, which was held at the local school building Thursday and Friday, under the auspices of the State Board of Health and the Barnwell School Improvement Association, was successful in every way. Twenty-seven operations were performed by Dr. Kollock, of Charleston, 12 on Thursday and 15 the following day. Most of them have been followed up and all of the patients are doing nicely.

On every hand, one hears only the highest praise of Dr. Kollock's work. One man remarked that if he had a million dollars and needed a tonsil operation, he would want this noted surgeon to perform the operation in a clinic at Barnwell. This gentleman had seen many specialists at work.

Valuable assistance was rendered by Miss Kathryn Malone who is working in Barnwell, Bamberg and Allendale Counties in the interest of the Bureau of Child Hygiene. She has had many years of experience and is a most capable nurse. Miss Lucille Lowery, of Aiken, won the hearts of mothers and children during the clinic, going from ward to ward as she was needed. The night nurse, Miss Annie Ruth, of Varnville, answered every call of patients and parents and her happy radiant smile brightened the long hours of the night. Miss Blistine, of Charleston, assisted Dr. Kollock in the operating room, as did also Dr. W. W. King, of this city. Yeoman service was also rendered on both days by the Revs. C. K. Turner and R. W. Humphries, who helped in the operating room and in carrying patients to and from the room. Management of the clinic was handled very successfully by Supt. W. W. Carter, business manager, assisted by Prof. Hugh McLaurin, the teachers and committees. Thanks are also due Miss Elizabeth McNab, Home Demonstration Agent, who spared no effort to make the clinic a success, using her car constantly before and during the clinic.

Dr. D. K. Briggs, of Blackville, and Dr. L. T. Claytor, of this city, rendered excellent volunteer service during the two days.

The people of Barnwell responded in their usual hospitable manner, opening their homes and entertaining visiting doctors and nurses and furnishing refreshments to anxious parents and nourishment for patients. All of the committees gave splendid service, as usual.

The examinations of school and pre-school children showed many more defects than had been reported. In the pre-school clinic held November 4th at the Court House by Dr. Dotterer and Miss Cunningham of the Bureau of Child Hygiene, 45 children were examined. Of these 23 were defective and there were 51 defects, showing in a measure the percentage of defects among children that can be corrected.

Must File Applications Now.

It is desired to inform all veterans and dependents of deceased veterans of the World War, who have not previously applied for Adjusted Compensation (commonly known as the bonus) that January 1, 1928, is the last date on which applications will be accepted.

A dependent of a deceased veteran can file application within a period of six months after the death of the veteran, when death occurs within a period of six months prior to January 1, 1928, this being the only exception. It is, therefore, urged that those who have not filed their applications do so immediately.

Application forms may be obtained from the Regional Office, U. S. Veterans Bureau, 1246 Main Street, Columbia, S. C., or locally from American Legion Posts or American Red Cross Chapters.

Oyster Supper at Baptist Church

The ladies of the local Baptist Church will serve an oyster supper at the church on Thursday evening, December 1st, from 7:30 to 9:30. The public is cordially invited to attend. Other announcement will be made next week.

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