

**Union News**

Frequent showers during the past week have greatly helped vegetation. The days continue long and the weather warm. Our churches here are still well attended. Some are remaining away for fear of heat, and when winter comes it will be too cold.

Corinth Baptist Church, Sunday School, church services and B. Y. P. U. are being well attended. Rev. C. H. Williams is pastor, and preaches



MRS. R. M. WILLIAMS,  
Grand Recorder of Deeds.

with power. Mr. Wm. Sanders is the newly elected superintendent. He is faithful in the discharge of duty.

Revival meeting at Bethel A. M. E. Church was not well attended on account of the inclement weather. Pastor Washington was assisted by Rev. Massey.

Mrs. Sallie B. Young, Rose, Joe, Grace and several other little folks gave us a very pleasant call.

Mrs. Lilly McKissick and Mrs. Lettie Bolden are among the number attending summer school.

Miss Mary Brightwell, now McBeth St., is also at State College.

Mrs. Mary Ann Beatty is much improved at this writing.

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Mr. W. H. Hampton, popular chef, is off on his vacation for a few weeks.

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**ASHLEIGH STATION NEWS.**

Well watermelons are in season now. We hope the farmers the best success in their marketing.

Mr. W. M. Holman presented Mr. G. C. Beck of Red Oak, a watermelon weighing 50 pounds.

Miss Gladys Holman and Mrs. Helen Holman were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Beck at dinner on last Thursday.

Miss Gladys Holman and Mrs. Helen Holman motored to Denmark, S. C., last Friday where they spent a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Ida Eells departed this life July 10th at her home and was funeralized at Tabernacle Baptist Church. Rev. S. J. Rice officiated at the funeral. She left to mourn her loss, a father, mother, four sisters and three brothers and many other relatives. The bereaved family has the sympathy of their many friends.

Mrs. Evelyn Wright, of New York City, spent a few pleasant days with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holman on last Wednesday.

The Ashleigh baseball team was defeated in a game by Great Cypress last Saturday.

Mr. Harry Johnson, of Brown's Place, was the guest of Miss Ruth L. Edder on last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Herbert Snelling and Mr. Jerry and Willie Lee Bentley were the guests of the Holman's on last Friday.

We were very glad to have with us last Sunday at our morning services, the glee club of Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church.

Sunday was a high day with us, being our communion Sunday. We enjoyed a great gospel feast under the supervision of Rev. J. Waldo. He is indeed a great minister of the highest type. We had a full house to commune and also a full house to witness our services. The Sunday School was opened at the usual hour, and a splendid lesson was heard. We were very glad to have with us in our services the Ashleigh Jubilee Singers.

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**HAPPENINGS AT VOORHEES**

The Voorhees School has been widely advertised in the last six weeks by the trip out to South Dakota by the combined singers from Voorhees School at Denmark, S. C., and the

Fort Valley School at Fort Valley, Ga., representing the American Church Institute for Negroes, 281 Fourth Avenue, New York City. The campaign was made in a Studebaker, beginning at St. Louis, Mo., going up through Des Moines on into Sioux Falls, S. D., coming back down thru Minneapolis, La Crosse and Milwaukee, Wisconsin. The trip was very successful from every angle—except that the men were convinced that 500 miles a day was a little too much for my automobile traveling.

Principal Blanton back at Voorhees announces that the high school

will open September 20th, and that the elementary grades will open September 27th. By working an extra hour a day as the Voorhees teachers have been doing, the opening on September 20th and going through May will make our term 34 weeks.

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