



### Colored Beauticians Hold Successful Session

Spartanburg.—The Colored Beauticians of the State of South Carolina held their convention Tuesday and Wednesday in this city. The convention was well represented. Columbia registered 12; Spartanburg and Greenville also registered large numbers. Other counties were largely represented.

Miss Georgiana Busby of New York City is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Busby of Columbia, S. C. A party was given in honor of Miss Busby last Wednesday night by Mrs. S. Brown and Mrs. D. Dean of Lykesland and Columbia.

Miss Grace K. Blackwell left Sunday for her work in Heath Springs, S. C., where she has charge of the fourth grade and music.

Mrs. Mattie Garrett Simons and sons of Washington, D. C., are in the city, spending their vacation with Mrs. Simons' parents, Prof. and Mrs. C. G. Garrett. We wish them a pleasant stay.

Mr. Marion T. Garrett and son of New York City are in the city for an indefinite stay the guests of Mr. Garrett's parents, Prof. and Mrs. C. G. Garrett, on E. Lady street.

Miss Alice Haigler is confined to bed in Columbia hospital. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

### Wants Position

Teacher, graduate Allen university wants position; fall term. Box 305, Georgetown, S. C.

### THE WARD ONE WILLING WORKERS CLUB

The Ward One Willing Workers club met at the home of Miss Lucy Jones, 419 Sumner street, Tuesday night, July 26. The meeting was called to order by the Madam President, presiding, Miss Lucy Jones and opened with the club song led by Miss Nancy Sims. Pray by Miss Lucy Jones. Bible verse recited by all of the members, then Mrs. Eva Mae Moss led another song. The minutes were read, motioned by Miss Lottie Sims, second by Mr. Silas Smith they were adopted. The roll was called. The members responded briefly. Then the meeting was closed. Mrs. Crissie Thompson led the closing song. Mr. Silas Smith dismissed us by giving the closing ode.

### THE TWELVE STAR SOCIAL CLUB

The weekly meeting of the club was held at the home of Mrs. Ida Mae Williams, Tuesday, July 26. The meeting was called to order by the President, Mr. Freddie Ferguson. Mrs. Sallie Mae Roof chaplain conducted the devotions. A brief discussion of business included plans for entertainments. Watch this column next week for full information concerning a dance.

We enjoyed a program of songs and poems, which ended with inspiring remarks from the members. We had with us Mr. Lee Outen, who expressed himself as having enjoyed the meeting and spoke words of encouragement towards the progress of the club. We will meet at 2121 Pendleton street, Tuesday, August 2.

### LUCKY BIRD SOCIAL CLUB

Lucky Bird Social club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen West at 9 o'clock. Meeting was opened by song by Mrs. Kennedy. Scripture by the president, prayer by Mrs. Boyce. Second song by Mrs. Hattie Johnson. This song brought our devotional service to a close. Then the president took charge, calling for the minutes of last meeting which were omitted. The sick committee made his report which was none. Mr. Kennedy made his report on program. The president made report on left over tickets. The unfinished business was discussed briefly. The new business was taken up and discussed.

Mrs. Pollock was elected assistant on the sick committee. Mr. Able elected assistant recording secretary.

The roll was called by Secretary Mrs. Kennedy. Members present 16. We were dismissed by Mrs. Florence Boyce.

We were served a delicious course of tomato salad on lettuce, chicken, rolls, cake and punch. Meet us at Dunbar's Lake, Monday night, August 1.

Mr. Sam Williams, president, Miss Birdie Brown, reporter.

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## Light From the Stars

BY ABBE WALLACE  
YOUNGEST MENTALIST ON THE AMERICAN STAGE

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J.B.—What must I do about the property of my father, which is in Virginia?

Ans.: About the only thing you can do is to arrange to sell it so that you can clear up the indebtedness. Have it appraised and if you like, put it into the hands of some good reliable Real Estate Agency down there.

T.M.H.—For the past 5 years I have been out of work and all of my friends seem to have forgotten me, even my boy friend that once seemed to care enough to marry me. I stay worried all the time and I want to know what to do?

Ans.: Find employment and do this within the next thirty days. There isn't any reason for you being without work five years; this alone is enough to make your friends feel a little disgusted with you. When you do get something to do that will occupy your mind you will get over your nervousness.

A.V.R.—I have tried for nine years to have something and I am now thoroughly tired and disgusted. Would it help any if I packed my bags and "hit out" for the city I live in mind?

Ans.: A sensible idea. You have worried continuously for the past few years about making your home in Philadelphia and I honestly feel that you would be using good judgment to carry out this plan you have in mind.

A.B.—Is there any way that I were received and adopted.

New and unfinished business was discussed. Our silver tea to be given by the club Sunday past. A nice time was had. Nine visitors were present. Mr. J. Reed, Mr. L. Outen, Mr. R. Jackson, Mr. R. Bailey, Mr. W. Wise, Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Jenkins, Mrs. Irene Charley, Mr. Raymond Thompson, Mr. Eugene Jenkins, Mr. J. Burton and his quartet rendered music. Mr. R. Thompson with his mix quartet also rendered music for us. Mr. Jack Hartzog, Mr. J. Burton, Mr. E. Brown, and Mr. G. McDaniel are trying every way to make our club second to none.

### New Books By Negro Poets

Henry Harrison, Poetry Publisher, of 79 Fourth Avenue, New York, announces for publication on August 1st two books of verse by Negro poets; Joseph S. Cotter, Sr., of 2306 Magazine St., Louisville, Ky., and Lucy Mae Turner, 1918 Bond Avenue, East St. Louis, Ill. Mr. Cotter's book is entitled "Collected Poems" and Miss Turner's "Bout Cullud Folkles."

Mr. Cotter, a product of the Louisville Public Schools, has recently been elected as teacher and principal for the fiftieth year. He is at present principal of the S. Coleridge-Taylor Colored School of Scotch, Irish, English, Indian and Negro blood. Mr. Cotter was born in Nelson County, Ky., on Feb. 2nd, 1861. He is listed in "Who's Who in America," "Who's Who Among North American Authors," and "The Authors' League of America." He is the author of "A Rhyming," "Links of Friendship," "Caleb, the Degenerate," "A White Song and a Black One," "Negro Tales," etc., and the following songs: "I'm Wondering," "Without Jesus," and "Going to Georgia." Of his play, "Caleb, the Degenerate" the late Alfred Austin, Poet Laureate of England, wrote: "It affords further evidence of the latent capacity of your long-maltreated race." From the great English actress, Mrs. Langtry, came "The play is interesting and ought to find a place worthy of its merits among the works on Negro literature."

Lucy Mae Turner was born in Zanesville, Ohio. Her father, Gilbert Turner, was the son of Nat Turner, a slave who raised a rebellion against slavery in Virginia in 1831. Her mother was the daughter of Rev. Isaac Jones who built the first colored Baptist church in Putnam Ohio. Miss Turner is a graduate of Wilberforce University and holds a B. S. degree from Ohio State University. She is at present a public school teacher in East St. Louis, Ill.

The Harrison firm also announces an extension of time in which Negro poets may contribute to "New Negro Voices," which is being edited by Beatrice M. Murphy of 1414 Q St., N. W., Washington, D. C. Miss Murphy reports that gratifying progress is being made on this anthology, and that among the recent well-known contributors is Langston Hughes who recently sailed for Europe to attend a writers' congress.

can change him as he doesn't care for church, picture shows, dancing or any kind of entertainment?

Ans.: Not a possible chance of changing him and don't enter marriage with the thought that you can make him like the kind of life that you do. He is a quiet type and will never be able to frolic in the fashion you desire.

L.S.—There is an attachment run on my car for a bill of my husband's but understand the car is in my name. Will I be able to get it back?

Ans.: Laws in different states vary; the thing for you to do is consult a good lawyer and take his advice on the matter. I do think that some adjustment will have to be made about the bill before you are able to get your car.

M.M.—I do want your opinion about my farm as I feel that you will help me if possible?

Ans.: Put it up for sale and if you are offered a nice margin of profit then sell; otherwise hold it for awhile. You really do not wish to go back there to live and if you can't get something worthwhile from it, then do so.

E.S.—Please tell me why my people pick at me and what really is my trouble?

Ans.: You have a swell disposition and they just take advantage of it to try to arouse your "bad points." The less you have to do with them the happier you will be. Make friends among the people who do not live near you.

### NEW BETHEL NEWS

Rev. A. D. Duncan, Pastor Woodruff, So. Carolina, July 24 Our Sunday school was good yesterday—alho—a gentle rain fell most of the day many were present. Three joined. Our Daily Bible class closed Friday with a successful week—near 100 children attended the class. Delegates were present from Tyger river church school convention, Sunday which was held at Mt. Sinai Baptist church, Glendale, S. C. Their reports were good. One of the best sessions held in years were reported.

Woodruff Junior high school began its summer term this week and a pleasant session is looked forward to.

### McCOLL NEWS

The past week continued rainy. Quite a few activities were either postponed or abruptly terminated due to the weather's inclemency. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gray and Mrs. Carpenter of Tatum motored to Sumter last week to visit relatives and friends. They reported a lovely trip.

Mr. Jones of New Jersey, Misses Stroble, Reese and Mitchell of Carolina are the new teachers assisting Prof. LoSaine at present. They have entered the second week of the summer term with a very creditable enrollment.

Mr. and Mrs. "Dolphus" McRae were host and hostess at a dinner party in honor of the Carpenters and Grays on Saturday evening.

Rev. J. R. L. Allen and family and Rev. Mrs. Crawford who is conducting this week's revival for Rev. Allen at Fair Plain, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Jones on Sunday.

The revival service at Beaver Dam closed last week and with six converts to its credit. Rev. Jonas W. Wright, assisted.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McInnis were the recipients of a visit from the Misses Welch, sisters of Mrs. McInnis, last Friday.

Mrs. Emma Leach of Dillon is visiting her mother Mrs. Ardella Fields.

Mrs. Mary McNeil and sons Donnie and Tommie were visited by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pearson and niece, Miss Catlin of Bonnetsville, Sunday evening.

Mr. W. L. Jackson received a short visit from his sister who lives in Hamlet and a brother from Philadelphia, last week.

Mr. Jas. R. Ashe was a brief visitor at the home of his aunt, Mrs. D. Pipkin last Monday.

Mrs. Sam Jones was a week end visitor in the city for the past week. She, with her husband returned to Durham, N. C., Sunday evening.

The reporter wishes to thank the new subscribers for their interest and trust they will help to encourage others to subscribe also.

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### Mr. Edd Roper Celebrates Birthday

Atlantic Beach, S. C.—Mr. Edd Roper, of Charlotte, N. C., celebrated his 48th birthday Friday night, July 22nd at the Smith's Patio, with a host of friends. Those attending were Mrs. Rosa Lee Hart, Mr. George House and Mr. George Raft of Columbia, S. C.; Miss Beatrice Crowder, Winston Salem, N. C.; Miss Helen Brown, Hartsville, S. C.; Miss Veronella E. Brown, Julia Mae Chavis, Millie H. Rivers, Mr. Edwin Lattimore of Spartanburg, S. C.; Miss Josie Duncan of Memphis, Tenn.; Mr. Johnny Walker, Mrs. Lucy Summers, Georgia McCoy, Wetna Jones and Miss Oralo Remico, of Charlotte, N. C.; Miss Martha Bessellie, Opetta Parker, Annie Belle-Geathers, Mr. Johnnie Brown Benjamin Grant, Messrs. Albert and Levi Brown of Georgetown; Mr. and Mrs. Alex Moore, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Frazier of Conway; Miss Maria Burgess of Florida; Mr. R. C. Coleman, of Marion; Miss Mildred Nazone, Mr. Matthew Williamson of Florence; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Spain, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Williams Mr. and Mrs. Willie King, Mr. and Mrs. Mary Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fitzgerald and Mr. Frank Thomas, of Myrtle Beach; Mr. Lem Brown, of Sumter; Mrs. Cora L. Jennings of Warrenton, N. C.; Mrs. Nana Drego of Birmingham, Ala. The menu was artfully planned by Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Smith, hostess and manager, which consisted of ginger ale julep, sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, nuts, mints, cake and punch.

Mrs. J. B. Owens, assisted the hostess by receiving the guests and gifts, and introducing the guest of honor Mr. Roper. The toast masters Mr. Ben Williams, Mr. C. C. Frazier, Mr. W. K. Smith entertained the guests with his wonderful magical work.

Revival meeting will begin at Grand View Presbyterian church Sunday and continue to the first Sunday in August. You and your family and friends are invited to attend each evening at 8:30 o'clock. Rev. J. H. Tootley, pastor.

Mrs. M. L. F. Johnson is attending summer school at Darlington, S. C.

A community club of children has been organized by Mrs. R. B. Tootley. It meets on Thursday afternoon at Grand View. The children are eager to do something. Mrs. Tootley knows how to deal with children. You will hear more about them later.

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Messrs. Robt. Foster, John G. Jenkins, Larry Foster, Misses Cecilia M. and Rosa A. motored to Cheraw Sunday afternoon.

The members and friends, remembered Rev. and Mrs. Hiddleston with very appetizing points last Wednesday evening. They are still mindful of their pastor and family and they are very grateful for kindness shown them.

Mrs. Collins Jackson was the dinner guest of Mrs. Annie Edwards, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Harrison, entertained last Wednesday at dinner, Rev. and Mrs. P. C. Hiddleston and Junior and Mrs. Annie Edwards. They all enjoyed a bountiful feast; plenty good things to eat and everybody was lovely and pleasant.

This is revival season, meetings everywhere. Get right with God.

Rev. C. H. Pickett, Pastor.

### LANFORD GROVE HOLINESS CHURCH

Sunday school was omitted Sunday and the other devotions on Sunday and night, because of the Sunday school ninth annual convention under the leadership of Bishop U. D. Bookard, held at Mt. Holly, N. C., Saturday and Sunday.

Delegates from Woodruff were Bishop U. D. Bookard, car owner and driver; Rev. W. M. Higgins, Rev. J. H. Jones and Missionary Carrie Higgins.

The churches report were as follows: Lanford Grove, Woodruff, \$10.50; Greenville, \$2.50; Mt. Holly, N. C., \$5.00; Charlotte, N. C., \$9.00; Penny offering \$3.30. Total \$30.30.

### PAGELAND NEWS

Miss Golda McComb is spending the week-end in Jefferson.

Madame, Maggie and Harriett Blakeney of Charlotte, visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tyson Friday night.

A party was given for the little children Wednesday evening by Mrs. Louise Blakeney.

Lincoln, Vivian and Bobby Blakeney of Charlotte are visiting Mrs. Roy Tyson.

The Band G. club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blakeney, Tuesday evening. The topic discussed was "What can we do to Make a Better Community".

Miss Ethel Brewer is spending sometime in Charlotte.

Mr. Mitchell Brewer and Mrs. Eula Blakeney of Washington, D. C., and Mr. Ben Blakeney of Winston-Salem were recent visitors here.

A surprise birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Brewer, Monday evening honoring their daughter, Miss Alice Brewer and son, Coleman Brewer. They received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Mr. Thomas Rushing and Mr. Fletus Hubbard spent Saturday in Charlotte, N. C.

Mrs. N. O. Brewer spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Smith of Angulus.

Rev. Edward Lowery of Concord and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lowery were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Brewer Thursday.

### MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our husband and father, Mr. Josiah Sumter, who left us July 5, 1937.

Our family circle is severed. Our hearts are made sad by your departure. We loved you but Jesus loves you more. So, we hope to meet again.

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