PERSONAL MENTION

Mary Elizabeth, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Gladden, Columbia, prior to her graduation from Shaw University June 3rd, being a leading voice in the university choir, toured with the choir appearing in West Virginia, Washington, D. C., Jersey City, Philadelphia, Baltimore and New York.

The group won high honors and much success for the college.

She spent the summer in New York specializing in music, preparatory to the position she now fills, as teacher and music director in the high school of North Carolina.

The teachers are highly pleased with Miss Gladden coming so highly reccommended from Shaw. The students also expressed themselves as liking her way and method of teaching.

Mrs. Burns of 3223 Senate St., is now with her daughter, Mrs Ida Burns Duren in Camden, S. C after a long period of sickness She is improving nicely at this

The circulation manager of the Palmetto Leader visited Orangeburg, Erstover and Camden last week. A number of our readers renewed their subscription. He said that he would return in thirty days to complete his work.

Mrs. Gwendolyn Coleman Shelton who has been living in Philadelphia for five years, return to visit her parents, Mr. and M Juanita. We hope her a pleasant stay.

Mr. H. H. Cooper, Jr, son of Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Cooper of Pinehurst-Columbia, is trying to help hold things down for South Carolina at Lincoln University, Lincoln, Pa. I am also taking this chance to thank all of my friends and pals for being so nice to me. Wishing them continued good health and happiness.

Mrs. Annie Janerette is visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Janerette in Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Estelle Johnson has returned to the city after visiting her brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Janerette in Philadelphia, Pa.

NOTICE

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet at First Nazareth Baptist church on Gervais street Sunday evening, 7:15 where the pastor, Rev. W. H Neal, will preach a special temperance sermon.

The occasion will be the quarterly Temperance Sunday. Topic "Our Civic Responsibility Regarding Beverage Alcohol." Deut. 5:32-33; 11:26-28; Isaiah 28:1-6; Hab. 2:12. The public is cordially invited.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The ministers and laymen of the Spartanburg district, Columbia A. M. E. Conference, are requested to meet me in Bethel church in Columbia, Wednesday, October 29, at 3:00 o'clock.

Brethern, please come prepared to make a full financial report My motto in life is "all men up and no man down."

T. H. Addison, presiding elder Spartanburg district, 2515 Richland St., Columbia, S. C.

THE EAST END LOVELY "35"

The East End Lovely "35" Savings club met at the home of Mrs. Rosa Boiken. The meeting was opened with a song by the chaplain, "A Better Day is Coming," then "Steal Away," and "I'm So Glad." The scripture lesson was read by the president, 15 verses of the second chapter of Proverbs Bible verses were then repeated by all.

The minutes were called for read, received and adopted. Then unfinished and new business was called for. There was no unfinished business. New business was a supper for the club on the old Thanksgiving night. The roll was then called. The amount collected was $13.00. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Corine Boulder.

Johnie Mae Terry, reporter

BARNWELL NEWS

Mrs. Ceretta J. Hart spent the week end in Beaufort S. C.

The Uplift Federated club of Barnwell was represented at the Harvest Festival with a delegation as follows: Mrs. Ameritta Brown, Mrs. V. R. Dixson, Mrs. Susan F. Bailey and Mrs. Emma Bronson.

Mr. B. C. Jowers accompanied Rev. Townsend here Sunday and worshiped with us.

We are glad to have our Sunday school Supt., Prof. Willie Lee Holman back. Prof. Holman has been in the North nearly all of summer.

We regret to learn of the illness of Mrs. Della Britt at this writing and hope for her a speedy recovery.

YOUTH CONFERENCE LEADERS GREET ARMY WELFARE INNOVATIONS

New York, N. Y., October 15—In a statement today, issued from New York, the Initiating Committee for the National Conference of Negro Youth, commended Administration heads for the removal of the anti-Negro commander of Fort Bragg and for the ruling giving equal status to Negro military police—as carrying out two of the principles around which the Youth Conference is being organized. At the same time, the group pressed for assurance that further steps would be taken against Jim-crow in the armed forces.

An interview with leaders in the War Department, including Mr. William Hastie had been very satisfactory, Miss Marie Richardson, women's trade unionist and head of the Washington, D. C. Youth Conference, declared. "We presented a program concerned with improving conditions among Negro soldiers in the camps to Mr. Hastie", Miss Richardson stated, "and he was tremendously interested in the suggestions".

The complete program upon which the call for a National Conference of Negro Youth is based includes the establishment of an Interracial Welfare and Recreation Board for the Army; the regular promotion of Negro officers; opening of all branches of service in the Navy and Air Corps to Negroes, and the abolition of segregated Army camps. Conference leaders are convinced that a national gathering of Negro youth in Washington will help achieve these ends.

Miss Marie Richardson, who presented this program of Negro youth to Administration leaders, is an executive of the Women's Auxiliary of the Red Caps' Union She is also secretary of the Washington committee which is preparing to welcome some two thousand Negro youth delegates to the Capital, November 14-16th, for the National Conference of Negro Youth.

LEXINGTON CIRCUIT NEWS
Rev. I. O. Simmons, Pastor

Yes Sir! The end of the old conference year is fast approaching and we are happy over the success of the Lexington Circuit. Our Pastor will make his report to the Annual Conference for the ninth time as Pastor of our Circuit and we are hoping for his return—as it seems that each year he gets better and we really understand each other more.

Sunday our Pastor will be at Spring Hill at noon; also at Bethel for evening service, he will motor to Mt. Zion in the afternoon and on Monday night Rev. A. B. Bailey of St. Paul will preach and many of our Pastor's friends of Columbia and around will be present. The Pastor's Birth Supper will be had after service.

On Tuesday the Rev. J. S. Danley pastor of Good Hope and Mt. Olive CME churches will preach and sing, also the home choirs of both senior and junior members.

Rev. F. C. Laws preached for us at Bethel on last Sunday. The good people reported well.

Mr. C. D. Derrick is home after a week's treatment in the Veterans Hospital and is back on the job and doing fine.

Our Pastor will leave for Conference on Wednesday of next week.

Mr. J. W. Black is our delegate and Mr. Heyward Jones is alternate.

Prof. R. W. Gillam is doing fine in the school work here. He is really a well prepared man and knows just how to do things

Miss Martha P. Wright is the home teacher for the County of Lexington.

Mrs. Sarah B. Corley, Mrs. Hattie Wise, Mrs. Alice Dixon and Mrs. Belle V. Derrick all are teaching in our county. These ladies live here in our town. They are really doing well in their work.

ST. JAMES A. M. E. CHURCH
Rev. W. M. McDonald, Pastor

The Supt. being absent Sunday the school was conducted by the pastor. After the class study of the lesson the school was beautifully reviewed by Miss Celia Phelps.

Services were good morning and night. The pastor seemed to have saved the best for the last. We are busy getting our pastor ready for conference and have had a series of programs at the church and entertainments at the homes.

The print dress parade given at St. James A. M. E. church Monday night, October 13, was quite a success. Miss Elizabeth Young received the prize for wearing the prettiest dress. Mrs. Rosa Delaney received the prize for selling the highest number of tickets. Mrs. Frances Gore was directress, and Mrs. Viola Tucker, sponsor.

Stewardess Board No. 1 met at the home of Mrs. Hattie Webb Monday night, October 13, and Stewardess Board No. 2 met at the home of Mrs. Frances Gore Wednesday night, October 15. Each hostess served a delicious repast.

The Womanless Wedding sponsored by Mrs. Bertha Lewis Wednesday night, October 15, was quite a success. The boys certainly made beautiful girls.

On Monday night, October 20, a baby contest and program was given at St. James A. M. E. church. Mesdames H. M. Young and Frances Gore, sponsors.

The following reports were made for the babies: Willie Jackson, $2.00; Barbara Boyd, $5.50; Angeline McClain, $7.75; W. C. Wade, $.75; Tommie Johnson, Jr., $6.75; Johnnie Mae Sharper, $8.80; Eugene Mickens $1.60; Dale Mickens, $1.30. Total, $34.20; amount gleaned, $3.55, total for contest, $37.75.

We are expecting to send our pastor to conference in high style and are praying for his return for another conference year. Visitors are always welcome.

Big Features Every Day During 37th Annual State Fair

Big features for every one of the six days crowd the program of the 37th Annual South Carolina State Colored Fair which will be held on the spacious State Fair grounds October 27-November 1.

This year, Wednesday, Church and Farmers Day is expected to top all other days in attendance. Merchants of Columbia are giving away more than fifty prizes, totaling more than $500.00, the first prize being a bed room suite. These prizes will be given persons who are on the grounds at 8 p.m. Wednesday when their names are called.

Space for exhibits of the products and handicraft of the home and farm has been requested from many counties of the state. The "Life at home on the farm" program will be exemplified in the numerous exhibits that will fill the mammoth half-acre exhibits building.

Live stock, including special bred beef and dairy cattle will be shown in greater numbers in the livestock exhibits building.

Kaus United Shows, which have served satisfactorily the Fair association in recent years, brings an enlarged carnival and a sensational free act for the midway that will be presented each day of the fair. 15 shows, 14 rides and countless concessions will fill the brilliant midway.

The athletic features are bigger and better than ever. On College Day, Thursday, Kentucky State college, a nationally known football aggregation, will meet Benedict College, Columbia. This game will attract football fans from several states and is expected to break all former attendance records.

On Friday, another game of equal interest in high school circles will be played between Mather Academy, Camden, S. C., and Booker T. Washington High, Columbia. City schools will have a holiday and are expected to fill several sections of the municipal stadium.

Dr. A. J. Collins, president of the Fair association and Secretary D. R. Starks along with other executives predict the best showing in the 37 years history of the organization. The six days program is jammed with events that will interest and entertain the throngs expected to pass through the turnstiles during the week.

J. D. McGhee, reporter.

James Edmund Jefferson Passes

On Monday, September 29, the relatives and friends of James Edmund Jefferson gathered at St. James A. M. E. Church, Abbeville S. C., to pay their respect to the deceased. Rev. F. D. Dreher pastor of the church was master of ceremonies and Rev. E. L. McAdams pastor of the Washington Street Presbyterian church, and a friend of the deceased from childhood delivered the eulogy. He spoke in glowing terms of the beautiful life lived by the deceased. Solos were sung by Miss Walker and Prof. H. A. Ashe.

Saturday morning, September 27, at 1:30 a.m. James Edmund Jefferson was called from labor to reward. Edmund was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jefferson. He was a devoted church, school and community worker. His motto was to, "Do something good for someone each day of his life".

His high school training was received at the Reed Street high school of Anderson, S. C. His college training at Allen university, Columia, S. C.

For four and one half years he was employed as a teacher, senior high school advisor, and head of the music department in the Marion County Training school, Marion, S. C. He was held in high esteem by his fellow-teachers, students and patrons of the school.

During his illness he constantly thought of his work and music. As he was nearing the Jordan he was heard to say the following: "The winds and the waves shall obey Thy will. Peace be still, peace be still."

He leaves to mourn a wife Mrs Jernie Jackson Jefferson, a little daughter, a mother, two sisters, two brothers and a host of other relatives and friends.

ROBESON AND NOTED ARTISTS TO APPEAR AT HANDY FESTIVAL

New York, N. Y., October 15—Paul Robeson, it was announced today, will appear at the artists' festival, being sponsored by the National Conference of Negro Youth in honor of the 68th birthday of W. C. Handy, veteran Negro musician, November 15th in Washington, D. C. Mr. Robeson and Mr. Handy will head a program of Negro music, drama, and culture, marking the second day of the national gathering of youth in the Capital.

Mr. Waring Cuney, director of the W. C. Handy Birthday Festival for the Youth Conference, in making his announcement stated: "We are particularly fortunate in being able to present these two artists to the Negro Youth of America, in person. Both of them represent two of the most popular trends in American music—through Mr. Handy's "Blues" and Mr. Robeson's singing of the folk songs of all nations.'

Mr. Cuney who is arranging the festival, is himself a well known poet and musician, who is best represented in his popular "blues" poems. His latest work appears in the best-seller album of records entitled. "Southern Exposure", written in collaboration with Josh White, guitarist. Both Josh White and Cuney will also appear on November 15th, the second day of the National Conference of Negro Youth, when some two thousand young people from the 48 states are expected in Washington.

S. C. State Bulldogs To Invade Panthers Lair of Clark Univ.

Orangeburg, S. C., October 20—Coaches at South Carolina State A. and M. college are putting their charges through some tough drill assignments in preparation for their next big battle that will takt place in Atlanta when the Bulldogs invade the Panthers laid of Clark university.

The South Carolina Aggies back from Lane College, Jackson, Tennessee, where they played sam-up football for thirty minutes and led the Lane Dragons 7-0 at half time but allowed the Dragons to comeback in the second half and win 14-7, are having a rest this week end.

A check-up on the errors in the Lane battle showed weaknesses in offensive passing and running and pass defense. Coach Dawson says that changes and shifts have again been made and a revision of the line up will be made for the Clark battle.

Some fast backs were discovered in the encounter. Among those found who stood out in bold relief were Ezra Moore, "Hank" McCollough, James Boyd and Seymour Bagner.

John Reeder, Columbia, S. C., who reported late for the squad is back and now showing up well as a great blocking back. Reeder will be used much of the Clark game if continues to show improvement.

Several injuries came from the Lane battle. Among those who have been absent from practice during the week are "Bill" DeLaine, triple threat end; David Jackson, guard; "Monk" Myers, tackle; and Walker Shepherd, guard.

Line Coaches Berry and Webber are working hard on down-field blocking. South Carolina State A. and M. is expecting a tough opponent in Clark who were only nosed out in their first game against Lane 6-0.

After the Clark game the Bulldogs will be home for four consecutive engagements. November 1, Tuskegee; November 8, Shaw; November 15 Knoxville and Thanksgiving, the Homecoming, November 20, Benedict.

J. D. McGhee, reporter.

ST. ANDREW AME CHURCH
Rev. M.C. McClary, Pastor

Andrews, S. C.—The fourth and last quarterly conference year was held here Oct. 12 with Dr. J. L. Benbow, presiding.

The various boards and auxiliaries read and made their reports which were good and showed progress. The Presiding Elder was paid in full.

After the business of the Conference, the pastor presented the Presiding Elder who delivered a soul stirring message. Many souls were made happy as the man of God spoke. May he live long to carry on the Master's works

The pastor was then given a pleasant surprise by the class leaders and organizations when they presented to him the sum of $60.54 to do with as he pleased

The pastor could hardly find words to express his appreciation to the members and friends for their thoughtfulness and kindness.

In his closing remarks the P.E. was loud in his praise for pastor and people for work of church.

Memorial services were then held for Mother Becton and Mrs Scitt.

B. T. W's. Board of Strategy

The Board of Strategy [illegible] Mather [illegible] Coach "Big [illegible] play [illegible] to beat Mather.

PIEDMONT SOCIAL CLUB OF NEW YORK CITY

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The roll [illegible] member respond[illegible]

The club had [illegible] Miss Addie Mae [illegible] J. Grayer.

The club is planning [illegible] Philadelphia, Nov. [illegible] a guest of Philadelphia [illegible] everyone [illegible] pleasant day.

Mrs. [illegible] hats. We all [illegible] cess in the [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] gave a house [illegible] celebrating their [illegible] ern home which [illegible] chased at 82 Atlantic St. Jersey City. Those who enjoyed such a wonderful day were Mr. [illegible] Leonard Pittaford, Mr. [illegible] Mrs. Sara [illegible] Harry Ace [illegible] whose name I failed [illegible] delicious dinner [illegible]

Mrs. Jackson celebrated [illegible] day with a delicious [illegible] presence of her many [illegible]

Mr. Henry came home from camp to the delight of his friends. He is a personal friend of Miss Pearl Grant.

Friends are always welcome at our club meetings. Come [illegible] the meetings start [illegible]

Misses Emma [illegible] Pitts and Mr. Joseph [illegible] the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Fuller Sunday. A delicious dinner was served.

Miss Emma Pitts is now living in New Jersey.

Miss Cuperia Pitts [illegible] J. Grayer was called [illegible] of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. [illegible] so Miss Vera [illegible] ters.

The club's next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Geneva Beasley 428 St. Nicholas Ave. New York City.

THE BLUE STAR [illegible] CLUB

The [illegible] its regular [illegible] October 20, at the [illegible] Bethel Lee A.M.E. [illegible] St. The first [illegible] Not By Me[illegible] chaplain, Mrs. [illegible] Prayer [illegible] The house was [illegible] the president. The [illegible] last meeting [illegible] roll was taken, [illegible] responded with [illegible] fee. The president [illegible] of the unfinished and [illegible] business. The [illegible] the West [illegible]

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