

Among Baptist In South Carolina

By William McKinley Bowman

I realize that I may get criticized for doing this but I feel that the efforts of the Gethsemane Baptist Association is worthwhile publishing as guide for others to follow. The Gethsemane Association under the leadership of Dr. Charles Brown is organized under various commissions. The function of the Commission is to meet and formulate plans for the various phases of the work of the Association. The Commissions meet separately from the Association and raise finances for the Cause. The Commission will have their meeting at the Zion Cannon Baptist Church, State Park for Morris College, Thanksgiving Rally.

BETHSEDA BAPTIST CHURCH

S. S. opened in the usual way by the Superintendent, with fine teachers present with another stirring subject, Jesus' Parables His Mission, print Luke 4:18-21, 28-30, Memory Selection, The Spirit of the Lord Is Upon Me because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the broken hearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised, to preach the acceptable year of the Lord. Luke 4:28-19, Senior Topic: The Mission of the Master. We were glad to have Dr. L. W. Long, the president of the Facelt River S. S. Convention as our S. S. guest who did a great job in reviewing the lesson which was enjoyed by all.

Prayer Service conducted by Dr. J. Cheeks and Prof. T. G. Morrison, Sr. The Junior Choir sang, Holy, Holy, with Mrs. O. Y. Goode at the piano. After another New Year's message, the members took the Mission offering. Dea. Cheeks offered the Mission Prayer. The pastor read for his scripture lesson, Romans 6:11-21. After a hymn the pastor took his text from the same passage, words, The wages of sin is death, Subject, Gods lay away plan. A very beautiful sermon. I only wish that every one in Santuick could have heard it. I believe they would benefit by a way more good material something they would not be a-ham to wear no place.

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BISHOP HATCHER CLOSES KENTUCKY CONFERENCE; ORDAINS 9

LOUISVILLE, KY. (AP)—Bishop H. C. Hatcher of A.M.E. Church here today ordained nine men into the ministry of the denomination at Queen Chapel. A.M.E. church here during the final session of the Kentucky conference of the Episcopal district covering West Kentucky.

Following the ordination service, the members of the conference gathered for a social hour and 25 officers were elected. The officers included a majority of members from West Virginia churches, followed by the Rev. J. B. Mason, Memphis, Tenn.

Bishop Hatcher presides over the denomination's conference in West Virginia, which will be in Kentucky and Tennessee.

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. R. D. Walker—Pastor

HONKA PATH NEWS OF INTEREST

Sunday was most Holy and a beautiful day. This Sunday School was held at its usual time and the lesson was beautifully taught by each teacher from the subject, Jesus' Parables His Mission. Our topic, The Mission of the Master. The pastor and members of Liberty Baptist Church, Honka Path are erecting a new church building.

Rev. Walker has been the pastor only one year and he is still progressing wonderfully. He, his wife and members are pulling together in prayers and a choir. The members all pray as being one and that they might continue. The Missionary Group No. 2 sponsored a program last Sunday night to raise money for the benefit of the new church. They had as their first speaker, Rev. M. J. Jenkins, who spoke for just a young man going into the military work and making a good profession. Each of them gave a gift and better. Rev. Jenkins is the pastor of the church and Mrs. J. Jenkins is the wife of Rev. M. J. C.

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FRIENDSHIP A.M.E. CHURCH

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Sunday was Missionary Day.

S. S. opened at the usual hour with the Assistant Supr. Mr. H. B. Brown presiding. The Supr. Mrs. B. E. Brown was at the piano in the background. The pastor, Mrs. A. L. Brown, who is ill, reviewed by Mr. H. B. Brown. Financial reports were given with class No. 6, Mrs. Brown. Attendance, 100. The pastor, Mrs. E. D. Robinson, taught.

The pastor, Rev. E. Alfred Vance, presided at the service in the usual way with the Senior choir rendering the music. Rev. Vance preached a noble sermon from Acts 2:1, 42, "The Little Christianity." The sermon alone was a sermon. He said in the outset, the U. S. Nations and Congressmen are trying to solve the world problem but the trouble is within and unless men turn to God there will be no peace of mind.

Missionary Ladies had charge of the finances. Our members are raising a hundred per cent getting our pastor ready for Conference. He has been here a short while. He said in his remarks after service, He would have two things said about him, first he lived a Christian Life, number two, he preached the Bible, he has done those two things. What more would you ask? The shut in members are improving.

Mrs. Emma Young was the dinner guest Sunday of Mrs. C. B. Robles and daughter. The teachers at Dan Watkins School reported Mrs. Rudy Grant, with a happy event, St. John 18:17. These things I command you, that ye love one another.

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LARRY DARNELL, young boy, plays guitar through "What More Do You Want Me to Do" in new film "Rock 'n Roll Revue" seen at the Theatre, a Studio Film production in Kaleidoscopic WonderColor.



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USO Pal Day Celebration

Columbia, South Carolina

October 13 and 16, 1955

The fourth annual celebration of USO Pal Day will begin in Columbia on Sunday, November 13. No one event so typifies USO, a better demonstrates its aims than USO Pal Day. The purpose of the celebration, which was inaugurated in 1952 as an annual observance, is to strengthen the bond of friendship and common purpose between the American people and their armed forces.

Home hospitality, which seems particularly applicable to USO Pal Day, is being arranged for 250 servicemen by the Taylor Street Club and at least 350 service personnel by the Laurel Street USO. Men will be registered in the respective clubs.

Church families are asked to invite two or more servicemen or women to attend church with them and to be their guests for Sunday dinner and a visit. Hosts will be recruited through the many churches in the city through local ministers and their congregation committees. The Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance, who president is Rev. J. Arthur Holmes, will arrange transportation for the Taylor Street Club.

An essay contest for all service personnel is now being run on the subject "What the USO in Columbia Means to me and My Buddies." Literary polish will not be the most important consideration in judging the best paper; on the contrary, thought and content will be the decisive factors. A \$25.00 prize will be awarded the best entry. Other prizes include hotel accommodations for a weekend in town plus all free meals at local USO Club on or before Nov. 10.

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On Sunday, November 13 a free

Spaghetti Supper will be served to all servicemen and women by the Laurel Street USO Operating Committee who will pay for and serve the meal, and USO volunteers will prepare it. On Wednesday, November 16 the Taylor Street Club is having a free Weiner Roast and dance sponsored by the Senior Hosts' Committee, whose chairman is Dr. H. P. Pridde. Other members of the committee are Attorney Harold Boulware, Attorney Lincoln Jenkins, Mr. Odis A. Rousseau, Mr. R. H. Pauk, Mr. A. P. Williams, Mr. Rupert A. Brown, and Dr. L. H. Hallman. Both junior and senior volunteers will prepare a and serve the refreshments.

Local clubs are asked to invite a number of men to their meetings and luncheons during the month of November as guests of individual members.

It is hoped that many citizens of Columbia will participate in this fourth annual celebration of USO Pal Day. Mr. John White-man, Chairman of the Taylor Street USO Operating Committee, asks that all interested members of local churches register with their ministers.

PRESIDENT TUBMAN, NOT SIMPSON, ISSUED BLAST AT GUNTHER

CHICAGO — (ANP) — The Associated Negro Press last week, in releasing a story, the severe criticism of John Gunther for the Liberian chapter in his "Inside Africa," attributed the remarks to Liberian Ambassador C. L. Simpson.

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DRS. SINGLETON AND BRYANT FOR THE BISHOPRIC

According to the associated press, Dr. George Singleton editor of "THE A. M. E. REVIEW" is being spoken of as a sure winner for the bishopric of the A.M.E. Church next May at Miami, Florida.

His recently itinerary in Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Georgia and other points lecturing and preaching, addressing groups of educators has put him in the limelight and its my understanding many of the leaders are going out and planning to bring and put him on the bench of bishops.

Dr. Harrison J. Bryant of Baltimore is another candidate walking wood and saying nothing. He too has traveled extensively in the last ten weeks, visiting A.M.E. Conferences all over the connection preaching as never before and putting his case before the brethren.

Dr. Bryant did almost a miracle when he rebuilt Waters Church when it burned down in Baltimore. He also helped Bishop Hemingway to finance a Church in Washington.

Dr. Bryant has built himself up by his own boot string. He came up the hard way and would make an ideal bishop, if elected.

South Carolina has its eyes on these two strong candidates, along with her favorite son, Dr. Samuel Richard Higgins, president of Allen University. We also have in mind, Dr. Fred Hughes and Dr. Hickmon of Kentucky.

Watch my prediction, one of these will be elected Bishop next May.

W. R. B.

BETHLEHEM BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. G. J. Odom—Minister

Sunday School began at 10:00 A. M. Our Sunday School is making a fine progress. Parents continue to send your children to Sunday School. A very fine report from Sunday School Convention which Wateree Baptist Church was made by Sis. Smith.

Morning worship service began at 11:15. Scripture lesson by the Minister, 5th chapter of Ecc. 1:10. A very fine sermon was delivered by the Minister.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00 P. M. Missionary meeting on Thursday evening at the usual hour.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Ella Bouknight who died November 2, 1952.
Children
Mrs. Bertna B. Lewis

MRS. S. L. MOON PASSES

Mrs. S. L. Moon, the wife of Mr. Anderson Moon, passed Oct. 11, 1955 at her home on Caldwell St., Newberry, S. C. She was a devoted Deaconess, Class Leader and Sunday School Teacher, was once treasurer of the Sunday School of Miller Chapel Church.

She leaves to mourn her passing one daughter, Mrs. Mabel Edwards one son, A. J. Moon, Jr. one grand daughter, Mrs. Gloria Williams; three grand sons, one step daughter, Mrs. Bessie Reed, all of New York City; one sister, Mrs. C. B. Nance, Columbia, S. C.; two brothers, Mr. Judson Bates of Providence, R. I. Mr. Willie Bates, New York City; Niece, Mrs. Charlotte Pritchett; Nephew, Mr. John Smith of Newberry, S. C.

ed by the Minister obtained from the chapter of St. Matt. 16:26. For what is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole world and lose his own soul? This verse was vividly explained and preached by the minister.

Evening devotion began at 6:45 P. M. After which the Minister delivered a wonderful sermon from the 10th chapter of St. Mark 17th verse. And when he was gone forth into the way, there came one running and kneeled to him, what shall I do that I may inherit eternal life? The young man was thoughtful in his duty. He resorted to greatness. Felt the need of his soul. Jesus had something he thought he could get, saith the Minister. This young man knew what to go to, he was seeking for eternal life.

Fine music was rendered by the Choirs.

Visitors are welcome at Bethlehem at all time.

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WHAT ANIMALS WERE THE FIRST ANCESTORS OF BIRDS?

REPTILES! THE BELOVED SONGSTERS OF OUR WOODS ARE DESCENDANTS OF THE REPTILIAN CLASS! AGES AGO REPTILES FLEW LIKE BIRDS! THE FIRST BIRDS HAD REPTILE-LIKE CLAWS AND LONG LIZARD-LIKE TAILS!

HOW MUCH OF GREENLAND IS COVERED BY GLACIERS?

OVER 5 OF THE WHOLE AREA OF GREENLAND (700,000 SQ. MILES) IS BURIED BENEATH GLACIERS THAT ARE ABOUT 6000 TO 9000 FEET IN THICKNESS!

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"WAS IT NECESSARY TO GET SUCH A BIG FILE FOR YOUR FINGER-NAILS?"