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"CYCLONE MACK" STARTED BIG MEETING IN UNION SUNDAY

Rev. Baxter McLendon, with 75 SQUARE MILES OF... KNOWN EVANGELIST, OPENS MEETING IN UNION SUNDAY... CHASTISE SEVERAL YEARS AGO.

"Prayer was the subject of Rev. B. P. McLendon, well known in Union, South Carolina, in a meeting... Sunday. He has shown that his towns and villages.

James J. "I've said and believe not because you ask me that I've... may consume it upon your list or pleasure."

Sixteen years ago when I was converted, I did not know but one verse of scripture, "If you love me, keep my commandments." I did not know where that was found, whether in Genesis, Revelations or John. Immediately after I accepted Christ, I bought a Bible, the Bible, a red pencil, a blue pencil, a green pencil, and I began to mark the verses and write on the margins. One of the first doctrines I began to study was the doctrine of prayer.

Up to that time I thought all that a fellow had to do was to go to God and say his prayers and get out to him. But after a while I came to this verse: "Ye ask and receive not because you ask amiss that ye may consume it upon your list or pleasure." I was then lying that there was something wrong with my prayer and that the chief purpose in prayer should be that God may be glorified. I was then God may be glorified. I was then God may be glorified.

Many a time I have been in the Spirit of the Holy Ghost and in God's will to give the Holy Spirit to those who were in the Spirit of the Holy Ghost and in God's will to give the Holy Spirit to those who were in the Spirit of the Holy Ghost.

A few years ago a friend of mine was giving Bible readings on the platform of the Spirit of the Holy Ghost. After the services, he was walking down the street with a young preacher and he said, "Brother, I am very much interested in your readings on the platform of the Spirit of the Holy Ghost. I am sure, I have been here in the Spirit of the Holy Ghost and I feel that I could receive financial aid in a getting a salary of \$1,500. Now I am sure that I could demand a larger salary if I could receive the blessing of the Spirit of the Holy Ghost. Now there is a fellow that has been prayed into his black heart from heaven because of the motive that lay back of the prayer."

Have never prayed as explained because the life is of harmony with God. David said, "If I regard iniquity, mine eye will not look upon thee. Now if I have not sin covered up or veiled over or harbored over, then we need not pray to be saved, for we are already saved. I have had backslidden and dried up and gone to the bonnyard in

YORK NEWS

Items From The Yorkville Enquirer of More or Less Interest to Chester County People.

R. P. Jackson, superintendent of the Blackburg Spinning Mills, and formerly of Yorkville, who was hurt last Thursday evening by an elevator at the mill at Blackburg, was reported today as recovering rapidly from his injuries. Mr. Jackson is in the Fennell Infirmary in Rock Hill.

Miss Kittie Sandifer, a popular teacher in the Cannon Mill school, was carried to the Fennell Infirmary, Rock Hill, last Friday morning, when she almost immediately underwent an operation for appendicitis, her case having reached the acute stage. Her friends will be glad to hear that she is recovering rapidly.

Mrs. Frank Stultz (Miss Evelyn Getz) of Rock Hill has accepted a position as an assistant in the office of County Treasurer W. D. Thompson, successor of Paul N. Moore, Markville cotton buyer.

Reports from all sections of York county are to the effect that many of the wells on the farms are falling as fast as springs.

Water for Rain AND MODERN EVILS

Prayer for rain is a very old custom, but it is still practiced in many parts of the world. It is a natural instinct of the human mind to turn to God in times of distress.

It is a dangerous thing for God to turn the wrath of God upon his own people. We must be careful not to offend him by our sins.

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LONG DROUGHT IS DISCUSSED BY REVEREND G. L. KERR

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RAMAGE DENOUNCES SWIMMING POOLS

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W. W. PEEPER, Editor & Owner... Subscription Rates in Advance...

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1926

PRAYING FOR RAIN.

Much has been said and written of late about praying for rain... Many of these articles... are in praying for rain and good conditions...

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Another party who opposes... is the one who... is a selfish teacher... who has often been...

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Want Ads... Wanted—children to coach in all grades... Guaranteed results or no pay.

Fee Rent—Three or four horse farm between Chester and Great Falls... Also two acre farm...

Removal Notice—I have moved from the stand formerly occupied by Hough Laundry Store to the old Childs and Edwards office...

STOLEN—One black and tan dog, name Joe. White and blue on neck and breast... Also a white and tan dog...

LIKE YOU, Hundreds are now reading this column. If you have anything for sale let The News carry the message to thousands.

LEGAL NOTICE... Notice is hereby given that certificate number 9109 for one share of stock in series number 23 of The Spratt Building and Loan Association...

Ladies' Home Journal Patterns... Sold Exclusively by Schlosberg's Department Store

Don't Forget! To Buy our Gasoline and Oil Saturday! We thank you for last Saturday's fine response to our appeal.

Consumer's Filling Station Pryor Service Station Victory Service Station Liberty Filling Station

LOCAL and PERSONAL

MOTHERS—WHY NOT buy Everlast Materials for those school dresses? If they fade we give you your money back that you paid for the material, also pay you for the making. Genus Everlast can only be had from us. Wylie & Co.

Dr. Graham, of Lancaster, was a Chester visitor yesterday afternoon for a few hours.

IT WILL PAY YOU to do your fall buying at Robert Fraser Co.

Mr. W. R. Stevenson of the Nashville section spent yesterday in Chester on business.

IN ORDER TO MAKE Electrical on Sub Station caused by a Republic storm Thursday afternoon electricity will be off Sunday Sept. 12, 1925 between the hours of three and five o'clock in the afternoon. Southern Public Utilities.

Mr. William Drumm has accepted a position with the Standard Pharmacy and will succeed Mr. Jack Massano.

HAVE YOU SEEN THE new Brown Broderick Fall and see this wonderful car. Wylie White, Dealer, Hudson street.

Mr. Sidney Walker is indisposed at his home on College Street.

YOU SHOULD SEE THE new bright new two-piece dress they are showing at The Robert Fraser Co.

Mr. Sanders, spending of Gainesville, Fla., is spending five days in Chester with friends.

Miss Nannie Banks and Irene Langley, of Plum Branch, spent a few hours in Chester. Tuesday afternoon en route to Rock Hill to resume their studies at Winthrop College.

Miss Allen Hough leaves tomorrow for Kings Mountain, N. C., where she will teach in the public schools.

HAVE YOU SEEN the new dresses and coats they are showing at The Robert Fraser Co?

Mr. and Mrs. William Proctor, of Dulles, Texas, are visiting relatives and friends in Chester, C. S.

THE N. W. FALL PUMPS are wonderfully pretty they are showing at The Robert Fraser Co.

Miss Lizzie Lebeck, Ruth Anderson and Rebecca Greer left this morning for Spartanburg where they will teach in the public schools.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bloom have returned to their home in Greenville after a stay of several days with friends and relatives in Chester.

Miss Ellen Evans Hough and Frances Timmie leave Sunday for South Carolina University where they will resume their studies.

Miss Ruby Estes left this morning for Gary where she will enter Limestone College.

CALL AND SEE the new Hudson Brougham. Wylie White's Dealer, Chester.

Mr. Anderson Neff, of Columbia, spent Wednesday night in Chester with Mr. William Anderson on route to Rock Hill to resume his studies at Wofford College.

WE ARE OFFERING the top of the market for cotton seed. Sell us what you have and get the highest bid. Send sold to our competitors help build up neighboring towns. The Southern Cotton Oil Co.

Miss Helen Hough has returned after a visit to Miss Kitty Duplain in Rock Hill.

Misses Anna Kate and Sarah Jordan, of Fort Lawn, the former teacher of music in the Winthrop Training School and the latter a student at Winthrop College, have returned to their apartment at the home of Mrs. J. S. Sanders of Oakland Avenue.

Miss Vilma Ruff, of Great Falls, and Mr. Forest Loderidge of Greenville, were married in New York last Sunday, September 14th. Rev. C. E. Capps officiating. The young couple will make their home in Greenville.

P. H. Hassell, field agent for the marketing department of the state board of health, is in Chester this week in interest of the malaria control work in that county—Columbia State.

The meeting of the Business and Professions Women's Club which was to have been held yesterday afternoon has been postponed until Monday, September 14th. It will be held at Robison's Board as planned. All members are asked to be at the Opera House at 9 o'clock and there will be a social. There will be no reports to carry them out. Important business will be attended to first, then a social and a dance will be a social treat.

Prominent Charlotte Man Dead. Walter Lamm Alexander, prominent Charlotte capitalist whose interests are concentrated in the development of the Brown Rock into one of the premier resorts of the world, died early this morning at the Hotel Charlotte, where he was stopping on a visit to his family. Dr. Dilation of the heart was attributed as the cause.

MAJOR MARION PASSES. Prominent and Successful Young Chester: Attorney Died Yesterday Afternoon—Was Major in Recent World War—Funeral This Afternoon. Major Malcolm L. Marion, one of Chester's most prominent and accomplished young attorneys, passed into the Great Beyond at the Pryor Hospital in Chester yesterday afternoon a few minutes after the cause of his death was ruptured appendix. No recent death in Chester has caused more profound sorrow than that of Major Marion. He was the prime of young manhood; he was a studious young attorney and very apt to business. This fact was building for him a large and lucrative practice and the future was very bright for him in his chosen profession. But an untimely Father has seen fit to remove him from our midst and he has left behind him in humble submission.

Major Marion was a native of the Ribourg section of Chester County and was the second son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Marion, of Chester. He was educated in the public schools here, later entering the University of South Carolina from which institution he graduated with honors in 1917. He then entered and entered upon the practice of his profession in partnership with Judge J. H. Marion. At the beginning of the World War Major Marion offered his services to his country and was assigned to the Judge Advocate General's staff where he immediately made a mark for himself as a soldier and a man. At the conclusion of the war he returned to Chester and then entered upon the practice of his profession in partnership with Judge J. H. Marion.

He was a lifelong member of the Chester Reformed Presbyterian church and always took an active part in church affairs, being a Sunday school teacher at the time of his demise. He is survived by his widow, who was Miss Annie Mae Pryor, and two small children also by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Marion; and two brothers, John A. Marion, of York; and Wandall Marion, who with the North Carolina State Highway commission, and the sister, Mrs. Brearly, of Clemson College.

The funeral services will be held in the A. B. P. church this afternoon at two o'clock, at which the interment will be made in Evergreen cemetery.

The Chester Library. The Chester Public Library has a history of varying vicissitudes, perennial struggle and heroic support on the part of the community since its early days when it was known as the Patterson Library until its present name was given by the Chester Free Library.

However, it has survived infancy and neglect and has continued to grow in size and spirit, thanks to those public spirited who have come to the rescue in successive crises and enabled it to carry on yet a little longer.

Some of these heroic crises had arrived at the beginning of the summer and it seemed as if the Library must at last be closed for lack of funds. This time the rescue came from the public and took the form of a subscription for the means for keeping it open three afternoons a week during the summer. This was a voluntary expenditure, but it served until other plans could be perfected for placing it upon a permanent basis of support, which involves the cooperation of all the citizens of the town. So on the 15th day of September the Chester Free Library began a new era in its history.

It has had a grand fall cleaning, the books have been recatalogued and shelved, and Mrs. S. E. McFadden has been appointed as librarian. The future is bright with promise for this valuable institution.

The librarian reports some three thousand volumes on the shelves. Most of them are fiction, but there are also a number of titles of a creditable showing of standard works for reference, well chosen history and biography, and a variety of books of excellent character. The librarian thinks the Library went to bed a better place than when it was first opened.

It is a pleasant room in which to spend an afternoon, examining the contents of the shelves, or reading a volume of fiction, or the best in magazine literature is provided for both adults and children. It is possible to find the fathers and mothers of the town may not realize what wholesome and profitable entertainment can be had here, for some of a child's otherwise idle hours, the Board of Governors here with the community is invited to general public to come up and see for itself what an asset Chester has in its free library.

Mothers and fathers are invited to learn of the splendid provision made for the literary entertainment of their children. School teachers are invited to inform themselves as to the

And The Rain Came. At one forty-five o'clock yesterday afternoon rain began to fall in Chester and vicinity and for one hour and twenty minutes a heavy downpour continued, which amounted to two and one-half inches in that short space of time.

During the downpour it began to hail which lasted for twenty-six minutes. It was said to have been the heaviest hail in this section in many years and reports from various sections around the city advise that much cotton was knocked from the bolls and other crops also damaged.

For some time prayers had been offered up in Chester for rain. On last Sunday the various churches and line with the proclamation of the Governor, prayed for rain and early morning prayers for rain were held yesterday morning. With the rain of yesterday afternoon the people felt that their prayers had been answered and Thanksgiving prayer services have been held since.

There was considerable electricity yesterday afternoon and danger to wires put the water works plant and the electric light plant out of commission for several hours. However, the citizenship was too thankful for the "Showers of Blessing" and no complaint was to be heard from those who had to stop the wheels of industry on account of the damage to the electric light wires.

Notice of Drawing of Petition. In compliance with an Act of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina approved on the 7th day of February, A. D. 1922, we, the Jury Commissioners of Chester county, in the said State do hereby give notice that the

Notice of Drawing of Petition. Wednesday, September 23rd, 1925, at 10:30 o'clock A. M. in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas and General Sessions at Chester, S. C., we will draw the following jurors, to-wit: Thirty-six (36) Jurors to serve during the first week of the Fall term of the Court of General Sessions, beginning Monday, October 5, 1925.

D. E. COLVIN, Auditor, W. E. CORNWELL, Treasurer, J. H. CORNWELL, C. C. C. P., Chester, S. C., Sept. 3, 1925. 4-11-18

Edgemoor School Opened Yesterday. The fall term of school at Edgemoor opened yesterday in the new school building with the following as members of the faculty: Mr. C. H. Wise, of firm, principal; assisted by the following: Miss Effie Davis, of Riverton, Ga.; Miss Anna Rutherford of Lenox, Ga.; Miss Pearl Barrow of Due West and Miss Vera Ferguson of Ridgewood.

Deaths of Wounds. Anthony McDonnell, negro, said to be from Lancaster county, who was shot by Patrolman J. S. Strain, in Rock Hill, last Saturday afternoon when he resisted arrest and attacked the officer with a pair of knifes, died at the City Infirmary Wednesday morning.

Though he became one of the world's great orators, as a boy Daniel Webster was an excellent pianist. It is impossible to "snack pieces" before his schoolmates.

BREEZY COMEDY TONIGHT. Comedy at High School Auditorium Tonight—Cast of Characters. Five boys and girls of the Chester High School have been working for nearly three weeks on a play which will be presented Friday night for the benefit of The Contrast, the high school publication. A night of pleasure and innocent fun is in store for all who come out Friday night. The play is based on The Adventure of Foxy Grandpa and will show up some very amusing situations. Buy your ticket and come over and cool off and enjoy a good wholesome play by our own young people at the same time. The auditorium will be kept at the kindness of Mr. J. V. Brookshire, in loaning us two large electric fans which will keep the auditorium cool while the young high school artists keep us laughing.

Miss Ellen C. Long, piano instructor of the public schools will play between the first and second acts and Miss Margaret Dale, one of our eleventh grade girls from Tampico, Mexico will give some Mexican folk dances between the second and third acts.

The following is the program with the personnel of characters who will furnish the entertainment for us. These young people have worked hard in spite of the hot weather in order to give you something worth while. Show your appreciation by coming out Friday night at 8:15 o'clock. The tickets are only 50 cents. Come, enjoy yourselves and help along a most worthy school cause.

Cast of Characters. Monte Ray—Billie Moffat. Dorothy May—Edith Grant. Ted Hunter—Jack Hazelwood. Lucy Hunter—John Martin. Grandpa—George Davis. McCormick—Buster Cook. Marie Ribean—Margaret Davidson. Kloompy—B. Davidson. Mrs. Hopsych—Nell Hunter.

HIGHWAY COMMISSION HAS A WARM MEETING. Meeting Held in Columbia last Tuesday Was Rather Warm Affair—To Appoint another Committee to Investigate.

Columbia, S. C., Sept. 8.—The investigation of the state highway department by a committee from the commission was held off this afternoon, by a vote of the commission, which followed an impassioned speech by Dr. Goodwyn Ribean, the commission's chairman, in which he declared the spirit of doubt and suspicion that has pervaded the ranks of the commission, and called the commission to turn from its quibblings and misgivings and return to the task of building roads.

"They say I have sold grants to the commission," I'm connected with the Winsboro Granite company, which is the granite business and will sell a tombstone to anybody; we will serve any dead one."

At the conclusion of his speech, in which he went into detail with regard to the recent stormy session of the commission and the whisperings and charges that led to the investigation, started six weeks ago, Mr. Ribett was applauded.

A large gathering attended the meeting, which was held in the hall room of the Jefferson hotel. It was agreed that if Governor McEwan wanted an investigation of the highway department, he could institute one himself.

Charlotte Firm Loses. An important matter handled by the highway department today had to do with a contract with a Charlotte firm was a recent one. Messrs. Elliott and McLendon, Columbia attorneys, representing the Woods Construction company of Charlotte, presented an affidavit from members of that firm who claimed that their bill, which the chief commissioner rejected because of its being irregular, was in good form. The highway official took exception to the omission of one item by the contractor. In his bid and the contractor claimed that even after this item was added, taking the amount from the next lowest bidder, they would have still been low, rather than the Southern Paving company of Nashville, Tenn., to whom the contract was awarded.

The contracting firm also took exception to the manner of Mr. McGowan in refusing to give them any consideration after the award was made.

Mr. McGowan, when heard by the commissioners, stated that their affidavit was substantially correct, and that he did not know how he could have been in an inconsiderable manner. He called attention to the fact that he is a contractor, and that he is in a reasonable manner. He called attention to the fact that he is a contractor and that he is in a reasonable manner.

Examined Various Bids. The commission following the reply of Mr. McGowan, examined the various bids that were made and learned that under no circumstances would the North Carolina concern have been low and that the award made to the Progress concern was correct. Omission of the item—864—leaving and grubbing by the protesting contractor was the principal reason assigned for its irregularity.

The commission approved a plan of Spartanburg county for a reimbursement agreement amounting to \$400,000, to supplement \$250,000 already allotted for the construction of paved highway to Greer. The reimbursement is to be made in four equal installments beginning with 1927.

An additional allotment of \$55,000 was made for the Orangeburg-Clemson bridge over the Santee river, the contract for the bridge amounting to \$435,000, which is \$25,000 more than anticipated in the two-year program of the department.

Confirmation was also made for agreements with Aiken county, in which the county and Fairfield county on sections of the state system.

Official approval was given to the Orangeburg-Clemson bridge district for the naming of the new Santee bridge the Francis Marion bridge, in honor of the great revolutionary war hero, and the naming of the road to the bridge the Swamp Fox trail.

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NOTICE! There will be a Fiddlers Convention at Great Falls School Auditorium September 22, 1925, at eight o'clock. Admission 25 and 50 cents.

The ADVENTURES of GRANDPA A COMEDY IN THREE ACTS City High School AUDITORIUM TONIGHT, 8:30 o'clock. Specialties between Acts by Miss Ellen Long and Miss Margaret Dale. The Auditorium will be cooled by Electric Fans. Admission 25c, 35c and 50c.

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