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**County-wide P-TA Meet
Barton Elementary School**

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The County-wide P-TA meetings were held at Barton Elementary school Friday March 18, 7:30 p. m. The theme was, "New Responsibilities For A Changing Society."

The program was song, led by Mrs. S. D. McElroy; Scripture and prayer, Prof. Amos Malone; led by Mrs. S. D. McElroy; Voluntary, "The Spirit of the P-TA," Miss Lucille Abernathy; welcome, Mrs. Bernice Darby and Prof. Amos Malone; acceptance, Mrs. Cora King; P-TA song; the group; presentation of the speaker, Mrs. J. J. Watkins; exposition of themes; Manual Lesson; greetings, Jack S. Daniel, custodian of county funds; P-TA song, the group.

With the vice-president, Mrs. Rebecca Rutland, presiding, the business session consisted of the reading of proposed constitution, Mrs. Bernice Darby, greetings for district meetings, Mrs. Mary Malone; greetings and reports, all P-TA presidents. All nine schools were represented. The amount of \$305.00 was raised in this effort.

Encouraging remarks were made by W. W. Hester, Commissioner of Pensions; Rev. L. W. Michael and Rev. H. D. Anderson, Jr., and others.

The lamp was won by Mrs. Sallie Pearall of Mt. Olivia. Plans are being made to send four Colbert County P-TA presidents to the State P-TA Conference, which will convene in Montgomery, April 14 through April 16.

Refreshments were served by the Barton P-TA.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—SHEFFIELD

The First Baptist Brotherhood held its annual banquet in the cafeteria of Sterling High School last Thursday night.

With P. E. Swooper, the president, presiding, the program was as follows: Invocation, Rev. D. C. Crutten; solo, Rufus Wilson; presentation of the speaker, Glenn L. Hill, Sr.; the speaker, Rev. J. C. Yarbrough spoke from the subject, "Greater Love Hath No Man Than This, That A Man Lay Down His Life For His Friends"; history of the First Baptist Brotherhood, Z. W. McCall; The president presented the members of the Brotherhood to the guests and related the part each plays in the organization. Remarks by Rev. L. W. Michael and Rev. O. C. Jones.

The dining tables were decorated with spring flowers. The turkey dinner was served by students of Sterling High school.

The Brotherhood extends its appreciation to everyone who helped to make the banquet an enjoyable affair.

Last Sunday was a great day at the First Baptist Church. The occasion—"Men's Day."

At 11 a. m. Worship Service. Pastor Yarbrough preached a spirit-filled sermon; Sunday afternoon the Choir and the Chorus rendered the program; Sunday night, Prof. David Priest was the speaker; his subject was, "Looking for a man." The amount of \$282.50 was raised.

The Happy Hitters Jubilee Singers and Lighten will render a program at the First Baptist Church Sunday, April 3 at 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited.

The C. C. Club will hold its weekly meeting Sunday with Mrs. Frances Page on 14th Ave. at 4 p. m.

ST. PAUL A. M. E. CHURCH, FLORENCE

Last Sunday was Fellowship Day at St. Paul. At 11 a. m. Dr. Clark, pastor, Ben Barnes, George Lovelace, Walter Ford, Messames Nadine Nance and Florence Pinkston gave solutions on "The Meaning of Fellowship." After the discussion dinner was served in the diningroom of the church. Mrs. F. A. Minor rendered music for the occasion. The Fellowship Dinner was a huge success.

Sunday night Mrs. Inez Polk was mistress of ceremony for the program which was Selection by the choir; Invocation; Owea Johnson, musical selection by the choir; Duet by Messames L. E. Watkins and W. M. Mullins; Readings by Mrs. F. C. Natis; Solo, Miss Martha L. Simpson; Reading an original, Miss Ruth L. Colman; Instrumental Solo, Mrs. F. A. Minor; Reading, Mrs. Isabelle Newsome; Solo, Mrs. F. Williams, accompanied by Mrs. A. M. Winston; Remarks; Selections, Choir; "Prayer," by Roak Bradford; and "Doubting" by Paul Lawrence Dunbar; Mrs. H. E. Buckner; Solo, Paul Johnson.

The Elite Club of St. Paul was guest to Elite Circle 1 at Mt. Moriah Church, Florence, last Friday night.

The devotional was conducted by the president of the Bible Circle, Charles Brown. Following the business session remarks were made by Messames A. P. Johnson, Minnie Bailey, and Muriel Gabriel, also Ben Barnes.

After the dismissal refreshments were served.

The Elite Club of St. Paul will meet with Miss Evonice Jones on Circular Road tonight at 6 p. m.

The Senior Usher Board will meet with Miss Nellie Dean Brewer, Wednesday, March 23, on North Washington Street at 6:30 p. m.

St. Paul will hold its 2nd quarterly conference Friday with Dr. S. M. Davis presiding. All officers and clubs are asked to make reports.

Sunday, March 27, Rev. J. D. Shiver and members will worship with Rev. Anderson and congregation at Zion Baptist Church on Southside Road, Florence.

ARMISTEAD CHAPEL C. M. E. CHURCH, FLORENCE

The Armistead Chapel C. M. E. Church, Sunday, March 27, 8 a. m.; Morning Worship, 11 a. m.; Youth Hour, 8 p. m. The Weekly Calendar: The Wesley Service Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Annie Barkhead on West College Street, Friday

night, 7:30. Mrs. Iola Johnson, President.

The Song of the South Singers will render a program at the Armistead Chapel C. M. E. Church Sunday night at 7 p. m. Sponsored by the Junior Stewards, R. L. Barkhead, Chairman.

The Anniversary of Armistead Chapel will give a party in the basement of the church Thursday night, March 31, at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. Hall and the Spiritual Four Singers of Nashville will sing at Armistead Chapel Sunday, April 3, at 7 p. m. Sponsored by the C. Y. F.

OTHER CHURCHES

Last Sunday Union Grove Primitive Baptist Church of Decatur had a wonderful day. Rev. D. C. Crittendon, the assistant pastor, spoke on the subject, "The Value of the membership of God's Word at the 11 a. m. worship service. Sunday night the Goodwill Gospel Singers of Tusculum rendered a program. During the two services \$92 was raised.

Progressive Men's Day will be observed at Mt. Olivia Baptist Church, Sunday, April 17, at 1:30 p. m. Pastor Michael, Pastoral of Mt. Olivia School is chairman.

St. Paul A. M. E. Church of Tusculum will be host to the Florence-Birmingham District of the North Alabama A. M. E. Church Conference, April 27 through April 29.

The meeting will be presided over by Dr. S. M. Davis, Presiding Elder of the district and an outstanding candidate for Episcopal Honors.

Plans are now being made for the Fine Arts night welcome program, at which time various religious, civic, and fraternal organizations of this locality will be asked to participate. Rev. H. D. Anderson, Jr., Minister.

COLBERT COUNTY RED CROSS DRIVE

The Colbert County Red Cross Drive is moving on. The workers met at Sterling High School Wednesday night, March 16. The following reports were made: Tusculum, residential and industrial, \$106.00; Sheffield, residential, \$88.85; Churches, \$49.25; End of the County, \$36; TVA Negro Division, \$20.

The next meeting will be held Thursday, March 31, at Sterling High School, 7:30 p. m.

Inasmuch as this is a partial report, all workers are urged to get out and work hard in order that we reach our quota by the end of the month. W. L. Goldston, Chairman.

All Tusculum Red Cross Workers are asked to be present at the First Baptist Church, Tusculum, Monday, March 28, 7 p. m., and are expected to make final report at that time. Mrs. Bettie Thompson, Chairman, Rev. H. L. Wilson, Co-Chairman.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Brown, Sr. of Tusculum announces the engagement of their daughter, Miss Clara Gwendolyn Brown to Eugene Hudson of Montgomery. The wedding will be an event of April.

The Women's Missionary Baptist Convention and the Sunbeam Band held prayer for Mrs. Amy Hampton, the Corresponding Secretary of the Convention, who is now a patient at Jefferson-Birmingham Hospital, Birmingham. They were happy to hear that she is improving and that the Women's Convention sent her a donation of \$5 and the Sunbeam Band sent \$3. Mrs. Bettie Thompson, President of the Women's Convention, Mrs. Maryvonne Thompson, President of the Sunbeam Band.

Charles St. Clair, Nashville, Houston Malone of Paris, Eddie Malone of Chicago, and Mrs. Catherine Thompson of Chicago, attended the funeral of Mrs. Alice St. Clair last Sunday, in Cherokee.

Seaman 1/c Caleb Oates, stationed at Greenville, Miss., was the weekend guest of his father, Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Oates, Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Armistead of Ind. Mrs. Gladys W. W. and son, Mrs. Esther Williams and family, Messrs. Leon, Louis, and Charles Armistead, all of Detroit, and Mrs. Johmie Hayes and daughter Newark, N. J., were home visiting Barton, where Mrs. Bettie Armistead of Barton, who was confined at the BCM Hospital, now recuperating nicely at home in Barton.

SOCIAL NEWS

Little Mrs. Elaine Bulls celebrated her seventh birthday Sunday, March 27, with a birthday party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Turnley, 834 South O'Neil Street, Florence. She received many beautiful gifts from the 22 little guests.

The Bethune Reading and Sewing Circle met Saturday with Miss B. Martin, 67 West College Street. The devotional period was conducted by the president, Miss Martin.

Following the business session the members enjoyed a period of sewing. The hostess served refreshments in keeping with the Easter season. The meeting was adjourned to meet with Mrs. H. W. Johnson, 309 East Sweetwater Saturday, April 1.

Saturday, March 12, brought members of the Matron's Art and Literary Club to the home of the president, Mrs. H. A. Clark, 10 East Alabama Street, Florence, for the bi-monthly meeting.

After a brief business session the president presented Mrs. Hep-try Wilson who gave a short lecture on "Mature Posture," and a quiz program, which was very interesting.

Mrs. J. Hampton is able to be (Continued on Page 12, Sec. 2)

**OPEN NIGHTS 'TIL 9:00
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RIB STEW	LB.	15c
GROUND BEEF 2	LBS.	59c
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STRAWBERRIES	10 Oz. PKG.	23c
WHIP TOPPING	7 Oz. CAN	39c
SNOW DRIFT	3 LB. CAN	69c
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