by Alma Drake Special to the Highlights

ERNUL--They had not seen each other for twentyfive years until last Thursday, May 1. Grady Reynolds, 90 of the Ernul community and his younger brother, Frank, 79, of Tampa, Florida spent the better part of their first day together reliving old times the two had shared and catching up on what has been happening during the past quarter century.

Natives of Georgia,

school, the two have led very exciting lives. Grady worked as superintendent of Anchor Mill in Huntersville, N. C. until he retired. He married the former Juanita Wheatley and settled in the Ernul community. His daughter, Pauline, and her husband Charles Osborne accompanied Frank on this visit.

Frank worked as a machinist. He explained that he was working at Pearl Harbor when it was attacked in 1941. Frank intends to make his home in New Mexico soon.



Grady Reynolds (left) recalls old times with brother, Frank.

25th, at Bethany Christian

Church. Mrs. Raye Feltner

Kapornyai from the

Regional Office in Wilson

will be the guest speaker.

All ladies of the church are

asked to be prepared to

take active parts in the

The Group I of the

Christian Woman's Circle

met at the home of Mrs.

Ruby Pate. Leader Estelle

Dail opened the meeting by

having the seventeen

members repeat the

C.W.F. Prayer. Following

the devotion by Ruby Pate,

Marguerite Williams gave

Following the business

session, a report was given

on the Lion's Club Supper.

Ruby Pate served delicious

refreshments of pimento

pecans, potato chips, and

Susan Cox won the door

prize and Mrs. Christine

Cooke invited the group to

meet at her home in June.

soft drinks.

the lessons on Buddism.

services that day.

Group I meets

PHOTO BY ALMA DRAKE

Epworth News

Wall reunion draws 120

The annual Wall Reunion was held at the Epworth Fellowship Hall Sunday May 4th. A short business session was held with Gordon Wall of Kinton elected president and Elva Matthews of Vanceboro elected Secretary - treasurer. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wall of Tarboro were recognized as the only members with a new baby.

A delicious picnic lunch was spread and enjoyed by the one hundred twenty two persons present.

The Disciples Sunday School Class of Epworth United Methodist Church had a stewed fish supper at the Fellowship Hall Saturday afternoon. The attendance was low but reported that the food and fellowship were great. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Pate, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Whaley, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wiggins, and Rev.

by Carol Gaskins

Jerry Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Jackson and Lorraine of Jacksonville spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and

and Mrs. Richard Gray were Mrs. Adam Lupton and Mrs. Zelphia Smith and daughter Margie of Newport. Mrs. Lupton and Mrs. Smith are Mr. Gray's

Hardison honored

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hardison and family were honored by the Beacon Free Will Baptist Church near Farmville Sunday with a pig picking and picnic observing Pastor's Appreciation Day. Mr. and Mrs. Burl D. Hardison and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hale of New Bern attended the services.

Mrs. Christine Wetherington and Mrs. Rose Amerson met Mrs. Sue Mosher of Milo Park, California in Kinston, Wednesday night. Mrs. Mosher will be visiting her family in and around New Bern.

Reds win

The Reds won in the

and Mrs. Steve Hickle. Visitors to last Wednes-

day's quilting included Mrs. Ollie Beaman of Jasper, Rev. and Edward Armstrong New Bern, Mrs. Mildred Huff and Mrs. Becky Deans of Chocowinity. Mabel Joyner, Maxine Wiggins, Lillian Gaskins, Dora Dixon and Frances Samica visited in the Harkers Island area Thursday. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blair in Gloucester and are pleased to report that Mr. Blair's health is improving.

Mrs. Clem Reel of Greenville, is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs.

Jackie Gaskins of New Bern had lunch and visited with Lillian Gaskins Sunday.

Mrs. Earle Gaskins.

Weekend guests of Mr.

Mother and daughter banquet

Jasper News. by Fannie Quimby

A Mother's & Daughter Banquet will be held May 10th 6:30 p.m. at the Educational Building, All mothers and daughters of the church are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie McCosley spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Earl McCosley in Fayetteville, while there they attended the Regional Assembly.

Mr. Joe Adams and Mrs. Ruth Daugherty visited their sister Mrs. W. B. Hughes in Kinston Sunday. Mrs. Hughes has just returned from the hospital after suffering a heart attack.

Tommy and Kim Dupree spent the weekend with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. George Dupree in Kinston.

Mrs. Tony Brock of Brices Creek, Mrs. Ruby Heath of Raleigh and J. W. Hardison of New Bern Rest Home visited Mrs. Mae Herring on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Daugherty of Atlantic spent the weekend with Mrs. Ruby Daugherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dupree attended the Regional Assembly of the Disciples of Christ held in Fayetteville last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oglesby and daughter Tanya and Mrs. Alma Rice were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Register Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Major Cooke have returned home after spending the weekend with her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moody and welcome to the new baby girl in Greenville. South Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dail and family of Washington, N. C. spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Moore at Tuscarora.

Among those who attended the Dail Family reunion Sunday at Little Creek near Ayden were Mr. and Mrs. Merril Dail, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dail and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dail and family. Mrs. Ruby Daugherty, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dupree and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oglesby and daughter Tanya and Mrs. Rice were dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Oglesby in Kinston Saturday evening.

Mr. J. Harper Wetherington has returned to his home after being a patient in Craven County Hospital last week.

Mrs. Bessie Daugherty was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cade in New Bern Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dail and family of Washington were guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ipock and family Saturday evening at a cook

Men's fellowship

The Pamlico District Christian Men's Fellowship will hold its next meeting at the Cove City Christian Church on Friday May 9th at 7:30 p.m. The women of the church are also invited to attend this meeting and dinner.

Women's day

Women's Day will be observed on Sunday May

cheese sandwiches, chicken salad, brownies, toasted

Sunday School Contest at Bethany Christian Church recently. For their victory, the Reds were entertained with a covered dish supper by the Blues following the Sunday Morning Service.

Stewart dies

DOTHAN, ALA.--G Stewart, son of the late K. M. Stewart of Vanceboro died April 16. The funeral was held April 18.

Ft. Barnwell

by Mrs. B. H. Mitchell

Crowell visits New York

returned home recently after an extended visit with family and friends. Mrs. Crowell first stop was to visit her sister and brother-in-law of Hillside, Maryland. Her sister, Rev. Daisy E. Wood and her brother in law Rev. Bert Wood have worked in the ministry for a long time and have built a church in Maryland with the aid of the congregation. Her next stop was to visit her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Greene of Brooklyn, N. Y. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. William Penn Mitchell in Brooklyn N.Y. After leaving Brooklyn she stopped in New York City to visit nieces and family. They were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Gardner. Mrs. Crowell started out to visit a niece, Ms. Karen Bruce of New York, who was a patient in the City's

time. She extended her trip to conserve energy.

Bronx, N.Y. is at home at 3:00 p.m. The public is spending a few days with invited to attend. The his family and friends. He is at the home of Mr. James C. Mitchell and Ms. Alice Mitchell, brother and sister who resides near Ft. Barnwell.

Mr. Ralph W. Mitchell of Brooklyn, N.Y. is spending a few days with his mother, Ms. Flora Mitchell, and sister Ms. Marion Mitchell of Ft. Barnwell. Also other family members and friends will be called on during his stay in the city.

Rev. W. H. Thomas, choir and congregation of Mt. Zion Christian Church will render service at St. John A.M.E. Zion Church Sunday evening at 7:00 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

The Rev. Willis, choir

Mrs. Dolly Crowell has Children Hospital at that and congregation of St. Stephens A.M.E.Zion Church, Morehead City, will render a program at St. John's A.M.E. Zion Mr. Aaron C. Mitchell of Church on Sunday May 18, program is sponsored by the Missionary Department.

The Heavenly Reflections of Kinston, will render a gospel program in song at St. John A.M.E. Zion Church on Sunday night, May 18 at 7:00 p.m. Program is sponsored by the Willing Workers Club of St. John A.M.E. Zion Church. The public is invited to attend. Rev. W. H. Johnson is pastor.

Everyone is invited to the Youth Day service at St. Edwards F.W.B. Church on Sunday, May 18 at 6:00 p.m. Elder E. L. Garner is pastor.

The 26th Anniversary of the Highway Q C's will be held at the Ft. Barnwell

Elementary School on May 17. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Program begins at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are on sale at various places. Ft. Barnwell patrons may see Mr. Roy Mitchell for tickets. (Samuel Sutton will Emcee the program). Special guests include the Swanee Quintet of Augusta, Ga.; Rev. Thomas Spann and the Brooklyn all Stars of Brooklyn, N.Y.; Tommy Ellison and The Five Singing Stars of Brooklyn, N. Y., Burden Lifters of Richmond, Va. Robert Fuller and the Spiritualaires of Kinston. Don't miss this big Gospel Program.

The Northwest "A" F.W.B. Church midyear conference will be held May 21, at Pilgrim Chapel F.W.B. Church on highway 55 near New Bern, All churches are asked to pay one half of their budgets by Bishop W. H. Mitchell.

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