

THE GLEANER

GRAHAM, N. C., JULY 7, 1927.

LOCAL NEWS.

Business was almost totally suspended here Monday, July 4th.

With July 4th following Sunday made it seem very much like two Sundays together.

Rev. G. H. Veasey of Elon College preached at Graham Christian church last Sunday morning.

A basement is being excavated under the Baptist church preparatory to installing a heating plant.

The annual Albright family reunion will be held at Mt. Hermon, 5 miles south of Graham, on Tuesday, July 19th.

Dr. and Mrs. Will S. Long have another grand-daughter, born to their daughter, Mrs. W. S. Coulter in Burlington, last Saturday morning.

County Home Demonstrator Miss Marjorie Holmes returned the latter part of last week from a month's vacation spent at her home at Augusta, Ky.

There was a near rain storm here last Friday evening. Further west it was severer and in Greensboro and vicinity there was a frightful rain, hail and electric storm.

The Simpsons, a numerous family of excellent people in Northwest Alamance, will have a reunion of the name and kindred at Bethlehem church on Thursday, July 14th.

Miss Mary Cooper gave a theatre party Tuesday afternoon in honor of her little nieces, Misses Mary Jane and Louise Strayhorn of Durham, who have been spending a few days with her.

Mr. H. W. Scott is having the residence next to his home done over inside and out. It is understood that it will be occupied by Mr. M. H. Newlin and family who are now living in Burlington.

Griffin McClure and Floyd Phillips left last Saturday night for Bellefontaine, Ohio, on a combination business and pleasure trip. Mr. McClure will, while there, buy an ambulance for Green & McClure's undertaking department. They will drive it back and expect to reach here Sunday.

Charles H. Walker, aged 56, prominent business man of Burlington and well known in Graham and throughout this and adjoining counties, died in Burlington Wednesday afternoon following a long illness. He was a native of Orange county. He is survived by his widow, two sisters and two brothers.

Birthday Dinner.

A birthday dinner was given Mr. W. Ernest Thompson Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Long, celebrating his 37th anniversary. He had as guests for the pleasant occasion his brothers, Mr. Chas. A. Thompson of Graham and Dr. J. Mel. Thompson of Mebane, and their families.

Co. A, 120th Infantry, Going to Camp.

The annual encampment of N. C. National Guard will begin at Camp Glenn on 10th inst. Col. Don E. Scott of Graham, commanding 120th Inf. and Capt. A. M. Carroll of Burlington will leave Friday and the remainder of the outfit will follow. Bill Garrett of Graham will have charge of the preparation of the officers' meals.

Mrs. Allen B. Thompson's Sister Married in Greensboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen B. Thompson attended the marriage of the latter's sister, Miss Circe Coble, in Greensboro Tuesday. The marriage took place at 11 o'clock in the Benbow Arcade. The groom, Mr. Joseph C. Phillips, lives in Springfield, S. C., and the ceremony was performed by his brother, who is a Methodist minister and Presiding Elder. Only a few near relatives and intimate friends were present.

Graham Chapter U. D. C. Meets This Afternoon.

The regular monthly meeting of Graham Chapter U. D. C. is being held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lawrence G. Nicholson, who, with Mrs. J. C. Moore and Miss Mildred Moore are hostesses.

An interesting program has been arranged as follows: A paper on "North Carolina at Gettysburg" will be read by Mrs. J. Dolph Long, and another, "Why North Carolina should erect a monument at Gettysburg," by Mrs. Wm. I. Ward.

The music program has been prepared and will be directed by Miss Louise Moore.

PERSONAL

Miss May Roney is visiting in Wilmington.

Mr. W. L. Cooper spent the week-end at home.

Miss Ada Denny is visiting relatives in High Point.

Dr. and Mrs. Willard C. Goley were visitors in Durham Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovick H. Kernodle of Danville, Va., spent Sunday here.

Maj. J. J. Henderson spent Wednesday in Charlotte on business.

Mr. John G. Clark of Snow Camp community, was in town this morning.

Mrs. J. D. Lee, Miss Emily and John D., Jr., spent Monday at Fuquay Springs.

Miss Clara Hughes spent from Sunday till Tuesday in Roxboro with Mrs. Roy Cates.

Mesdames C. S. Hunter, H. W. Scott and Don E. Scott spent Tuesday in Greensboro.

Master Lewis Maynard Warlick of Durham is spending the week with Mrs. J. D. Lee.

Mrs. Frank Stone and baby of Siler City are here visiting her father, Mr. J. D. Moon.

Miss Elizabeth Harden, attending Summer School at N. C. C. W., spent the week-end at home.

Miss Gussie Jones of Laurinburg, teacher in Graham Graded school, spent an hour or so here Tuesday.

Mr. Joe A. Nicholson and Mr. Ben Nicholson and family, from near Saxapahaw, were in town Tuesday.

Mr. C. O. Smith and family and Miss Edna Crawford spent from Saturday till Monday in Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ross and little daughter spent from Saturday till Monday with relatives in Durham.

Mrs. Daniel, who has been here visiting her daughter, Mrs. John E. Wicker, left this morning for Greenville.

Mrs. B. J. Jesznak of Roanoke, Va., arrived the first of the week on a visit to her mother, Mrs. W. C. Moore.

Mrs. L. E. Klutz of Greensboro spent the week-end here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Farrell.

Miss Lucy Gay Cooke of Durham spent from Saturday till Tuesday here with her sister, Mrs. R. N. Cook.

Mr. Sid. Holman of Washington, D. C., spent Saturday and Sunday with his brother, Robt. F. Holman, at Snow Camp.

Miss Virginia Harden of Elon came yesterday for a visit to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. R. Harden.

Miss Rebecca Harden left Tuesday for Raleigh to visit her aunts, Mrs. John W. Harden and Mrs. George Harden, for a few days.

Mrs. J. D. Kernodle and Mrs. J. J. Henderson and daughter, Miss Cora Emmaline, spent last Saturday afternoon in Greensboro.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. George Fowler and Miss Mary Phillips spent from Friday till Monday at Wrightsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McNairy of Jacksonville, Fla., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Stratford last Thursday evening at dinner.

Mr. John B. Stratford left Tuesday morning for Raleigh, Wilson and other points on a business trip for the remainder of the week.

Mrs. P. R. Harden, accompanied by her little daughter Cora, leaves Sunday for Wilmington to spend a week with her son, Ray Harden.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewell McAdams and little son Jack of Burlington and Mrs. W. A. McAdams left Wednesday morning for Wrightsville to spend a few days.

Mrs. W. I. Ward and children, Billy and Sam, and Mrs. Robt. D. Tate returned Monday from Linville Falls, where they have been spending several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunsucker and their two children of High Point were visitors here Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Hunsucker's parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Goley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morris of Durham spent Monday here at the home of the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Will S. Long. Miss Elizabeth Long accompanied them home to spend a few days.

Mrs. Geo. R. Ross and her two young sons, George and William, of Jackson Springs came Tuesday on a visit to her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Goley. They will return home Friday.

Mr. Grady McBane, principal of Graham High School, left Wednesday for Columbia University to spend the remainder of the summer in study, and Mrs. McBane left for her home at Morehead City to stay till he returns.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Estlow and daughter, Miss Elva, and Master Jack of Schoolfield, Va., spent Sunday and Monday at the home of Mrs. Estlow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. C. McAdams, and they and Mr. McAdams spent Tuesday in Asheville.

Lieut. A. D. Nelson, aviator U. S. Navy, stationed at Norfolk, Va., passed here Saturday night, going to Charlotte to meet Mrs. Nelson who had been on a visit to her home at Pensacola, Fla. They returned here Sunday evening and were guests at the home of Maj. and Mrs. J. J. Henderson till Monday afternoon.

MARRIAGES.

William Martin Newell of Ithica, N. Y., and Miss Annie Martin of Greensboro were united in marriage Tuesday afternoon, Squire J. D. Lee officiating.

Last Saturday afternoon at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. H. L. Isley, Mr. Carl Durham and Miss Elsie Loy, both of Saxapahaw community, were united in marriage.

Last Thursday evening at 9 o'clock at the home of Squire Lewis H. Holt, two miles southwest of Graham, George P. Loy and Miss Mozelle C. Stout were united in marriage.

Miss Lillian Stanfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stanfield of Graham and Mr. Walter A. Neese were married last Saturday night at the home of Rev. H. L. Isley, near Mt. Hermon.

Last Sunday afternoon at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. Chas. Coble, near Friendship, Mr. Byron L. Keck and Miss Viola E. Isley, two popular young people of that community, were united in marriage, Rev. J. Elwood Carroll officiating.

Last Sunday morning, at 8:30 o'clock, here at the home of the groom's father, Mr. J. D. Moon, James Moon and Miss Lurline Moore of Greensboro were united in marriage, Rev. D. R. Williams officiating. Foster Hughes was best man. Only a few relatives and friends were present. They left immediately after the ceremony for a few days in Asheville. Their friends wish them much happiness.

Births.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bowman, a son, Jack Lewis, on the evening of June 30th.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. DeWitt Fouat at 7 a. m. Wednesday morning, July 6th.

Among the Sick.

Mr. George S. Rogers, three miles south of Graham, is confined to his home and is able to sit up only a small part of the time. He is one of our oldest and most highly esteemed citizens.

Mr. L. C. Fogleman, E. Elm St., is very feeble. He is confined to his room and does not improve.

More Jerseys For Alamance.

County Agent W. Kerr Scott returned Saturday with a car of Jersey calves. His brother, Hughes Scott, accompanied him on the trip. In the shipment there were 28 head. They were bought in Orange county, Va., the leading Jersey section of Virginia.

James Alvis Small, 77, Killed by Train Sunday Morning at Haw River.

Last Sunday morning, about 9 o'clock, Mr. James Alvis Small, aged 77 years, was killed by the east-bound Southern passenger train about 200 yards west of the underpass at Haw River and near his home. He went upon the track and continued on it, not observing the approach of the train. At least two persons are said to have seen him about the time the engine struck him. He was thrown up several feet and fell on the track. One leg was cut off and his body mangled. It was near a sharp curve and a cut and it is thought he was not seen by the engine crew, as the train ran on to the station and pulled out. His body was brought to Green & McClure's undertaking parlor and prepared for burial. He is survived by his widow, three sons, four daughters, two brothers and a sister. The funeral and burial were conducted at Haw River Monday afternoon.

DEATHS.

The little 6-year-old daughter, Ona Ulza, of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Scoggins of Thompson township, died Saturday morning, July 2nd. The interment was at Moore's Chapel Sunday morning.

Mrs. Mollie A. Low, wife of Mr. Brooks A. Low, died at their home near Altamahaw last Sunday morning, aged 61 years. She was a daughter of the late J. Henry Rosa. Besides her husband and mother, she is survived by three sons and a daughter and four brothers.

Mrs. H. C. Hunter died at her home at Swepsonville last Saturday morning at 4 o'clock aged 37 years. Her husband and three small children survive her; also three sisters, Mrs. Verdine Vincent of Graham, Mrs. Flossie Hackney of Saxapahaw and Mrs. Daisy Curl of Siler City, and two brothers, Walter and Weldon Andrews of Snow Camp. She was a member of the Methodist church. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon, services by Rev. F. A. Lupton, and the burial was at Phillips Chapel.

Mrs. Patton, widow of the late J. A. Patton, died last Friday evening at her home near Haw River after a protracted illness, aged 76 years. The funeral and burial were at Hawfields Sunday morning, services by her pastor, Rev. W. N. Fleming. She is survived by two sons and three daughters—W. Ed. Patton of Paris, Ky., Sam Patton of Haw River, Mrs. J. H. Mebane and Mrs. Stanley Mace of Mebane and Miss Flora Patton of Haw River; also by a brother and sister—Hughes and Miss Mariah Dix of Haw River.

Mrs. Ben Goodman of Burlington died early last Saturday morning at a hospital in Greensboro where she was carried a few days before for an operation. She was thought to be doing well and her death was a shock. She was a daughter of the late J. H. Blackmon of Haw River, formerly of Sampson county. She was the widow of B. N. Hughes when married to Mr. Goodman in 1905. She was 55 years of age and is survived by her husband; a son and daughter, Harrison Goodman and Mrs. C. R. Faucette of Burlington; a sister, Miss Julia Blackmon of Haw River; three brothers, J. H. and W. F. Blackmon of Greensboro, and George A. Blackmon of Haw River. The funeral services were conducted by Dr. G. O. Lankford, pastor of First Christian Church, at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon and the interment was in Pine Hill cemetery.

The Mexican Bean Beetle.

The Mexican bean beetle is now wide spread in Alamance county. In appearance the beetle resembles the Colorado potato beetle or the ordinary potato bug, except it is somewhat smaller, dark brown in color and has sixteen dark spots on the wing covers. The young beetle or nymph is soft bodied, yellow in color and the entire surface of the body is covered with spine-like projections. Both the young and the adults are ravenous feeders, doing much damage to plants within a very short time. This is a chewing insect and feeds on the under side of the leaf surface.

The principal remedy recommended by the State Dept. of Entomology is to use calcium fluosilicate one part and hydrated lime three parts. Mix thoroughly and apply as a dust. Applications should be made while the dew is on the plants and care should be taken to get the dust on the underside of the leaves.

From one to four applications may be necessary to control the beetle. Calcium fluosilicate may be had at a local drug store.

J. W. BASON,
Teacher of Agriculture.

Travora Wins Again.

The 4th of July game between Travora and Rameur was in favor of Travora.

Next Saturday Travora plays Staley.

Fresh Air Needed By Tobacco Roots

Tobacco is a fresh air devotee and even its roots like to have a plentiful supply of the life-giving oxygen.

"Waterlogged rootlets mean poor quality of tobacco," says E. Y. Floyd, tobacco extension specialist at State College. "That is why we advocate the ridge system of cultivating the crop. Farmers who use this method along with proper soil, good fertilization and care of the crop always produce a better quality of tobacco than the man who does not. We have found that a continuous supply of air circulating in the soil throughout the growing season is essential to the well being of the crop. To secure such circulation, the middle fur-

row between the rows must be kept open and below the level of the root system."

Mr. Floyd states that when the water-level in the soil is near the surface of the ground, the ridge used should be rather high and a four-furrow ridge thrown up rather than the usual two-furrow ridge. The rows should be run so as to carry off all surplus water and other drainage provided in the low places.

This method of cultivation has been explained graphically by Mr. Floyd in extension folder No. 37 recently issued by the extension service of State College. Drawings have been made showing the method of cultivation, step by step, and the implements to use in such cultivation. Copies of the folder are now available and those who wish to have a copy may secure it by writing the agricultural editor at State College.

Lice and mites thrive in hot weather and if not controlled will cut the vitality of the hens and chicks. Kill the pests promptly, advise good poultrymen.

Hordes of 17-Year Locust Due to Arrive This Year

The seventeen-year locust is due to appear in Piedmont North Carolina just about this time. The insect will come in enormous numbers but will probably do little damage except in places where it was abundant 17 years ago.

"This insect always creates a great deal of interest because it appears in such enormous numbers and because it occurs only every 17 years," says Dr. E. P. Metcalf, head of the department of entomology at State College. "In spite of the enormous number, however, the insect does little damage because it lives primarily in the forests and lays its eggs in forest trees. Occasionally it may do damage to a young orchard where the trees have been planted in a place where the locust was abundant 17 years ago."

The locust does its principal damage by killing the small branches where it lays its eggs. Farmers having young trees in such situations are advised to watch carefully and if the locusts

appear in abundance to protect the young trees by mosquito netting or tobacco calvas. This can be removed as soon as the locusts disappear.

Dr. Metcalf states that the 17-year locusts are dying out, but they will perhaps be abundant in the upper piedmont and mountainous counties this season. Those who find the locusts on their farms will render a service to the entomology workers by sending specimens to State College.

There is a common superstition that the sting of this insect is dangerous or fatal to man. This is not true, explains Dr. Metcalf, because the locust has no sting and cannot injure man.

Tom Tarheel says his cows sent Tom, Junior, to college last year.

Corn sold as pork and grass sold as milk return better profits than when sold as grain or hay.

Mark these dates on the calendar, JULY 26, 27 and 28, and arrange to meet your neighbors and friends at the State Farmers Convention at State College.



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A Word With the Old Folks

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