

# Locals

## JONESBORO NEWS LETTER

BY MRS. J. R. DALRYMPLE

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Crabtree, of Sumner, S. C., were the week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Crabtree.

Percentage of 47 per cent in the number of North Carolina families receiving relief during July as compared with June was revealed by the relief administration in Raleigh last week. The number aided in July was 58,927 as compared with 92,272 in June. The statistics show 436 for Lee county in July.

Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Hutchings were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Husketh, Sunday. They live in Cincinnati, Ohio, where Dr. Hutchings is head of the Spanish Department in the University of Cincinnati. Mrs. Hutchings is a sister of Mrs. H. A. Cooper and was reared in this county.

The Express is informed that Miss Ruth Henry, formerly of Chapel Hill, has been appointed case worker for the Lee County Federal Relief office, and has assumed her duties. Miss Henry, has had experience in social service work, received her A. B. degree at Columbia College, Columbia, S. C. and has her Master's degree at the University of North Carolina.

The total relief expenditures in North Carolina during July were \$585,665, according to a statement made public this week by the administrator in Raleigh. This sum represents a decrease of approximately 37 per cent as compared with the \$928,468 spent during June. The amount spent in Lee county for relief during July was \$2,634.42.

Mr. E. O. McMahan, Demonstration Agent of this county, reports that Kobe lespedeza stood the dry weather of the past summer better than other varieties planted in the county. The farmers of the county are taking to the raising of lespedeza more than ever before and when conditions become more normal, they expect to profit by the culture of it.

Farmers will have to keep moving if they expect to have much tobacco graded and ready for the market when the marketing season opens here on September 19th. The farmer is a very busy man from the time he runs the first furrow in the spring till the last leaf of tobacco is graded in the following winter. It has been said that it takes 13 months to make and market a crop of tobacco. After all the labor that is put in the crop it often sells at just about what it raises it.

The Smithfield Herald states that Solicitor C. L. Williams, of this place, was the principal speaker at the recent meeting of the Selma Kiwanis club. C. P. Harris, who introduced him, said he was the best solicitor in the State of North Carolina and when he got tired of the job his district would send him to Congress. Solicitor Williams spoke on "Citizenship and the Courts". His speech was pronounced "one of the best the club has had the privilege of hearing for a long time".

Postmaster Kennedy informs The Express that effective to-day, Aug. 24, service on city routes 1 and 2 served by Carriers J. T. Smith and Owen C. Wicker, will be curtailed each Thursday afternoon through the months of August and September. The morning delivery on Thursday will be made as usual and the evening mail collection service will be given as now. This curtailment of city mail delivery service was necessary to give the nine day furlough to the carriers for which equal pay is deducted from their salaries.

The Express is informed that the season for hunting squirrels was changed by the last Legislature to begin on October 1st, instead of Sept. 1st. The licenses have also been changed, county license now being 60 cents, State license \$1.25 and combination license, \$3.00. They can be bought from Mr. H. C. Roberts at the Lee Hardware store. It is thought that there will be plenty of game, such as squirrels, opossums, rabbits, birds and turkeys this fall. Much of the spring and summer was dry which was favorable to the raising of all kinds of game.

While making a trip through the Broadway section last week we noticed that cotton had begun to open in fields where the bolls were not shaded from the sun by the rank stalks. While much of the cotton along the highway had rather a small stalk it seemed to be heavily fruited. There is prospect of a big crop of cotton in Lee county being gathered this fall. Of course the crop would have been larger had not some of the acreage been plowed up. Many of the planters had gathered most of their tobacco crop. In many fields there was nothing but the stripped, gaunt stalks left. We are informed that much of the tobacco that has been gathered is of a very good grade. By the time the farmers get their tobacco gathered and cured they will have to get busy in their cotton and fodder crops. One thing that attracted our attention was that many of the farmers were gathering their fodder in the old way, stripping it from the stalk by hand. This means that the corn will be pulled, hauled to the crib and shucked in the old way. Corn shuckings have not entirely "gone out" in this section.

**Death of Coast Line Agent.** Mr. D. M. McKenzie, local telephone operator and station agent of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, passed away here at the home of Mrs. Wilma Leslie, last Friday after a long illness of heart trouble. Mr. McKenzie had only made his home here but a few months, but during his time had made many warm friends. He was a faithful and loyal member of the Presbyterian church and always attended when able.

The remains were carried to Giles cemetery near Bladenboro and laid to rest by the side of his wife who preceded him to the grave 8 years ago. Relatives and friends from a distance were in attendance at the funeral. He is survived by two sons and one daughter all of whom were constantly at his bedside during his illness.

**Birth Day Party.** On Monday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock John Blalock was given a surprise party at his home on West Main street the occasion being his 12th birthday.

Many enjoyable indoor and outdoor games were played directed by Miss Wilson Blalock. The guests enjoyed listening at the children's birthday party during which a letter from the host was read.

Later in the afternoon the children were invited into the dining room where the birthday cake was cut and served with punch.

**Rook Hostess.** Mrs. W. L. Thomas entertained at Rook last Thursday evening at her home on Lee street, honoring Mrs. A. A. Lamb, of Siler City.

The reception hall and living room were beautifully decorated with bowls and vases of bright colored zinnias and dahlias. Rook was played at two tables, Mrs. C. H. Campbell and Mrs. J. R. Dalrymple tying for high score.

During the social hour a delicious feed drink and assorted cookies were served by Misses Elizabeth Thomas and Mary Elizabeth Shaw, of Broadway. Those present were Mesdames A. A. Lamb, of Siler City; D. E. Shaw, of Broadway; C. H. Campbell, J. A. Dalrymple, C. A. Godfrey, J. R. Dalrymple, W. S. Temple.

**Methodist Circles.** Circle No. 1 of the Belle Barnes Auxiliary with Mrs. R. M. Mann, chairman, met Tuesday evening with Mrs. J. D. Helms, with Mrs. Dolly Fore, joint hostess.

The devotional was led by Mrs. T. E. Wyche, followed by a most interesting Bible study conducted by Mrs. J. K. Hunt. There were two visitors, Mrs.

**Masons Hold Social Meeting.** On Monday evening members of the Masonic lodge enjoyed a delightful chicken dinner served preceding their regular communication. A large number were present on this occasion and short talks were made by Dr. R. G. Sowers, H. M. Jackson, and W. F. Loyd.

At this meeting, Mr. W. I. Brooks a loyal Mason, presented the lodge a very attractive hand made table to be used as an album stand. All members and former members are requested a photograph of themselves to be used in the above album.

**Auxiliary Picnic.** The Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church sponsored a picnic Monday afternoon at the church following an executive meeting of the Auxiliary. Owing to the inclemency of the weather the picnic was held on the church lawn instead of McCracken Park, as was planned. A large number were present including members of the Sunday school. At six o'clock a sumptuous picnic supper was served in the Sunday school rooms.

**Presbyterian Circle Meeting.** Circle No. 1 of the Presbyterian Auxiliary met Tuesday night with Mrs. John A. Dalrymple, with the chairman, Mrs. E. J. Kelly, presiding. Mrs. Blue conducted the devotional followed by the Bible study in charge of Mrs. Kelly. Secretaries of Home and Foreign Missions were present and presented their cause. During the so-

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**New Crop Turnip Seed**

EARLY PURPLE TOP STRAP LEAF,  
COW HORN, RUTA BAGA  
SOUTHERN PRIZE, SEVEN TOP,  
PURPLE TOP GLOBE,  
WHITE FLAT DUTCH,  
SHOGGIN TURNIP,  
WHITE NORFOLK,  
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