

Personal Notes

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Mrs. E. J. Lane and granddaughter of Comfort who have been visiting Mrs. D. W. Whitehurst returned to their home in Portsmouth, Va., Tuesday.

The house guests of Mrs. D. W. Whitehurst last week were Mrs. Hattie Hudson and daughter Mildred, Mr. John Ward and nephew James Lane, Mr. G. A. Vanholsem of New York, Mr. and Mrs. S. Barker of Trenton, Mrs. Phillips of New Bern; Mrs. Annie Bright of Merritt.

Mrs. Bonner Willis and family and Miss Alberta Parkin arrived Tuesday from their vacation which they spent with Capt. Bonner Willis in Mayport, Florida.

Captain and Mrs. W. A. Sanders Norfolk, Va., were here Monday guests of the Inlet Inn.

Mr. W. T. Delamar of the U. S. Internal Revenue Department, Raleigh, spent the weekend in town.

Messrs Roy W. Davis and Sam Fingerhut of Washington, D. C. arrived Monday on a vacation trip and registered at the Davis House.

Mr. C. B. Morse of Pelletier was a visitor in Beaufort Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ferguson and two children of Raleigh are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. U. E. Swann.

Mrs. W. F. Richardson of New Bern spent the weekend with Mrs. Ed. Hancock.

Mrs. Thomas Biggar and sons, Thomas and Jimmie of Portland, Oregon spent Sunday with Mrs. Charles Skarren, sister of Mrs. Biggar.

Mrs. George R. Ward and children of Kinston are spending a few days with Mrs. L. L. Smith.

Miss Lena Duncan and Mrs. N. F. Eure left this morning with Mrs. Sellers for a trip through the valley of Virginia, going to Atlantic City, Philadelphia, and New York.

Mrs. A. W. Daniels left Wednesday for her home in Charlotte after a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Forlaw. Mrs. Helen Truitt accompanied Mrs. Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Taylor and Mrs. Bessie O'Bryan left Monday for Boston on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Taylor.

Mrs. Fred Brunyate of Norfolk is here having been called on account of the death of Mrs. Mary Clarwson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Russell and daughter and Mr. Russell's mother, of Richlands are guests of Mrs. Ed. Potter. Mr. Russell is attending the Convention at Morehead City.

Miss Beulah McNeil of Whiteville is visiting Mrs. Ed. Potter.

Mr. Frank Sellers from Norfolk is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Tom Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morton of Chocowinity spent a few days here in Beaufort this week, visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Evelyn Duncan, who has been visiting in Bath, returned home Monday.

Mrs. Hugh Overstreet who was in Beaufort over the week end returned to Burgaw Monday. Little Taylor O'Bryan left with her for a short visit to Alf Overstreet.

Miss Mary Walters of LaGrange, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. John Forlaw returned to her home in LaGrange.

Mr. Christopher Jones is back after a visit to Niagara Falls, points in Canada and northern points of this country. From Detroit to New York he covered the distance in an airship.

Miss Lois Monroe of Sanford is visiting Mrs. E. Z. Chappell.

Dr. Powell Stevens of Athens, Ga. has joined his family who are spending a short time with Mrs. Lizzie Chadwick.

Mrs. Ethel Henderson of Wilmington is visiting friends and relatives in Beaufort.

Mrs. Warren Whitehurst of Wilson is visiting relatives in Beaufort.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dickinson of Wilmington and Mrs. Lula Dickinson of Fayetteville are visitors in Beaufort.

Father Sage Says:

There must be something wrong with that old axiom about ignorance being bliss—otherwise more people would be happy.

Mrs. Helene Willingham and daughter Miss Helene of Rocky Mount are spending some days in Beaufort and registered at the Davis House.

Mr. George Roberts whose headquarters are at New Bern is spending his vacation in Beaufort with his family.

Mrs. Wm. Kennedy and children of Norfolk are visiting Mrs. Kennedy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Duncan.

Mrs. Clifford Hornaday and Miss Bessie Jones left yesterday for a visit to Mr. Hornaday's relatives in Maxton.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Potter Jr., of Greensboro and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Potter of Winston-Salem spent several days here this week visiting relatives.

Miss Bonnie Bell Evans of Manteo is visiting Miss Minnie Noe.

Mr. R. Adair of Charleston, S. C. is here on a visit to Mrs. Sunie Noe.

Mrs. Clarence Simpson of Wake Forest and her son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hollenbeck and son of Chicago and Miss Helen Simpson arrived here today.

Mr. Roy Davis of Washington, D. C. is here on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mr. William Robinson of Washington, D. C., is here on a visit to his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bell of Dover are here on a visit to relatives.

THREE KILLED IN GUN BATTLE

Desperadoes Mortally Wound Filling Station Man And Are Killed

SANFORD, Aug. 14—As a result of an attempt by two men to rob the gas tank of the filling station of Gaither Edwards seven miles west of Sanford on Highway 50 and 75 about 2:30 o'clock this morning three men are dead. They the two would-be robbers, Ola and Lee Birdsong, of Louisville, Ky., and the third, Gaither Edwards, the proprietor of the station.

Mrs. Edwards, the latter's wife, is in Scott's hospital in this city with two bullet wounds, one in her shoulder and one in her leg. While badly wounded, it is thought she may recover.

Holding Woman.
The officers are holding in Lee county jail, a woman claiming to be a Mrs. Montgomery, who with an 18 months old child was in the Chevrolet coach with the men. Upon being questioned she told the officers that one of the men was her uncle by marriage, and that they were bringing her and her baby to North Carolina to find relatives, she claims that she was asleep on the rear seat of the car and knew nothing of the attempted robbery until awakened by pistol shots.

Awakened By Robbers
The Edwards family live in a building adjoining the filling station. Mrs. Edwards states that she and her husband were awakened shortly after 2 o'clock by sounds of someone breaking the lock on the gas tank. Mr. Edwards arose, secured his pistol, went to the front door, and fired to frighten away the marauders, the men returned the fire, and shot at Edwards through the front window.

They then went to the end door and attempted to enter the building. Finding it barred, they proceeded on to the rear and smashed a window through which they entered.

Open Fire.
Having gotten into the house, they entered the bedroom of the Edwards and told them if they would hold up their hands they would not molest them. Nevertheless they immediately opened fire with their guns. Edwards was shot only once the bullet of a 38 calibre going in his chest and through his body, however with heroic effort the dying man managed to shot to death the two bandits. One received a wound in the left side of the chest and through the right arm. The other in the chest. Mrs. Edwards was wounded also at the time.

None of the participants survived very long. Edwards died in the room in which Mrs. Edwards lay on the bed writhing in agony. One

died in the filling station and the other, outside just in front of the filling station.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Jesse Adams and wife to T. S. Dixon 6 acres Morehead Township, for \$1.

N. R. Webb and wife et al to Duffy Wade, 2 half lots Morehead City for \$300.

J. T. Salter and wife to V. F. Salter. 1 acre Morehead Township for \$50.

Beaufort B & L Association to R. C. Modlin lot Beaufort for \$10.

Beaufort Realty Corp. to Mrs. G. B. Whittaker, 2 lots West Beaufort, for \$10.

Sportsmen Catch Drum At Shackelford Beach

Some of the sportsmen around here have been having some pretty good luck fishing for drum in the ocean surf at Shackelford Beach. Last Friday a party composed of Messrs. Oscar Duncan, Jack Neal, Carl Hattell and Roy Lassiter fished at Shackelford for an hour or so and caught fifteen drum weighing from five to 15 pounds each. On the next day Mr. Lassiter went alone to the same place and succeeded in landing one fish that weighed 35 pounds.

The wholesale fish dealers have been receiving some fine shrimp recently but rather unfortunately other sections are shipping shrimp heavily too and the markets seem to be over supplied, with the consequence that prices are low. Some very nice mullets are being brought to the market also but no large catches have been made yet as the weather has been too warm. A cool spell now would probably start a run of these fish. Soft crabs and clams are fairly plentiful but the demand has been rather dull recently.

NEGRO ACQUITTED OF BURNING CHARGE

Charged with an attempt to set fire to the building at Playview Beach, a resort for colored people at Lenoxville, James Keyes, colored of Morehead City was arrested Monday Night by officers and placed in jail. It transpired however that the evidence against the man was very flimsy and so he was released from jail the next day.

Sandhills Become Forest

Halsey, Neb.—A stately forest is rising here in the Nebraska sandhills, where only sagebrush grew before. Nearly 25,000 acres of the 205,000 in the Halsey forest are have been planted and 12,000 acres are added yearly.

Advance Fall Idea



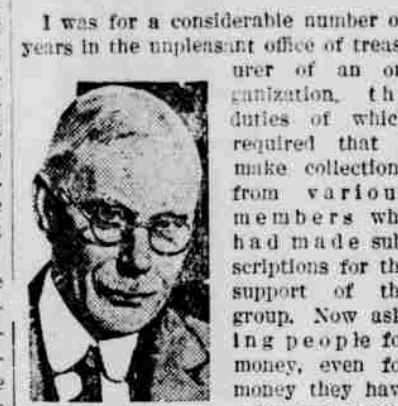
A smart dress for street wear. This model is of flag blue printed crepe.

A. and N. C. Directors Urge Dock Facilities

Morehead City, Aug. 9—Immediate development of a port at Morehead City at an estimated cost of about \$300,000 was recommended by the board of directors of the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad at their annual meeting here Thursday. The board adopted a report of the special committee to study the mat-

What Constitutes a Gentleman?

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.



I was for a considerable number of years in the unpleasant office of treasurer of an organization, the duties of which required that I make collections from various members who had made subscriptions for the support of the group. Now asking people for money, even for money they have quite voluntarily

agreed to pay, involves certain embarrassments. I had written Pinkerton twice a year for six or seven years, politely, too, calling his attention to the fact that his notes were overdue and the indebtedness increasing as time went on, and emphasizing our need of funds. There was no reply, no remittances, nothing but silence, but a good deal of that, and yet the man was quite able to pay. Patience ceased to be a virtue; the worm turned.

I wrote brother Pinkerton that I should put his account into the hands of a reputable attorney. Having failed in one way to collect I should try another. I met him a few days later. There was no joy in his countenance, no glad hand extended, nothing of cordiality in his greeting. "I have read your last letter," he announced to me, "and I think you are no gentleman."

It was a question, I answered, that I was prepared to argue, but whatever the final decision might be, it seemed to me it hardly affected his indebtedness to his organization. The experience led me to ask myself, "What are the characteristics of a gentleman?"

A gentleman still, I think, has respect for women and for old age. I was walking down a corridor of a public building not long ago, when I came upon a young man, his hat on his head, a cigar between his teeth, talking to a young girl. As I came by he removed his hat and took the cigar out of his mouth. He still had respect for old age, but for women—well, he had not really given the matter a great deal of consideration.

A gentleman is clean of speech, clean of body, low voiced, little given to anger. At least when anger surges within him he controls it. Nothing marks a man as common more than loud, vulgar, profane and risqué talk, and a dirty body is only little less vulgar.

Respect for the feelings of others or the comfort or the happiness of others always marks the gentleman. Should I have dunned Pinkerton?

An old lady is sitting across from me in the Pullman and facing her is a young fellow who has evidently never met her before. He has pushed a cushion under her feet; he has adjusted her pillow to give her more comfort; he has helped her on with her coat as she was leaving the train. He seemed to me a good deal of a gentleman, for he had made her comfortable, he had relieved her of responsibility, he had made her happy.

A gentleman is modest, reserved, seldom insists on sitting in the front seat, and does not often offer advice unless he is asked for it. He does his duty whether it is pleasant or not, and in doing it tries to give others as little discomfort as possible.

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ter, which recommended immediate development of the port here and referred the matter to Gov. O. Max Gardner with a request for immediate action. Another special committee was appointed to continue a study of the project.

The report of the special committee pointed out that in order to strengthen the freight rate structure of the state and also as a port here would be one of the best assets the Atlantic and North Carolina could have, immediate action should be taken in regard to the matter as the federal government is now engaged in dredging a channel here and will cease operations if port facilities are not provided.

The directors formally elected all officers of the railroad appointed by Governor Gardner, A. D. Ward, of New Bern, being named president and W. J. Boyd, of Greensboro secretary-treasurer.

MARSHALLBERG

Mrs. C. W. Pake returned home Friday after visiting relatives at Morehead City and Lenoxville.

Mrs. J. B. Lewis accompanied her mother Mrs. Birdshal to her home where she will spend several weeks with her.

Miss Selma Davis of Smyrna was the guest of Miss Golda Davis Thursday.

Mr. Murray Newkirk returned home Tuesday after spending some time in a station on the New Jersey coast.

Miss Lois Yoemans of Harkers Island who has been spending several days with relatives returned home Sunday.

Marshallberg ball team defeated Straits team Saturday by the score of 20 to 0.

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