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Aberdeen Community Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. David Knight, Sr., Mrs. David Knight, Jr. and children, Mr. and Mrs. Haney Harris and Mrs. Grace Brasington, with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Knight of Hamlet, attended the Neill Knight Clan reunion at Lakeview last Thursday.

Misses Elizabeth and Katharine Johnson were shopping visitors in Raleigh last Tuesday.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Harris and son Richard, M. S. Weaver and C. C. Bethune spent two days this week at Myrtle Beach, S. C., visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Talbot Johnson.

Haney Harris and Clayton Brasington attended the Jubilee convention of the North Carolina firemen held in Greensboro this week as delegates from the Aberdeen Fire Company.

Miss Nancy Wimberly is spending some time in Greensboro visiting her sister, Mrs. Joseph I. Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Page and daughter of Winston-Salem and Miss Mary Taylor of Carthage were recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilder.

Mrs. Stewart Weaver has returned home after visiting relatives in Sanford, Fla., and Orangeburg, S. C.

Mrs. A. B. Hoskins and her friends, Miss Buckner of Asheville, and Miss Lois Barkley of Statesville are arriving this week to visit their sister, Mrs. S. E. Sloan.

The Rev. and Mrs. Murdoch McLeod and daughters, Misses Dorothy and Jane, are stopping with the Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Barber this week enroute from Myrtle Beach, S. C., to their home in Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. Mary David has returned from Birmingham, Ala., where she spent some time visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred Johnson.

Mrs. Stewart Woodward and daughters, Misses Inez, Josephine and Annie Lee of Bon Air, Va., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Knight, Sr.

Frank McCluer and his guest, Tristram T. Hyde, III, of Richmond, Va., spent the past week-end at Myrtle Beach, S. C., visiting Misses Miriam and Betsy Jean Johnson.

Joe Campbell of Troy visited friends in Aberdeen last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus H. Beck have taken rooms with Mrs. Ada K. Weaver on the Raeford highway.

Mrs. Malcolm Pleasants and daughter Anne, Mrs. Francis Pleasants and son Francis, Jr., and Miss Edna Maurer were shopping visitors in Raleigh last Wednesday.

Mrs. Will Martin and little granddaughter, who have been visiting Mrs. J. D. Thompson and Miss Bessie Gunter for the past month, have returned to their home in Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Wimberly Bowman is spending some time in Lewiston, Va., visiting friends.

Mrs. Maud Wilkins, her father, J. T. Land and brother, Havers Land, visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rogers in Fayetteville last Sunday.

C. J. Johnson, E. L. McBride and Mackie Caldwell spent last Sunday in Washington, D. C., where they attended a big league ball game.

The Rev. E. M. Harris has returned home after spending ten days in Ansonville where he held revival services.

Mr. and Mrs. William Melvin and children, Tommy and Audrey, of Wilmington, Del., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Melvin.

Gordon Keith has returned from Cumberland, Md., where he took a course in dry cleaning and rug cleaning.

Mrs. Murdoch Johnson and small son James McNeill Johnson are spending some time in the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Blue and daughter, Miss Lida Duke Blue, with Miss Mary Taylor Hinnant of Beaufort as their guest, are spending two weeks at Myrtle Beach.

Misses Mary McInnis, Rachel Dixon and Nancy Ruth David attended the opening of the new Mack's 5, 10 and 25c Store in Sanford last Friday.

Miss Margaret McLeod has returned to her post of duty at Keith's Dry Cleaners after being confined at

home for ten days with mumps.

Edwin T. McKeithen, Jr., of New York City and Jerry McKeithen of Charleston, S. C., are spending their vacations in Aberdeen visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. McKeithen.

Miss Valda Hartzell and Frank Lowry spent the past week-end at Wadesboro visiting home folks.

Miss Mary Ella Bethune spent two days this week in Moncure as the guest of Miss Bettie Hannon.

Mrs. T. B. Wilder has returned from New York City where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Karl Pohl. Sam Turner of Fayetteville formerly with the A. & P. Store here spent last Sunday in town with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Eller and children of Wadesboro were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Claude T. Johnson last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Windham and their house-guests, Mr. and Mrs. E. Payne of Winston-Salem, spent the past week-end at White Lake.

Prof. and Mrs. L. J. Dawkins have returned from a three weeks motor trip through the mountains of western North Carolina.

Bob Wilder has returned home from Wake Forest College where he attended Summer School and took the preliminary medical course.

Harold Weaver, who holds a position in Chapel Hill, spent last Sunday in town visiting his mother, Mrs. A. K. Weaver.

Mrs. Alva Taylor of Pittsburgh, Pa., is spending some time in Aberdeen as the guest of Mrs. H. E. Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gerstbrich, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. C. V. Miller, have returned to their home in Baltimore.

Among those who enjoyed the past week-end at Sneed's Ferry were George Martin, C. W. Seymour, Jack Taylor, Lee Page, R. C. Zimmerman, J. L. Grady and C. P. Osborne.

Miss Charlotte Miller is spending some time in Greensboro visiting her cousin, Miss Bettie Martin Osborne.

Mrs. W. A. Brown of Anderson, S. C., is the guest of Mrs. R. H. Boles on Rush street.

Policeman W. B. Kelly has recovered from a recent illness and is able to do patrol work again.

Mrs. R. F. Roach of Charlotte is visiting her son Finley Roach who is connected with the Mid-South Motor Co.

Miss Edna Maurer, Frank Blue and Scott Russell motored to Greensboro last Sunday.

Miss Ruth Brown of Erwin is the guest of Miss Lillian McBride.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson and sons Clifton and Robert are enjoying their vacation at Ahoskie where they are visiting relatives. They were accompanied as far as Enfield by Miss Lanie Ruth Gunter, who is stopping there with her aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Norris and Mrs. Kelsey are spending their vacation at Boone with relatives.

Sidney L. Windham, Eugene B. Maynard and L. T. Avery spent last Tuesday in Lumberton attending the opening of the tobacco markets.

Bill McInnis, who spent his vacation with his mother, Mrs. W. C. McInnis, left this week to accept a position in Columbia, S. C.

Francis Harris, has returned from summer school at Mars Hill College and will spend a few weeks with his parents here before returning to school there.

MRS. HALL IS HOSTESS TO WALTER PAGE BOOK CLUB

Mrs. L. M. Hall was hostess to the Walter Hines Page Book Club last Thursday afternoon at the Methodist Parsonage, where an interesting literary programme was enjoyed by all present. Mrs. Evelyn Pleasants reviewed the book, "Bugles Blow No More," in most interesting fashion, with Mrs. W. T. Huntley giving a splendid paper on the celebration at Manteo. A social hour followed the meeting with the hostess serving refreshments.

STATE HUNTING REGULATIONS FOR 1937-38 SEASON READY

The State Department of Conservation and Development released its 1937-38 hunting law extracts this week, placing otter and fox squirrel for the first time on the "protected list" of game which may not be killed at any time of the year.

Paul Kelly, assistant department director, said the deer season was made "practically uniform" throughout the State for the first time.

J. K. Melvin, Jr. Weds Thelma P. Strother

Ashley Heights Girl is Bride of Aberdeen Merchant in Church at Richmond

Miss Thelma Pauline Strother and John Kelly Melvin, Jr., were united in marriage on Saturday, June 19, 1937 in the parsonage of the Broad Street Methodist Episcopal Church in Richmond, Va. The Rev. Benjamin M. Persinger performed the ceremony.

Mrs. Melvin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Strother of Ashley Heights. She received her education at Raeford High School and Highsmith Hospital School for Nurses, Fayetteville.

Mr. Melvin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Melvin of Aberdeen, and was educated at Aberdeen High School, Coyne Electrical School and the University of Chicago. He is in the mercantile business with his father and uncle in Aberdeen and Southern Pines. After September 1st, the young couple will make their home in Aberdeen.

PINEBLUFF

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lampley are spending some time in Donndridge, Tenn., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wade Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fiddner and son, Dighton, Miss Alice Wilkes, Mrs. Arch Wilkes and Carl Wilkes spent the past week-end at Windy Point.

Mrs. Lawton Foushee and daughter Joan, of Durham, are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lampley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Von Boskerck, Mrs. Carson Palmer, and Mrs. C. E. Jordan spent part of last week at the beach.

Miss Julia Lampley returned Sunday from Candor where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Groland McCaskill.

Douglas Allison has been spending a few days in Mount Gilead visiting friends.

Miss Catharine Rowe of Aberdeen was the week-end guest of Miss Esther Farrell.

Mrs. James Baker of Carthage was the guest of Miss Florence Fowler on Rush evening.

Sargeant Castner and family of Fort Bragg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Randon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Odell of Danbury, Conn., have rented the Glenwood cottage.

Prof. Berg of Florida is visiting his son, Theo Berg.

Miss Mary Meinhardt has returned from Hampton, Va., after spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Nelson.

Miss Alberta Fletcher spent the week-end in Southern Pines visiting relatives.

Robert Austin, who has been visiting relatives in Belleville, N. J., returned home Thursday.

News was received this week of the death of George Van Huel in Asheville. Mr. Van Huel spent a number of winters in town. His health having failed in the last few months, he went to Asheville hoping to recover. The remains were sent to East Long Branch, N. J.

SEABOARD INAUGURATES ALL EXPENSE BERMUDA TOURS

Arrangements for pleasure-planned, all-expense summer and fall tours to Bermuda have just been completed by the Seaboard Railway and the Furness Bermuda Line. The tours utilize Seaboard air-conditioned trains to and from New York, and famous Furness liners between New York and Bermuda.

For economical travelers, low cost six, seven and eight day tours have been arranged. One of the most attractive is the thirteen day tour embodying two days in New York, four days of pleasure-planned cruising, five and one quarter days in Bermuda. Sightseeing in New York and Bermuda is also included.

Bermuda is renowned as the "Magic Green Isle in the Sea," a surf-cooled garden where life flows in leisurely British fashion, with traffic "bobbies" and shops that reflect old Bond Street or Piccadilly. Many points of interest, and all favorite sports and diversions are enjoyed from dawn till dusk.

Details of the Seaboard-Furness tours are available from Seaboard Agents and Travel Agencies.

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Cotton Crop Estimate 11 Percent Over 1936

Federal Board Figures Would Mean 812 Million Dollars at Today's Price

Government experts predict a bumper cotton crop of 15,593,000 bales.

The accuracy of the estimate issued by the federal crop reporting board was questioned by Chairman Smith, Democrat, South Carolina, of the Senate agriculture committee. He expressed belief the board might be as much as a million bales off.

The 1937 yield predicted by the federal board would be 3,194,118 bales larger than last year's. The board said the crop is expected to yield 223.3 pounds per acre. Such a yield would be the highest per acre ever recorded, the board declared.

It was estimated unofficially that a crop of the size the board forecast would be worth \$812,000,000 on the basis of the closing October futures price at New York on Monday—10.42 cents a pound.

The board predicted 33,429,000 acres would be harvested, an increase of 11 per cent over last year but 18 per cent less than the average during the five-year period from 1923 to 1932. The 1937 crop is expected officially to be 25.8 per cent larger than the 1936 crop of 12,399,000 bales and 6.3 per cent above the 1923 to 1932 average of 14,667,000 bales.

JACKSON SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Graham and children and Misses Lucille and Eva Richardson attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Josephine Faircloth of Parkton Sunday afternoon. Burial was at Roseboro.

Mrs. B. W. Walker of Hemp visited her sister, Mrs. C. R. Cole here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Whit Purvis are on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Henderson.

Miss Vysta Markham of Carthage, and Irvin Markham of Greensboro spent last week with their mother Mrs. C. P. Markham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark left Monday for Crozet, Va., where Mr. Clark expects to be engaged in trucking peaches to points further north.

Miss Doris Jamison of Montgomery, Ala., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. R. G. Matheson.

Miss Jewell Blake has returned home after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Clyde Williams.

L. G. and Neill Melvin, Tilon Stubbs and Roy Carter spent a few days last week at Carolina Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. David of High Point spent the week-end at Carolina Beach. Walter Richardson accompanied them and they returned to Mrs. J. P. Richardson's Sunday night.

Mrs. Sallie Hinson returned home from Groveland, Fla., last Wednesday. She has spent the past several months there with her sister, Mrs. E. E. Edge. Frank Patterson came with her for a month's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Patterson.

Mrs. J. E. Currie and Nancy Ray and Joseph left Tuesday for Norfolk, Va., for a week's stay with her sister, Mrs. G. R. Kloss. Charles Dilling, Jr., accompanied them on the trip. He will also visit his brother, McCoy Dilling, there.

Mrs. Earl Skeen and son Billy, have returned to Biscoe after having spent the past two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stubbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Bivens Jackson of Dunn spent the week-end with Mrs. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thomas were shoppers in Albemarle last Tuesday.

COL. WALKER TAYLOR DIES SUDDENLY IN WILMINGTON

Col. Walker Taylor, 72, of Wilmington, one of the most prominent insurance underwriters in the state, died at the Cape Fear Hotel Tuesday afternoon a few minutes after he left a meeting of the Wilmington Rotary Club.

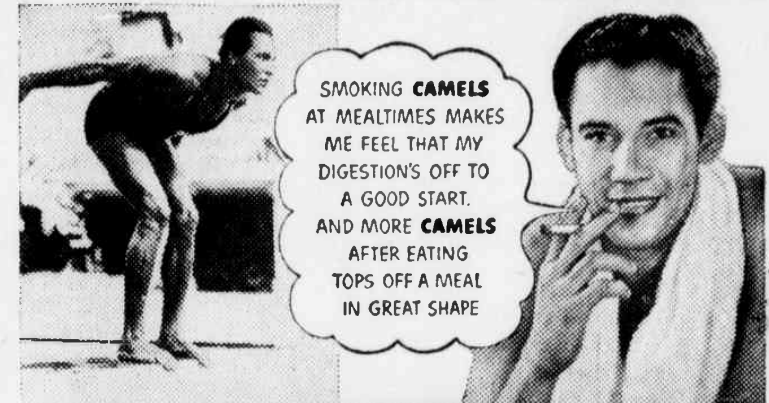
Colonel Taylor had spoken briefly to the club and was standing just outside the hotel when he was stricken. He was removed inside and doctors who were hastily summoned found that death was due to coronary thrombosis.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon.

Col. Taylor has been a frequent visitor in Pinehurst for many years, looking after much of the insurance business of Pinehurst, Inc. He is well known throughout this section of the state.

WORLD'S BREAST-STROKE CHAMPION FOR 5 YEARS IN A ROW

Leonard Spence, champion swimmer, says he enjoys Camels—especially at mealtimes



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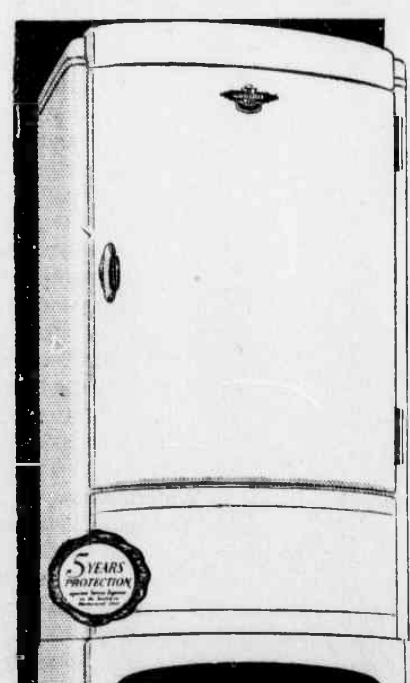
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