

Local & Society

Visit Here Wednesday
Miss Burnice Everett and Mrs. Thelma Johnson, of Robersonville, visited here Wednesday.

Shop Here Wednesday
Miss Marion Brinkley, Mrs. Gertrude Brinkley and Mrs. W. A. Capehart, of Plymouth, shopped here on Wednesday.

Visiting in Wilmington
Miss Thelma Lilley is spending a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Griffin.

Home for Holidays
Jack Baker Saunders, S. C. Griffin, Jr., and R. H. Goodmon, Jr., are home from the University for the Spring holidays.

Visits Here Thursday
Tom Cox, of Norfolk, visited his brother, S. S. Cox, here Thursday.

Were Business Visitors Here
Miss Mae Lannigan and Messrs. E. C. Bookman, Bill Kirks and K. L. Jones, of Richmond, were here Wednesday taking pictures and fingerprinting the 54 members of the local V. E. and P. Company staff for identification purposes at the direction of government authorities.



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Was in Town Wednesday
Mrs. Titus Martin, of Jamesville, was a shopper in town Wednesday.

Shops Here Tuesday
Miss Mable Whedbee, of Ahoskie, shopped here Tuesday.

Returns to New Jersey
Irvin Griffin, of the U. S. Army, returned to his headquarters in New Jersey early today after spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Griffin.

Was Business Visitor Here
Mr. Walter Randlett, of Richmond, was a business visitor here this week.

Visit Here Wednesday
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitley, of Farm Life, visited their daughter, Mrs. S. Claude Griffin and family here Wednesday.

Were Here This Week
Messrs. J. R. Manning, of Roanoke Rapids, and "Honey" Noell, of Charlotte, attended to business here this week.

Attends Funeral in Bear Grass
Mrs. Roy Bailey attended the funeral of Mrs. Sarah Rogerson in Bear Grass Wednesday.

Spend Week-end Here
Judge and Mrs. J. Paul Frizzelle, of Snow Hill, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edmondson.

Is Ill at Her Home
Friends of Mrs. H. T. Roberson will regret to learn that she is ill at her home here.

In Wilson Last Week-end
Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Darden and family visited in Wilson last week-end.

Ill at Home Near Here
Mr. Taylor Malone, of Wilson, is ill at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. E. L. Malone near here.

Birth Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bert Jenkins announce the birth of a son on Wednesday at their home near here.

Visits Here Tuesday
Mr. W. A. Fleming, of Florence, S. C., visited his sister, Mrs. J. P. Fleming, here Tuesday.

In Washington Tuesday
Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Darden and daughter spent Tuesday in Washington.

Spends Week-end Near Here
Mr. Rudolph Peel, of Newport News, will spend the week-end near here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Peel.

Visits Here Tuesday
Mr. William Thigpen, of Sanford, Fla., visited his sister, Mrs. J. P. Fleming, here Tuesday.

BOOK CLUB MEETS
The Book Lovers Club of Bear Grass met Monday night at 8 o'clock in the club house. Miss Ruby Malone was hostess.

The theme of the program was Etiquette. Miss Velma Bailey spoke on "Personal Neatness"; Miss Magdeline Harrison on "The Art of Conversation"; and Mrs. Leroy Harrison on "Courtesy."

After the program was concluded, contests were held. The decorations and favors carried out the Easter motif.

When the contests were over, the election of officers was held. Miss Elizabeth Bailey was elected president for the new term. Mrs. T. O. Hickman, vice president; Miss Ruby Malone, secretary, and Miss Ruth Hazel Harris, treasurer.

The hostess served a delicious salad course to the following members: Misses Velma and Elizabeth Bailey, Magdeline Harrison, Amanda Wynn, Ruth Hazel Harris and Messdames T. O. Hickman, Dewey Leggett, Leroy Harrison, John D. Hardison and Rosal Rogers.

TAYLOR-GRIFFIN
Mrs. Lizzie Griffin and Edward G. Taylor were married in the presence of a few friends at the home of Justice and Mrs. C. B. Riddick in Everett's last Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock the justice performing the ceremony.
Mrs. Taylor is the daughter of Mrs. Lula A. Lilley and the late J. L. Lilley. Mr. Taylor is the son of the late Daney and Anna Taylor. They will make their home in Griffins Township.

Leave for New Mexico
Mrs. Exum Ward and Miss Rachel Johnson will leave for New Mexico this week-end to visit Exum, Jr., who is stationed there with the U. S. Army. Mrs. J. C. Roebuck and Mrs. George Harris accompanied them to Rocky Mount.

Visit Here This Week
Mrs. E. W. Franklin, of Raleigh, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carter, of Ahoskie, visited Rev. and Mrs. B. T. Hurley this week.

Returns to E.C.T.C.
Miss Reid White has returned to E.C.T.C., Greenville, where she is in school after spending the spring holidays with her parents here.

Returns to E.C.T.C.
Miss Vera Pearl Williams has returned to E.C.T.C., Greenville, after spending the Spring holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams.

Visiting Near Here
Hildreth Rogerson, of Fort Jackson, is spending a few days near here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Rogerson.

Attending Teachers' Meet
Superintendent of Schools J. C. Manning is attending a meeting of North Carolina teachers in Raleigh.

Visiting in Norfolk
Miss Lorene Weaver is spending the week-end in Norfolk with relatives.

Home for Holidays
Mr. Bob Levin, a student at U. N. C., Chapel Hill, is spending the spring holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Levin.

Marriage License Issued
A marriage license was issued last Tuesday in this county to Lester L. Whitaker and Fannie Mac Harris, both of Tarboro.

No House Warming
Mr. and Mrs. John Tullos and little son, John, Jr., have moved back into their home after it was renovated following a fire several weeks ago. "There'll be no house warming as we had that when moved out," Mr. Tullos was quoted as saying.

Move into New Home
Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Woolard and young daughter have moved into their new home on Watts Street.

Are in Newport News
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bailey are visiting in Newport News, visiting their son, Norwood, who is employed there.

Returns to Her Home
Friends of Miss Trulah Ward Bailey will be glad to know that she has returned to her home here after having had an operation for appendicitis.

In Bear Grass Last Week-end
E. D. Harris, of Portsmouth, visited relatives in Bear Grass last week-end.

Was Here Wednesday
Alton Harris, of Bear Grass, was a visitor here Wednesday.

Is Ill at Her Home
Friends of Mrs. Jack Fitzgerald will regret to learn that she is ill at her home here.

Happenings In The Bear Grass School

The Parent-Teacher Association met Tuesday night, March 17th. The eighth grade, under the direction of Mr. F. W. Taylor, gave a very charming playlet called "Murdering the King's English." It was also decided that there would be a picnic the last day of school to which everybody is cordially invited to attend and bring lunch.

On Friday night, March 27th, the Lone Star Quartet will give a program in the school auditorium. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

On Friday night, March 13th, the Senior Class presented the Senior play, Youth Loves the Day. Sometime in the near future, the high school play will be given Bolts and Nuts is the name of this play and will be a "rip-roaring" comedy. A small admission will be charged and the exact date the play is to be given will be announced later.

The eighth grade recently made an all day trip to Wilmington. Practically every member of the class went and many of the boys and girls saw for the first time the ocean.

The ninth grade recently took a trip to Raleigh. They visited all the main points of interest there and evidently enjoyed the day very much.

The seventh grade is planning a trip to Norfolk Friday, March 20th. They are chiefly interested in visiting the defense industrial plants. Practically none of the children have ever been to Norfolk and they are looking forward to this trip with double interest. They have made the money for this trip by selling candy.

The boys' and girls' athletic associations have formed ball teams. The boys, baseball, and the girls, softball. They have also been practicing for the track meet which is to be held in Jamesville sometime in the near future.

The Junior Class recently entertained the Senior Class with the annual Junior-Senior Banquet. The banquet was held in the American Legion Hut in Williamston. Decorations for the banquet were carried out in the patriotic colors, red, white and blue. Senator Hugh Horton made the after-dinner address.

The new gymnasium is rapidly going up. Judging by the progress the men have made in its erection the last several weeks, it will be ready for use at the beginning of the school term this fall.

The school attendance, which has been very low due to the measles and mumps epidemics, is getting back to normal again. Some of the children are still sick, but the majority of them are back.

HOSTESSES TO AUXILIARY
Mrs. Charlie Davenport and Mrs. C. M. Holliday were joint hostesses to the American Legion Auxiliary in the Legion Hut in Williamston on Saturday afternoon, March 14th.

The meeting was opened for business and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The treasurer's report was given and accepted. The amount of \$20 was turned in by the three groups of the organization, Williamston, \$6; Jamesville, \$2; and Robersonville, \$12. This will be used to pay the financial obligations for this year.

Mrs. Hugh Horton, community service chairman, had charge of the program and offered some very good suggestions on how to beautify our community. Several members reported services rendered in their community during March.

A delightful sweet course was served during the social hour.

In Ahoskie Tuesday
Rev. and Mrs. Bernard T. Hurley visited relatives in Ahoskie Tuesday.

Returns from Florida
Miss Nell Harrison returned home yesterday after wintering in Florida.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to publicly thank our neighbors, our friends and the associates of our husband and father for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy during his illness and after his death. We also gratefully acknowledge the floral offerings and again sincerely thank everyone.
Mrs. S. W. Manning and Family.

Happenings In The Farm Life School

The Farm Life seniors will present their play, "Feudin' in the Hills" on Wednesday evening, March 25th, at 8:30 o'clock War Time.

The action of the play revolves around two mountain families—the Tollivers and the Pruitts—who have been feuding for generations. The romantic element is suggested by Sam Pruitt who lives across the valley from his sweetheart, Edna Mae Tolliver. You'll be amused at the circumstances surrounding the characters in this play, and the unusual ending will leave you delightfully surprised. There will be "good old mountain music," furnished by the organ, banjos, fiddles, the Tollivers, and the Pruitts.

You can't afford to miss this side-splitting comedy. A small admission will be charged.

The characters are:
Mr. Tolliver, the last of his line, B. F. Lilley, Jr.; Mrs. Tolliver, his wife, Mary Manning; Edna Mae, their daughter, Hazel Corey; Zula, their daughter, Martha Roberson; Jed, their sleepy son, Verlin Griffin; Grandma, Mr. Tolliver's mother, Farease Manning; Sam Pruitt, Edna Mae's suitor, E. H. Manning, Jr.; Dina Pruitt, his sister, Elizabeth Manning; Dr. Amcrombie, student of philosophy, Alton F. Peele; Myrtle, his daughter, Della Lee Lilley.

Agriculture Is Most Hazardous Industry

Strangely, agriculture is the most hazardous American industry, with the farm home contributing largely to this amazing total of accidents, says Miss Ruth Current, State home agent of the N. C. State College Extension Service.

In safety suggestions to North Carolina farm families, Miss Current urged that:

Sharp-edged tools be kept away from play places.
Stairways with more than three steps be equipped with hand-rails.
Free use of both hands not be sacrificed because of heavy load to carry.

And stairways be kept clear of toys, tools and boxes.
The State home agent also pointed out that the annual cost of farm and rural fires is \$200,000,000, two-thirds of the national fire loss. Then, too, besides this property damage, 3,500 lives are lost in these fires.

To combat this menace, Miss Current urges that:

Every open fireplace be equipped with a screen.
Kettles, pails, and tubs of hot liquids be kept off the floor.
House dry cleaning be done out-of-doors.
Matches be kept away from children.

And saucepan handles be kept away from the edges of stoves and tables.
Cuts, bruises, and infections should never be regarded as minor, Miss Current cautioned, as people have died as a result of a scratch becoming infected.

Aged Colored Man Dies In Williams Township

Following a long period of declining health, George Nichols, aged colored citizen of Williams Township, died at his home there Wednesday morning at 5:00 o'clock. He was 84 years old and is survived by a daughter, Winnie Hill, of Brooklyn, and two sons, Stephen and Isaac Nichols, of the home.

Conservation appeals have resulted in more than a half million burlap bags being returned to wool growers by mills for re-use, reports the Office of Emergency Management.

Tractor Training For Women Here

A nation-wide program to help solve the farm labor shortage by training thousands of farm women and girls as tractor and other farm machine operators has been launched by the International Harvester Company through the cooperation of its dealer organization, Chas. H. Jenkins and Co.

The plan calls for the training to be carried out in each community by the local dealers of International Harvester tractors. Women will be selected on the basis of qualification and need. Training will be free.

A farm woman or girl who completes the "Tractorette" training course will not only know how to run a tractor but will also have basic training in repairing and serving the machine, in diagnosing mechanical trouble, and in the proper attachment and setting up of the principal implements used with tractors, particularly plows.

The training will not be a lark, Mr. Jenkins says, and the applicants are asked to wear overalls and prepare to get "dirty and greasy."

The only purpose of this "Tractorette" program is to provide competent help on the farm to replace that being taken away by the draft.

This training course is an emergency measure, and all farm women are urged to take the course and thus help out in this war emergency.

Miss Liza Daniel, daughter of Mr. W. B. Daniel, who was operated on in a Washington hospital last Friday for appendicitis, will return home next Monday or Tuesday.



NIGHT COUGHS
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Sunday-Monday **"SONS OF THE SEA"** March 22-23
with Michael Redgrave and Valerie Hobson
Tuesday **DOUBLE FEATURE** March 24
"Pardon My Stripes," Bill Henry, Shelia Ryan
"Rock River Renegades," The Range Busters
Wednesday-Thursday **"NO HANDS ON THE CLOCK"** March 25-26
with Chester Morris and Jean Parker
Friday-Saturday **"ARIZONA CYCLONE"** March 27-28
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Monday-Tuesday **"Remember The Day"** March 23-24
JOHN PAYNE and CLAUDETTE COLBERT
ALSO SELECTED SHORT SUBJECTS
Wednesday-Thursday **"All Trough The Night"** March 25-26
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Friday-Saturday **"New Wine"** March 27-28
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NOTICE!
To Tax Payers
A penalty of only two per cent is being charged on 1941 taxes during the month of March, but on April 1st the penalty will increase with each succeeding month.
Pay your taxes during the remaining days of March and save the additional cost.
Town of Williamston