

PINK HILL-GRABY-SMITH NEWS & VIEWS

Miss Betty Edwards in Recital At Asheville School

Miss Betty Edwards, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Edwards of Pink Hill, gave a dramatic reading, and original abridgement of "Smilin' Through" by Allan Langdon Martin, at 8 o'clock, Tuesday night, August 2, at the Plonk School of Creative Arts, on Sunset Parkway, Asheville, N. C. Miss Edwards was assisted by Miss Clara Plonk, who sang "Ain't Love But A Day" by Gilbert, "Smilin' Through" by Penn and "A Spirit Flower" by Stanton. Mrs. Katherine Johnson accompanied her.

Miss Edwards, who has appeared previously in such plays as "Mr. Pim Passes By" by A. A. Milne and "Lady Precious Stream" a Chinese play by S. I. Hsiung, and "I Remember Mama", is in her third year at the Plonk School and will graduate in June, 1950. She was graduated from Mitchell College, Statesville, N. C., before entering Plonk School.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Lytton Maxwell of Winston-Salem spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd May attended the marriage of Miss Audrey May, Mr. May's niece, in Greenville on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Simmons of Goldsboro were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith Sunday.

Miss Marie Smith, RN, of Greensboro is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tyndall and Ann Denny were recent visitors at Wrightsville Beach.

Mr. W. H. Jones spent the week end with his family at Carolina Beach.

Mrs. Horace Tyndall and Miss Wanda Tyndall have returned from a trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. May and Mrs. D. W. Ruffin and daughters spent Sunday at Carolina Beach.

Mr. W. S. Cowan of Windsor, a cousin of Dr. Ruffin, spent the week end in the Ruffin home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jones and Miss Ann Ruffin spent the week end at Morehead.

Mr. and Mrs. James Miles and sons were at Morehead for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Strickland and sons and Mrs. Robert C. Teel and son of Farmville were guests of relatives near Pink Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. King and son of Kinston have moved here where Mr. King is employed by T. A. Turner Co., Inc.

Misses Ann May, Ramona Worley, Jaqueline Burke and Mrs. Charles Nash have been vacationing at Carolina Beach.

Mrs. Clarence Jones has been spending a few days with her parents in Washington, D. C. and Nancy visited in Wilson while she was away.

Sanford Lee, Jr. has returned from summer studies at N. C. State.

Miss Polly Weston, a student of the Raleigh School of Commerce is spending the month at home.

R. K. Smith of UNC spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland J. Smith and sons of Wilson have been visiting relatives here.

Miss Ramona Worley has accepted a position of teaching in the Richlands Schools.

Outlaw's Bridge

Regular 1st Sunday night services Sunday, Aug. 7 at 8 p. m. Sunday School at the regular hour. All are invited to attend both services.

Rev. and Mrs. L. C. Prater and Miss Marie Prater returned home Sunday night from vacationing in Alabama and Texas.

Miss Sallie Outlaw is spending a week with friends in North Wilkesboro.

Mrs. Nora Malpass spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Luther Pate in Rocky Mount.

Messrs. Fred Warren, Ned Caldwell, Lawrence Birchfield of Canton, N. C. are spending some time with friends here.

Mrs. Norwood Creel spent several days with her daughter Mrs. Wooten Howard in Kenansville last week.

Mrs. J. T. Fitzgerald of Poughkeepsie, N. Y. was a recent visitor with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Malpass of Wallace were among visitors with relatives Sunday.

Mrs. M. L. Outlaw, Jr., gave her husband a surprise barbecue supper honoring him on his birthday. Members of the families were guests.

Mrs. Bessie Merritt of Fla. has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Buck Dupree.

Mrs. Lessie Horton of the B. F. Grady section spent the week end with Mrs. B. F. Outlaw.

Miss Essie Mae Outlaw is spending some time at Carolina Beach.

Gus Ulrich, Jr. who has been visiting Ross Sutton left Monday for his home in Mass.

HE LIKED THE DEPRESSION

By GEORGE PECK

In May 1932, an editorial entitled, "I Like The Depression," appeared in the Amarillo (Texas) Globe-News. Its author, Henry Ansley, died after a traffic accident in August that same year. That was a tragedy. The world sorely needs his brand of humorous philosophy you will read his editorial printed below just as he wrote it 17 years ago:

I like the depression. No more prosperity for me. I have had more fun since the depression started than I ever had in my life; I had forgotten how to live, what it meant to have real friends, what it was like to eat common every-day food. Fact is, I was getting just a little high-hat.

Three years ago, only one man of the Globe-News organization could be out of town at a time. He had to leave at the last minute and get back as soon as possible. Many times I have driven 100 miles to a banquet, sat through 3 hours of bunk in order to make a 5-minute speech, then driven the 100 miles back so as to be ready for work the next morning. Nowadays, as many Globe-News employees as are invited make those trips and we stay as long as we want to. The whole outfit could leave the office now and it wouldn't make any difference. **I like the depression.**

I have time to visit my friends, to make new ones. Two years ago when I went to a neighboring town, I always stayed at a hotel. Now, I go home with my friends, stay all night and enjoy home-cooking. I have even spent the week end with some of the boys who have been kind enough to invite me. It's great to drop into a store and feel that you can spend an hour or two or three or a half day just visiting and not feel that you are wasting valuable time.

I like the depression. I am getting acquainted with my neighbors. In the last 6 months I have become acquainted with folks who have been living next door to me for

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Nellie B. Batts, Adm. of the estate of Leslie Batts, Magnolia, N. C.

H. E. Phillips, Atty. Kenansville, N. C. 9-9-61. HEP z

3 years. I am following the Biblical Admonition, "Love your neighbors." One of my neighbors has one of the best-looking wives I have ever seen. She is a dandy. I am getting acquainted with my neighbors and learning to love them.

Three years ago I ordered my clothes from a merchant tailor—2 or 3 suits at a time. All my clothes were good ones, I was always dressed up. But now, I haven't bought a suit of clothes in 2 years. I am mighty proud of my Sunday-go-to-meeting clothes. When I dress up, I am dressed up, and I don't mean maybe. **I like the depression.**

Three years ago I was so busy and my wife was so busy that we didn't see much of each other, consequently we sort of lost interest in each other. I never went home to lunch. About twice a week I went home for dinner—at 6:30 o'clock. I never had time to go anywhere with her. If I did go on a party, I could never locate her, and since there was always a "blonde" or "red head" available

I didn't worry much about it. My wife belonged to all the clubs in town. She even joined the young Mother's Club. We don't have any children, but she was studying—and between playing bridge and going to clubs, she was never at home.

We got stuck up and high falutin. We even took down the old family bed and bought a set of twin beds. When I would come home at night if my wife was at home, she would already be in her bed and I would crawl in mine. If she came in last, it was vice versa.

We like the depression. We have come down off our pedestal and are really living at my house now. The twin beds are stored in the garage and the old family affair is being used. We are enjoying life. Instead of taking a hot water bottle to these cold nights, she sticks her heels in my back just like she did before Hoover was elected.

I haven't been out on a party in 18 months. I have lost my book of telephone numbers. My wife has dropped all the clubs. I believe we are falling in love all over again. I am pretty well satisfied with my wife. Think I will keep her, at least until she is 40 and then, if I feel like I do now, I may trade her for two twentys.

I am feeling better since the de-

pression. I take more exercise. I walk to town and a lot of folks who used to drive Cadillacs are walking with me. **I like the depression.** My digestion is better. I haven't been to see a Doctor in a year. I can eat anything I want to. I am getting real honest-to-goodness food. Three years ago, we had a fillet mignon once a week, now we have round steak and flour gravy. Then we had roast breast of guinea hen, now we are glad to get sow-bosom with the buttons on it. **I like the depression.** My salary has been cut to where I can't afford to buy lettuce and spinach and parsley and we can't afford to have sandwiches and frozen desserts and all the damfoolishness which has killed more good men than the World War.

I like the depression. Three years ago, I never had time to go to Church. I played golf all day Sunday and besides I was so darned smart there wasn't a preacher in West Texas who could tell me anything. Now I'm going to Church regularly, never miss a Sunday. And if the depression keeps on, I will be going to prayer meeting before long. **I like the depression.**

School Opening At Grady

The B. F. Grady and Outlaw's Bridge schools will open on August 18th at 8:30 A. M.

Bus Routes will be the same except for changes in Drivers on some Buses. The Lunch Room will open about September 1st. Improvements are being made to Rest Rooms and additional toilet facilities are being installed.

All children are urged to enroll the first day and attend regular. To be eligible to enter 1st grade a child must be 6 years old on or before October 1st, and must enter during the first month the school is in session.

B. F. GRADY:
High School Faculty - H. M. Wells, Alice Davis, Mrs. Norman Farris, Mouton E. Sills, Thelma Dilday, J. H. Dotson, Mary Anna Grady, and Mrs. Erma Glover.

Grades - Mrs. Effie Outlaw and Audrey Butler, 1st; Mrs. Katie Rowell and Mary Stroud, 2nd; Mrs. V. R. Garner and Mrs. J. H. Dotson, 3rd; Mrs. Henrietta Grady and Mamie Fordham, 4th; Mrs. Billy Smith and Louise H. Wells, 5th; Mrs. Harold Kornegay and Bertha



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Outlaw's Bridge - Wilbur Williams, Rachel Outlaw, Viola Westbrook and Sallie Outlaw.

Funeral Held For 7-Springs Man

Joe J. Jones, 41, of Seven Springs died in a Goldsboro hospital Saturday. Services were held on Sunday afternoon at 4 p.m. and interment was in Seven Springs Cemetery. The Rev. Wesley Price conducted the services.

Surviving are his mother, Mrs. Estelle Jones Barnes; one sister, Mrs. G. A. Gurley, Seven Springs; and one half-sister, Mrs. Bruce Price of Seven Springs.

In some parts of the world seaweed is used both as food and fertilizer.

Club Hostess

Mrs. Clarence Jones entertained her bridge club at her home on Wednesday afternoon. Due to the extremely warm weather three tables were set for play on the screened front porch.

Mrs. Matt Burke received high score for members, and Mrs. Ike Stroud received consolation prize. Mrs. Jack Perkins received visitors high prize and Mrs. W. H. Jones visitors low. Mrs. Floyd Heath received the Bingo prize. The hostess served salted nuts, cookies and cold drinks.

New Mayor

Mr. Ike Stroud has been appointed mayor of Pink Hill to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. A. P. Tyndall, who was recently elected by popular vote.

Now Residing Here

Mrs. P. H. Squires arrived recently from Pinehurst to join her husband, Pink Hill's new chief of police, and they are occupying the residence across the street from the L. C. Turner home.

British chemists are making notable progress with penicillin in veterinary practice, particularly in the treatment of mastitis.

Pink Hill Church Services

Services at Pleasant View 11 A. M. and at Pink Hill 8:00 P. M. Topic of Sermon: "Give Me Thy Heart."

Just A Minute: Words are messengers which carry our thoughts to other minds. If we respect them, how they do speak for us! If we neglect them, how they reveal what we would like to hide!

N. P. Farris.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATRIX

The undersigned having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Leslie Batts, deceased, before the Clerk of Superior Court of Duplin County, this is to notify all persons who have claims against said estate to present their claims to the undersigned on or before the 2nd day of August, 1950, or this

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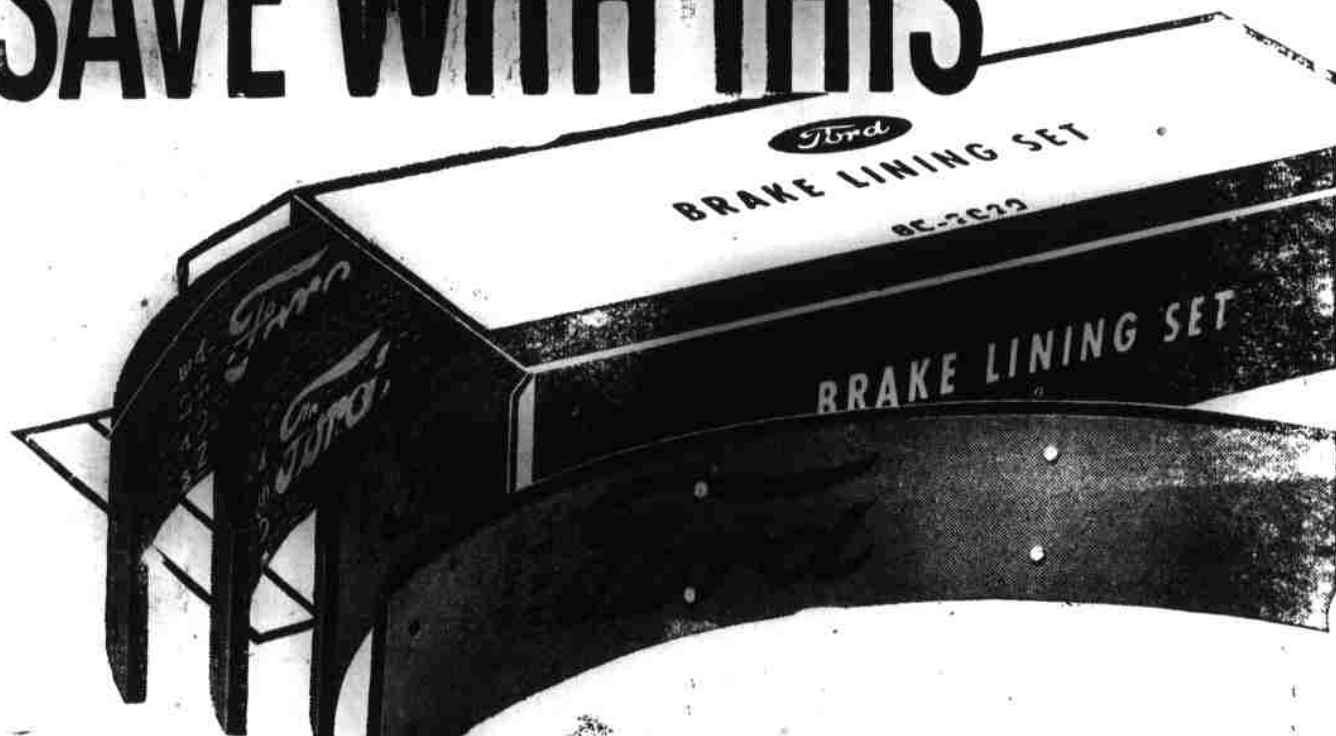
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