

Negro News

By Mrs. Annie Gordan
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College students who spent Easter with their respective parents, were: Hazelene Burris, Alice Mae Haywood, Grace Rhodes, Falth Cathrine Miller, Clyde Taylor, John L. Blalock, Carl Adams, Jim Bennis, and Bernice Whisnant.

Miss Christine Haywood spent the Easter holidays with her parents. Miss Haywood is teaching in Second Ward High school in Charlotte.

Mrs. Perry has returned from a visit with her son, Odus, and wife, in Newark, New Jersey.

Mrs. Ethel Lee Mitchem of Washington, D. C., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hickman, last week.

Dennis Gordan, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordan of Carpenter st., celebrated his 3rd birthday Tuesday, April 20. A number of little boys and girls attended the party. Mrs. Nina Graham helped Mrs. Gordan to serve birthday cake and ice cream. Dennis received many nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown and son, Mike, of Lacey, Va., are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Pressley, route 1.

Ben Adams spent the weekend with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garner announce the birth of a daughter, April 20 at the Kings Mountain hospital.

The Elementary department of the Compact high school will present an operetta, "Season of Happiness" Tuesday, April 27, at 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited.

Mrs. Martha Mitchem is spending the Easter holidays with her husband in New York.

The Usher Board of Bynum Chapel A. M. E. Zion church invites everyone to attend an entertainment Saturday evening, April 24, on the corner of West King and Candler street. Come and bring some one with you.

The acreage required to produce food for each United States citizen dropped from 20.7 in 1910 to 12.6 in 1950.

Compact News

By Mrs. A. P. Adams, P. O. Box 166, Phone 1130-W

Troop No. 11 attended Court of Honor last week with Troop No. 10 of Mt. Zion Baptist church. Those receiving Tenderfoot badges included Andrew Brown, Leonard Brown, Lawyer Quinn, Jr., Douglas Miller, Jimmie Brown, and James Adams.

All the boys of Troop No. 11 enjoyed a hike to the top of Kings Mountain Monday. Those making the trip were Andrew Brown, Leonard Brown, Lawyer Quinn, Jr., Douglas Miller, Carl Dye, James Shearer, Alva Miller, Azziah Jamerson, James Adams, Eddie Adams, and their leader, Charles Mitchem, assistant Scout Master.

Compact High school's musical department entered the annual music festival held at the Cleveland High school in Shelby last week and won high ratings in each event in which they participated.

The mixed chorus won a rating of one singing "Now Let Every Tongue Adore Thee". The girls' glee club sang "Heavenly Father" and were rated one minus, and the trio sang "To A Wild Rose" and won a rating of two.

The annual elementary music festival and spelling and reading contest were held at Washington school, Waco, N. C., last week. Betty Jean Jewell won first place in spelling. She is in the 5th grade. Betty Warren, Benjamin Dawkins, Janet Harris, Douglas Miller, Presslye Quinn, and Faye Moore won second places in their respective grades.

The primary department's rhythm band won a two plus rating. Miss M. R. Adair is director of the high school music group. Mrs. I. V. Couser and Mrs. A. G. Grier directed the elementary groups. All of the elementary teachers worked faithfully with the children.

Principal L. L. Adams and M. L. Campbell, agricultural teacher, were delegates to the North Carolina Teachers association in Raleigh last week. They report having an inspiring and helpful meeting.

An Easter program was rendered after Sunday school last week. Members of the Sunday school, large and small took part.

The small children of the church had an Easter egg hunt on Monday at 2:00 p. m. All present enjoyed hunting for and eating

El-Bethel-Bethware News

(Mrs. Leonard Gamble)

EL BETHEL - BETHWARE - April 22 - The Men's Progressive club of Bethware met Monday night at the school lunch room for a supper meeting. The 7th grade assisted by their teacher, Mrs. J. K. Willis, served the supper.

The Father-Son banquet, sponsored by the FFA boys was held Friday night in the school lunch room. The lunch room was decorated prettily with farm produce representing their club. The FFA girls did the serving. Thursday night of this week the girls will have a Mother-Daughter banquet and the boys will do the serving.

The Women's Society of Christian service met Sunday night at 6:00 p. m. at El Bethel church. New officers for next year were elected. Mrs. Hilda Harmon and Mrs. Boyce Eaker had charge of the program.

Melvin Cash and son, Herman Cash, are erecting a new filling station in this community.

Rev. Boyce Huffstetler, pastor of El Bethel church, had a part on the program Sunday morning at the Sunnise service held at the Mountain Rest cemetery in Kings Mountain.

Sunday night at 7:30 p. m. the children of El Bethel church, under the leadership of Mrs. Gerald Eaker, gave an interesting Easter program at the church by stories, songs, poems, and prayer.

Friday afternoon, Miss Barbara Gamble entertained with an egg hunt and picnic at her home for members of her seventh grade fellow students. They also played a ball game.

The Women's Home Demonstration club met at the home of eggs.

Rufus Sanders was visited by relatives from Spartanburg, S. C. Sunday.

Mrs. Reola Pagan is improving from illness at her home.

Students at home from college visiting their parents and friends during the Easter holiday included: from Morrisville, college, Miss Elinora Crosby, Dennorris Crosby, and Miss Geraldine Harris; from St. Paul college, Miss Annel Brown; and from La Male Beauty college, Miss Equilla Williams.

Mrs. Hill Lowery Friday at 2:00 p. m. Mrs. F. F. Herndon and Mrs. Rose Huffstetler were joint hostesses with Mrs. Lowery. An interesting program was enjoyed.

Saturday afternoon at 4:00 p. m. the younger group of El Bethel church met at the club house for an Easter egg hunt and a picnic. A large group attended.

There will be choir practice each Wednesday night at El Bethel church. The choir leader, Bobby Anthony, urges everyone to be present if at all possible.

K. C. Butler is improving. He has returned home from the Kings Mountain hospital and is at his home here.

Mrs. Kenneth Gates of Spartanburg, S. C., spent the Easter holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Anthony.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harmon and son had their Easter guests Mrs. Harmon's sister and niece from Atlanta, Georgia.

Mrs. Z. F. Cranford and daughter, Sarah, of Albemarle, were Monday dinner-guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wise. They visited others in the community that afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Allen and children of Washington, D. C., spent the weekend here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Humphries of Statesville and mother and father of Mrs. Boyce Huffstetler, spent the weekend here with Rev. and Mrs. Huffstetler.

Wednesday afternoon, Luther McSwain, Jr., and Miss Louise Wright were married at the David's Parsonage. He was home from college for the holidays and she was home from her work in Charlotte. They will each return to their job this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Warren and children of Shelby visited Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Eaker here Sunday afternoon.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gamble and Mr. J. F. Gamble here were: Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Hamrick, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Roberts, Junior Roberts, Sarah Garver, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dedmon and Shirley Dedmon of Shelby.

The average value of milk cows and heifers on North Carolina farms on January 1, 1954, was \$94, compared with the national average of \$146 each year.

Central Methodist CHURCH NEWS

By Mrs. Baxter Payseur

Radio Station WMT is broadcasting our morning worship services during April. We are grateful for these facilities placed at our disposal.

"The Hidden Heart", a film on "The Stewardship of Possessions, and one of the finest, will be presented on Sunday evening, April 25, at 7:30 o'clock. This film is reserved exclusively for Methodist showing this year, and this will be your one opportunity of seeing it. Do not miss "The Hidden Heart."

Our District Conference meets Tuesday, April 27, at 9:30 at Boger City.

The MYF Sub-District meets tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 at Trinity Methodist church, Gastonia.

On Monday evening the Spiritual Life Group and the WSCS meet at the church.

The Sanctuary flowers Easter Sunday were given in memory of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Falls by their

Mission Study Set For Monday

Mrs. Glenn Miller, of Vale, president of the Southern Conference of the North Carolina Lutheran Missionary society, will teach the home mission book, "Spanish Speaking Americans in the U. S. A.", at Resurrection Lutheran church Monday.

Members of St. Matthew's Lutheran church will meet with Resurrection members and the public is invited to attend.

The program will begin at 5 p. m., with a covered dish supper to be served at 6:30.

Mrs. Paul McGinnis, who made the announcement, said, "Mrs. Miller is an excellent speaker and teacher, and we are fortunate to have her as teacher of the year's home mission study."

There will be a called Quarterly Conference May 3 at 7:30, to consider authorizing the raising of funds in case this should be necessary for the completion of our Education Building.

Church

BOYCE MEMORIAL A. B. PRESBYTERIAN WILLIAM L. PRESSLY, Minister

Church School 10 a. m. Mariott D. Prater, Supt. Morning Service 11 a. m. Evening Service 7:30 Young People will meet at 6:30. Cub Scouts Monday at 3:30. Prayer and Praise Wed. evening at 7:30. Choir Practices at 8:00. Brownie Scout Friday afternoon at 3:00. Come and worship with us.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH REV. F. D. PATRICK, Pastor

SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship 11:00 a. m. Sermon Topic: "The Deity of Christ." Pioneer Fellowship 3:00 p. m. Senior High Fellowship 6:00 p. m. Evening Worship 7:30 p. m. Sermon Topic: "The 27th Psalm." A psalm to quell our fears."

MONDAY: Cub Scouts 3:15 p. m. Boy Scouts 7:30 p. m.

TUESDAY: Junior Choir Practice 3:30 p. m. Senior Choir Practice 7:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY: Brownie Scouts 3:15 p. m.

THURSDAY: Girl Scouts 3:30 p. m.

FRIDAY:

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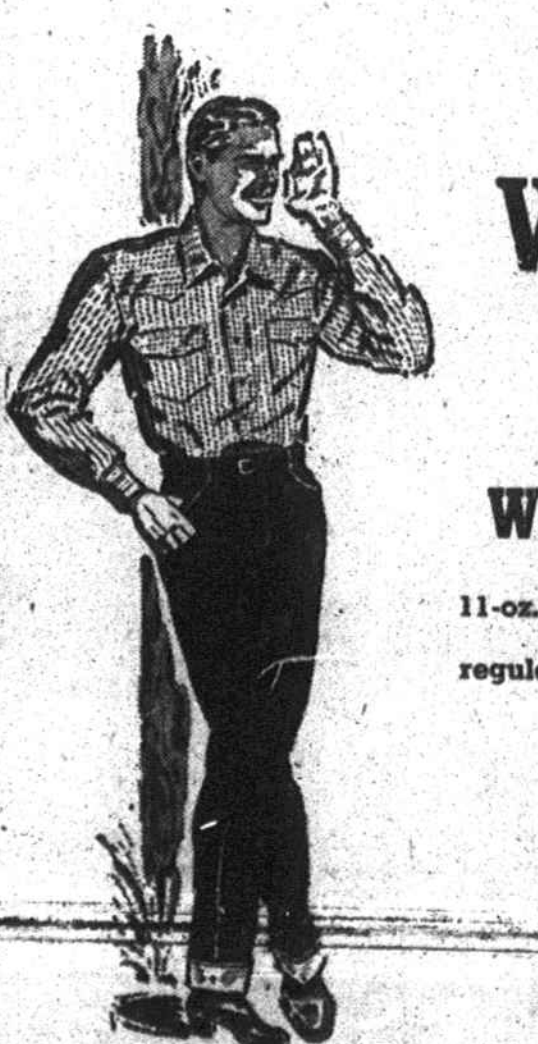
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