

Whales On Beach



Michael Fredericks of Karastan Designing snapped this picture while on vacation at Long Beach, N. C. It shows one of the four large whales washed upon the beach while he was there. The whales were about 18 to 20 feet long and weighed about two tons a piece.

They rolled up into the surf about 9 a. m., and the Coast Guard tried to tow them out to sea but in a short while they were back in the surf.

After several attempts to get them off the beach and back into the ocean, the whales were rolled up on the beach and buried in the sand. Mr. Fredericks said that this had never happened there before and that it created a lot of excitement on the beach.

Karastan News

By MARY STEPHENS

James W. Talley, family and friends spent a most enjoyable week-end in Western Carolina visiting the Cherokee Indian Reservation, Asheville and other places of interest.

John Martin, Shipping Dept., spent the week-end at Myrtle Beach and had such a wonderful time that he is planning another week-end visit real soon.

Edd Dallas and family spent the past week at Myrtle Beach.

Frances Martin spent the past week-end at Crescent Beach.

Geneva Reynolds and family have returned after a week's vacation at Myrtle Beach.

Joan Richardson spent the week-end at Nags Head and saw the pageant "The Lost Colony" at Manteo.

Harry Hudgins's son, Coy, visited him recently and brought along the new granddaughter. Harry says, "She's a peach—Just like her granddaddy".

Joe White made a very handsome "Father of the Bride" last week when he gave his daughter Monica away in a ceremony at the Spray Baptist Church. Joe likes his "tux" so well that we're expecting to see him at work with it on.

Nancy King and family spent their vacation at Silver Springs, Fla. and report a wonderful time.

Electric Blanket Mill News

By LOUISE NOWLIN

A hearty welcome to Christine Wilson who came to work in the Electric Blanket Mill Office August 10.

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Evelyn and Lloyd Gann are proud parents of a daughter, Debra Gertrude, born July 20.

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Dixie Royster and Becky Comer report a fine time at Myrtle Beach the week-end of August 8. According to reports heard here, they really did "live it up".

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Janie Wall and Mrs. Lee Nelson visit-Arlin Weddle at the new Veterans' Hospital in Durham, August 9. Mr. Weddle is recuperating from an operation and expects to be home soon. He is employed at the Bedspread Mill.

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Mildred and James Wood spent the last week in July at Carolina Beach.

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Roxie Mae, daughter of Addie McCollum, celebrated her 13th birthday August 7, with a Coke party at the home of her parents.

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Bobby Walker, who is entering the Army August 13, was surprised with a "chicken feast" Friday, August 7, during the morning refreshment period. He was presented a Parker 51 pen and pencil set from the employees of the mill.

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Larry Cheek, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Cheek, is visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. George McGill, at Philadelphia.

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James and Mildred Rickman, their mother, Mrs. Emma Rickman, and little Gayle and Craig Rickman, enjoyed a motor trip recently through the Shenandoah Valley, Endless Caverns and Natural Bridge.

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Pauline Patterson is taking a beauty course at Troutman's Beauty Schools in Greensboro. She says it will be some time before "graduation", since she goes only on Saturdays.

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Demore Whitt says she and Robert are quite lonesome these days—Bobby is spending the week at Camp New Hope, and Dixie is visiting her aunt Mattie Evans at Kinston, N. C.

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Madeline Meadow attended the annual picnic of the Spray Garden Club at the Methodist Church hut on August 12. Hazel Webster was Madeline's guest.

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Mr. and Mrs. Milfred Winn (Margie) and children visited Margie's father, W. P. O'Neal in Scranton, recently. They also visited at Nags Head, Fort Raleigh and saw the Wright memorial.

Promoted To Sergeant



Robert Dewey Durham, serving in the 406th Motor Vehicle Squadron, Manston Air Force Base, England, recently been promoted to Sergeant. He has been in the Air Force for two years. His wife and baby are with him in England.

Sergeant Durham is the son of Nellie Shelton of Leaksville and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Church of Spray.

Local Happenings

Miss Betty Jean Gallimore is guest of Miss Lucille Sawyer, Bern, this week.

Mrs. Lonnie Fowler, Mrs. Joe James, Mrs. James Gallimore, Mrs. J. E. Mrs. Jesse Adams, and granddaughter Toni Lynn, visited Mrs. Paul W. more, who has been ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Albert Hirst, atville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilmoth of Ridge Tenn., spent several days with their father and sister, Kelly W. and Mrs. Mack Brannock.

Paul W. Gallimore, Jr., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Gallimore of Fairfax, Va., died in Annie Memorial Hospital, Reidsville. (Funeral services were conducted by Jimmy Sellars in Lawson Center. Paul formerly worked in the Ka Dept.

Homer Gallimore of the Ka Weave Room is in a veterans hospital at Durham at this writing.

Hall Grandchildren



Walter Nathan and Golfrey are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thayer. Charles Ricky (right), son of Mr. Mrs. Charles Kern. All are grandchildren of Mrs. Bonnie Hall of E Weave.