

DOVER DOINGS

The fourth Sunday in July was the regular monthly meeting of the First Baptist Church with the pastor, Rev. R. J. Johnston and choir at their posts. Rev. Johnston used as a subject, "The Lord Will Provide," taking his text from the 22nd chapter of Genesis.

The Reverend L. J. Swindell of New Bern was guest speaker in the afternoon at First Baptist. He rendered a very inspirational sermon, using for a subject, "A Building Not Made With Hands."

First Baptist members are proud for their many friends to know that the work has begun on their building with Neal A. White in charge of the masonry. They had a day's work every Monday night for the benefit of the building treasury, raising a sum of \$50.00.

Rev. Small and his congregation of Queen Chapel Methodist, motored to Fort Barwell to be with the Methodist Church quarterly meeting the fourth Sunday in July.

BATTLE OF SONGS

The Southern Harmonizers of W. G. N. C. and the Southern Jubblers of Washington, D. C. will meet together in a battle of songs at Dover School Aug. 12, 1949 at 7:30. This program is sponsored by Rev. D. C. Artis and Brother Jarvis, Bach. This program is for the benefit of St. John Disciple Church.

Tickets are on sale at Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hill's store.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Emma Suggs is still not doing so well. She has been sick and confined to her home for nearly 5 months.

Mrs. Martha Jones Joyner, wife of Beviner D. J. Joyner, is ill at her home.

Master James King, son of Mrs. Mary Barnes, is in the city visiting his mother. He has been away attending school at Morehead, N. C.

Master James Lynch is here visiting a few days from Richmond, Virginia.

PERSONALS

UNION MEETING

The union meeting of District No. 3 was held at Macedonia Free Will Baptist Church July 29. The Mitchell Christian Singers in charge of the program.

VISITORS

Prof. Sam Jones of Trenton, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Felix McAllister, motored to New York, recently to visit relatives and friends there.

WELFARE LEAGUE MEETS

The Citizens Welfare League met Tuesday in regular monthly session at Holloway Recreational Center on E. Bright Street. It was reported that the recreation, street and sanitation committees are scheduled to make reports and all members and interested citizens are urged by League officials to be in attendance. Special consideration will be given to the recreation report concerning the possibility of securing a swimming pool. It was voted.

RECOVER BABY IN KY. KIDNAPPING

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — A mother, Mrs. Amy Greathouse, and her 15 day old baby, Thomas, were reunited last week after the baby had missing over the weekend.

Police have arrested a woman, Miss Alice Serena Johnson, 26, and two men, Walter Green, 30, and Arthur Hart, 27. Miss Johnson is being charged with violating a state kidnapping law, and the men charged with transporting her in a stolen car.

Miss Johnson, when first approached by detectives, said the baby was hers, then admitted its true identity. She is being held on a \$25,000 bond.

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BURNING STATION — The burning service station above was swept by fire a few weeks ago. A Mrs. Flemings escaped death when she leaped from a window of the station. The burned structure is located in Ayden.



TRAINING SCHOOL — Above is the Green County Training School, located in Snow Hill. Institutions like this train the children to become future leaders of humanity and their responsibilities as citizens in a democratic nation.

DUNHAM TROUPE SCORES SUCCESS IN NETHERLANDS

A sedate Amsterdam audience was literally showed under by Katherine Dunham and her troupe at their Netherlands debut of "Caribbean Rhapsody" in the Royal Municipal theatre here last week. But while the audience was held enrapt during the performance, there was only hesitant applause to greet the dancers.

The show, made up of a colorful collection of Negro songs and dances, had been billed "the Surprise of the Holland festival" but it proved an understatement judging from the reaction of the audience.

Actually what happened was that the audience did not know what to make of the exuberant, abandoned and frequently sensual dancing. Their only acquaintance with dances of Negroes is mainly connected with the restrained Indonesian style. Even Dutch theatre critics were puzzled as to how to review should be written for such a "unique event."

Seats to all four performances were sold out.

DAVIS GIVEN JOB TO SELL BOP BY CAPITOL

Miss Davis, the youthful transport ace, has been given the assignment of selling the new "bop" music to John Q. Public by Capitol Records, Inc., the outfit which markets the wax efforts of Miles' distinctive "bop" combo, and the Capitol folks believe his newly released platter of "Boplicity" will do the trick.

"Boplicity" in case you're wondering is a new expression that was coined by Paul Weston, Capitol's musical director, to denote "bop publicity" and Weston believes the Davis waxing will do just that by bringing wider recognition for "bop" from the general public.

Miles, who is rated as one of the most promising of all young "bop" musicians, is being accorded a major buildup on the Capitol label since officials of that record company feel that he has created the first truly commercial sound in the new jazz idiom.

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DEEP RIVER BOYS GREAT SUCCESS IN LONDON

The popular Deep River Boys are about to duplicate on their current European tour the tremendous success they have achieved in past appearances in the United States and Canada if their triumph at the famed London Palladium where they are holding forth in a four-week engagement is to be taken as any barometer.

Making their first appearance in England at the Palladium, the "Deeps" literally stopped the show with every selection they rendered in their inimitable singing style and were accorded rapturous ovations by enthusiastic audiences of the British showplace.

That the "Deeps" are a smash hit in England is evidenced by the fact that 18,000 copies of their recording of "City And You City Alone" which were placed on sale in London by the RCA Victor Company, Ltd., were sold out during their first week at the Palladium.

RACE HATE IS RAMPANT IN SOUTH AFRICA

Dr. Daniel F. Malan's Nationalist government, which represents about nine per cent of the country's population, is carrying on a full-time program of stirring up the animosity of the other 91 per cent, according to Ernie Hill, staff member of the Chicago Daily News foreign service.

Hill, in a recent article on "South Africa Is Stirred to Boiling," observes that since parliament adjourned early in July, the Nationalists have waged sporadic but vigorous campaigns against the British, Asiatics, Jews, Catholics, Masons, Communists, Negroes and mulattoes. And when they stop, elders of the Dutch Reformed church take over, to discuss "social evils and people they don't like."

Recently the elders voted to protest to Malan against "the increase in Roman Catholic influence in South Africa which threatens to become a danger to the Protestant cause."

Bulk of the wrathaped by the Nationalists is visited upon the Indian population, centered mainly around Durban. Against them has been issued a regulation curbing their future purchase of property.

NEGROES NEXT IN LINE

Negroes, next in line, have been subjected to tightened jim crow laws. Some such provide not only that they ride on separate busses in the city but must also enter the railway station by a special side entrance and not stand on the station platform. These went into effect July 4.

In Durban on July 8, a law was passed prohibiting unemployed Negroes from entering the city.

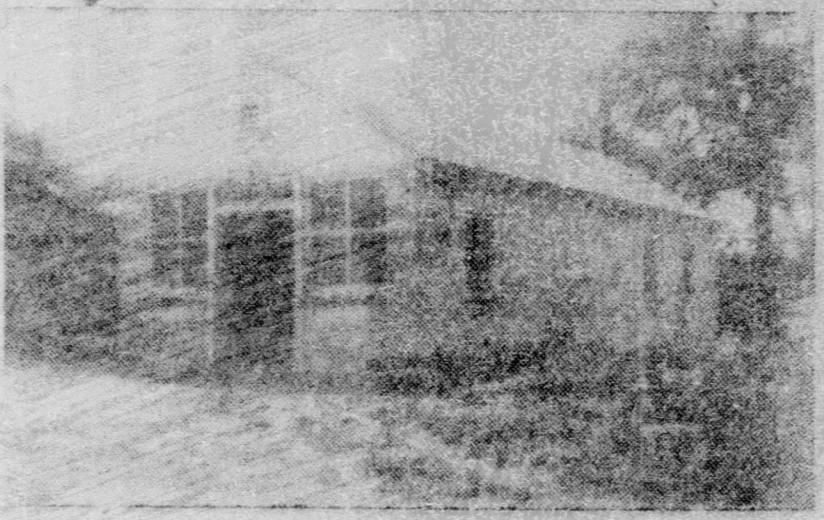
Mulattoes, most numerous in and highly favored around Cape Town, are now regulated to the jim crow section of trains. Previously they rode in the European sections.

Against the British, aimed at keeping them out of power in South Africa, has been passed a bill upping the citizenship resident requirement from three to five years. The campaign against the Jews is an old story.

The percentage death loss for the 1948 turkey crop was unusually small, being by far the smallest on record.

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NEW BUILDING — Above is the new modern home of the East Side Dry Cleaners in Kinston. The business is only one

more indication of the continued expansion of North Carolina Negro businesses.

SAYS CANNIBALISM STILL PRACTICED

A retired and well-styled "missionary" disclosed here last week that cannibalism is still being practiced in sacrificial rites in the Kasai district of the Congo. According to Norman P. E. Johnson, white "more than 100 natives are killed and eaten annually" though the natives have embraced the Christian faith.

Now, 63, Johnston is a gentleman farmer near Kikwit, 100 miles to the southwest on the Kasai river, a branch of the Congo. He is a native Canadian who has lived both in the U. S. and Britain.

Johnston says natives join both the Catholic and Protestant mission churches but still practice forms of cannibalism during pagan ceremonies. I guess they are the most religious people in the world when it comes to lobbing up.

Victims for the cannibalistic sacrificial rites are "fingered" by witch doctors, who usually get the choice bits of the brain and heart as their portion. Missionaries are no longer eaten "as in the good old days" because government decrees hanging in such cases. The scapegoats are usually obscure tribal members whose disappearance cause no trouble. The killings take place when witch doctors go thru a ritual to get rain, better crops or greater prestige in their communities.

BRAGG EVENTS TO MARK ARMY DAY

In order to commemorate and perpetuate the outstanding military history of the famous Third United States Army and especially its victorious drives across France and Germany during World War II, Army Commander Lieutenant General Alvan C. Gillem, Jr., has designated August 1st as Third Army Day throughout the seven states comprising the Army Area.

The Commanders of all Army units and installations in the seven southeastern states will arrange appropriate military ceremonies commemorating the brilliant achievements of this battle-scarred Army.

In World War II, Third Army became operational on August 1, 1944, and under the dynamic and daring leadership of General G. S. Patton, Jr., immediately initiated the drive which carried triumphantly across France.

In rapid succession it captured the fortress of Metz, France, turned to the North and engaged in the Battle of the Bulge, then steamrolled relentlessly and ruthlessly across the Rhine, destroying an entire Army group.

The following wartime members of the famous Third Army will be invited to be special guests at various Third Army installations on August 1, Third Army Day. Major General Robert B. Gray

Commanding General, Military District of Washington, to Third Army Headquarters, Atlanta; Major General O. T. Weyland, Deputy Commanding General, National War College, to Headquarters Third Army, Brigadier General Walter J. Mullen, Commanding General, Transportation School, Fort Eustis, Virginia to First Army, M. C. Colonel Halley G. Maddox, Third Army Headquarters, Atlanta; to Fort Benning, Ga.; Colonel Frederick S. Matthews, Second Army, Fort Meade, Maryland; to Fort Jackson, S. C.; and Colonel William A. Horne, Jr., Georgia National Guard, to Fort Jackson, S. C.

All Third Army combat veterans, both present members and former members will be honored on this date.

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