HOMETOWN NEWS

ROCKYMOUNT NEWS and VIEWS

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ROCKY MOUNT — Now that we have returned to Tarheelia after our 3,750 mile trek thru the south and the southwest — even to the Mexican border (and you'll undersandingly pardon us if we de ocasionally refer to it in the future) we'll mention a few people and places encountered enroute.

SHREVEPORT SUN

On our return we met retired Prof. M. L. Collins, who tired of the schoolroom after 13 years and organized THE SHREVEPORT SUN (Louisiana) in 1920 and has been able to keep going CONTINUALLY since even tho he has "gone home broke many Saturday nights after paying off the help," as he put it. Meanwhile, at least ten other publications have started and stopped during the 34 years. Mr. Collins was an interesting talker as we breakfasted together near his plant. He says that 40 per cent of the 125,000 Shreveport, La., population are colored and they have two race policemen. Dallas, Texas has 80,000 Negroes and none.

FIGHTINGEST PREACHER

We're more than glad to start sending THE CAROLINIAN to a man like fighting Rev. Jim Hinton of South Carolina, CSA (Confederate State of America) But with Hinton fighting like he is, and always has been — he'll soon have Jimmy Byrnes and Company in the USA.

This column helped pull most of Tarheelia's vote for Charleston for the 1955 NAACP. We'll get it in 1956 or 1957 if we work hard enough.

CONTRAST IN NEWS REPORTING BY WHITE DAILIES

As the NAACP Convention started in Dallas, a rape case, apparently mean and simple, broke on the suburbs with overgrown 16 and 20 year old Negroes as the culprits. The story had front page on the Dallas dailies for three days, outranking NAACP news. As we left Texas a 31-year-old white air-force instructor was charged with the brutal rape and murder of a three-year-old child, but the story was small and buried on the inside of a leading daily.

THANKS TO E. C. DILLARDS

Our party (including Miss Addie Lawrence, Mrs. Blanche Johnson and John Williams) extends hearty THANKS to the E. C. Dillards of 5107 Oaklawn Avenue, Dallas, Texas, for the wonderful hospitality of their home after our assigned reservation had flopped.

Dillard helps manage one of Dallas' tri-racial housing projects. (they have Negro, white and Mexican units there) reportedly the largest in the world. Just now 500.

Mexican units are vacant so they are considering giving them to whites. What price and difficulty this jim crow business does cost??? And, it's all so foolish we learn eighty years too late!

Mrs. Marion Dillard is the very efficient Maria Morgan Branch YWCA secretary and was a director of housing on the NAACP convention committee.

"A MESS OF SNAKES"

There were snakes and snakes, and more snakes when we stopped at the Snake Farm near Baton Rouge, La., on the way to Beaumont and Corpus Christi, Texas. We gently fondled the 150-lb 17-foot python as the girl held him up, and he didn't move! She stirred the den of a hundred rattlers and other snakes as we photographed them. We think the "Graphic" was scared because we didn't get a clear picture.

It's A Cinch To Hang Wallpaper Yourself

1. To figure length of first strip of paper, measure wall with yardstick. Place one end of yardstick as high as paper should reach (to molding or ceiling). Measure from ceiling to baseboard. Cut paper about eight inches longer than wall height to allow less chance of being caught short . . . and to give extra length to work with.
2. To get first strip of paper straight, use a plumb line. Measure one inch less than width of trimmed paper . . . to right of door. Rub chalk on string, tack it to wall near ceiling. Tie a spoon (or other weight) to end of string and let it drop toward floor. Snap chalked string against wall. Mark left by string will give a straight plumb line and assure getting first strip of paper straight.
3. Having measured and cut one strip, to get all paper strips to match, unroll wallpaper alongside the first cut strip . . . matching pattern exactly at the right hand side. Cut enough strips for one entire wall, always allowing more length (about eight inches) or as much as the repeat of the patten demands . . . and matching each strip with the preceding one.
4. Some wallpapers come prepasted. Dip them in water and they're ready for hanging. Some pastes are pre-mixed. (Your dealer will be glad to tell you about these short cuts.) If you prefer to mix your own paste, follow manufacturers' directions. Lay first cut strip of paper on a flat-surface. Apply paste evenly, almost sparingly, to the left hand surface working toward center of strip. Fold pasted end toward center without creasing.
5. You're ready to hang wallpaper. Apply the first cut strip to wall, lining up one edge with mark left by the plumb line. Smooth down the paper with smoothing brush (or with a sponge) starting from top and brushing downward. If the first strip doesn't look right, don't be afraid to take it down and put it up evenly. (If you have a small roller, use it to seal down, the edges of the paper.)
6. Put up next strip of paper, and the additional strips, in the order in which they are cut . . . sliding edges together closely. This is called "butting the edges" and gives a smart professional look to the wall.

Did you know that you can wallpaper an average room for as little as $10.00? And that there are wallpapers to suit everyone's taste and pocketbook?

You'll be in the good company of thousands upon thousands of American homemakers when you plan to be your own paperhanger. Wallpaper manufacturers are constantly improving the quality of their papers and simplifying their methods for you, the uninitiated . . . to hang paper.

And for a touch of magic . . . there are new and interesting designs now on the market that will lead your unsuspecting eye right out beyond the wall. These patterns give a 3-dimensional illusion. Some feature full-length French windows that are so realistic you feel you can look right through the shutters. Or, you might choose a pattern of sea shells hung on a string with slanting shadows so decided in effect that the shells seem to stand out on the wall. Other realistic patterns have the look of unframed prints that appear to be curling at the edges.

According to the Wallpaper Council, many people think of wallpaper only in terms of color, pattern and bright decoration. But it does much more. Wallpaper patterns hide dirt smudges, furniture marks, piteure-hook holes, and do a good over-all job of covering older walls. Wallpaper has a way of minimizing architectural defects and of pulling-together a room that seems to be going in too many directions.

To estimate how much paper you will need, give your dealer the exact overall measurements of wall areas and the measurements of windows and doors as well. (Many dealers have small charts that give accurate measurements of how much paper is needed for almost any size room.

The sketches above will lead you every easy step of the way. You can't miss . . . and you'll have the fun of proudly looking at your beautiful walls, saying, "I did it all by myself, too."

WILSON NEWS

WILSON — (MIB) — Mrs. Pauline Crudup Knight, 44, of 615 Stigg St. died Friday, July 2nd at the home of her sister, Mrs. Amanda Gear on Carolina St. Funeral services were held from the Primitive Baptist Church with the Elder Fate Melton officiating.

Mrs. Knight is survived by 3 sons, David Crudup of Washington, D. C., Herman Taylor of Portsmouth, Va., and William Henry Tart, who is in a hospital in Kentucky; four grandchildren; her father, Henry Cudup of Selma; three sisters, Mrs. Amanda Gear of Wilson; Mrs. Sudie Ruffin of Saratoga; and Lessie Crudup of Smithfield; three brothers, Joe Henry Crudup and Charles Crudup of Washington, D. C. and Rufus Crudup of Selma; and 3 aunts. Burial was in Rest Haven Cemetery.

Funeral services for Mrs. Soborana Cobb, 73, of 601 Stantonsburg St. were held Monday, June 28th, from Calvary Presbyterian Church with the Rev. O. J. Hawkins, pastor, oficiating.

Survivors are 2 daughters, Mrs. Lela Floyd and Mrs. Ann Moore both of Wilson, 2 nieces; 2 nephews; 12 grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren. Burial was in Roberson County.

Walter McNeil, 51, of 106 N. Vicks St., died recently in Mercy Hospital. Funeral services were held from the First Baptist Church, with the Rev. T. A. Watkins, pastor, officiating. Music for the service was furnished by the Senior and Gospel choir of the church. The Hamilton Funeral Home of Wilson was in charge of the arrangements.

Mr. McNeil, son of the late Rev. and Mrs. York McNeil, was educated in the Wilson graded school, and A. and T. College, Greensboro. He worked with the Safety Cab Company.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Harriet McNeil; 3 sisters, Mrs. Eula Blue, Mrs. Lona Jackson of Wilson and Edna Inman of Elm City; one brother, Dewey McNeil and one stepson, Wilbert McCray of Wilson; one aunt, Mrs. Diannan Thompson of Statesboro, Ga.

Burial was in Rest Haven Cemetery.

An 11-year-old Wilson boy was arrested recently by local police for stealing a horse.

The youth, identified by police records as Louis Matthew Hinnant, was arraigned before before a Juvenile Judge for disposition of his case.

It is reported that young Hinnant, who is well known to local police for having sticky fingers, went out to a riding stable located on West Nash Street and climbed aboard a large show horse which was standing in a lot near the stable.

Hinnant told a reporter that he just wanted to ride a horse a while so he fixed the saddle which was on the horse and took off. The horse is owned by Sid Bruton of Wilson and is one of his show horses.

The young horse thief was found on the Raleigh road riding out of the city by Mr. Bruton and Carl Renfrow, who were looking for the horse and the boy.

The boy, who stands a little over three feet, said he went by the stable around 3 p. m. and saw the horse and decided he wanted to ride.

When asked by newsmen where he lived, Hinnant said that he stayed in the county with his father but he had come to Wilson recently to stay with his mother who lives on Elvie St.

Do's And Don'ts

"If You Like Them Don't Forget To Buy Them."

AROUND WARRENTON

With Mrs. Elizabeth Brown

WARRENTON — Well, we had a sane and happy July 4th. I heard of no serious wrecks around town. 'Tis wonderful to be able to make such a report after a holiday that usually carries such a heavy rate of accidents.

Let's keep the whole summer sane and happy. Have lots of fun during your vacation; keep me posted on your various activities; and do read your CAROLINIAN each week.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Mrs. Mabel Falkner, who has spent several weeks here, returned to Philadelphia, Pa., last week end. She now makes her home there with her daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth F. Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Wright and daugther were guests of Mrs. Roselle Wright and family over the July 4th holidays.

Mrs. Bettye H. Waldron and son, Maurice, Jr., of Salem, Va., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Richard Harris and family.

Mr. Cleveland Hunt of Newport News, Va., visited his uncle, Mr. Arthur Hunt over the July 4th week end.

Also visiting here from Newport News were Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hagwood and son and also their grandson. They were guests of the Hunt and Williams families.

Here from Baltimore, Md., to visit relatives over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis and daugther and granddaughter.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Bryant and their daugther, Miss Virginia Bryant; Mrs. James Williams and also their brother-in-law.

Little Miss Lelita Walker of Brooklyn, N. Y., is spending the summer with little Miss Carnette Turner and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jethro Tuner.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brown and son, McColn, spent last week end in Spring Hope, N. C. visiting the D. N. Herndons.

Mr. J. T. Davis, Mr. Willie Moran Mr. Robbinson and Mr. Moore, all of Elizabeth City, N. C. were guests of yours truly last Sunday.

Mrs. Emily Branch left recently for Brooklyn, N. Y., where she will spend several weeks with her children. She wil laiso visit relatives in Washington, D. C.

Mr. Jerry Malone of Boston, Mass. visited relatives here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Joyner and son and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Foster all of Philadelphia, Pa., were guests of their relatives last week.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF PUBLIC INTEREST

Sistery Gary and her All-Girls Chorus will appear at Oak Chapel A. M. E. Church on Friday Night, July 16th at 8:30 P. M. The church is conveniently located just below the Bus Station. Be sure that you're on hand to hear some good singing. The program is being sponsored by Mrs. L. J. Saliman.

A program was rendered at Stoney Lawn Baptist Church last Sunday night. Music was furnished by Mesdames Dessie and Bessie Towns. The sermon was preached by Rev. Alex Brown of Warrenton.

WANT TO RELAX AND HAVE SOME FUN?

Then go out to Stony Lawn Baptist Church on July 16th and attend the annual picnic sponsored by the Sunday School and church jointly. There will be plenty of Brunswick stew and other refreshments for you to enjoy.

ANNIVERSARY PROGRAM

The Annual Anniversary program of Greens' Funeral Home will be held at the Courthouse on the fourth Sunday afternoon. Mr. C. J. David, Henderson Radio Disk Jocky, will be on hand to M. C. the program. There will be plenty of barbecue for everyone.

FIREMEN ATTEND CONVENTION

Some of the members of the colored local Fire Department left last Monday to attend the annual convention of North Carolina Colored Volunteer Firemen. They were guests of the Ready Hook and Ladder Company of East Spencer, N. C. the host town.

The program called for fire drills, instructors, drill races, and other training techniques.

In order that we may have fire protection during the week, only half of the firemen will attend the convention.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. and Mrs. Linwood Saunders are the proud parents of a baby son born recently in Kinston, N. C. The Saunders' have two little daughters, Olinda and Gwendolyn. Rev. Saunders is pastor of the Methodist Church here.

Rev. and Mrs. O. B. Burson are the proud parents of a daughter born recently at Jubilee Hospital in Henderson. Rev. Burson is pastor of Coley's Spring Baptist Church.

FUNERALS

Funeral services were held last Sunday for Mr. Jim B. Richardson of Arcola at Pine Chapel Baptist Church. Burial followed in the family cemetery near Essex. Mr. Richardson was the husband of the late Mrs. Penny Richardson.

LAWN FROLIC

It was a grandtime approximately forty children had frolicking on the lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Davis in Norlina on July 4th. Little Miss Bettie Jean Rodwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rodwell celebrated her seventh birthday with an outdoor party.

Among the many gifts Bettie Jean received was a handsome Bulova watch presented to her by her parents. She also received a beautiful link identification bracelet and a nylon and tulle party frock.

The little honoree and her guests were served ice cream, cookies, birthday cake, nuts and mints.

Her guest list included her many little friends from Warrenton and Norlina.

FAMILY REUNION

The Anuual Reunion of the Branch family was held recently at the home of Mr and Mrs. George Hodge in Henderson.

Among the out of town relatives present were Mrs. Clara Branch Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Nehemiah Branch and little Miss Lelita Walke all of Brooklyn, N. Y. Also Mrs. Celia Davis and friend, Mr. Otis Branch of Washington, D. C. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith and sons of Boston, Mass.; and Mr. and Mrs C. B. Branche and children of Washington, D. C.

Other members of the Branch family were present from Durham, Warrenton, Henderson and Louisburg.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"WORKING FOR IT INSTEAD OF WASTING TIME LOOKING FOR IT WILL MAKE HAPPINESS COME QUICKER."

— Selected

Asbury Notes

By Mrs. Bertha Rogers

ASBURY — The regular worship services of Lincolnville A. M. E. Church was held Sunday morning including a large attendace.

Visitors were Miss Bernice Griffin, Miss Vera M. McCoy, Miss Lillian Watts, Rev. Patterson and others. Rev. Parker spoke Christ."

on the subject, "Power of Jesus

A musical program consisting of several musical groups will render service at the Lincolnville Church Sunday, July 18, at 7:30 o'clock, sponsored by Mrs. Della Hooker. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Members of The Jolly Crusaders Club will sponsor a picnic to Holly Ridge, N. C. August 1. Tickets are now on sale by several of the members.

Mrs. Sidney Williams and son of New Fort News, Va., were guests of Mrs. Roxy Walker, July 4.

Miss Rebecca Faison was out of town last weekend visiting relatives and friends in Durham.

Mrs. Calso Hicks is proud to announce the birth of a grandson, born July 11 to Mr. and Mrs. William Hicks of Morrisville.

Mr. James White celebrated his birthday July 12. Little Mr. Bruce Rogers and Richard Evans will celebrate their birthdays July 20. Master Geogory Covington will celebrate his birthday on July 19.

SICK LIST:

Mrs. Lillie M. Coad at her home.

Mrs. Gussie Cain at St. Agnes Hospital.

Rambling In Chatham C'nty

GOLDSTON — PITTSBORO — SILER CITY

By D. W. Headen — P. O. Box 5 5 — Goldston, North Carolina

MONCUE — In you once again it is time to go to press and I am fare behind in my scribbling. This week we start off the RAMBLING by Way of Moncue. However it has been quite sometime since this reporter gave you a write-up from "good old Moncure." I'll be coming coming your way soon. Keep reading your CAROLINIANS and sending in your news.

First of all I would like to urge the people of Chatham County especially, to read the "My Day" written by Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, as she is going to comment on the book of poems, "Lay O' The Land", written by Mrs. Mildred B. Payton, your County Home Demonstration Agent, very soon.

HERE AND THERE

For the past week the out-of-town visitors included Mr. and Mrs. Walter Farrington and children of Stamford, Conn., visiting relatives here. Also Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bryant had as their special guests, Mr. Henry L. Bryant and friends. Little Kenneth and Walter, Jr. are spending the summer with their grandparents.

Mrs. Bernice Tuck of Baltimore, Md. recently returned home after a brief visit with relatives here. This visit included Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lee. Little Ronald Tuck Arnold and Milford Lee of Sanford, N. C. are spending the summer with their grandparents here.

Returning home after a visit in Detroit, Mich. recently were Mrs. Lucrecia Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor. Mrs. Taylor entertained her two sisters, Mrs. Lillian and Louise of Greensboro last week. Miss Margaret Bryant is spending the summer in Stanton, Conn. with her sister, Mrs. Farrington, and Mrs. Elbert Lee and as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Milton Malone and Mrs. Effie Street of Washington, D. C. recently. Also Mrs. Ella Grier and Mrs. Lillie Johnson of Aberdeen and the Church in Connection of Washington, D. C.

Pvt. John D. Marsh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Coley H. Marsh of East Goldston has arrived in Germany where he will serve with the 503rd Med. Amb. Co. (His APO is No. 180, c-o Postmaster, New York.) He is a graduate of Goldston High School and a former student of A. and T. College, Greensboro.

The CAROLINIAN takes great pleasure in welcoming Mr. and Mrs. Leanda Street back to live in Goldston. Mr. Street and family moved to Goldston Saturday from Charleston, W. Va.

Cpl. Thomas Womble has returned to Bear Creek, N. C. after serving with the armed forces in Korea.

Mrs. Annie Bell Jones has returned to her home near Gulf, N. C. after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Christine Leftwich Long Island, New York.

NAACP NOTES

The Chatham County Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will hold its monthly meeting at the St. Luke Congregational Church in East Goldston on Sunday, July 18, at 3 p. m., chairman G. J. Jones has announced. Jones urges all citizens in the area to attend.

There is more news by this author appearing elsewhere in this paper. Be sur to rad it all and always read the CAROLINIAN as your favorite newspaper.

Goldsboro News

GOLDSBORO — (MIB) — Mr. Jonah Hobbs and Miss Margaret Hobbs, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Hobs at 434 E. Elm St.

George M. Cooke of New York City, is visiting his father, Mr. S. J. Cooke, 207 W. Elm Street.

Lillie Mae Raynor of the State Hospital community spent the weekend visiting relatives and friends in Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith of New Haven, Conn. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Luther Dawson, Sr., 703 W. Elm St.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Smith, Jr., of Brooklyn, N. Y. are visiting Mr. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Smith, Sr., on Holt Street.

Miss Julia Ann Foye, daughter of Mrs. Odell Jones and a student at Lincoln Hospital School of Nursing at Durham, is visiting her mother on W. Elm St.

Mrs. Almira Melton of Wayne Ave. is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Effie Johnson, in Norfolk, Va.

Harold Watson and children, Harold, Jr. and Deloris, are visiting their mother and grandmother, respectively, Mrs. Luvenia Watson on Chestnut St. Mr. Watson, who returned to his home in Arlington, Va., plans to return in a month to get the children, who will spend the month of July here with their grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Dawson, Sr., and children, Luther, Jr., and Rabitt Dawson, spent the day picnicking at Lake Tut on July 8th.

Levi (Pig) Evans of New York City and formally of this city, is visiting friends and relatives in the city. Evans is the brother of Mrs. Ida B. Aldridge of 113 W. Pine St.

Miss Stella Reid, daughter of Mrs. Rachel Reid and the late Clarence Reid, was married to Mr. Booker T. Thompson of Charlotte on June 30. The marriage took place in South Carolina. Mr. Thompson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thompson of Charlotte. The couple will make their home in Charlotte.

Mr. William Glenn, Jr. of Brooklyn, N. Y. is visiting friends and relatives in the city.

George Bryant, Jr. of New York City spent July 4th in the city visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson of New York City, spent the July 4th weekend in the city visiting friends and relatives.

The summer playground program began Monday, July 5th, at the following places: North End, at the Goldsboro Christian Institute site, on Hook's River Road, directed by Miss Margaret Becton; Little Washington, Dillard High School, Miss Oreta Barnes, director, East End, The Community Center, Miss Sarah D. Smith, director. Mrs. Josie B. Carr will supervise the playground activities. The playground will run from 9 a. m. to 12 noon and from 3 p. m. to 6 p. m.

Robert Whitfield, 907 Herman St., died June 20th after being in declining health for several years.

Mr. Whitfield, for 30 odd years, was employed by the Colonial Ice and Coal Company and at the time of his death he was janitor at the Carolina Theatre. He was a resident of the community for over 45 years.

Funeral services were held Sunday, July 4th, from Mt. Calvary Baptist Church on Denmark Street with the Rev. G. W. Todd, officiating. The Lightner Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Surviving are: his wife, Mrs. Lina Whitfield; two daughters, Mrs. Edith Hord of Brooklyn, N. Y. and Mrs. Edna E. Barnes of Goldsboro; one son, Henry Whitfield of Goldsboro; two brothers, Walter and Arthur Whitfield, both of Goldsboro; two grandchildren, Darice L. Whitfield and Robert W. Hord. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

William McClain of Wilmington spent the weekend in the city visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Cornelia T. Coley of 801 Olivia Lane died June 28th after being in declining health for several years.

Mrs. Coley, one of the oldest citizens of the community, was a member of the First African Baptist Church.

the Rev. M. W. Morgan, officiating. The Hamilton Funeral Home of Goldsboro was in charge of the arrangements.

Surviving are seven daughters and five sons, and a host of grandchildren.

Burial was in Broadhurst Cemetery near Seven Springs.

Robert L. McIntyre of the Edgecombe Township, Perry and Wayne County, was killed Saturday Saturday night, July 3rd.

Funeral services were held July 6th from White Oak Church with the Rev. Dupree officiating.

Surviving are his mother, Mrs. Clyde Lewis of Mt. Olive, Howard McIntyre of Philadelphia; grandchildren, also his Walter Fort; and several aunts and uncles.

Burial was in Sprull Cemetery.

Mrs. Kindell Avera Best of Goldsboro, died July 3rd, after a brief illness.

Funeral services were held from Mt. Pleasant Church with the Rev. H. C. Coley officiating. The Humphrey Funeral Home of Goldsboro was in charge of the arrangements.

Surviving are: Her husband, four daughters, Doris, Charlene, and Vernon three sons, Napoleon Charles, Jimmy; her father, Leslie Avera; two sisters, Mrs. Beth Mrs. Atlanta Best of Goldsboro and Mrs. Sadie Best Record of Wilmington; two brothers, Russell Avera of Goldsboro and Mr. Leon Avera; two aunts, Mrs. Ella Avera and Mrs. Effie Stewart of Goldsboro.

Burial was in Old Mill Cemetery in Wayne County.

Among the out-of-town persons here to attend the funeral of Mrs. C. F. Coley were: Mrs. Sadie C. Cox, Miss Mary C. Jackson, Mrs. Redia C. Murdock, Miss Victoria Evans, Miss Carol Murdock, William Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Coley, and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Coley, all of Philadelphia.

Miss Ella Louise Moore of Smith St., who is ill, is reported to be much improved.

Mrs. Fernadine Seabrey of Brooklyn, N. Y. is visiting friends and relatives in the city.

Mrs. Hattie Williams of Newark, N. J., and Mrs. Lillie Bryant of New York City are visiting Mrs. Maggie Cole, 819 E. Pine St.

FAYETTEVILLE

By Miss Maude E. Wood

FAYETTEVILLE — Captain and Mrs. Charles L. Easley left from San Marcos, Texas Friday morning enroute to Lawton, Okla.

Captain Easley was attending Helicopter School in Texas and will continue his studies in Okla. They will return to Fayetteville on the 1st of August.

The Postal Alliance and the Ladies Auxiliary of the Alliance held their annual picnic at Jones Lake, June 27th.

Mrs. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins and family, Michael and Wilbert Vick and Miss Maude Wood were guests. Tables were spread and laden with a bountiful picnic dinner. A lovely time was enjoyed by all.

Prof W. A. Black is president of the Postal Alliance and Mr. B. F. Ferguson is president of the Ladies Auxiliary.

Mrs. J. G. Smith is spending the summer in Washington, D. C. with her sons.

Mr. J. S. Simmons and family have returned home from Chicago, Ill. where they visited Dr. and Mrs. Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ferguson attended the Indiana Annual Conference at Caldwell Chapel Indianapolis recently. Bishop L. H. Jones presided and Rev. Brooks is pastor.

While there, they went to Cleveland, Ohio and visited their son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ferguson and their grandchildren, Michael Benjamin, Jacqueline and Constance (twin

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ferguson attended service at Church Sunday, July 4th at 4:30 p. m. Rev. L. M. Miller is pastor.

Mr. B. F. Ferguson was guest

Group No. 4 of the W. H. and F. M. of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wims on North St. Sunday afternoon at 4:30 p. m. After the discussion, Mrs. J. M. Ferguson gave the highlights of her selection as "Ideal Mother of 1954."

Mr. Robie Wright of Miami, Florida, visited his mother, Mrs. Bessie A. Wright recently. He was enroute to Summer School in New York City. While here his brothers child passed away and he attended the funeral.

Mr. B. F. Ferguson, Grand Deputy of District No. 18, F.A.A.M. laid the Corner Stone at Walls Chapel M. E. Church on Monday, July 5th.

Rev. Dan McMillian of North Street is on the sick list.

Mrs. Roxana Covington David of Trenton, N. J. is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mattie L. Dixon, 509 Brick St.

Mr. Hubert Smith spent the 4th of July in Cono, with his mother and other relatives.

Mrs. Lillian mMcCallum and Mrs. Gertrude Smith of New York City, visited Miss Maude E. Wood recently.

STRENGTH FOR THESE DAYS

from The Bible

Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness, for they shall be filled.—(Matthew 5,6.)

Righteousness is not gained merely by wishing for it, nor by any effortless means. It must be diligently and sacrificially worked for, striven for, and earnestly prayed for—and this must be constant, for righteousness is not kept without effort.

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