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## CANNING DEMONSTRATIONS

Where Meetings Will be Held This Week—15 Successful Meetings Have Been Held and Much Interest is Being Shown

Up to Saturday evening 15 very successful meetings had been held in Robeson by the canning experts who began a campaign in the county 10 days ago, and much interest is being shown by the ladies of every community they have visited. A variety of fruits and vegetables is being canned at each meeting. The ladies who are conducting the demonstrations can everything that the ladies of any community bring. Some days they can 6 or 8 different varieties.

This week the demonstrators are divided into two parties. All-day meetings, beginning at 9 a. m., will be held at each place mentioned below except Red Springs, where the meeting will begin at 3 p. m.

The program for one party is: Today, Red Springs; July 10, Philadelphia; July 11, Kennett; July 12, St. Paul; July 13, Lumber Bridge; July 14, Rowland.

The program for the other party: Today, Tolarsville; July 10, Pleasant Hope; July 11, Ten Mile; July 12, Parkton; July 13, Baltimore; July 14, Purvis.

It is realized that this is a busy time and that it is hard for the ladies to get out, but this campaign comes only once a year and it is the only method by which the people may be reached with this instruction that is so important just at this time. It is hoped that every woman in the county will devote one day to attending one of these demonstration meetings.

## ICE FROM LOCAL PLANT

Mr. M. A. Geddie Now Has Up-to-Date Ice Plant in Operation in Lumberton

Lumberton now has an up-to-date ice plant in operation. The plant, which belongs to Mr. M. A. Geddie, is located in the north-eastern part of town where the Elizabethtown road crosses the V. & C. S. railroad.

The new plant has a capacity of 15 tons daily. It requires about 7 tons a day to supply the Lumberton demand and Mr. Geddie will ship the balance of his output to other towns. The plant started operations Monday of last week and the first ice was pulled Thursday. The ice is manufactured in 300-pound blocks.

The plant is run by electric current and two men can operate it. The ice turned out by this new plant looks to be all that could be desired in ice, and the establishment should be a paying business.

37 Killed and 141 Injured in German Air Raid Over London

London Dispatch, July 7.

The second descent upon London by a squadron of airplanes was made this morning between 9 and 10 o'clock when the business section of the metropolis was most crowded. Although the German contingent was larger, more daring, more deliberative in its methods and descended much lower than on the visit of June 13, the number of killed and wounded was on-third the previous casualty list. The destruction of property may have been greater, but that it is impossible to estimate. Thirty-seven persons were killed and 141 injured, it was officially announced this afternoon. The flight of the Germans over London lasted about 20 minutes. English airmen engaged the enemy for several minutes over the metropolis and anti-aircraft guns were firing briskly, but without destroying any of the twenty or more invading machines. The admiralty was able to report tonight, however, that naval airman who followed them to sea brought down three machines.

Superior Court

Superior court for the trial of criminal cases convened today at noon with Judge Wm. M. Bond of Edenton presiding. This is a week's term. Mr. A. C. Sinclair of Rowland was made foreman of the grand jury and Mr. H. C. Freeman of Lumberton officer. The judge was late getting here this morning on account of missing a train at Fayetteville. He made the trip in an auto.

Lumberton the Best Town They Found

Two college professors from the State of Pennsylvania recently visited Lumberton while making a tour of the South. Before leaving they declared that Lumberton was the best town they had stopped in since they left home. "The cleanest town and the most hospitable people found on the trip," is the way they put it.

Heavy Rains Damage Crops—Lumber River Up

Heavy rains have fallen throughout this section during the last week and crops are being injured by the excessive rainfall. The water in Lumber river is the highest it has been since the floods of July last year.

The Roll of Honor

The following young men have recently enlisted in the U. S. army at the local recruiting station: Leo M. Spivey of Conway, S. C., Henry B. Todd of Barnesville, Lawrence J. Sloan of Wallace, Gordon Z. Ward of Laurinburg.

The Bethel Heroes chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, of Rocky Mount, will purchase and equip an ambulance for relief work in France, the first ambulance to be given by any organization of the U. D. C. in the State.

## MR. GRAHAM MCKINNON PASSES

Death Came Suddenly to Prominent Citizen of Robeson—Funeral Saturday

Mr. Graham McKinnon, one of Robeson's most progressive and highly respected citizens, died suddenly at his home near Rowland Thursday afternoon about 4 o'clock. Death was due to heart trouble. Deceased is survived by his wife and four children, two of whom are in the U. S. army. One son, Mr. Prather McKinnon, was at the officers' training camp at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., while another son, Mr. Stanton Graham, is in the regular army. Both these arrived home in time to attend the funeral, which took place Saturday at noon. The other children, Allie Byrd and Graham, Sr., lived with the parents. The funeral was conducted from Ashpole Presbyterian church, of which deceased was a member, by Rev. H. J. Mills, pastor of deceased. Interment was made in the church burying ground. Hundreds of people from all sections of Robeson and many from other counties attended the funeral. Quite a number from Lumberton attended the funeral.

Mr. McKinnon was 52 years old and was a large farmer and owned considerable farming lands. He was considered one of the most progressive farmers in his section. He was a Mason and was held in high esteem by all who knew him. His death not only means a loss to the community in which he lived, but to the county and State. Deceased was for two years a member of the Robeson county board of audit and finance appointed by the Legislature in 1907.

Mr. J. Dock Prevatt Died of Blood Poison Friday—Remains Interred at Back Swamp Yesterday

Mr. J. Dock Prevatt, aged 46 years, died at his home in Mullins, S. C., Friday at 6 p. m. from blood poison, which it is said resulted from vaccination against typhoid. He was vaccinated Thursday at 6 p. m. and was apparently well at that time. Deceased is survived by his wife and one son, Mr. Douglas Prevatt, who lived with his parents.

The remains were shipped to Lumberton over the Raleigh & Charleston railroad Saturday evening and carried to the home of Mr. R. R. Prevatt, Jr., a brother of deceased, near Back Swamp church. The funeral was conducted from the Prevatt home yesterday afternoon at 2:30 by Rev. Chas. L. Greaves, pastor of the First Baptist church of Lumberton, assisted by Rev. J. R. Miller, pastor of the Back Swamp Baptist church. After the services at the home were concluded the remains were turned over to the Masons, who interred the body with Masonic honors.

The pallbearers were: active—Messrs. D. D. French, J. H. Floyd, C. M. Barker, V. D. Baker, H. C. Rogers, J. L. Rhyne—all members of St. Alban's lodge No. 114, A. F. & A. M. of Lumberton; honorary—Messrs. James Norton, O. H. Eggleston, F. A. Brunham, E. E. Eggleston, B. Gary Smith, C. C. Rogers, C. P. Myers, J. N. Atkinson, H. W. Chesson, A. P. Clemmons, W. F. Norton. Dr. N. A. Thompson of Lumberton conducted the Masonic services and the eulogy was delivered by Hon. James Norton, ex-member of Congress from South Carolina. A large crowd attended the funeral and the floral offerings were most beautiful. Interment was made in the Prevatt burying ground.

Mr. Prevatt was a native of this county and formerly lived here. His friends were numbered by his acquaintances. He was a Mason and a devout member of the Baptist church at Mullins. Mrs. Prevatt is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. McNeill of Lumberton.

Miss Emma Prevatt Survived Shock of Brother's Death Only a Few Hours

Miss Emma Prevatt, aged about 32 years, died at the home of her brother, Mr. R. R. Prevatt, Jr., with whom she lived, near Back Swamp church yesterday morning at 6 o'clock as a result of the shock from the death of her brother, Mr. J. D. Prevatt, an account of whose death is given above. Deceased had been in bad health for several years and when the remains of her dead brother were carried to the Prevatt home she could not bear the grief, and death resulted. The funeral was conducted from the Prevatt home this morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. J. R. Miller, pastor of the Back Swamp Baptist church, of which deceased was a member, and interment was made in the family burying ground.

Mr. M. C. McIntyre Succumbs to Bright's Disease—Funeral This Morning

Mr. M. C. McIntyre of R. 3 from Lumberton died at the Thompson hospital yesterday morning at 3 o'clock. Death resulted from Bright's disease. Deceased was 58 years old and is survived by his wife and two sons, Messrs. Regan and Wallace McIntyre, both of Lumberton.

The funeral was conducted from Iona Presbyterian church, near Fairmont, of which deceased was a member, this morning at 10:30 o'clock and interment was made in the family burying ground.

Mr. McIntyre was a prosperous farmer and was one of the leading citizens of his section. He had many friends throughout the county.

Called communication of Saint Albans lodge A. F. & A. M. No. 114, Tuesday evening at 8 for degree work.

## MCDONALD NEWS ITEMS

Canning Demonstration—Protracted Meeting Begins July 10—Heavy Rains—Personal

Correspondence of The Robesonian. McDonald, July 7—Mrs. Eubanks and Miss Rhyne, our county's agent in canning work, gave a demonstration here Thursday which was enjoyed by the ladies of the place and promises to aid them greatly in their work along this line.

Mr. J. A. McMillan is spending the week-end with his brother Mr. R. H. McMillan, of Seven Springs. Mr. J. T. Parker and grandchildren, Annie Hazel, Mary Amanda and F. M. Davis, are visiting relatives at Laurinburg this week.

Miss Bessie McLean of Fairmont spent Sunday with home folks. Dr. O. T. Jones of Sanford, Synodical evangelist, will conduct a week's meeting at Iona church, beginning Tuesday, July 10. He will be assisted by his singer. It is hoped that large crowds will be present all during the week.

Quite a number of the young men from here made a cross-country trip to Wrightsville Beach the 3rd, staying over the 4th. They report a very pleasant trip, with the exception of getting "stuck-up" going over.

Mrs. A. F. Jones is spending some time with relatives at Goldsboro.

Mrs. Dora Price is visiting friends at Asheville.

Miss Sara Townsend returned Monday from a two-weeks' stay with relatives at Dunn.

Miss Kathryn McLean who has been visiting Miss Cletus Thompson of Fairmont returned home Sunday.

Mr. Wilton Adams of Purvis was here for a few hours Friday.

We have been having heavy rains here every day for the past week and the farmers are beginning to look serious over crop conditions.

## BROAD RIDGE BREEZES

Curing Tobacco—Heavy Rains—Demonstration Work and Teachers Salaries

Correspondence of The Robesonian. Broad Ridge (Lumberton, R. 4), July 7—Curing tobacco is the order of the day in these parts.

The most heavy rains have fell for the past week in this section we ever had.

Mr. Elias Collins is sporting a new Ford. Hurrah for old Broad Ridge.

The Fourth passed off quietly in this vicinity.

A lot of money is being paid out by the town boards. To our board of education and commissioners we will agree that the demonstration work is a good thing, but we believe that \$800 in public school money would be of more importance to us on the Broad Ridge than the demonstration work or the canning club, either. Think of a school teacher that has such a hard struggle and has to pay high prices for board and can hardly get money enough to pay for her time, and they won't raise her wages enough to buy a squirrel's nest. Every woman in Robeson knows how to can in jars, or preserve in brine, as well as these experts that go around and try to teach people that they already know.

Many wishes to The Robesonian and its many readers.

[These are war times. Nothing else is so important right now as putting up for future use every particle of food that can be put up. Many women know how to can and preserve, but no one knows it all, and every one can learn better ways. Teachers should receive higher salaries. That is a fact, and we want them to get higher salaries. But the matter of supreme importance right now is putting up for winter use all surplus vegetables and fruits, and every one should encourage that work.—Editor.]

A. W. McLean Elected President of North Carolina Bar Association

National Committeeman A. W. McLean of Lumberton, senior member of the firm of McLean, Varner & McLean, was elected president of the North Carolina bar association at its meeting in Asheville last week. The election of officers took place Thursday, the closing day of the 19th annual session of the association. Other officers elected were: vice president—T. B. Finley of North Wilkesboro; O. F. Mason of Gastonia, N. J. Rouse of Kinston; executive committee—J. W. Pless of Marion, Frank Nash of Orange; secretary-treasurer—Thos. W. Davis of Wilmington.

No Seaboard Excursions to Wilmington This Summer

The Seaboard will not operate any excursions from Lumberton to Wilmington this summer. This was the information given to a Robesonian reporter Friday by Mr. H. E. Pleasants, traveling passenger agent of the Seaboard, with headquarters at Wilmington. The government has asked the railroads not to run any special excursions this summer on account of the car shortage and the Seaboard will comply with the request.

Cable Message from Lumberton Soldier in France

Rev. R. N. Cashwell received yesterday a cable message from his son, Mr. Leslie Cashwell, formerly of Lumberton, who was among the U. S. soldiers who reached France safely some 10 days ago. It read "Arrived safe. Well." It was dated July 8. As has been stated in recent issues of The Robesonian, Mr. Albert Boylin, also of Lumberton, was also among the first American fighters to reach France.

## MARIETTA NEWS MATTERS

Rains Retard Farm Work—Roads in Bad Shape—Social and Personal

Correspondence of The Robesonian. Marietta, July 7—On account of the recent heavy rains in this community, farmers are greatly handicapped in their work. The roads are in such condition that it will be very difficult for the tobacco to be marketed unless they are worked.

The Fourth passed off very quietly here. Quite a crowd of young people had made preparations for an evening picnic at Lakeview, S. C., but on account of the heavy rain that began falling just as the loaded cars were leaving town, the young people stopped on the spacious porches of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Oliver. Here the picnic was turned into a porch party and a very happy evening was spent.

Mrs. Penelope Keeney and daughter, Miss Fronde, of Clinton, S. C., came several days ago to visit at the home of Mrs. Kennedy's sisters, Messdames M. J. and J. S. Oliver. Miss Kennedy left Friday for New York, where she will take post-graduate work at Columbia university. Mrs. Kennedy will be here until after the Ford reunion, which will be held at Lakeview, S. C., on next Thursday.

Mrs. Wade and daughter, Mrs. N. A. Townsend and Mrs. Townsend's two children, all of Dunn, are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Oliver. Mr. Townsend is expected Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Oliver of Raleigh arrived Wednesday night and will spend some time with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Janie Oliver.

Dr. Albert Hayes, who was graduated recently from the Atlanta medical college, is home for a few days before locating.

Mr. Ben S. Oliver, who for the past year has been a student in King's business college, is home for vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Carey Henley and Mr. C. F. Henley of Bennettsville, S. C., spent the Fourth here with relatives.

Mr. L. M. Oliver has spent several days this week in Lumberton, where he has served as clerk for one of the exemption boards.

Prof. W. T. Jenrette will leave tomorrow for Chapel Hill, where he will enter the university summer school.

Miss Mary Standfield of Fairmont spent the week-end here with friends.

Mrs. W. T. Jenrette spent a few days in Thompson's hospital this week having her throat treated.

Miss Mellie Hill delightfully entertained the G. W. club on last Thursday afternoon. The meeting was held on the cool, shady porches, which were very attractive with their decorations of daisies. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her sister Miss Leone.

SEED POTATOES FOR FALL CROP

A Method of Using Potatoes From Spring Crop That is Said to Give Satisfactory Results

Everybody wants to plant for a fall crop of Irish potatoes but the high price of seed potatoes is a serious matter, and any method that promises satisfactory results from spring home-raised potatoes is of interest just now. Mr. K. M. Biggs gives The Robesonian the following method which he says has been given to him as a sure way of getting satisfactory results:

Make bed like bed for sweet potatoes; put 2-inch layer of stable manure, then layer of potatoes from spring crop, then another layer of manure. Allow potatoes to remain until eyes begin to swell, then cut and plant. This method is highly recommended and it is said that the potatoes will come up in two weeks after planting.

Funeral of Mrs. Gainus of Dillon, S. C., Conducted Here

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Gainus of Dillon, S. C., was conducted at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Abbott, near the Jennings cotton mill, yesterday at 9:30 a. m. by Rev. Dr. Chas. L. Greaves, pastor of the First Baptist church of Lumberton. Interment was made in Meadow-Brook cemetery. Deceased formerly lived in this county. Her maiden name was Miss Mary Townsend. The cause of her death has not been learned.

Gov. Bickett Wants Guardsmen Given Work on Camps

Governor Bickett telegraphed Friday to Hon. N. D. Baker, Secretary of War, urging that national guardsmen awaiting muster into the Federal service be given temporary employment at the wage being paid to civilians in the construction of concentration camps and cantonments.

He believes there are hundreds of guardsmen who would be glad to get this work while they are waiting for the order into war service and that it would stop a lot of the dangerous drain that is being made on other industries in the attraction of laborers from other industries.

Recorder's Court

W. K. Bethune, J. W. Bullock and John McLean were before Recorder E. M. Britt Saturday on the charge of breaking the speed limit in town with automobiles. Judgment was suspended in each case upon payment of cost.

J. L. Locklear, Indian, was given a hearing on the charge of larceny. Prayer for judgment was continued upon payment of cost.

Mr. William Rice and small son, Master Myers, of R. 4 from Lumberton, were among the visitors in town Thursday.

## ST. PAULS NEWS PACKAGE

All-Day Canning Demonstration July 12—Crops Under Water and Roads Washed Out—Personal

Correspondence of The Robesonian. St. Pauls, July 7—Dr. T. H. Olive of Newton, who formerly practiced dentistry in St. Pauls, is visiting for a few days in the city with his wife at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lancaster's. Dr. Olive has a fine practice in Newton and is off taking a short vacation, after attending the Dental association at Durham.

Thursday of next week, July 12, Miss Rhine and Mrs. J. H. Henly of Sanford, the canning demonstration agents, will be in St. Pauls, at the home of Miss Della McGoogan, to give a canning demonstration. Each lady is expected to come and bring fruit enough to put up one quart can of fruit, also a lunch and spend the day. The beginning hour is 9 a. m.

Messrs. J. M. O. Denmark and C. H. Howard attended the State meeting of the R. F. D. carriers, which was held in Goldsboro July 4. Mr. Howard was one of the speakers. He was also chosen to represent the State at large at the national meeting to be held in the fall in St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. T. W. Correll and family returned to their home at Woodleaf after spending several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Semon of St. Pauls. Mr. and Mrs. Semon accompanied them as far as Fayetteville.

Quite a bit of rain has fallen in this section and the crops are covered in water in some of the lower places. There are also many wash-outs in the roads.

DOWN BOARDMAN WAY

Curing Tobacco—Much Rain—Personal Mention

Boardman, R. F. D., July 7—Tobacco curing seems to be the order in this section.

Messrs. Sam and Roy Hester and families of Richardson, R. 1, spent the afternoon of July 4th at the home of Mr. J. E. Hill.

Mrs. Ellen Lennon spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Cary Evans, who lives near Bladenboro, recently. Master Garland Davis left Saturday for Robins, S. C., where he will spend some time with his uncle.

Mr. J. D. Shaw of Oklahoma visited friends and relatives Sunday.

Mrs. E. T. Hester is spending some time with her niece Mrs. J. E. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Evans and these children spent Sunday with his father, Mr. John Evans.

Wilbert, son of Mr. Arthur Shaw, cut his heel very badly by stepping on a broken fruit jar. It required several stitches to sew it up.

Some few of us farmers enjoyed green peas and watermelon on the Fourth.

We have been having quite a lot of rain for the past week. Some of us are letting general green get the best of us. However, more rain, more rest.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Britt and children spent Sunday p. m. at the home of Mr. Oscar Helgrin.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hill, an 11-pound girl on June 25th.

Mr. Jesse Bullard and Miss Annie Lennon spent the Fourth in Wilmington.

Planned to Burn Crops in South Dakota

Regular army officers in South Dakota claim to have reliable information that Industrial Workers of the World leaders in the State have maps of the agricultural districts of the State and have men stationed throughout the State who will make simultaneous attempts to burn this season's crops, states a Sioux City dispatch of the 6th.

Federal officers have been apprised of the plot and every effort will be made to apprehend those connected with it, it was said. The revelations were made public as a warning to the farmers of the State to guard against the activities of the plotters.

Prohibition of All Distilled Beverages Written Into Food Bill

Washington Dispatch, July 7. The Senate went on record today in favor of "bone dry" national prohibition during the war so far as whiskey and other distilled beverages are concerned. Liqueur legislation was written into the Food Control bill in one of the Senate's bitterest contests which would strike at consumption of distilled intoxicants by commanding stocks in bond in addition to absolutely prohibiting their manufacture or importation. The beer and wine industries would be left undisturbed.

Robeson Man Elected Superintendent of Greensboro Schools

Greensboro Special, July 6, Wilmington Star.

Frederick Archer was this afternoon elected superintendent of Greensboro schools for a term of two years. He comes from Selma where he has been superintendent for three years. Before that he was principal of one of Wilson's city schools. He is a native of Robeson county and was educated at the university of North Carolina. Salary here is \$2,400. Mr. Archer was the unanimous choice of the advisory committee.

Mr. E. J. Wilkins of R. 7 from Lumberton was among the visitors in town this morning.

Miss Mattie Perry left this morning for her home at Marion, this State, after spending several days here visiting relatives.

## BRIEF ITEMS OF LOCAL NEWS

—K. O. T. M. meets Tuesday night.

—The Lumberton Bargain house will launch a big 10-days sale Wednesday of this week.

—Mr. W. J. Mercer of Howellsville township brought a load of ripe watermelons to town Saturday.

—The condition of Mrs. Frank Gough, who suffered a stroke of paralysis several weeks ago, is not as favorable as it has been.

—Mr. A. E. White enjoyed a rice watermelon on the Fourth. The melon grew on one of Messrs. White & Gough's farms near Bellamy.

—Messrs. Mack Fisher and Harold Humphrey went Saturday night to Charlotte, where they will take a course in King's business college.

—Regular convocation of Lumberton chapter No. 77, R. A. M., this evening at 6 o'clock. Work in Royal Arch degree. Refreshments will be served.

—Lumberton chapter No. 116, O. E. S., will hold its regular meeting Thursday, July 12th, at 8 p. m. in the Masonic hall. All members are urged to be present.

—The first quart of whiskey received at the local express office since the "bone dry" law went into effect on July 1 made its arrival yesterday. It was labeled "for medicinal purposes."

—Miss Ethel Pittman, saleslady in the dry goods department store of Mr. John T. Biggs, returned Saturday from Raleigh, where she graduated from the Madam Grace corset fitting school.

—Peter Vallis, a Greek who ran a cafe here for several years, has enlisted in the U. S. army. Peter wrote some of his friends here to that effect and also sent a clipping from a Savannah, Ga., paper telling of his enlistment.

—An report of the two trips of the Lumberton boosters Thursday and Friday was written and put in type for today's paper, but on account of other important matter that must be handled today it must be held over for Thursday's paper.

—Mr. Judge D. Floyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Floyd, who live near Fairmont, arrived here Friday night after spending 9 months in the U. S. navy. Mr. Floyd, who is only 16 years old, was discharged on account of his age. He has been on the U. S. ship Maine.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McNeill arrived home Saturday from an auto trip to Washington and through many interesting sections of Virginia. On the return trip they came for 100 miles down the famous Shannandoah valley pike to Staunton, thence to Lexington, Natural Bridge and Lynchburg. Misses Lucy Williams of Red Springs and Cammie McNeill of Lumberton, who went with them and intended to leave them last Wednesday at Culpepper, Va., changed their plans and came with Mr. and Mrs. McNeill as far as Lynchburg, where they boarded a train for New York, where Miss Williams will study music for some time. Miss McNeill will spend a few days sightseeing in New York and then will return home.

Notice of New Advertisements

People's Tobacco Warehouse, Fairmont, N. C., opening sale July 12—O. A. Reeves & Co.; lady stenographer wants position; milch cow for sale; report of condition of National Bank of Lumberton; a safeguard for the home—First National Bank; "A response to the call to arms"—National Bank of Lumberton; Trinity, a college of liberal arts with established national reputation; Lumberton Bargain House begins big bargain sale July 11; auto comfort—Lumberton Motor Car Co.; a delightful place for motorists to Fayetteville to stop; program at Pastime; semi-annual display sale of foreign and domestic woolsens—Chas. P. MacAllister; oils and greases—Auto Service Station; rooms for rent.

Plant of Robeson Mfg. Co. Being Enlarged

The plant of the Robeson Manufacturing Co. is being enlarged. Six new linters are being added and will be ready by opening of the cotton seed season in the fall. This company operates a gin, a cotton seed oil plant and a fertilizer plant.

Miss Gladys Laney of Monroe is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Boyd. She arrived Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Weinstein of Fairmont, and two children, Raeford Lee and Morton Hanna, have returned home after an extended trip to Atlantic City, Baltimore and Norfolk.

Rev. B. M. Morrison and son, Ernest, of Lenoir City, Tenn., arrived last week and are guests at the home of Mr. Morrison's brother-in-law and sister, Rev. and Mrs. W. J. DuBois, Fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Branch of Charlotte spent yesterday here visiting relatives. They left this morning for Wilmington, where they will spend some time visiting relatives.

Little Miss Mildred, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Weinstein, has returned home after a 3-weeks' visit to relatives at Ahsokie and Norfolk, accompanied by little Miss Edith Feldman.

Miss Edith M. Courtney of Baltimore, who had been a guest at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sharpe, returned Saturday evening from Dillon, S. C., where she spent a few days visiting friends, and went yesterday to Clinton, S. C., where she will visit friends for about ten days, when she will return to Lumberton.