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DAY OF PRAYER AND FASTING

Business houses are closed and all business is suspended today in Lumberton, which is observing the day as a day of prayer and fasting in accordance with President Wilson's message, published in Monday's Robesonian.

Prayer services were well attended in all churches in town this morning, the large attendance at each church showing that the hearts and minds of the people are knit together today in prayer and supplication.

Prayer services will be held in all churches this evening at 8:30.

GERMAN DRIVE IS ON

Enemy Has Scored Initial Successes on 30-Mile Front—Soissons Captured By Huns.

There has been no material change in the situation at the front since last night, according to a dispatch at 2 p. m. this afternoon. The French are bringing up their reserves.

This morning's press summary states that in their violent attacks on the 30-mile front running from Soissons eastward to the region northwest of Rheims the German armies are continuing to force back the French and British forces on nearly every sector.

The fortified town of Soissons, the extreme left flank of the allied battle line, has been occupied by the enemy, although the French are still holding tenaciously to its western environs, through which emerge the railway lines leading to Paris and Compeigne.

According to the German official communication, 25,000 prisoners, among them a French and British general, have been taken and numerous additional towns and vantage points all along the front have been captured.

The German offensive was resumed Monday evening between Soissons and Rheims along a 30-mile front. Initial efforts obtained for the troops of the German crown prince some notable advantages as they succeeded in carrying the Chemin des Dames and thrusting back the Franco-British contingents from the Ailette to the Aisne.

The enemy attacked in greatly superior numbers and the British and French gave ground everywhere, but with such precision was the retirement conducted that both the British and French troops were able to carry back with them all of their supplies and guns or to destroy those they were not able to handle. The drive was inaugurated and pressed by the Germans with large numbers, some estimates placing the number of shock troops alone at 25 divisions, or about 300 picked men. German official communications claim that numerous towns and villages were taken by them up to Tuesday night and that 15 allied troops had been made prisoner up to that time. The German advance was one of the most rapid since the beginning of the war and they outnumbered ten to one the allied troops which gave way before them.

American Troops Capture Village and Take 200 Prisoners.

American troops in Picardy attacked Tuesday morning on a front of one and a quarter miles, captured the village of Cantigny, took 200 prisoners and inflicted severe losses in killed and wounded on the enemy, says Gen. Pershing's communique made public Tuesday night at the War Department in Washington. The American casualties were relatively small.

Gen. Pershing's communique issued Monday night by the War Department says that after violent artillery preparation enemy infantry moved and penetrated advanced American positions in Picardy at two points only to be driven out by counter attacks in which Americans entered the enemy lines.

CAPT. BOWEN STILL MISSING

Two Rumors About His Whereabouts But Nothing Definite Known.

No authentic information has been received here yet in regard to Capt. J. B. Bowen, who left Lumberton on the evening of the 12th inst. after a visit to his family to return to Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S. C., and disappeared from Charlotte on the morning of the 13th.

A rumor was circulated here Tuesday to the effect that the Columbia (S. C.) State carried a news item that day stating that Capt. Bowen had been in Florida and had returned to Camp Wadsworth. Mr. W. Lennon, brother-in-law of Capt. Bowen, who had been yesterday and learned that Capt. Bowen was not there, another report has it that Bowen had gone to Canada to enlist in order to go to France for service earlier than he could hope to go from Camp Wadsworth, where the report has it, it is generally known that he has gone to France.

Meanwhile, his family remains in suspense of his whereabouts.

Frank Gough is in Baltimore receiving treatment for some heart

BOYS OFF TO CAMP

182 Registrants of Robeson Entrained For Camp Jackson.

GIVEN GREAT SEND-OFF.

Several hundred people gathered at the union station Tuesday evening to bid farewell to the 95 army registrants from this district who entrained for Camp Jackson. The registrants left on a special train to which was attached two car loads of New Hanover registrants. A car load from district No. 2 was added to the train at Maxton and two car loads of Scotland county registrants were added to the train at Laurinburg.

Ladies from the Red Cross work rooms went in a body to the station dressed in the Red Cross uniforms and presented the registrants with "something to smoke." The train left at 6:30 p. m.

This reporter accompanied the registrants to Hamlet and the boys were in fine spirits and apparently having a great time. There was nothing dull or sad on that train. They were singing, "We're going to get the Kaiser, and don't you want to go," and other songs of their own "make." One thing that impressed the reporter was the fact that along the roadside no man, woman or child was too busy to wave a hand or a hat as the soldiers passed. Even the old "black mammy" would salute the boys. Supper was served the registrants on the train at Hamlet.

The task of selecting the 95 men to go from the 174 registrants called in was completed Tuesday morning and those selected were called together in the court house at 3 p. m., at which time Mr. T. L. Johnson, chairman of the local board, gave them some timely instructions. He advised them of the importance of being to the minute after reaching camp and also urged them to look into the matter of taking insurance immediately after reaching camp. He advised them to allot to their parents or any others in any way dependent upon them a part of their pay, as there were many left behind who would need the money worse than the men themselves, as the government furnishes all that is necessary for the soldier and also duplicates any sum he may allot to the folks back home.

After Mr. Johnson finished his remarks he introduced Rev. Chas. L. Greaves, pastor of the First Baptist church of Lumberton, who spoke to the soldiers for ten minutes. Dr. Greaves said the occasion made him realize how poor a thing is a word to express the feelings of a human heart. He told of recently watching several thousand soldiers marching and how for the first time since the war was declared he wished he was young enough to enlist, and felt that it was a misfortune to him that he has born too soon to be in the fight. While just after war was declared he pitied the young men who had to go into the fight and thought it a tragedy for a young man to give up all and go to the army, now he saw things different and thought it a tragedy for a young man to stay out. Dr. Greaves declared that this war was not started when the United States declared war against Germany, but when man first caught the vision of liberty and took up arms for it. He described his conflict as between the people and the princes, crowned heads, the speaker declared that the call now coming to them is worthy of the sacrifice. One can serve the present generation and those to come either by living for them or dying for them. If the cause be worthy of death, it is a hero that answers the call.

Dr. Greaves commended the manner in which young Americans have answered the call of their country and said they had the stuff in them to make them men and that they will do the things that will make them heroes.

Speaking of the United States flag, the speaker said that it is now a richer and better flag than ever before. It stands for more.

After Dr. Greaves finished his talk Rev. Dr. R. C. Beaman, pastor of Chestnut Street Methodist church, offered a very earnest prayer which deeply moved all within sound of his voice and brought tears to the eyes of many. He prayed that God would have these young men in His keeping as they go forth to fight for God and country and truth and right and freedom, and that he would bring them home safe and pure and clean and strong from temptations and from the dangers of battle. It was the tender, earnest plea of a father to the all-wise Father to watch over and keep the sons about to embark upon a perilous mission to save all that is worth living for.

At the request of the Robesonian the registrants assembled in front of the court house, where a group picture was taken, which will be published in The Robesonian as soon as a cut can be secured.

Mr. J. Dickson McLean was put in charge of the men from Robeson division 1 as captain. A first lieutenant from Camp Jackson came in with the New Hanover contingent and went on the special from Lumberton.

Notes.

Mr. J. Dickson McLean did not have to go to camp at this time but he refused to accept an extension of time of 80 days that was offered him. The senior member of the law firm of McLean, Varner & McLean, Mr. A. W. McLean, recently was taken to Washington to serve the Government on

the War Finance board at a salary of member of the firm, Mr. Dickson McLean, goes to camp to serve at \$30 the month. Mr. McLean volunteered for the first officers' training camp last summer but was rejected on account of his eyes, but under changed regulations that did not bar him from going to serve as a private. J. Dickson is a most capable and deservedly popular young man, who is apparently exceptionally well qualified for the duties of an officer, and it seems a great pity that he could not enter the officers' training camp, but he goes cheerfully in whatever capacity the Government sees fit to accept his services.

As some friends bade him goodbye at the station Mr. Grover Page, formerly town clerk and treasurer, said he was glad to go. That is the way all the boys seemed to feel about it. There was no downheartedness in that crowd.

Uniformed Red Cross girls at the station were good to look upon. A young man who came in with the New Hanover contingent could not resist the appeal, "Nurse," he called, standing on the steps of a car and leaning far out. "Nurse, come here, I'm sick." But the charming young lady to whom the appeal was pointedly addressed has seen fellows sick that a-way aforesaid, and she didn't go.

Those Who Entrained Here.

A list of the names of the men who composed the contingent from Robeson division No. 1 that entrained here Tuesday follows:

- Fletcher Thompkins, Lumberton, R. 5; Pink Barnes, Lumberton; Ford Smith, Fairmont; Otis Kittrell, Fairmont; Marvin Dan Barker, Hopewell, Va.; Albert Quincy Pridden, Lumberton; Jasper Ore Tedder, Fairmont; Rossie Brown Britt, Lumberton; Harvey Smith, Lumberton; William Edgar Barnes, Fairmont; Charles F. Phillips, Lumberton; George Small, Lumberton; Charles Everett Page, Charlotte; Mitchell Smith, Lumberton; Julian McI. Price, McDonalds; Troy Hardin, Lumberton, R. 1; Plummer W. Lowry, Fairmont; Eddie Hickman, Lumberton, R. 7; James C. Morris, Marietta; Martin Luther Fairfax, Fairmont; Rufus Kinlaw, Lumberton, R. 7; Clayton Hall, Lumberton; J. Dickson McLean, Lumberton; Pink Sutton, Lumberton, R. 5; Francis McMillan White, Fairmont; Ellis Hardin, Lumberton; Grover Temple Page, Lumberton; Joseph Benson Nye, Fairmont; Bascom Smith, Lumberton, R. 5; Raymond Henry Hardin, Lumberton, R. 1; Warren A. Bowen, Raynham, R. 1; Marvin Earl Korngay, Lumberton; Austin Jerry Taylor, Lumberton, R. 5; Andrew Jackson Bullard, St. Pauls, R. 1; Garfield Brooks, Lumberton, R. 2; Raymond L. Spivey, Lumberton; Bernice Willoughby, Fairmont; Oliver K. Barnes, McDonalds; Carl Bullard, Lumberton, R. 6; Harmon O. Floyd, Fairmont; Albert Haynes Wilson, Lumberton, R. 5; Dockery Kinlaw, Lumberton, R. 7; I. J. Walters, Orrum; Daniel W. Fowler, Eldred; Braxton Townsend Branch, Lumberton; John Woodson Rogers, Lumberton; Mack Kinlaw, Lumberton; Claude E. Phillips, Boardman; Julian Carr Powers, Lumberton; Oscar Scott, Renner; Don S. McCormick, Fairmont, R. 3; Henry Hunt, Fairmont; Clarence G. Townsend, Lumberton; Bunyan H. Stansel, Allenton; James Robert Herring, Fairmont; Dock Hardin, Lumberton, R. 1; James R. Kinlaw, Lumberton; Oliver Floyd Nance, Lumberton; Joseph E. Sturgess, Lumberton, R. 2; Atlas Calvin Johnson, Barnesville; Will Carter, Lumberton; Walter A. Lowry, Raynham; Alfred C. Spivey, Marietta; Eldra Moore Floyd, Fairmont; John Pittman, Lumberton; Clyde Williams, Barnesville; Silas Ralph McDaniel, Fairmont; Martin Jackson McFayden, Lumberton; Thomas Fulton Baker, Fairmont; Willie Augusta Floyd, Fairmont; Lonnie William Jacobs, Fairmont; Atlas Davis, Buies, R. 1; Walter Bert Ivey, Orrum; Johnnie Lewis McNeill, Lumberton; Albert H. Stone, Raynham; Henry Jacobs, Raynham; James Keeler Hall, Parkton; Hezlie N. Ward, McDonald; Furman Ivey, Orrum; James Aubrey Graham, Proctorville; Aubra C. Bracey, Raynham; Ira Kinlaw, Lumberton, R. 7; Clarence Stone, Lumberton, R. 4; Haynes A. Collins, Lumberton, R. 2; Lawrence Gaston Prevatt, Buies, R. 1; Austin Burney Lawson, Orrum; Stringfield Mays, Orrum; Grover C. Townsend, Lowe; Howard Thompson Powers, Lumberton, R. 1; Walter Washington Page, Lumberton; Willie Oxendine, Rowland; Charlie H. Hill, Marietta; Raiza T. Wilson, E. Lumberton; Sandy T. Glover, Lumberton; Jas. A. Hunt, Raynham.

56 From Robeson Division No. 2 Go to Camp.

At the request of The Robesonian, Mr. A. R. McEachern, chairman of the local board of Robeson division 2, had a group picture taken of the 56 registrants who were entrained at Red Springs Tuesday and a cut will be published in The Robesonian as soon as it can be made. The names of the 56 registrants entrained at Red Springs Tuesday follow:

John Nelson Baxley, St. Pauls; William Justice Townsend, St. Pauls; William McLean, Maxton, R. 3; Walter Beasley, Maxton; Elias Jordan, Dean, St. Pauls; Lacy T. Edens, Rowland; Furney Baxley, St. Pauls; Victor Mell Bond, Rowland; Emory G. Baxley, St. Pauls; John H. McLean, Maxton; Henry Lee Thomas, Charlotte; Furman W. Ivey, Maxton; Burnice Tew, Buie; William P. Groom, Maxton; Brooks W. Bennett, St. Pauls; John Alfred Bracy, Rowland; Edward Lee Phillips, Parkton; Bailey Prevatt, St. Pauls; Herbert D. Culbreth, Pembroke; An-

HIGH SCHOOL FINALS

Literary Address Tomorrow Morning by Prof. Flowers of Trinity College.

GRADUATING EXERCISES FRIDAY EVENING 8:30

Commencement exercises of the Lumberton high school will be held tomorrow in the school auditorium. The literary address will be delivered at 11 a. m. by Prof. R. L. Flowers of Trinity college. Following this, diplomas will be presented to the eight girls and three boys of the graduating class. The morning exercises will open and close with a chorus.

Tomorrow evening at 8:30 the graduating exercises will take place. The program will be as follows: Chorus; Salutatory—Laura Bullard; Class Poem—Emma Fleming; Last Will and Testament—Viola Jenkins; Class History—Adrian Britt; Class Prophecy—Myrtle Pope; Trophy Bearer—Mary Lee Norment; chorus; Valedictory—Carolyn Shooter. The ushers will be Sarah Carlyle, Drina Hedgepeth, Lula Norment, Forrest McGill, Harry Russell, Ervin Williams.

PRIMARY JUNE 1ST

No Contests Except in Road Districts 3 and 4.

As has been stated in The Robesonian, no primary will be necessary in Robeson Saturday, June 1, except in road districts Nos. 3 and 4, where two Democratic candidates are in the race for road commissioner. District No. 3 is composed of Maxton, Alfordville, Back Swamp and Thompson townships. The candidates are Mr. J. A. McCormick, present incumbent, and Mr. L. L. McGirt. District No. 4 is composed of Red Springs, Smith's, Raft Swamp, Saddletree and Burnt Swamp townships and Mr. I. T. Brown, present incumbent, and Mr. A. E. Wilkerson are the candidates. Only voters living in these districts will be allowed to take part in the primary.

FREIGHT AND PASSENGER RATES TO BE INCREASED

McAdoo Orders Freight Rates Raised 25 Per Cent and Passenger Fares Increased to 3 Cents a Mile.

To meet wage increases just announced and higher costs of coal and other supplies this year, Director General McAdoo has ordered railroad freight rates in the United States raised 25 per cent and passenger fares increased to three cents a mile from the present basis of about 2-1/2 cents.

It is estimated that the program will bring between \$800,000,000 and \$900,000,000 more revenues to the railroads within the next year. It represents by far the biggest rate increase in the history of railroads.

gus Gaston McRae, Maxton; Barton Barfield, Johns Station; John M. Caddell, Maxton; Troy Byrd, Rowland; James T. McRaney, Parkton; Charlie Faircloth, Parkton; Arthur A. Crump, St. Pauls; J. Gilbert Hodgkin, Red Springs; William B. Baxley, Red Springs; William A. Varnum, Red Springs; John H. McCall, Hamlet; Arty A. Jackson, Parkton; Arch L. Usher, Lumber Bridge; Archie McQ. Smith, Latta, S. C.; Henry Pittman Stubbs, Maxton; Tom A. Jackson, Renner; William J. Crawford, Rowland, R. 2; A. J. Chisholm, Maxton; Lee Ray McFarland, Red Springs; Robert M. Herndon, Red Springs; Charles Dickerson Dearen, Lumber Bridge; Silas W. Butler, Rowland; Caswell B. Baxley, St. Pauls; James C. Singletary, St. Pauls; Leslie A. King, St. Pauls; Alphas H. McLean, Rowland; William Sellers, Raynham; Neill Henry Phillips, Rocky Mount; Arthur A. Bullock, Rowland; Walter C. Jackson, Rowland; J. Frank Sinclair, Rowland; Shaw Edwards, Parkton; James T. Smith, Latta, Hill; Braxton W. Rozier, St. Pauls; Charles E. White, Pembroke; Edward Lawrence McLeod, Red Springs; Jim Mac Sellers, Raynham.

31 Indians Entrained at Red Springs Yesterday.

Thirty-one Indians were entrained at Red Springs for Camp Jackson yesterday, as follows:

Jesse Oxendine, Buie; Richard Porter, Clio, S. C.; James E. Chavie, Pembroke; John W. Oxendine, Pembroke; J. R. Cummings, Pembroke; Charlie H. Oxendine, Pembroke; Burleigh Lowery, Raynham; Handy Emanuel, Pembroke; James Jones, Pates; John W. Oxendine, Buie; William Russell Oxendine, Buie; Gus Locklear, Maxton, R. 5; Jim Locklear, Maxton; Charlie Barton, Red Springs; Luther Locklear, Lumberton; Jasper Jones, Pembroke; James Ashley Locklear, Maxton, R. 2; Harrison Jones, Pembroke; Clarence E. Oxendine, Buie; George Strickland, Maxton, R. 3; Ferry Barton, Maxton; Quice Berry, Maxton; John Archie Locklear, Maxton; Russell W. Oxendine, Pates; Dock T. Jones, Pembroke; Charlie Locklear, Maxton; Glover C. Woodell, Buie; Royce Lowery, Pembroke; Ed. Gibbs, Rowland; William Locklear, Pates; Dudley Spaulding, Buie.

REGISTER JUNE 5TH

Every Young Man Who Has Reached 21 Since June 5, 1917, Must Register—Your Local Board Has Charge of Registration.

The Secretary of War authorizes the following:

With the signing by President Wilson of the bill and proclamation designating Wednesday, June 5, as the day on which all men who have reached the age of 21 since last June 5 shall register for military service, Provost Marshal General Crowder's office immediately began preparations for the enrollment of the men. Instead of using the election machinery as was done last year, Gen. Crowder will call upon the local boards. It is believed that their experience during the past year has peculiarly fitted them to handle the new registration economically and efficiently.

Gen. Crowder has estimated that probably three-quarters of a million men will be added to the American army by the new registration. His estimate is based on the fact that almost 10,000,000 men registered last year. This number included all between the ages of 21 and 31 and statistics collected by Gen. Crowder's office show that a little more than 10 per cent of these men were 21 years old. On that basis it is estimated by draft officials that the total registration will exceed 1,600,000, of which 750,000 will be available for military service. This makes proper allowances for physical defectives, exemptions because of dependents, and other bars to military service.

The law provides that every young man in the United States who has reached the age of 21 years since June 5, 1917, or will reach that age on or before June 5, 1918, must register. The only exceptions are in the cases of men who are actually in active military or naval service. All male persons, citizens or aliens, born between June 6, 1896, and June 5, 1897, inclusive, except officers and enlisted men of the regular army, navy, and marine corps, and the National guard and naval militia while in Federal service, and officers in the officers' reserve corps and enlisted men in the enlisted reserve corps while in active service must register.

The registration will be held in the office of the local board having jurisdiction of the area wherein the person to be registered permanently resides, or in such other place as by public notice is designated by the board, between 7 a. m. and 9 p. m. on Wednesday, June 5, 1918.

It is necessary to go to the registration place in person. Any man who expects to be absent from home on Wednesday, June 5, 1918, should go at once to the office of the local board where he expects to be and have his registration card filled out and certified. He must then mail this card to the office of the local board having jurisdiction of the place wherein he permanently resides, and in view of the fact that this card must be received by his home local board on or before June 5, it is essential that any one who expects to be away from home on that date arrange for his registration immediately.

Anyone who is sick on June 5 and unable to present himself in person at the office of the local board may send some competent friend, who may be deputized by the clerk to prepare his card.

An Epoch in the War For American Troops.

(From Wednesday's Press Summary.)

Tuesday's fighting in the vicinity of Montdidier will mark an epoch in the war, so far as the American troops are concerned. Here in an attack they captured their first village—Cantigny, which lies a short distance northeast of Montdidier. They also took several other objectives and held all of them in the face of counter-attacks. The Germans suffered severe losses in men killed or wounded and in addition left behind them 200 men made prisoner, among them two officers. The American casualties were relatively small. The German official report announces the taking of American prisoners. The report from American headquarters, however, shows only two Americans missing, one in Picardy and the other in the Luneville sector.

Member of Road Board Indicted For Plowing Into Road.

Mr. F. A. Wishart, county superintendent of roads, indicted Mr. I. T. Brown, chairman of the county board of road commissioners, Monday on the charge of plowing into the public road. Mr. Wishart says it is against the law to plow into the roads and he is going to put a stop to it. The fact that he indicted his "boss" would seem to prove that he means what he says about it. A number of others in various sections of the county have also been indicted on the same charge.

Fairmont Doubled Allotment. Special to The Robesonian.

Fairmont, May 29.—The Fairmont Red Cross chapter and auxiliaries more than doubled the allotment in the second drive for Red Cross funds. The allotment was \$500 and the subscriptions amounted \$1,126.24.

Mr. J. B. Clark of Lena, Cumberland county, was a Lumberton visitor Monday.

BRIEF ITEMS OF LOCAL NEWS

—Alfred Rowland chapter, U. D. C., will suspend its meeting during June, July and August.

—Mr. W. T. Davis and family moved yesterday from Newport News, Va., to Wilmington.

—Mr. O. J. Williams left last evening for Penniman, Va., where he has accepted a position.

—Mr. J. A. Barker donated a calf to the Red Cross Monday. Mr. E. J. Pope bought the calf for \$10.

—More than 200 teachers are attending the teachers' institute which opened at Red Springs Monday.

—Messdames H. M. McAllister and N. A. McLean are attending in Raleigh a meeting of the Federation of Woman's Clubs.

—Mr. H. T. Wilson and family moved Monday from Wilmington to Lumberton. Mr. Wilson represents the Armour Packing Co. in this district.

—Mr. W. R. Covington left this morning for Rockingham in response to a message advising him of the illness of his father, Mr. W. P. Covington.

—Miss Nannie W. Lloyd is attending the commencement at Coker college, Hartsville, S. C. Her sister, Miss Henry Lloyd, graduates there this year.

—Mr. Rowland Prevatt, Mrs. A. W. Prevatt and Miss Lizzie Prevatt went Sunday to Hendersonville, where they will spend some time visiting Mr. A. W. Prevatt, who is taking treatment there.

—Mr. A. W. McLean came home this morning from Washington, where his duties as a director of the Government War Finance board have been occupying him lately. He will return to Washington Sunday night.

—Miss Jessie Stone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Stone of the Raynham section, arrived home yesterday from Littleton, where she was a student at the Littleton Female college. She was met here by her father.

—Mr. Joseph A. Nye, of the aviation corps of the U. S. army, stationed at Montgomery, Ala., passed through town yesterday en route to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nye, on R. 2 from Fairmont, where he will spend a 10-days' furlough.

—Rev. John R. Miller, pastor of the Baptist church at Fairmont, Mrs. Miller and their two daughters, Misses Lois and Vida, were Lumberton visitors Monday. Mr. Miller advised The Robesonian that Fairmont will observe the day of prayer and fasting today in keeping with the President's message.

—Mrs. Eliza Fuller attained the age of 79 years yesterday. In honor of the event she entertained yesterday at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. White, two other young ladies, Mrs. Anna P. Courtney of Baltimore, Md., who is a guest at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sharpe, and Mrs. Annie Breece, who are 74 and 73 years young, respectively.

—Mrs. A. E. White will leave this evening for Lynchburg, Va., to attend commencement of Randolph-Macon college, where her daughter, Miss Vashti White, is a student. She will be accompanied by Miss Sarah Redwine of Monroe, a former student of Randolph-Macon, now a member of the faculty of Carolina college. Miss Redwine came down from Maxton this morning and is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. White.

—Mrs. Mary H. Klarrp of Statesboro, Ga., and her daughter, Miss Ruth Hasty of Richmond, Va., are visiting at the home of Mr. D. W. Hasty, near Maxton. They, with Misses Alice and Eva Hasty, daughters of Mr. D. W. Hasty, and Miss Mary Clifton of Lumber Bridge, were Lumberton visitors Monday, guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Rogers. Mrs. Rogers is also a daughter of Mr. D. W. Hasty.

RECORDER'S COURT CASES.

A Number of Cases Engage Attention of the Court—Joyriders Pay Heavy Fine.

The following cases have been disposed of by Recorder E. M. Britt:

Ed. Smith, larceny; four months on the roads.

Jim McMillan, speeding auto on streets; prayer for judgment continued upon payment of cost.

Dallas and Frank Jacobs, assault upon Braddy Jacobs, their father; Dallas found not guilty; Frank guilty; prayer for judgment continued upon payment of cost.

Braddy Jacobs, whipping his wife; prayer for judgment continued upon payment of cost.

James Mosley, colored, carrying concealed weapon; six months on the roads.

H. G. Norment, practicing optometry without license; released upon condition that he fit no more glasses. The evidence was that Norment had been giving eye glasses as a premium with a magazine.

Bessie Jones, colored, using profane and indecent language in town; prayer for judgment continued upon payment of cost.

Lizzie Key, colored, assault upon Bessie Jones; prayer for judgment continued upon payment of cost.

Ralph Whaley and Lacy Bennett, racing automobiles on streets; \$25.75 each, cost included.