

Daniel Roten Dies

Rev. David Roten was born Nov. 1, 1865. He departed this life March 8, 1945, making his stay on earth 79 years, 4 months and 8 days. He was married to Elizabeth Miller Roten in the year 1884. She preceded him in death May 7, 1937. To this union were born 10 children, eight living. Their names are: Robert Roten, Ellen Roten, John Roten, Isaac Roten, Maude Roten, Joe Roten, Beanie Roten, Golden Roten. He also leaves two sisters and one

brother, 79 grandchildren and 83 great-grandchildren, and a host of friends and relatives to mourn his loss. He was ordained as a minister Jan. 9, 1889. He served faithfully in the Lord's work for 54 years. He was pastor of a number of churches in Wilkes and adjoining counties, and was moderator of the Blue Ridge Association for a number of years. He was a kind husband and father and will be missed greatly by all who know him. It is our loss, but his eternal gain.—Contributed.

Able to Eat Again, Man Thanks Retonga

Headaches and Sluggish Elimination Also Promptly Relieved; Feels Fine Now.

"Of all the medicines I ever used Retonga comes first" declares Mr. R. M. Cockrell, a well known farmer of Route 1, Elm City, N. C. Mr. Cockrell is one of the best known farmers in his section. Discussing Retonga he very gratefully stated:

"My appetite was so poor that many times I would eat only a few mouthfuls for a meal. Even then my food seemed to rest as heavy as a wedge in my stomach. I had regular old sick headaches that were hard to relieve, and I could not begin to say the amount of laxatives I have had to use. I slept so poorly that I dreaded to see night come for I knew I would get up feeling so tired and draggy I could hardly pull myself into my clothes.

Retonga gave me prompt and full relief. I relish hearty meals without discomfort. I haven't had one of those sick headaches in weeks; and the constipation has



MR. R. M. COCKRELL

been relieved, too. I feel like a different person. Retonga deserves everything good I can say about it".

Retonga is intended to relieve distress due to Vitamin B-1 deficiency, constipation, insufficient flow of digestive juices in the stomach, and loss of appetite. Retonga may be obtained in North Wilkesboro at HORTON'S Drug Store.—Adv.

AMONG THE COLORED FOLKS

Church — Society — Person

Mrs. Magalene Dale, who is employed in New York, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Witherspoon, this week-end.

Miss Elizabeth Redmon and Miss Thelma Denny, who are attending Teachers' College in Winston-Salem, spent Easter holidays with their respective parents.

Miss Ruth Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milas Graham, spent Saturday here, returning to school Sunday afternoon.

Misses Kitty Barber and Pauline Wellborn, who are attending La-Man's Beauty Shop, are visiting their parents.

Miss Joan Thomas was the week-end guest of Miss Naomi Pritch in Winston-Salem.

The Pastor's Aid Circle met on Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Jettie Turner. The president, Mrs. Rhodes, led the devotional. The business period was brief and only a few topics were discussed. The hostess served delicious refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Mission Circle No. 1 met on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Katy Denney was the hostess. The president, Mrs. Beale Turner, gave the Bible lesson and many interesting comments were made on the lesson. The business hour was presided over by the vice president, Mrs. Davenport. The hostess served a delicious ice course.

Mrs. Mary Farmer visited her step-mother, Mrs. Alice Alexander in Sparta this week.

Mrs. Earl Campbell's sister spent the Easter holidays with Mrs. Campbell.

The Easter egg hunt given by the children of the Sunshine Band was well attended Monday evening at 4 o'clock.

Wilkes Scout Group Plans Camp Action

Camporee and summer camp plans were discussed at the meeting of the Wilkes District Committee, Boy Scouts of America, held at the Wilkes hotel Tuesday night, April 3. J. B. Carter, district chairman, presided at the meeting.

Several sites for the district Camporee, May 5-6, were considered. Selection was left to joint action of the commissioner staff, camping and health and safety committees. The Old Hickory Council Camporee will be held at Bluff Park, May 19-20. Patrols earning blue pennant rating at the district camporee will be eligible to attend.

Opening of Camp Lesater, the council-operated camp near Winston-Salem was announced as of June 17. It will close on July 14, after four weekly periods. Scouts planning to attend must register by May 15, according to J. H. C. Thomas, assistant executive, who will serve as camp director. Bulletin and application blank may be obtained from the scoutmaster by the individual scout.

Efforts to get the Cub Pack at North Wilkesboro back in operation were reported by Robert S. Gibbs, organization and extension chairman. He also told of a meeting of rural leaders on March 22, with representatives present from Cricket, Mulberry, and Trap Hill. G. R. Andrews announced that meetings of a newly-organized troop sponsored by the Baptist church would begin next week.

Gordon Finley, district commissioner, discussed plans for the district camporee. Plans for commissioner visits to troops to help them get started on camporee preparations were announced.

The Green Thumb Victory Garden Campaign to get scouts to plant half a million Victory Gardens was explained. Efforts will be made to have hearty participation by the scouts of Wilkes district.

The fifth sessions of the leaders' training courses will be held Thursday night, beginning at 7:30 at the Presbyterian church.

Committee members present were J. B. Carter, Robert S. Gibbs, Carl Van Deman, Paul Osborne, John Leyshon, Jack Swafford, Jas. M. Anderson, L. M. Nelson, Gordon Finley, Richard E. Gibbs, Paul S. Cragan, J. H. C. Thomas and G. R. Andrews.

News Of Reamer The Past Week

Rev. S. I. Watts filled his regular appointment Sunday at Lebanon and Oxford Memorial.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watts and daughter, Ora Lee, and Miss Blanche Adams, all of Taylorsville, spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Watts.

Mrs. A. F. Greer and daughters, Ruth and Jewel, and Miss Mary Ella Greer, visited Mrs. Greer's mother in Taylorsville Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Cain and Mrs. Homer Carlton, Jr., were visitors to Taylorsville Wednesday.

Pvt. Ellisha Earp has returned to Camp Butner after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Earp.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Earp and family, of Valdese, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen hall, of Marion, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Laxton over the week-end.

Easter was a glorious Sabbath day and many found rest in God's house. Were you there to share the blessing?

Mr. B. G. Earp and Rev. S. I. Watts were business visitors to Winston-Salem Tuesday.

Miss Eva German is a patient at the Wilkes hospital with a broken knee, caused by a fall from the barn loft. We hope she soon recovers. The accident happened Tuesday.

Birthday Dinner

The four children of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Bullis, who live in Burlington and Graham, and their families spent the Easter holidays with their parents in Wilkes at Adley. Easter Sunday being the birthday of Mrs. Mac Bullis' mother, Mrs. Walter Ferguson, she prepared a surprise birthday dinner for her and invited her mother to take dinner with them. A long table was prepared out in the yard and it was well filled with good things to eat. There were a large number of children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren present. One end of the table was piled high with packages containing birthday presents for Mrs. Ferguson. There were also several friends of the family present. Everyone stood around the table and watched with pleasure while Mrs. Ferguson unwrapped the gifts. Then thanks were returned and the nice dinner was enjoyed by all.—Reported.

OUR BOYS

SGT. WALTER HARROLD HOME ON FURLOUGH

Pvt. Claude Dancy recently spent a 14-day furlough at the home of Mr. John Dancy. He also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Porter and Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Roscoe Brown in Lenoir. At the end of his furlough he reported to Fort Meade, Md.

SGT. WALTER HARROLD HOME ON FURLOUGH. Sgt. Walter Harrold recently spent a few days furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Harrold, of Hays.

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Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Edward M. Laws, late of Wilkes county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned, whose address is North Wilkesboro, N. C., duly verified, on or before the 28th day of February, 1946, or this notice will be plead in bar of their right to recover. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 28th day of February, 1945. TURNER A. LAWS, Administrator of the estate of Edward M. Laws, De'd. 4-9-6tM

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