

VIRGINIA GOOD WILL MOTORCADE HERE TUESDAY

Members of Third Annual Goodwill Tour of Southwestern Virginia Will Stop Here for Lunch

The members of the Third Annual Goodwill tour, of Southwestern Virginia, Inc., numbering about one hundred and fifty will be in Forest City next Tuesday, August 21. The motorcade will be met by a committee from Forest City and will be escorted into town by the mounted motorcycle police. The motorcade members will be in Forest City for luncheon, and the local reception committee is planning a program for their benefit, which will open with a welcome address, followed by musical numbers.

The local reception committee requests business houses to display flags in front of their places of business. All Forest City people are also requested to park their cars on the town parking grounds in order to permit ample parking space for the visitors.

The purpose of the tour, and their itinerary is as follows:

Itinerary

At eight o'clock Monday, August 20th, the Third Annual Goodwill Tour of Southwestern, Va., Inc., will leave the hospitable town of Marion, Va., with the strains of a band awakening the citizenry.

Short stops will be made at Chilhowie, Abingdon and Bristol, and in each a program will be rendered.

Johnson City will meet the motorcade with a band and have the street flags all out. The fine new hotel, the John Sevier, will provide the tourists with lunch, in company with the Chamber of Commerce. Ex-Governor Alf Taylor of Tennessee will dignify the Johnson City gathering.

North Carolina to Greet Motorcade

Reviewing the mighty Glantzstoff and Bemberg plants at Elizabethton, the party will wander into the progressive state of North Carolina, but not alone. The live Secretary of the Charlotte Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Kuester, will come all the way to Johnson City and meet with the tourists at lunch, escorting them into Asheville, spending the night at the Kenilworth Inn with the party and making the entire next day with it to Charlotte. He, however, is not alone in this, for almost every Chamber of Commerce Secretary along the itinerary is meeting the motorcade in the towns ahead. The Virginia motor cop will be assisted in both Tennessee and North Carolina by state and city cops. At no time after leaving Virginia will there be less than three motor cops to guard the safety of those en route. The town of Spruce Pine will greet the visitors in the initial North Carolina stop.

Spend Monday Night in Asheville

The party will arrive in Asheville about 7:30 and it will be led direct to the Kenilworth Inn, one of Asheville's most popular resort hotels, where a banquet will be served, and the night spent in the "Land of the Skies." Mr. Marvel, manager of this splendid resort hotel, is reserving rooms to care for the party, which it is necessary to limit to one hundred and fifty, since the motorcade will reach Asheville at the peak of the resort season and under no circumstance could more than this number be properly cared for. Starting at 8:30 the motorcade will be shown the high spots of Asheville until ten, when it will drop over to Chimney Rock. After viewing this beautiful freak of nature the party will stop for almost an hour to swim or motorboat ride at Lake Lure, which is all its name implies.

Luncheon in Forest City

Lunch the second day will be had in Forest City, from which the motorcade will go to Shelby, the home of the next Governor of North Carolina, O. Max Gardner. He will be on the splendid program being sponsored by the Shelby Kiwanis Club. From Shelby the party will journey to Gastonia, the "Combed Yarn Center of the South." The tourists will see many of the one hundred cotton mills in this County, which ranks third in

COUNTY CLUB TO HEAR PROGRAM ON COUNTY AFFAIRS

Prof. D. H. Sutton, A. B. Bushong and Mr. W. G. Harris Will be Principal Speakers at August Meeting

Spindale, Aug. 14.—The August meeting of the Rutherford County Club will be held in the First Baptist church, of Rutherfordton, Tuesday, August 21, according to the secretary, Mr. Ivy Cowan.

The program will be devoted exclusively to county affairs. D. H. Sutton, vocational agricultural instructor in the Cool Springs high school, will be present and talk of his work in the Cool Springs school, and will give an account of some of the outstanding accomplishments of his class. Prof. A. B. Bushong, teacher of agriculture in the Ellenboro school, will also discuss the work of the Ellenboro agriculture department.

Mr. W. G. Harris, chairman of the county board of Commissioners, will tell of the work of the state association of county commissioners and will briefly outline the county government laws.

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve the dinner.

D. L. SIMMONS DIES IN SPINDALE

Sixty Year Old Citizen Succumbs After a Lingering Illness

Spindale, Aug. 14.—D. L. Simmons, aged 60 years, died at his home here in Stonecutter village Saturday morning after a lingering illness.

Funeral services were held at Mt. Pleasant, Cleveland, Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mr. Simmons is survived by his widow, ten children, and three sisters, as follows; Ethel, Virgil, Mae, Odell, Zelma, Lula, G. E., Dan, Juanita and D. L. Simmons, Jr. The brothers are C. Simmons and W. Simmons, of Cliffside and V. Simmons, of West Virginia.

Rev. O. L. Simpson, associate editor of the Methodist Sunday school board, of Nashville, Tenn., preached to a large audience at the Methodist church here Sunday morning. Mr. Simpson was at one time pastor of the local church. He was pastor of the Brevard Methodist church a short while after leaving Spindale. His well deserved promotion came about two years ago, and since that time he has had charge of the publishing some of the most important literature used in the Methodist Sunday school.

cotton spinning in America. In going into Charlotte for the night the party will stop at the Hotel Charlotte, the largest and finest in this city. Leaving Charlotte the Tour will move through Concord and view the largest towel factory in the world, going to Salisbury for a social hour. At Lexington a short stop will be made before taking lunch at the grand R. E. Lee Hotel at Winston-Salem.

Inspect Tobacco Plant

After inspecting the huge tobacco companies in the twin city the Goodwill party will go by Pilot Mountain to Mt. Airy. After a brief meeting they will journey by the former home of Sidney Allen, who is remembered because of his connection with the Hillsville tragedy. A courtesy call will be made at Hillsville, where a great number of Carroll Counties will welcome the tourists back to their native state. One of the most interesting events of the entire three day trip will be the lawn picnic supper in Galax. The newly organized Galax Chamber of Commerce will have the reception in hand, and the people of Galax are always awake in the matter of greeting visitors to their city.

P. A. Goodwin, Lee Long, Powell Chapman, C. B. Neel, C. C. Lincoln, and several dozen others have already made reservations, and everything points to the maximum of one hundred and fifty being reached by the end of this week.

Head of Township Schools



SUPT. J. W. EAKES

Patrons and friends of the Township Schools are looking forward to a most successful school term. With splendid corps of principals and teachers, and under the guidance of Supt. J. W. Eakes, the children of the Cool Springs Township Schools should make great progress during the next term, which begins Monday, September 3.

RUTHERFORD COUNTY HISTORICAL COMMISSION TO ERECT MARKERS

Commission to Recognize Four Historic Spots of County. Two To Be Marked Soon

Spindale, Aug. 13.—At a meeting of the Rutherford County Historical Commission, held here Friday evening, definite steps were taken to mark four historic spots in Rutherford county. The Commission will undertake the erection of markers at two of these places within a short time, and upon completion of this work will mark the remaining spots.

The commission is composed of members representing the Forest City and Rutherfordton Kiwanis Clubs and the Rutherford County Club.

At the meeting Friday evening, Dr. G. R. Gillespie announced that the Town of Forest City would undertake the erection of a suitable shaft and marker on the west end of the plaza commemorating the valor of Capt. H. D. Lee's Burnt Chimney's Volunteers, later Company D, 16th Regiment, who were the first to enter service from the county in 1861. Burnt Chimney Volunteers used the present plaza in Forest City as a muster ground, and the entire personnel of the company was drawn from the immediate vicinity. The Commission will sponsor the erection of this marker, and it has been suggested that the shaft should take the form of a chimney, on which will be placed a suitable bronze tablet.

The second marker will be erected by the Commission on the site of the Bechtler mint on corner of Sixth and Washington Streets in Rutherfordton, and will be financed by the commission through plans now being worked out.

After the erection of these two markers the Commission expects to place a marker at Brittain Presbyterian church, which will bear the date of the establishment of the church; will commemorate the Indian massacre of 1776, which occurred nearby, and will call attention to the old Indian Fort which stood a short distance from the original church. Another marker will be placed on site of old Gilberttown which was the camp of Ferguson in September, 1780; home of William Gilbert, an early citizen of much prominence, who represented the county many times in the legislative halls of the state, and at whose home the magistrates met and held court frequently between 1780 and 1790.

Messrs. H. L. Carpenter and J. L. Taylor, of Rutherfordton were selected as sponsors for the Rutherfordton marker, and Rev. G. R. Gillespie and Clarence Griffin were selected as the sponsors of the Forest City marker.

The commission adjourned to meet at the call of county historian Clarence Griffin.

SHERIFFS OF STATE IN CONVENTION AT RUTHERFORDTON

Officials From Every Part of State Gather for Three Day Session

Rutherfordton, Aug. 15.—Sheriffs and their families from every part of North Carolina arrived in Rutherfordton Tuesday for the annual meeting of State Sheriff's Convention.

Attorney M. L. Edwards delivered an address of welcome Tuesday afternoon at the initial meeting in the court house. Tuesday Charles E. Boger, superintendent of Jackson Training school, spoke on "Cooperation between the officials of the state and the training school." He urged the Sheriffs to cooperate with all state agencies in developing young manhood and to check the crime wave now sweeping over the state.

A business meeting was held at the court house Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. It was originally scheduled to take the visiting sheriffs to

Lake Lure, where they would be given a boat ride, a barbecue dinner at one o'clock, which was to have been followed by an address. However, the inclement weather prevented the proposed trip and sight seeing tour. The closing business session will be held this morning (Thursday) at 10 o'clock, after which the sheriffs will visit Hendersonville, Asheville and other points in western North Carolina on a sightseeing tour.

WAYSIDE GANG, "VACATIONS OVER"

Only a few have expressed themselves about our luncheon on Tuesday evening, August 21. Why not call and let us know. We must know by Monday noon, in order to let Mr. Blanton know how many plates to serve. The cost is only seventy-five cents each plate.

Wayside Brown says he is coming up. Come on Gangsters and gangstresses and let's have a good attendance as we had no meeting in July. Call 125, Forest City. Do it now.

Had a good trip, Got stung on the lip, By a hornet—goshdarnit.

Miss Mildred Collins spent last week at Lake Lure.

SCHOOLS OF COOL SPRINGS TOWNSHIP TO OPEN SEPT. 3

Registration of New High School and Grammar Students to Take Place August 24

The Cool Springs Township schools will open Monday September 3, according to an announcement made this week by Superintendent J. W. Eaks. In order to save time in organization, it has been decided to register all beginners, eighth grade students and new pupils who have moved to Forest City since the close of last term, Friday morning, August 24, at 10 a. m. The beginners and all new grammar grade pupils will be registered at the grammar school auditorium. The new eighth grade students from Alexander, Bostic, Mt. Pleasant and Forest City grammar schools also all new high school pupils will be registered at the same time at the high school auditorium.

It is requested that parents buy books at an early date for their children. Books are now on sale at the Peoples Drug Store. No doubt that many people will come to Forest City from other communities for books. For this reason, it will be best to play safe now and buy books while you can.

The English books and Health books will be changed this year. This statement is made in order that parents will not buy second hand English and Health books.

Further announcement about the schools will be made in the next issue of The Courier.

DEATH CLAIMS MRS. MONROE LOVELACE

Well Known Lady of Mooresboro Died Suddenly Saturday Morning

Mooresboro, Aug. 14.—Mrs. Monroe Lovelace, of this place, a native of Rutherford county, and wife of Surveyor A. M. Lovelace, was found dead in bed at her home Saturday morning at 6:30 o'clock. When she retired Friday night she seemed to be in her usual health. She was seventy-three years of age and was a member of one of the most prominent families of this community.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2:30 at Sandy Run Baptist church, Mooresboro. Rev. Z. D. Harrill, was in charge, assisted by Rev. J. W. Suttle and Rev. A. T. Stoudenmire. Nephews of Mrs. Lovelace acted as pallbearers, and the nieces were flower girls.

Mrs. Lovelace is survived by her husband, four children, Dr. T. C. Lovelace, Henrietta; Professor W. M. Lovelace, principal, Henrietta - Carolina High School; Mrs. Charles Lee Daniels, Williamston, N. C.; and Mrs. S. D. Burrus, Asheville, one sister, Mrs. Matt McBrayer, Sr., of Rutherfordton, and one brother, John Wilkins, of Rosewell, New Mexico.

PETTY'S SHOPPE TO OPEN ABOUT SEPT. 1.

Mr. C. A. Petty, former manager of Carroll & Byers, this city, who resigned July 1st, to perfect plans for entering business in his own name, announced this week that he had rented the Bradley storeroom, near Mayor's office, and will open for business about September 1st.

The new store will be known as Petty's Shoppe and will feature ladies' novelties and interior designing and decorating. Mr. Petty is an expert decorator and will carry a complete line of materials.

Mr. Petty has made hosts of friends since coming to Forest City, all of whom predict that he will make a success in his new venture. He has a lovable personality and is clever and accommodating. His business experience has been such as to thoroughly qualify him for his new enterprise. He came here from Gaffney, where for a number of years he was assistant manager of the well known firm of Carroll & Byers.

DIES OF INJURIES WHEN AUTO SKIDS INTO FLOYDS CREEK

Car Goes Over Fill Near Alexander and Kills Mr. A. T. Jones, The Driver

Mr. Albert Jones, aged about sixty years, died at 8:30 Tuesday night at his home near Shiloh church, of injuries received at six o'clock Tuesday evening in an auto accident at Floyd's Creek, near Alexander.

Mr. Jones, who had been to Alexander, was on his way to his home near Shiloh late Tuesday afternoon. When nearing Floyd's Creek he approached a wagon and team. The mules were nervous and scared and Mr. Jones slowed down. It is presumed that in attempting to pass, and at the same time watch the team he steered the car too near the side of the road. The car began skidding down the fill and turned over and landed in the creek. The broken glass cut Mr. Jones in several places about the body and the steering wheel also injured him. The car landed in the creek.

Mr. Smith Luckadoo ran down the bank and pulled Mr. Jones out. Mr. Joe Doggett, who lives nearby, assisted in getting him home. He died from his injuries shortly after arrival at home.

Mr. Jones is survived by his wife and four children: T. A. Jones, of Hendersonville; Willie Jones, a merchant of near Shiloh; Reid Jones, a student at Boone, and Mrs. Grover Collins, of near Oakland.

Funeral services were held at Shiloh Baptist church Thursday (today) and was in charge of his pastor.

Mr. Jones was a prominent farmer of the Shiloh community. For a great number of years he had been a teacher in the schools of Rutherford county and there were but few schools in the county in which he had not taught.

He was a member of the Baptist church and took an outstanding part in its work.

He was a large landholder, and owned a fine farm in the Shiloh community where he lived.

GOLDEN VALLEY

Bostic, R-4, Aug. 13.—Rev. K. N. Snipes preached his first revival service yesterday morning at Golden Valley Methodist church. Services will be early in the morning and 7:45 o'clock at night. Everybody invited to attend all services.

The revival closed at First Broad Baptist church last night. The preaching was fine.

A flood swept Golden Valley section last Friday night and did much damage to most every one. It was the worst since 1916. Last night we had a severe storm but did not damage crops so bad. We are hoping to get dry weather for a while now.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Melton, August 6, a little daughter, Thelma Sue.

Miss Jewell Anderson spent Saturday night with Miss Inez Houser.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Houser Sunday were the following: Mr. Joe Logan and family, of Casar, Mr. Bedford Beaty and family, of Spindale, Mr. Julius Hensley, of Gilkey, Misses Minnie Houser, Nannie and Mary Melton, Messrs. Robert Freeman, Jack Anderson, Berr Rolins, Guy Melton, Adam Propes and Fred Melton.

Misses Susie and Ruth Hunt and their brothers, Messrs. Webb and Wayne of Shelby, attended the revival at First Broad Baptist church last week.

Mr. Ben McCurry and family, visited at Cliffside Sunday.

Rev. K. N. Snipes was the guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Propes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Black and Mrs. Sarah Melton all of Ellenboro, were visitors in this community yesterday.

Mr. Ben Black of Texas, is visiting around this section.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Hunt are both very sick. We hope for them a speedy recovery.