

FUNERAL HELD FOR NELLIE SCOGGINS

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scoggins Died Wednesday—Funeral Held Last Thursday.

Forest City, R-2, April 20.—Nellie Lee Scoggins, aged 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scoggins, died in the Rutherford hospital Wednesday after a short illness. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at two o'clock from the Shiloh Baptist church, with Rev. Pink White,

Rev. B. M. Hamrick, Rev. M. M. Huntley, Rev. George D. Davis and Rev. T. A. Jones in charge of the service. Interment followed in the Shiloh cemetery.

She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scoggins, of the Shiloh community and two sisters, Maude and Sarah Mae Scoggins, at home.

The pall bearers were Frank Scoggins, A. J. Williams, Aden Williams, Clyde Banning, Fred Banning, Horace Scoggins.

Nellie was a member of the Shiloh Baptist church, where she was active in church work. She was born August 17, 1914, and would have been seventeen years of age next August.

GIRLS RIOT AND SET FIRE TO JAIL

Rosa Mull, of This County, Was Among Rioters—Burned Hall at Samarcand.

Lumberton, April 20.—Firemen and police were called and some of them were injured before a riot and fire, started in the Robeson county jail late Wednesday by six of the 16 girls held for burning a building at Samarcand, was quelled. Tearing up their bunks, and setting them on fire, ripping down electric light fixtures and breaking out windows and all furniture they could reach, the girls spread terror in the jail for almost an hour.

When he discovered the flames, Jailer Austin Smith turned the prisoners into a corridor to save them from smothering. There they continued their rioting. Tearing out window sashes, they attacked the jailer, cutting one of his fingers almost off and slashing his face with glass. Sheriff P. S. Kornegay was similarly attacked when he arrived.

Arriving firemen were treated similarly, Chief Ed Glover receiving cuts. Rural Policeman Clyde Wade received an ugly head wound and Solicitor T. A. McNeill was slightly hurt when a heavy dish of food was thrown in his face.

Finally the insurgents were overcome by superior strength, new cells, containing no furniture, were prepared, and the outbreak was halted.

The girls who took part in the riot, all of whom are awaiting trial for participation in the burning of two buildings at the state institution for delinquent girls, are:

Margaret Pridgen, of Wilmington; Virginia Hays, of Leaksville; Marion Mercer of Ayden; Josephine French of Haw River; Delorise Sewell, of Cove City and Rosa Mull of Rutherfordton.

Redistricting Scheme Complete

Raleigh, April 20.—After over three hours of debate, the house committee Thursday had finished a scheme for the redistricting of state senatorial districts.

It will be the fifth plan presented to the house this session and combines features of all the plans. It is based on a compromise to satisfy the demands of a majority of the members of the house.

Under this arrangement the twenty-seventh senatorial district will be composed of Rutherford, Cleveland, Henderson and Polk. McDowell county, at present one of the group in this district, will be placed in the twenty-eight district with Burke and Caldwell. The new twenty-seventh district will elect two senators.

O. D. Barrs Swims After His Fugitive

Newton, April 18.—Sheriff O. D. Barrs and Deputy S. G. Jones have won reputations in swimming bouts recently. A few days ago while out on a liquor raid on the South Fork river about 200 yards from a mill pond belonging to Sanford Cline, the officers happened on a still and about 1,000 gallons of beer.

After destroying the beer they decided to wait awhile to see if someone would come up. While the officers were in hiding two men came up to look over the situation, but were soon surprised by the appearance of the officers. Making a dash for liberty, they headed for the mill pond and sprang in, but Sheriff Barrs and Jones showed their sportsmanship by hopping in after them. Then it was that the swimming contest began. Jones could not show the speed the Sheriff had, and failed to get his man, but the sheriff went on across and nabbed his man when he hit the bank on the other side. He was brought to Newton and lodged in jail to await a hearing in Records court.

MISS RUCKER HONORED.

Rutherfordton, April 20.—Miss Elizabeth Rucker, talented daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Rucker has been selected as one of the attendants to the queen at the May Day Festival to be given on May 2nd, at Duke University. Miss Rucker is one of twelve young ladies in the University who were selected.

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REV. T. M. STRIBLING NOW AT SPINDALE

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The following is from Editor Isaac London of the Rockingham, N. C. Post-Dispatch and appeared in that paper last week. Commenting personally on Rev. Stribling, Editor London says:

"Mr. Stribling is an able minister and a most likeable gentleman and you will like him."

"It is with genuine regret not alone to his Presbyterian congregation, but to the community generally, that Rev. T. M. Stribling and wife are leaving Rockingham.

"They left today for their new home in Spindale, two miles east of Rutherfordton, where he will supply the Presbyterian churches of Spindale and Forest City, four miles distant.

"Mr. Stribling has been in the ministry for 26 years, having graduated at Louisville Seminary; he was born at Westminster, S. C. Before coming to Rockingham, Sept. 1, 1926, he was pastor at Waynesboro, Georgia. He was Moderator for Mecklenburg fall Presbytery, 1929. During his pastorate of the Rockingham Presbyterian church, he has been popular and earnest in his work. He was always ready in cooperating with the other denominations, in holding union services; and this spirit will be missed in his departure.

"Mr. and Mrs. Stribling have one son, Ross M. Stribling, who graduated from Clemson in 1929, and who is now chief textile chemist in the American Enka Rayon plant at Asheville.

"Our Rockingham people feel that in the leaving now of Mr. and Mrs. Stribling, the Presbytery of Mecklenburg is loser and Kings Mountain Presbytery is the gainer."

REV. T. L. JUSTICE NEW PASTOR AT KINGS MOUNTAIN

The Kings Mountain Herald last week carried a picture of Rev. Thos. Logan Justice on the front page. He is the new pastor of the First Baptist church of that place and is a native of Rutherfordton and a son of Rev. T. B. Justice. His uncle, Rev. C. B. Justice, was pastor of the Baptist church here for thirty-seven years. Commenting further the Kings

Mountain paper said: "Our new pastor, Rev. T. L. Justice received his literary training in the schools of North Carolina and his theological training in the Moody Bible Institute, also the Crozer Theological Seminary at Upland, Penn., and is well equipped for his pastoral work."



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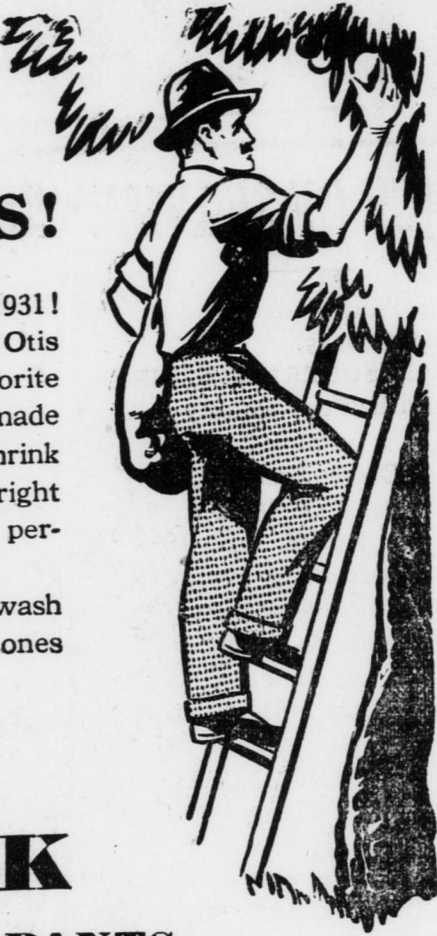
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