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## NEWS FROM KELFORD

### Returns From Trip Through North Carolina—Attended Water Carnival—Personal Items

Mrs. Paul Leicester, Mrs. Paul E. Tyler, Mr. J. C. Cherry and several others of Kelford whose names we did not learn, spent Friday shopping in Norfolk and Portsmouth.

Mr. C. M. Parker spent Saturday and Sunday in Wake Forest.

Pastor M. P. Davis of Kelford Baptist church, administered the ordinance of baptism to six candidates in the church pool last Sunday morning.

Mr. E. E. Tynes, who is employed as guard by the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co., at the Roanoke River bridge and spends his spare time gardening, pulled a watermelon from his patch last week that tipped the scales at fifty and one-half pounds. This is the largest melon ever seen in Kelford.

Don't miss the play, "17" to be presented by Roxobel Kelford talent on September 2nd at Roxobel Kelford High School.

Mr. Martin and family of Scotland Neck have rented rooms from Mr. C. L. L. Cobb and moved in last week. He will engage in the retail dressed lumber business, handling any thing from one plank to a car load. The people of Kelford are glad to welcome him and wish him success.

Mr. D. P. McCain, principal of Roxobel Kelford School, has rented a home in Kelford and will bring his family here at the opening of the school term, September 13th. The people of Kelford will be glad to give him a welcome and will leave no stone unturned to make his stay happy and profitable.

Mr. L. R. Modlin attended the entertainment given by the Merchants Association of Richmond, Va., last week and had a royal time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tyler, Messrs P. T. Roane, Paul Leicester, Geo. T. Parker and Hobart Austin attended the Water Carnival at Norfolk, Va., last Thursday and were delightfully entertained with some six or seven hundred other Tar Heels on an excursion down the bay on the palatial steamer, Pennsylvania of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., given by the Wholesale Merchants Association of the city of Norfolk. The committee in charge headed by Mr. Charlie Pincus left nothing undone to make the occasion one of delight for the guests.

Mr. Hugh Lee Cobb, of Harrisburg, Pa., and his sisters, Mrs. Norfleet and Mrs. Ruffin, of Kelford, returned last Friday evening from a trip through North Carolina's Sapphire country. Leaving Kelford on Monday they visited Washington, Fayetteville, Southern Pines, Charlotte, Gastonia, Ashville, Waynesville, Canton, Blowing Rock, Boone, Wilkesboro, Winston-Salem, High Point, Greensboro, Durham and Raleigh, traveling eleven hundred miles in five days and viewing the many beautiful panoramic scenes along the route. Mr. Cobb is one of the outstanding young men who was reared in Bertie county and has gone to other parts and made good. He was born in Hertford county, but came to Kelford with his father and mother when less than one year old and grew to manhood here. He attended the public schools of Kelford and spent his spare time in Parker's blacksmith shop. On reaching man-

## Conference of Teachers, Parent-Teacher Associations and Committeemen at Jackson School

Wednesday, Sept. 1, 9 A. M. Devotional Exercises. The Relation of a Principal to the Elementary School—L. C. Brodgen, State Supervisor.

Standard Tests as Aids in Elementary Education—A. W. Oakes, Jr.

Devices and Enterprises in Which Parent-Teacher Associations and Schools Should Cooperate—Mrs. Thos. R. Everett. School Attendance—A Cooperative Need, discussion led by Supt. Long.

Meaning of Parent's Week—Supervisor. 1:30 P. M.

Music (Demonstration of Use of Victrola.)

Music Appreciation—Presentation of Tablet won by Rich Square 1926.

Community Needs That Should be Filled by Parent-Teacher Associations—Hon. Gilbert Stephenson.

Types of Parent Teacher Programs Desirable—L. B. Gunter, Former Principal of Woodland-Olney.

Discussion led by Supt. Long. Two Associations volunteering will be selected as demonstration centers for the year.

Short Speeches by Other Educational Officers of County, Health Officer, Farm Agent, Home Demonstration Agent.

Announcement of Committees. Meeting of Parent-Teacher Officers (Private.)

County Council Meetings Necessary During Year—Definite Plans—Discussion led by Mrs. Henry Holoman.

Election of Officers for 1926-'27.

## New Millinery Business

Mrs. G. F. Elliott left Monday for Baltimore to take instruction in the millinery business at the old established house of Armstrong, Cater & Co. and while there will purchase a Fall stock of millinery. On her return she will open in the building formerly occupied by Mrs. Stokes.

hood he connected himself with the Old Dominion Paper Co. of Norfolk, Va. On leaving there he joined the force of the Chatfield-Wood Paper Co., of Pittsburg, Pa., where he has risen from salesman to branch manager for that progressive concern. Seeing that it was inevitable for the United States to keep out of the World War, he asked for a leave of absence from his duties with the Chatfield-Wood people and enlisted as a private in the Navy of the United States. His promotion was fast and at the close of hostilities found him holding the rank of Ensign in the United States Navy and commanding a ship doing duty as a mine sweeper. On being discharged from the service he returned to Pittsburg and was honored with the position of manager of the Harrisburg branch of the Chatfield Wood Paper Co., where he has made a fine record as a progressive business man. He is now thirty five years old, tall, handsome, full of life and vigor and a splendid conversationalist. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity and is a Shriner and a member of Kelford Baptist church. His kinspeople and friends at Kelford are always glad to have him visit them.

## SEABOARD NEWS

There will be no preaching services at either the Baptist or Methodist churches on 5th Sunday. On Sunday evening, at 8 o'clock, the young people will give a pageant, entitled "Farmer Brown's Conversion to Christian Stewardship." They promise us not only an evening of entertainment, but many valuable bits of information. Everybody cordially invited.

The Rich Square B. Y. P. U. has an engagement to come here Sept 3 and present their play, "Out of Court." We have heard it drew a large and enthusiastic crowd in their home town and we feel sure our people will give them a crowded house here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Long and Mrs. J. T. Long left Saturday for Macclesfield for a few days visit to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown.

Miss Elizabeth Whitson, Portsmouth, Va., left Sunday after spending ten days with her friend, Miss Margaret Whitehead.

Misses Virginia Waddill, Victoria, and Louise Lambert, Rural Retreat, left Thursday after spending two weeks here, guests of Misses Alice and Gertrude Harris.

Mr. Owen Reese, High Point, arrived Sunday and is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Willie Reese.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Norvell and Mrs. J. G. Long left Monday for Richmond for a few days stay.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Harris and children, Elizabeth and Henry Russell, spent Wednesday in Richmond.

Mrs. Paul Pruden delightfully entertained the Sunbeams of the Seaboard Baptist church of which she is leader at her home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Robert White, Newport News, returned home Sunday after a few days visit to his mother, Mrs. Sallie White.

Mr. Rupert Buckwalter, Portsmouth, arrived Saturday and is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Russell Edwards.

Mr. Frank Hancock, Newark, N. J., is spending his vacation here with his aunt, Mrs. C. G. Matthews.

Mrs. Wm. A. Vincent and daughter Barbara, Vulture, were guests of her mother, Mrs. Bettie I. Pruden, Friday.

Master John Henry Long returned home Friday after a ten day visit to his sister, Mrs. Roy Brown, Macclesfield.

Mr. Clarence Whims and sister, Louise, Wake Forest, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Barnes.

Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Stancell and children, Raleigh, spent the past week here guests of Messrs B. S. and J. G. Stancell and sister, Miss Maud.

Miss Eva Lynch, White Plains, is the guest of her brother, Prof. H. M. Lynch, this week.

Misses Mamie Lee and Lillian Collier are guests of their friend, Miss Helen Bridges Parker.

Misses Bernice Gay and Katharine Maddrey, of Portsmouth, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gay.

Messrs Steve Robertson and Thomas Wright Nicholson, Littleton, were Sunday callers in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bradley and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Edwards.

Messrs J. L. Gay and Peter Spencer left Monday for Staunton for a week's stay.

Miss Virginia Gay left Tuesday for Richmond for a few days (Continued on page eight)

## SEVERN NEWS

Miss Modlin of Aulander is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. S. Long.

Mrs. J. N. Stephenson is quite ill at her home near here. Miss Staton, a nurse from Sarah Leigh Hospital, is with her.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howell, Miss Allie Howell and Mr. Thad Howell visited relatives near Galatia Sunday.

Miss Fannie Stephenson and brother, Samuel, have returned from a visit to her aunt, Mrs. A. J. Harrell, at Potocasi.

Mrs. J. J. Britt and children returned Friday from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Jim Limer, near Warrenton.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Watson spent Thursday and Friday at Ocean View, Va.

Mrs. H. P. Stephenson returned Sunday from her visit in Ridgeway.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. DeLoatche and little daughter, O'neil, of Shelby, are visiting his mother, Mrs. Sallie DeLoatche.

Misses Claire Howell, Willie Maddrey and Evelyn White returned Friday from their visit to Mrs. A. I. Hines, Suffolk, Va.

Mrs. H. P. Howell and children of Smithfield, N. C., are visiting relatives here.

Mr. Julian Porter has returned from a visit to relatives in Smithfield and Fayetteville.

Mrs. S. F. Mejia and Miss Carmen Mejia have concluded their visit to Mrs. Jno. Howell and returned to their home in Portsmouth, Va.

Mr. J. L. Joyner, who was quite sick several days last week is convalescent.

Quite a number of our people went on the S. A. L. excursion last Friday to Portsmouth, Norfolk and Ocean View.

Mr. G. A. Pruden spent the week-end in South Boston, Va., with his wife and daughter, who accompanied him home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Verona Hoggard leaves Thursday for Tuxedo, N. C., where she will teach the coming year.

Miss Mary Emma Long, who has been teaching in the summer school of the Kennedy Home is expected home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Pruden of Boykins, Va., spent Sunday evening with his mother, Mrs. G. W. Pruden.

School is expected to begin here Sept. 2nd. All children of school age are urged to be present the first day.

Mr. John Hoggard leaves Thursday for Boykins, Va., to visit his sister, Mrs. Earl Bryant before returning to Mars Hill to reenter school.

Mrs. Zulie Edwards and daughter, Miss Blanche, were guests of her mother, Mrs. India Johnson, last week.

Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Hodge will move Sept. 1st to the house left vacant by Mrs. Verona Hoggard.

## Seaboard High School

Seaboard High School opens on September 2nd. The principal wishes to urge upon the patrons the desirability and necessity of entering children the first day and keeping them in regular attendance thereafter.

There have been some faculty changes. We trust you will be on hand at the opening to meet the new teachers with a welcome and also to renew acquaintances with the old.

The principal desires to call a meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association for the first Monday night in September. Further

## Program for Teachers' Conference Jackson School, Tuesday, Aug. 31, 1926, 9:30 A. M.

Devotional Exercises. Introductory Remarks—County Superintendent.

Aims and Accomplishments for 1925-'26 and Objectives for 1926-'27—Supervisor.

Plans of the Principals in Regard to Daily Schedules—H. M. Lynch.

Exhibit of Material, Health, Seat work, etc. 1:30

Music. Plans for Teaching Citizenship in a Small School—Discussion led by Miss Eunice Dunn.

Plans for Teaching Citizenship in a Consolidated School—Discussion led by Mr. T. R. Everett.

Meeting by Groups. Primary Group—Reading Objectives for the Primary Grades. Means of Attaining These—Mrs. Schneider, Representative of B. F. Johnson Pub. Co.

Language Objectives for Primary Grades—Miss Hyman, Supervisor of Halifax County. Grammar Grade Group

Objectives in Language for Grammar Grades—Miss Parrott, Asst. State Supervisor.

Means of Attaining Objectives—Miss Minnie Taylor.

High School Teachers. How the Other High School Teachers May Help the English Teacher in the Use of Good Spoken and Written English—Miss Margaret Irby, Mrs. H. R. Harris.

Music Teachers. Most Helpful Extra-Curricular Activities for Music Teachers—Mrs. H. M. Lynch.

Ways of Securing and Supervising Musical Aid of Other Teachers in School—Discussion led by Mrs. Lynch.

## Grimes-Jessup

A pretty wedding took place Tuesday morning, Aug. 17, at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Ella G. Jessup, George, N. C., when her daughter, Miss Sibyl E. Jessup, became the bride of John Henderson Grimes, of Athens, Ga.

The house was prettily decorated and the ceremony, which took place before an altar of white trimmed with English ivy and cathedral candles, was performed by the Rev. J. P. Essex. The wedding music was played by Miss Virginia Boone, who wore a dress of rose colored georgette with a hat to match and a bouquet of Killarney roses. The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Henry W. Jessup, wore a dress of beige flat crepe and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses.

The bridegroom had as his best man Fred J. Ammons, of Raleigh, N. C. After the ceremony Mr. Grimes and his bride left for a motor trip through Western North Carolina and Georgia.

Those from out of town who attended the wedding were: Mrs. Annis Beaman, of Suffolk; T. A. Grimes, of Athens, Ga.; C. R. Grantham, F. J. Ammons, Dr. J. Frank Harris, of Raleigh; J. R. Broadhurst, of Salisbury, N. C., and Miss Amy C. Height, of Richmond.

announcements will be made. We should map out a plan and get to work early.

The boys and girls as well as the people of the community are highly delighted that a new, modern, up-to-date school plant will soon be under construction. H. M. LYNCH, Prin.

## GEORGE-WOODLAND NEWS

### Work On State Highway—New School Faculty—Crops Falling Rapidly—Personal News

Mr. Charles E. Brown, Philadelphia, spent the first part of this week here on business. Mr. Brown and his brother, Dr. Jesse H. Brown, of Philadelphia, own a valuable farm here.

Mr. A. W. Brown and daughter Miss Janie, who have been visiting relatives and friends near West Chester, Pa., for the past four weeks returned home a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Jessup and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ward and little girl, Ethel, returned a few days ago from Philadelphia where they went to visit friends and old acquaintances. While away they also visited the Sesqui-Centennial and reported a delightful time.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Rose and children and Mr. Wilfred Outland recently returned from an extended visit with relatives and friend in Erie, Pa. We understand Mr. and Mrs. Rose are to leave for Erie in the near future, where they will make their home. Mr. Rose has operated the Brown-Parker garage here for a number of years and has many friends in this community.

Mr. J. Thomas Copeland and wife and daughter, Miss Anna Copeland and little Josephine Futrell, who recently moved from here to make their home in Randolph County, near Ramseur, are here this week visiting friends and relatives and attending Friend's Yearly Meeting.

Mr. James Peele recently returned from an extended trip with his brother, Dr. Henry W. Peele, Woodtown, N. J.

Dr. C. Lyndon Outland, Greenville, spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Outland.

Mrs. Jane Futrell, widow of the late James N. Futrell, Edenton, is spending a few days here with her relatives and friends.

Mrs. Jane E. Brown who has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. L. B. Gunter, Fuquay Springs, for the past several weeks, returned home last week. She was accompanied by Mr. Gunter and baby.

Miss Ella Outland, who has been teaching Bible school in some of the remote mountain districts of Western North Carolina, returned home a few days ago. Miss Outland tells us she had some varied and wonderful experiences while doing this very interesting work. While people with whom she worked were very different from the people in the East in many respects, she thought they were about the best hearted people in the world.

Mr. E. G. Griffin and family, who have been been at their summer home at Ridgecrest for the past month, returned home a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. David H. Brown and children have just returned home from a visit to friends and relatives at Guilford College.

Mr. George Burgwyn, Jackson, is spending some time in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. S. Burgwyn.

Mr. W. E. Whisnant left a few days ago for Parkton, where he has accepted the position of principal of the High School for the ensuing year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Vaughan (Continued on page eight)