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Mrs. G. R. Eastham Dies Suddenly While On A Visit Here

Passes Away in Her Sleep Thursday Night At Home of Her Son, Mr. R. L. Eastham; Had Been Here Only Two Weeks; Body Taken To Virginia For Burial.

The community was saddened last Friday morning when it was made known that Mrs. G. R. Eastham had died suddenly during the night at the home of her son, Mr. R. L. Eastham, on South Main Street. The first that was known of her passing was when Mr. Eastham entered the room to build a fire Friday morning. She was 79 years of age and her passing was attributed to heart failure. Mrs. Eastham had been complaining slightly Thursday, but said she felt better that night, and her passing was a great shock to her relatives and friends.

The deceased had been living with her daughter in Harrisonburg, Va., during the summer and with her son here during the winter since the death of her husband three years ago, and she had only been here about two weeks on this last trip.

On her visits here, Mrs. Eastham had become known and loved by many friends, who greatly admired her for her gentle and lovable disposition and pleasing personality. Mrs. Eastham belonged to one of the oldest families of Harrisonburg, and was for a long time very prominent in the social and club activities of that city. She was a life long member of the Episcopal church.

The body was carried to the Virginia city Friday night, and funeral and burial services were held Monday. Prior to leaving here a short service was held in the home conducted by Rev. R. C. Masterton, Rector of St. Stephens Episcopal church, assisted by Rev. J. B. Black, pastor of the Presbyterian church of this place.

Surviving are, a daughter, Mrs. G. S. Hansberger of Harrisonburg, Va.; three sons, C. C. Eastham of Colorado Springs, Colo.; Major K. G. Eastham, U. S. A., of New Port, R. I.; and R. L. Eastham, editor of The Red Springs Citizen.

"Tarzan The Mighty" Now in Screen Form

The most thrilling and adventurous novel written has been brought to the screen by Universal and the Red Springs Theatre is proud to announce that it has scheduled the film version for showing here. The story, which Universal has made into a chapter play, is from Edgar Rice Burroughs' epochal book, "The Jungle Tales of Tarzan." The screen name is "Tarzan the Mighty."

Readers who have thrilled at the mere mention of the name Tarzan, will welcome this announcement. Tarzan—the ape-man—raised from childhood by a jungle ape—falling in love with the only white woman he had ever seen—protecting her from the terrors of the jungle—fighting the animals whose ruler he had once been—these and a thousand other attributes that spell romance, courage, strength, and adventure have been brought into the chapter play to hold and delight audiences.

"Tarzan the Mighty" will be here every week. Starting Friday and Saturday, Nov. 1st and 2nd with the first episode, "The Terror of Tarzan," a new one will appear every Friday and Saturday for fifteen weeks.

Frank Merrill, one of the country's outstanding athletes, will be seen in the starring role of Tarzan. Merrill has been an athlete from childhood. He is the holder of more than twenty championships in various branches of athletics.

Eureka Entertains Presbytery Meeting

Prominent Clergymen and Educators Address Splendid Gathering in Local Church.

The fall meeting of Fayetteville Presbytery convened in the Eureka Presbyterian church at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning and closed Wednesday afternoon. The meeting was a success from every standpoint. The attendance was good, much business was attended to, and the social contacts were most helpful. The dominant note of the Presbytery was "Evangelism," and special emphasis was placed on "Prayer."

The Tuesday morning session was taken up with the business of organization. The Rev. J. F. Meigs of Lillington, was elected Moderator. Union with the United Presbyterian church, was one of the most important questions up for consideration and it was finally decided to carry this over to the Spring session of Presbytery. Dr. Barron, of West Virginia spoke Tuesday evening on the "Ministerial Annuity Fund." Dr. C. G. Vardell, President of Flora Macdonald College, and Dr. Herman Jones, financial secretary, presented the financial needs of their school. Prof. Evans, of the Elise high school at Hemp, spoke in the interest of this institution.

On Wednesday morning at 11

NOTED ARTIST TO BE HERE NEXT MONDAY NIGHT

Michel Jacobs, Noted Sculptor, Painter, Lecturer and Author, Will Appear at Flora Macdonald College.

The first of a series of the artists' course given during the winter months at Flora Macdonald College, will be the presentation of the noted sculptor, painter, lecturer and author, Michel Jacobs, on Monday evening, November 4th, at 8 o'clock.

It was Mr. Jacobs, a Canadian by birth and citizen of the United States by choice, who captured the German gun now exhibited on Boston Common. As a portrait painter he distinguished himself in his portraits of "Uncle Joe" Cannon, the late Champ Clark, William Jennings Bryan, Senator Oscar Underwood—all of which hang in the Capitol at Washington. He has also painted portraits of a host of other celebrities in this country and abroad.

His work has been exhibited in the large galleries of Europe and America and many of them are privately owned.

When America entered the war, Mr. Jacobs enlisted in the United States Army, lectured on Camouflage in the Officers' Training Camp at Fort Monroe, Va., and went overseas with the 101st Engineers, Yankee Division, participating in six major engagements. The gun on Boston Common was brought in by Major Jacobs with the help of the 102nd Infantry. He was decorated by the Italian government for his services as officer in charge of men on leave. In 1919, he was honorably discharged and has since been advanced to Lieutenant Colonel, O. R. C.

After the war, Mr. Jacobs founded in New York City, the Metropolitan Art School where he teaches and puts into practice his new system of color

Robeson Ahead of Last Year In Cotton Ginning

Robeson County Gins More Cotton To Oct. 18th Than Last Year; And Leads State In Cotton Production.

There were 27,389 bales of cotton ginned in North Carolina prior to October 18, according to the preliminary cotton report of the Department of Commerce, which was made public October 25. This production is somewhat lower than the 1928 crop to the same date, which was 297,645 bales.

Robeson County ranks first in the State with 19,680 bales ginned, which is 592 bales more than last year, when there were 19,088 bales reported. Cleveland county ranks second in yield with 17,889 bales as against 7,134 last year; Harnett comes third with 17,106 bales, with 18,341 bales last year.

Pasquotank ranks lowest with 121 bales, which is quite a decrease from last year, when this county reported 665 bales. A significant fact of the report is the great number of counties reporting a decrease in production from last year. Of the 52 counties reporting, 38 have a decrease in production, while only 14 record an increase.

Robeson county, which has an increase, is completely surrounded by counties which were below last year's report.

Hallowe'en Party At Philadelphus Friday

There will be a Hallowe'en party given in the Philadelphus auditorium, Friday night, at 7:45, for the benefit of the athletic association. No admission will be charged to enter the party, but a small charge will be made to enter the different booths which conceal curios and other forms of entertainment. Stunts will also be pulled off during the evening. Another interesting feature of the evening will be the "Yo-Yo" contest in which everyone will be eligible to enter.

Everybody is urged to attend and enjoy an evening of pleasure while contributing to a worthy cause.

W. M. U. Organizations Give Program Sunday

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. S. F. Hudson, the Girls' Auxiliary and Sunbeam band, organizations of the women's work, presented a program at the eleven o'clock service Sunday morning at the Baptist church. The program, which consisted of songs, recitations and plays, was very interesting and much praise was accorded those who took part.

o'clock, the Rev. Carl B. Craig of Laurinburg delivered the regular doctrinal sermon.

The visitors appreciated greatly the splendid way in which the Eureka people entertained them, and the many courtesies shown them during the two days of Presbytery. Dinner and supper were served in the basement of the church, thus giving ample time for the delegates from the various churches to get acquainted.

Presbytery adjourned at 4 o'clock Wednesday to meet in Fayetteville on December 3.

MISS LOU SMITH DIES NEAR HERE LAST SUNDAY

Funeral Conducted By Rev. Geo. W. Hanna, Pastor of Antioch Presbyterian Church.

The many friends of Miss Lou Smith, who lived near Antioch, were sorry to learn of her death which occurred early Sunday morning. Although Miss Lou had been in declining health for several years, she was only seriously ill for about two hours.

The deceased was a faithful member of the Antioch Presbyterian church. Not only does this church feel a deep loss, but she will be greatly missed wherever she was known.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock from the home by Rev. Geo. W. Hanna, pastor of the Antioch Presbyterian church, and interment was in the Antioch cemetery.

Surviving are a sister and brother, Miss Margaret and Mr. Sterling Smith, who lived with her, and a brother, Mr. W. G. Smith of Pinebluff, Arkansas.

Baptist Women Meet At Green Springs Thur.

The 33rd annual session of the Woman's Missionary union of the Robeson Baptist Association was held with Green Springs Baptist church Thursday, October 24, the morning session convening at ten o'clock.

There were approximately 250 persons present, and twenty-five societies responded to the roll call. Leaders of a number of junior societies were also present. The program was a well planned one, full of both information and inspiration. The presence of a number of pastors gave impetus to the meeting. Good reports were made by officers and circle leaders. The dinner was bounteous and the gracious hospitality extended to the visitors left nothing to be desired.

The association received the banner for having the largest number of full-graded junior societies in the Wilmington division.

The installation service was conducted by Mrs. H. M. Baker, who expressed appreciation to the leaders of the work, Mrs. L. J. Moore, superintendent, and Mrs. I. P. Hedgpeth, junior superintendent, upon whose capable shoulders rests a large responsibility of the work. These ladies have rendered faithful service and their untiring zeal and constructive efforts have caused great advance to be made in all phases of the work.

Those attending the meeting from here were Mrs. L. M. Cook, Miss Linda Cook, Mrs. G. D. Ratley, Mrs. J. G. McGugan, Sr., Misses Anna and Nell DeVane and Mrs. S. F. Hudson.

SHANNON NEWS

Shannon, Oct. 29.—Mrs. C. D. Shook and her daughters, Mrs. Henry Brewer and Miss Wanda Shook, spent a few days in Statesville where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Shooks' father, Mr. Wilson, who died Friday. They returned home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Gibson and daughters, Misses Irene and Julia of McColl, S. C., were visitors Sunday of Mrs. Gibson's mother Mrs. S. W. Smith.

Miss Meta Klarrp who has been a patient at Highsmith's hospital for several weeks, is much better and will be able to come home in a few days.

Mrs. N. C. McMillan and Mrs. Frank Davis of Dundarrach visited Sunday in the home of Mrs. D. S. Klarrp.

Mr. George Klarrp and Mr. Tom Lovin attended church at Antioch Sunday.

Messrs Ted Wilson and Raymond Quick of High Point were Shannon visitors Sunday.

Miss Katie Quick is spending a few days in High Point.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Curry and family visited Sunday in the home of Mr. Spurgeon McLean of McDonald.

Mr. A. I. Smith and son, Frank, of Clio, visited Mrs. S. W. Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Downing of Fayetteville were the guests last week of Mrs. Downing's sister, Mrs. Ella Carter.

Economics Dept. Gives Demonstration Last Week At Burlington

F. M. C. Publicity Dept. At a regular meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church of Burlington, N. C., the faculty of the home economics department of Flora Macdonald College, was invited to display an exhibit of work done by this department on October 21st. Immediately after our arrival, we were served with a delicious buffet luncheon by the hostesses of the auxiliary.

The afternoon entertainment was varied with a delightful tea served by the auxiliary, our home economics exhibit and numbers rendered by the members of the faculty and students of Flora Macdonald school of music.

The musical program was as follows: Violin solo—"Salut d'Amour," by Elgar—Inez Kiker.

Violin solo—"Serenade," Drdia, "The Bee," Schubert—Mrs. Robeson. Vocal solo—"Thy Beaming Eyes," MacDowell, "My Star," Rogers—Lucile Morton.

Vocal solo—"Waters of Minnetonka," Leaurance, "Violin Obligato," "A Brown Bird Singing," Wood—Miss Mandeville.

Miss Ryland of foods and nutrition department extended thanks to the ladies of the Presbyterials for providing funds to furnish and maintain the practise house of this department.

Our exhibit, consisting of cakes, candies, rolls, jellies, fruit-juices and canned vegetables, demonstrated the work of the different classes. Posters of the various activities in the nursery school, made by Seniors, Margaret Burgess and Dora Huggins.

The textiles and clothing exhibit, supervised by the director, Miss Bell, and assisted by her pupils, Lorine Bryant, Anne Henry and Sallie Watts, was representative of the senior, junior, sophomore and freshman work done in this department. The exhibit displayed a varied assortment of coats, dresses, lingerie, articles of household furnishings exemplifying different types of stitchery, original designs, block prints, stencils and posters illustrating History of Costume.

The demonstration of gracious hospitality, so charmingly projected through the artistry of the decorations and the cordial entertainment extended to us by the Burlington Auxiliary was most heartily appreciated by our entire group from Flora Macdonald College.

House Burns On Fifth Ave. Sunday

Monday morning about one o'clock the inhabitants of Red Springs were roused from their slumbers, by the incessant sounding of the fire alarm. The cause of the commotion proved to be a burning residence on East Fifth avenue. The house was occupied at the time by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Phillips, who were awakened by their baby who was crying, seemingly from the smoke which was rapidly filling the room. It is said the smoke was first seen issuing from the closet, which was at one side of the fire place, and it is thought that the fire must have in some way caught from the fire place. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips managed to get most of their furnishings to safety, but they lost the majority of their clothing. The house was a total loss.

"Marianne" At The College Friday Night

Marion Davies' new picture, "Marianne," will be shown at Flora Macdonald College auditorium on Friday night at 8 o'clock. The picture is full of thrills, laughs and tears. Miss Davies plays the part of a French peasant girl, and Oscar Shaw, a New York musical star, plays opposite her in this comedy of post-war France.

Young Girl Buried At Lumber Bridge

Miss Lillie Graham, aged about 15 years, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Graham of Hopewell, Va., died Saturday and was brought to Lumber Bridge for burial. The funeral was conducted in the Baptist church by Rev. G. Scott Turner, pastor. Mr. Graham was the brother of Messrs Thad and Duncan Graham, recently deceased. The writer did not know Miss Graham but we do know the sorrow and heart-ache of a parent in the loss of a child. Our sympathies are with the parents and brothers in their great sorrow. Only God can help us in these hours of grief.

The interment was in the town cemetery. She was survived by her parents and three brothers. A large crowd of relatives and friends attended the funeral.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method of thanking our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and sympathy shown us in our recent bereavement.

A. D. McPhaul and family.

Lumber Bridge Man Shoots Brother And Wife Tuesday A. M.

Both Victims Are In Serious Condition, With Little Hope Held For Mrs. Johnson's Recovery.

Lumber Bridge, Oct. 29.—Frank W. Johnson, in a fit of insanity this morning, shot his brother, W. H. Johnson. They were talking of going to the fair at Fayetteville when all at once Frank shot Holt. Then he ran out of the house and shot him two more times. Some people passing the road saw the condition of W. H. Johnson and helped him to a colored man's house near by. An officer was notified. A car was soon obtained and he was rushed to Highsmith hospital. His wounds are serious, but hope is held out for his recovery unless status develops. Frank went into the house and when Sheriff McMillan arrived it was found that his wife had also been shot and was in a very serious condition. A physician was summoned and he ordered an ambulance and carried Mrs. Johnson to a hospital. Her condition is serious with little hope held for her recovery. Sheriff McMillan arrested Frank Johnson and had to tie his head between his knees as he was trying to bite the officers. These are the sons of the late Joel Johnson.

Judge Varser Talks To Local Rotarians Last Friday Night

Wives of Rotarians and Members of Graded School Faculty Guests On This Occasion.

The Red Springs Rotary Club held its weekly meeting at the Red Springs high school last Friday night. Guests for the evening included the wives of the Rotarians and members of the Red Springs Graded School faculty. There were about 85 people present in all.

Judge Varser of Lumberton was the main speaker of the evening and made an interesting and enthusiastic address on "Rotary and International Service."

A contest by five Rotarians on "Writing Toasts to Women" was won by Mr. James A. Graham.

Superintendent Fugh, representing a Frenchman, delivered an address in French, which was interpreted by the president of the Rotary club, Rev. A. J. Hobbs, Jr.

P. Y. P. L. Has Hallowe'en Party

The Young Peoples League of the Presbyterian church gave a delightful Hallowe'en party last Monday evening at the hut. Lovely autumn decorations were used. An attractive feature of the evening was a "Chamber of Horrors," where many horrible and ghastly things were encountered. The evening was passed by telling fortunes, toasting marshmallows, and many other Hallowe'en gaieties. At the close fruit punch and cakes were served.

Miss Lena Love Married Sunday

Miss Lena Farquhar Love and Mr. Otis Kinlaw surprised their friends by going to Bennettsville, S. C. Sunday and getting married.

Mrs. Kinlaw is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Love of this place. Mr. Kinlaw is a prosperous young business man of Fayetteville. They will make their home in Fayetteville.

"Show Boat" Will Be Enthralling Picture

The most gorgeous and colorful romance ever filmed.

That's Universal's super screen version of Edna Ferber's great novel, "Show Boat," which will be shown at the ed Springs Theatre Monday and Tuesday.

It is an enthralling picture from start to finish and brings the novel to the screen with a faithfulness which gives the finished product all the charm and verve of the book, only instead of reading the book you see it acted out before you in a vivid way by a powerful cast amid settings of great beauty.

"Show Boat" as a motion picture, it is predicted, will go down in screen history as one of the truly great pictures. It is a picture of such splendor and sweep that no one can afford to miss it.

Most of the action takes place on a Show Boat, one of those floating theaters which play the various landings along the Mississippi and Ohio Rivers. These full sized theaters built on boats still actually play the small river towns.

This is the first time they have ever been brought to the screen. The ever changing panorama of the Mississippi as the boat floats down it, the beautiful moonlit nights, the entrancing life on board the Show Boat—all are captured and presented with amazing beauty on the screen.

SATURDAY IS FOUNDER'S DAY AT F. M. COLLEGE

Dr. Ashley Chappel of Monroe To Be Speaker At Program Friday Evening; Alumnae Meeting At 2:00 Saturday Afternoon.

Founder's Day will be celebrated at Flora Macdonald College the week end of November 1st and 2nd. The local alumnae association has been busy planning entertainment for this celebration. Letters have gone out inviting the alumnae to come Friday afternoon in time for six o'clock dinner in the college dining room. Dr. Ashley Chappel, Pastor of the Methodist church, Monroe, N. C., will be the speaker. There will also be an hour of real pleasure—toasts, short after-dinner speeches, college yells and songs. The evening will be given over to informal visiting in the dormitories and a picture in the auditorium.

Saturday, November 2nd, is Founder's Day and a special program will be given in the auditorium at eleven o'clock. Dr. E. V. Babbs, of Laurinburg, will give the Founder's Day address. The fall business meeting of the General Alumnae Association will be held in the afternoon at 2 o'clock after which a reception in the parlors closes the day's festivities.

J. D. Odom Hooks Big Fish Monday

J. D. Odom has at last caught a fish. He even admits the feat himself very modestly, and adds that his line had been broken several times and had several knots in it and he was afraid all the time he was pulling the "whopper" to his boat that the fish would depart with a good hook share of the line, leaving him holding the pole. But, of course, while the fish was very excited, Mr. Odom was very calm and let his catch fight until it got tired, then it was eased into the boat of the triumphant fisherman. The fish was a trout; of the red fin species and weighed exactly eight pounds, so says Mr. Odom, although John McManus seemed to think the fish tipped the scales at nearer 7 pounds and 14 ounces.

Sometime ago Mr. J. T. Odom caught a large fish weighing 8-12 pounds and Mr. Arch McNeill caught a larger one. "J. D." says he may not be ahead, but he is up with the boys now. He also caught a 21-2 pound blackfish Monday. He was fishing in the old Johnson pond.

Mrs. A. D. McPhaul Passes Last Week

Dies Immediately Following Emergency Operation In Lumberton; Funeral Last Friday.

A death which saddened the whole of Allendale township and the surrounding sections of three counties occurred Wednesday, Oct. 23, when Mrs. A. D. McPhaul passed away at the Baker Sanatorium following an emergency operation.

The deceased was in her 48th year, had been in her usual good health up to late Tuesday afternoon when she was taken suddenly ill. She was rushed to the hospital and an operation performed in an effort to save her life but to no avail, death coming about six o'clock Wednesday evening.

Beside her husband, the deceased is survived by the following children, Hinton, Floyd, Catherine, Ruby Lou, John D., all at home, and Mrs. Lacy Balty of Bradenton, Fla.; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Currie; and the following brothers and sisters: H. F. Currie, Mrs. J. W. McPhaul, Mrs. A. J. Jordan, Mrs. W. B. Ewell, of Allendale, and Mrs. F. B. Thrower of Red Springs.

The funeral service was held Friday morning from the late residence of the deceased at 11 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Geo. W. Hanna, of Antioch, her pastor, assisted by Rev. A. J. Hobbs, Jr., of Red Springs Methodist church.

Interment was made in the Antioch cemetery.

Eve—My child, don't your legs get cold in those thin silk stockings? Daughter of Eve—Yes, but you can't pull the wool over men's eyes. —Ohio State Sun Dial.

In the starring role as Magnolia Hawks, Laura La Plante gives a performance of great dramatic depth. As the little star of the Show Boat, protected from life and the influence of the troupe by her mother.

Schildkrout gives a notable performance as the gentleman gambler who turns Show Boat actor because of his love for the star, and yet, while an actor, he never loses his love for the kaming table. Trouble and unhappiness result from this weakness, but the story goes ahead through adversity and triumph to a powerful happy denouement.

Miss Fitzroy is the cause of much of the unhappiness through her strictness in rearing her child, yet she is a sympathetic character for it is plainly seen that a great love binds mother to daughter despite their quarrels.