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KATZENSTEIN DIES WEDNESDAY

Plains Buried At Bronson
Place On Thursday

AS BORN IN GERMANY

Funeral services for Alex Katzenstein, 78, prominent farmer and member of Warren Plains, were conducted from his home yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Rabbi L. Freund of Goldsboro. Interment was at the old Bronson place.

Mr. Katzenstein died at 4:45 a.m. on Wednesday morning in Richmond hospital where he had been for the past two weeks. He had been in declining health for the past two or three years.

Mr. Katzenstein was born in Germany, October 5, 1852, of Koppel and Betty Katzenstein, and after receiving his early education in the schools of his native land, he came to America, settling first in Warren and later in Warren Plains, becoming identified with the best interests of community and nation. He returned to Germany in 1879, remaining for a short time only. His love for the home and ever remained keen, likewise his loyalty and devotion to the land of his adoption was clearly recognized.

On January 13, 1886, he married Leah Blank and from this union there were two children, Charles and Selma.

Mr. Katzenstein was one of the best and most successful farmers in the county and for more than twenty years enjoyed riding and walking through his fields. His last resting place is on an elevation overlooking one of his many farms. Mr. Katzenstein loved his home, loved his friends and was never happier than when serving some fortunate one, always careful not to publicity be given his many acts of kindness, a friend commented yesterday.

Stores Close For Pendleton Funeral

A tribute to Mrs. V. L. Pendleton, Warren store closed from 6 o'clock last Friday afternoon when her remains were laid out in Fairview cemetery in the presence of a large gathering of friends and beneath a canopy of flags. Mrs. Pendleton, who was Warren's oldest citizen, was 93 years of age when she died at her home here on Thursday afternoon. Her pallbearers were W. R. Bascom, Alpheus Jones, W. N. Boyd, Dr. C. H. Peete, Walter White and J. C. Burwell.

Among the out-of-town people here for the funeral were: Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Pendleton Richmond, Miss Sylvia Pendleton, Washington, D. C.; Mr. P. B. Pendleton, New York; Dr. Joel Whitaker, Indianapolis, Ind.; Miss Rena Clark, Warren; Miss Helen Clark and Mrs. Mary Bryan, all of Tarboro; Mrs. W. Waddell, President Colonial Ladies of North Carolina, Greensboro, and Mrs. George Brown, all of Wilmington, North Carolina; Dr. W. A. Montgomery, University of Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. John Bragaw and Miss Clark Bragaw, of Washington, D. C.; Mr. Henry M. London and Mrs. London who is Vice President of the North Carolina Baptist Women's Missionary Society, Mrs. W. A. Montgomery and Miss Betsy Montgomery, Mrs. Richard Busbee, of Raleigh; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hightam, Mrs. Gordon Smith, of Raleigh.

ROAD GOOD SHAPE

The Warren-Louisburg road, which is in fine shape, according to several citizens who have recently traveled from here to the Franklins, is being widened. Work of widening the road was completed last week by the State highway commission. It was said.

White Nominated Director of N. C. Cotton Co-op Ass'n

Edmund White was nominated as a director for the North Carolina Cotton Growers Cooperative Association by the Warren county delegation at a district meeting held at Lenoir on Wednesday. Dr. B. W. Kilgore of Raleigh was the other nominee from this district.

The names of Mr. White and Dr. Kilgore will be printed on cards and these will be mailed to members of the cotton association in order to give each member the opportunity of expressing his choice for director of the organization.

Delegates from Warren county who attended the meeting at Lenoir were J. C. Brauer, Ridgeway; T. B. Weldon, Norlina; H. J. Ellis, Macon; W. A. Connell Jr., Warren Plains. They were accompanied by Field Representative George R. Frazier.

Local Golfers Win From Wake Forest Tuesday Afternoon

Playing the first matched game of the season, members of the Warrenton golf club defeated the Wake Forest students and faculty team here on Tuesday afternoon by the score of 16 to 4. V. F. Ward lead the locals by scoring 77 on the 18 holes. This mark was tied by Pierce of Wake Forest for the visitors low score.

A return game will be played at Wake Forest next week.

Individual scores are given below with the name of the visitor listed first:

Taylor 82, Ward 77; Pierce 77, McGuire 80; Powell 85, Jones 83; Harrell 95, Gregory 87; Sawyer 96, N. Boyd 83; Johnson 83, White 83; Mackie 90, P. Boyd 87; Wyatt 94, Gilliam 84; Speas 103, Nunn 88.

Benyunes To Present Concert Here Tonight

Prof. M. J. Benyunes, orchestra director of Chowan College, will present an orchestra, composed of high school pupils, in a recital of popular and semi-classical music at the John Graham school auditorium here tonight at 8 o'clock.

In addition to the orchestra numbers, Miss Mabel Carroll of Mrs. John C. Burwell's music class, will render two piano solos, and members of Miss Lillie Belle Dameron's music class will give several glee club sections.

Proceeds are for the benefit of the athletic association.

The program is as follows:

March, "Monitor" (Huff); waltz, "When the Organ Played at Twilight"; fox trot, "Sweet Jennie Lee," featured by Mr. Pollock, coninet; violin solo, "Simple Even," John W. H. Darden; fox trot, "Three Little Words," featured by G. C. Mitchell, clarinet; serenade, "Stilly Night" (Huff); overture, "Magnetia," (Huff); waltz, "Tears," featured by Fuller Rice; piano solo, "Love's Dream" Mabel Carroll; fox trot, "Yours and Mine," featured by Ralph Britt, saxophone; "Autumn," (Chaminade), Mabel Carroll; march, "Fort Gay," (Huff); violin selection by Prof. Benyunes.

Kellogg Adopts The Six-Hour Day Plan

NEW YORK, April 16.—The six hour working day will be adopted as a permanent operating policy by the Kellogg company, cereal manufacturers, Battle Creek, Mich. Lewis Brown, president of the company, announced yesterday the company's experiment with the plan since December 1 had proved profitable for both stockholders and employees. Production was increased, he said, consumption was stimulated, overhead was decreased.

Since the inauguration of the plan the company has worked four shifts in its plants six hours each, to replace the former three shifts of eight hours each.

At the same time it increased the base wage 12 1-2 per cent.

The plan was originally put into force as an emergency measure to relieve unemployment in Battle Creek and 25 per cent more workers were added. President Brown said the company discovered many unexpected advantages.

"Each shift has equal advantages," he said. "This eliminated the need for extra allowances for any shift and also eliminated the stop for meals. The efficiency is greater than when working on an eight hour basis."

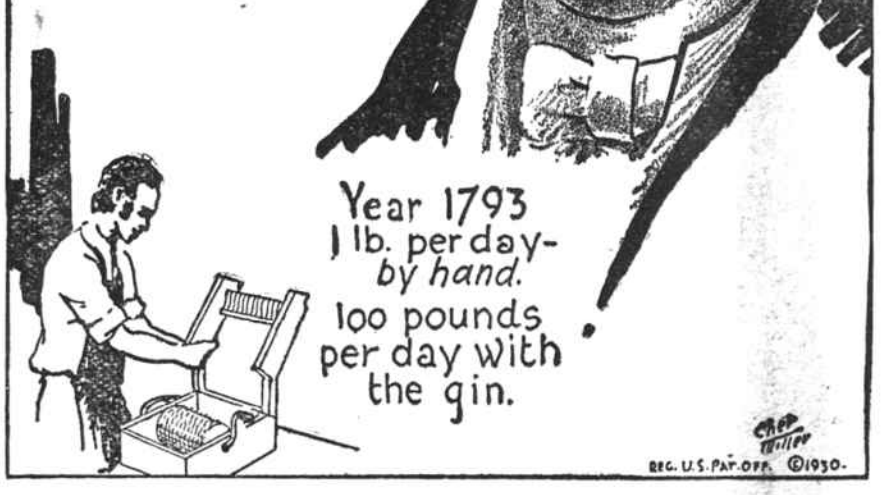
LUCKY BREAKS

By C. R. Miller

GIN BENEFICIAL

A chance quest at the home of General Nathaniel Green, in Georgia, Eli Whitney was introduced to a group of wealthy planters. They discussed the need of a machine to separate seeds from cotton.

Result: Whitney invented the cotton gin and revolutionized the industry.



Hold Recitation And Declamation Contest At Afton-Elberon

On Friday Evening, April 10, there was a recitation contest for the girls and declamation contest for the boys of the Afton-Elberon school in the school auditorium. The Afton-Elberon council J. O. U. A. M. offered medals for these contests. Elsie Mede Aycock won in the girls' contest and the declaimers medal was awarded to Gordon Bowen. Anna Ridout and Gordon Bowen will represent the school in the county wide contest at Warrenton on April 23.

Following is a list of the contestants with their selections:

Recitation Contest
Florence Burroughs, "When morning breaks"; Hazel Limer, "Mistah Joanson's Defense"; Kathleen Baker, "The Going of the White Swan"; Eula Evans, "A Matrimonial Storm"; Elsie Mede Aycock, "Over the Balustrade"; Anna Ridout, "The Littlest Rebel."

Declamation contest
Gordon Limer, "The American Soldier"; Leonard Daniel, "The American and Confederate Soldier"; Gordon Bowen, "Speech of James E. Cox, of Ohio"; J. B. Martin, "Ideals and Ideals."

Local School Will Enter Music Contest

The John Graham school will enter the district music contest to be held in Rocky Mount Saturday. April 18th, it was announced yesterday. Miss Grace Van Dyke Moore of the North Carolina College of Women, Greensboro, will judge the events.

"Daffodil Comes Home Today," a soprano solo, will be sung by Dorothy Murphy. "Maytime will be sung by the girls glee club composed of Margaret Blalock, Sarah Brichhouse, Mable Carroll, Nannie Margaret Brown, Mable Howell, Alvis Kidd, Billy Lancaster, Bernice Lloyd, Panthea Massenburg, Ruby Lee Modlin, Dorothy Murphy, Jane Parker, Mary Peoples, Marie Pinnell, Emily Reid, Elizabeth Rodwell, Grace Wagner, Mildred Wilson, and Mary Robert Wood.

The music is under the direction of Miss Lillie Belle Dameron and Miss Arline Lindsay will accompany the glee club.

Federal Officers Capture Two Stills

A pair of 40-gallon copper stills came into the hands of the Federal government on Monday when a raid was made by revenue officers in the Wise neighborhood. The stills, which were located side-by-side, were used to make a run Sunday night, it was said but were not in operation at the time the Federal officers made the capture.

CAPTURES STILL

A 75-gallon capacity copper still was captured in River township last Friday by Officer R. O. Snipes. No arrests were made.

FINAL EXERCISES BEGIN NEXT WEEK

Programs Being Arranged
For Ending of 1930-31
Session Warren Schools

EXAMINATIONS STARTED

Final examinations are being held in the Warren county schools. Programs are being prepared and all is being put in readiness for the ending of the 1930-31 session. Commencement exercises will be held next week and the week following.

The baccalaureate sermon for the John Graham High school of Warrenton will be delivered in the school auditorium on Sunday evening, April 26, at 8 o'clock, by the Rev. J. Edward Kirby, pastor, of the United Church of Raleigh.

Monday evening the pupils of Miss Lillie Belle Dameron will give a musical recital.

Graduating exercises will be held on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The literary address will be delivered by Dr. Carl Taylor of State College, Raleigh.

Afton-Elberon Program

The pupils of the Afton-Elberon school will present their class play, "A Fortunate Calamity," on April 24, at 8 p. m. The commencement sermon will be delivered on Sunday morning, April 26, at 11 a. m., by Dr. I. L. Peacock president of Shaw University.

Grammar grade play and exercises will be held on April 30, at 8 p. m. Promotion exercises for the seventh and ninth grades will be held on Friday, May 1, at 8 o'clock. Dr. Charles E. Brewer, president of Meredith college, will deliver the commencement address.

Macon School Program

The Macon Senior play will be presented tonight at 7:30 o'clock. On Friday April 24, at 7:30 p. m., the elementary program will be held.

The Rev. Alfred P. Mustian of Roanoke Rapids will deliver the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday evening, April 26, at 7:30 o'clock. Senior class night will be observed on Monday, April 27.

Graduating exercises will be held on Tuesday, April 28, at 7:30 o'clock. Congressman John H. Kerr will deliver the commencement address.

Final exercises of the John R. Hawkins negro school, which began on last Friday night, will be completed on next Friday night, April 24.

The Warren County Training school, negro, of Wise, will close on May 5.

There will be no commencement exercises at the Drewry school, due to the fact that the building was destroyed by fire several weeks ago. Programs for the other schools of the county are being arranged, but had not been released for publication last night.

Physicians To Meet At Durham Monday

Practically all doctors of Warren county are expected to gather with hundreds of physicians from other sections of the State at Durham on Monday for the formal dedication of the Duke hospital and university medical school, a local physician said yesterday.

Governor O. Max Gardner will deliver an address in behalf of the State, and President Thurman D. Kitchen of Wake Forest is to speak in behalf of the North Carolina Medical society. George G. Allen, formerly of Warrenton and chairman of the Duke Endowment board of trustees, will formerly present the buildings to the university. Acceptance is to be by Col. John F. Brutton of Wilson, chairman of the university board of trustees.

J. H. Duke Assumes Management Hotel

J. Haywood Duke of Elizabeth City arrived at Warrenton on Monday and took over the management of Hotel Warren Tuesday morning. He succeeds Mrs. A. B. Crosland who resigned to make her home with her son in Marion, S. C. Poor health was given as the reason for resignation.

Mr. Duke for the past five years has been operating a hotel at Ahoskie. He will operate the local town-owned hotel under lease, it is understood. Mrs. Duke and two children are expected to arrive here on Saturday. Mrs. Duke will assist her husband in the operation of the hotel. Mr. Duke said yesterday that there would be no change in the personnel of employees for the present.

Davis Would Have Solicitor Paid Fee Instead of Salary

A bill to place Warren county's solicitor on a fee basis has been introduced in the House by Representative John S. Davis. At present the solicitor receives a salary of \$400 annually. The purpose of Mr. Davis' bill, it is understood, is to abolish the salary and pay the solicitor \$5 for each conviction.

Pre-School Clinics Held Over County

Prospective 1931 school children of this county have for the past several days undergone physical examination in the pre-school clinics which have been held in schools over Warren. The purpose of this clinic is to iron out defects in these children before they enter school next fall. Examinations are being made by physicians of the county in connection with Mrs. Joe Jones, county nurse.

The clinic began last Friday afternoon at the John Graham high school when 28 children were examined. As a class, the children examined were found to be in good health, it was said.

Wednesday morning children were examined at the Littleton school, and on Wednesday afternoon the clinic was held at Norlina. Yesterday afternoon the clinic was held at Macon and this afternoon Afton-Elberon children will be examined.

P. W. Cooper, principal of the Afton-Elberon school, writes as follows calling attention to the clinic to be held there this afternoon:

"Parents who have children that will start to school next fall are urged to send or bring them to the Afton-Elberon school house for physical examination Friday afternoon, April 17, at 2:00 o'clock. Dr. Peete of Warrenton and Mrs. Jones, the county nurse, will conduct a pre-school clinic for all such children. If for some reason any one who has a child that will start to school then, has been over looked by not being sent a letter or has not been seen personally, he is asked to accept this notice as an urgent invitation to have his child here. If convenient we should be glad to have the parents bring the children, if not, they may send them on the school bus or otherwise. Transportation will be gladly furnished those who will request it."

Cave Man Is Beaten Severely By Woman

NEW YORK, April 16.—The alternative of two days in jail to a fine of \$10 was offered to War-salomy Tischko, 30, of 172 Wythe Ave., Brooklyn, by Magistrate Charles Haubert in Bridge Plaza Court, Brooklyn, today when Warsalomy was arraigned on a charge of disorderly conduct made by Miss Sophie Kwafmiewzkska.

The young woman said Warsalomy knocked at the door of her apartment, at 173 Wythe Ave., and when she opened the door hugged and attempted to kiss her. She overpowered him and dragged him down two flights of stairs to the street, where she was teaching him a lesson in strong-arm methods when he was rescued by Patrolman John Murray.

"Is that all he gets for what he did?" demanded Miss Kwafmiewzkska. "With what you gave him it seems to me that will be enough," said the Magistrate.

Has Trouble Proving He Is Still Alive

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—Amos McDade, negro, and veteran of the World War, is having a tough time these days trying to convince people he is not dead.

The people he is interested most in convincing are the staff of the local Veterans' Bureau where he has made application for a bonus loan.

Shortly after he had made his application, he dropped around to the office to find out why the loan had not been granted.

He found out that he was dead—records showed that his adjusted compensation certificate had been sent to Washington eight months ago to be paid in full, because McDade was "deceased."

The local office doesn't know whether anybody actually collected on the death of McDade. But it does know that McDade cannot get his loan—at least not until he brings in enough records with convincing proof that he's alive and entitled to be walking around.

FARM LOANS MAY EXCEED \$250,000

Bright Calls Attention To A
Penalty for Misuse Of
Funds; Big Savings

LIMIT EXPIRES APRIL 1

Federal loans to Warren farmers will probably exceed \$250,000, R. H. Bright, teacher of vocational agriculture in the John Graham high school, stated yesterday an article released for publication calling attention to various phases of the loans and to a penalty for misuse of funds. Mr. Bright is a member of the loan committee of Warren.

Pointing out that a general policy that would suit all individuals was hard to work out, he stated that these loans had saved Warren farmers thousands of dollars and that borrowers should appreciate this fact enough to refrain from all unfairness in its use.

The article in full follows: All persons desiring loans for Seed, Feed Fertilizer, Food, and plough casting must have their applications in Washington, D. C. before April 30, 1931.

The checking on the money advanced so far has been limited because of the fact that all persons connected with the loans have been very busy attending other duties.

I have reliable information that money advanced by the Government to farmers has been used to pay old debts and other debts. This is a violation of the contract and any person committing this misdemeanor is liable to indictment. This is not a threat, but merely a warning, to those inclined to misappropriate the money advanced to them.

The contract plainly says that, any person or persons securing this money shall spend it for the reasons stated in the contract and for none other.

You will have to pay this money back when it is due or show good reason why the Seed Loan Office should give you an extension on your note.

A representative of the Government will collect for the Seed Loan Office in the fall and he will expect you to give all information asked for in the application.

The point to remember is this, this loan is the same as a loan secured from a local lending institution and the borrower will be expected to pay as prompt and as fully as he would in the case of a local loan. And remember you have signed a crop lien, note, and application stating just what you wished to do with the money advanced by the Seed Loan Office.

Read your applications before applying and if you can't abide by the specification don't apply, because you are sure to get into difficulties with the authorities in charge of this fund.

I know very well that some applicants are dissatisfied with the manner in which their loans were handled, but please remember that when you try to serve two thousand or more persons you are bound to make mistakes.

I am pretty sure that the total amount advanced in this County will exceed \$250,000.00 and we should appreciate this favor enough to refrain from all unfairness.

This money has saved thousands of dollars for the farmer in this County and we may need it again in the future. Whether we are able to secure it or not will depend upon the collections as well as the uses it was put to.

Remember you must have your applications in Washington, D. C. before April 30, 1931. This means that your application will have to be mailed from Warrenton not later than April 28, 1931.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank all persons connected with this enterprise for their splendid cooperation.

And I wish to say in behalf of the committees that we endeavored to serve all worthy persons as best we knew how.

Animal Life On Mars Declared Plausible

ST. LOUIS, April 16.—Evidence of the existence of oxygen, water, vapor snow, and vegetable life on the planet Mars has been found by astronomers, and "it is plausible to believe that there is low animal life there," according to Professor Robert Grant Aitken, director of Lick Observatory.

"Vegetable life has never been known to exist on the earth without traces of low animal life. It is plausible to suppose that there is low animal life on Mars," Aitken said in a lecture last night.