

**COMMUNITY Correspondence**

**PLEASANT HILL**

By Mrs. T. Y. Puryear

We are sorry to report Mr. W. M. Hood has been confined to his room for several days from a fall during the sleet and snow.

We are sorry to learn of the illness of Mrs. Roscoe Perry of Bethany section and Mrs. Jack Creech of Union Chapel section.

Mrs. Pressie Wood and family of Johnson County were visitors at Mr. Bertie Carter's Sunday.

Miss Marie Pearce was a visitor of Miss Melba Sherron Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell of Union Chapel were visitors at Mr. Clarence Weathers' Sunday.

Mr. David Denton is moving near Varina this week. Mr. Privette has moved in the Bethany section. Mr. B. K. Horton has moved on the B. K. Horton farm. Mr. H. G. Hood is moving near Oxford this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Pearce spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. W. R. Hopkins of Old Eagle Rock section.

Mr. David Denton and family were visitors at Peares Monday.

Mr. Kirtis and Mike Medlin of Peares spent several days with Mrs. David Denton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Whitaker and daughter Emily of N. J. are visiting relatives here.

Miss Jodie Mae Weathers spent the weekend with Miss Katie Lee Catlett of Zebulon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Williford of Bethany spent Sunday at Mr. T. Y. Puryear's.

Mrs. O. N. Phillips spent Sunday and Monday at Mr. Walter Peares near Oak Grove with her mother who is very sick.

Mr. Ellis Weathers has been out of school for several days due to sickness.

Messrs. A. O., T. Y., Jr. and Maynard Puryear called to see their sister Mrs. O. W. Thorpe near Varina Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Richardson of Zebulon were visitors at Mr. H. G. Hood's Sunday.

Mr. M. D. Hood and family of Zebulon, Mrs. C. M. Rhodes and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hodge of Wakefield and Mrs. L. H. Williford of Bethany called at Mrs. E. W. Hoods Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Amos Dean's class of Hepzibah Sunday School held the class meeting last Wednesday afternoon at Mr. Currin's.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitley who recently moved in this section called to see her father who is sick near Bailey last Friday and returned Sunday.

**PILOT**

By Cameron Stallings

Sunday morning brought forth our first Sunday morning service. Mr. Collins preached. There was a very large crowd there.

The W. M. U. will meet Saturday night at the church.

The Y. W. A. met Tuesday night. Ned Medlin of Charleston, S. C., spent last weekend here.

J. B. Wiggs of Fort Bragg, N. C., was home last weekend.

Kenneth Cone of Campbell College spent the weekend at home.

Horace Jones is back from Tenn. Mr. Cliff Stallings has a new Buick.

**This, That, & The Other**

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me; that she might not be in her office; that Dr. Bulla does not like

having the nurses spend a day there, unless there is a clinic or something like that. I quoted her remark to my daughter, who said, "Of course he doesn't. To the casual caller, seeing the nurses in their offices might indicate that they were loafing around, gossiping, and wasting the taxpayers' money." But the schools were not open that day, though I suppose the casual caller might have forgotten that if in a critical mood.

I heard Miss Elizabeth Moore speak of a trip out in the country near Wake Forest the day before when she had to leave the highway to drive two miles over the slippery roads to quarantine for scarlet fever, and while I was waiting for Mrs. Hall I glanced at some schedules on the desks, and I can tell you those school nurses don't enjoy the bread of idleness at many meals. They have to help with the clinics for venereal diseases, too, and that's no dream of delight.

More than once I've been told that Dr. Bulla is averse to publicity; but this isn't enough to worry him at all, I'm sure. And he has worked so long and so faithfully in our county that I am especially glad he has a nice, airy, sunny office now, with a bay window — behind him.

Now that announcements are being made about *Gone With The Wind* coming to Raleigh next week, my natural contrariness has gone into action. In my mind I am wondering if I'll be willing to pay seventy-five cents, at least, plus over forty miles of traveling and give up about six hours of time for the chance to see that picture.

For months I've been feeling that if ever it came near enough, I'd make a special effort to see that film as screened by all those producers, actors and actresses; but now I don't know whether to risk it. The whole book is fairly clear in my mind; I know how Scarlett, Rhett, Melanie and the rest looked to me. It would be upsetting for them to come out appearing and speaking differently from what I had imagined. They might be far better than I had thought; but they'd be strangers, not the ones I fought and suffered with.

I might leave that show with undying memories that would be prized; but I might come away regretting bitterly the time and money spent and with a tendency to think again and again of the price of the stockings or the print dress gone with the wind. Crazy, of course, but that's the way I do.

**WARMER AND WINDY**

Warmer weather on Tuesday went far towards melting the remainder of the snow and ice that have lain on the ground for two weeks. Wind added its work of drying mud — and scattering the trash that has accumulated during the days when street cleaning was out of the question.

Although the majority of residents have water again, there are some pipes not yet thawed, the ground having been frozen to a depth not expected by those who laid the water and sewer lines. At present it is not the pipes leading to homes that are frozen, but the larger one bringing water from the main line.

From other sections come accounts of discomfort, suffering and loss far in excess of anything known here. Graham County, in the extreme western part of the state, reported heavy losses of canned fruit by freezing and subsequent bursting of jars. Many of these jars were stored in spring houses, used in summer to keep foods cool and in winter for warmth; this year's unusual cold being an exception to the rule that nothing freezes in a spring house.

**CROP AND SEED LOANS AVAILABLE**

County Agent, Jno. C. Anderson, announced that the Emergency Crop and Feed Loans, better known by our local growers as Seed Loans, are now available to farmers of Wake county.

These loans will be made under the supervision of Lehman W. Barnes, Field Supervisor for this District.

Applications for the loans should be filed in the basement of the Wake County Court House with R. P. Snell, who will assist with the applications. "These loans will be made as in the past," says Mr. Anderson, "only to those farmers whose cash requirements are very small and who cannot obtain a loan from any other source including the Production Credit Association, Banks, and other private concerns and individuals."

The money loaned will be limited to the applicant's necessary cash needs in preparing and cultivating his 1940 crops.

Borrowers who obtain loans for the production of cash crops will be required to give a first lien on their crops as security.

Mr. Snell is now receiving the applications in the basement of our Wake County Court House.

**FARMERS MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION**

The Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Association held its Wake Co. meeting in the court house last

Saturday. Most directors and many members were present. The most successful year for a generation was experienced for 1939.

During the past year notable achievements resulted. Included were reinspection of all properties insured, complete functioning of their county office, institution of full classified risks, doubling of the membership and coverages carried, full acceptance by the Federal Land Bank of policies as loan protection, a general agent, prompt payment of several losses, and the widening realization that this Farmers Protective group have the lowest cost fire insurance now on the market.

The 1940 officers elected are: Frank Parker, President, Raleigh; George D. Richardson, Vice-President, Raleigh; Joe W. Barber, Secretary-Treas., Raleigh. Directors: J. H. Aiken, Holly Springs Township; Carl H. Burt, Cary Township; J. Robin Baucum, St. Marys Township; C. S. Chamblee, Little River Township; L. T. Jones, Neuse River Township; L. L. Allen, St. Matthews Township; Geo. D. Richardson, Raleigh Township.

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**COLORED NEWS**

**RACE RELATIONS SUNDAY**

The Beaver Chapel Christian Church, Wakefield, will sponsor a race relations program at the church Sunday, Feb. 11, 1940, at 2:30 p. m.

Mr. James P. Morgan, Director of Religious Education, First Baptist Church (white), Durham, will speak.

Music will be furnished by the faculty of the Wakefield-Zebulon School.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend this service.

Mr. Morgan comes from the First Baptist Church of Durham, where he is head of the religious training department. It is hoped that a great many of his white friends and brethren of Zebulon will come out to hear him. The white people of the community are cordially invited to come and hear him and enjoy the music given by the local colored choir, which is composed of some of the best singers in the community.

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