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NEWS ABOUT Macon County People

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Mrs. Warren Perry and three children, of Kinston, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stockton. Mr. Perry plans to attend the Jaycee convention in Asheville Thursday through Saturday of this week and Mrs. Perry will join him there. They will then return to Franklin for the week-end.

Miss Martha Ann Stockton, who is employed in Atlanta, Ga., spent the week end at home. She had as her guest Miss Judy Talley, of Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mrs. J. H. Stockton and her daughter, Mrs. Warren Perry, Saturday attended the "May Day" exercises at Brenau College, Gainesville, Ga., where another daughter, Miss Beverly Stockton, is a student.

Mrs. J. E. S. Thorpe left Tuesday to spend a few days in Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Joe Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Stewman, and Miss Helen Bradley expect to leave Saturday for Evansville, Ind. From there, Mrs. Holland will go to San Pedro, Calif., to join Mr. Holland, who is in the U. S. Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tallent had as their recent guests, Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Tallent, of

Wake Forest, and Roger Tallent and Mrs. Charles Merritt, of Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sanders had as week end guests Mrs. L. E. Penland and three daughters, Julia Ann, Jane, and Betty, of Macon, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Ray Whitaker returned Saturday, after a week's stay in Florida. Mr. Whitaker attended the safety meeting of the Southeastern Electric Exchange at the Algiers Hotel at Miami Beach last week and they were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ives at Hialeah.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gnuse, Jr., have returned from Miami, Fla., where they spent several days. Mr. Gnuse attended the meeting of the engineering and operating section of the Southeastern Electric Exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hembree, of Dillard, Ga., spent Sunday with Mr. Hembree's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hembree, in Kyle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cope and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cope, of Kyle, spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives in Sylva.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brookshire were called to Demorest, Ga., Sunday, because of the illness of Mrs.

Brookshire's father, Edward Palmer.

Mrs. H. E. Freas and Miss Donia Huscusson left today (Wednesday) to spend several days with Mrs. Freas' daughter, Miss Helen Freas, in Black Mountain.

Keller Gaddy and Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Miller, all of Canton, were the week end guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Doyle Miller, at their home in the Holly Springs community.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Elliott and daughter, of St. Petersburg, Fla., are visiting Mr. Elliott's mother, Mrs. Ida Elliott, and other relatives here for two weeks. Mrs. Elliott also had as guests for the week end two daughters, Mrs. T. L. Corbin, of Greer, S. C., and Mrs. J. T. Hyatt and daughter, of Canton.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Drake, of Black Mountain, spent the week end with Mrs. Drake's mother, Mrs. J. M. Ray, in Kyle.

Mrs. J. S. Conley and Mrs. W. A. Rogers returned home Monday after spending four weeks in Pensacola, Fla., visiting Mrs. Rogers' niece, Mrs. P. M. Hawkins.

Mrs. Adelaide Grant, of Bel Aire, Md., and Mrs. Bonnie Von Steinner, of Kensington, Md., have

arrived for the summer at their respective cottages on Lake Sequoyah, near Highlands.

Mr. and Mrs. Hob Cook and son, Lanny, of Winston-Salem, spent the week end with Mrs. Cook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bradley, of Franklin, Route 3.

Mrs. Bruce Bryant and son, "Barney", spent last week with Mrs. Bryant's sister, Mrs. Ralph Parrish, and Mr. Parrish, in Breward.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Magnon and son, Cameron, of Tampa, Fla., are spending a few days at their summer home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Slagle and three children, of Atlanta, Ga., spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Slagle and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Wilson and three children, of Atlanta, spent the week end with Mrs. Wilson's mother, Mrs. George Bulgin, and brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Bulgin.

Hayes Gregory, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Gregory, of Franklin, Route 4, returned to Pittsburgh, Pa., this week after a week's visit with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Glenn Edwards, of Akron, Ohio, left on the week end, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Southard, of Cartoogechaye.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Lewis, of Highlands, have returned home after spending 10 days in West

Palm Beach, Fla., visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stampley and sons, Andy, Jr., and Bobby, and Mr. Stampley's sister, all of Portsmouth, Va., have returned home after a week's stay at Nantahala Lake, where they are building a cabin. Mrs. Stampley is the former Miss Kate Shope.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bryant had as guests recently Mrs. Arthur Smith, Jr., and daughter, Patrice, of Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ridgeway and daughter, Teresa, of Chicago, Ill., recently visited Mrs. Ridgeway's mother, Mrs. Berlin Pruett.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Schaefer had as recent guests A. L. Griggs, of Franklin, Mich., and Mrs. Frank Jenkins and Miss Gertrude McGrain, both of Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich.

Mrs. Eli Tallent has returned to her home on Franklin, Route 1, after spending the last four months in Stuart, Fla., with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Edwards have returned to Pontiac, Mich., after visiting relatives here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Burgess, of Atlanta, Ga., were recent week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Conley.

Mrs. R. E. Pattillo spent last week in Bryson City, visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pattillo.

Sgt. and Mrs. Bryan Hurst, of Atlanta, Ga., spent a recent week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hurst and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wilhite.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Southard and small daughter, Brenda, of Atlanta, Ga., spent a recent week end with Mr. Southard's family at Gneiss, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Southard.

Mrs. V. C. Ramey, of Atlanta, Ga., was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Bryson and family recently.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Brendall, of Hickory, spent a week here recently with Mrs. Brendall's mother, Mrs. Jennie Nolen, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Sparkman, of Daytona Beach, Fla., have arrived to spend the summer at their home at Prentiss.

Miss Martha Ann Stockton, who is employed in Atlanta, Ga., spent a recent week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stockton.

The Rev. and Mrs. S. B. Moss had as guests recently Mrs. Martha Shoch, of Fletcher, the Rev. and Mrs. John Lowder, of Weaverville, and the Rev. Wilson W. Nesbitt, of Statesville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Simmons, of Lexington, came to Franklin recently to get their small daughter, Kathleen, who spent a week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Childers.

Mrs. Roy L. Cabe and daughters, Rita Jean, Brenda, and Linda, spent a week recently in Washington, D. C., visiting Mr. Cabe, who is employed there.

The Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Yeargan spent Easter week end with Mrs. Yeargan's relatives in Lory. They also visited Mr. Yeargan's son, the Rev. C. B. Yeargan, Jr., and family in Marion.

George Martin, who has been spending some time here with his daughter, Mrs. E. S. Purdom, and Mr. Purdom has gone to visit relatives in Blanchester, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Culver and two sons, of Marietta, Ga., spent a recent week end with Mrs. Oliver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Waldrop.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sloan and family went to Lenoir City, Tenn., recently to visit Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Easton, and Mrs. J. S. Sloan and Miss Tim Sloan who had arrived from Miami by plane. Mrs. Sloan will remain in Lenoir City until June when she will come to her home in Franklin. Miss Sloan left by plane for Chicago, Ill., to attend a business meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Corbin were called to Asheville recently because of the death of Mrs. Corbin's cousin, W. B. Cook, Jr., who drowned in Lake Lure.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Henry and family, of Macon, Ga., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mincey and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henry, all of Franklin, Route 5, recently.

Tommy Raby, who is practicing teaching at David Millard Junior High School in Asheville, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Luther Raby, recently. The Rabys live on Franklin, Route 4.

Miss Doris Ann Reber, a nurse at Veterans Administration Hospital in Coral Gables, Fla., is spending 10 days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Reber.

Only 14 Counties Spend Less Than Macon On Busses

Only 14 of North Carolina's 100 counties spend less per pupil on school bus transportation than Macon County.

Macon's cost per pupil, \$9.25, is well below the state average of \$10.75 a student per year. Here are some other Macon County figures compiled by the state board of education:

Number of buses, 47; average number of students hauled daily, 3,249; total operating cost, \$30,067; total miles operated, 322,343; and average cost per mile, 9.3 cents.

The figures are for the school year 1955-56.

North Carolina hauls more students to school than any of 16 Southern states, Texas, however, has 500 more buses.



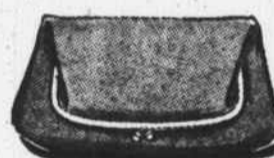
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