

The Week's News in And About Aberdeen

Wilbur Thompson has taken charge of the C. C. Grocery on Main street, accepting the position recently given up by W. T. Worsham when he took the position in Freeman's furniture store lately vacated by Mr. Howell, of Raeford.

Miss Elizabeth Gaston is convalescing from influenza at her home here, and will return to her position as music teacher at Winterville, N. C. this week. Her sister, Miss Virginia Gaston, has also had influenza, but is much better at the present writing.

Circle No. 1 of the Presbyterian Church had their last meeting of the church year at the home of Mrs. Talbot Johnson last Friday, spending the day and finishing up their study book, "The Desire of All Nations."

Mrs. J. H. Suttentfield and Miss La Nilta Wimberly spent last Wednesday in Fayetteville, attending the board meeting of the Presbyterian auxiliaries.

Misses Naomie Melvin, Lydia Bobbitt, Virginia Bobbitt and Katharine Beahune, accompanied by Messrs. Charlie Carpenter, Roy Carpenter and Hiram Myrick attended an old fashioned candy pulling party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolphus Bobbitt at Ashley Heights last Friday night.

Harold McKeithen, attorney, of Winston-Salem, was an Aberdeen visitor at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McKeithen over last week-end.

Miss Olive Kirby, one of the high school teachers, is ill at the teachers' home with influenza.

Misses Bessie and Janet McRae, of Maxton, N. C. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Suttentfield last Sunday, attending the county convention of the Christian Endeavor.

John Dunk McLean was called to Rowland, N. C. on last Saturday on account of the death of his grandmother, Mrs. McLean.

W. McI. Blue and daughter, Mary, of St. Paul, N. C. were visitors in the home of his son, Fred Blue, last Sunday.

Little Miss Carolyn Page, of Asheboro was the week-end guest of Miss Lida Duke Blue.

Mrs. John W. Graham has been at Pittman's Hospital, Fayetteville, for the past week undergoing hospital treatment.

Following close on the heels of the influenza epidemic we have the whooping cough with us, and a good many children are absent from school. The children of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shamburger and those of Mr. and Mrs. Reid Page have cases as well as many others.

Roy Johnson of Durham has been in Aberdeen for the past two weeks visiting friends, preparatory to going on the road travelling for a radio company.

Mr and Mrs. Clay Kirk, who have been living over on Mrs. Frank Page's farm, have moved to town, and are occupying rooms at the home of Dwight Troutman on Poplar street.

The last touches are being put on the store recently occupied by the Home Pride Store, and The Marion Shoppe will move into it this week. The building has been made over into a very attractive dry goods store, and Mr. Schwartzman will have more room to display his wares.

James McColeman had the misfortune to break his arm last week while coming home from Charlotte bringing a new car. His car skidded and turned over.

Mrs. E. L. Bryant and little daughter, Martha Lou, spent several days last week with Mrs. Bryan's mother, Mrs. Smith at Cheraw, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Kent, who were so unfortunate as to lose their home by fire last Wednesday night, have moved into the Seymour house just between Mr. Hurley's and Mr. Carter's on Poplar street. The Kents were lucky enough to save most of their household goods, but the Hunter family who lived in the house with them, lost everything they had and barely escaped with their lives. The Hunters have an apartment at Mrs. Campbell's at present.

William Maurer and Buck Tarlton took a trip to the eastern part of the state last week, going by Freemont, N. C. from which place Miss Annyce Worsham, music teacher in our school last year, accompanied them to Hertford, where they all visited Miss Mildred Reid, another former teacher here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Ballard and sons, Junior and Harry, spent several days last week at Maiden, N. C. visiting Mrs. Ballard's mother.

H. W. Doub is having part of the machinery located in the Aberdeen Crate and Box Company moved to

Calypso, N. C., near Mt. Olive, where he expects to locate in the near future. However, Mr. Doub will not move his family away from Aberdeen for the next two months. The Doubs are another good family that we hate to see leave town.

R. P. Rosser, our popular moving picture man, spent last Friday in Charlotte on business.

Elizabeth, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Caviness of this place, has been quite sick with intestinal influenza, but is improving now.

W. T. Huntley, a railway agent at Lumberton, spent last Sunday here with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Swartzman spent last Sunday in Hamlet, visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. Stein.

Miss Ruth McLean visited her sister, Miss Susan McLean at N. C. C. W. College at Greensboro over last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Beasley are moving from their house on the Raeford road to the T. H. McGraw residence near Aberdeen.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Lockey are visiting relatives at St. Cloud, Florida.

Judge Purdy and son, James, of Sumter, S. C., were visitors in town last week as guests of W. H. Purdy at his home near Poplar street.

Miss Daisy Conder, head clerk of Mack's Five and Ten Cent store, was called to her home at Jonesboro last week, on account of the serious illness of her father, who has pneumonia.

Materials are on the ground and work has been started on the new home of John R. McLean, which is being built on Poplar street next door to his father, T. D. McLean.

Mrs. Lillie Blue, Hinton Blue and Frank Blue, spent last Sunday afternoon in Rockingham as the guests of Mrs. Blue's daughter, Mrs. Leo Page.

Mrs. Garland Farrell was called to Moncure last week on account of the serious illness of her mother.

RACES AT PINEHURST ON WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

Washington's Birthday is always a big day at the Pinehurst Race Track and with the additional attractions this year, all attendance records will be broken.

As of other years, this is the day when the Annual Running Race for the Swigert Cup takes place, and being a coveted prize by all horsemen, the race for this cup is always one of the fastest and most hotly contested of any race of the year.

Added to that are two other running races and the Ninth Annual Dixie Trot and the Seventh Annual Review Pace. A full program of Equestrian Gymkhanna events is being arranged and a special attraction there will be a parade, headed by George Washington, Martha Washington and their ladies-in-waiting in their Tally-Ho, followed by their body-guard in full Continental Army uniforms.

Washington's Birthday will be celebrated in true style at the Pinehurst races, Friday, February 22.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY RACES

10th Annual 7 Furlong Handicap for the Swigert Cup
Additional Running Races. 9th Annual Dixie Trot
7th Annual Review Pace



A Washington's Birthday Parade, led by George and Martha Washington in their Tally-Ho, and a full program of Equestrian Gymkhanna Specialties.

PINEHURST, FRIDAY, FEB. 22nd
2.45 P. M.

Moore County C. E. Rally Draws Crowd

By La Nilta Wimberly
The Moore County Christian Endeavor Rally was held in the First Baptist church, Feb. 10th, for the afternoon session. The rally began at 3 p. m. with registration of the officers and delegates.

Stokes S. Rawlins, President of North Carolina C. E. Union delivered an address, "A Three-Fold Challenge." He presented three main facts to the young people. C. E. field for service, a challenge from fields of youth, a challenge from our friends. Mr. Rawlins told of Dr. Clark and of his great C. E. work.

Herbert Warlick, district president, told of his work and of his eagerness to press forward. He especially emphasized pre-prayer service.

Myran Adams delighted the folks in a solo. Following this the delegates were entertained with a delightful buffet supper.

After a short praise service conducted by Henry Suggs and talk by Dr. Rankin, the delegates adjourned to meet at the Church of Wide Fellowship. Rev. E. W. Serl introduced W. Ray Bug, Southern Secretary of C. E. Mr. Bug told of his work and travel and introduced the County President, Raymond Wicker.

Edwin McKeithen, Aberdeen, sang, "My Task," with Mrs. Charles Grey at the organ.

The platform hour was occupied by a citizenship rally. Dr. Ira Landrith of the International Society of C. E., Boston, nationally known lecturer on citizenship, the home and good government, delivered the address. Dr. Landrith gave a wonderful lecture. With his good humor and Irish wit he kept the large audience in very good spirits. He emphasized better boys and girls. Since the young people were running the world it was his place to demand they run it right. He was one of the best lecturers ever known in North Carolina.

TOWN COUNCIL DISCUSSES TAXES, INSURANCE RATES.

A meeting of the Village Council was held Mon. night in the General office for the discussion of taxes, insurance rates and other matters of vital importance to the community. This council is chosen by the President of Pinehurst, Inc., mostly from among those who have no stock in the concern, to discuss public maintenance and such matters. It is composed of S. Y. Ramage, J. D. Chapman, J. M. Jamison, H. C. Fownes, H. H. Johnson, S. B. Chapin, G. J. Jenks, I. C. Sledge, Leonard Tufts and Richard Tufts.

The council decides upon the sum needed during each year to care for the highways, sidewalks, and public property of Pinehurst, and taxes accordingly, to the extent of one per cent of the value of the property of landowners in the village as agreed upon in the original deed. When the assessment is less than one per cent, the taxes for the following year are reduced proportionately.

Another matter discussed was a 10 per cent reduction of insurance rates for all householders which may be made if the roofs of buildings are made fireproof instead of shingled in inflammable woods.

HOME AGENT'S NOTES

By Mrs. W. L. Ryals

FOUNDATION PLANTING

We cannot emphasize too much or too often the importance of a lawn and foundation plantings in improving the home grounds. Try to look at your home with the eyes of a stranger as though seeing it for the first time and probably you will notice or think of some improvement that has not occurred to you before. If your own home is all that is desired perhaps you can encourage and help some friend or neighbor to make improvements.

Why should we use plantings of shrubs at the base of buildings?

A building of any kind is an artificial creation with straight, formal lines out of harmony with nature and the surrounding landscape. It is a conspicuous object and standing alone does not form an attractive or prepossessing picture.

What we want to do is to make buildings harmonize with the surrounding landscape, fit in their surroundings and make a part of an attractive picture. Foundation planting of shrubs will tie the building into the surrounding landscape, make the building less conspicuous, softening the hard, straight lines and thus make a more pleasing impression on the eye.

An attractive sweep of lawn with carefully chosen foundation plantings will present a pleasing picture, every part in harmony and essential to the whole, an effect impossible with a bare building on bare ground or even with trees and shrubs planted hit or miss without a definite plan of effect desired. The ultimate effect should be visualized in the beginning and improvements made with this completed picture in mind. The simplest cottage may be made attractive and picturesque, an essential part of its surroundings with a little thought and labor, planting the right thing in the right place to get harmony of line and color. Begin now to study your own dwelling place and make it a place of beauty.

WHEN YOU BUILD YOUR KNOLLWOOD HOME

Consider the effect of the iron work, grilles at the windows, steel railing for the stairs, radiator covers and things of steel and iron that mean so much toward making a home beautiful and enhancing in appearance.

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