

L. H. Jenkins Dies at His Office in Richmond

Winter Resident of Southern Pines Past 12 Years Stricken at His Desk

Luther H. Jenkins, president of L. H. Jenkins, Inc., in Richmond, Va., and for half a century prominent in business and civic interests there, died suddenly last Friday at his office in the widely-known book manufacturing plant, which bears his name. He was the father of Mrs. Eugene C. Stevens of Southern Pines and himself maintained a winter residence on Weymouth Heights, built about 12 years ago.

Mr. Jenkins was born February 21, 1856, at Fredericksburg, Va., a son of the late Captain Joel R. Jenkins. His father was well known in that historic section of the state as a ship owner and commander.

In 1862 he moved to Richmond with his widowed mother, his father's death having occurred a few years earlier when the son was only one year old.

He attended the private schools of the period there and as a youth entered the employ of Randolph & English, leading book publisher of an older day in Richmond. He was with this firm for thirteen years, becoming proficient in the making of books.

In 1852 Mr. Jenkins formed a partnership with E. C. Walthall, the firm being known as Jenkins and Walthall. In 1897 Mr. Jenkins bought the interest of his partner and continued in the same line of business alone.

The business which Mr. Jenkins had established became with the passing years one of great proportions and widely known in this country. At the plant in Richmond books of artistic merit have long been manufactured.

Several years ago Mr. Jenkins gave to the University of Richmond the beautiful outdoor Greek theatre, which is a monument to his aesthetic appreciation and to his munificence.

For some years he had passed a part of each year at his winter home in Southern Pines.

Mr. Jenkins married May 20, 1897 Miss Rosa Belle King, a daughter of Captain John E. and Mrs. Susan Todd King of Richmond.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Rosa Belle King Jenkins; two daughters, Mrs. Eugene C. Stevens, of Southern Pines, and Mrs. Edward Winslow Ware, of Chestnut Hill Mass., and two sons, L. Howard Jenkins and Alfred P. Jenkins, both prominent in business and social life in Richmond.

FIRE IN WELSH HOME

At 8 o'clock Wednesday morning fire was discovered in a closet on the second floor of the dwelling at Ashe street and Connecticut avenue occupied by Mrs. Decie Welsh and daughters. A telephone alarm brought the Southern Pines Fire Department to the scene and the flames were confined to personal effects and bedding stored in the closet. Mrs. Welsh suffered the loss of all her clothing.

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Royal Bengal Tiger is Honor Guest at Kiwanis Club Lunch

Dr. J. Symington Tells Thrilling Tale of Shooting of Animal in India

The guest of honor at the meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Aberdeen, held Wednesday noon in the Pinehurst Community Church, was none other than a Royal Bengal tiger. He stretched his length across a couple of chairs on the platform in the Sunday School room and showed his teeth to the members as they ate their lunch and proceeded to the business of the day.

After the club's newest member, James Coburn Musser of Southern Pines, had been introduced by Paul Dana and officially welcomed as a Kiwanian, and resolutions of sympathy to the family of Bion H. Butler, former club member and an honorary member at the time of his death, had been passed, President Willard Dunlop turned the meeting over to Arthur S. Newcomb, who presented the speaker, Dr. J. Symington, county physician, of Carthage. Then it was the presence of the guest of honor was explained.

Dr. Symington told a thrilling tale of the shooting of the Royal Bengal a beautiful specimen, in North Bengal, India, many years ago. He spent many years in India, and his praise memento of those days is the head and skin of the big fellow. The shooting followed the slaying by the tiger of a buffalo. When he returned home from his duties one night Dr. Symington's servant reported the finding of a buffalo felled in his tracks by a tiger. Knowing that at night the tiger would return to enjoy the meal he had prepared for himself, the doctor went to the scene, secluded himself among the branches of a tree, and waited until nightfall. A tiger appeared, but was frightened away by the noise of a herd of buffalo in the distance. Later the

Wins Scholarship

Farrell Shauer, Moore County Boy, First in District in Corn Competition

Four outstanding 4-H corn club boys, winning first prizes in their respective districts, have been awarded free scholarships to the annual 4-H club short course to be held at State College this summer, announces L. R. Harrill, club leader for the agricultural extension service.

The four scholarships were donated by the Chilean Nitrate of Soda Educational Bureau through James M. Gray, state manager, and were awarded by the club leader to Charles Galloway of Clay county, representing the southwestern district; Elmo Brickhouse of Pasquotank county, representing the northeastern district; Gregory Sherrill of Wilkes county, representing the northwestern district and to Farrell Shauer of Moore county, representing the southeastern district. Shauer produced 44 bushels at a cost of 27 cents a bushel.

handsome Royal Bengal stalked back to the carcass of his victim and Dr. Symington took a shot at him. He leapt and dashed into the jungle.

To wound a tiger and not kill him is dangerous business in India. The animal becomes more savage than ever and attacks everything he meets. So the doctor and a friend took their lives in their hands and followed him into the jungle. The big fellow's tracks led them to his reclining form. He was dead. The tiger now graces the living room of the Symington residence in Carthage.

The Week in Aberdeen

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Baker of Springfield, Mass., stopped over in Aberdeen a few days last week, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Sharpe, en route to Dallas, Texas, where Mr. Baker is being transferred.

Dan I. McKeithen of Winston-Salem visited his parents here last Sunday. Mr. McKeithen has been transferred from Columbia, S. C., to Winston-Salem.

Miss Annie Belle Thompson of Camden, S. C., visited her parents here last week-end.

Miss Lillian Brown has returned from Booneville where she spent two weeks with her father and mother who have been quite ill.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell of High Point sympathize deeply with them in the loss of their infant son at a Winston-Salem hospital last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Pleasants of Hamlet visited Mrs. Belle Pleasants last Sunday.

Miss Mabel Brooks left Monday for Warrenton, N. J., to visit her sister, Miss Lucille Brooks.

Miss Mary McInnis attended the funeral of her grandfather, J. F. McInnis, at Dundaroch last Friday.

Mrs. E. T. McKeithen is spending a few days in Durham this week where she is visiting her son, Leland, who is making a satisfactory recovery from injuries received in a recent automobile accident.

Mrs. Mack Fairley of Columbia, S. C., and Miss Grace Bradshaw of Charlotte visited their mother, Mrs. H. H. Bradshaw last Sunday. Miss Bradshaw is being transferred from Charlotte to Columbia shortly.

Mrs. G. G. Martin and Mrs. Robert Gwyn visited relatives in Silver City last Wednesday.

E. J. Macon and George D. Martin were business visitors in New York City several days last week.

Howard Russell of Statesville visited his mother, Mrs. S. E. Sloan last week.

Charles B. Davis, who underwent a recent operation for appendicitis at the Moore County Hospital, returned home Monday.

Mrs. Jack Smith visited Mrs. Fred Flinchum in Sanford last Wednesday.

Bradford McLean of Burlington spent last Sunday in town visiting home folks.

Grady Hagler of Concord visited his brother, Homer Hagler here last week-end.

Mrs. J. Talbot Johnson visited her daughter, Miss Betsy Jean at Flora Macdonald College last Saturday.

The Home and Garden Club was honored last Tuesday afternoon at their meeting at the Community House by having Mrs. Wesley Taylor, president of Federated Garden Clubs for this State, of Greensboro, to speak to them. She was introduced to the club by Mrs. H. W. Doub, and a large

PINEHURST

Mrs. Lloyd Tate and Mrs. Clarence Thomas spent Tuesday in Raleigh shopping.

E. B. Keith came home from Raleigh on Friday to spend the week-end with his family.

Miss Lavora Sally has returned to Marshville where she is teaching, after spending the week-end at home.

Mrs. Alex Stewart spent Saturday in Greensboro with her daughter, Miss Sara Stewart, a student at the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Bourne and small daughter, Margaret Ann of Hamlet were guests Sunday of the Rev. and Mrs. A. J. McKelway.

Mrs. I. C. Sledge and children and Mrs. A. P. Thompson spent Saturday in Greensboro.

Friends of Mrs. Ellis Fields and Mrs. Charles Fields will regret to learn of the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Thomas Glasspool in White Plains, N. Y. Mrs. Charles Fields left Sunday to be at her mother's bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. DuPont and sons Peter and Bobby spent Sunday in Chapel Hill visiting friends at the University.

"The Womanless Wedding," which was to have been presented in the Community Church on Saturday, March 9th has been postponed indefinitely.

The Business Woman's Circle of the church will sponsor a food sale on Saturday beginning at 9:30 a. m. This sale will be held in the store formerly occupied by Du Pont's News Stand in the Market Square.

Mr. I. line, reporter for the Evening Star, Washington, D. C., was a dinner guest of the Rev. and Mrs. A. J. McKelway Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Fred C. Page spent the past week-end in Asheboro.

M. S. Hawkins, receiver, and Mrs. J. F. Dalton, traffic manager of Norfolk-Southern Railroad, Norfolk, were in Pinehurst several days this week.

A Boy Scout Court of Honor was held in the school auditorium Wednesday morning. The following were members of the court: Herbert Vail, chairman; John F. Taylor, the Rev. A. J. McKelway, Raymond Johnson, E. S. Webb and W. P. Morton. The Tenderfoot requirements were successfully passed by Fred Fields. Preston Shaw, Jimmie Wicker, Lewis Gold, Robert Black, John Taylor and Donald Currie.

A large number of patrons and friends of the Pinehurst High School will accompany the pupils to Southern Pines Friday evening of this week. The two schools will give a joint program in the Southern Pines School auditorium. The Pinehurst School will present "Elmer" and the Glee Club will give several numbers. The Southern Pines School will present "Figureheads." A delightful evening of entertainment is assured.

Monday morning the Junior Class of Pinehurst High school gave one of the best chapel programs of the year. A comedy, "The Little Negro Boy," was presented and several instrumental and vocal numbers were well rendered.

Saturday afternoon Miss Fannie Gray entertained the Beginner's Department of the Community Sunday school with a party. Games were played and each child planted a pot of narcissus, which will be tended and watched by the children until the flowers bloom, then taken home to their mothers. Miss Gray was assisted by Mrs. Rassie Wicker, Mrs. Foster Kelly, Miss Katherine Blue and Miss Eloise Wicker.

On Tuesday evening the Woman's Auxiliary of the Pinehurst Community Church held its last meeting of the church year in the Ladies' Parlor. All officers and committee chairmen gave reports for the year, and the newly elected officers were installed by the Rev. A. J. McKelway in a most impressive service.

The women who will pilot the work of the auxiliary for the coming year are Mrs. I. C. Sledge, president; Mrs. H. A. Campbell, vice-president; Mrs. Tom McKenzie, secretary; Miss Fannie B. Gray, treasurer; Mrs. True Cheney, secretary, Foreign Missions; Mrs. Ivey Sally, secretary, Assembly's Home Missions; Mrs. Colin McKenzie, secretary, Christian Education and Mrs. A. J. McKelway, Religious Education; Mrs. J. D. Wicker, secretary of Synodical and Presbyterian Home Missions; Mrs. Oscar Meyers, secretary Spiritual Life; Mrs. Ed Swaringen, secretary Literature; Mrs. Foster Kelly, secretary, Social Service; Mrs. Gordon Cameron, Pastors' Aid; Mrs. Hulon Cole, social activities; Mrs. A. P. Thompson, Orphanage, and Miss Fannie Gray, historian.

Circle chairmen are as follows: Mrs. H. E. Conant, Mrs. Rassie Wicker and Mrs. Alex Stewart.

GLEE CLUB TO SING SUNDAY NIGHT IN PINEHURST CHURCH

The Southern Pines High School Glee Club and its leader, Prof. Frederick Stanley Smith, will give a program at the Pinehurst Community Church on Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Numbers will be sung by male, female and mixed choruses and Mr. Smith will give several organ numbers.

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