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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS FROM FOUR OAKS

Marriage of Mr. Ralph Canady and Miss Onie Lewis Early Wednesday Morning.—Go to Asheville on Bridal Tour. Four Oaks Wins From Smithfield.

Four Oaks, July 28.—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stanley, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Strickland, motored to Bennettsville, S. C., last week to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lee.

Mrs. Mary Burgess, of Bailey, has accepted a position in the Bank of Four Oaks. Mrs. Burgess was with the bank in 1918 while living here. We welcome her to Four Oaks.

Mrs. Duncan, Mr. Eugene Canaday and Mayor C. C. Canaday and wife of Smithfield attended the Lewis-Canady wedding here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Adams will leave today for Morehead City where Mr. Adams will spend some time with his son-in-law, Dr. Ben F. Royall.

Miss Sallie Adams, with quite a number of Four Oaks young people, gave a kitchen shower as a surprise to Miss Onie Lewis, on Monday night which resulted in a number of kitchen articles for the bride and a pleasant time for the participants.

The Methodist Sunday school held their annual picnic in Pullen Park, Raleigh, on Wednesday.

Miss Nell Moye, of Farmville, and Mrs. Ella Brewer and Ethel Debnam, of Raleigh, are the guests of Miss Sallie Adams this week.

Mrs. Chas. Wellons and little daughters are spending the week-end with Mrs. T. H. Sutton in Fayetteville.

Mrs. W. T. Gardner and little daughters, Nell and Mildred, of Pine-tops, were guests of Mrs. W. E. Stanley last week end.

Mr. J. T. Allen is visiting his father at Falcon.

Misses Mildred Allen and Lola Mae Baker visited in the Allen section Sunday.

Mr. Russell Gardner of Pine-tops spent the week end here with Mr. Ray Allen.

Rev. H. H. Goff and daughter, Bliss, were visitors here for a few hours Tuesday.

Four Oaks ball team defeated Smithfield here last Friday to the tune of 5 to 2. A homer by Cole for Four Oaks and pitching of Sanders for Four Oaks and Byrd for Smithfield were features of the game.

Mr. Ralph C. Canady and Miss Onie Lewis were married at the home of the bride's father, Mr. W. J. Lewis, Wednesday morning at 6 o'clock, July 28. The bride was given away by her father. The maid of honor was Miss Julia Thornton of Goldsboro and the best man was Mayor C. C. Canady of Benson a brother of the groom. The marriage vows were given by Rev. F. F. Grim of A. C. College, Wilson. Under the beautiful elms on street in front of the Lewis home, an arch had been very artistically arranged for the occasion. The beautiful ring ceremony was used. Miss Nell Moye of Farmville sang "I Love You Truly," and Miss Sallie Adams played the Mendelssohn wedding march. The flower girls were little Misses Nancy Austin and Edna Thornton, while master Shelton Lewis acted as ring bearer. The happy couple left on the shoofly for Asheville in which vicinity they will spend several days. Our best wishes go with them. Among those from out of town who attended the wedding we note the following: Misses Minnie Summerlin and Irene Thornton of Goldsboro, Miss Catharine Thornton of Newton Grove, Misses Myrtle and Bessie Warren, and Miss Ethel Bailey of Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Thornton of Goldsboro.

Flour Prices Drop; Market Slumps

Minneapolis, Minn., July 28.—Reflecting the slump in wheat prices, flour dropped today at all large mills here, one of the largest mills reporting a reduction of seventy cents a barrel, and another a 75-cent drop. Today's quotations were \$13.50 to \$13.55 a barrel in carload lots, in 98 pound cotton sacks, for family patents.

Bran also dropped to \$45 a ton from yesterday's quotation of \$49.

ITEMS OF STATE NEWS

North Carolina Matters of Interest Clipped and Culled from the Daily Papers.

The Census Bureau has announced the census of Granville county, North Carolina, as 26,846. The figures show that the county's population increased 6.7 per cent during the past decade, the growth in number of persons being 1,744.

John Henry Bethea, a negro charged with killing Deputy J. A. Kitchene of Robeson county, on the night of July 2, gave himself up to an officer in South Carolina Saturday and is now in jail at Lumberton. Bethea was a native of Dillon county, S. C., and was taken to jail at Columbia after he surrendered to the officer Monday.

The Kesler Manufacturing company of Salisbury started up its cotton mill Tuesday morning after an enforced shutdown of seven weeks following a disagreement between employees and employers. The day passed quietly on the hill and no trouble is expected. Some of the old employees returned to work, others are out yet.

The street bridge over the Roanoke river at Roanoke Rapids has been purchased jointly by Northampton and Halifax counties and the town of Roanoke Rapids and hereafter will be operated without cost to the traveling public. It was first reported that the commissioners of Halifax county had purchased the bridge, which was a mistake.

Less than a quarter of a mile outside the corporate limits of Chapel Hill, and about the same distance from Franklin street, where a number of well known citizens, including several university professors live, Chief of Police S. F. Long and Deputy Sheriff Frank Ivey of Orange county have captured a 45-gallon still which Chief Long says shows evidence of having been recently in operation.

Tom Johnson, the negro convicted at the last term of Guilford Superior court of having committed a criminal assault upon a white woman at her home south of Greensboro in May, and sentenced by Judge P. A. McElroy to die in the electric chair on August 20, was taken to the state penitentiary at Raleigh Tuesday morning by Sheriff D. B. Stafford.

The Jones county tobacco crop was damaged considerably by the recent rains, excessive over parts of the county. In many fields the apparently drowned weed is recuperating, however, and in a few days will be ready for curing. The county despite the numerous drawbacks of the season will make one of the finest tobacco crops in its history. It is estimated that Jones planters will get several million dollars for their product.

The figures compiled at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools of Durham county show that 101 of the 122 teachers to which the county schools are entitled the coming year have been elected. This is 40 percent more than had been elected at the corresponding time last year. Twenty-six of the 42 colored teachers in the county have also been elected. It is also announced that a large majority of last year's teachers are returning for the coming year.

Gov. T. W. Bickett has revoked the pardons of four men who were let out of prison and given their freedom on the condition of future good behavior. The governor did not make public the names of the four men, but he has sent orders to the sheriffs of the different counties in which they were convicted, that their re-arrest is now in order. The men have not been following the line of strict rectitude since they got out of prison, but have been celebrating their freedom by acts which do not conform to law.

Former Adjutant-General Beverly S. Royster, of Oxford; Col. A. H. Boyden, of Salisbury; and Judge W. H. Whedbee, of Greenville, have been named by Governor T. W. Bickett as members of the commission appointed by him to investigate the conduct of the Durham machine gun company in Durham Monday night of last week while they were guarding the jail to prevent the lynching of three negroes held as suspects of having committed criminal assault. All three members have signified their willingness to serve. The commission will have its first sitting early next week.

ANTI-TYPHOID FIGHT TO BEGIN MONDAY

County Commissioners Co-Operating With State Board of Health. Campaign Directed by Dr. Thel Hooks, Our County Health Officer.

Johnston County's time has come! The first gun in the anticipated vaccination campaign against Typhoid Fever will be fired on Monday, August 2nd. The bombardment will continue throughout the month. The shrapnel this time will consist of Typhoid Vaccine and the point of attack our enemy's fort, Typhoid Fever.

Through the cooperation of our Board of County Commissioners with the State Board of Health, arrangements have been made with the County Physician, Dr. Thel Hooks, of Smithfield, to carry on a county-wide campaign of vaccination. Similar campaigns in other counties of this state have been remarkably successful, but success always depends on the number who turn out. The protection will only protect those who accept the opportunity. It is provided free to all. Three treatments at intervals of one week are necessary. The treatments are very simple practically painless and safe. The protection will be effective for years to come.

Following is a list of the dispensary points and the dates and hours when citizens may receive the treatment free of cost to them:

Selma, 10-12 A. M., Mondays, August 2, 9, 16 and 23.

Kenly, 2-4 P. M., Mondays, August 2, 9, 16 and 23.

Micro, 4:30-5:30 P. M., Mondays, August 2, 9, 16 and 23.

Benson, 2-4 P. M., Wednesday, August 4, 11, 18 and 25.

Four Oaks, 4:30-5:30 P. M., Wednesdays, August 4, 11, 18 and 25.

Clayton, 2-4 P. M., Fridays, August 6, 13, 20 and 27.

Wilson's Mills, 4:30-5:30 P. M., Fridays, August 6, 13, 20 and 27.

Pine Level, 1-2 P. M., Saturdays, August 7, 14, 21 and 28.

Smithfield, 2-5 P. M., Saturdays, August 7, 14, 21 and 28.

Princeton, 2-5 P. M., Saturdays, August 7, 14, 21 and 28.

Farmer's Mercantile Co., 3-4 P. M., Saturdays, August 7, 14, 21 and 28.

Newton Grove (Dr. R. B. Wilson), 9-12 A. M., Saturdays, August 7, 14, 21 and 28.

Peacock's Cross Roads, (Dr. S. P. J. Lee) 9-10 A. M., Saturdays, August 7, 14, 21 and 28.

Dr. Thel Hooks at Smithfield will give the treatment at his office at any time.

An ounce of prevention is worth many pounds of cure!

MISS WEIL ASSUMES CHARGE

President of Equal Suffrage League Arrives in Raleigh From Goldsboro For Campaign.

Miss Gertrude Weil, of Goldsboro, president of the North Carolina Equal Suffrage League, arrived in Raleigh yesterday afternoon to assume personal charge of the Headquarters of the League at 118 Fayetteville street, and to direct from there the activities in behalf of the suffrage amendment.

"Yes," said Miss Weil shortly after her arrival, as she smiled confidently, "I am here, and I am here to stick." Miss Weil comes armed for the fray, but in gay spirits and entirely undaunted by the strenuous days ahead.

It is thought that the arrival in Raleigh of the head of the suffrage forces in North Carolina will add impetus to the campaign which is already being waged with such spirit. —News and Observer, 28th.

Death at the Age of 102.

Dr. Jesse C. Green, a Philadelphia dentist, died a few days ago, age 102 years. He had a fall two weeks prior to his death breaking two ribs and sustaining other injuries which caused his death. He lived at the home of his neighbor, Mrs. Eliza Hipps Hartings. Each morning he shaved himself and took a bicycle ride daily when the weather was pleasant.

"A pessimist is a man who has the choice of two evils and chooses both."

OLD NORTH STATE HELPS GOVERNMENT

Pays More Money Into Federal Treasury In Internal Revenue And In Income and Excess Profits Tax Than Any Other Southern State.

R. E. Powell, writing from Washington to the Raleigh News and Observer tells his readers how much money North Carolina pays into the Federal Government. The figures are astonishing and almost beyond belief. Here is the story Mr. Powell sends his paper:

"Of the more than five billion dollars in internal revenue taxes collected and deposited during the fiscal year ending June 30 last, North Carolina forwarded to the Federal Treasury \$169,206,007.77, nearly sixty-six million dollars more than any other Southern State.

"The department says this represents the greatest annual tax collection since the revenue bureau was established in 1862. The cost of collection will approximate fifty-five cents for every \$100 collected.

"The income and excess profits tax netted the treasury \$3,944,555,737.93 and from miscellaneous taxes \$1,465,729,136.97 was received. Respectively, North Carolina furnished \$45,032,387.56 and \$124,173,620.21 of the grand total.

"Texas, with collections slightly above 103 million, is the only Southern State that approaches North Carolina. The second New York district, which included the old third New York district, is the only New York district ahead of North Carolina. The Chicago, Boston, Detroit, Cleveland, Philadelphia and Pittsburgh districts are the only ones in the country that pass the North Carolina mark.

"The combined total collections in the Southern States, as reported, are: Arkansas ----- \$ 12,233,877.50
Alabama ----- 29,560,235.92
Florida ----- 15,336,538.36
Georgia ----- 26,653,792.53
Kentucky ----- 47,793,022.59
Louisiana ----- 50,984,323.90
Maryland (including Delaware and D. C.) 120,752,457.82
South Carolina ----- 26,653,792.53
Texas ----- 103,004,360.30
Tennessee ----- 36,138,137.07
Virginia (2 districts) 79,312,349.87

KENLY NEWS NOTES

Kenly, July 28.—Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Morgan spent the week end with relatives in Middlesex.

Mr. James Kirby from Dunn spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Marvin Revell from Chapel Hill visited relatives and friends here during the week end.

Mr. A. G. Tiner made a business trip to Raleigh Friday.

Miss Mildred Darden arrived home Wednesday after spending sometime with friends in Warsaw.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. White left Saturday night to spend several days at Ocean View, Va., and Hertford.

A good many of the town people attended the base ball game in Wilson Tuesday.

Mr. Herman Hamilton from Raleigh spent the week end here with his family who is visiting at the home of Mrs. Ross D. Edgerton and others.

Mrs. W. T. Bailey spent the week end in Wilson with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Stallings who is very ill in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Atkinson from Austin, Texas, who have been spending several days with their cousin Mr. and Mrs. J. G. High have left for Fayetteville to visit relatives.

Mrs. J. M. O'Neal of Selma was in town Friday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Etheridge.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Tiner spent Monday in Wilson.

Misses Eva Lassiter of Raleigh and Virginia Boone of Rich Square left for their homes this morning after spending several days with Miss Lucile Holden.

Mrs. H. M. Grizzard has arrived from Norfolk, Ocean View and other points.

A Gynsy Tea was given out at Lowell Tuesday night by Miss Lucile Holden in honor of the visiting girls in town, and was most thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

PRINCETON-BOON HILL

Personal Items—Man Hurt by Runaway Mule—Post Office Now Third Class.

Princeton, July 28.—Mr. Van B. Talton was very painfully injured Tuesday evening when a horse ran away with a turning plow hitched to him. The horse passed Mr. Talton and the plow point struck him in the front part of the leg near the body and ripped open his leg down to the knee. This was on his good leg, as he was a one leg man.

Heavy rains for the last week have seriously damaged the cotton and tobacco fields.

The many friends of Miss Ethel Baker will learn with sorrow that she is seriously ill at her home near town.

Mr. Hubert M. Cox is wearing one of those smiles that don't rub off. It's a girl—said to have arrived by air-o-plane Monday at 9:35 A. M.

Mr. Frank Summerlin's tobacco field was damaged one thousand dollars last Sunday by hail. Some of the stones were nearly as large as a hen egg.

All streams in this section are at high water mark but Neuse river is falling. Auto and buggies were able to cross at Richardson's bridge Tuesday evening.

One of the automobiles stolen here last week has been recovered. A young white man was arrested with it in Augusta, Ga., according to information received here.

The heavy rain last Sunday did considerably damage to the roads. On the road from Princeton to Mr. G. P. Massey's one heavy washout alone will cost the township a few hundred dollars to repair.

Princeton post office has been advanced to the third class. The change will not increase the pay of the postmaster but places him on salary instead of the commission. Every person interested in the building up of their home office should mail letters on their route or in the postoffice. When you mail them on the train your town and office does not get credit for the amount of business which it is justly entitled to. Arrangements were made six years ago to have the lobby of the office open on Sunday, but this plan could not be carried out because the town does not employ any policeman. Therefore no arrangement could be made to protect the mail and the lock boxes through the day. Every convenience and accommodation that could be allowed by law has been given the patrons of the Princeton office for the past six years. A great many patrons on the rural routes send large numbers of letters to the office each evening, and call for the route mail. This of course is very unjust to their route, as the rural carrier does not get to handle the mail each way, and this takes the business from his daily report. Patrons should certainly feel a great interest in building up the business on their rural route, and if necessary go out of your way to mail letters or anything else on your route. The carriers do not receive any more pay for delivering ten thousand letters per month than for five thousand but they much rather have the large amount of business and always feel that the government is fully justified in keeping up the route. The postmaster is interested in building up the business of the office and giving the patrons every accommodation that is permitted by law. Each citizen can help a great deal toward the forwarding of mail. Don't wait until you hear the train blow, but send your letters and parcels to the office an hour before train time.

Dinner Dance.

R. A. Wellons was host at a delightful dinner dance at the Carolina Country Club Friday evening complimentary to Miss Marguerite Duttenhofer, of Cincinnati. Mr. Wellons' guests were: Misses Marguerite Duttenhofer, Belle Cameron of Raleigh, Irene Myatt and Mabel Wellons of Smithfield, Miss Palmer of Richmond, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Hugh B. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Hill and Mr. George Ross Pou, and Mrs. Edwin W. Pou. George Carmichael of Franklinton, H. T. Herndon, W. Ransom Sanders of Smithfield, Robert Holden, St. Julien Spawnes and Louis Mahler.—Raleigh Times.

THE CHAPEL HILL SUMMER SCHOOL

Over Eleven Hundred Teachers In Attendance—All of the Hundred Counties of State Have Representatives There With the Exception of Five.

In point of attendance the University Summer School this year is the most successful yet held. Some facts of interest about the school is found in a bulletin sent to the Press from Chapel Hill:

"When the summer school at the University of North Carolina closes next week, out-going trains from Chapel Hill will carry at least one of the 1,192 students to every county in the state except five which are hidden behind the Blue Ridge—the counties of Ashe, Graham, Mitchell, Swain, and Watauga. The announcement comes from the office of Dr. T. J. Wilson, Jr., registrar.

"Every other one of the remaining 95 counties is represented, with Orange, whose own summer school is a part of the University summer school, away in the lead with 110 students. Other leaders are Guilford, which sent 32 students; Mecklenburg, 20; Sampson, 30; Rowan, 29; Alamance, 28; Wake, 24; Forsyth, 23; Carteret, 23; Durham, 22; Wayne, 21; Pitt, Gaston, Beaufort, and Catawba, 20 each; Iredell, Johnston and Stanly, 18 each.

"Forty-five students are studying law and 1,147 are in the summer school proper making the largest number of students that has ever been in Chapel Hill in the summer. Women are far in the lead over men, with 828 to a mere 319. Seven hundred fifty-six have taught before and 151 are preparing to teach. Four hundred thirty-six are taking college credit work.

"The Methodists and Baptists as usual are far in the lead of the other religious groups, the Methodists leading with 415, the Baptists second with 328, the Presbyterians third with 176, the Episcopalians fourth with 67. The remainder are scattered among a dozen denominations, including Christians, Lutherans, Friends, Disciples, Reformed, Jews, Roman Catholics, Congregationalists, Unitarians, Universalists, Moravians, Adventists, and Christian Scientists."

CLAYTON NEWS

Clayton, July 28.—Miss Esther Pate of Apex was the guest of Mrs. Chas. G. Guley for the week end.

Mrs. June Parrish spent Tuesday in Raleigh.

Mr. L. M. Edgerton was in town Sunday. He returned to his home at Princeton, accompanied by his wife and baby who spent the week here with friends.

Mrs. H. J. Parker and children of Baltimore, Md., are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Ellis.

Messrs. E. L. Oneil, Cedric Oneil and Mr. H. O. Ellis spent last week at Norfolk, Va.

Mr. Walter Ellis is at home again after spending a couple of weeks at Rex Hospital.

Mr. A. V. Guley made a business trip to Smithfield today.

Miss Coma Cole of Durham will arrive in town today to visit Miss Gladys Barbour for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Poul Wallace returned from Selma Sunday after a few days visit.

Master Lawrence and Frances Whitley of Portsmouth, Va., are here visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hamilton.

Rev. A. O. Moore with about twenty-five members of the Boy Scouts left Monday for a week's camping trip at Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Armitage of Dunn spent the week end here with Mrs. R. J. Honeycutt.

Miss Theo Wooten is the guest of Mrs. Chas. Guley.

Mrs. C. D. Bass has returned from an extended visit to relatives and friends at Warsaw.

A large number of people attended the lawn party given on Mrs. C. J. Hunter's lawn yesterday afternoon from six to eight-thirty. The proceeds will go to the town treasurer to help beautify the town.

Mrs. Hill of Los Angeles, California is the guest of Mrs. J. Walter Myatt.