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Mrs. A. C. Stancil Passes At Selma

Had Been Ill For More Than Year; Other Selma News Items

SELMA, June 13.—Mrs. A. C. Stancil passed away Saturday, June 8 at her home near Selma after an illness of more than a year's duration. She is survived by her husband and several children and one sister, Mrs. C. B. Waddell. Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon at the home by her pastor, Rev. S. H. Styrone, of Pine Level, and interment took place in the family burying ground. A more extended notice will appear later.

Return to Red Springs.

Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Erickson and daughters, Misses Edith and Elinor, returned to Red Springs Saturday after spending a week with the family of Mr. Geo. F. Brieze. From Red Springs they will go by motor to visit relatives in Virginia, Ohio and Minnesota. From there Dr. and Mrs. Erickson and Miss Edith will go to Vancouver where they will sail on August 19 for Japan to resume their work as missionaries. Miss Elinor will remain in the United States to take a special course in history at Peabody Normal in Nashville, Tenn. The young ladies were recently graduated from Flora Macdonald College and often visited in Selma during their four years' in college. The whole family have made many warm friends here who will be greatly interested in their welfare and their work as missionaries.

On Sight-Seeing Tour.

Miss Margaret Etheridge left Monday morning with a party en route for Norfolk, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, Atlantic City and New York. Among those going were Misses Bertha Woodard, Mozelle Stallings, Velma Talton of Selma, Mrs. Cora Michael of Edisto Island, S. C. There were others from Smithfield and Clayton whose names were not learned.

Go On Fishing Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dewar and family and their guests Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hare and daughter, Hazel, of Durham, spent last week end at Vandemere and report a fine catch of fish.

Attending Summer School.

Supt. F. M. Waters and Prof. H. Bueck are attending summer school at State College, Raleigh.

M. E. Missionary Society Meets.

The regular monthly meeting of the Methodist Missionary Society was held on Monday evening in the primary room of the Sunday school building. A song, "From All the Dark Places" was sung. Scripture lesson was taken from John 1:36-42 and Luke 24:13-35. The subject for discussion was "Broken Homes Rebuilt," led by Mrs. Geo. F. Brieze, with a general discussion.

WELFARE EXTENSION NOTICE TO CRIPPLES

There will be a free clinic in Goldsboro on June 21. All cripples in Johnston county needing orthopaedic care please attend this clinic.

L. D. BROOKS LOSES FINGERS IN NEWS PRESS

Friends of Mr. L. D. Brooks, printer, who received injuries a few days ago while working at the printing press of the Media Printing company, will be glad to know that he is getting along nicely. Mr. Brooks lost the fingers from his right hand when they became caught in the gears of the press.

Tantalizer

There are exactly enough letters in the line below to spell the name of a person in Smithfield or Johnston County, and to the one deciphering their name and presenting a copy of this paper to the Herald office, we will present a free ticket to the Victory Theatre. Tickets must be called for before the following issue.
William Pope Lyon deciphered his name last issue.
TODAY'S TANTALIZER
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Attendance Record



Miss Louise Biggs was among the 37 graduates of the Smithfield high school who received their diplomas last week. She has made the remarkable record of not having been absent or tardy during the eleven years she has attended school. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Biggs, of this city.

Stores To Close Each Wednesday

Business Men To Give Employees One Afternoon Off Each Week Until August 15

In accordance with a custom of the past several years, the stores and other places of business here closed Wednesday afternoon. This was the first time they have closed this season, but they will continue to close each Wednesday afternoon through August 15. Closing this summer had seemed doubtful until Wednesday morning when new names were added to the list.

The following signed the petition:
Jordan's Jewelry Store, W. J. Huntley, Austin & Ogburn, W. M. Sanders & Son, Sanitary Barber Shop, Service Barber Shop, Bud Brown, Turnage & Talton, Crumpler-Jones Furniture Co., Pender's Store No. 114, City Market, City Dry Cleaning Co., The Lorraine Shop, Rose's 5 and 10c Store.
Other names may be added to the list this week.

DINNER PARTY AT CAROLINA HOTEL, RALEIGH

Misses Annie Davis Melvin, of Linden, Annie Gray Burroughs, of Henderson, and Edna Coates of this city entertained with a lovely dinner party at the Carolina Hotel in Raleigh Tuesday evening after the Schoen-Brooks rehearsal honoring Miss Ruth Brooks and Mr. Carroll Schoen.

The guests present for the occasion were: Miss Ruth Brooks, Smithfield; Mr. Carroll Schoen, Mount Vernon, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Brooks, Smithfield; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Schoen, Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Brooks, Jr., Greensboro; Mrs. Mitchell Wooten, New York, N. Y.; Miss Margaret Newell, Newell; Miss Constance Harrelson, Temple Texas; Miss Margaret Ealam, Shelby; Miss Kate Hoyt, Asheville; Miss Emily Markham Chapel Hill; Miss Nell Jones, Elizabeth City; Floyd Schoen, Atlanta, Ga.; Marion Oettinger, Kingston; and Emmett Wooten, Kingston.

CIRCLE NO 1 TO MEET.

Circle No. 1 of the Methodist Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Ryal Woodall Monday afternoon at four o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Judge For Yourself.

"How is that housewife with her installments? Conscientious?" "Well, I've known her to let the radio man have the grocer's money."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Heavy Docket In Recorder's Court

Many Criminal Cases Tried In Local Court on Tuesday of This Week

Tuesday was a busy day in Recorder's court when a large number of criminal cases came up for trial. The following cases were disposed of:
Press Atkinson was in court charged with three offenses—operating car while intoxicated, operating car without proper lights, and cursing on public highway. On the charge of operating car while intoxicated, the defendant was sent to the roads for six months, to be discharged at the end of four months provided the cost is paid. Prayer for judgment was continued upon the payment of the cost on the other charges. Milford Godwin, aged 21, a white farmer, was found guilty of operating a car while intoxicated and of cursing on public highway. For operating car while intoxicated the defendant was sent to the roads for four months, the sentence to be suspended upon the payment of a \$50 fine and the cost. The defendant was ordered not to operate a motor vehicle again in North Carolina during the next 90 days and after 90 days he will be allowed to drive a truck but was ordered and directed not to operate a passenger car within twelve months from this date.

R. E. Stanley was charged with fornication and adultery. A judgment rendered in a former case was changed to the following: the jail sentence of eight months is suspended upon the payment of the cost and on further condition that the defendant is of good behavior during the next two years and on further condition that the defendant stays away from the home or presence of Lettie Hayes.

Walter Smith was sent to the roads for a term of 90 days for the larceny of a tire in the value of \$10. He is to be discharged at the end of 60 days provided the cost is paid.

Ercy Bates, William Hill, Earl Lewis, and Claude Bates were all found guilty of operating a motor vehicle without proper license plates. Prayer for judgment was continued in each case upon the payment of the cost.

Addison Ingram and Cassie Ingram were found guilty of assault. Prayer for judgment was continued upon the payment of half the cost each.

Alfred Deal, charged with false pretense, was found guilty of trespass. Prayer for judgment was continued upon the payment of the cost.

J. E. Campbell was convicted of assault with deadly weapon and prayer for judgment was continued upon the payment of the cost. He gave notice of appeal.

Gensey Stewart was found guilty of trespass and assault with deadly weapon. Prayer for judgment was continued upon the payment of the cost.

Gardner Harper entered a plea of guilty to a warrant charging larceny of a watch in the value of less than \$20. A 30 day road sentence was suspended upon the payment of the cost.

Robert Marlow plead guilty to abandonment and non-support. A four month road sentence is to be suspended upon the payment of the cost and on condition that the defendant provides a home and adequate support for his wife and children.

Edmond Wood was in court on three counts for giving worthless check. Prayer for judgment was continued upon the payment of the cost in each case.

John Sharp was found guilty of possession of still, whiskey and beer. He was sent to the roads for 15 months and is to be discharged at the end of 12 months provided the cost is paid.

Charity Hurst, who was convicted of assault with deadly weapon, was sent to jail for a period of 90 days and assigned to work as the sheriff sees fit. She was also taxed with the cost.

Eliza Cole was called and fall-

AN ADVOCATE OF 4-H CLUB WORK

If all of the 553 4-H club girls of Johnston county used their wits as effectively as one club girl did in Micro township after a club meeting this week, it is foregone conclusion that the money for continuing home demonstration work would be forthcoming. According to the story told by the father of the little girl, after reaching home after the meeting, approached her father with the statement that she needed an old hen. The father replied that she would have to take that up with her mother. Whereupon the girl answered, "All right, then, you can give me a rooster and I'll see mother about the hen."

Two Men Caught At Whiskey Still

Youths Now In Jail Awaiting Trial In Federal Court; Preliminary Hearing Monday

Yesterday about noon deputies J. O. Hinton, E. A. Johnson, Roland Hayes and Federal Officer J. J. Batten captured a 60-gallon whiskey still and arrested two white men who gave their names as Wilbert Worley and Wilbert Woodard near Holt's Mill in Boon Hill township. Nine gallons of beer, 100 pounds of sugar and a bushel of meal were found at the still.

The men were arrested and upon failure to give bond were brought to the Johnston county jail. They will be tried in Federal court at Raleigh. They will be given a preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner I. W. Massey in Selma Monday afternoon at three o'clock.

Both young men gave their age as nineteen. Woodard stated that he was connected with a chicken-stealing case some time ago and had served a six-months' road sentence.

Last Tuesday Deputies Roland Hayes and Walter King captured a 35-gallon still in the New Hope section. They poured out a barrel of beer. This still was not in operation and no arrests were made.

COULD NOT TELL 'TOMATOES FROM POTATOES'

One of Smithfield's best gardeners lost a fine row of tomato vines last week because his 12-year old son did not know tomatoes from potatoes. This particular gardener thought he had the finest tomato plants in town. Last Saturday his wife sent their little son to the garden to dig a few potatoes. The little fellow uprooted a row of the fine tomatoes and reported to his mother that potatoes were ver y scarce, stating that he had found only one small one. This was found outside the tomato row. When the child's father visited the garden Sunday he was surprised and not a little chagrined to find that his beautiful row of tomato plants had been destroyed.

This gardener suggests that fathers teach their children the different kinds of vegetables that grow in a garden.

Judgment nisi sci fa and capias.

Rufe Allen was in court on capias for violation of a judgment in a former case. He was ordered to the roads for a term of 60 days.

W. T. Godwin, Richard Barnes and George Davis were charged with larceny and receiving. It appearing to the court that this case was originally heard before N. G. Wiggs, justice of the peace, and it should have been sent direct to the Superior court, it was therefore ordered that the papers be transferred to the Superior court.

This Week



By Arthur Brisbane

LONG LIFE TO THEM— DOWN GOES WHEAT— WHAT WILL LABOR DO?— MACHINERY PLUS POWER—

You hope that "the" young couple will live many years happily, and everybody knows that you mean Colonel Lindbergh and his wife.

There is happiness in being well known, and well liked for good reasons, and young Lindbergh possesses it.

Without exception, the entire world wishes him well.

The price of wheat dropped to 97 1/4 cents some days ago. Lowest price since 1914. For the Federal Reserve and the combined forces of usury to attack stock values makes no difference. Only wicked gamblers buy stocks.

But the conduct of the Federal Reserve will attract President Hoover's attention, if wheat, cotton and other farm products continue dropping.

It is embarrassing to take office on a "save the farmer" platform and find that your Federal Reserve is hitting the wheat and cotton growers on the head.

Labor appears to have won the British election.

British labor is socialistic, much of it communistic, but of mild communism.

Imagine the panic in dear old Wall Street and every well organized financial mind if Labor and socialism controlled the government of this country.

But the British will manage. They "muddle through" because they have common sense and British labor has honest, intelligent leaders.

Ramsay MacDonald is as good a man as there is in Britain although not as great or able though not as there is in Britain, although not as great or able a statesman as Lloyd George.

The motto of the Pacific Coast seems to be: "If you haven't got a thing, get it."

The city of Stockton, the San Joaquin and Sacramento valleys can produce enough food to feed a great part of the world.

But the place needs a harbor for ships, and will have it. Stockton, the state of California and the Federal Government this year will dig a deep water channel to the sea, and Stockton will have a harbor "big enough to hold 99 per cent of the ships that come through the Golden Gate."

No one knows what the future of the Pacific Coast will be, or what the size of inland harbors built will be, wherever men want them.

Mr. George E. Moore of No. 52 Vanderbilt avenue, New York City, can tell about an electric shovel that digs fifteen cubic yards of earth at one bite. You can dig out another Lake Michigan with a tool like that. Given machinery PLUS POWER, everything is possible.

Baptist Church.

Sunday school 9:45. F. H. Brooks superintendent. Preaching by the pastor 11:00 and 8:00. Morning topic, "Sacrifice the Law of Life and Success," evening "The Joy of the Harvest."

The prayer meeting at eight next Wednesday will be featured by an address by Miss Gladys P. Beck, of the State Sunday School Board.

Everybody invited to all the services.

Mrs. E. O. Edgerton and daughter, Dorothy, have returned to their home in Raleigh after spending a few days here with relatives.

Lovely Wedding At Country Home

Miss Vara Sanders Becomes the Bride of Boyd Britt of Scotland Neck; Wedding Breakfast For Guests

A wedding, beautiful in its simplicity, was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents in the Sanders Chapel section Wednesday morning at seven o'clock, the contracting parties being Miss Vara Sanders of this city and Mr. Boyd Britt of Scotland Neck.

The lovely country home presented an unusually attractive appearance with its decorations of summer garden flowers and trailing well known, and well liked for good reasons, and young Lindbergh possesses it.

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At the appointed time, Mrs. D. Carlton Stephenson, attired in a flowered chiffon with shoulder corsage, took her place at the piano and played Traumeri. Then, Mrs. W. J. Massey, wearing green georgette with corsage of old-fashioned flowers, sang "I Love You Truly." As the strains of the bridal chorus from Lohengrin sounded, the maid of honor, Miss Laura Sanders of Raleigh, sister of the bride, entered the room. She wore a charming frock of rose georgette and carried an arm bouquet of roses, delphinium and snapdragon. She was followed by Mrs. L. H. Sasser, also sister of the bride and dame of honor, who wore orchid chiffon and carried pink gladioli and stock tied with pink tulle.

Little Miss Gean Sasser, niece of the bride, was ring bearer. She wore a dainty frock of green crepe de chine and carried the rings on a silver salver.

The bride, becomingly gowned in a rose beige ensemble with accessories to match and carrying a bride's bouquet of sweetheart roses showered with gypsophelia, entered on the arm of her father and was met at the altar by the bridegroom with his best man, Mr. C. W. Jackson, of Middleburg. Rev. D. H. Tuttle, former pastor of the bride, performed the ceremony, using the double ring service.

After the impressive rite had been performed, the young couple received the congratulations of the sixty or more guests who witnessed the interesting event, and then a wedding breakfast was served. Tables were placed on the spacious porch and the tempting menu was served by Misses Sarah Turlington, Lucile Johnson, Virginia Puckett, Corinna Sanders, Mrs. Clifton Beasley and Mrs. A. G. Johnson.

After breakfast, the bride changed her costume for a going-away gown, a brown and gold ensemble with hat and shoes of harmonizing shades, and the young couple left by automobile for Western North Carolina. After the honeymoon they will be at home in Scotland Neck.

The bride is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John K. Sanders. For several years she has held a responsible position as assistant cashier of the First-Citizens Bank and Trust company of this city. She belongs to one of the oldest and most prominent families of Johnston county, and her social graces have won for her many friends.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Britt, who live near Garner. He is a graduate of State College, and is now farm demonstration agent in Halifax county.

The bride has been the recipient of numerous courtesies during the weeks preceding her marriage, the last of which was when her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sanders, entertained the bridal party and a few others following the rehearsal Tuesday night. On this occasion the bride's cake was cut, the following persons cutting the interesting articles concealed in the cake: the bride, the dime; Miss Laura Sanders, the horseshoe; Mr. L. H. Sasser, the dice;

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Will Teach Aviation At N. C. State College



L. L. VAUGHAN



J. M. FOSTER



R. F. KOLB

These experts in mechanical engineering will teach aeronautical engineering at N. C. State College at Raleigh, beginning in September. They will offer fundamental courses to students desiring to enter aviation. Several students have already enrolled.

Kiwanians Put On Mock Trial Tonite

Courthouse Expected To Be Filled When Deep Murder Mystery Is Cleared Up

With everything rounding rapidly into shape for the mystery murder trial of the Kiwanis club in the courthouse here tonight at eight o'clock, the club yesterday announced the cast of characters who are to participate in the mockery. The club felt it best not to tell the world who the dead man really was, that being left for tonight when the sheriff calls the court with his "oyez."

Willie Killen's real identity will not be revealed either, because the club feels it best not to damage this man's character any more than he has already done by committing the murder with which he is charged.

The state's attorneys are Arthur Naron, with Leon G. Stevens and N. C. Shepard as associates; with Elmer J. Wellons as chief defense attorney with G. A. Martin and Paul Grady, of Kenly, as associates.

The sheriff's office will be represented by H. B. Marrow and John W. Whitehead, with His Excellency, L. L. Levinson, of the Circuit Court of Kiwanis, of Benson, as judge.

For fear of intimidation the names of witnesses are being withheld from the public, and at least two parties are in the padded cell on the top floor of Johnston's temple of justice as material witnesses.

Presbyterian Services.

Smithfield Sunday at 11 a. m. Progress at 3 p. m. Smithfield, 8 p. m. Rev. A. G. Link will preach at the morning service. Men's Bible class, G. A. Martin, teaching, 10 a. m. Public cordially invited.

Miss Brooks Weds C. Carrol Schoen

In Beautiful Ceremony At Presbyterian Church Wednesday Afternoon; Reception After Wedding

On Wednesday afternoon at the Presbyterian church in this city at 5:30 o'clock a marriage of interest to friends and relatives throughout North Carolina and other states took place when Miss Ruth Brooks became the bride of Mr. Charles Carroll Schoen, Jr., of Mount Vernon, N. Y.

The Presbyterian church, the childhood church of the bride, was filled to its capacity with relatives and friends to witness the interesting event. The lengthening shadows of the afternoon added a quietness to the decorations which formed a lovely setting for the wedding scene. The altar was banked with ferns and baskets of calla lilies, carrying out the bridal motif of green and white.

A musical program preceded the ceremony, the wedding music being played by Miss Margaret Newell, of Newell, former music teacher of the bride. Miss Newell wore a yellow chiffon dress with horsehair braid hat to match. Her corsage was of Sunset roses and blending flowers. The following musical program was rendered by Mr. E. T. Stallings of Wilson, on the violin: Kreisler's Old Refrain, Ave Maria, and Memories. To An Evening Star was softly played during the ceremony.

As the strains of the Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin sounded forth, the ushers, Messrs. Marion Oettinger and Emmett Wooten, of Kingston, took their places near the altar. Next came the ribbon bearer, little Lelia Ruth Pierce, cousin of the bride, who wore a pink empire georgette with miniature shoulder corsage of pink sweet peas and roses. The dame of honor, Mrs. Frederick Brooks, Jr., of Greensboro, then entered the church. She was gowned in orchid chiffon, wearing picture hat of pink horsehair braid with pastel trimming and carrying a bouquet of Columbia Pernet roses, orchids, and sweet peas tied with pink satin striped tulle.

The maid of honor was Miss Annie Davis Melvin, of Linden, who wore a powder blue chiffon gown with picture hat of orchid horsehair braid with blue velvet delphinium tied with pink satin hair braid with orchid and yellow trimming. She carried Columbia Pernet roses, orchids and blue sweet peas tied with pink satin striped tulle.

Little Bobbie Tomlinson, of Wilson, cousin of the bride, attired in a suit of white shantung carried the ring in the heart of a lily.

Little Betty Ruth Tomlinson, of Wilson, cousin of the bride, was flower girl, and scattered in the pathway of the bride petals from an orchid tulle basket filled with orchids, pink sweet peas and roses.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her father, Mr. F. H. (Turn to page four)

Aunt Roxie Opines By Me—

"Ef dey don't put a big tax on weddings, times gwine ter git mighty hard."
"P. S. De way to find a good bye partner is ter see how long dey kin hold der tongue in hit conversation."



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