

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. W. H. Clark spent Saturday in Norfolk.

Rev. D. A. Clark of Roper, was among our visitors Monday.

Messrs. Louis and Lloyd Horton left for Morehead Monday.

Capt. J. E. Elmore of Scotland Neck, was a visitor here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donovan Davis motored to Morehead City Sunday.

Messrs. Jim E. Swain and Geo. Sexton motored to Morehead Sunday.

Miss Helen Partin of Raleigh is here visiting Mrs. L. C. Willoughby.

Mrs. Willie Watts of Williamston was here this week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Martin of South Creek are visiting Mrs. S. R. Hilliard.

Mr. Linwood Brown of New York is visiting his father, Mr. H. H. Brown.

Mr. James Davenport of Jamesville was a business visitor here Saturday.

Messrs. Tayloe Read and Dwight Weathers spent Sunday in Washington.

Mrs. R. M. Bateman of Petersburg, Va., is in our community visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Chesson of Wilson, spent Sunday here with Mrs. J. S. Chesson.

Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Lowe and children and Lue Read spent Sunday in Jamesville.

Miss Gertrude Norton of Williamston has been visiting Miss Margaret Ward Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gaylord and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hardison motored to Columbia Sunday.

Mr. Hallett Harrison of Baltimore, Md., spent Monday here as the guest of Mr. G. H. Harrison.

Mr. B. A. Sumner left Tuesday for an extended trip in Connecticut, New York and Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sutton and Miss Louise Ayers are spending several days at Morehead Bluffs.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Harrison of New York City are visiting Mrs. Julian Harrison on Lon Acre.

Mrs. C. W. Cahoon of Johnson City, Tenn., is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. H. Smith on Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Harrison left Tuesday to spend some time with friends and relatives in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Gurkin and children and Mrs. Emma Willoughby spent Sunday in Morehead.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Nurney and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Garrett were in Weldon last Sunday visiting Stark Nurney.

Mesdames Fanny Ayers, Ben Sumner and Miss Sadie Ausbon are spending a few days of this week in Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McCaskey and son, Glenn, of Norfolk were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Harrison this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Marsh spent Sunday in Bayview and were accompanied home by Miss Lucille Brooks of Bath.

Mrs. P. W. Brown and little daughter and Mrs. A. R. Dupree returned Sunday afternoon from a short stay in Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Jackson, Miss Margaret Ward Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hayes were visitors in Morehead Sunday.

Messrs. Henry Midgett, Ernest Arps, Harry Choppick and Percy Arps spent Tuesday in Morehead and Beaufort on a fishing excursion.

Mrs. Mary Respass, Mr. W. H. Russ, Misses Loise Respass, Hazel Paul and Hannah Boone of Washington were visitors here Wednesday.

HON. J. LLOYD HORTON

His many friends in this county received with a great deal of sorrow and regret news of the death of Hon. J. Lloyd Horton, who died in Raleigh last Sunday afternoon from an attack of meningitis. He was stricken about ten days prior to his death, the crisis was passed and hope was entertained for his recovery, but on Sunday his condition became worse and death resulted. At the age of twenty-four he was elected solicitor of his district and at twenty-six was elected as judge of the superior court, both positions which were filled in a capable manner despite his extreme youth. Not very long ago he resigned from the judicial bench and engaged in the practice of law in Wake county and had a thriving and prosperous business. During the first months of his career as judge he held court in this county, and made many close and warm friends among the people of this county. The remains were taken to his old home in Farmville Monday afternoon and the funeral and interment occurred Tuesday morning. A large delegation of members of the Wake county bar association accompanied the body and remained for the funeral.

Entertained at Bridge

Creswell—The Creswell Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. Tom Holmes last Wednesday evening.

The home was beautifully decorated and six tables were arranged for bridge with dainty score cards at each table. After many progressions the cards were recalled and it was found that high score was made by Mrs. J. W. Starr.

Delicious refreshments were served. The guests of honor were Messrs. Jim Woodley and Joe Crane, of Tarboro.

Good Reports at Sunday School Convention

Creswell—The Scuppernon district Sunday school convention met at Phillippi church last Sunday afternoon. It was well attended and good reports as a whole were rendered.

Splendid addresses were delivered by Rev. A. B. Withers and Prof. H. M. Ainsley.

Henry Ford



Foresight and keen business ability brought Henry Ford to the very front rank of the world's manufacturing giants. His personal fortune is estimated at one billion dollars. His career in business has been marked by a strong personal interest in the welfare of his employees. Mr. Ford was the first to use profit-sharing principles in his great plants.

GIRLS' CLUB OUTING

The annual summer camp for club girls will be held at Mackeys beginning Tuesday, July 20, and will last through Saturday, July 24th. There are two hundred and twenty-one clubs eligible to attend this outing.

The committeemen at Mackeys have loaned the use of the school building for the camp, and we are very fortunate in being so near a good beach. Each girl will bring her own food supplies and personal equipment in the way of bedding, and we shall spend a week of fun and profit.

Arts and crafts and first aid will be the subjects taught this year. Ministers from all sections of the county are invited to lead the devotionals at evening vesper services!

Tuesday evening will be "get together evening". The orchestra from Creswell will entertain us Wednesday evening. "Stunt night" will be held on Thursday. A boat trip will be enjoyed Friday afternoon, at which time the campers will visit places of interest in Edenton, and at night there will be a picnic and weiner roast and camp fire singing.

A welcome is extended camp visitors. Come when ever you like, and you are especially invited to be present during our evening programs.

SKINNERSVILLE NEWS

Miss Ruth Swain visited Miss Donnie Blount Sunday.

Mrs. Mollie Wiley, Mrs. Stark Holton and son, George, were in Edenton Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. White and Mrs. Minnie Bendley were in Belhaven Sunday.

Mrs. Guilford Davenport and Mrs. Minnie Bendley were in Edenton Wednesday.

Mrs. Stark Holton, Mrs. Mollie Wiley, Mrs. Walter White and George Holton were in Plymouth Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter White, Misses Dorothy Shaffer and Alice and Eva White motored to Belhaven Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Everett and family, Mrs. Lillie Everett and grand-son, Leon Everett, spent Sunday in Belhaven.

Mr. Clinton Everett and sons, Francis Aumac, Henry Starr Grayson and Leon Everett, motored to Williamston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Williams and son of Cofield, and Mrs. W. G. Bobbitt and daughter of Norfolk, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hardison.

MRS. MARTHA TURNER

Mrs. Martha Elizabeth Turner, aged thirty-eight, wife of R. A. Turner, near Roper, died at her home last Thursday morning after an illness of about fifteen months.

During her prolonged illness she was given every aid and comfort possible by devoted relatives and sincere friends.

She was buried on Friday afternoon at the burial ground of her father, W. J. Turner, Rev. A. B. Withers, pastor of the Creswell Baptist church conducting the service.

She is survived by her father, her husband and three sisters, Mesdames L. L. Allen, Mary Mizelle and Ruth Coburn, all of the Roper section.

CRESWELL NEWS

Miss Virginia Peal is visiting in Hertford.

Mr. Bill Bateman motored to Raleigh Tuesday.

Mrs. Jennie Hopkins is visiting in St. Bride's, Va.

Mr. Roland Cooper spent a few days here this week.

Miss Mary Davenport is visiting relatives in Knightdale.

Miss Ruth Norman of Norfolk is the guest of Mrs. E. Pritchett.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Hardee of Enfield, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Davenport.

Atty. and Mrs. Mayo Bailey of Raleigh and children are guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Swain.

Messrs. Benny Jarvis and Charlie Burkett of Roxobel, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Sallie Spruill.

Miss Josephine Roberson of Robersonville, is here as the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. T. Hopkins.

Mrs. S. E. Spruill of Washington, D. C., is here spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Spruill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stillman and little son, LeRoy, Miss Christine and Grace Stillman spent Sunday in Weeksville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ausbon, Mrs. E. C. Caton, Miss Hermine Ausbon and Mr. Marion Ramsey of Plymouth were here last week.

Messrs. Jim Woodley, Joe Crane, Joe Woodley and Miss Margaret Woodley of Tarboro spent a few days of last week here visiting relatives.

Capt. and Mrs. C. E. Mizelle and son, C. E., Jr., of Roper, passed through here yesterday enroute for Richmond, Petersburg, Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia. They are motoring through and will spend some few days at the sesquicentennial celebration.

To Grow Bananas In South



After seven years of intensive search and experimentation, Dr. T. J. Harris has discovered banana seeds and is now introducing their cultivation in the South. He plans to make this great food fruit a profitable crop in Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Texas and later in South Carolina, Tennessee and Kentucky. Picture shows Dr. Harris in his southern gardens.

JOHN M. BOWEN DEAD

After an illness of about ten days Mr. John M. Bowen, aged seventy-eight, succumbed to pneumonia at three o'clock Wednesday afternoon at his home near here.

In 1871, a few years after the close of the civil war, the deceased came to this county from the county of Beaufort and established himself as a farmer. He affiliated with the Primitive Baptist Church at Moratock where he maintained his membership until his death. There was no more lovable character in the entire county than Mr. Bowen, and he enjoyed the respect and highest esteem of the citizenship of the community of which he was a valued member. His children, coming from various places, were at his bedside for several days prior to his death and every comfort possible was rendered.

Beside Mrs. Alice Lenora, the seventy-four year old widow, he leaves one brother, Mr. W. W. Bowen of Long Acre; one sister, Mrs. Nancy Hooten of Washington; six sons, J. T., and W. R. Bowen of Portsmouth, L. L., J. O. and A. H. Bowen of this county and Milton Bowen of Ayden; two daughters; Mrs. W. H. Robertson of Portsmouth and Mrs. W. H. Turner of this county. The funeral service was held at the home at three o'clock yesterday afternoon and the interment was made in the family burial ground at the home place. Rev. N. H. Harrison conducted the services in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives.

The death of Mr. Bowen removes from Washington county one of its most valued citizens and most progressive farmers.

WESTOVER NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Sitterson of Newport News, are guest of Mrs. Sarah Sitterson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Kinsaul and son of Greenville, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Vail.

Mr. Frank Weaver and family of Williamston, spent Sunday with his father, Mr. Ben Wever.

Miss Carrie Ayers of Washington is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ayers.

Miss Elizabeth Vail, who has taken a short course at Raleigh, returned home Saturday. She reports a very enjoyable and beneficial trip.

Miss Jessie Vail and little niece, Margeurite Vail, returned Sunday from a visit to Norfolk and Virginia Beach. They were guest of Mrs. J. W. Hardison of Larchmont.

Mrs. T. R. Chesson returned Sunday after an extended trip to New York, Niagara Falls, Baltimore and other points. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Mrs. Louis Skiles and little daughter of Philadelphia.

Card of Thanks

It is with a sense of sincere gratitude that I extend thanks to those friends who so willingly assisted me during the illness and death of my wife, Martha Elizabeth Turner, who died after a long illness last Thursday morning.

If ever an occasion should arise when I could be of assistance to them, I shall be happy to be called upon.

The gratitude I feel cannot be expressed in words.

Gratefully,
R. A. TURNER

Miss Hazel Ausbon has returned home after an extended visit to relatives and friends in Hampton, Va.

SUPERIOR COURT

The regular July term of Superior Court convened here Monday morning with Hon. Henry A. Grady, judge presiding, and Hon. Don Gilliam, solicitor. The trial of criminal cases consumed all of Monday and Tuesday, and a few civil cases were tried Wednesday and part of yesterday, court ending about four o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The following are the criminal cases disposed of:

Smith White, violating the prohibition law, was found guilty and sentenced to serve twelve months on the county roads.

Louis Dempsey plead guilty to a charge of larceny and was sentenced to serve three years in the state prison.

Charlie Everett was adjudged not guilty of receiving stolen goods.

Joe Credle plead guilty of violating the prohibition law and was assigned to the county roads for eight months.

Gold Patrick, up for being a nuisance, was found to be not guilty of the charge.

Not guilty was the verdict rendered in the case of Charles Holton, charged with assault with deadly weapon.

A verdict of not guilty was also given in the case of Jim Smith, charged with violating the prohibition law.

Farmer's and Farm Women's Convention at Raleigh

The annual farmer's and farm women's convention convenes in Raleigh at State College July 27, 28, 29.

Arrangements have been made for those who attend to secure rooms in the college dormitories free of cost, and meals can be secured at twenty-five cents each. Those who attend, however, will be required to carry their own bed clothing as the rooms are not furnished with linen.

Celebrates Birthday

Little Miss Elizabeth Willoughby was hostess Tuesday afternoon at an enjoyable birthday party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Willoughby, when she entertained in celebration of her fourth birthday. Many out door games were thoroughly enjoyed.

The little folks attending were Peggy Martin, Elizabeth Read, Meredith Johnson, Becky Ward, Myra Ward Moore, Thomas and James Harold Swain, Fay Marsh and Edward Willoughby.

The nine club girls who attended the short courses at Raleigh had a most interesting and helpful visit.

Boy or Girl?



Several aristocratic mamas of Wentworth-by-the-Sea, N. H., objected to the rough way the good-looking swimming instructor handled their daughters during their lessons. The "male" instructor turned out to be the famous Aileen Riggan with a boyish bob.