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LOCAL NEWS

Mr. Leland Thompson was in Rocky Mount Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hayes were in Windsor Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Spruill of Kinston is visiting Mrs. G. W. Marsh.

Mr. Everett Burgess of Elizabeth City was a visitor here Sunday.

Messrs. Harry Latham and Lee Read were in Williamston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Read and daughter were in Williamston Sunday.

Dr. R. L. Whitehurst and Buster Adler were in Williamston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Campbell and children spent Sunday in Como.

Dr. R. L. Whitehurst and Jewel Ayers were in Williamston Monday.

Miss Sterling Tatem of Columbia is the guest of her sister, Mrs. P. M. Arps.

Mrs. C. A. Krause of Peris-mouth is the house guest of Mrs. M. G. Darden.

Mrs. Henry Brown and Luther Brown are visiting friends and relatives in Norfolk.

Mr. Walter Owens and children of Travis, Tyrrell county, were visitors here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Hornthal motored to Washington on business Tuesday.

Mrs. L. A. Bodine and children of Bowling Green, Va., are visiting relatives.

Miss Margaret Ward Jackson spent the week-end with friends in Williamston.

Miss Louise Jennette of Elizabeth City is the guest of Mrs. O. H. Lyon on E. Main St.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Willoughby and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor spent Sunday at Bayview.

Mrs. W. R. Hampton and children have returned from a short stay in Washington D. C.

Mr. George Roberson of Georgetown, Pa., was the guest of Miss Edith Everett Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Norton of Williamston, is here visiting Miss Margaret Ward Jackson.

Sheriff J. K. Reid and Mr. J. W. Darden were in Kaleigh on business the past week-end.

Miss Ruth Bailey of Everett's has accepted a position as sales lady with Cahoon Quality Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Read and daughter, Jane are spending a few days at Beaufort this week.

W. F. Ausbon, H. W. Gaylord and R. G. Hardison motored to Columbia and Creswell Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Williams of Sylva arrived Sunday to spend a few days here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edison Swain.

Mr. Lloyd Horton left Sunday for Akron, Ohio, where he will be connected with the Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.

Mrs. Jack Campbell, Sr., and Miss Cad Campbell of Rocky Mount are the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Austin, Mr. and Mrs. James Penny and Frank Brinkley are spending a few days at Nag's Head.

Mr. R. C. Heynen of Wenona was in our office Monday enroute for Naplesville, Ill., to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. W. A. Forbes, a one time resident of this town, now of Miami, Fla., has been here visiting his daughter, Mrs. Van B. Martin.

Mrs. Tabitha Davenport, Messrs. C. L. Wyndham, Charlie Weeks, Rasser Edwards and Misses Lida B. Ange and Mary Gardner made a motor trip to Durham Sunday.

WENONA PICNIC BIG SUCCESS

The second annual farmers' field day and basket picnic at Blackland experiment station at Wenona last Thursday was a very successful occasion.

Three speakers entertained the large crowd during the morning, coming from the state department of agriculture, and speaking in the following sequence, Prof. Earl H. Hostetter on swine, Prof. L. G. Willis on agronomy, and Dr. I. O. Schraub on agriculture. The speakers did their subjects ample justice. Dr. Schraub interspersed his remarks with occasional wit and humor so as to attract and hold the attention of the younger people; but was nevertheless thoroughly enjoyed by his entire audience. Among his jokes he quoted: "A school teacher once asked a boy to make a sentence with analyze in it. The boy taxed his thinking capacity to the fullest extent. Finally he said that his sister said that the boys did not make love to her, but Oh, how Anna-lies!"

The King's Messengers band of Belhaven furnished splendid music for the occasion, completing their selections with "America". The opening address for the afternoon was delivered by Dr. Kilgore of Raleigh, and in his address he emphasized his subject "Our people without a vision", saying any being without a vision perished and never did get very far. After this address Miss Emma Gray Morehead, home demonstration agent made a short talk and gave a splendid play, "The 4 H. Sprites", the characters presenting same being the nine young ladies who went to Raleigh to take the short course. The play was exceptionally good, and was also presented by the same cast during their stay in Raleigh. Only three counties of the state were chosen to present the plays given by the club girls and we feel proud that Washington county was one of them.

Miss Lossie Hardison, president of the girls' club of Plymouth, gave a wonderful account of her trip and of course while at Raleigh. Aside from reflecting much credit upon themselves these young ladies' accomplishments are a great compliment to Miss Morehead.

As the old adage runs, the down-East people are noted for their curiosity, but they are wonderful people after all and their hospitality to visitors cannot be excelled.

Mrs. Nona Newman and Mr. H. L. Horton left Sunday for Roanoke, Va., where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Smith.

Mr. Raymond Leggett of Suffolk, Va., spent Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. Mable Leggett. He was accompanied by Miss Marie Jackson of Edenton.

Mesdames Ida Midgett and Clode Gardner of Norfolk were called here this week on account of the illness and death of Mrs. Katherine Gilbert.

Messrs. A. L. Owens, Edward Owens, Z. V. Norman and C. L. Groves went to Rocky Mount Wednesday in the interest of the chamber of commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miller left Monday for a visit to Virginia Beach. Mr. Miller will spend some time in New York and Philadelphia while on his vacation.

Mrs. Earl Carter and children of Miami, Fla., who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Van B. Martin, for the past week left Wednesday morning for a motor trip to Norfolk and other Virginia cities and was accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. A. M. Johnston and Mrs. E. C. Caton, who returns to her home in Hampton, Va.

GIRLS ENJOYING CAMP LIFE

The annual outing of the young ladies comprising the Girls' Clubs of this county began at Mackeys Tuesday with twenty-one present and seven adults as chaperones.

From accounts received from their camp they must be having the time of their lives. They arise at six and take a dip in the Albemarle sound, after which they partake of a carefully prepared breakfast and then rest up a while. A course in home economics is given each day by Miss Morehead, and the rest of the day is taken up in various manners of amusement. A chapel service is conducted at the close of each day, by some minister of the county, and after chatting and singing they retire at ten o'clock.

The boards of education and county commissioners were entertained Wednesday night by the campers, and last night a splendid concert was given by the orchestra from Creswell. Today a trip to Edenton is scheduled. This trip will be made by ferry and lunches will be taken. An evening of general enjoyment is expected tonight, and tomorrow they will break camp and return to their respective homes.

Fishing at Pamlico

Rev. D. A. Clark of Roper, Mr. Daniels of Battleboro, Rev. J. R. Everett, Rev. W. G. Lowe, Messrs. D. V. Clayton, J. B. Edmondson and J. R. White left here Tuesday morning for Pamlico Beach where they are spending a few days entertaining the fish at that place.

All of them are expert anglers and have wide reputations for such ability. Their return will be awaited with eagerness, for fine reports of their achievements are expected.

Recorder's Court

The following cases were disposed of before Recorder Norman on Tuesday:

James Chesson, a. d. w., guilty, assigned to the public roads for four months, road sentence to be suspended upon good behavior, defendant to appear before Recorder on first Tuesday in each month until discharged, and show good behavior.

W. C. Moore, violating prohibition law, fined \$5.00 and cost.

J. W. Wilcox, passing worthless check, guilty, judgement suspended upon payment of cost and making check good.

Willis Keys and Elbert Owens, a. d. w., not guilty.

John Mack Pettiford, damage to personal property, judgment suspended upon payment of cost, and cost of repairs to property. Upon failure to comply with order assigned to roads for sixty days.

LOVED WOMAN AN IMMINENT PERIL

After an illness that extended for about three weeks, during which time every possible comfort and aid was given by anxious friends and devoted loved ones, the spirit of Mrs. Katherine Osenton Gilbert, widow of the late J. W. Gilbert, passed into the Great Beyond at noon last Sunday. From the time her illness began hope for her recovery was not entertained by those who devotedly watched at the bedside.

The deceased was one of the most loved women of this community, and inquiries from all sections came to the sick room very frequently. She was a consistent and valued member of the Methodist church and concerned herself in all its affairs, never missing an opportunity to serve when her services could be used. Her's was a life of unselfish and neighborly attitude toward all her acquaintances, considerate, and kind to everybody she was deeply loved by all.

She was born sixty-three years ago in Grayson, Ky., and on June 28, 1891, she was married to J. W. Gilbert, who preceded her to the grave about three and a half years ago.

Two children survive her, L. E. Gilbert, who holds a responsible position in the Branch Banking and Trust Company of this place, and Mrs. H. S. Midgett, also a resident here. Both children were making their home with her. There is one sister, Mrs. Frank Corbin of Huntington, W. Va., and one brother, John Osenton of Buffalo, Ill.

The funeral service was held at the home here Monday morning at nine-thirty conducted by her pastor, Rev. W. G. Lowe, assisted by Rev. D. A. Clark, Methodist minister at Roper, and Rev. J. R. Everett, pastor of the Baptist church. The remains were then taken to Elizabeth City, her former home, and laid to rest in the beautiful Hollywood cemetery.

The Beacon extends its sincere sympathies to the grief-stricken loved ones.

Return From Motor Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dickson and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Beasley returned last Friday from quite an enjoyable automobile trip to Ohio, Niagara Falls, Fort Wayne, Ind., Baltimore, Richmond, Canada and through the valley of Virginia.

Mr. Dixon, who holds an important position here with the National Handle Company, visited the home office while in Fort Wayne, and his party was delightfully entertained by the management.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation for the kindness and hospitality rendered us during the illness and death of our dear husband and father. Also for the floral tributes.

MRS. J. M. BOWEN and Family.

ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE

Mrs. J. B. Edmondson was hostess on Tuesday afternoon at a combination bridge and rook party given at her home on E. Main St. A profusion of summer flowers were used throughout the house in decorating.

Bridge-top score prizes, dainty cut glass bud vases, were won by Miss Mavis Thigpen and Mrs. E. G. Arps. The consolation prize, a pair of candle holders, was won by Mrs. Charlie Robbins. Rook-top score prize was awarded Mrs. W. H. Clark.

SKINNERSVILLE NEWS

G. L. Davenport and W. E. Blount were in Plymouth Tuesday.

Master J. R. Shaffer of Norfolk is here the guest of his uncle, Mr. C. V. White.

Miss Alice White left Wednesday for Oriental to attend Summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Everett and Mrs. Lillie Everett motored to Creswell Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Sawyer and family spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Combs.

Miss Donnie Blount was the guest of Misses Donnie and Nellie Alexander Sunday afternoon.

Misses Margaret Everett and Dorothy Shaffer were guests of Miss Elizabeth Styson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Spruill and daughter, Mary Jane, spent the week-end with Mrs. Pattie Spruill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. White and son, Charles T. Jr., of Hertford, were guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Whit Sunday.

Mrs. M. J. Elliott left Tuesday for Willoughby Beach where she will visit her children, Mrs. Milton Elliott and family of Suffolk and Mrs. Clingham Mitchell and family of Aulander.

A crowd of our people gathered at Mr. Guilford Davenport's beach Friday night and engaged in fishing. Quite a number of mullets were caught and a delightful time reported.

Mrs. John Halsey has been visiting her daughters, Mrs. Henry Gordon and Mrs. Sadler of Norfolk. Mrs. Sandler's husband was killed in a railroad accident Wednesday of last week.

The Sunday school convention met at Rehoboth church Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. All churches in the district were well represented. The program was splendid. Appropriate talks were made by Mr. Charles Snell of Pleasant Grove and William Wiley of Creswell. There was also a large crowd in attendance from the Creswell district.

See your doctor about the real danger of typhoid.

Scene in New Jersey Where Navy Arsenal Blew Up



For a radius of 25 miles wreck and ruin was at every turn following the terrific two day bombardment caused by fire at the navy 600 acre arsenal at Lake Denmark, N. J. More than 30 lives are known lost and hundreds injured. The camera-man risked his life for this photo—while big shells were still bursting.

Clips Record



The Pacific Coast has developed many fast swimmers and Cecily Cunha bids fair to take her place, beside the best of them. During a recent meet at Los Angeles this speedy mermaid broke the Coast record for 100 yards. Her time was 1:52.5.