

LOCAL NEWS

LeRoy Harris spent the weekend in Wilson.

H. A. Williford and Lloyd Gilbert motored to Wilson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Clayton motored to Lake Phelps Sunday.

Mrs. R. H. Patterson of Wilson is visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Williford.

Jack Peele, Lue Read, and Rober Martin motored to Greenville Sunday.

Miss Lyda Forman spent Sunday in Greenville with friends and relatives.

Attorney Edward Owens and Tayloe Read spent Sunday in Southern Pines.

Miss Ruth Norton of Williamston is spending a few days with Miss Louise Ayers.

Miss Olga Gardner and Mrs. C. L. Jackson motored to Virginia Beach Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Abler and Miss Fannie Hilliard motored to Coleraine Beach Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hardison, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hardison motored to Rosemary Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Davis accompanied by William Arps motored to Rocky Mount Sunday.

Mrs. Chlode Gardner of Norfolk, was the guest of her sister Mrs. Ida Midgett, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ainsley, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Holliday motored to Pamlico Beach Sunday.

Misses Annie and Clara Oliver of Roper are spending sometime here as guests of Miss Nellie Blount.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeno Lyon of Ayden, spent Sunday here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Hornthal.

Miss Virginia Hobbs and Mr. L. S. Reed of Hilton Village are guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Williford this week.

Mrs. G. H. Harrison attended the graduating at the Eastern Carolina Teachers College at Greenville this week.

Mrs. Katherine Harrison left Tuesday for Scotland Neck enroute to Chapel Hill where she will attend summer school.

Mrs. Henry Harrison left Sunday for Greenville where she will spend a few days as the guest of Mrs. E. J. Conklin.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Williford, Mrs. H. V. Austin, Miss Ruby Templeton and Frank Brinkley motored to Lake Phelps Sunday.

Mrs. I. Bluford, with her daughter, Mrs. Richard Scott, of Richmond Va., visited her sister Mrs. Ida Midgett, the past week.

L. H. Horton and and Everett Burgess motored to Rocky Mount Sunday and were accompanied on their return by Mrs. Horton.

Miss Evelyn Cahoon, a student at the Virginia State Teacher's College, Farmville Va. returned home last week for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Campbell and children left Tuesday for Sanford where they will make their future home. Mr. Campbell is employed by the Masonic fraternity and his duties will be in that section.

I. O. O. F. HONORS GRAND MASTER W. L. WHITLEY

The local members of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows gave a banquet at the Odd Fellows Hall last Thursday evening in honor of W. L. Whitley, who was recently elected Grand Master of North Carolina, at a state convention that was held in Burlington sometime ago. About one hundred members of the fraternity representing lodges in Washington, Belhaven and this place were seated around the festive board which was bountifully spread with delicacies.

L. J. Spear of this place made the welcome address. W. L. Whitley was the speaker for the occasion. A. B. Whitley, District Supervisor, of Washington also addressed the body. Other short speeches were made by John W. Darden and J. H. Leggett, Plymouth; H. E. Ricks, L. T. Houston, and J. N. Edwards of Belhaven.

Home From School

The following students are at home from school for the summer vacation: Misses Minnie Gordon Cahoon, Elizabeth Norman, Ethel Spruill, Thelma Getsinger, North Carolina College for Women, Greensboro; Misses Margaret Ross Walker, and Carolyn Brinkley, Salem College, Winston-Salem; Miss Helen White, Eastern Carolina Teachers College, Greenville; James Wood Norman, Gordon Norman, Dale Tetterton, State College, Raleigh; Louis P. Hornthal, Davidson College, Davidson; James Smith and Hubert Coburn, University, Chapel Hill; Lawrence Jones, King's Business College, Raleigh; LeRoy Harris, Atlantic Christian College, Wilson; Van B. Martin, Wake Forest, Wake Forest; Robert Martin, Oak Ridge Military Institute, Greensboro.

Local Red Cross Doubles Its Doubled Quota

W. R. Hampton, Chairman Plymouth Chapter, American National Red Cross, is in receipt of a letter from headquarters of the organization stating their appreciation for the quick remittance of the fund from the donors in this place. \$236.90 was forwarded to the officials by Mr. Hampton to aid the flood sufferers in the Mississippi valley. This chapter more than doubled its doubled quota. J. Arthur Jeffers, Assistant to the Vice Chairman, writer of the letter extends his thanks to Mr. Hampton for his endeavors and the donors for their liberality.

PRODUCTION OF EGGS DROPS IN SUMMER

"Though egg production drops in hot weather the poultry flock should receive attention so that best results will be secured when production starts on the upgrade again", stated Dr. B. F. Kaupp, head of poultry department in State College. The decline in egg production begins in June and each hen lay about thirteen eggs during this month. Since the breeding season is over in this month it is a wise plan to sell all the old birds at this time. The males that are kept should be placed in a separate field with plenty of range and a comfortable small house. Keep the male chicken away from the flock as infertile eggs keep better than fertile eggs in hot weather. Market them at least twice a week.

Dr. Kaupp suggests that it might be a good idea to caponize a few of the early cockerels and grow them out on the range this summer for the holiday trade that comes around Thanksgiving and Christmas.

The birds should be dipped to control body pests, a warm day should be selected and a solution of one per cent zenoleum or some coal tar dip used. The house should be ventilated, but no draft allowed to blow on the chickens. All the birds need plenty of shade and fresh clean water during the summer months.

Mrs. Martha Harris Entertains Young Folk

Mrs. Martha Harris entertained a small number of young folk at her home on Washington street Monday afternoon in honor of Miss Elizabeth and Master Robert Campbell, who left Tuesday morning for their new home in Sanford. The home was artistically decorated with spring flowers. Several enjoyable games were played by the children, after which the hostess served ice cream and cake.

Those present were: Little Misses Elizabeth Campbell Katherine Midgett, Helen Harrison, Lillian Reid McGowan and Kathleen Midgett of Elizabeth City, Master Robert Campbell Miss Pearl Motley and Mrs. Martha Harris.

Wedding Announced

A telegram has been received in the city by Mr. B. D. Latham announcing the marriage of his daughter Miss Nona Latham, of Norfolk, to Mr. J. E. Outen, of Norfolk, on June 4th at Elizabeth City. The newly-weds will reside at 226 West 15th street in that city.

Mrs. Outen is widely known in this section, being a native of this county. Mr. Outen is a salesman representing a barber supply house in the Virginia city. Mrs. John Darden and Mrs. W. W. Stubbs of this place are sisters of the bride.

Party at Lake Phelps

A delightful week-end house party was enjoyed by about a dozen young folk from this place during last week-end at lake Phelps. Fishing, swimming, rowing, dancing and bridge parties were enjoyed. Meals were served by the ladies in the regular camp style. The gentlemen caught the fish and supplied the food for each meal.

Those attending were: Misses Lenore Stone, Louise Ayers, Frances Warren, Elizabeth Ramsey; Messrs. Lloyd Horton, Lloyd Gilbert, Leland Tompson, and Dr. C. McGowan. Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Sumner and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sutton.

WILL LIKELY ERECT NEW HOTEL

According to information obtained from Representative Van B. Martin, of this city, who has just returned from a visit to several cities conferring with capitalists concerning the erection of a new hotel, there will soon be one under construction in this place. The financiers who wish to sponsor this undertaking will own the controlling stock and wish to make it a community project by obtaining investors locally. These parties offer to advance about fifty or sixty per cent of the funds needed for the erection and equipment and ask that the townsmen put up the other money.

The new hostelry will have about forty five rooms, each equipped with all the modern conveniences such as running water, heat etc. It will be two or three stories high, with an elevator for the benefit of the patrons and the baggage.

Three prominent street corners are under consideration as sites although none of them have been chosen as yet. These capitalists declined to invest any money in a hotel erected in the middle of a block.

The capitalists that wish to invest in the local hostelry are financially interested in several hotels in this section of North Carolina. They wish to form a chain of hotels on highways No. 10 and 11.

SKINNERSVILLE NEWS

Mr. Roy Barnes was the guest of Mr. Joe White Sunday.

Mr. Jack Swain of State College, Raleigh, has returned for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. White spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. White in Edenton.

Misses Alice and Eva White were the guests of Mrs. W. E. Blount in Roper Sunday.

Children's Day Service will be held at Rehoboth Church Sunday evening at eight o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Swain and family of Plymouth spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Henrietta Swain.

The Sunday School Convention of Skimmersville District will be held at Oak Grove Church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter White, Mr. and Mrs. John Swain spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Edgar Chesson.

Messrs. Milton Davenport and Corbett Swain attended the meeting of the county commissioners at Plymouth Monday.

Mrs. Matilda Aumack, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Everett spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Snell.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Sawyer and family of Spring Hope were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guilford Davenport Sunday.

Mrs. Mollie Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Holton and son George, were in Columbia Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knight.

Miss Sebra Bateman, a student at the North Carolina College for Women, at Greensboro, returned home this week to spend the summer vacation with her parents.

Injured at Handle Plant

Thomas Davis, middle-aged white man, of Darden's, is suffering from a badly mashed foot, received Wednesday when a leg of his trousers caught in the log carriage and pulled his foot under the carriage, at the plant of the National Handle Company on the outskirts of the city.

The injury sustained is not serious but will incapacitate him for a few days, is the opinion of Dr. T. L. Bray, who attended the patient.

HARRIS HDV WILL OPEN HERE

The Harris Hardware Co. with headquarters at Washington will open a store here in a few days in the building that was once occupied by the Post Office. The interior of the building has been repaired. It has been renovated, remodeled and painted. A new front including the glass and door will be made. New electric fixtures installed. New shelves will be built and arranged and several counters will be placed in the building. display windows will be cleaned and remodeled.

Mr. Jordan of Washington will be manager of the local store. The firm will stock a complete line of hardware that will meet the necessities of the purchasing public. Farming utensils will be included in the stock. Every hardware commodity will be found here. This new enterprise will be an addition to the other hardware merchants and it is thought that this will be the means of inducing people from other sections to trade in Plymouth. No definite opening date has been announced yet. Some of the commodities have already been brought here from other stores of the company in other cities. This is only another step in the progressive strides of Plymouth.

Free Typhoid Treatment Given

Washington county State Board of Health is giving protection by vaccination against typhoid to every person in this county. Vaccination with typhoid vaccine has been one way of reducing the deaths from these diseases.

Every child should take these treatments. It has been shown by careful and accurate records that 85 per cent of the children taking this treatment are immunized from these diseases. Three doses are necessary. Each is harmless, practically a certain preventive and is almost painless.

A dispensary will be in Plymouth on three Saturdays in succession, June 18, 25, and July 2nd. Other points in the county have been named where people may go to obtain this gratis treatment.

City Fathers Vote To Pay Interest On Bond Indebtedness

The board of city aldermen in session here last Friday evening passed a motion to pay W. H. Stewart, who is representing a firm in Jacksonville Fla., \$80.86 due on a sewer cleaning machine purchased from the firm about four years ago. Mr. Stewart also presented a bill of \$500, contracted at the same time, which the past councilmen have failed to settle.

The city fathers also agreed to buy some nozzles for the hose in the fire fighting department. The firemen have only two that can be used at the present.

\$2250. was voted to the interest on the bond indebtedness against the city.

The following members of the school faculty left for their respective homes during this week: Miss Pearl Motley, Danville Va.; Miss Lenore Stone, Grifton; Miss Elizabeth Ramsey, Ivor Va.; Miss Frances Warren, Conetoe; Miss Ethel Perry, Kingston; and Miss Ruby Templeton, Augusta Ga.

LOMAS ARE VARED TO SIXTEEN

Christian Citizenship", was the used by Dr. J. H. Gorrell, Professor of Modern Languages at Wake Forest College, in the commencement sermon preached to the graduates of the local high school in the school auditorium on Sunday morning. Sixteen graduates were present, eleven girls and five boys. Music was featured by a combined choir which had representatives from each of the local church choirs. The ministers of the four local churches participated. Rev. J. R. Everett, pastor of the local Baptist Church, introduced the speaker. Invocation was made by Rev. W. E. Norris, of the Christian Church while the scripture was read by Rector H. W. Knight of Grace Episcopal and Rev. R. G. L. Edwards of the Methodist Church led in prayer. A large audience was present.

Congressman Charles Abernethy of the second district delivered the literary address Monday evening to the graduates. The city attended the th grade diploma. Prof. J. W. Hubble presented grade certificates. Rector H. W. Norris delivered the medals. Several students won medals for distinctions. Invocation was made by R. G. L. Edwards. The music featured two choruses.

Fire Damaged Buildings To Be Replaced

The three buildings on Water street that were partly demolished by fire a few weeks ago will soon be renovated and be ready for occupants. Work on the bakery has been completed and the same firm, Hassell Bros. will soon re-open for business. New furnishings and fixtures will be installed by the firm.

Mrs. W. F. Winslow of Washington is now ready to let the contract for the repairing of the other two buildings. Orders have already been placed for some of the material. The name of the contracting firm has not been announced yet. A new roof, front wall and back wall will be built while the side walls will be renovated. New counters and other fixtures will replace the old ones that were partly destroyed by the fire.

The persons who will occupy the business places will soon be announced.

County Commissioners Order Books Audited

At a meeting of the county commissioners that met in the court house on last Monday the books were ordered audited. Several firms applied for the contract and George R. Dobie & Co. certified public accountants, of Greensboro were awarded the contract. No amount was specified in the contract as it was mutually agreed that the auditors receive a remunerative commission. Actual work will begin next week. It will perhaps take about three weeks to finish the work.

The beautiful parlor at residence of Mrs. E. Ayers will be combined in room this evening. E. Ayers and Mrs. Ayers will be joint hostesses at a delightful bridge party. The room will be handsomely decorated with spring flowers. Nine bridge tables and one rook table will be arranged. Forty guests are expected to attend this elaborate social function. A delicious dessert course will be served during the evening.

ALMO THEATRE
To-Night
Norma Talmadge
IN
KIKI
ALSO A GOOD COMEDY
Saturday Night
Aldolphe Menjou
IN
"The Grand Duchess
and the Waiter"
ALSO LAST EPISODE
"Wild West"
and
FIRST CHAPTER
The Power of God
Monday and Tuesday
Night
John Gilbert
IN
"The Show"