

Beaverdam Churches Join For Baptisms

By MRS. GEORGE F. WORLEY
Community Reporter

The sympathy of the entire community goes to the families and relatives of Rev. Luther Clark and Willie West whose funerals were conducted at North Canton Baptist Church Monday, Mr. Clark's at 11 and Willie's at 2:30. Rev. Clark had conducted services in many churches throughout the county, and Willie was noted for his fine singing. They will be greatly missed for both were admired by all who knew them.

The Meadow Grove Church people were guests at the Beaverdam Baptist Church Sunday night with their pastor doing the preaching. Next Sunday night Beaverdam will be their guests with Rev. Brown conducting the services.

The revival at the Beaverdam Baptist has closed and a number were baptized in the river near Canton Sunday afternoon. The Church of God in Canton was also having their baptizing at the same hour and they joined together and had a wonderful time.

The stewards of the Beaverdam Methodist Church met Monday night to discuss plans for the year's work and they planned to have a regular meeting the second Tuesday night of each month.

The wife of Rev. Vinson Plemons, pastor of Long's Branch church continues to be confined to the Baptist hospital in Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Phillips visited Bob's father at Charlotte for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Chambers and son from Texas, are visiting relatives in this community and near Lake Junaluska. Mrs. Chambers was formerly Dorothy West.

Mr. J. D. Harbin, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harbin and son Bud and Ila and Mattie Harbin of Gastonia vis-

HUDDLE ON ARAB-ISRAELI DISPUTE



ANDREI VISHINSKY (left) and Semyon Tsarapkin (center) of Russia hold a whispered conversation with Syrian Ambassador Dr. Farid Zennadine at a special session of the United Nations Security Council in New York. Vishinsky spoke in support of Charles Malik, of Lebanon, the only Arab on the Council, who wants a specific complaint registered against Israeli reprisal attacks on Jordan. (International)

ited relatives during the week end.

Eva Jane Worley and David Ashe attended the Clemson and Wake Forest football game at Clemson Saturday.

Mrs. Mae Robinson and children have recently moved into their pretty new home.

Another new home which is being built now is that of Mr. and Mrs. David Brown.

Word has been received of the promotion of Mr. Eugene Jackson from Fort Bragg Hospital to Moore General Hospital. He and his family are moving from there to Asheville the last of this week. Mrs. Jackson is the former Betty Worley from this community.

From Murphy To Manteo - - - Carolina Corner

Bank Resources Up \$132,652-379

North Carolina banks had combined resources of \$2,367,328,379 on September 30 — an increase of \$132,652,379 over the reported resources of September 5th of last year.

The number of state branch banks increased 10 during the year. There were 180 state banks and 231 branches.

Cousins Due To Die In Gas Chamber

The last avenue of escape from the gas chamber apparently has closed for two Pitt County Negroes, Bennie and Lloyd Ray Daniels. They are scheduled to die Friday morning for the 1949 robbery-closing of Benjamin O'Neal, Greenville taxi driver.

Herman L. Taylor of Raleigh, chief attorney for the 'doomed' men, said yesterday he has exhausted all legal steps.

Taylor and a New York attorney, John Rogge, have waged a long fight to save the cousins. They carried their battle several times to the State Supreme Court and three times to the U. S. Supreme Court.

Gov. Umstead announced last week he had studied the case and could see no reason for extending executive clemency.

\$25 Tax Exemption For Blood Donor Proposed

How would you like to get a \$25 income tax deduction by donating a pint of blood to the Red Cross?

Just such a plan, in resolution form, will be submitted to the Guilford County Young Republicans Club Nov. 10 by the author, Robert S. Galloway of Greensboro.

Informal details of the plan, disclosed yesterday by Galloway and Y. R. C. President Herman Amasa Smith, run something like this:

A taxpayer who wants his federal levy reduced donates a pint of blood to the Red Cross blood bank. He receives a certificate of donation which is submitted to the Federal Bureau of Internal Revenue.

The bureau in turn reduces his tax bill \$25 for each pint of blood up to four pints, the most a donor can give in a year's time. Galloway said he has discussed his plan with revenue men and has written congressmen about it.

Tax Collections Up In State

State tax collections totaled \$9,657,208 in the general fund during October, a \$1,523,449 increase over October, 1952. Revenue Commissioner Eugene Shaw has reported.

"The large decrease reflected in our September report has been more than offset by a large increase this month," Shaw said.

For the first four months of the current fiscal year, general fund collections amounted to \$43,052,671 which represents an increase of \$1,846,944 over collections for the same period of 1952, Shaw said.

Court Action Thrown In Reverse

Talk about biting the hand that feeds one.

When James Prince of Henderson County was given a preliminary hearing before U. S. Commissioner Guy Jordan on liquor charges back in May, his father went on his bond for \$600.

Now, however, Prince is in federal section of Buncombe County jail, at his father's request.

The younger Prince had just been tried and convicted in Hendersonville Court on charges of assault on his father. A 30-day sentence was suspended so Uncle Sam could take over.

Hominy Folk Thankful For Road Scraping

By MRS. MARK SWAIM
Community Reporter

The people of Hominy want to extend their appreciation for the scraping of the roads were recently given. They look much neater and of course ride easier. Thanks again.

The Plains Methodist Youth Fellowship is now a senior MYF and have elected new officers. The Rev. W. M. Rathbone conducted their installation services Sunday morning after the 11 o'clock service. New officers are Dee Cole, president; George Hughes, vice president; Coleen DeWeese, secretary-treasurer; Morris Broyles, worship and evangelist; Martha Swaim, community service; Paula Fullman, recreation; and Billy Sheppard, world friendship.

Five churches combined forces last Wednesday at the Plains Methodist Church to observe the week of Prayer and Self Denial. Women from Long's Chapel, Morning Star, Beaverdam, Rockwood and Plains gathered at 10 a.m. with Mrs. Kenneth Crouse as leader. Those who took part in the morning program were Mrs. Charlotte Boone, Mrs. Rena Burnette and Mrs. Eloise Harris. Those in the evening program conducted by Mrs. Charlotte Branson were Mrs. Haskew Worley, Mrs. Hilda Kinsland, Mrs. Roy Robinson, Mrs. Mark Swaim, Mrs. V. E. Wilson, Mrs. Dorothy Driver and Mrs. Marvin Mann.

The W.S.C.S. will meet Thursday night at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Vinson Worley on Oakmount Drive. Mrs. Joe Bob Westmoreland will be visiting speaker for the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gwynn Broyles have moved from our community to Thickety.

SK3 Max Cole and Mrs. Cole are spending a 2-week leave with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Moody of Waynesville and Mr. and Mrs. Crom Cole of Los Angeles, Calif. Max will sail for Korean waters upon his return to the Navy. Mrs. Cole plans to remain here with the Moody's.

A good percentage of the members of the Plains MYF attended a Sub-district meeting Monday at the Crabtree Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cole of Rocky Face Community have moved into the lower Hominy section. They now live in Mrs. Frank Coghurn's apartment.

Pvt. Cecil Gibson, who is stationed at Fort Eustis, Va., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley King were blessed by the stork Tuesday, Nov. 3, with twin girls. The babies and Mrs. King are reported to be doing fine.

Weaver Hipps and Morris

Saunook CDP To See Slides Of Community Improvements

By MRS. JULIA McCLURE
Community Reporter

The Saunook Community Development Program will meet Friday evening, Nov. 13, at 8 p.m. at the Saunook School House. Chairman W. W. Rowland urges everyone in the community to please make an effort to be present as he expects Mr. Sheffield of the REA to show slides on the improvement done this year in all communities of the county. One of the county agents will also be present.

New officers for the coming year will be elected at the meeting.

The deepest sympathy of the entire community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Stiles who have been informed by the War Department of the death of their son, Pvt. Eugene Stiles, in Korea where he had been serving with the U.S. Army.

The Saunook PTA held their annual Halloween Carnival at the school house last Friday night. Following a musical program given by the children under the direction of Mrs. Carl McCracken, Jr., a sale of various items and food were held. A nice profit was realized after all expenses were paid.

Proceeds of the carnival paid the balance due on the water heater, recently installed, and there is a sum left to begin another project, possibly a floor covering for the kitchen of the lunch room.

Halloween passed off quietly in our community, for which we are thankful. There were no gates or fences left open; no chairs changed from one porch to another; and very few windows marked. Maybe we had better keep our fingers crossed for we never know what comes next.

Mrs. Carl McCracken, Jr., and daughter, Shirley, spent the week end with Mrs. McCracken's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Metcalf at their home at Bethel.

Mrs. Claude McClure, Mrs. Arthumie Mehaffey, Miss Imogene Hooper and Manual Hooper visited relatives in Newport News, Va., last week.

John Rhinehart, who is now making his home in Petersburg, Va., spent the week end with his father, Vaughn Rhinehart, in Saunook.

Pvt. William Plemons, who is in the U. S. Army stationed at

Canton Woman Dies At Work

Miss Annie Leatherwood, 63, died of a heart attack Monday afternoon while working at the Carolina Cleaners on Main Street in Canton. She was employed in the firm's alterations department.

A native of Haywood County, Miss Leatherwood was the daughter of the late Lewis B. and Martha McCracken Leatherwood. She made her home with a sister, Mrs. Rufus N. Presley in Canton.

She was a member of the West Canton Baptist Church.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon in the Beulah Baptist Church with the Rev. Otto Parham, and Rev. Coleman Brown, the Rev. Bryce Wright, and the Rev. Ben Cook officiated and burial was in Bon-A-Venture cemetery.

Nephews were pallbearers and nieces were flower bearers.

Surviving in addition to Mrs. Presley are two brothers, J. S. Leatherwood of Houston, Texas and Frank Leatherwood of Durham; and two sisters, Mrs. H. L. Spivey of Fairview and Mrs. Mipnie Medlin of Durham.

Wells Funeral Home was in charge.

Camp Jackson, S. C., spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Plemons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith and daughter, May, of Hopewell, Va., spent last week with Mrs. Howard Arrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lyle, Mrs. Frances McCracken, Mrs. Walter Bryson and W. A. Smathers visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lyle in Gaffney, S. C. last Sunday.

Friends of Floyd Lyle are sorry to hear he is very ill. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle are former residents of Saunook.

Mrs. Mattie Clark visited relatives at Fines Creek last week.

Mrs. Amos Bryson of Jackson County spent the week end here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hooper.

Miss Juanita Arrington, now of Greensboro, spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. Howard Arrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Eavenson and children of Waynesville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Eavenson Sunday at their home on Saunook Road.

Miss Freda Arrington who was confined to her home by a severe cold is now able to be back at work in Ray's Super Market.

International Booklet Uses Work By Former Hazelwood Pastor

A former pastor of the Hazelwood Methodist Church, Mrs. Lee, is the author of the meditation to be used in the November-December issue of "The Upper Room" for the date Tuesday, December 15. The publication is a devotional guide having a circulation more than two and a half million copies in the English editions, an estimated 7 million readers including duplicates in Braille, other English editions as well as 17 other languages.

Mrs. Lee is now pastor of Whittier Methodist Church in Mt. Airy. She based her meditation Acts 16:31: "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved."

Mrs. Lee tells the story of little girl who refused to take medicine that the doctor said would restore her health, and concluded "I could not help but think of kind, sick unto death, etc. death, and the medicine has been prescribed—Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved." yet many men, women and young people are acting as did that little girl. They refuse to take the remedy that is spiritual health now, and eternal life hereafter." The meditation concluded with a prayer and thought for the day.

Because of the wide reader and popularity of "The Upper Room", it is considered a honor to have a meditation selected and published in the world's widely used devotional guide used by Christians in all churches in the United States, Canada of all Protestant denominations and thousands throughout the world. Chapter report that a special pocket edition is the item of religious literature most often requested by men and women in the mill services.

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