

PINK HILL-SMITH-GRADY NEWS & VIEWS

Personals

Russell Bostic, attending U. N. C. Chapel Hill, recently visited his mother, Mrs. Murphy Bostic and other Pink Hill relatives.

Mrs. Helen Turner has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Christine Barnes and son Billy, in Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tyndall in Knoxville, Tennessee.

Mrs. T. A. Turner was in Kingston Sunday to attend a luncheon at Hotel Kingston given by Mrs. Helen London, to honor members of a party who took a Mediterranean Cruise early this year.

Mrs. Fred Lawton and children of Topsall were recent guests of Mr. H. E. Maxwell and Mrs. Herald Latham, enroute to Moss Hill to visit her sister, Mrs. Clayton Rouse and family.

Mr. Bascom Lamar Lunsford of Asheville has been in this section selecting talent for his part on the program at the N. C. State Fair next week.

Mr. Hunter Bent of E. C. C., Greenville spent the weekend with his parents, Prin. and Mrs. H. M. Wells.

Miss Peggy Grady, student at the Woman's College in Greensboro, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Grady.

Misses Dorothy Carol Stroud and

Lula Mae Jones, students at Meredith College, Raleigh were at their homes in Pink Hill for the weekend.

Miss Viola Westbrook has accepted work as a nurse at Parrotts Hospital in Kingston.

Miss Sarah Ann Maxwell of Richmond, Va. spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Maxwell. Other guests in the Maxwell home on Sunday included Mrs. Clarence Grady and Miss Celia Maxwell of Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lawton, Jr., and children, Rebecca and Fred III, and Mrs. L. R. Turner of Topsall, Mrs. Clayton Rouse and Luby Eric and Ada Ray Rouse of Moss Hill, L. Kenneth Maxwell of Ft. Bragg and Messrs. L. R. Turner, L. H. Turner, E. R. Maxwell and Mortimer Maxwell and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Watson of Pink Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Remus J. Smith, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Remus J. Smith, Jr., and children Karen Sue and Miriam Ann of Hillsboro were guests Sunday of Mrs. Sallie Westbrook and family.

Messrs. Dempsey and Elbert Smith spent several days recently at their camp at Sneads Ferry, fishing.

Mrs. W. J. Smith, who has been spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Simmons and family in Goldsboro is now visiting relatives in Pink Hill for a while.

Rev. Farrior III

Rev. N. P. Farrior, Pink Hill Presbyterian minister underwent surgery at Parrotts Hospital in Kingston, Friday morning of last week. His many, many friends hope for him a speedy recovery.

Entertain Jr. Class

Miss Becky Turner was hostess to the Junior Class of the Pink Hill High School of which she is a member, at her home in Pink Hill Thursday evening. Officers of the class who were all present are: Kenneth Jones, president; Cecil Howard, vice-president; Gloria Pierce, secretary and Becky Turner, treasurer. Miss Turner served spaghetti, tossed salad, chocolate cake and iced tea. Games and dancing were enjoyed.

VFW Auxiliary

Mrs. Jasper Tyndall, president, was in charge of the regular monthly meeting of the Auxiliary to the Willard Smith Post No. 9514 of the V. F. W. which was held at the post home Monday night, October 4. Mesdames Tyndall and John E. Johnson were named chairmen of two groups in a drive for new members. The auxiliary voted to send \$5.00 to the Cerebral Palsy fund. It also voted to send three birthday gifts to N. C. children at the National Home in Eaton Rapids, Michigan. A report was made on the district meeting recently held in Washington.

Mesdames Cecil Sanderson and Ethro Hill served refreshments. Fourteen were present.

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More Kenansville News

Girl Scouts Hold Meeting Wed. The Girl Scouts held their regular meeting at the Womens Club building on Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. George Penny assisting Mrs. N. B. Boney Scout Luranne Penny presiding with Scout Florrie Currie acting as scribe. The usual ritual was conducted with Scout catalogue being passed out to the members. It was decided to invite mothers and Troop members for the meeting as the membership cards will be received by members.

Mr. Stokes Honored At Dinner Mrs. Florence Currie and daughter Florrie were hostesses to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Best of Warsaw, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. McGowan, Mr. Fran McGowan, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Stokes and Dianne, at a turkey luncheon on Sunday when they honored Mr. Stokes on his birthday.

New Choir Director Mr. Body who has recently come to Duplin County, as band leader is the new director of the choir of the Methodist Church.

Methodist Men Hold Meeting The Methodist Men met on Monday evening in the club room at Magnolia, where the ladies of the church served a delectable dinner. Following the dinner a business meeting was held and reports of the various committees were given.

Circle II Met With Mrs. McKay Circle No. 2 of Grove Presbyterian Church met with Mrs. D. H. McKay, at her home on Monday evening. Mrs. A. R. Bland, circle chairman, presided. Following business, Mrs. Roy Sil-

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Inside WASHINGTON MARCH OF EVENTS

Farm Surplus Problems Grow as Drought Ends | **Farmers Now Planting Small Grains, Vegetables**

Special to Central Press WASHINGTON—With the southwestern drought broken over a wide area of the southern plains, the farm surplus problem grows bigger, because crops this year are going to be greater than was first anticipated. However, Agriculture department officials are worrying about another and little publicized aspect of the problem. They have learned in recent weeks that farmers are planting in small grains, soy beans, and vegetables most of the 25 million acres which have been diverted this year from the growing of cotton, wheat and corn under acreage allotment plans.

This means that surpluses of oats, barley and grain sorghums are going to be bigger than if no acres had been diverted from the main staple crops. The government has already loaned millions of dollars on these small grains, and the prospect now is that it will have to stake out large new sums. In addition, a substantial quantity of soy beans is being grown on diverted acres, which will add to the bounty in this crop, while the prospect is that enough of the diverted acreage will be planted in lettuce, tomatoes and other vegetables to threaten a vegetable glut later on.

Moreover, some of the diverted acres are being planted in wheat outside of the commercial wheat belt and in corn outside of the commercial corn belt. It all means that the crop surplus headache is going to be bigger than was thought at first. The administration has proposed legislation under which the government would make contracts with farmers for planting diverted acres in pasture, legumes, etc. However, there is a question as to what Congress will do about the matter. Besides, it is too late to do anything about it this year anyway.

FARM POLITICS—For the second time in six years, farm legislation looms as a major issue in a crucial election campaign. The last time was in 1948 when many believe the defection of normally Republican farmers in the midwest swung the election to Harry S. Truman.

This autumn, Democrats will attack President Eisenhower's espousal of flexible government supports for prices of basic farm commodities. Generally, the Democrats favor rigid high supports at 90 per cent of parity.

The House has approved a modified flexible formula that would bring the level down to 82½ per cent of parity after years of heavy production.

GOP congressional leaders proposed the compromise when it became clear Mr. Eisenhower's original proposal for a range from 75 to 90 per cent would lose a good number of Republican members to the Democratic cause.

Regardless of what action the Senate takes, Democrats from rural areas are out to belabor the administration on this issue. They think the farmer, especially in a period of falling farm prices, favors the present system. The congressional elections in November will tell the story.

SENATE FASHIONS—The Senate's new lady member, Senator Eva Bowring (R), Nebraska, was taken aback somewhat the other day when she learned, after making her maiden speech, that reporters were more interested in the color of her suit than her subject—farm prices.

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