

### ASHLEY HEIGHTS NEWS

By Mrs. Ralph Cothran

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Calloway and children of Hamlet and Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Huff, Jr. of Raleigh were visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. Calloway and Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Huff last Sunday.

Daniel Jones was confined to his bed last week with flu.

All the children of Mr. and Mrs. E. King came home Sunday and gave Mr. King a birthday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Smoak and daughter, Ann, went to see Mrs. Smoak's mother in South Carolina last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hardister visited relatives in Carthage Sunday.

Ed Bowling was confined to his bed last week. Friends are glad to see him up and out again.

### THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY



weeks before planting time makes a good fertilizer. About a handful of garden fertilizer should be mixed with the soil at planting time if the soil is poor. When the plants are about twelve inches tall, topdress with a handful of fertilizer. Repeat this when the buds begin to swell and every three or four weeks during the blooming season, until September 15th.

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Mrs. Odell Ashburn and children and Mrs. Ralph Calloway spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cothran and Barbara.

Mr. and Mrs. Taft Hardister spent Sunday with Mrs. Hardister's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Primm at Carthage. Mr. Primm has been sick for the past week.

Mrs. Odester Wilson of Winston-Salem spent Sunday with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bobbitt and family visited in the home of Mrs. Bobbitt's mother in Pine Bluff last Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Womble, Misses Mildred Womble, Mildred Sinclair and Miralyn Johnson spent one day last week in Greensboro shopping.

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### Spring's The Time To Plant Dahlias

Now that Spring is here says John H. Harris, Landscape Specialist for the State College Extension Service, a thousand and one garden jobs are demanding attention.

It's a good time to start a number of annuals in flower garden, as well as to divide and re-set the perennials.

Gladiolus bulbs can be planted now, he says, but suggests that flower gardeners save some of the glad bulbs to plant during May and June for late bloom.

If you didn't take up your dahlias last fall, Mr. Harris says it will pay you to dig them now and divide the roots for immediate re-setting. In dividing the crown—where the eyes or sprouts are usually found, make sure that each division has at least one eye and one good root. A root without an eye or sprout is worthless, he says.

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