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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Israel Mann and Mr. and Mrs. Doug McLeod are spending this week in New York. They are attending the 77th annual Shriners Convention at which over a 100,000 are expected to be present. During their stay in New York Mr. and Mrs. Mann will do fall buying for their store and will also visit their son, Milton, at Columbia University.

Mrs. Tom Cameron is spending some time in Lake Junaluska. Her daughter, Suzanne, who had been at camp, joined her there this week.

The first session of summer school of East Carolina College came to a close Tuesday. Haywood Faircloth will attend the second session and Mrs. Faircloth will visit her parents in Hemmingway, S. C. The Faircloths expect to be in Raeford this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Gatlin attended the 53rd semi-annual furniture and rug show in High Point Tuesday. They met Lilmar Sue Gatlin and Eloise Upchurch in Greensboro. The girls were returning after spending a month at Camp Dellwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Upchurch, Lewis, Jr., Tony Clark and Mrs. Upchurch's sister, Mrs. Esther Allen, came home Monday after spending a week at Bogue Sound.

Mrs. Esther Allen is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lewis Upchurch. Mrs. Allen is to be cashier in the new Cooper Super Market and will live in the remodeled house near the Presbyterian Manse.

Mrs. Jackson Lennon and children are visiting Mrs. Lennon's sister, Mrs. P. L. Cordle at Morganton while Mr. Lennon is at Ridgcrest.

Misses Ina Mae Benner and Mabel Bacon of Raleigh were week-end visitors in the home of Miss Benner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Benner. Mr. and Mrs. Benner also had as their guests one day last week, Mrs. Dollie Peebles and daughter, Ruth, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stevens of Raleigh.

Misses Jeanette Purvis and Joan Douglas of Sumter, S. C. spent last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Hobson. Other guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hobson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Anderson and family and Malcolm Andrews of Timmonsville, S. C., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hobson and Tommy and Mrs. Nellie Hendrix.

Col. and Mrs. L. M. Miller and daughter, Diane, of Fort Bragg were guests of Mrs. Lottie C. Johnson on the 4th. Mrs. Johnson and daughter, Patsy, returned Sunday after being at Fort Bragg with Col. and Mrs. Miller since last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Upchurch, Jr. spent last week at Waynesville and other places of interest in the mountains.

Tom McLaughlin is taking his vacation in the mountains of North Carolina.

Miss Marie Cameron, of WCCNC, Greensboro, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. H. A. Cameron.

Mrs. J. E. Tillman of Wadesboro is visiting here in the home of her son, Jim Tillman, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Campbell and little Steve of Charlotte visited Mr. and Mrs. Locke Campbell one day last week.

Mrs. Arad Stuart, Mrs. W. B. Crumpton and Miss Thomas, who spent several days in Kinston with Miss Mabel Gatlin Taylor, returned to Raeford Monday. They were accompanied by Miss Mabel Gatlin Taylor.

Hold Final Rites For Mrs. Taylor Friday

Funeral services for Mrs. Guy Taylor, the former Miss Mabel Gatlin of Raeford, were held in Kinston last Friday afternoon, at the First Methodist Church, of which church Mrs. Taylor and her late husband were members. The body was carried to the church at four p. m. and the funeral was at 5 p. m. Services were conducted by Dr. H. I. Glass of Wilmington, a former pastor of the church and the Rev. Mark W. Lawrence, pastor.

Pall bearers were nephews of the deceased. Those from Raeford were: H. L. Gatlin, Jr., Robert Gatlin, Marion Gatlin, Neil Senter and Crawford Thomas. Interment was in Westview cemetery at Kinston.

All members of the Gatlin family connection and many sympathetic friends from Raeford and other towns attended the funeral of this well beloved woman.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Shell announce the birth of a daughter, Susan Sigmon, at Highsmith hospital, Thursday, July 5.

This is the first child born to Mr. and Mrs. Shell, who have an apartment in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ina T. Lentz.

Mrs. R. L. Carter and daughters, Misses Anne and Dottie Carter left Monday for Western North Carolina to spend several days.

Mrs. W. J. McQuage has been a patient at Moore County hospital for the past two weeks and is seriously ill. Her daughter, Mrs. Maude Mayhue and Mrs. Mayhue's daughter, Mrs. Marcia Thrallkill and children, all of Montgomery, Alabama, are here with Mr. McQuage while Mrs. McQuage is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Willis and Miss Lizzie Niven visited in Lumberton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McDuffie visited Mrs. McDuffie's mother, Mrs. E. L. Davis at Durham Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. W. B. Willis has been quite sick at her home for the past several weeks.

Mrs. Jimmy Thomas of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, arrived Monday night for a visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. Tommie Upchurch, and to see her mother, Mrs. J. B. Hoyl, who is with Mrs. Upchurch.

Hugh McLaughlin, who spent last week with his mother here, returned to Greensboro Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Bethune of Hamlet was a visitor in Raeford Monday night. She and Mr. Bethune attended the funeral services of Mr. Bethune's cousin, Mrs. Leo Page, the former Miss Margaret Blue, in Rockingham Tuesday afternoon and burial services at Old Bethesda, Aberdeen.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dezerene took their vacation last week. They returned home Monday after a visit to Mrs. Dezerene's brothers, A. H. and George Poe and their families in Chapel Hill.

Mrs. H. A. Cameron and Miss Florence Cameron are spending this week at the Upchurch cottage on Bogue Sound. They have as their guests, Mrs. E. B. Davis and Mrs. Davis' father, J. E. Ballard of Morganton and Jimmy McGougan of Lumber Bridge.

Miss Jean Willis is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Fred Holloman at Winston-Salem this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harvey visited relatives in Greer, S. C. for several days last week.

Don Harvey spent last week in Gallatin, Tenn. visiting friends.

Chamber To Hold Luncheon For Members Tuesday



DUANE STRAWBRIDGE

Duane Strawbridge, program adviser for the Southeastern Division of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, will meet with members of the Raeford Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon meeting at the high HHS day, H. L. Gatlin, Jr., president of the chamber announced this week. He urged all members to attend.

Mr. Strawbridge is a native of Dallas, Texas, attended the University of Texas, and has been associated with the Westinghouse Electric Corporation and Jorns Manville corporation. He has been with the United States Chamber of Commerce for about a year.

In that time he has developed methods to assist chambers in instituting programs dealing with national problems which have a direct effect upon the local community. He has also had a wide experience nationally in meeting with chambers and assisting them in setting up these programs in their communities. He was appointed program advisor for the Southeastern division on January 1 and now devotes his entire time to working with member organizations in Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and North Carolina.

BENEFIT GALATIA FRI.

There will be a fish fry at Galatia Presbyterian church on Friday night, July 13, for the benefit of the church's organ fund. Fish, corn bread and slaw will be served with plenty of cold tea and ice water. Pie will also be available and all are invited to come enjoy the outdoor meal and help a worthy cause.

NEWCOMERS TO MILL

Employees of Robbins Mills (N. C.) Inc., coming to Raeford during the last week included Willard T. Peek, Curtis J. Lee, Martin A. Overcash, Richard E. Bass, John Alexander and Brady C. Boger.

Assumes Duties At Henderson Church

Miss Elmira Whitley, of Raeford, assumed her duties as Director of Christian Education at the First Presbyterian church of Henderson last week.

Miss Whitley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. B. Whitley, of Raeford. She graduated at Raeford High school and attended the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina, where she received her B. A. degree in sociology in 1949.

She was active in all phases of student work on the campus, being vice president of the Westminster Fellowship.

Following her graduation from WCUNC, Miss Whitley attended the General Assembly Training school, in Richmond, Virginia. She graduated last year having had her field work at the Lakeside Presbyterian church and the Ginter Park Presbyterian church, both in Richmond.

Local Man Promoted At Air Force Base

Sergeant Thomas A. Potter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Potter, Route 2, Raeford, N. C., was recently promoted to the grade of staff sergeant at Barksdale Air Force Base, Louisiana.

S-Sgt. Potter is on duty status as a senior hydraulic mechanic with his organization, the 91st Maintenance Squadron of the 91st Wing. He is a graduate of Hoke County high school at Raeford, N. C. S-Sgt. Potter served served in the Berlin Airlift mission.

Bookmobile Route For Next Week

Schedule for the Hoke county bookmobile for Tuesday, Thursday and Friday of next week is announced below.

On Tuesday, July 17 at 8:45,	
Long's Cafe;	
Long's Cafe	8:45
Lawrence Conoly	9:10
Friendship Schl	9:40
Lacy Scarborough	10:00
Marshall Newton	10:10
White Oak School	10:30
Wayside	10:45
J. E. Lovette	11:00
D. A. McDougald	11:15
Rockfish Post Office	11:45
Mrs. Grace Monroe	12:00
Mrs. Claude Wood	12:10
Mrs. Percy English	12:30
Mrs. J. L. Edge	12:45
Mrs. Albert Guin	12:55
Mrs. Percy Gillis	1:10
Mrs. R. W. Posey	1:25
Mrs. Brock	1:40
Mrs. Warwick	1:50
Hendrix Station at Arabia	2:00
Mrs. Ruth Bristow	2:15
Lee Adcox	2:25
Trions Station	2:45
Wilbur Smith	3:00
J. A. Jones Station	3:15
Mildouson School	3:30
Smith's Station at Dudarrach	3:50
Frank McGregor's Station	4:05
Miller's Station	4:20
Bridges Grove Community	4:35
Cliff Conoly	4:45
Schedule for Thursday, July 19 is as follows:	
McGregor's Community	8:30
(Aberdeen Road)	
Shady Grove School	9:20
Will McBryde's	9:40
Piney Bay Community	10:00
Mrs. D. R. John's	10:15
Mrs. Albert Currie's	10:25
Mrs. Tom Holland	10:35
McNeill's Mill	11:00
N. H. G. Balfour's	11:20
Sam McGougan's	11:45
Mrs. Johnny McGougan's	12:00
On Friday, July 20, starting at 8:30 a. m. the bookmobile will work the section from Ashley Heights west to the county line.	

PROGRESSIVE STORE IS UNDER NEW MANAGER

Maurice Henry became the new manager of the Progressive store recently when Ed Byrd resigned to become grocery manager of the new Cooper Super market which will open in a week or two. Mr. Henry came to Raeford from Mt. Olive and he and Mrs. Henry and their little son have an apartment over Wood's Furniture Store.

Mrs. Bruce Morris Passes Wednesday; Funeral Friday P. M.

Mrs. Beulah Cameron Morris, 64, died at her home here at about 11:00 o'clock Wednesday night after being critically ill with cancer for about three years and suffering near death for the last two months.

Funeral services will be conducted at the home at four o'clock Friday afternoon by the Rev. W. B. Heyward, pastor of the Raeford Presbyterian church, of which she was a member and Rev. P. O. Lee, pastor of the Raeford Methodist church. Burial will be in Raeford cemetery. Pallbearers will be J. H. Blue, Martin McKeithan, Harold Keith, John Cameron, Nell J. Blue, Jack Morris, Paul Dickson and Julian McLeod.

Mrs. Morris was a member of one of the old families of this section, being born in the Sandy Grove community of what is now the Fort Bragg reservation, the daughter of Samuel J. Cameron and Margaret McKeithan Cameron. She had lived in Raeford since her marriage.

She is survived by her husband; one daughter, Mrs. Charles P. Trexler, of the home; three sons, James C. of the home and Sam C. of Raeford, and Bruce, Jr., of Gilmer, Texas; one brother, Frank Cameron of South Hill, Va.; one sister, Mrs. A. C. Keith of Raeford; eight grandchildren.

Not Much Court Tuesday Morning

A few traffic violations was all there was for Judge Henry McDiarmid in Hoke County recorder's court Tuesday morning.

Speeders paying \$10 and the costs each were Charles F. Blackwelder, James A. Fisher, J. B. Huff, all white, and L. D. Baldwin colored. Preston Moore and Theodore Stewart, both colored, each had to pay the costs for exceeding the speed limit in town.

Clonnie Rogers, colored, paid \$10 the costs for driving with no brakes.

Battery "F" Vets Meet In Asheboro, Form Association

A group of wartime members of what started out from here in 1940 as Battery "F," 252d CA, met with their wartime commander in Asheboro last Sunday for a picnic dinner and a lot of talk about old times.

They met with Leon Brandt, who was commander of the unit in the West Indies, back in the United States and later in Italy. The association was formed and named the English-Gore association after Carl English of Hoke County and Horace Gore of High Point, two members of the unit who were killed in Italy. Ralph Parks of Charlotte was elected president, Leon Brandt of Asheboro, vice-president, and Oscar Soers of Asheboro secretary, and the second Sunday in August was set as the annual meeting date. The next meeting is to be held Raeford. Tom Conoly and Carlton Niven were elected historians of the association.

Weevil Survey Shows Poison Is Good Investment

The Weekly Cotton Insect Survey for July 10 shows an average infestation of 3 percent in treated fields and 23 percent in fields which have not been poisoned this year, according to E. M. Stallings, County Agent.

The Farm Agent makes the following observations and recommendations:

A small amount of bollworm damage was seen in most fields. These worms can usually be held in check with regular cotton dust. If cases occur where the boll worm continues to build up either use 15 lbs. cotton dust per acre or two applications of 10 percent DDT dust at the rate of 10 lbs. per acre 5 days apart. It would be advisable to continue making inspections and counts of boll weevil damage in individual fields. Additional treatments should be made 7 to 10 percent.

Weevil Score To Date Per 800 Plants Checked

May 21	2
May 28	2
June 4	4
June 11	19
Percent of squares punctured in 8 fields (100 squares per field examined)	
June 18	Poisoned once 7%
	Unpoisoned 17%
June 25	Poisoned twice 1%
	Poisoned once 9%
	Unpoisoned 19%
July 2	Poisoned 2%
	Unpoisoned 19%
July 10	Poisoned 2%
	Unpoisoned 29%

ATTEND BTU MEET AT RIDGECREST

A number of young people from the Raeford Baptist church, accompanied by Rev. Judson Lennon, Mrs. L. W. Turner and Mrs. C. J. Benner, counselors, left early this morning for Ridgcrest to attend the Southwide Baptist Training Union week. Those going were: Barbara Warlick, Barbara Turner, Janice and C. J. Benner, John Davis, Douglas Dixon, Lavinia Wade, June Connell, Tim Hall, Milton, Glisson, Nancy Bishop, Helen Rose, Faye Dark, Elizabeth Odom and James Odom.

Lion's Club Gets 14 New Members To Start Year Off

The Raeford Lions club started their new year the first of this month with plenty of pep, as shown by the attendance of 50 at their fish fry at John McGoogans pond recently.

Among the 50 were 14 who were accepted by the club as new members. These were J. E. Gillis, John F. Nicholson, I. W. Kinlaw, Jr., A. W. Wood, John Helms, K. D. Lowe, E. W. Human, T. Watson Jones, Sam Hiser, B. G. Mullinax, T. L. Amos, A. V. Guyer, J. P. Bell and Harold Gillis.

Local Scouts At Camp This Week

Scoutmaster Tom McLaughlin and the Raeford Boy Scout troop are attending Camp Tom Upchurch this week. Fourteen of the 16 members of the troop are attending camp, and on Sunday W. H. Fann and his nephew were also visitors of the local troop.

The camp is owned and operated by the Cape Fear Area Council, Boy Scouts of America. The land, near the Upchurch power plant, was given by the Upchurch family in Mr. Upchurch's memory and the camp was named after him. During the week the boys are spending a great deal of time passing their various tests and tomorrow night a court of honor will be held at which these Raeford Scouts will receive the awards for their accomplishments. The roads to the camp are good and local people are invited to attend the court of honor and support the local Boy Scout movement.

Colonel Monroe Gets War Commendation

Colonel Henry S. Monroe, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Monroe of Raeford, was awarded the Commendation Medal by Col. Robert C. McBride, Deputy for Material, in presentation ceremonies at Headquarters Air Defense Command, Ent Air Force Base, Colorado Springs, Colorado, recently. The citation conferring the medal at the direction of the Secretary of the Air Force declared, "Colonel Henry S. Monroe, United States Air Force, distinguished himself by meritorious achievement during the period 8 February 1945 to 24 August 1945 in the Asiatic-Pacific theater of operations."

Locker Plant Offers Prize To 4-H Girls

The Colonial Frozen Foods Plant of Raeford has offered a free frozen locker to the Hoke County 4-H Club girl who completes the best frozen foods project in the county," says Josephine Hall, Home Demonstration Agent. Both Junior and Senior club girls may take part in the contest. Each girl will keep a record of all the food she prepares and packages for freezing, either in the Freezer Locker in Raeford or in the Home Storage Unit. Records will be judged in October or November and the winner will be announced then.

The following girls have signed up to do frozen foods project. Alma Lee Lovette, Elizabeth Ann Overton, Betty Scarborough, Annie Blue Cameron, Eloise Dean, Betty Jo Lovette, Lavinia Wade, Barbara Strother, Nancy Lee Cloer, Margaret Jacobs, Betty McKenzie, Carolyn Obster, Edith Overton, Shirley Ann McNeill, Joyce Carol Rollins and Ellen Kate Kocnee.

Any other 4-H Club girl in the county, who is interested in carrying on a frozen foods project, is asked to see Miss Hall at her office in the County Office Building.

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