

Society Items

NEWS EVENTS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Fashion Facts

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Beamon, Mrs. T. W. Kight, Jr., and son, Blackie, and Jean Hess of Norfolk, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Beamon and family this week.

Mrs. J. L. Hofler, Jr., and children "G" and Linda of Windsor, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hofler.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Parker and son, Charlie, were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Parker in Norfolk.

Mrs. Sue Hudgins of Suffolk, is visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Blanchard.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sykes were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Carter.

H. V. Beamon, Jr., and Billie Wiggins left last week to attend the Blue Ridge School for boys at Hendersonville.

Mrs. Charles H. Wood, Mrs. E. L. Riddick, Miss Frances Newsome, and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Greenleaf of Elizabeth City, spent the weekend at Nags Head.

Mrs. J. G. Pollock and son, Graham, are visiting Mrs. Pollock's mother-in-law, Mrs. G. D. Murry, at Warsaw.

Miss Frances Newsome left Monday for her home in Winton where she will spend her vacation.

Mrs. F. E. Smith visited her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Morris Smith, at Aulander a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Liniger of Edwards, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morris and son, Travis, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Morris and son, E. T., 3rd, of Currituck, and Mrs. W. F. Morris of Gates, visited Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Smith Sunday.

After visiting her mother, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Dodd, returned to their home in Hopewell Friday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Dodd's mother, Mrs. T. L. Brown, and sister, Miss Jean Brown, who will spend a few days with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hinton and children of Newport News, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hinton, last week.

Andrew Meeder returned home Sunday after visiting his aunt, Mrs. Lee Knott at Washington, N. C.

Miss Erdine Franklin and niece, Miss Martha Ann Franklin, of Corapeake, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. William Franklin in New York City.

Mrs. B. B. Everett of Palmyra, speaker at the Farm Bureau meeting at Sunbury Friday night, returned to her home Saturday morning after spending the night with Miss Ethel Parker.

Mrs. S. P. Cross and Mrs. William John Hayes are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Cromer at their cottage in the mountains in Yancey county.

MISS CHRISTINE PARKER HONORED AT SHOWER

Mrs. W. H. Horton of Whaleyville entertained at a miscellaneous shower Wednesday night in honor of Miss Christine Parker, bride of Saturday.

The guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Horton and Miss Parker. They were served punch in the reception hall by Mrs. Granville Eure and Mrs. C. W. Smith. The guests were then invited to the living room where games and contests were enjoyed.

Mrs. Horton's home was lovely in summer flowers and white candles.

The guests were then invited into the gift room. Miss Parker received many lovely and useful gifts.

This District Plans to Assist In Meredith Expansion Program

Plans for acquainting the people of the northeastern section of the State with the Meredith College Expansion Program were made at a luncheon meeting held at the Edenton Baptist Church last Thursday.

To date, chairmen for the drive for funds to be conducted in connection with the Expansion Program have been named in this area as follows: Hertford county, Mrs. Lloyd Godwin and Merrill Evans; Colerain, Mrs. W. D. White and W. E. White; Windsor, Mrs. Anne Early Sermons and L. L. Craig; Jackson, Mrs. Sallie C. Parker; Woodland, Mrs. C. G. Parker and R. M. Griffin; and Gates county, the Rev. and Mrs. T. Sloan Guy, Sr. Mrs. Gordon Maddrey of Ahoskie is head of the women's division of the district.

The Rev. Oscar Creech of Ahoskie is chairman of District No. 1, which includes Hertford, Bertie, Northampton, Gates, Perquimans, Pasquotank, and Pamlico counties, and he presided over the meeting in Edenton. H. K. Haddock of Raleigh, who is heading the program throughout the State was present and gave information concerning the method of carrying out the program and the success with which it has been meeting in other sections of North Carolina. Representatives of various towns and communities attended the luncheon.

The organization of the various units of the campaign is still in progress.



John J. Pershing, general of the armies of the United States, receives his 20th honorary academic degree, a doctor of laws degree from the University of Wyoming. Rear Admiral E. S. Land, chairman of the U. S. Maritime commission, makes the presentation.

Church Calendar

BUELAH BAPTIST CHURCH SUNBURY

Preaching each first Sunday evening at 8 o'clock; each third Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

METHODIST SERVICES GATESVILLE CIRCUIT

First Sunday mornings, Harrell's Church at 11 o'clock. First Sunday nights, Gatesville Church at 8 o'clock. Second Sunday mornings, at Zion Church at 11 o'clock. Second Sunday night, Philadelphia Church, Sunbury at the 8 o'clock hour. Third Sunday mornings at Gatesville at 11 o'clock. Third Sunday afternoons, at Harrell's Church at 3:30. Fourth Sunday mornings at Philadelphia at 11:00. Fourth Sunday evenings, at Zion at 8:30. First Sunday afternoons at the Prison Camp at 3 o'clock. Rev. J. M. Jollif, pastor.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES GATES FIELD

Sunday, July 9, 1944 5th Sunday after Trinity St. Mary's, Gatesville 8 p. m. Evening Prayer and Sermon Rev. John H. Bonner, Jr. Priest-in-Charge.

SUNBURY CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Services—Third Sunday evening at 8:30, Damascus. Third Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at Oak Grove. Fifth Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, Damascus. Fifth Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Oak Grove. The Rev. Arnold Slater, Pastor.

HANDS IN CHARLOTTE

Clerk of Court L. C. Hand and Mrs. Hand left Tuesday for Charlotte, where Mr. Hand will attend the annual convention for North Carolina clerks of court. They plan to return Friday to Gatesville.

Among the Sick

T. J. Carter is sick at his home near Gatesville.

J. J. Riddick continues sick at Lee Memorial Hospital, Norfolk.

MARVIN WHITE RETURNS TO FLORIDA

Corapeake. — Sgt. Marvin White of the A.A.F. has returned to his post of duty at Avon Park, Florida after spending a fifteen day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. White.

10 Years Ago

Items of interest lifted from the files of this paper 10 years ago this week.

First Cotton Bloom

William John Harrell, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Harrell of near Gatesville, presented the first cotton blossom from this year's crop to the Index office Monday afternoon.

Memorial Window Given by Hayes for John Glenn

A fitting tribute to the memory of the late John Glenn, a lovely memorial window, has been placed in St. Mary's Episcopal Church by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gatling Hayes.

Announcing Birth

Gatesville. — Mr. and Mrs. Worth Womble announce the birth of a daughter, Barbara Ann, on Thursday, June 28 at their home.

Bank of Gates Now Operating Without Any Restriction

Reopened Monday with capital of twenty seven thousand dollars, L. C. Hand, cashier, A. P. Godwin, acting president.

Production Program For Farm Machinery May Meet Schedule

While the farm machinery production program was 10.7 per cent behind schedule June 1, and some items will not meet goals originally set, the War Production Board announced that production of some items, such as tractors, for which the demand is very high, will exceed the goal set.

Fertilizer distributors, listers and middle busters are ahead of schedule. Mold board plows are practically on schedule, and it looks as though grain drills, and disc, spike and spring tooth harrows will meet schedule.

While garden tractors, tractor-mounted cultivators, side delivery rakes, hay loaders, mowers, combined and power sprayers were behind schedules, May production was considerably above average production of the previous 10 months. Power sprayers are behind schedule because of Army and Navy contractors for decontaminating sprayers, which are almost identical with agricultural type sprayers.

Eason's X Roads

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Brinson and son, Garland, Jr., of Norfolk, Mrs. Herman Pierce and son, Dewitt, of Hobbsville, and Edward Jones, U. S. C. G., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Riddick Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Williams were Sunday guests.

Miss Mary Francis Morris of Raleigh, and Lois Morris of Suffolk, were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morris.

Miss Evelyn Piland of Norfolk, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Piland.

Elmo Lang of Newport News, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lang. Mrs. N. B. Baker of Jackson, is recuperating from an appendectomy at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Worrell.

EASON RE-APPOINTED Gates county commissioners meeting Monday appointed Hubert Eason county attorney for the fiscal year 1944-45. Mr. Eason held the same position last year.

The War Administration is using surplus Irish potatoes to help relieve the shortage of livestock feed in Eastern Carolina, say reports.

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