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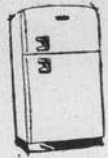
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Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Collins and children, Margaret and Susan, of Petersburg spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Carrie Collins.

John Barnes of Nashville spent the weekend with his family here. Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Tyler of Richmond spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. W. J. Rountree.

Jack Blanchard, student at Carolina, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Blanchard. His guests for the weekend, also students at Carolina, were Harry Taylor of Miami Beach, Fla., Kenneth Hoyle of Lewiston and Sam Hutchinson of Boston, Mass.

Mrs. John Barnes visited relatives and friends at Nashville, Durham and New Bern several days last week.

Those from here who attended the funeral and burial of E. S. Ward in Enfield Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Stallings, Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Blanchard, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Riddick, Mrs. Matt Hollowell, Mr. and Mrs. Hermar Ward, Mrs. Lillie Hobbs, Mrs. Nurney Wiggins and Mrs. Fentress White.

Hollowell Eure, student at Chowan College, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Eure.

Mrs. Lillian Riddick spent Tuesday and Wednesday with relatives in Woodland recuperating from a recent illness.

Those from here who attended the football game at Wake Forest were Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Collins, Mrs. Carrie Collins, J. T. Blanchard, Jack Blanchard, and their guests, Harry Taylor, Kenneth Hoyle, Sam Hutchinson and Miss Patsie Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hollowell and children of Norfolk were Sunday guests of his mother, Mrs. Matt Hollowell.

Mrs. Audrey Rawls of Aulander is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Martha Rountree, and assisting with the care of Miss Iona Rountree, who continues ill. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Mathews of Portsmouth also were Saturday guests of Mrs. Rountree.

**Somerton Circle Met November 1**

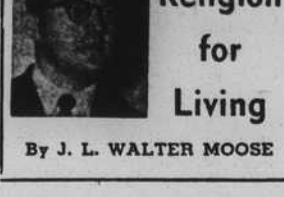
Gates.—The Somerton Circle of Reynolds Church held its regular meeting Tuesday night, November 1, in the home of Mrs. C. T. White, Sr.

The mission study book "A World Within A World" was divided into three parts and taught by Mrs. George Ellis, Mrs. W. R. Doughtie and Mrs. Franklin Curle. Mrs. Howard Eure presided over the regular meeting. Mrs. Aubrey Harrell led the devotionals and reports were made by the various committee chairmen. The meeting was then adjourned. There were 13 members and two visitors present.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

**Religion for Living**

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"God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind." II Timothy 1:7.

Fear is real; it is very much with man. Wherever he turns in this life he finds many things to make him afraid. Some people are afraid that they will not be able to face life. They are afraid of what others may say, of financial insecurity, of what they cannot see and understand.

But Paul tells us that fear is not of God. It belongs to the realm of life that lies under the conquest of man's religious faith. The gifts of God—power, love, and self-control—make it possible for us to overcome our fears.

Eternal God, in whose grace and love we find wholeness of life, banish from our hearts that fear which destroys life's harmony and well-being; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. (Jimmie) Wagoner attended the football game between the University of North Carolina and the University of South Carolina last Saturday in the Oyster Bowl at Norfolk.

Senator A. P. Godwin, Jr., attended the General Statutes Commission meeting in Raleigh last Friday.

Miss Mary Ann Hofer, a sophomore at St. Mary's College in Raleigh, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Hofer.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Morris and sons, Dale and Davey, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Foreman at Belhaven.

Mrs. Clarine Carter and Mrs. Frances Godwin attended the 30th annual Public Welfare Institute which was held in Raleigh last Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Sheriff L. F. Overman was in Raleigh last Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Carter had as their Saturday guests B. F. Carter of Denbeigh, Va., Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hogard and children, Harry and Winnie, of Portsmouth, Va.

Spending the day and enjoying Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Carter were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carter of Warwick, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Williams had as their Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Russell of Wyalleyville and Mr. and Mrs. Harri-son and two children of Aulander.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Snell and children, Denise and Jimmy, spent the weekend in Portsmouth, the guests of Mrs. C. F. Holder, Mrs. Snell's mother. Mr. and Mrs. Snell also attended the football game between the University of North Carolina and the University of South Carolina in the Oyster Bowl on Saturday afternoon and visited Mrs. Snell's father, C. F. Holder, who is a patient at Maryview Hospital in Portsmouth, Saturday evening and Sunday before returning home.

Mrs. C. E. Long left Saturday morning to visit friends and relatives in and around Snow Hill for several days.

Mrs. M. M. Lilley and sons, Mell and Bill of Scotland Neck, were the weekend guests of Mrs. Lilley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Boyce, Sr.

Sheriff and Mrs. L. F. Overman visited Mrs. Overman's mother, Mrs. J. R. Perry, at Franklin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Taylor of Portsmouth were the Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen E. Eure.

Mrs. L. C. Carter left Friday for Charlotte for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Hardy Davenport. Before returning home she will visit her brother, Lt. Colonel H. B. Pittman, at Dunlap, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Harrell visited Mr. and Mrs. Halstead Bryant in Murfreesboro Sunday afternoon.

**ENTERTAINED FRIENDS**

Eure.—Mr. and Mrs. Orian Parker entertained in their home Saturday night with a number of friends.

Those enjoying the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Parker and daughter, Carolyn, of Roduco, Mrs. Sue Felton, Mrs. Zonie Parker, Miss Ruth Parker, Miss Lida Eure, Joe Eure, Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Vaughan and son, T. C., Clayton and Jimmie Parker, all of Eure. Mrs. Parke served refreshments.

**Trotville**

By MRS. J. W. P. MITCHELL

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Riddick went to Richmond on the fourth Sunday. They took G. W. Riddick to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Riddick for some time. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Hare and Luke of Suffolk.

Mrs. Sallie E. Riddick is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Carson Chappell, and Mr. Chappell and Charles near Belvidere.

Little Misses Phyllis and Anna Wrae Rountree attended a birthday party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hudgins for their daughter, Linda, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Privott of near Edenton were visitors of Mrs. G. W. Riddick Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Riddick and family of Gates were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. P. Mitchell and Miss Doris Mitchell Sunday evening.

Mrs. A. A. Hurdle, Mrs. G. W. Riddick, Mrs. Horace Overman, Mrs. Billie Mitchell and Mrs. Henry Joyner attended Home Demonstration Achievement Day at Eureka Church Thursday.

Curtis Stallings, who is in the service, recently back from Germany, has resumed his duties at Charleston, West Va.

Mrs. Theima Groth, Mrs. Bertha Davis and Miss Louise Paxon of Norfolk, nieces of Mrs. E. A. Benton, spent Thursday with Mrs. Benton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Wood and children of Norfolk were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Benton and Mr. and Mrs. Lama: Benton and Loretta.

Those who attended the Baptist Sunday School Clinic in Hertford Sunday were Mrs. E. A. Benton, Mrs. Harry Hobbs, Lamat Benton, Miss Margaret Cowles, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Mitchell, Mrs. Brantley Rountree and Miss Doris Mitchell.

Mrs. David Hollowell of Portsmouth, formerly of this place, is spending two weeks in Florida.

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**Church Group At Youth Meet**

Corapeake.—Mrs. John S. Kittrell, youth leader of Parker's Methodist Church, accompanied by Mrs. C. Earl Armstrong and Mrs. George P. Kittrell, who were chaperones of the following youths: Shirley Benton, Kaye Armstrong, Kathleen Hobbs, Mary Kathrine Taylor, Nancy Mathias, Clyde Benton, George P. Kittrell, Jerry Taylor, Linwood Benton and C. E. Armstrong and attended the district youth rally Tuesday from 5:30 to 8:30 p. m. at the First Methodist Church in Elizabeth City.

Registration started at 5:30 and a covered dish supper was served. A Gates County youth, Buie Costen, is president of the District Youth Methodist Fellowship. Speaker for the evening was Mrs. W. B. Landrum of Little Rock, Arkansas, field worker of Woman's Society of Christian Service.

Mrs. Elliott B. Barnes, Mrs. Elliott Taylor, Mrs. Frank Barnes, Mrs. Audrey Armstrong, Mrs. Earl D. Barnes, and Mrs. G. P. Kittrell, members of the Women's Society of Christian Service of Parker's Methodist Church attended the sub-district meeting of the WSCS in Edenton Monday at the Edenton Methodist Church. The meeting opened at 10 a. m. and the guest speaker was Mrs. W. B. Landrum of Little Rock, Ark., and New York City. Mrs. Landrum has

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recently returned from Hawaii where she assisted in the island's first school of missions. She is a field worker for the Woman's Division of Christian Service of the Methodist Church and a world-traveler.

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