

Magnolia Society

PERSONALS

Mrs. Abbie Smith spent Wednesday till Friday in Dunn with Mrs. Jerry Smith and son Al. Jerry Smith is attending an Insurance School in Hartford, Connecticut.

Mr. and Mrs. Abbie Smith Shelton Guy and J. P. Smith attended a lecture and film on "How to Fight L. F. Gas Fires," in Ralford, Monday night.

Dr. and Mrs. Drew Grice of Chapel Hill visited friends in town, Sunday.

Mrs. Lawton Brown and Mrs. L. E. Brown spent the weekend in Gales with Mrs. Mary Sue Baker.

Lawton Brown spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Usher of Rose Hill.

Mrs. Marvin Usher and Mary Ann of Rose Hill visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Brown, Monday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Turner were Mrs. Emily Dail, Wayne, Gene, and Emily Sue of Chincupin, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Wood, Paul and Susan of New Bern, Mrs. Ward Rose, Sharon and Allison of Rose Hill, RFD. It was a birthday dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Turner's birthday was Tuesday and Mr. Turner's Thursday.

Dannie Schrader and friend, Miss Jane Smith of Richmond, Virginia spent the week end with Mrs. Laura Merritt and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wilson. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Littleton in Rose Hill.

Wayne Wilson of Rose Hill was Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Laura Merritt and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wilson. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Littleton visited in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Register and boys of Wilmington spent Sunday with his mother Mrs. Ellie Register.

Mrs. Bessie Rackley spent last week in Wilmington with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Johnson, Chaney Carlton and Mrs. David Carlton of Warsaw visited Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Drew, Sr. Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Drew, Bonnie and Doug of Atlanta, Ga., visited Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Drew, Sr., Monday.

Mrs. Homer Wilson of Portsmouth, Virginia visited Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Drew Sr. Sunday morning Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hudson and Joy of Warsaw and Mrs. Stanley Lockerman of Rose Hill visited them in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. William Potter and Mrs. Roscoe Potter visited Bessie Merritt in Cape Fear Hospital, Wilmington, Thursday.

Mrs. Worth Potter, Sr. of Goldsboro spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Potter.

Tuesday dinner guests of Mrs. Allen Futrell were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rich and Vickie of the Eureka Community, Rosa Harris of Newton Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rich, Mrs. Donald Bowling, Donna Lee Bowling and Mrs. Callie Potter. Mrs. Lawrence Potter visited with them in the afternoon.

On Wednesday Mrs. Allen Futrell and daughter Cathy, and Mr. and Mrs. Vaden Lucas of Faison were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rich. In the late afternoon Mrs. Lucas, Mrs. Futrell and Mrs. Donald Bowling went to Wilmington on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Sasser, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baker, Nelson and Stanley spent Sunday with Mrs. Louise Carter in Hamstead.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Pope spent Sunday in New Bern with Mr. and Mrs. James Earl Jones and family. Their grandson, Gregory Jones was awarded the God and Country Scout Award at Centenary Methodist Church, Sunday morning.

Mrs. Ruth Fussell, Mr. and Mrs. Albert West, Marie and Faye spent Sunday in Wilmington with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Fussell and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Woodruff.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Chestnut of Greenville visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert West and Mrs. Ruth Fussell, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Parker, Tommy and Scott, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bunkie Evans and family in Mt. Olive. On their way home they visited their grandfather, Lacey Quinn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wood in Warsaw.

Mrs. Dorothy Mae Parker spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bunkie Evans in Mt. Olive.

Mrs. Emily Dail and Emily Sue Dail of Chincupin were Friday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Turner.

Mrs. Hubert Tucker and Mrs. L. G. Turner shopped in Wallace Wednesday.

Mrs. Susie Lee Greeman of Durham spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Lula Mathews. They visited Mrs. Addie Merritt of Wallace who is a patient in Duplin General Hospital, Kenansville.

Mrs. Eleanor Owens of Wilson visited relatives and friends here during the week end. She took her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilson home with her.

W. M. S. General Meeting

The W.M.S. of the Baptist Church met Tuesday night February 6, at the church for the general meeting.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. L. E. Pope. The call to prayer was given by Mrs. Paul Bass, Mrs. J. E. Tucker was in charge of the program. Money in Missions. Others taking part were Mrs. L. E. Brown, Mrs. Hubert Tucker, Mrs. Paul Bass, Mrs. Willie Grey Johnson, Mrs. Clifton Chestnut and Mrs. Jack Joyner. The program closed with prayer by Mrs. Paul Tucker.

During the business session, announcement was made of the mission study to be held Thursday, February 22. Mrs. Norman Aycock will teach the book.

Mrs. L. E. Pope reported on G. A. Work.

The meeting was dismissed by Mrs. Paul Tucker.

Deaths

JAMES J. CALLAHAN

BEULAVILLE - Funeral services for James Joseph Callahan, 82, who died Saturday were conducted Sunday at 2:30 p.m. in the Quinn-McGowan Funeral Home by the Rev. Luther Swinson. Burial was Tuesday in Maple Hill Cemetery.

Surviving are one son, Roland P. Callahan of Route 2, Pink Hill; two grandchildren; one great grandchild.

GEORGE C. KENNEDY

BEULAVILLE - Funeral services for George C. Kennedy, 53, who died Wednesday were conducted Friday in Cabin Free Will Baptist Church by the Rev. Luther Swinson and the Rev. Walter Surton. Burial was in the church cemetery with Masonic rites.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Bertha Ray Kennedy of the home; one son, Roger Glenn Kennedy of Beulaville; five brothers, Roy Kennedy, John F. Kennedy, Leslie Kennedy, and Ammon Kennedy, all of Beulaville, and the Rev. Sam Kennedy of Vanceboro; one grandchild.

JOHN R. DOBSON

WILMINGTON - John Richard Dobson, 60, died Thursday. Funeral services were conducted Saturday at the First Baptist Church, of which he was a member, by the Rev. Randolph L. Gregory and Dr. B. Frank Hall. Burial was in the family cemetery at Teachey.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Louise Bashford Dobson; one daughter, Mrs. John Snow of Jacksonville, Fla.; one sister, Mrs. Jennie Kalfelz of Wilmington; four grandchildren. He was an instructor of instrumental music in the New Hanover school system and a member of the N. C. Band Masters Association. He was a former member of the Rotary International.

SANDRA J. JOHNSON

Wallace - Funeral services for Sandra Jean Johnson, 2, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Johnson, who died Wednesday were conducted Saturday at the Willard Baptist Church by the Rev. George Dowd. Burial was in River View Memorial Park at Watha.

Surviving in addition to her parents are one sister, Brenda Faye Lee of the home; one brother, James Melvin Lee of the home; her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Mary Griggs of Fremont.

MRS. MARENDA S. TYNDALL

KINSTON - Funeral services for Mrs. Marenida Stroud Tyndall, 68, of RT. 1 Pink Hill, who died Wednesday, were conducted Saturday at Howard and Carter Funeral Chapel by the Rev. L. R. Teachey. Burial was in Westview Cemetery.

Surviving are her husband, Jobie Tyndall; one granddaughter, Mrs. Lawton F. Howard of Pink Hill, whom she reared; one grandson, William Ray Murphy of Kinston, whom she reared; one brother, Herman Stroud of Pink Hill; one sister, Mrs. Dora Stoner of Pink Hill; two great-grandchildren.

Deaths

Mrs. Evans Canasta Hostess

Mrs. Wendell Evans was hostess to her Canasta club on Wednesday night at her home. Members playing were Mrs. Joe Newkirk, Mrs. William Porter, Mrs. Earl Baker, Mrs. Hugh Sanderson, Mrs. A. S. Butler and the hostess, Mrs. Milly Howard and Mrs. Bobby Smith substituted for Mrs. C. L. Quinn and Mrs. Abbie Smith.

Mrs. A. S. Butler was high score winner and Mrs. Joe Newkirk second high.

The hostess served ham biscuits, cake and drinks.

G. A.'s Met At Church

The G. A.'s met Monday afternoon at the church. The Reviewing Council met with them and four girls passed for princess and one for lady in waiting. Princesses were Donna Johnson, Sue Smith, Terry Johnson, and Cathy Evans. Lady in waiting was Beth Johnson. Mrs. L. E. Pope is their leader.

Mother And Daughter Banquet

The Y.W.A.'s held a Mother and Daughter Banquet at the church on Friday night.

The W.M.S. furnished the food and the social chairman, Mrs. Hubert Tucker and Mrs. Wendell Evans served the meal.

Mrs. Norman Aycock gave a talk on Hearts. Fifteen members were present.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Rouse of Magnolia announce the engagement of their daughter, Sharon, to Albert Quinn Smith, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Quinn Smith, Sr., also of Magnolia. A June 9 wedding is planned in the Magnolia Methodist Church.

Sampling Wet Soils

Duplin County farmers that have not yet taken their soil samples may be faced with the problem of collecting soil samples from wet fields, according to Mr. V. H. Reynolds, County Extension Chairman. He further states that wet fields can be sampled properly if a few simple precautions are taken.

About 15 to 20 locations should be sampled in the field to be tested whether the soil collected should be air dried until it becomes crumbly before it is thoroughly mixed to get a composite soil sample. The composted soil sample should be air dried further before putting it in the sample box and sending it to the Soil Testing Division. There are several good reasons for this additional drying.

Dry samples are lighter and require less postage if the samples are mailed. Also, there is much less chance of damage to the paper sample boxes if the soil is dry. Wet soil results in breaking and tearing of sample boxes and may cause the information on the boxes to be illegible. Thus, if wet samples are mailed, the Soil Testing Division may receive them in such a condition that samples mailed together have been misused due to the breaking of individual sample boxes and the information on the boxes cannot be read. This may result in the necessity of resampling the area if reliable soil test information is to be obtained.

Localized spots that are usually wet because of poor drainage should be sampled separately if they are large enough to be treated differently. Poorly drained areas usually need more lime than well drained soils in the same field. They normally contain more organic matter and the soil environment is different because of excess water. Sample these areas as suggested above because the value of a soil test depends on how well the sample represents the field from which it came.

Soil testing is the best method available for determining the proper amounts of plant nutrients that are needed in order to produce good yields. Give soil testing a chance to help you by taking good samples.

Officers Installed At Banquet

The 47th Annual Recognition banquet of the Tuscarora Council, Boy Scouts of America, was conducted last night in the Southern Wayne high school cafeteria. Re-elected President, Dick Moffatt of Goldsboro presided over the banquet in which some 200 Scouters in the four county area of Wayne, Duplin, Sampson and Johnston districts took part.

Gleen Moon, of Goldsboro, Gene Miller of Clinton and A. Z. Thompson, Jr., of Selma were awarded the Silver Beaver.

The Silver Beaver is the highest award that can be given a Scouter on the Council level. Dr. Mett Ausley of Warsaw was in charge of the Beaver presentation. In the presentation of the Silver Beaver, he said, "The men we are about to honor tonight, with the Silver Beaver Award, are men who have made an outstanding contribution to Scouting in our Council. They have also made outstanding contributions to the Church and Civic life of the communities in which they live. We are delighted to welcome these men into the ever widening circle of men who have dedicated their lives to the cause of youth. The Silver Beaver Award has been received by a total of fifty-nine people since the first Award was made in 1933."

Dr. Clinton Prewett head of the Psychology Department of East Carolina University was the principal speaker and was introduced by Jerry Paschal, Superintendent of city schools of Goldsboro. Dr. Prewett cited the need for strong, capable, homes and God fearing leadership for our boys. Young people, he said follow the example of adults and too often our example is not a fit pattern.

Demming Smith, newly elected Vice President of the Tuscarora Council Executive Board, recognized the district delegations.

Retired Scout Executive, Bruce M. Boyers gave recognition of Veteran Scouters.

Dr. Ashton Griffin, Long Range Planning Chairman for the Tuscarora Council, gave the first public look at the future plans of the Council. He stated that in ten years this Council would be serving 8,211 boys if we followed the reasonable plan that was set up for the Council, with some 3,421 adult leaders. He went on to add there would be seven Professionals in the Council at that time with a five member office staff. He also projected the need for a capital

Insect Control Key To Higher Soy Bean Yield

Small soybeans and low yields. This is the situation most Duplin County farmers found last year at harvest time.

Estimates of yields varies between 15 and 22 bushels per acre, this depends on what area of the county you are in.

Two major reasons are given why yields may be low. The reason given most often is insect damage. During the middle of the summer the Mexican Bean Beetle appeared in unusually large numbers. These insects fed on the leaves and young soybean pods. Many fields were completely defoliated before the young beans could fill out the pods. These insects have been appearing earlier in the season and in larger numbers for several years. This year they were reported to be causing damage as early as the last of May. Mexican Bean Beetles produce from 1 to 4 generations each year. If the Beetles appear early in the summer there are likely to be large numbers of them in September. However, if the first beetles appear in



Adrian Bostic, (left) Kenansville, N. C., and Duplin County Extension Agent George S. Wellons discuss small size soybeans and make plans for higher yields in 1968.

August we would not expect much damage from these insects.

Several farmers in Duplin County think dry weather late in the summer contributed to the low bean yields. Certain areas of the county were reported to have been drier than others. Favorable growing conditions early in the season had produced large soybean stalks and many pods. Dry weather late in the summer caused many of these pods to drop off and the remaining ones occasionally never filled out completely.

Adrian Bostic of Kenansville said, "I think that insects damaged my soybeans about as much as the dry weather." Bostic had three varieties of beans planted side by side. The Bragg variety made a yield of eight bushels per acre while the Lee variety made about twenty bushels per acre.

According to Bostic the Mexican Bean Beetles destroyed all of leaves on the Bragg variety before causing much damage to the Lee. Again, this was in the same field.

Insect control is becoming a critical factor in soybean pro-

duction in Duplin County. Farmers in the tobacco producing counties of eastern North Carolina are often not aware that insects are damaging their bean crop.

Controlling insects early in the season is the key to their control. Tractor mounted sprayers may injure one of two rows of beans that the tractor passes over but this damage is much less than most people think.

Airplanes treated several hundred acres but in most cases the planes came in too late to do too much good.

This year there is a good chance the Mexican Bean Beetle will be back to cause heavy damage.

The Beetle overwinters in wooded areas at the edge of old soybean fields, along ditch banks, and in trash where soybeans were grown last year.

Farmers can protect their crop by either spraying or dusting at the first sign of insects. Early control of insects is a good example of the old saying "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR PERIOD ENDING:	
December 31, 1967	
DUPLIN MUTUAL BURIAL ASSOCIATION, Inc.	
WARSAW, N. C.	
BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 1966	<u>\$65,267.48</u>
Receipts:	
Total assessments collected	\$25,786.29
Number new members 300 @ 25c	75.00
Interest on time deposits, stocks, bonds	2,890.64
Miscellaneous	
Total (lines 1 to 4 inc.)	\$28,751.93
Net difference of advance assessments:	plus 490.85
(If your advances have increased since last report, this is a plus entry. If they have decreased, this is a minus entry)	
Receipts	29,242.78
Total receipts	94,510.26
Disbursements:	
Salaries	\$ 2,733.65
Collection commissions	4,470.89
Miscellaneous expenses	
Total expenses (lines 9 to 11 inc.)	1,396.55
(Must not exceed 30% of the amount shown on lines 1 and 3)	
Death benefits paid (No. 138)	6,100.00
No. 100. 61	15,200.00
No. 200. 77	
Membership fees paid agents	75.00
Refunds	96.90
Total disbursements (lines 12 to 15 inc.)	\$30,072.99
BALANCE TO BE ACCOUNTED FOR	64,437.27
Assets:	
Cash on hand	
Bank deposit Branch Banking & Trust Co	437.27
War Bonds	10,000.00
Building & Loan stock	54,000.00
Total assets	\$64,437.27
Liabilities:	
Advance assessments	\$13,353.65
Death benefits unpaid	None
Expenses unpaid	None
Total liabilities	\$13,353.65
SURPLUS	\$51,083.62
Number of assessments during year 3 triple Race W Membership in good standing at close of books 12,223	
I hereby certify that the information given in the foregoing report is true and correct to the personal knowledge of the undersigned.	
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME,	Secretary-Treasurer Mary Q. McNeill
this 9 day of January, 1968	Street address 100 N. Front St.
Leila M. Sarratt Notary Public	City Warsaw, N. C.
My commission expires May 11, 1969	Telephone number 239-7151

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