



Person County Times

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Queen Of Cotton



Lovely Alice Hall, 19, of Memphis Tenn., King Cotton's 1939 "Maid of Cotton," has brought new acclaim to the South's white gold in a nationwide crusade which has taken her to 22 cities. Her visits with celebrities, appearance in style shows, in which she modeled smart cotton garments, and radio broadcasts told the story of cotton to the nation.

MISS CORA LOY SUCCUMBS FRIDAY

Final Rites Held Yesterday At Brookside Methodist Church.

Miss Cora Loy, 66, well known local woman, died Friday afternoon at 1:20 o'clock as a result of a stroke and complications. Funeral services were conducted at the Brookside Methodist church yesterday afternoon.

Miss Loy had been in declining health for the past two years but her condition became critical about eight days ago when she suffered a stroke. A native of Person County she has resided with her sister, the late Mrs. Charles Lawson and Mr. Lawson during the past 35 years. She has been a member of the Brookside Methodist church for a number of years.

Officiating at the final rites yesterday were Rev. T. W. Lee, pastor of Brookside, assisted by Rev. J. J. Boone of Smithfield and Rev. E. G. Ury of Oxford. Interment was in Burchwood cemetery.

Surviving are five nieces, Mrs. Mayland Winborne of Wilson, Mrs. Elizabeth Loy of Wilson, Mrs. David Curtis of Burlington, and Miss Foy and Gladys Lawson of Roxboro and four nephews, John and Henry Loy of Burlington, Webb Loy of Eustie, Fla. and Cooper Jones of Roxboro.

Active pall bearers included: S. Brooks, G. M. Fox, Jr., P. T. Whit, Alex. Wrenn, W. J. Yarwood. (Continued On Back Page)

CITIZENSHIP
The pupils of Mrs. H. W. Nease will appear in recital at the Central Graded School, May 15. The public is cordially

MANGUM TO PLAY IMPORTANT ROLE AT SAFETY MEET

To Make Welcome Address And Chairman of Mid-State Safety Council.

B. B. Mangum, Collins and Aikman personnel manager and well known local man, as chairman of the Mid-State Safety council will play an important role at the forthcoming 10th. Annual State-wide Industrial Safety conference to be held in Raleigh next Thursday and Friday.

At the opening general session at 9:30 o'clock Thursday morning, Mangum is scheduled to make an address of welcome to the visiting delegates and will be followed on the program by Governor Clyde R. Hoey, Capt. A. A. Nicholson, prominent safety speaker, Hon. J. M. Broughton, mentioned prominently as a candidate for Governor in 1940, and others.

The local man is also scheduled to preside over two meetings of the Textile section of the conference Thursday and Friday afternoons. He is a member of the entertainment committee of the conference, which group will have charge of the entertainment features of the conference including the annual banquet Thursday night.

New Nurse Here

Mrs. Blanche Long Vincent took over her duties as public health nurse with the local health department Friday.

A native of Alamance county, Mrs. Vincent received her training at Mt. Sinai hospital in New York. Her appointment here will be a permanent one. She is residing in the home of Mrs. Clyde Crowell.

Along The Way With the Editor

The writer dropped in to see Walker Bourne last Wednesday. Walker, as you will remember, used to be local manager of the Carolina Power and Light Co. He is now living in Sanford, N. C. and claims to be doing very well. Since he owed no money to the Times his statement was not questioned. He also said that he wondered why the writer of this column did not get knocked in the head about every other week.

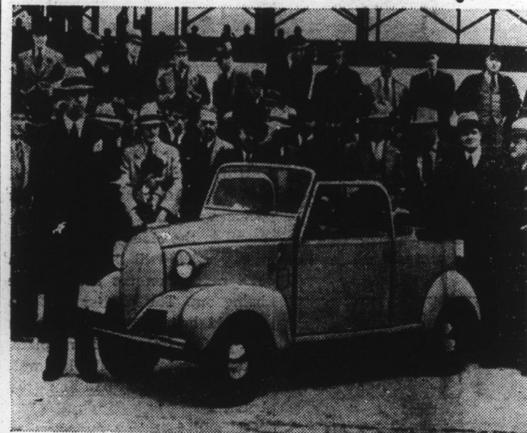
Herman "Half-Pint" Burton was in Roxboro last Sunday. Herman was just as loud as ever and began talking up a storm. Then he met Jack Strum and Jack began giving him plenty of competition. It was nip and tuck between the two and both missed church. It is possible, but not probable, that they gathered something from their conversation with each other.

The bankers of North Carolina met in convention last week in Pinehurst. It has been said that a few of the boys around Roxboro wanted to attend in order to make more friends among the pig boys who lend money. Not that the local bank is not able to take care of their situation but the boys are known too well in Roxboro. Attention O. T. Kirby, G. I. Prillaman, B. B. Knight, O. Y. Clayton and R. D. Bumpass.

Who said that J. S. and Bill Walker were "stuck up" since they moved into their new office in the old First National Bank Building. R. L. "Bob" Wilburn claims that he has fresh strawberries in his garden and that there are other things on the way. Mr. Wilburn may have plenty in the garden, but he has a new boarder who can take care of all his vegetables, Rainey Hawkins is eating there.

J. W. Gaddy is leaving for Goldsboro at once. There will be new worlds to conquer and new women to date so goodbye Gaddy.

New Low Priced Car



A new low-priced, two-cylinder car, designed for a top speed of 50 miles per hour and a fuel consumption of 50 miles to the gallon, was recently previewed by newspaper men at the Indianapolis speedway. The car, which will sell for a \$350 top price, is only 10 feet long, weighs 925 pounds, has a gas tank of four-gallon capacity and the crankcase holds only two quarts of oil. The engine is of a light aviation four-cycle type, while an aviation-type suction blower, part of the flywheel, provides air cooling.

Ca-Vel Pair Seriously Hurt In Auto-Motorcycle Wreck

Jim Brooks, Driver of Automobile Which Collides With Motorcycle.

Two men, Lovelace Martin and Irvin Morton, of Ca-Vel, were seriously injured Friday night about 7 o'clock when the motorcycle on which they were riding collided with a car that was driven by Jim Brooks of Roxboro.

The accident happened in front of the drug store at Ca-Vel. The car that was driven by Brooks was going east into the highway as the motorcycle, going west,

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Fifteen Pass Work At Honor Court Friday

Approximately fifteen scouts passed work at the Court of Honor Friday night as it met in the Ca-Vel school building.

Martin Michie and William Spencer were awarded Star certificates.

Others who passed work were Joe Stephenson, Dewey Holleman, Harold O'Brian, William Pickering, Jr., Billy Daniel, Calvin Green, Otis Stevens, R. Tingen, Jack Hughes, Thomas Long, Joe Green, Russell Lee, Leman Wilson, Lewis Watson, Ted Dixon and Payne Wilkerson.

After the Court of Honor had finished its work, the scouts saw moving pictures of the field meet that was recently held in Roxboro.

The next court of honor will be held at Longhurst.

PURCHASES STATION

G. B. Short has purchased the Service Station formerly operated by George Walker on the Roxboro-South Boston highway in North Roxboro, it has been announced. The manager is T. H. Gentry.

NO THREATS

James M. Ellis yesterday emphatically denied using gun threats to order removal of sanitary equipment from his property. Such a report, he says, was in error.

"Civilization is the making of civil persons."

—Ruskin.

Person Women To Play Important Roles At Meeting

A large number of Person County Home Demonstration club women are expected to attend and take part in the district meeting of Home Demonstration clubs in Hillsboro Wednesday, Miss Velma Beam said yesterday.

The meeting, an all day session with Orange county clubs as hosts, will be attended by Wake, Chatham, Durham and Person County women as well.

Appearing on the program will be Mrs. E. P. Warren of the Bushy Fork club, who will conduct the devotional. She will be assisted by Mesdames Scott Hovatter and Earl Wilkerson who will render a duet.

Mrs. C. E. Brooks, president of the Person County Council of Home Demonstration clubs, will make this county's report which will consist of the achievements and progress made thus far in home demonstration work.

Mrs. T. H. Clay of the Helena club will present each of the Person County club presidents in the "Candle Lighting Ceremony," a feature of the program.

A large delegation is expected to attend from this county, Miss Beam advised in conclusion.

SUFFERS STROKE

Squire Tom Newton, well-known Roxboro man, suffered a stroke of paralysis, Friday around noon while at the dinner table at his home on Court street. He was removed yesterday to the local hospital. His condition was reported as quite serious yesterday.

Farmers In Midst Of Planting Season

Scouts Get Plans For Summer Camp At Honor Court

The camp catalogues, announcing the opening of Camp Cherokee were presented to Scouts at the court or honor here Friday night. Charlie Harris has a supply for all other scouts and will distribute them this week.

The attractive folder gives a thorough explanation of the activities, leaders, equipment and a drawing showing the layout of the entire camp which is located seven miles west of Reidsville. The folder is attractively illustrated with cartoons of typical tenderfoot Scouts attending camp for the first time. The front page of the folder show a Cherokee Indian in full head-dress.

Mr. Harris stated that Person County had won the attendance prize for the past two years and he was anxious for the scouts to register as early as possible and again take advantage of the training offered.

The talented and experienced camp staff was selected from all sections of the Cherokee Council. Scout Executive A. P. Patterson will be in charge of the camp and will be assisted by the following: Dexter Moser of Burlington, expert Red Cross Life Saver, assisted by Jimmie Cobb of Reidsville; F. R. Garrett of Burlington, popular leader and nature expert; Auman Alvis of Haw River.

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Blue Mold, Prevalent Over County, Slowing Up Tobacco Activities Somewhat.

Person County farmers have been planting tobacco and will continue for some three or four weeks.

Already a large amount has been stuck in the ground; planting will really start in earnest this week.

Blue Mold, the terror of plant beds, is preventing planting on as large a scale as it would be if the plants were in good shape. However, many plants are defeating this disease and will soon be ready for the field.

The planting season is much later this year than it was last year. This is due to both blue mold and cooler weather.

Fertilizer dealers are reporting much heavier sales this year than last year. This means a large crop in this section unless weather conditions or more blue mold prevents the harvest.

The tobacco that has been planted looks good and indicates that it will continue to stand up and grow. Many farmers were busy all day Saturday planting as the season was right.

Farmers are expecting tobacco prices to be fair, but state that they are not looking for extremely high prices.

Firemen To Attend Wilmington Meet

Fire Chief Henry O'Brian and assistants, T. K. Glenn, Jake Bryan and Jack Parham next week will attend meeting of the North Carolina Fire College and Drill school to be held at Wilmington, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Also attending will be Chief J. E. Spake of the Ca-Vel force and assistants Joe Guffey and Rainey Long.

Around a hundred and twenty-five towns will be represented at the three day session which will be led by Sherwood Brockwell, State Fire Marshall and other experts in the fire prevention line.

Hail Insurance

If you intend to buy hail insurance, when you set your tobacco out take the hail insurance out immediately because it will not cost any more for the whole season than it will for part of the season, and if your tobacco gets destroyed while it is still small they will have to pay you. Don't forget our office has been moved to the corner next to the Hotel in the space formerly occupied by the Roxboro Building and Loan association.

Knight's Insurance Agency

"The greatest test of courage on the earth is to bear defeat without losing heart."

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Person County Farmers See Demonstration on Blue Mold

Impressive Results Shown By Use Of Benzol Treatment For Disease.

An interested audience of 26 farmers met at the tobacco plant bed of Garvey Rimmer Friday afternoon to see a striking demonstration of the results of treating blue mold with benzol.

Mr. Rimmer and Mr. Walters had cut off a 20-yard section of their plant bed at the time they prepared the bed several weeks ago. This section was enclosed with plank side boards, nailed tightly together at the corners. A cloth costing 7 cents per yard was used during the past two weeks, during the period of applying the benzol at night. This cloth was removed every morning. Five small "tables," made of scraps of plank, were set at 6 ft. intervals throughout the bed. Each table had a shelf about 6 inches under the top. On this shelf the benzol was placed each afternoon during the period of treatment in a small tin pan.

Then the cover was fastened down tightly with strips of board, in order to prevent the escape of the fumes as the benzol evaporated during the night.

The treatment of the 20-yard area did not begin until blue mold began to appear on just a few plants. On those plants the disease did not spread where the instructions were followed. Mr. Rimmer planted from the treated bed yesterday. From the untreated section of the bed Mr. Rimmer thinks he can plant perhaps within a week. At present the plants are just beginning to come out of a severe infestation of blue mold.

Mr. Rimmer stated that the entire cost of treating the 20 square yards was \$2.91, including the total cost of the cloth, which was \$1.40. Of course the cloth is practically as good as new, as it has been used only two weeks. If it is washed and put away, it will

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