# THE FORMER RESIDENT RETURNS AFTER 10-YEAR ABSENCE; LOOKS AT CHANGES

Mythical Wanderer Finds Same Face of Colife House Green, Wider Streets, New Buildings, And Old Friends—But No Liquor Store

home of a decade ago . . . (we'll pre- past ten years. tend the War in Europe sent him

He returns by way of the Highway Bridge. Nothing has changed there name?" except that lotus blossoms are in profusion off the right of the Causegood, the same old turtles are sunning on the same old sunken log off ago the same old log was there, and to Manteo to see "The Lost Colony." to the left. More than sixty years if turtles live that long (we're told they live to be hundreds of years old) the same snappers were there sixty years ago.

Church Street is wider-much wider-and as he rolls along he tries his best to recall which houses are new and which aren't. Most of them he remembers: the McMullan home. the old Small place, the Newbys and thing.

Grubb and Church Streets puzzle week. memory strings for a moment and Theatre brings the first definite realed . . . to some extent.

"Let's see, the new theatre is next to the Hardware Store, isn't it? It implements and terra cotta pip€ scattered around."

And on the right, a very modern furniture store. "That was the Ford Motor Company ten years ago."

"The court house! How the court house has changed. It was red brick as I remember it. But those fellows on the green. I recognize most of them. They're a little older. but have they been sitting there ever since I left? But I see now, they coulon't have. The benches are new ones." It's Sunday afternoon. (We forgot to tell you.)

He drives on past Market Street because the Highway seems to run in that direction. The wider street is an invitation to drive on down to Dobb. And how Dobb Street has changed. "But it's the Highway now. It used to go down Market

where the vacant lot was-and what is that new brick building? The Agricultural Building? It's a beau-

Dobb Street is a speedy thoroughfare now from one end to the other, and he catches sight of another new filling station at Hyde Park on the corner where it seems like a, house was. But it might have been another vacant lot.

There are dozens of new or remodeled houses everywhere and he soon gives up trying to remember which are which, but as he comes back up town along Market Street for a glimpse of the old Grammar School where he skated along the walk and played hookey on spring afternoons, there's only a vague resemblance to the box-like building where he first learned the A B C's.

That reminds him to ask if Perquimans County ever went wet and where the liquor store is. Upon there's one in Edenton," he wants to ference at Chapel Hill this week. know if it's still 12 mlles to Edenton "or has that changed, too?"

Back up town, he wants to look takes him to the new bathing pier. beth City, Tuesday evening. After a few ohs and ahs at the new pavilion and at the river front from in Elizabeth City Tuesday. the far end of the pier, he says he Miss Henrietta Jackson, of Weeks-always knew Hertford had possibili- ville, came Tuesday evening to be ties along the riverfront.

"Now what have I missed?" he asks. But it's hard to talk to some- spending the week-end with relatives one who's been away for ten years. et Winfall.

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He doesn't have to be anybody in It's difficult to remember what has particular. An imaginary character changed and what hasn't. The one of the best pictures of this or will do just as well; but, anyway, he young faces are not familiar to him, any other entertainment season. returns after ten years in Alaska or and while the older ones are, it's ar-Indo-China or some other place most impossible to list on short noequally as far removed from his tice the persons who have died in the

You have to wait for him to ask

turn around town, yells at some old man, lovable role of the horseway. And, oh yes, if his memory is acquaintances. asks if the county is trainer in "Maryland" has been call- luncheon at the Carolina Hotel, Ragoing to vote for Willkie and what ed another made-to-order part for leigh, Thursday, honoring the offithe folks think about conscription, him. and says he thinks he'll go on down He heard about that . . . even in Indo-China.

# MORE ABOUT

(Continued from Page One) the Nixons. But was the H. G. week's revival to be conducted by Winslow house there or wasn't it? the pastor, the Rev. J. D. Cranford, If it was, it's been remodeled or who presided over Sunday's celebramoved or turned around or some- tion. Revival services are being held each afternoon at 3:30 and at 8 producer. A triangle of filling stations at o'clock each evening during this

The meeting started at 11 o'clock then the first sight of the State in the morning, and lasted until 3 o'clock, with a recess at noon when ization that the old town has chang- a picnic luncheon was served on the of the Hertford Methodist Church White and son, Travis; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Trueblood was a vacant lot when I left. There places came friends and former with Mrs. Reed, Miss Reed and Mrs. and children; Mr. and Mrs. Roy children visited Mr. and Mrs. C. L. were bales of fence wire and farm members of the historic Church, W. H. Pitt taking part on the pro- Winslow and children; Mrs. Herbert Godwin Sunday afternoon. whose building, though remodeled gram. from time to time, still uses the together with hand-wrought nails were discussed for the reorganization, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Winslow Mrs. Irving Trueblood Friday afterwhich formed the original structure of the Society to take place in Sep- Sunday.

The basis of the Rev. Mr. Bar-God, in His love, Care and Compas-

crowded the main auditorium, the Sunday School rooms and overflowed into the vestibules of the oldest Methodist Church in Perquimans County and one of the oldest in Monday Evening North Carolina, Mr. Barclift said, 'Contradictory to the belief of many

just happened."

B. Slaughter, presiding elder of the table with tasty sandwiches. Elizabeth City District. An address W. E. Dail, lay leader.

noon services was by the Church Greensboro; Miss Myda Weaver and choir with special singing by Mrs. R. Miss Virginia Byrum of Edenton, D. Benson and Mrs. W. E. Dail of and Johnnie Dozier of Rocky Mount. New Hope, and by Vernon Robbins, formerly of New Hope, now of Norfolk, Va. Special music at the atternoon service was given by the choir of the Epworth Church of

### CHAPANOKE NEWS

Mrs. John Symons and Miss Lucille getting the stock answer. "no, but Long are attending the P. T. A. con-Miss Waverly D'Orsay spent Tuesday in Elizabeth City.

Mrs. Emmett Stallings attended a at the river, so the trend of traver show at the Carolina Theatre, Eliza-

Mrs. John Asbell and children were Miss Henrietta Jackson, of Weeks-

the guest of Miss Ruth Wilson. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilder are

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### "Maryland"

The romance, beauty and traditions of the proud South, climaxed by the most spectacular Steeplechase in America, The Maryland Hunt Cup Race, are highlights of Darryl F. Zanuck's Technicolor production of 'Maryland," new 20th Century-Fox picture which comes to the State Theatre on Monday and Tuesday.

Said to be greater than the tremendously popular "Kentucky,"
"Maryland," which was directed by Henry King, promises to be rated as Rich in Talent

Three leading members of the cast in "Maryland" have been awarded of the production staff have been were Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Shannon-"Is so-and-so still in town?" and honored. The superb list of promi- house and children, Mildred and Gor-"what ever became of What's-his- nent players is headed by Walter don, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith The former resident takes another ning star of "Kentucky." The hu- City.

Fay Bainter, who won an Academy en's clubs.

featured role in the picture. the headstrong young lovers, torn by Daniel, who won an Academy Award Elizabeth City. for her portrayal of the lovable ker-Wind," and Marjorie Weaver.

Ethel Hill and Jack Andrews wrote an original screen play for "Mary-

#### Missionary Society Met Monday Night

grounds by the ladies of the Church. met at the church Monday evening. Leonard Winslow and son, Leonard; and children spent Sunday with Mr. From every section of the Albe- Mrs. D. F. Reed and Miss Mildred Mrs. Henry Winslow and son, Leland and Mrs. Madison Trueblood. marle, from other states and distant Reed were in charge of the program, Jay; Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey Winslow

known to be more than 125 years old, tember. Every woman in the church Woman's Society of Christian Ser- ing. vice. Routine business was taken Talking to a congregation that up, after which the group was dis- sons, of Norfolk, Va., were guests of missed by the benediction.

## **Holds Open House**

Miss Anne Felton was a delightful! the findings of science fail to prove hostess on Monday evening when she that there is not a God, but tend to held open house at the home of her sisters, Mrs. A. J. Mansfield and show instead how great God is . . . . parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Felton, Mrs. Will Asbell. "The scientific laws which are on Dobb Street. The affair was in spoken of so often show that there compliment to Miss Jane Thompson Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Farrish and spoken of so often show that there compliment to Miss Jane Thompson Mr. and Mrs. Henry Foxwell, of "And there's a new filling station tion of the Universe couldn't have gan of Albemarle, house-guests of C. C. Mansfield and Mr. and Mrs. Miss Felton.

Following the recess there was an . The entire lower floor of the house informal service in the afternoon was decorated with lovely summer when several short talks were made, flowers. The dining table was covincluding one by the Rev. J. T. Stan- ered with a beautiful cloth. Punch ford, of Tyner, and one by Dr. B. was served from one end of the

Out-of-town guests included Miss of welcome to visitors was given by Jane Thompson of Henderson, and Miss Helen Morgan of Albemarle, Music at both morning and after- honorees; Miss Frances Winslow of

About fifty of Hertford's younger set attended the affair.

#### EXTENSION NOTES By FRANCES MANESS Home Demonstration Agent

Seven dub members from Perquimans County attended the annual Farm and Home Short Course in Raleigh last week. From the reports of these delegates, it was well worth their time and the effort spent.

I want to urge each club member to investigate in her community and see if there is an eligible person who has not placed an application for a mattress. All orders for cotton and ticking must be in by August 31. We are anxious to reach every eligible family before that

I hope that each club member and her family are making plans to aton Tuesday, August 13, at Albemarle of Mrs. Mattie Simpson. Heach. Bring lunch for those who Miss Mary Webb, accompanied by mill attend from your family. Come Mrs. Alphonsa. Chappell, of Belviprepared to take part in the recreation. The part mas no Y

## BELVIDERE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. White, Rev and Mrs. J. C. Trivette, Miss Elsie Copeland and Miss Deborah White left Monday for Guilford College to attend the Yearly Meeting of Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Winslow, of Whiteston, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. . White Sunday.

Miss Dorothy McDaniel, who has been the guest of Miss Evelyn White, returned to her home in Jackson Sunday. She was accompanied home by Miss White, who will visit her for awhile.

Mrs. S. M. Winslow is still confind to her bed on account of illness.

Mrs. Pattie Whedbee, of Va., is the guest of heroits.

Tom Trueblood.

in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. W. E. Dail, Sunday. Winslow.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Forbes and is visiting Mrs. Berta Hobbs. children returned to their home in R. S. Davidson and daughter, Ann, Norfolk, Va., Tuesday after having of Norfolk, Va., spent, Sunday night spent several days visiting Mr. and with his mother, Mrs. S. D. Banks. Mrs. Thomas Forbes.

'Mrs. R. R. White, Mrs. T. C. Perry, Misses Evelyn White and Dorothy McDaniel spent Thursday and Friday in New Bern. They were accompanied home by Thurman White, who had been visiting relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Lane spent Mrs. R. D. Benson, this week. Sunday in Tarboro as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kramer Nixon.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and 'Oscars." In addition, five members Mrs. W. T. Smith Wednesday night Brennan, the Academy Award-win- and S. B. Smith, all of Elizabeth

> Mrs. L. J. Winslow attended cers of the State Federation of Wom-

Award for her sterling work in Miss Evelyn Copeland returned "Jezebel," has another important home Sunday from a visit in Portsmouth, Va. She was accompanied Brenda Joyce and John Payne, as by Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Copeland, of Portsmouth. Other guests in the fierce family pride, share the roman- home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Copeland tic lead. Others prominently featur- Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. ed are Charlie Ruggles, Hattie Mc- Layden and daughter, Elizabeth, of

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Smith and Mr. chiefed Mammy of "Gone With the and Mrs. Paul Whedbee attended Home-Coming Day at New Hope Methodist Church Sunday.

Miss Catherine Lane, of Center land." Gene Markey was associate Hill, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Chappell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jet Rountree, of ternoon. Whiteston, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Winslow on relatives in Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Winslow and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. The Woman's Missionary Society son, Bobby Ray; Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Morgan, this week. Winslow, Miss Sallie Riddick, Mr. Mrs. H. D. Hurdle visited Mrs. J Mrs. C. T. Skinner, president, had and Mrs. Lafayette Lane and daugh- E. Perry Friday afternoon. same hand-hewn timbers fastened charge of the business session. Plans ter, Ruba, and Mrs. Sallie Winslow

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Winslow and clift's address was "The Greatness of she will be a charter member of the Mrs. S. M. Winslow Monday morn-morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Chappell and Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Forbes and Mrs. Anna Chappell on Sunday.

## BALLAHACK NEWS

Miss Josephine Ward returned home Sunday from Newport News, Va., where she has been visiting her

C. C. Mansfield and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mansfield Sunday afternoon. Mrs. C. C. Mansfield and Mrs. Samuel Mansfield visited Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Goodwin Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bunch and son, Gene, and Mrs. Ruby Lane, of Norfolk, Va., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Baker. Mrs. Wallace Goodwin and daugh-

ters, Marie and Lillian, were guests of Mrs. Goodwin's parents, Mr, and Mrs. N. B. Dail, at Tyner, Monday and Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bunch and son,

Elbert, of Rocky Hock, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Goodwin visited Mrs. W. W. Copeland Sunday afternoon.

Harold T. Mansfield, of Norfolk, Va., is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roberson.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Spinner and children, of Carrollton, Va., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Goodwin on Sunday.

Miss Grace Baker, of Norfolk, Va., was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Goodwin, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Gregory spent Sunday at Ocean View, Va.

Miss Celia Ray Jordan, of Tyner, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roberson.

### **NEW HOPE NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gray, of Suffolk, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gray, tend our annual county-wide picnic of Lexington, were week-end guests

dere, motored to Wake Forest Satur. day. Miss Rebecca Webb, who has been extending summer school at the college there, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. La Salle and son, Tommy, of Stony Creek, Va., are visiting Mrs. La Salle's mother, Mrs. Pattie Sawyer, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Webb and children, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Webb and children, of Norfolk, Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Webb Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis, of Norfolk, Va., visited friends and relatives here Sunday. Miss Allie Palmer, of Washington,

D. G., visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W.

Spencer Sunday. Mrs. Pattie Whedbeey of Norfolk, Val, is the guest of herisister, Mrs. Mrs. A. C. Boyde and little Miss

Mrs. Mary Ives, of Norfolk, Va., R. S. Davidson and daughter, Ann,

Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Blackard and son, of Nashville, Tenn., are guests

Newby. Mrs. Moody Haskett and son, of

Ray Perry, of Buxton, is spending Aulander this week. this week with his parents, Mr. and

Mrs. R. R. Perry. Mrs. Josh Wood and son, of Washington, N. C., were visitors here on

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Outlaw, Miss Norfolk, Va.

Jennie Newby Outlaw and Mrs. Eva Squires, of Grimesland, visited Mrs. Ed Turner and others here Sunday. Mrs. T. A. Hurdle, Mrs. R. Perry, Miss Vida Banks and Miss

in Elizabeth City Tuesday afternoon, day afternoon, Hazel Jackson is on the sick list. Little Miss Marguerite Jennings, of Elizabeth City, is visiting her sis-

ter, Mrs. Charlie Dail. visited his sister, Mrs. Ed Turner, and friends here Sunday.

#### **CUMBERLAND NEWS**

Mrs. Effie Miller spent last week in Raleigh attending Farm and Home Week at State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hurdle and little daughter, Lois Anne, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Roach Sunday af

Miss Margaret Tallock is visiting

Mrs. Howard Dawson is visiting

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Barber and

Madison Trueblood visited Mr. and

noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Trueblood, Long recently.

pell, Jr., have returned to Norfolk. Faye Dail, of near Edenton, were Marie and Callie Mae Trueblood Va., after having spent several days guests of Mrs. Boyce's sister, Mrs. visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Madison Trueblood Sunday after-

Miss Madge Lane is the guest of

Miss Louise Morgan. Mr. and Mrs. H. T. West, of Ayden, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Miller.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Miller and of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. children, of Hookerton, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Miller.

Mrs. H. D. Hurdle, Howard and Nixonton, are visiting her mother, Billy Hurdle, spent Sunday with Mrs. Berta Hobbs, and her sister, Mrs. Melvin Bright, at Parkville.

Miss Ruth Hurdle is visiting in Mrs. O. D. Layden and Miss Olive Layden were guests of Mrs. J. E.

Perry and Miss Esther Perry Tuesday afternoon. Irvin Trueblood spent Monday in

Ervin Perry, of Norfolk, Va., was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Perry, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Godwin, Miss Esther Perry, Lawrence Perry and Carmen Perry attended the theatre Bryan Miller enjoyed a fish fry Mon-

#### BETHEL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Y. C. Gatling and Howard Newby, of Richmond, Va., daughter, Joyce, of Norfolk, Va., were guests of his mother, Mrs. Maggie C. Broughton, Sunday.

Rev. John T. Byrum, of Cross Roads, was the dinner guest of Mr and Mrs. C. R. Chappell Sunday. Misses Evelyn Long and Marian

Proctor visited Misses Mildred and Marian Lee White, of near Hertford, Monday evening. Roy S. Chappell spent the week-

end in Norfolk, Va., with his wife. Mrs. Chappell is a patient in General Hospital. Calvin Butt has returned to his home at New Hope, after visiting

his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hobbs. Pattie Nora Phillips was carried to Duke Hospital, Durham, Tuesday

for treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Spruill and Mrs. Carl Spruill, of Elizabeth City, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J.

Proctor Friday afternoon. Miss Gladys Chappell, of Winston-Salem, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Chappell.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Long and chil-Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Tadlock visited dren, Misses Eunice and Madge Long is invited to this meeting so that son, Bennie, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Trueblood Sunday and Howard Long, of Hopewell, visited in the home of Mrs. Preston

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