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## Perkins Clarify Annual Reunion

Around 100 Attend Event At Home of Mr. George Perkins.

VARIETY PROGRAM IS GIVEN DURING REUNION.

Resolutions About Departed Members of Family Are Drawn by Committee.

Adopting several resolutions and enjoying a hearty feast, the Perkins family met at the Fair View Farm, home of its president, Mrs. George W. Perkins for its annual reunion July 30th.

Decorations for the annual affair were beautiful, the spacious, shady part of Fair View Farm being decorated. Seating was ample for the large crowd of nearly a 100 people attending the gathering. Quite a number attended from out of the State.

Mrs. Hattie Perkins was judged the best joke teller of the reunion in a contest held during the afternoon.

During the day short talks were made by Luther Perkins, Baltimore, Md., Mrs. Luther Perkins, Baltimore, Md., Mrs. J. J. Hollowell, and Mrs. Frank Andrews.

Dinner was served in the large yard from 1 o'clock to 2:30. The Rev. J. J. Hollowell returned thanks for the meal.

Before dinner the morning program consisted of a song, Bless Be the Tie That Binds, with Miss Belle Edgerton at the piano. The morning scripture reading and invocation was given by the Rev. E. A. Killeite, which was followed by the welcome address by Miss Lucile Perkins.

Mrs. Mabelle Edgerton Laughan responded to the welcoming address.

A song by the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. A. Killeite followed.

A reading, "Message From Cousin Mary E. Perkins," was made by Mrs. D. Perkins.

Songs during the morning and afternoon programs were sung by Mr. Leon Jackson, Mrs. E. A. and Mrs. K. D. Perkins, Mrs. Margaret Pike, Mrs. George W. Perkins, Mrs. Grace Pike and Mrs. Hattie Perkins.

The entire assembly honored Aunt Lillie (Mrs. George W. Perkins) singing "Happy Birthday" to her. Readings were given by Miss Geraldine Draugham, W. H. Edgerly, and recitations by Miss Helen Edgerly, Miss Lois Pike. A letter from Mrs. Gula Perkins Scribner was read by K. D. Perkins.

Miss Bettie Ann Perkins, Miss Margaret Pike, and Miss Mildred Perkins played piano selections during the course of the program.

During the business session Mrs. George W. Perkins and K. D. Perkins were re-elected president and secretary of the clan.

The meeting was dismissed with a part prayer by Rev. E. A. Killeite. The following resolutions were adopted:

Since we last met at our reunion we have lost four devoted members of our co-workers:

Mrs. Lalah Ross Perkins, passed the great beyond May 4, 1939. She was a Christian and a church worker, and a charter member and helper in organizing this Perkins reunion.

Mrs. Ida Worley Perkins, who passed away April, 1939. She was with us at our 1938 reunion, which was the last visit she ever made. She was a Christian, a great church worker, and a wonderful helper at our reunion, serving on several committees.

Mr. Harshett Flowers, husband of Della Perkins Flowers, who passed away February 22, 1939, was a Christian, though he did not belong to any church. He was a good citizen and friend to all.

Little Doris Hicks, 11 years old, passed to the beyond, August 13, 1938. She was a sweet little girl and all that knew her loved her. She attended Sunday School and church.

WHEREAS, it has pleased our heavenly Father, in His infinite wisdom to remove from among us, those dear members and co-workers who are deeply grieved that their light and ever smiling faces will ever more greet us in our meetings, in our homes, and that while our hearts are saddened by their going, we bow in humble submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well, and whom they delighted to serve, and in whose precious promises we know that we shall meet where "God shall wipe away all tears," after life's fitful fever is over.

We tender to the bereaved families our most sincere condolences and sympathy, and commend them to their irreprovable affliction to the

## Parents For Reunion On Sunday

Royall and Carroll Families Will Meet At Clinton Sunday

Wayne County Folks Will Be Among Those Who Attend This Reunion.

Members of the Royall and Carroll families will meet in their 45th annual reunion at the American Legion, but in Clinton on Sunday, August 6, with picnic dinner served at 1 o'clock. The reunion is held each year on the first Sunday in August. Mrs. Gertrude Royall Exum, Fremont, is president of the family association. A number of members of the two families live in this section.

Descendants of Whitney Royall and Sara Martin Royall, and of Lewis Carroll and Elisha Lambé Carroll will gather in Clinton on this date. The two families were united in the marriage of Isham Royall, son of the first-named couple, to Rachel Carroll, daughter of Lewis Carroll and Elisha Lambé Carroll.

The family association was formed August 18, 1935, when 98 members of the two families met at Pullen Park in Raleigh. The gathering has been held annually in August since that time, and last year moved its meeting place to Clinton, as many members of both families live in Sampson county. There were 158 registered last year.

All members of the two families are invited to come and bring picnic lunch.

Mrs. Exum, the eldest of the nine living children of Mr. and Mrs. Isham Royall, has served as president of the group since its organization. The late George Washington Carroll was elected at organization honorary president, and so served until his death.

## Bugs Remain Second But Martins Crowd In On Hacks of The Bugs

Five Played.

While the Bugs weren't being rained out this past week, they managed to get in five games, and to even play that many they had to play a doubleheader in Tarboro Saturday.

In the five games the Bugs took three to still stay in second place, but the Martins closed in on them a little during the week.

New Bern Bears defeated the Bugs here Thursday 4-6 in a loose contest that was marred by a number of errors.

Tarboro, fell twice 7-1 and 14-12 to the Bugs Saturday. Williamson fanned on the Bugs Sunday by defeating them 9-2. The Bugs retained Monday with a 8-2 win over Lefty Flora, former Bug.

Wednesday's Friday's and Tuesday's games were rained out.

VISITORS SPEND 92 CENTS

New York—The average daily per capita expenditure of visitors to the New York World's Fair, once they are inside the grounds is 92 cents.

God, whom they delighted to serve, the all wise one, who has power to kill and to make alive, and pray that they may be enabled by the eye of faith to look through their tears and the dark cloud which hangs like a pall of gloom over their homes and see their loved ones safe in that home, where pain and sadness, suffering and sorrow, are felt and suffered no more, and even though it is through their grief stricken hearts, may they be comforted in saying:

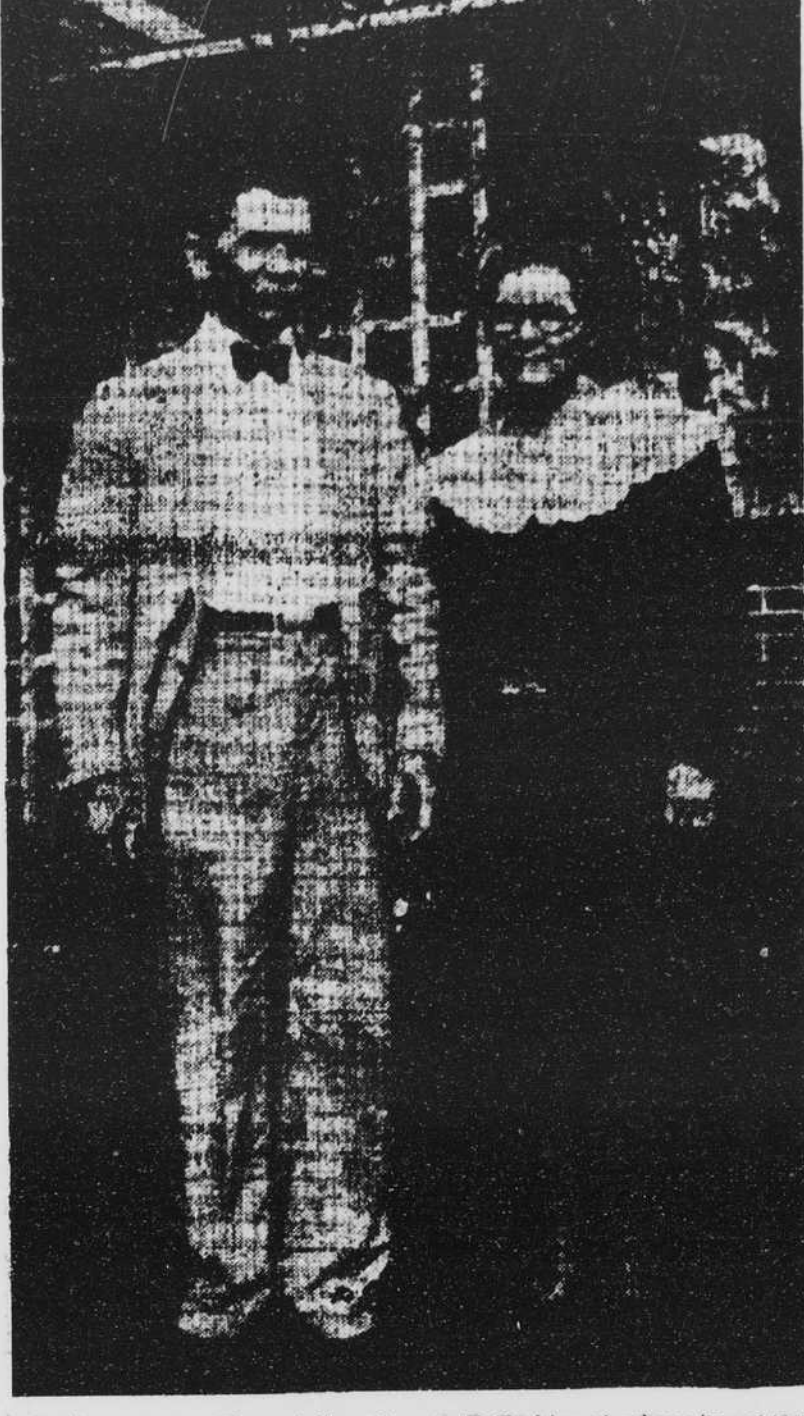
"The Lord gave, the Lord taken away, blessed be the name of the Lord."

It was hard to have them leave us but God's own hand was in it all. In His mighty wondrous wisdom they were ready for his call. Many times we all have missed them, and we long so much to hear just once more their gentle voices which to us were very dear.

Be It Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the reunion, and a copy be sent to each of the bereaved families, and also copies for publication to the Editors of the Goldsboro News-Argus, Goldsboro Herald, The News and Observer, The Greensboro Daily News and The Wilson Times, and others.

This July 31st 1939.  
MRS. GEO. W. PERKINS,  
(President Reunion.)  
K. D. PERKINS, Secretary.

## Clan President and Husband



Pictured above Mr. and Mrs. George W. Perkins at whose home near Goldsboro the annual Perkins family reunion was held last Sunday. Mrs. Perkins is president of the family gathering, and has been since this reunion was organized.

## Mrs. Sam Suggs Dies Near Jason

Funeral services for Mrs. Sam Suggs, 47, were conducted at her home near Jason, Wayne county, Saturday afternoon. She died at her home on Saturday afternoon following a stroke she suffered Wednesday.

Surviving are her son, Sam Suggs, one son, and two daughters, Mrs. Alex Suggs, and Mrs. Belle Moorehead. The deceased was the wife of James Suggs, who died some time ago.

## FRESH

An enterprising middle western grocer sells a "fresh fruit bag" packed in a 3-pound cellophane bag, each bag containing one orange, one banana, a bunch of grapes and a pear, enough for a salad for four people.

## John Daniel Creel Dies At Age Of 63

John Daniel Creel, 63, died at his home in Indian Springs township last Friday morning after a lengthy illness. Funeral services were conducted at the home of his son, W. L. Creel, in Seven Springs Friday afternoon by the Rev. B. G. Early of Kingston, pastor of the Seven Springs Baptist church. Burial was in the Day Chapel cemetery.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Creel, and four children, Mrs. Flora Goodwin of LeGrange, Mrs. Dora May Watkins of Morehead City and Mrs. Ruth Campbell of Rocky Mount, and eight sons, Earl, Mack, Norwood, and W. L. Creel, of Seven Springs; Henry and Rouben Creel of Kingston; and Remus Creel of Mt. Olive.

Cotton improvement groups in 13 states have applied for free classing and market news services during the ginning season for their 1939 crop.

## Alderman Ed Davis Acts As Mayor In Absence of Mayor

Mayor J. H. Hill is Still Confined To Home, Following Stroke Last Week.

Acting as Mayor Pro Tem, Alderman Ed Davis, presided over Monday's session of city court in the absence of Mayor Jack Hill, who is ill with paralysis. Only four cases were tried before the court, others listed being held over until today's session.

Jack Bell, colored, was bound over to superior court on charges of breaking, entering and larceny. Officer Stephenson reported receiving a call to go to the store of B. J. Howell on North George street, Sunday morning about 3 o'clock. He said he and Officer W. D. Gurley found Bell hiding behind the counter with an orange sack filled with cigarettes, a paper sack filled with five crackers, and another sack partially filled. The negro tried to evade arrest but was caught and placed in the patrol wagon. In the patrol wagon Bell made another attempt to break, but the officers were prepared and caught him again. Joseph Blackman, colored, was bound over to county court on the charges of carrying a concealed weapon.

Wallace Wilson, white, and Harwood Thorbas, colored, were found guilty of drunkenness and fined the costs of the case.

## Mrs. Stephen Pittman Died Last Thursday

Mrs. Stephen Pittman, 74, of Goldsboro, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. A. Raney, at Carolina Beach last Thursday morning, following a long period of ill health. She had been visiting her daughter for several months.

Funeral services were conducted at the home at 413 North William street, Goldsboro, Friday morning by the Rev. B. G. Rollins, pastor of the Friends Church. Interment was by the date of her late husband in Willow Dale cemetery, Goldsboro.

Mrs. Pittman was before her marriage Miss Della Massey of near Princeton. She had lived in Goldsboro for many years. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Raney; four grandchildren, Dr. Milton Clark of Goldsboro, Dr. Albert Clark of Lexington, Ky., Miss Julia Raney and Billy Raney, of Wilmington; one brother, W. C. Massey of near Princeton; and one sister, Mrs. Bettie Pittman of Charlotte, the widow of a half brother of the late Stephen Pittman.

## ORANGE BLOSSOMS AT FAIR

Brides may pick their own orange blossoms direct from the tree at the New York World's Fair. All they have to do is to announce to two orange-coated attendants at the Florida exhibit that they are brides. They are conducted into the tropical garden and led up to an orange tree. There is a tradition that the bride who sleeps with a spray of orange blossoms on her pillow will lead a sweet married life.

## Lewis Family Reunion To Be Held August 11

I ONLY HEARD! By ISABELLE BADDOUR

The roving romeros, Dewitt Bass and Buster Starr, had some trip on that jolopy they took over the West. They summarized it pretty well on a card to yours truly as thus: "Shows, fairs, hot dogs, girls, flat tires, mountains (large and small), girls swimming, golf, Indians, sou-veners, dances, girls, Texas cows, Arizona mountains, Nevada deserts, girls, Oklahoma Indians, California fruit, girls, Mexican tamales, New Mexico deserts, entomologists, girls, Catsbad Caverns, girls—aw, I'm going nuts."

They stopped at a filling station somewhere out in the West to get oil (some people do stop at those things for oil) and must have been pretty intent on the station keeper's daughter, for they were somewhere out in the East before they found that they had left their suitcases at the aforementioned station. Now they are writing letters to all Western stations to find out if anybody could be dumb or honest enough to send them their clothes. Meanwhile, they are taking turns. Think hard, and see if you remember seeing both of them around at the same time.

According to reports, two highway patrolmen will be assigned this section. The holdup seems to be that "they have nothing to wear."

## Highway Patrolman Takes SBI Position

James F. Bradshaw, Jr., who for the past two years has been state highway patrolman for this area and has lived in Goldsboro, has been appointed junior identification expert for the State Bureau of Investigation according to the announcement of Director Frederick J. Handly.

Bradshaw is now on leave of absence from the patrol. He will take over his duties on August 11. His appointment will bring the staff of the bureau to ten members.

## 6 Tobacco Grading Demonstrations Are Planned For County

Meetings Will Be Held on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of Next Week.

Six demonstrations on proper methods of grading, packing and marketing tobacco will be held in Wayne county on August 7-8-9. W. L. Bradshaw, federal tobacco marketing specialist, will be present to assist C. S. Mintz, Wayne county farm agent, in the demonstration. "Grading, packing, and handling of tobacco will be of more importance this year than ever before in my opinion," Mintz said. He pointed out that the low prices on the Georgia markets had been blamed to some extent on poor marketing. The demonstrations will be held at farmers' packing houses.

Wayne county began tobacco grading demonstrations in 1936, and was among the first counties to offer instruction in proper handling of tobacco. Since the beginning of the program the number in interested farmers has steadily increased.

## AAA Imposes Penalty On Misuse Of Cards

Farmers who misused their cotton marketing cards in 1938 will lose all payments to which they might be entitled under the 1939 farm program, E. Y. Floyd, AAA executive officer at State College, has announced.

This ruling, which was recently approved, is based on a provision of the program that all or any part of a farmer's payment may be withheld if he has adopted any practice which tends to defeat the purpose of the farm program.

Floyd explained that the holder of a red marketing card, under the marketing quota regulations, is required to pay a penalty on that part of his cotton marketings in excess of his quota. The grower who holds a white card is allowed to market his lint without penalty.

If the holder of the white card ginned or sold cotton for a farmer who held a red card, and the county committee determines that their action was contrary to the marketing quota regulation, neither will receive conservation or price adjustment payments in connection with the 1939 program.

Last year the AAA found cases of farmers with red cards selling their excess cotton through farmers who held white cards. As a result, records kept by ginners and buyers credited the white card holders with more cotton than they actually produced. This erroneous data gave certain farms a higher yield per acre than to which they were entitled.

Floyd said the AAA is investigating all cases of actual or suspected violation of the new ruling.

## Wake Forest Faculty Members Have Taught Sum Total Of 1,127 Years

But Few Institutions Can Equal Record of Long Service Of Its Teachers

J. I. LAKE HAS TAUGHT FOR TOTAL OF 53 YEARS

Several Teachers Are on the "Emeritus" List; Others Will Be Added Soon.

Wake Forest, Aug. 2.—It has been a long time—eleven and a quarter centuries to be exact—since Chaucer, king of the Frankish people, died in the year 814 A. D. Yet, if one man had been teaching college students ever since that time, he would still have two years to go before his teaching experience would equal the cumulative teaching record of the present faculty of Wake Forest College.

If the eighty men now on the Wake Forest faculty could stretch their years of classroom instruction to end, they would cover 1,127 years, an average of 14 years apiece.

That is why old alumni and visitors returning to the campus today after an absence of forty or fifty years find there the same spirit of intellectual pioneering which has been characteristic of the college through its 105 years of existence. The material side of the college changes—and this has been es-

pecially true during the administration of the present president, Thurman D. Kitchin—but underneath the surface is the same spirit of striving to know ultimate truth which has enabled Wake Forest College to make a notable contribution to the cultural progress of the state and nation since the institution was founded in 1834.

Heading the list in years of service are the six professors emeriti—or, as President Kitchin aptly termed them, "professors at large"—with a total teaching record of 267 years. Of these, James I. Lake, physics professor for 53 years, retired in 1932 Benjamin F. Sledz, English teacher for 51 years, Willis R. Cullom, Bible professor for 49 years, Needham Y. Guley, law teacher for 45 years, and James W. Lynch, Bible professor for 16 years, retired in 1938; and J. Hendren Gortell, teacher of modern languages for 48 years, retired in 1939. Though these grand old "warhorses" no longer give classroom instruction, they are by no means dissociated with the college. On the contrary, they have entered an era of greater usefulness.

Of the present active faculty members, Dr. George W. Paschal of the Greek department has served the longest, with a total of 43 years. He will be retired at the end of the

1939-40 session.

E. W. Timberlake, law professor, and E. B. Earnshaw, bursar, have served the college 33 years each. Others who have been teaching more than a score of years are H. A. Jones, mathematics, 31 years; Dr. W. E. Speas, physics, 28 years; Dr. C. C. Pearson, social sciences, and Dr. H. M. Poteat, Latin, 27 years each; Dr. H. B. Jones, English, 26 years; Dean D. B. Bryan, education, and R. B. White, law, 23 years each; President Kitchin, medicine, Dr. O. C. Bradbury, biology, and Dr. A. C. Reid, philosophy, 22 years each; J. G. Carroll, mathematics, 21 years; and Dr. C. S. Black, chemistry, 20 years.

It is to these men and their colleagues, leaders with high standards of scholarship and Christian character, that credit is largely due for the rapid growth of the Wake Forest student body. Fifty years ago there were about 200 students, 50 years ago there were 400; ten years ago there were 700. And in the fall of 1934 enrollment reached 1,037, when it was found necessary to restrict future enrollment to 1,000 because of limited classroom and dormitory facilities. There were 934 enrolled last session, and advance registration for next session is heavy.

Who was stricken with such a guilty conscience over something told last week that they slipped up by admitting something that wasn't really meant for them—who broke a date with her steady and then ran up with him, she said, unintentionally—when will a certain girl learn that dramatics don't help much when it comes to the broken-hearted pose—who is so busy seeing to it that people feel sorry for her, that she can't see what she's doing to somebody else—who can look out his window and see when she comes down to lunch and vice versa—who fairly yelled across the way to attract someone's notice that didn't want to be seen at that particular time nor with that particular person—who got stuck in a ditch when leaving hurriedly—who is pretty fed up with visiting in-laws—who said, "Mother, don't you think we can manage it somehow—he's so much company"—and who had such a run-in that the fireworks flew out of sparks?

During the first nine months of the current marketing season, the world's eight largest exporting nations shipped 7,924,090 bales of cotton as compared with 9,250,000 bales last year.