

# Stanley-Yelverton Funeral Home Opening Attended by 700; Honor Carl E. Stanley

**Memorial Services Conducted for Founder of Old Goldsboro Undertaking Establishment; New Building Completely Stocked and Equipped at Corner of Chestnut and James sts.**

Commemorating the anniversary of the birth of Carl E. Stanley, and formally opening the new Stanley-Yelverton Funeral Home, almost 700 persons visited the new undertaking establishment last Wednesday, June 5.

Memorial services in the afternoon were conducted in memory of Mr. Stanley, whose son, Frances W. Stanley, in partnership with Ralph A. Yelverton, has taken over the Goldsboro undertaking business established by his father in 1896.

Formally located on E. Walnut st., the new establishment, fully equipped and stocked, is situated at the corner of Chestnut and James sts., and is one of the finest in North Carolina.

The memorial services opened with Invocation by Rev. Francis Gorham, pastor of St. Mary's R. C. Church. Several selections were presented by a quartette consisting of Mrs. A. E. Little, Mrs. F. C. Harrell, Luther Snipes and John Henderson, with Mrs. J. C. Pate at the Hammond organ.

The memorial address was delivered by Rev. A. J. Smith, pastor of the First Baptist church and a close friend of Mr. Stanley during the latter's lifetime.

Benediction was offered by Rev. Dr. L. R. Scott, pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

The ceremonies were broadcast over radio station WGBR.

The Stanley-Yelverton Funeral Home, tastefully decorated and modernistically furnished, is one of Goldsboro's beauty spots. The first floor is composed of a chapel, a rest room, a private office, a general office, preparation room, an employees room is served with a public address system, with the microphone in the chapel. Hence, should the spacious chapel be crowded, persons in any of the other rooms still can listen to

the services.

The second floor is devoted to large sales and stock rooms and sleeping quarters. Storage rooms comprise the third floor.

The Stanley-Yelverton establishment boasts of a large "mechanized" unit, with a straight ambulance, a funeral car, a service car and three sedans on call.

Both Stanley and Yelverton have been engaged in the undertaking business for 20 years, and the former is regarded as one of the best, if not the foremost embalmer in North Carolina. He is secretary-treasurer of the local Burial Association, of which Yelverton is president.

Personnel of the Stanley-Yelverton Home consists of Larrie R. Worrell, Harvey Raynor, Jessie W. Stanley, Mrs. Frances Stanley, hostess, and Miss Evelyn Grady, office secretary.

## Counted? If Not, Call 120 NOW!

With a tentative 1940 population of 17,140, Goldsboro has every intention of soaring to still higher peaks, with the Chamber of Commerce, civic organizations and lodges coordinating their efforts to "get out the count."

C. of C. Executive Secretary James W. Butler made a last-minute appeal to those who have not been counted to contact District Census Supervisor Scott B. Berkeley, who intends to finish local enumeration by the July 1 deadline set by the Washington headquarters for the 16th census.

Complete Wayne figures are not yet available, Berkeley said, but added that they would be released as soon as they are computed.

Those who have not been counted, or who know of others not included in the census, are urged to telephone 120.

## New Golf Course To Be Completed Within 10 Weeks

**Plans for Links House Submitted to WPA as Work On Grounds Is Rushed**

Goldsboro's new golf course will be completed in the next eight or 10 weeks, according to Troy Pate, district WPA supervisor.

Pairways have been completed and workers are now engaged in construction of bunkers' traps and greens. While work on the links is going on, the tennis courts, softball diamonds and juvenile playgrounds have been neglected temporarily. The course, when completed, will cover almost 130 acres of ground surrounding the ball park.

Meanwhile, Bob Stevens, head of the Goldsboro golfer's building committee, announced that plans for a golf house had been presented to the WPA for an estimate of the amount of labor it would supply toward its construction.

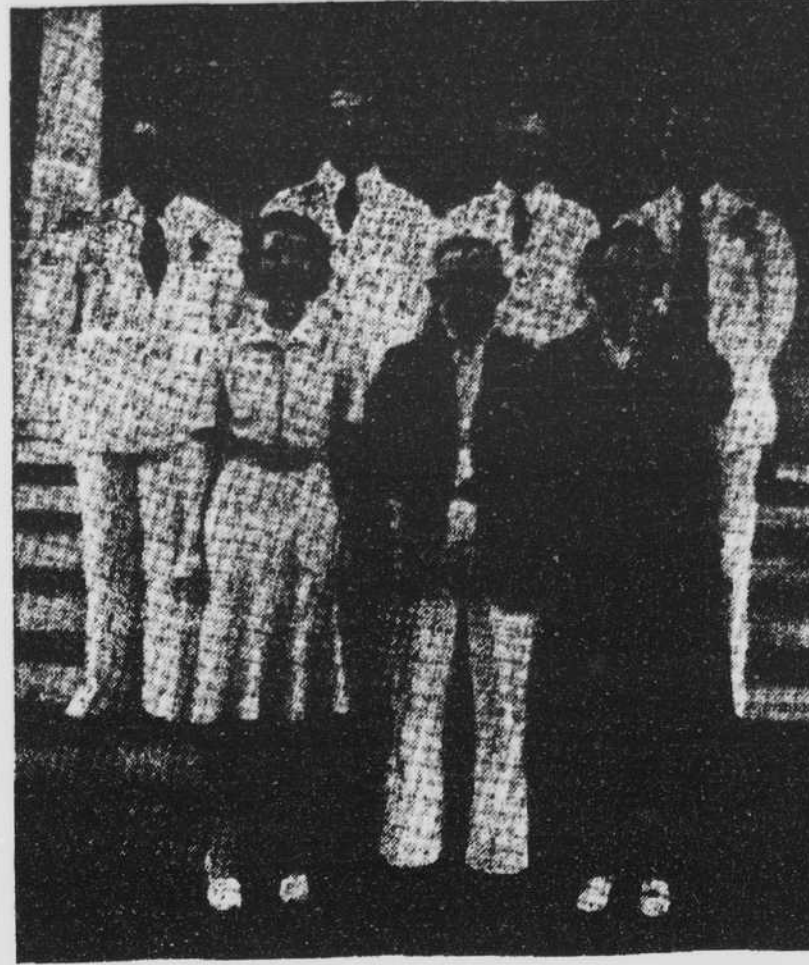
Plans call for the house to consist of one story on the front and three on the back. A 12-ft. porch will surround the sides on the back of the building and a brick terrace will be constructed on the front. The front of the construction will be level with the ground.

The 18th green will open at the rear of the building and the ground floor will consist of locker rooms for men and women, a shop room with storage space for 75 sets of golf clubs and a large lounge room.

The first floor includes a 46 by 22 foot club room, a kitchen, dining hall and living room. Living quarters are to be provided for a caretaker.

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## STANLEY-YELVERTON'S PERSONNEL



Pictured above are members of the staff of the Stanley-Yelverton Funeral Home, which recently moved to new quarters. In the picture, back row, left to right, are Ralph A. Yelverton, Harvey Raynor, Jessie W. Stanley and Francis W. Stanley; front row, left to right, Miss Evelyn Grady, Larrie R. Worrell and Mrs. Frances Stanley.

## Widow Sues Railroad For \$20,000 Damages

Mabel Chestnut, Negro, widow and administratrix of the estate of Herbert Chestnut of Magnolia, who was killed in a train accident in Magnolia, May 19, has filed suit in Wayne superior court against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, asking \$20,000 damages for her husband's death.

The complaint contended that the victim was struck by an ACL passenger train as he was "sitting or lying in a prostrate position in an intoxicated condition" on the track.

The complaint alleged negligence by the operators of the train, and declared Chestnut had been "murdered and killed."

The widow charged her husband had been earning \$1,000 a year, and had been in good health. He was 27. She filed application to sue as a pauper.

## Motorcyclist Hit By Auto; Injured

Herbert Molton Edwards, about 22, suffered a fractured leg when the motorcycle on which he was riding was sideswiped by a coupe driven by G. F. Jarrell at the corner of George and Oak sts., Thursday afternoon. His leg was caught between the motorcycle and the front bumper of the car. He was taken to the Goldsboro Hospital.

## BOY WHIPPED, CHARGE

Charging that his son was whipped "without cause," William H. Phipps, 410 N. John st., on Wednesday, signed a warrant against Arnold Jones, of Slocumb st. Phipps claims that Jones first cuffed the boy, William D. Phipps II, and then removed his belt and continued the whipping.

A bicycle, operated by William Nelson, employe of a local grocery store, collided with a taxicab driven by James Clodfelter on N. George st., Monday. Nelson escaped injury.

## Breach of Verbal Contract Suit Ends

Following three days of a hotly contested suit in Wayne superior court, the \$25,000 breach of verbal contract suit brought by H. Stanley Blaise, tobacco warehouseman of Carlisle, Ky., and Henry T. Carraway, Goldsboro tobaccoist, against C. E. Biehn, Ohio warehouseman, was settled before Judge C. E. Thompson of Elizabeth City. Biehn agreed to pay Blaise and Carraway each \$1,000.

The plaintiffs alleged that the defendant had violated a verbal contract bonding the partnership of the trio for operation of the Liberty Tobacco Warehouse in Goldsboro for five years beginning in 1938, and asked for their "reasonable share of profits" for the five year period.

During the first day of the trial, Judge Thompson allowed defense motion reducing the claim to actual damages for the three years in which the contract will not be abided.

A battery of seven attorneys participated in the case in which practically every sentence offered in evidence was contested by counsel.

## Youths Badly Beaten In N. John St. Row

Guernsey Sullivan, 25, and Willis Edwards, 25, employees of a Fayetteville silk mill and former Goldsboro residents, are in the Goldsboro Hospital with injuries said to have been inflicted by an unidentified Negro about 19 or 20 years old on N. John st. early Monday morning. The Negro escaped and officers are searching for him.

Edwards suffered a possible skull fracture when struck by bricks and six-inch iron spikes. Sullivan suffered a broken arm and lacerations about the face. In reporting the incident to police the men said the Negro had thrown "hand grenades," but the grenades turned out to be railroad spikes. Policeman Carl Smith discovered.

## Funeral Is Held For Smith Baby

Funeral services for the two-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark J. Smith of the Hood Swamp section of Wayne county, were conducted at Woods Grove church on Friday afternoon by Rev. K. D. Brown. Interment was in the family plot. He died Friday morning of whooping cough.

Surviving are his parents; three sisters, Mrs. Frank Gurganus, Marie Ann, and Jewel Smith; and four brothers, Marcellus, Shelton, Franklin and Billy Smith.

## Gospel Tabernacle Church Marks Sixth Homecoming Sunday

The sixth annual homecoming of the First Full Gospel Tabernacle Church of Goldsboro will be held Sunday, June 16, it was announced by Dr. W. H. Carter, pastor of the church.

The all day services will begin at 9:45 Sunday morning. At the 11 o'clock service, Mrs. Kenneth Radford will read the history of the church. Mrs. O. C. Liles will read an obituary to deceased members, and Mrs. Charles Magill, Jr., will read the history of the Ladies Aid Society. Rev. J. D. Butler will read the history of the Brotherhood, Miss Lou Rogers will read a history of the Sunday School, Miss Mildred Edgerton will read the history of the Young Peoples Union. The homecoming sermon will be delivered at 11:40.

Other services scheduled for the special event are as follows: 12:30—Songs by the Leland Baptist Church Choir.

1:00—Picnic lunch in church yard. All Goldsboro pastors have been invited to be guest at the lunch.

1:30—Songs by the Ever Ready quartet.

2:30—Recognition of the visitors.

4:00—The Sunday Afternoon Quiet Hour.

5:00—Baptismal service.

6:00—Sandwich supper at the church.

7:45—Young People's Union.

8:00—Sermon by Rev. Ruth E. Ketchum of Wilmington.

Ministers and laymen invited to appear on the program include: Revs. John Grant of Snow Hill, J. Homer Butler, of Clinton, Bailey C. Lewis of Elizabethtown, Arble H. Carter, of Clinton, James E. Malpass of Clinton, Stephen Mintz of Leland, Ruth E. Ketchum of Wilmington, J. A. Wallace of Greenville, Layman, J. Richard Parker of Clinton, J. M. Sharpe, Moderator of the Wilmington Conference of the Free Will Baptist church of Wilmington.

## NAGLE-TURNER

Mr. Lester Nagle, 24, of Farmville, Va., and Miss Carrie Turner, of Goldsboro, announced their engagement yesterday. The marriage will take place this summer.

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