

HENDERSON-OXFORD-WARRENTON

Henderson News

BY L. B. RUSSELL

Things You Should Know

HENDERSON - The July fourth holiday began with a downpour of rain, which was very much needed in this section. The farmers are jubilant and are looking forward to a good harvest of tobacco and cucumbers in this section. The growing crops have been retarded in growth from the long days of drought. With the beginning of congestion of travel Friday for the 4th holiday, we are to say that at this writing there have been no reports of highway deaths or serious accidents in this area.

The rain ceased early Sunday morning and the beautiful sunshine was seen again and the people went to their various places for worship and Holy Communion. Your humble servant attended service at the Brookston Baptist Church and had the honor of being the guest speaker because the church was without a pastor. Mr. Earnest Thomas, Bro. Lesslie Davis and Mrs. Maggie Davis, who are members of the church, really made it pleasant for the guest minister.

People visiting in and out of Henderson during the weekend were so numerous that we shall not attempt to name them here because of space. We certainly hope for them a pleasant happy trip and a safe return.

The James Taylor and Evans Family reunion was held Sunday, June 25th, at the Mobile home of Mr. and Mrs. John J. James at Henderson. Dinner and refreshments were served at two o'clock. There was an estimated number of attendance of relatives from ninety to one-hundred. It had been several years since the family assembled together and certainly there was extreme happiness manifested on the part of each member present. In parting, it seemed a hard matter to keep back tears, but there was great hope that in the years to come that there will be many more family reunions with

St. Andrews Church News

BY MISS VICKIE FIELDS

HENDERSON - The St. Andrews Sunday School opened at 10 a.m. The title of the lesson was "Genesis In The Christian Perspective." The lesson scripture was from Genesis 1:1, John 1:1-3, Romans 1:18-21 and Colossian 1:15-17. The memory selection was "By Faith We Understand That the memory selection was "By Faith we Understand that the World was created by the word of God, so that what is seen was made of things which do not appear," Hebrews 11:3.



MISS FIELDS

Vacation Bible School sponsored its program Sunday night, July 5, at 7:30. The masters of ceremony were J. T. Marrow, and Billy Williams. The primary class and teachers, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fields, opened the program by singing, "Jesus Loves Me," and repeated the 23rd Psalm. The beginners class and teachers, Miss Naomi Bryant and Miss Evelyn Fields, repeated "The Lord's Prayer" and "The Pledge to the Bible," after which Keith Fields and Ronnie Williams led us in the Pledge of the U. S. flag. Miss Brenda Vandergrift led the pledge to the Christian flag. The classes presented a play entitled, "The Amazing Time Machine." Characters were: Time Machine Scientist, Terrace Holden; Time Traveler, Piccola

equal happiness.

OBITUARIES

MRS. INDIA REID MEADOWS
One sweetly solemn thought, comes to me over and over, I am nearer my home today than I ever have been before. Nearer my Father's house where the many mansions be; Nearer the great White Throne, the crystal sea.

Mrs. India Reid Meadows, daughter of the late Edmond and India Reid, was born in Vance County in 1890 and departed this life June 11, after a lengthy illness. She was a member of the Saint John Baptist Church, Middleburg. She finally moved her membership to the Manson Baptist Church where she remained a faithful member until death.

MRS. CHARITY R. DUCKET

Mrs. Charity R. Duckert departed this life on June the 30th. Eulogistic services were conducted Sunday, July 5th, at the Ashby Grove Baptist Church. Mrs. Duckert was the daughter of the late William Henderson and began her early life in the profession of teaching in the public schools of Vance County. She later moved to Washington, D. C. where she worked for the U. S. Government and joined the Florida Avenue Baptist Church and remained a faithful member until death. Her people, relatives and friends mourn her loss. The eulogistic services were in the hands of the pastor, Rev. H. F. Peace, who was assisted by the Rev. L. B. Russell.

Mr. Russell C. Stokes, who has served thirty years in the United States Army, has now retired from the Army and is spending the weekend holiday with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Stokes of 219 Elizabeth St. After a brief stay, Mr. Stokes will return to Bangkok, Thailand in Southeast Asia. Mrs. Jessie Stokes, his mother, is a minister in the Holiness Church.

Mr. Stokes retired with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

Burnette; Voices, Kenneth Williams and David Shepard; Boys, Allan Fields, King Hezekiah, Chauncey Marrow; Isaiah, Glenn Alston; Roman Soldier, Robert Vandergrift, and Mary Magdalene, Debra Williams. Sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fields, J. T. Marrow, Miss Vickie Fields and Billy Williams.

Billy Eugene Williams son of Mrs. Louise Williams of Merrimom St. left July 6 on his way to Spain where he will be stationed for three years. Mr. Williams is in the Air Force.

You are all invited to attend our second Sunday service beginning at 11:30. After brief moments of consecrational prayer service, music will be rendered by the junior choir.

More than \$5 billion is state highway user tax collections were spent on non-road programs during the decade of 1958-'67, reports the American Petroleum Institute. This diversion of funds represented eight per cent of the \$61.6 billion collected from motor vehicle owners and operators by the states during the 10-year period. The federal government also withholds large amounts of its special highway user taxes from road-building. In the fiscal years 1957-'68, the amount of federal money thus channeled away from highways added up to \$20.3 billion, or 35 cents out of every dollar collected.

Phillis Wheatley

BORN IN AFRICA, BROUGHT TO THE U.S. IN 1761, SHE WAS SOLD AS A SLAVE TO MR. JOHN WHEATLY OF BOSTON. IMPRESSED BY HER INTELLIGENCE, HE PROVIDED FOR HER EDUCATION—SHE WAS A MASTER OF LATIN AND HISTORY, BUT WON ETERNAL FAME AS A POET! IN ENGLAND SHE WAS GUEST OF NOBILITY—AND, HOME AGAIN, GUEST OF GEORGE WASHINGTON!

CONTINENTAL FEATURES



Carter Invited To Head Travel Group

ELIZABETH CITY - Thomas E. Carter, Assistant to the President of Elizabeth City State University, has been invited to travel abroad under the People to People Travel Program. This program, initiated by former President Dwight D. Eisenhower, is a "voluntary effort of private citizens to advance the cause of international friendship."

Carter, a native of Prince George, Va., and a graduate of Virginia State College, was also invited to serve as a leader for a People to People delegation to either the Orient, Africa, South America, or Europe. This honor entitles him to have all of his travel expenses paid by the Program.

"Although my plans for the 1970-'71 academic year are

complete, I accept this honor and invitation, hopefully that I will be available to serve this most noble cause," Carter stated.

Carter, who has done post-graduate work at New York University, joined the ECSU faculty as an Assistant Professor of Mathematics, in 1965. Prior to his appointment at ECSU, he served as a public school teacher, and as an instructor in the U. S. Army's Basic Education Program in Korea. Carter also held the position of Acting Dean at ECSU, before being appointed Assistant to the President, during the summer of 1969.

We holds membership in several educational, fraternal, and civic organizations, among them the American Mathematical Association, the North Carolina Association of Academic Deans, Alpha Kappa Mu National Honor Society, and the National Council of Teacher of Mathematics.

All of the automobiles trucks and buses on United States highways travel an average of about a million miles in a minute.

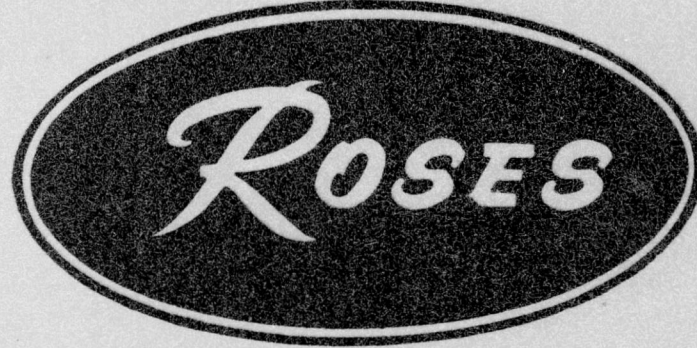
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