

KILLIAN REUNION

The 1954 reunion of the Killian family was held at Salem Church in Lincoln County on September 12, at 2:30 P. M. According to those registered there were 124 relatives and friends present.

A memorial service was conducted by Rev. John Hall, supply Pastor of Salem Lutheran Church, in memory of Mr. Yates Killian, of Newton, Mr. Raymond Hefner of Hickory, Rev. John A. Koons of Maiden, and Mr. James R. Killian of Columbus, Georgia.

A beautiful vase of white gladioli with fern was sent to the reunion in memory of Mr. Yates Killian by his daughter, Mrs. Robert Stennette, of Pageland, S. C., who could not be present. A note of thanks was sent Mrs. Stennette.

The clan voted to have new copies of the Killian history made and 60 members paid \$1.00 each for a copy to be mailed to their homes. Attorney Jesse C. Sigmon, Mr. Guy Killian and Mr. O. C. Carpenter were appointed as a committee to have the histories printed.

Mr. Guy Killian showed and wore his grandfathers hat presented to him by Mrs. C. R. Whitener.

Mr. Ware L. Killian of Blacksburg, S. C., and Mr. H. G. Winget, of Gastonia, brother-in-law of Mr. Guy Killian, gave very interesting talks.

The president and secretary-treasurer were re-elected for another year. The new Vice-President elected was Mr. W. D. Killian of Stony Point, N. C.

A collection of \$58.10 was received to help with expenses for the year. \$60.00 was collected for history books, making a total of \$118.10.

After the meeting supper was served in the church yard. Relatives and friends again met and enjoyed talking together while they ate a delicious picnic supper.

O. C. Carpenter, President

*Mrs. P. W. Whitener*  
Mrs. P. W. Whitener, Sec.-Treas.

Collected 118.10  
Bank (1954) 33.84  
Total 151.94    \$151.94

Historics 126.85  
Stamps, Print- 9.30  
ing, etc. 136.15    136.15  
Balance - - - 15.79

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