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## ON GOING A JOURNEY

About one hundred years ago, a famous English essayist wrote one of his best known essays using as his title, "On Going a Journey." He liked to go alone, and the only companion he tolerated was the brilliant poet and conversationalist, Samuel Taylor Coleridge.

It is a far cry from that distinguished traveling to the recent journey of this editorial "we" accompanied by children age six and three. But to see the world again through the eyes of the very young was an enlightening experience.

From the youthful angle, then, the great event was the visit to the Zoo in Detroit, Michigan. It is a model for all Zoos in that it has been planned to exhibit animals in their natural settings without the use of cages or bars. This sounds a little terrifying, but cleverly concealed water barriers under rolling banks protect the on-lookers from the restless prowling of the Siberian tigers or the nightmare-like ambling of the antelope.

Along lovely shaded paths children and adults walk for miles seeing a short distance away the animals pursuing their own interests. The brown bears were the show off; they loved the crowd and waved and sat up for peanuts.

The monkeys entertained a large audience with their acrobatics but could not be fed since they are on a special diet provided by the Rockefeller Foundation in an experiment with infantile paralysis.

A tiny train carries weary walkers back past the clambering mountain goats and three foot turtles and empties the children out of fairyland.

Greenfield Village, Henry Ford's reconstruction of early American life, was more interesting to the adult than the child, but even there a six year old was fascinated by a huge museum housing a tremendous miscellaneous collection of Americana. Early china and furniture gave way to early machinery, farm implements, locomotives, automobiles, telephones, bicycles, phonographs in various models and sizes. There was even a covered wagon.

The village itself is comparable to the Williamsburg reconstruction, and is more complete though not as charming. It possesses many points of interest, however. There is the Logan County Court house where Lincoln spoke, the "Suwanee" at anchor on the river and the lovely simple Mary and Martin chapel.

Wanted Detroiters like to be married. Detroit itself seemed to be booming. A year ago dismal prophecies were made that the auto plants could not convert fast enough to take care of their workers. But today residents tell you that lines of unemployed are short, and stores are filled with buyers.

One large down town store had a service flag with almost 400 stars on it.

Parts of the north at least know there is a war. Soldiers stand on guard outside a huge defense plant at Toledo, air raid sirens are blown every noon in parts of Detroit just to be sure they are in good working order, women are wrapping surgical bandages at the time of their regular bridge club meetings, papers are full of the drive for scrap metal.

It is a fine thing to go a journey; it is a satisfying thing to come home.

## Smyth Dairy Herds High In Butterfat

The leading butterfat producing herds in the Washington-Smyth Dairy Herd Improvement Association for August is announced from the County Agent's office as reported by T. A. Epperson, fieldman for the Association.

The leading butterfat producing herd is owned by John Lynch Sanders of Chilhowie. This herd, consisting of 45 registered and grade Guernseys, produced an average of 761 pounds milk and 33.9 lbs. butterfat. There were 7 dry cows in the herd.

The second top-scoring herd consisting of 60 grade Guernseys is owned by J. T. Frazier of Chilhowie. This herd produced an average of 728 pounds of milk and 32.8 lbs. butterfat with 11 dry cows in the herd.

The third leading butterfat producing herd is owned by Ray E. Groseclose of Marion. His 30 grade Guernseys, with 7 dry cows, produced an average of 731 pounds of milk and 31.7 pounds butterfat.

The leading individual butterfat producing cow is owned by Shanklin Dairy Farms of Marion. This grade Holstein cow produced 1800 pounds milk and 83.2 pounds butterfat. The second top producing cow is owned by J. T. Frazier, Chilhowie. This grade Guernsey cow produced 1401 pounds milk and 75.6 pounds butter fat. The third top leading cow is a grade Holstein owned by R. H. Snodgrass, Glade Spring, which produced 1528 pounds milk and 74.8 pounds butterfat.

There are 22 dairy herds with a total of 962 cows on test in the Washington-Smyth Dairy Herd Association. The Association average production in the month of August was 641 pounds milk and 27.5 lbs. butterfat.

## Red Cross Asked For 18,000 Sponges Soon

A 4 x 4 will make up the first assignment of surgical dressings to be made by Smyth County Red Cross workers. This amount represents one month's quota.

Just after receiving this notice, however, the chairmen were informed that, because of unavoidable circumstances, the material could not be expected in Marion until late September. They were promised shipment of a bolt of gauze to be used only for purposes of instruction before that time.

When this material arrives, Mrs. Davis Wassum, instructor, will call together another group to receive training and practice. Twenty-two women have had this instruction so far. Many have volunteered to help.

## NO DRAFT FOR NAVY

Chief John A. Baden, announced today that the Selective Service Act does not apply to the Navy. Men must volunteer their services and enlist in the regular way. No change has even been mentioned and the Navy is not contemplating resorting to the draft.

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## "Heroes Gallery" Unveiled Tuesday

A "Heroes Gallery" containing pictures of some 200 Smyth county men now serving with the armed forces was unveiled at Lincoln Theatre Tuesday night. This was a part of the "Salute to Our Heroes" program being put on at the theatre during the month of September, and Mrs. Lizzie O. Allen, chief clerk of the Smyth County Draft Board unveiled the gallery. After the unveiling ceremony Paul Worley, minister of the Marion Methodist church, led a prayer.

The gallery will be on display in the lobby of the theatre for the duration of the war.

The Salute to Our Heroes program for the coming week includes: War mothers night tonight; war wives night Friday night, the 11th; war stamp matinee Saturday at which all persons buying a 25c stamp between the hours of 1 and 3 o'clock will be admitted free. On Monday, Sept. 14, the Boy and Girls Scout troops will participate in the program.

All persons buying a defense bond between now and Monday, the 15th, will be guests of the theatre at the showing of Lum and Abner either Tuesday or Wednesday.

War mothers night will again be observed on Thursday, the 17th, and on Friday all members of the American armed forces will be guests of the theatre.

## Kiwanis Returns To Winter Quarters

Marion Kiwanis returned this week to Hotel Lincoln, regular meeting headquarters and a fine attendance and program was enjoyed.

Guests present were R. A. Carpenter and S. H. Pope, new members of the MHS faculty, A. B. Graybeal, Jr. now with the U. S. Army and a former Kiwanian, Billie Killinger, now in the U. S. Navy.

Delegates to the Capital District meet to be held October 8, 9, and 10th were elected as follows: Frank Lemmon, Dr. W. M. Selater and Dr. J. M. Graybeal alternates: Ralph Killinger, Marrow.

## Rotary Sees Pictures Of Smyth

Marion Rotary club spent an enjoyable 15 minutes viewing color slides of Smyth county at its regular meeting at Hotel Lincoln Friday night.

Dr. Joseph K. Roberts, professor of geology at the University of Virginia, had charge of the program and presented a picturesque film showing scenery throughout the county. He pointed out various points of historic interest in this section as well as rock formations, giving an evaluation of their value.

It was announced that this week's meeting will be held at Hemlock Haven.

## Mrs. Milton Graham Net Members

Mrs. Milton Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. sell died at her home in folk Tuesday, September 14, 1942.

Survivors: four

# JUNK RALLY

## For MARION & CHILHOWIE

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Friday, Sept. 18



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## Let's Jolt them with Junk from Smyth County

### James L. Cress

Mr. James L. Cress aged 73 died at his home South of Chilhowie Tuesday, September 14. He is survived by his wife and several children. Funeral services were held at the Riverside Baptist church Thursday morning with the Rev. Fred Ham in charge. Burial took place in Riverside cemetery.

### Mrs. Hayden N. Bell

Funeral services for Mrs. Hayden Nelson Bell, the former Mary Britton, were held at Doughty-Stevens Funeral home in Greenville, Tenn., Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 9. She died at her home at Tusculum, Tenn., Sunday night.

Mrs. Bell was born in Marion Nov. 2, 1868 and lived here until she moved to Chicago in 1906. Following the death of her husband she moved to Tusculum in 1937. She was the sister of the late W. N. Britton of Marion.

She is survived by five children: William H. Bell of Chicago, Frank N. Bell of Greenville, Tenn.; Charles B. Bell with the U. S. Army at Camp McClellan; Mrs. Agnew C. Darragh of Boston, Mass., and Mrs. Wilson M. Britton of Greenville.

### METHODIST TO HOLD VICTORY RALLY AT ABINGDON

The leaders of the nineteen thousand Methodist people in the Abingdon District will meet at the Abingdon Methodist Church, Friday evening, September 11th at 8:00 p. m.

All of the work of the fiscal year 1941-1942 will be reported by the pastors of 28 pastoral charges representing 117 individual churches; looking toward the annual conference which meets at Knoxville, Tennessee, October 7, 1942.

Bishop Paul B. Kern, Resident Bishop, of the Nashville area will hear the reports of the District Superintendent, the Rev. Paul Martin, and the pastors and laymen of the district, and will address the group. In addition to the address of Bishop Kern, talks will be made by Mrs. G. B. Wampler, of Bristol, President Women's Societies, Harry M. Piper, Bristol Lay Leader and E. W. Potts of Abingdon.

### LOCAL DRAFT BOARD ATTENDS CONFERENCE

An all day regional selective service conference was held at Wytheville, Wednesday, September 8 with five from Smyth attending.

Mr. Q. A. Eller, chairman of the draft board, Dr. T. K. McKee, A. C. Beattie, B. L. Dickenson, government appeal agent, and Mrs. W. L. Allen, chief clerk of the board were Smyth's representatives.

Lieutenant Colonel Joel D. Griffin presided over the explanatory talks and discussions.

Miss Alice Bowman spent the past weekend in Bristol as the guest of Miss Jane Leonard.

Miss Virginia L. Rouse of Indianapolis, Ind., is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Rouse at Chilhowie.

Miss Betty Will Ruppard who has been visiting in Washington, D. C., returned home Tuesday.

### Cedar Springs

Cedar Springs, Sept. 7 - The B. F. Kincannon farm was sold last week to Howard Groseclose. The families expect to move the last of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert LaPrelle and baby, formerly of Texas, moved into their new home Friday, the 4th. They bought the J. B. Keesling farm.

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Sugar Grove Baptist Church, Dear Members and Friends, I wish to thank each and every one for the letters and greetings that I have received since I have been overseas, and hoping as everyone else.

So hoping that these war clouds clear up and the skies are blue and clear again with peace and happiness for all. May God bless everyone.

Sgt. Ross W. Testerman, ASN 13017326, Co. A 824th Eng. Bn. Aviation Sq. A. P. O. 860, care Postmaster New York, N. Y., U. S. Army. P. S. Enclosed is \$10.00 as a donation to the church.

### GORDON GOES TO NEW MEXICO

Second Lieutenant O. Gordon has been assigned to the Training Detachment, Albuquerque Air Mexico.

He formerly resided at Eustis, Va., and Big Spring, staying in All residing at the Lodge.

Mrs. Jack daughter, Sunday spent her sister, and Mr.

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## Rich Valley Fair

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Friday Afternoon Pony Show  
Floyd McKee, Chairman, C. T. Barnes, Sub Chairman, C. P. Brickey

2:30 p. m., Rich Valley District Pony Show. Ribbons to be awarded in all classes, 75c for first prize, 50c for second prize in all classes unless otherwise stated.

Class 1. Model Class. Open to all ponies in show, any sex and age. To be shown by child.

2:45 p. m., Class 2. Best pony colt to be shown with Dam.

3:00 p. m., Class 3: Novice pony class. Open to boys and girls ten years and under, who have never ridden in a show. Horsemanship only to count.

3:15 p. m., Class 4: Ponies under fifty inches ridden by children under twelve years of age. Performance 60 per cent, conformation 40 per cent. First prize \$3. Second prize \$2. This prize is donated by Mr. Glen R. Montgomery, Glade Spring, Va.

3:30 p. m., Class 5: Ponies fifty inches and over ridden by children under sixteen years of age. Performance 60 per cent, conformation 40 per cent.

3:45 p. m., Class 6: Boys under twelve years of age on ponies fifty inches and under. Horsemanship only to count.

4:00 p. m. Class 7: Girls under twelve years of age on ponies fifty inches and under. Horsemanship only to count.

4:15 p. m., Class 8: Open pony class. To show at walk, trot, and canter. Performance 75 per cent, conformation 25 per cent. Children sixteen years and under. First prize \$2.00. Donated by Roy Brown, Bristol, Va., second 75c, third 50c.

4:30 p. m., Class 9: Children's pairs riding. Open to children sixteen years and under, riding in pairs on ponies. Performance only to count.

4:45 p. m., Class 10: Championship Pony Class. Open to all first and second place winners in this show. Riders to be residents of the Rich Valley Area. Award: The John R. George Memorial Trophy contributed by the Fair President. This Gold Loving Cup is a Challenge Trophy and must be won by the same rider on at least two different mounts for three successive years to be retained permanently. Only one award in this class.

(\$10.00 is being donated by the children of the pony show for the above classes.)

Rich Valley Fair Saddle Horse Show Friday Night, Sept. 11, 8:30 p. m.

Rich Valley District Saddle Horse Show. Show open to all horses owned by residents of the Rich Valley District.

8:30 P. M., Class 1: Pony class for mares or geldings, shown under saddle by boy or girl twelve years and under. Cash prizes, \$1.50, \$1 and 50c.

8:45 p. m., Class 2: Model Class. Open to all three and five gaited horses and hunters, any sex and age. Conformation only to count. Prize: Ribbon, \$2.50, \$1.50 and \$1.00.

9:00 p. m., Class 3: Green three gaited saddle horses, mares or geldings. To show at walk, trot and canter. Open to horses four years and under. Performance 75 per cent, Conformation 25 per cent, Ribbons.

9:15 p. m., Class 4: Five gaited horse geldings; to show canter, slow gait. Open to horses four years and under. Performance 75 per cent, Conformation 25 per cent, Ribbons.

9:30 p. m., Class 5: Children's class. Open under sixteen years horse or pony. To gait designated by Prizes \$2, \$1 and 50c.

9:45 p. m., Class 6: Open rider. Open to ladies of any sex or age. at walk, trot, and Horsemanship only Prizes: \$2, \$1.50.

10:00 p. m., Class 7: Gentleman Rider. Open to men on horses of any age. To show at walk and canter Horsemanship to count. Prizes: First Cup donated by Her Co. Second: \$1.50. Third: \$1.00.

10:15 p. m., Class 8: Plantation class. Open to plant horses of any sex or age. show at gait designated by Judge and with the rider's assistance, to open and close gate.

10:30 p. m., Class 9: Pair of riders. To be shown at walk, trot, and canter. Horsemanship only to count. Ribbons.

10:45 p. m., Class 10: Open three gaited class. Open to all three gaited horses. To show at walk, trot, and canter. Performance 60 per cent, Conformation 40 per cent. Prizes: \$2.50, \$1.50, \$1.00.

11:00 p. m., Class 11: Open five gaited class. Open to all five gaited horses. To show at walk, trot, slow gait, rack and canter. Performance 60 per cent, Conformation 40 per cent. First Prize: The C. E. Pratt Memorial Trophy. This

Gold Loving Cup, donated by the president of the Fair Association, is a Challenge Trophy and must be won by the same rider on at least two different mounts for three successive years to be retained permanently. Second: \$3.00, Third: \$2.

General Program Saturday, September 12th 10:30 a. m., Draft Horse Show. Baby Show: Mrs. Leon Coe, Chairman; Dr. J. A. Soyars, Judge.

Lunch 1:00 p. m., Saddle Colt Show. 1:40 p. m., Open Saddle Horse Show.

4:00 p. m., Gymkhana. 8:00 p. m., Open Saddle Horse Show continued.

10:15 p. m., Big Bingo Game \$25 War Bond for Grand Prize.

Judge for saddle colt and horse show: Mr. John Gillespie, Tazewell, Va.

DRAFT HORSES J. A. Campbell, Chairman, Jack Pratt, Sub-Chairman, C. L. Clark, W. P. Keese, Joe Phipps, Ray Lammie and H. M. Orr.

Cash Prizes (\$1.25, 75c, 25c in each class.) Class 1. Open class for draft stallions.

Class 2. Stallion class for Rich Valley District. Class 3. Sucking mule colt. Class 4. One-year mule colt. Class 5. Two-year mule colt. Class 6. Draft colt under one year.

Class 7. Draft colt one year and under two. Class 8. Draft colt two years and under three. Class 9. Three-year old mare or gelding.

Class 10. Draft horse, or gelding, 4 years old or over, weight 1400 lbs. or under. Class 11. Draft horse, mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, weight over 1400 lbs.

Class 12. Draft team (both horses to be owned by exhibitor weighing 1400 lbs. or under. Class 13. Draft team (both horses to be owned by exhibitor.) Weighing 1400 lbs. or over.

Class 14. Best team under 4 years any weight. Class 15. Best horse or mare in show.

Class 16. Best team hitched to wagon. Pair of halters to winner. Prize donated by G. W. DeBord.

Program for Saddle Horse Show Members of Committee: E. L. Roberts, sub-Chairman, K. K. Sanders, George Pratt, D. R. Henderson, G. S. Buchanan and W. P. Buchanan.

Saturday Afternoon, September 12, 1:00 P. M. 1:00 p. m., Saddle Stallions. Prizes \$1 and ribbons.

1:05 p. m., Class 1: Best Smyth County colt six months and under on halter. Prize \$1.50 and ribbons.

1:10 p. m., Class 2: Best Smyth County colt one and under two. Prize \$1.50 and ribbons.

1:20 p. m., Class 3: Best Smyth County colt two and under three. Prize \$1.50 and ribbons.

1:30 p. m., Class 4: Colt show. All Blue Coits in the precinct are eligible. Prize \$1.50.

1:40 P. M. Class 5: Open to twelve years a manship only \$1.50, \$1.00, 2:00 p. m. County Or

trot, and canter. Performance 75 per cent. Conformation per cent. Prizes: \$4, \$2, and \$1.

3:45 p. m., Class 13: Green five gaited class. Open to five gaited horses four years and under. To show at walk, trot, canter, slow gait and rack. Performance 75 per cent Conformation 25 per cent. Prizes: \$4, \$2.50, and \$1.

4:00 p. m., Class 14: Gymkhana Class. Gymkhana Prizes will be awarded 1st, \$5, 2nd, \$3, and 3rd, \$2.

A. Bare Back riding contest. Horses to be shown at walk, trot and canter. Performance only to count.

B. Obstacle Rides. To be shown around at least four obstacles. (Stop watch will be used in this contest.)

C. Egg Race. The riders will be required to carry eggs in a teaspoon for at least twenty yards.

D. Balloon Bursting Contest. Each rider will be required to keep his own balloon intact. This contest will be in full charge of a committee of men and the directions will be given by them before the contest starts. These men will be competent, unbiased judges.

The above contest may be changed by the judges to suit conditions. Contestant scoring the highest number of points will receive \$5.00, the one scoring the second highest number of points will receive \$3.00 and the one scoring the third highest points will receive \$1.50.

The rider that gets the highest number of points in the four above classes getting for 1st place three points, 2nd place two points and 3rd place one point.

Open Horse Show Saturday Evening, September 12, 8:00 P. M.

8:00 p. m., Class 15: Model Class. Open to all three and five gaited horses and hunters of any sex and age. Conformation to type only to count. To be shown on halter. Prizes: Ribbon and trophy.

8:45 p. m., Class 16: Children's class. Open to children sixteen years and under on horse or pony. To show at gait designated by the Judge. Prizes: \$3, \$2 and \$1.

9:00 p. m., Class 17: Vocational Agriculture Class. Horsemanship only to count. Prizes: \$4, \$2 and \$1. (Prizes donated by their Agricultural Instructor.)

9:15 p. m., Class 18: Open Plantation Class. Open to horses of the plantation type of any sex or age, to show at a walk, slow gait, and canter, and with rider's assistance, to open and close gate. Performance 75 per cent, Adaptability to general plantation use 25 per cent. Prizes: \$4, \$3, \$2.

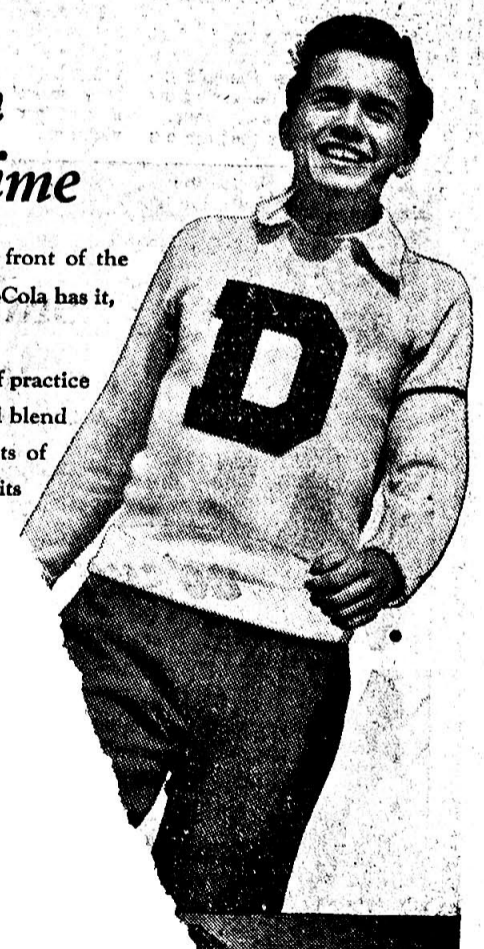
9:30 p. m., Class 19: Smyth County open three gaited class. Open to all three gaited horses of any sex or age, to show at walk, trot, and canter.

mother, Mrs. Maude Pendry, Mr. and Mrs. David Horne left Saturday for Baltimore to visit relatives and friends.

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# Personals Dial 6551

Miss Florence Pruitt has returned from a weeks vacation with Miss Margaret Estep in Tenn. While there Mrs. Pruitt and Miss Estep visited places of interest in Alabama, Georgia and Louisiana.

Misses Hallie and Helen Martin had as their weekend guests, Miss Nellie Troxler, Mrs. Stewart Riles, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Rues, Mr. Herman Troxler all of Greensboro, N. C. and Mrs. Paul Isley of Burlington, N. C.

Miss Myrtle Garnett is visiting friends at Bristol, Tenn., this week.

Master Charles M. Rupard Jr., who has been spending his vacation with his mother, Mrs. Charles M. Rupard returned to school at V. S. D. B., Staunton, Sept. 2.

Marlene and Kenneth Pruitt son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Pruitt, have returned home after spending two months at Foster Falls. While there they attended summer school.

Mrs. N. G. Peery, Mrs. G. C. Ullman, Mrs. Walter Schiff and Mrs. Trudie Sulzberger and Miss Margo Sulzberger spent Monday in Bristol.

Mrs. R. C. Thompson who has recently undergone an operation at Lee Memorial hospital has returned home.

Miss Eleanor Greever and Mrs. Robert Shannon of Blacksburg were weekend guests of Miss Margaret Sue Copenhaver.

Joe Killinger left Tuesday morning for Columbia, S. C., where he will enter the Lutheran Theological Seminary.

Mrs. Chris White of Fayetteville, N. C., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Everett Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Shelton, spent Sunday in Bristol. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts.

Dr. Edward Gorski who recently underwent an operation at Richmond Medical college hospital has returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Putt and Miss Gladys Putt of Roanoke were weekend guests of Misses Sallie and Bertha Rice.

Mr. C. F. Oliver has returned from Covington where he spent his vacation with his son, Ralph Oliver and Mrs. Oaver.

Mrs. F. M. Houghson of Roanoke is spending a few days this week as guest of her brother and sister, Mr. Geo. A. Collins and Miss Mollie Collins.

Mrs. M. M. Brown and daughter, Phyllis, recently visited Lt. and Mrs. Ralph Newman of Middletown, Pa.

Mrs. James McNiel and daughters, Jeanette and Carole and Miss Juanita Romans of Graham, N. C., are guests of their mother, Mrs. Pauline Romans.

Miss Lucille Taylor of Saltville was the weekend guest of Miss Lora Lee Billips.

Mr. and Mrs. James Richardson and son, Jimmy, are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Gills are receiving letters regularly every 10 days now from their son, Joe, who is in India. Joe recently wrote that he was getting letters from home now in from 10 to 14 days via air mail.

Staff Sgt. Roy N. Davis of Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Davis of Marion Route 3.

George Leonard Maiden has completed his course in aeronautics at Knoxville, Tenn., and is now employed at Norfolk.

Mrs. Wiley J. Vaught is a patient in Lee Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Lee Buck.

Mrs. Shackelford and two children, who have been visiting Miss Lelia Huddle for a few weeks have returned to their home in Athens, Ga.

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Stop for school busses loading or unloading children! This is the new Virginia law, effective this fall and designed to prevent injury and death to school children. The law was passed last winter by the General Assembly, and replaces the old requirement that drivers slow down to five miles an hour. The new law says that drivers

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Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hilliard of Norfolk and Dr. C. F. Taylor of Charlotte, N. C., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Taylor.

Mrs. Bettie Sebastian is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ben Cornwell at Grassy Creek, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pennington of Roanoke are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Bishop.

Farmers are all busy cutting corn and tobacco here.

Fred Carter of Radford is spending a few days at home.

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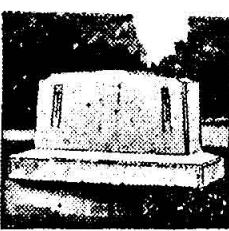
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