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SMYTH'S FIRST BIG ARTS AND CRAFTS exhibit, with hundreds of interesting items being shown, opened today at the Recreation Center in Marion. Mrs. Clara Hill Carner, right, has been one of the hardest working members of the committee promoting the event, under the auspices of the Marion Chamber of Commerce. She and her aunt, Mrs. Robert Cassell, of Taneytown, Md., left, are inspecting some of the many needlework exhibits. Thousands are expected to throng the recreation building during the next three days.

COMING EVENTS

(List for events not conducted for private gain. Columns close noon Wednesday.)
(Mail postcard or dial Marion 3-8001)

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, JULY 24-25
CIRCLE 3 of the First Methodist Church will hold a rummage sale at the parsonage garage.

FRIDAY, JULY 24
ICE CREAM SUPPER, sponsored by the young people of Davis Memorial Church at Atkins 7:30 p. m. in school auditorium. Pies, cakes, candy, hot dogs and drinks will be sold.

MARION REBEKAH LODGE No. 42 will meet at the Odd Fellows Hall at 8 p. m. Regular meeting and degrees.

TUESDAY, JULY 28
ORDER OF EASTERN STAR, Saltville chapter, regular meeting, Masonic Temple.

Rabies Clinics Will Be Held in Smyth County

Two Extra Events Are Announced For Festival Saturday

All Smyth County dog owners are urged to have their dogs at the clinic nearest their home between the dates of July 27 and August 10 for immunization against rabies. It was announced by Roy Qualls, sanitarian of Smyth County, the exact time and place may be obtained from the "handbills" placed in the different communities within the county.

Rabies, hydrophobia or mad dog is caused by a virus which affects all warm blooded animals. Because the domestic dog is so closely associated with man it has become the chief source of spread and our methods of control (which have been effective in some localities), have been directed mainly in the canine family. By immunizing the dog against this virus, rabies can be prevented and eliminate much property loss, anxiety and prevent the loss of human life.

These rabies clinics in Smyth County are under the direction of the Smyth County Health Department and immunizations will be administered by a licensed veterinarian. Again all dog owners are urged to have their dogs immunized at the clinic in their respective community.

Included in his collection is a skeleton with a arrow head sunk into the back bone, mute evidence of how the Indians did their fighting before the advent of guns to this country.

Mr. Barker, blind, has sung his ballads for years. They are the ballads of his forefathers, many brought over to this country by settlers and others originating at night in cabin homes of this section. These ballads were handed down from father to son as families and neighbors got together during the long winter nights.

Most of them were unrecorded until recent years, when historians and musicians began collecting them and attempting to set them up for coming generations. Many of Mr. Barker's ballads have been recorded.

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LIFE IN SMYTH COUNTY

Rotary District Governor To Visit in Marion



Garland K. Linkous

The Rotary Club of Marion this Friday will be host to G. K. Linkous, governor of the 275th district of Rotary International, who is making his annual official visit to each of the 47 Rotary Clubs in Virginia and Tennessee.

He will confer with President Fred D. McDonald, Secretary Guy Craft and other local officers on Rotary administration and service activities.

He is a member of the Rotary Club at Danville. He was elected district governor of Rotary International for the 1953-54 fiscal year at the annual Rotary Convention in Paris, France, May 28. He is one of the 212 district governor's supervising the activities of some 8,000 Rotary Clubs which have a membership of 372,000 business and professional executives in 86 countries and geographical regions throughout the world.

Wherever Rotary Clubs are located, their activities are similar to those of the Rotary Club of Marion because they are based on the same general objectives — developing better understanding and fellowship among business and professional men, promoting community betterment undertakings, raising the standards of business and professions, and fostering the advancement of good will, understanding and

Health Department Lists Gamma Globulin Rules

Water Problem Is Big Issue Friday At Council Meet

Water problems took up most of last Friday's Marion Town Council, with council seeking means of cutting down all possible waste of water.

Following the session the group went into executive session at the request of Councilman K. K. Snider. During this closed session the problem of the recently acquired land and spring at Atkins was discussed, it was reported by a reliable source. H. L. Atkins of Atkins owns half the water rights to this spring and he and council members are negotiating in regards to use of this water.

Town Engineer James Ritter in his report stated that his department is making exhaustive searches to trace down all water line leaks. A test was made which determined that practically all leaks are in the system after it reaches town. Several leaks have been discovered and corrected, with the search to continue.

A check between the master meter graph at his office, which shows the amount of water being used at all times, against the amount showing up on meters when read revealed a large amount of wastage, which is being corrected.

The master meter shows 119 gallons more per minute being used during a given period this year than during the same period last year.

During the water system discussion it was brought out that a half million gallons of water was used between June 17 and July 16 at the colored swimming pool. This is being furnished free to this public recreation spot.

Councilman Jake Andrews stated that when the pool was first opened the water was furnished free — this was during 1947 and 1948.

Councilmen Walter Francis then entered the conversation, stating that he thought council should help as far as possible in furnishing recreation for the colored children. "If it is a matter of homes having to do without water, then we will have to ration or cut off the swimming pool and similar places. But we must remember those colored children have no other place to swim and I think we should do everything possible to help them."

Council, in general, agreed with this and the problem was turned over to the mayor, engineer and water committee. They, according to the trend of talk, were to talk with officials of the swimming pool on a proposal which would furnish a certain amount of water each season free, with this group being expected to pay

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During the past fiscal year 217 new Rotary Clubs were organized in 42 countries of North, South and Central America, Europe, Asia, Africa, and the Islands of the Pacific.

At last week's meeting Dr. J. S. Staley was guest speaker telling club members of the medical situation in India, where he worked for six years.

James F. Keesling was inducted into membership in the club.

Because of the restrictions set up by the U. S. Public Health Service governing the distribution of gamma globulin, it can be issued solely for family contacts of cases of polio between the ages of six months and 15 years, according to Dr. James M. Suter, acting director of the Smyth County Health Department.

It can be also obtained for cases of pregnancy in the household. For other close and casual contacts, gamma globulin cannot be obtained, Dr. Suter added.

The entire supply of gamma globulin from the Red Cross blood collections is turned over to the United States Public Health Service for distribution. The precaution, say officials, is to insure that the invaluable serum will not get into the hands of black marketers. Before mass inoculation such as are being given in Bristol are ordered, approval of the federal and state public officials must be secured.

To date there have been seven cases of polio reported in Smyth County — a four year old boy from the Thomas Bridge section, a seven year old boy and a ten months old boy from Chilhowie, a nine year old girl from Seven Ford, a 19 year old girl from Marion, a five year old boy visiting in Marion from Norfolk and a two and one-half year old boy from Marion.

Five of the above cases have been hospitalized in the Memorial and Crippled Children's Hospital, Roanoke one of which was returned home last Thursday and is practically symptom free. Two cases are hospitalized in the Johnston Memorial Hospital, Abingdon.

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Marion Council Takes Steps To Kill All Flies

A concentrated effort to rid Marion of flies and other insects was started last Friday night by Town Council.

Discussing the polio situation Mayor Walter Jackson told council members that he would like to see the town completely fogged with a DDT preparation for killing these flies.

Town officials of Saltville have been cooperative in the past and will help this time by letting us have their machine for this work," he said. Council went all out for the project, instructing Engineer James Ritter to get started at once.

The machine should be available within the near future. It completely fogs any area where used, destroying flies and other insects without harm to animals and humans. As soon as available Marion will get a complete DDT bath.

Meanwhile, an insect killing machine used by the federal government to kill Japanese beetles is being used to spray the town dump and other aggravated places. This machine does not do as complete a job, but will kill insects in small areas and will be used until the Saltville equipment becomes available.

Mrs. Ruth Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Asbury and son, Billy, were visitors last week in Gatlinburg, Cherokee, Ashville, Fontana Dam and other places of interest.

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Smyth Arts, Crafts Show Opens for Three Day Run



MISS HELEN LOUISE EVANS of Lincoln, Nebr., will become dean of women at Marion College, September 1. Miss Evans was graduated from Midland College magna cum laude with a BS degree in social studies in 1944. She served as missionary to Liberia, Africa, 1945-50. After returning to America, she earned her masters degree in religious education at Biblical Seminary in New York City in 1951. Since June, 1951, Miss Evans has been teaching religious education and Bible at the Lutheran Deaconess School, Baltimore, Md. She has also done professional study at New York University.

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OUR HEARTFELT thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the beautiful service, floral offerings, and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful. E. E. Spitzer and family. 7-23-1F

SPECIAL NOTICES (14)
VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth, on the 22nd day of July 1953, Barbara Hall Bridgeman, by etc., Complainant against Conley B. Bridgeman, Jr., Defendant
Artica, New York
IN CHANCERY
The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii or annulment on the grounds that the marriage was illegal and to determine the custody of child of said marriage. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant Conley B. Bridgeman, Jr., is not resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Smyth County News, a newspaper published in the County of Smyth, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of this County within ten days after entry of this order.
A copy—Teste:
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Lloyd E. Currin, Clerk
By: Ruth Allen, Deputy Clerk 7-23-4F
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Obituaries

Mrs. Elizabeth Barker

Mrs. Elizabeth Barker, 76, died at Marion General Hospital Monday.

Surviving are three sons, Willie Barker, Hugh and Luther all of Eaton, Ohio; four daughters, Mrs. Rosie Laudy Benhams; Mrs. Nannie McMurray, Bristol, Tenn.; Mrs. Geneva McMurray, Helton; Mrs. Harlow Gwin, Marion; one sister, Mrs. Lucy Statzer, Richmond, Ind.; 35 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

Funeral service was conducted Thursday at the Willow Branch Baptist Church. Burial was in the Barker Cemetery in Washington County.

Earnest E. Surber

The body of Private First Class Earnest E. Surber, 22, who was killed in action in Korea, April 25, will arrive at Gold Bond Saturday and be taken to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Surber.

Funeral service will be conducted at the McCready Methodist Church near Saltville Monday. The Rev. Frank Maiden and Rev. W. O. Webster will officiate. Burial will be in the Elizabeth Cemetery. The Saltville American Legion Post 334 will be in charge of grave-side service.

Surviving are his parents, three sisters, Mrs. B. A. Ruse, Plasterco, and Misses Vivian and Janie Surber of Gold Bond. The body will remain at the D. H. Henderson Funeral Home until time for services.

Daniel E. Cahill

Daniel Edward Cahill, 71, died at his home in Saltville Tuesday.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Sarah Montgomery Cahill; seven sons; Albert, Ellsworth, Edward, John, Charlie and Guy, Saltville; Bob, U. S. Army in Korea; two daughters, Mrs. Fred Gillespie and Miss Claudine Cahill; Saltville; two sisters, Mrs. Walter Smith, Plasterco; Mrs. Pearl DeBusk, Saltville; and two brothers, John and Herman, Bluefield, W. Va.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete awaiting the arrival of Bob Cahill who is in Korea.

Mrs. Eliza Mercer Musser

Mrs. Eliza Mercer Musser, 78, died at the Lee Memorial Hospital Wednesday.

She is survived by four sons, Foster Musser, Roanoke; Ling Musser, Salem; Frank Musser, Blackstone; Lewis Musser, Ft.

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Council

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for all water over this agreed amount.

When this was carried Town Attorney Francis Hoge stepped into the picture. "I said nothing until you gentlemen agreed to do what you could on this situation," he said. "There are other problems of a similar nature to think about. The courthouse, jail, schools and churches are getting water free. This means that the taxpayers supporting the water system are giving away their products to others who pay nothing for this privilege. This also is something to think about, especially with our facing a water shortage."

Approximately two million gallons of water are being used each day in Marion, with towns of similar size using just slightly more than half, it was brought out during the meeting.

Ralph Repass appeared before council to start the meeting, stating that at the last meeting council had approved installation of curbs and gutters along property owned by him and Dan Buchanan on Strother and Lee Sts., costing \$1,108, providing the property owners pay this cost. Since that time, Mr. Repass stated, he has learned that many times council has done similar jobs, with property owners paying half and the town the other half. He and Mr. Buchanan are ready to go ahead with the work providing this last proposal was acceptable to council.

Council, discussing the matter, decided that there are more pressing needs for work of this type in town, where such would serve more people, and voted to take no further action.

Tom Gillespie appeared before council requesting action on a property line post which appears to be sticking out in the street on Church St. He had a petition signed by other residents of the street requesting this action.

Mr. Ritter stated that the Belvoir; and four daughters, Ola M. Crouse, Salem; Mrs. Eathel Adler, Miami, Fla.; Mrs. Ruth Stamper, Hoquiam, Wash.; Miss Burl Musser, Pulaski.

Funeral service will be held Friday at the Cedar Bluff Baptist church. The Rev. P. Delgado will officiate. Burial will follow in the Pleasant Hill Cemetery at Groseclose.

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street is narrow at that point and that it looks as if the post is just right at the curve. This was referred to Mr. Ritter and engineering committee for investigation and report.

Mr. Ritter reported that bids for repair to the town hall were out and should be in by August 1. This will be taken up at the next meeting.

Mayor Walter Jackson started the ball to rolling when the new business session started. He discussed at length the police problem in Marion, especially when school opens this fall, and requested that another police vehicle be purchased.

During the school session we will be more than busy and it will be necessary that our police move to several different spots during the rush hours. We will have to control traffic at the schools, in town and at our industrial plants," he said. "It will be absolutely impossible for our police to do all this with just one vehicle and we are skating on thin ice when we try to do even this. What if a wreck occurs at the other end of town, with our police busy at these points? Something worse than a wreck could result during the time it would take trying to shuffle our police around with one vehicle. Practically every town of this size in the country has at least two or three police cars."

Councilman Andrews moved that the mayor, chief of police and engineer be empowered to purchase a police car costing not more than approximately \$2,000.

The mayor and engineer also were empowered to purchase warning signs to be placed on Highway 11 at the required distance from entrance to the new school grounds.

This traffic problem brought up the use of blinkers instead of red lights on Sundays. Mr. Andrews stated that he had observed the crossings at Church and Main during the past several Sundays and he believed

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that the old system of red lights should be returned to during church hours or that a police be stationed there to control traffic.

Church goes, especially children, have trouble crossing at this point, he stated. It was decided to have a traffic officer at this point and another in front of Royal Oak Presbyterian Church just prior to Sunday School and just after church services each Sunday.

Mayor Jackson next came up with the age old problem of visiting salesmen, especially magazine salesmen. Recently there has been a large number of these high pressure boys in town, many of them taking orders for magazines, along with a small down payment, and then taking off for parts unknown, the magazines never showing up.

"Why don't we just publicize the fact that our school children sell magazines each year, the schools derive the benefit and we are dealing with reliable people," Councilman George Greer said. "They cannot be stopped from coming in here. So why not try to get the people to stop buying from them. They wouldn't milk us dry unless they were supported by suckers."

Mr. Hoge substantiated this, pointing out that these salesmen operate under the interstate commerce commission laws and cannot be licensed.

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Unless caught and tried for taking money under false pretenses, nothing can be done, he said.

Engineer Ritter was requested to work up an estimate of cost for installing a water line from the present six inch line running to the new school to the stadium site, requested by the stadium committee.

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Saltville, July 21 - Mr. and Mrs. Jack Catron and Jerry and Mr. and Mrs. Claude A. Smith have just returned from a vacation trip to Washington, D. C., Norfolk and other places of interest.

Mrs. C. W. Surber and daughters, Misses Nancy and Donnie Nipper and Jerry Nipper, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Romans of Marion last Thursday. Miss Joan Ward was also a guest.

Mrs. Ollie Magnet of Dallas, Texas, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jackson and Mrs. Ellen Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Farris left Friday to spend their vacation with relatives in Philadelphia, Penna.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard DeBord and family of Kingsport, Tenn., recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude A. Smith and other relatives in Saltville.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Main Street Christian Church held its monthly meeting with Mrs. Claude A. Smith July 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barnette and son of Bluefield, W. Va., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Barnette. Their son, Douglas remained for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells Hart of Bristol spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Brady Lester.

Avery Eblevins of Detroit, Mich., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Eva Blevins.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barker and Mrs. Edith Barker Hall and son, Brad, have returned home after spending a vacation visiting relatives in Johnson City and Elizabethton, Tenn. Mrs. Paul E. Barker and daughter, Kathl, accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor of Bluefield, W. Va., were last week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Perkins. They were en route home after spending a vacation with Mr. and Mrs. James Perkins of Milwaukee, Wis., and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Perkins of Chicago, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Perkins had as their guests last Wednesday afternoon Mrs. George Snow and daughter, Ann, of McCreedy, Miss. Sadie Taylor of Williamson, W. Va., and Mrs. Fred Taylor of Glade Spring.

Mrs. Sarah Pulliam was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Plasterco WSCS July 9. After the program watermelon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perkins and Mrs. Charles Barker and Mrs. Herbert McAllister visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Duncan of Abingdon last Sunday evening.

Mrs. McAllister is now living in Abingdon and is presently employed in Bristol. They also visited Mrs. Barker's father, S. R. Webb of Meadowview, who remains a patient in the George Ben Johnston Hospital.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Roberts last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Roberts and sons, Jerry and David.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Campbell and son, Roger, of Plasterco visited his father, G. F. Campbell, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lewis Frye, Mrs. Hazel Gentry and Mrs. Peggy Haynes attended the banquet and grand visitation of Worthy Grand Matron Adelle Major of Norfolk and Worthy Grand Patron Eugene Bane of Grundy of the Order of the Eastern Star at Grundy last Saturday.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Rector were Misses Mary Lou Curry of Holden, W. Va., Connie Carhart of Norfolk and Bebe Hammond of Kamey, N. J. These three girls were sorority sisters of Miss Annie Mae Rector, who has left for Anchorage, Alaska, to join her husband-to-be, M-Sgt. Clyde Branham, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Branham of Saltville.

D. R. Snodgrass, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Snodgrass Sr., is a patient in the Thomas K. McKee Hospital.

David Bratt, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bratt, is attending the boy scout jamboree at Santa Ana, Calif.

Miss Gracie DeBord of Quarry visited Mrs. Charles Barker and Mrs. Paul E. Barker Tuesday afternoon of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Holmes and daughters, Misses Nancy and Shelby Holmes, and son, Douglas, and Wayne Barker enjoyed a picnic at South Holston Dam recently.

Mrs. Roy Maiden and children, Sharon and Skip, of McCreedy accompanied her father, C. S. Barker, home Monday to spend the day. Mr. Barker spent last week end with the Maidens.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Archer have as their guests her aunt, Mrs. Helen Boswell, and Dr. Tucker of Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Perkins and children, Linda, Carol, Freddie and Johnny, were dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Perkins, last Sunday. Other guests in the Perkins home were Mrs. Toab Nash of Bluefield, W. Va., and Mrs. Rozella Adams of Clinchburg.

Charles A. Campbell of Winchester was elected president of the Winchester Lions Club at the annual election in June. Mr. Campbell was installed in his new office June 30.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bratt spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Smith of Bassett.

J. Baker Sanders is a patient in the McGuire Hospital in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Craft had as their guests last week Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Perry, Mrs. Paul Davis and Perry Davis of Bramwell, W. Va. Mr. and Mrs. Craft had as guests last Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. George Craft of Bramwell and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Craft and son, Bobby, of Westfield, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Campbell of Johnson City, Tenn., announce the birth of a son July 15. Mrs. Campbell is the former Miss Ellen Worthy.

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 Mrs. J. P. Sheffey and Miss Margaret Sheffey are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Taft in Alvin, Mich.
 Mr. and Mrs. Deola Corn have returned from Newton, N. C., where they were guests of his mother.
 Lt. Col. and Mrs. C. C. DeVault and son, Charles, who have just returned from Orleans, France, were guests of

Dr. and Mrs. Emmett Richardson and family last week. After a visit with relatives in Emory and Glade Spring, they will leave for Ft. Belvoir, where he will be stationed.
 Mrs. P. J. Thornton, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gordon last week, has returned to her home in Winston-Salem.
 Major and Mrs. Robert S. Ferrari of Johnson City, Tenn., will arrive this week end for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gordon.
 Mrs. Bertie Pugh, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Dutton, has returned to her home in Belton, Mo. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Brooke McGrady.
 S-Sgt. Harold Croft of Lockland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas, is spending his furlough with his mother, Mrs. James H. Croft, in the Royal Oak Apt.
 Miss Mary Lou Malden has returned from Beckley, W. Va., where she visited her brother, Leonard Malden, and Mrs. Malden.
 Mrs. Lennis Perkins, Mrs. George Taylor, Miss Jean Rogers and Max Perkins attended the wedding of Dick Perkins to Miss Mary Ann Fuller in Atlanta, Ga., July 18.

Miss Ann Zerke of Roanoke is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Phillip C. Smythe and Mr. Smythe.
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weaver of Tryon, N. C., have moved to Marion and are now living at 218 Sprinkle Ave.
 Dr. and Mrs. Howard Williams of Roanoke are spending sometime with Miss Gladys Williams.
 Mr. and Mrs. Edd Kelly and son, Eddy, of Winston-Salem, N. C., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weaver.
 Pvt. and Mrs. James Love have been the guests of his mother, Mrs. Nellie Love, and his grandmother Mrs. W. H. Poff.
 Mrs. C. B. McCready and daughter, Miss Louise McCready, of St. Petersburg, Fla., will arrive Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Snider. They will be accompanied by Mrs. James Huffman and daughter, Rose Mary, of St. Petersburg, who will be the guests of her mother, Mrs. Mary Lieto, and other relatives.
 Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Chris of Fairfield and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Helton, Laurel Springs, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Martin Wednesday.
 Mrs. T. W. Umberger and daughter, Miss Katrina Umberger, left Tuesday for Boone, N. C., where Miss Umberger will attend State Teachers College.
 Martin Neff of St. Petersburg, Fla., has been spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Thomas Vernon, and Mr. Vernon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Wade Anderson and son have just returned to their home in Staunton after spending their vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Anderson. Their niece, Carol Campbell, accompanied them home.
 G. C. Anderson has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Anderson.
 Rosalind Casteel of West Main Street spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. Stuart Pratt, of Pulaski.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Beverly have returned from a two weeks vacation at Myrtle Beach.
 Mr. and Mrs. T. Marcus Gillespie and family were business

visitors in Roanoke last week.
 Mrs. F. E. Deaton was week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. Jenevive Cox, in Greensboro, N. C.
 Mrs. T. T. Taylor and son of Stoneham, Mass., are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Brisco and family.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mullins of Pittsburg, Mass., are spending this week at Hungry Mother Park.
 Mrs. Ben Scott has returned to her home in Big Stone Gap after a visit of several days in Marion.
 Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Johnson had as their guests last week Mrs. Joseph Johnson Sr. of Walkers, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Copeland and Mrs. Copeland Sr. and Miss Nancy Copeland of Windsor.
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thompson were among those from Marion attending the Farris Wassum reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wassum, Mt. Zion, last Sunday.
 Miss Bonnie Edmonds of Wytheville is the guest of Miss Sandra Stephenson this week.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Linkous have returned from a visit with their son, Harry Linkous, and family in Macon, Ga. They were accompanied home by their grandson, Buba Linkous. They also visited relatives in Radford this week.
 Mrs. Warren Crabtree of Washington is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Morris Wechsler and Mrs. Copenhaver.
 Mr. and Mrs. James W. Harper have as their guests this week Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hughes and children of Glasgow, Ky.
 Mrs. John Goodman and daughter, Barbara Jean, of Staten Island, N. Y., are spending the summer with Mrs. Goodman's father, W. R. Wassum, on E. Main. Week-end guests of Mr. Wassum were Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Albright and daughter, Patty, of Roanoke; Mrs. Robert Jones and children, Robert and Patty, of Staten Island, N. Y., and Robert C. Wassum of Pulaski.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blanchett were called to Dayton, Ohio, due to the death of her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Willis. Mrs. Willis was the former Myrtle Leonard of Grapeseed.
 Mr. and Mrs. Byron Farris and son, Dick, and wife, of Spokane, Wash., have been guests of Miss Ada Farris on E. Chilhowie St. Mr. Farris, a native of Smyth County, went west in 1913 and this is his first visit back. He finds many changes but says, "It still looks good, only the hills seem closer together."
 Mrs. A. P. Crockett is in Marion General Hospital for treatment.
 Mrs. E. H. Copenhaver has returned from Roanoke Gap where she has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hanes.
 Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Berry and children of Chilhowie were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Snider, during week end.
 Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kirk and son, Dean, Robie Kirk and son, Edward, of Sugar Grove, and Mrs. J. S. Burchette Sr., of Marion spent the week end in Roanoke and Lynchburg Highway visiting relatives and friends.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Yoder had as their guests last week Mr. and Mrs. John D. Lee and son, of Rock Hill, S. C., and Mrs. Yoder's sister, Miss Hilda Cannon of Charlotte, N. C. During the past week end Mr. and Mrs. Yoder visited relatives in Charlotte, N. C.
 Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Hawks, Grady Hawks, Mrs. Barnett Parks and Sue spent the week end in Richmond, visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dakley. Mr. Oakley is recovering from an eye operation. Before returning home Mrs. Hawks and Mrs. Parks were guests of Mrs. Della Aitizer at West Point.
 Miss Carolyn Sheffey has returned from Fredericksburg where she attended the evaluation conference at Mary Washington College.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Martin and daughters, Misses Elizabeth and Helen Martin, and Campbell Burnop were visitors in Abingdon Sunday.
 Mrs. Helen Yates and son,

Billy, of Abingdon, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blankenbecker.
 Orman Parks, who is a patient in Abingdon Hospital, is improving.
 Miss Mary Russell, who has been spending a two weeks' vacation in Baltimore, Md., and Richmond, has returned home.
 Mr. and Mrs. Lewis DeBord of Salem, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer DeBord.
 Mrs. Gladys Wells and Mr. and Mrs. William Tolley and daughter of Bristol, were guests of Mrs. Wells aunt, Mrs. S. L. Alexander, Sunday.
 Miss Margaret Sue Copenhaver returned Monday from a trip thru the New England States. She was accompanied on the trip by Miss Francis Mays of Richmond, Miss Copenhaver and her mother, Mrs. E. H. Copenhaver, left Wednesday for Bluefield and Burkes Garden where they will visit relatives and friends.
 Mrs. William Scheulte and son and daughter, of Ft. Dodge, Iowa, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Dority last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. John S. Copenhaver of Alamogordo, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Copenhaver, of California are visiting relatives in Marion.
 Mrs. T. F. Staley of Bristol, was the week end guest of Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Sclater on Cherry St.
 Mrs. George F. Britton and daughter, Sue, were guests in the home of her mother, Mrs. R. M. Gollehon and Mr. and Mrs. William H. Gollehon at Seven Mile Ford on Tuesday, the 21. The occasion was the celebration of birthday of their mother, Mrs. R. M. Gollehon, who has been sick for sometime, is slowly improving.
 The following members of the Britton family assembled for a picnic and reunion at the home place and residence of

Mr. and Mrs. Julius A. Britton, on Sunday July 14, Rev. and Mrs. J. Robert Stiff and children of Martinsburg, W. Va.; Mrs. W. D. Britton and children of Silver Spring, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. R. Howard Britton and children of Raleigh, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Eller and sons of Chilhowie and Miss June Eller of Roanoke; Mr. and George F. Britton and children of Marion. Dinner was served in buffet style and enjoyed by all. The families of Rev. Mr. Stiff and Howard Britton left for their respective homes on Tuesday morning. Mrs. W. D. Britton and children are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Eller.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bayne Wright and Mrs. Ada Weddle of Pendleton St., spent Sunday in Wise visiting Mrs. Wright's aunt, Mrs. J. A. Harris, Mr. Harris and son, Jamie.
 Mr. and Mrs. Russell Elledge, Mrs. Grant Cook and son, Ronnie, spent the week end in North Wilkesboro, Harmony and Winston-Salem, N. C., visiting relatives.

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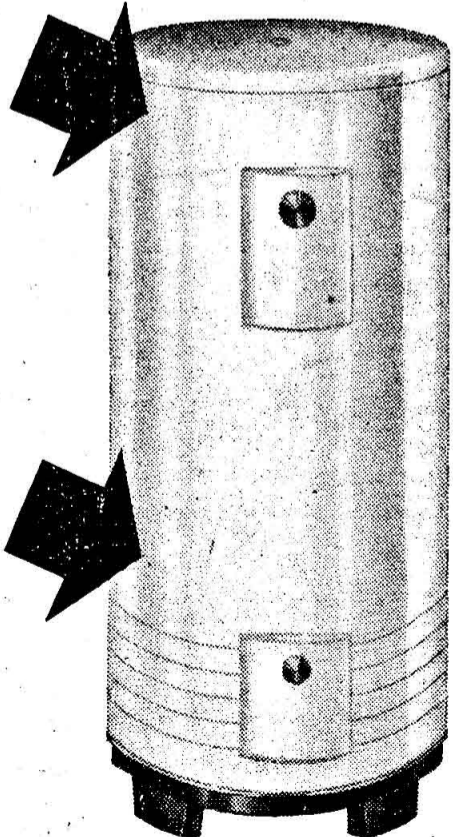
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New York, N. Y., July 22 — The formation of the Matholin Corporation to manufacture, sell and conduct research on hydrazine, one of the most promising of the new commercial chemicals, was announced jointly today by John M. Olin, president of Olin Industries, Inc., and Thomas S. Nichols, president of the Mathieson Chemical Corporation.

Hydrazine is expected to become one of the basic chemicals of the future, with constantly growing applications in almost every field of industrial chemistry. Until recently it has been a laboratory curiosity but some 2,000 derivatives have now been reported. The material, or its derivatives, is being used in medicinal, agricultural, plastic and many other products.

The new company will be owned equally by Olin and Mathieson and will acquire the first commercial-scale hydrazine plant recently completed by Mathieson at Lake Charles, La. Mathieson is one of the country's major chemical producers, and Olin is one of the more diversified of the country's manufacturing enterprises.

MARTIN ROSS LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS

Martin Ross Unit 346, American Legion Auxiliary met with Mrs. Jim Ward Tuesday of this week for the July meeting.

Peggy Sue Slemp gave a report on her trip to Girls' State. She was elected commissioner of revenue of her city, which was Randolph City. Sue received a medal for outstanding citizenship and athletics. She also received one for attendance.

The business session consisted of installation of officers for the coming year. They are president, Mrs. Lena Roberts; vice president, Mrs. Ruth Ashlin; second vice president, Mrs. Dessie Calhoun; secretary, Mrs. Thelma Mabe; treasurer, Mrs. Marie Ward; chaplain, Mrs. Mary Pafford; sergeant-at-arms Mrs. Bethel Currin; historians, Mrs. Thelma Scott and Mrs. Catherine Cox.

There were two visitors, Mrs. M. M. Howell of Norfolk and Miss Sally Scott of Marion and Norfolk, present.

The meeting night has been changed to the third Tuesday night of each month. Pat Medley was sent to Boys' State from the Martin Ross Post 346. He will give a report on his trip at the next legion meeting.

Broadford

MRS. VIRGINIA COE

Broadford, July 24 — Phyllis Mills of Matoaka, W. Va., will be a two weeks' visitor of Jorita Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. (Dick) Harris and five sons of Sacramento, Calif., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Harris. This is their first trip home in about 18 years.

Jessie White, Mrs. George Vestal and Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood White of Richmond were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Shug Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn J. Carter have returned to their home in Albuquerque, N. M., after spending a vacation with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Holloway.

Mrs. Albert Crucey is a patient at the Lee Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Surber of Bristol, Tenn., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brickey.

T. M. Whitely, who was ill during the past week, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Johnnie Brickey and W. T. Gillespie have accepted jobs at Saltville.

Randolph Tolbert, who has been serving with the armed Forces in Alaska, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Tolbert.

Tommy Terry has returned to his job at Superior, W. Va., after having been out last week due to an injury to his leg.

Mrs. Rob Coe was hostess to the WMS of the Church of God Monday night. The summer Bible School began at the church Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Snodgrass and Johnny of Meadowview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gratt Maloyed.

Fred Coe, who has been a patient in the McKee Hospital, has returned home somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore of Maryland are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mash, Opal and Ruby, visited Mrs. George Mash Friday night. Mrs. Mash fell and broke her arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliott and son of Tampa, Fla., are visiting his parents of Saltville and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clear and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Osborne of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Ratcliffe and children were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Null of Saltville.

The Cedars

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The Cedars, July 20 — Mrs. Nora Edmonds, Mrs. Minnie McCoy and Jimmy Billings visited relatives in Beckley, W. Va., last week.

Mrs. M. H. Cullop Jr. and children, Shirley Jean and Anita Diane, have returned home after a week's visit with friends and relatives in Washington, D. C., and Silver Springs, Md.

Mrs. Mae Peake is recovering from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dean and Mrs. Tom Goodman visited relatives in Roanoke last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Russell and John F. Russell of Norfolk were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Goodman and family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bardell and children, Robin and Craig, of Hollidaysburg, Penna., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McAllister and family.

Charles W. Johnson has returned home from the hospital and is getting along nicely.

Possum Hollow

MRS. OSCAR CALL

Possum Hollow, July 20 — Mrs. Gerald Davis of Bristol spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McAllister.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Call and "Mikie" spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Penny Haynes and "Toby" visited Mr. and Mrs. Dave Talbert Sunday.

Mrs. Junior Wyatt of Rural Retreat spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Call.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Olinger and children of Marion spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bill McAllister.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray McAllister recently were Mr. and Mrs. Landon McAllister and family, Mrs. George Coe Mrs. C. O. Tuell of Chilhowie.

Mrs. Deri Johnson, Mrs. Junior Wyatt, Mrs. Walter Call and Sylvia visited Mrs. Oscar Call Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Ralph Martin and son visited Mrs. Walter Call Friday.

Homemakers Items

Here is a safety tip to keep in mind during the canning season — do not handle jars by their lids when removing from the canner. Use a fire basket which will enable you to lift several jars from your canner at the same time. If you do not have such a basket, lift jars from canner with a

clamp lifter that keeps them from slipping.

Keep a damp sponge at hand as you iron. It will help take care of areas on garments that get too dry.

Dust that collects behind pictures often leaves marks on walls. Thumb tacks on the back of pictures at the lower edge hold the pictures away from the wall so the dust does not gather.

To remove discolorations and burns from all cooking utensils, boil tea in them 15 to 20 minutes. Then clean in the usual way.

For cleaning decanters or bottles with small necks, peel and cut a raw potato into small pieces. Put the pieces into the decanter with warm water, shake it vigorously up and down and the bottle will soon be clear. Rice is good also.



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Officers Were Installed For Legion Auxiliary Monday



At the meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary, Smyth County Unit 18, at the Hut Monday evening officers for the coming year were installed. They are, left to right, Mrs. Glenn P. Anderson, president; Mrs. Ellis Calhoun, first vice president; Mrs. Dayton Pennington, proxy for Mrs. Roger Rowland, second vice president; Mrs. Charles Jackson, secretary; Mrs. W. G. Kiser, proxy for Mrs. George Kiser, Jr., treasurer; Mrs. John Burkett, historian; Mrs. L. H. Hubble, chaplain; Mrs. W. S. Catron, proxy for Mrs. Fred White, sergeant at arms. The new officers were presented by past president, Mrs. Frank Copenhaver, who was acting sergeant at arms to Mrs. R. H. Harrington, installing officer. Following the installation service Mrs. Harrington outlined the duty of each officer and Mrs. Anderson expressed her appreciation for having been elected and asked cooperation of each member.

Harris Case Sent To Grand Jury

John P. Harris of Saltville Saturday was bound over to the Grand Jury on charges of assaulting and injuring his 15 year old stepdaughter. The girl and her mother testified that Harris the previous Saturday had beat her with his fists, bursting an ear drum and causing other injuries to her ear. The girl stated that she went to visit the home of her mother and stepfather Saturday morning. (She lives with other relatives.) Harris, the girl stated, was beating her mother and she told him to stop. The man then turned on her, knocking her down with a couple of blows and hitting her two or three times again when she got up, the girl said. The mother told about the same tale, adding that Harris was all right and did not mistreat her except when drinking. He was bound over to the

Grand Jury, with an appearance bond of \$1,000 being furnished by his mother, along with a similar peace bond. A fine of \$25 was levied against a man for speeding, after officers stated that they chased him from the Smyth-Wythe line to Atkins at a 70 mile per hour clip. A neighborhood squabble which has troubled the Furnace Hill community was thrown out of court, with Judge W. V. Birchfield telling the two families involved to leave one another alone. Mrs. Isaac Dunford had brought charges of assault by two children, a boy 13 and a girl 12, who were said to have thrown rocks at her. A bond of \$10 and costs for improper passing was forfeited. Monday's court was a brief affair. Two assault charges were dismissed. Houston DeFriece was charged with assaulting Carmen Hutton by using foul language. Hutton said that DeFriece

came to him recently in a cafe in Marion and started cussing him. DeFriece stated that Hutton was messing in his affairs. He alleged that Hutton was the man who had his two stepdaughters arrested on delinquency charges. Again Judge Birchfield threw the case out, telling the two to stay away from each other. Then Mrs. T. F. Harmon's charges, that Mrs. Sarah Richardson had assaulted her came up for hearing. Mrs. Harmon stated testifying about Mrs. Richardson "commencing" on her. Just what Mrs. Richardson was commencing could never be determined. Deputy Jim Richardson stepped into the picture about that time and cleared up the story. Mrs. Harmon's son and Mrs. Richardson's daughter are married. "The young couple is getting along all right, but this woman, (pointing to Mrs. Harmon) is keeping everything in an uproar all the time," the deputy stated. "Case dismissed," Judge Birchfield stated. That wound up court for the day, no hits, no runs and two errors.

Henrytown

July 20 — Mrs. J. R. Harris and daughter, Lulabelle, and Mrs. Carl Harris and children, Gregory, Steven and Sally, were dinner guests of Mrs. Maude Ray and Betty July 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Kefton Smith and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Smith and son and Mrs. Sam Frye of McCready this week. Buddy had a wreck in War, W. Va., and almost demolished the car, but he had only minor bruises.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hyman and children of Marion and Ohio recently spent the week end with his mother and brother, Mrs. C. H. Hyman and Tom.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Poore and Eunice have moved to Glade Spring.

Buddy Holmes of Plasterco spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Herman Cannon, Mr. Cannon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor and Wade of McCready were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Harris and family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sells and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Smith and children of Ohio visited friends and relatives last week. Mrs. Sam Talbert, the former Miss Attie Hyman, is ill in a hospital in Bristol. She stayed several days at the Thomas K. McKee Hospital in Saltville before going there.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Poore and Eunice of Glade Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Harris and children Sunday evening.

Darlene Cannon spent Friday night at McCready with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor and Wade.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Smith and children and Mrs. Douglas Arnold visited Mr. and Mrs. Junior Odum in Abingdon Sunday.

Jimmy Dawson has returned home from Elizabethton, Tenn., where he spent a vacation with William Yontz. He accompanied him home for a visit. Wiley Smith and "Peeps" Kelly of Saltville were visitors of Jimmy Dawson last week.

Helen Hogston now has a job in Abingdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Borders and children had visitors from Tennessee last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Branson of Cedar Branch recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Smith and family.

Little Carolyn Smith and Miss Peggy Smith spent several nights with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Thompson, of Cedar Branch recently. Mrs. Kefton Smith and child

children visited Mr. and Mrs. Gipson Poore and children of Perryville this week.

Mrs. Howard Woodward, Mrs. Junior Woodward and children, Mr. and Mrs. James Price and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dowell and baby all of Saltville visited their mother, Mrs. L. N. Dowell, this week.

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Seven Mile Ford

Mrs. Harold Walker Seven Mile Ford, July 20 — Miss Margaret Sue Tilson is a patient in Lee Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Howard Litz and daughter, Jane, of Morristown, Tenn., spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Walker. Mr. Litz joined them for the week end. Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walker, Mr. and Mrs. George Walker and Charles and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walker and Gene. Mr. and Mrs. Marjion Tilson of Newport News are visiting

Mrs. A. L. Tilson and family. Mrs. R. M. McGhee was a Sunday dinner guest.

Mrs. Alice Mustain of Broahneal is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Walker.

Mrs. T. B. Rector spent some time with her daughter, Mrs. G. L. Atkins, and Mr. Atkins recently.

Misses Gay and Sibyl Moore spent last week end in Radford and Roanoke.

Mrs. Gene Williams and children of Colorado Springs, Colo. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gollehon and Nancy, Mr. and Mrs.

Ray Palmer and David, attended the Hale reunion at Comers Rock Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Stanley was called to Sturgills, N. C., because of the illness of her father.

Mrs. Martha Hardwick and Miss Lou Hardwick spent the week end in Lebanon.

Eutch Hicks spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Jackson in Rural Retreat.

Mrs. D. H. Rector spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Mast, at Meadowview.

The Young Adult Camp which was scheduled for July 25-26 will not be held because of the polio.

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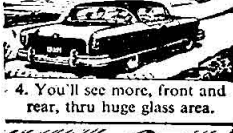
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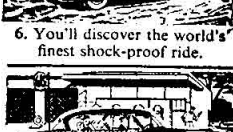
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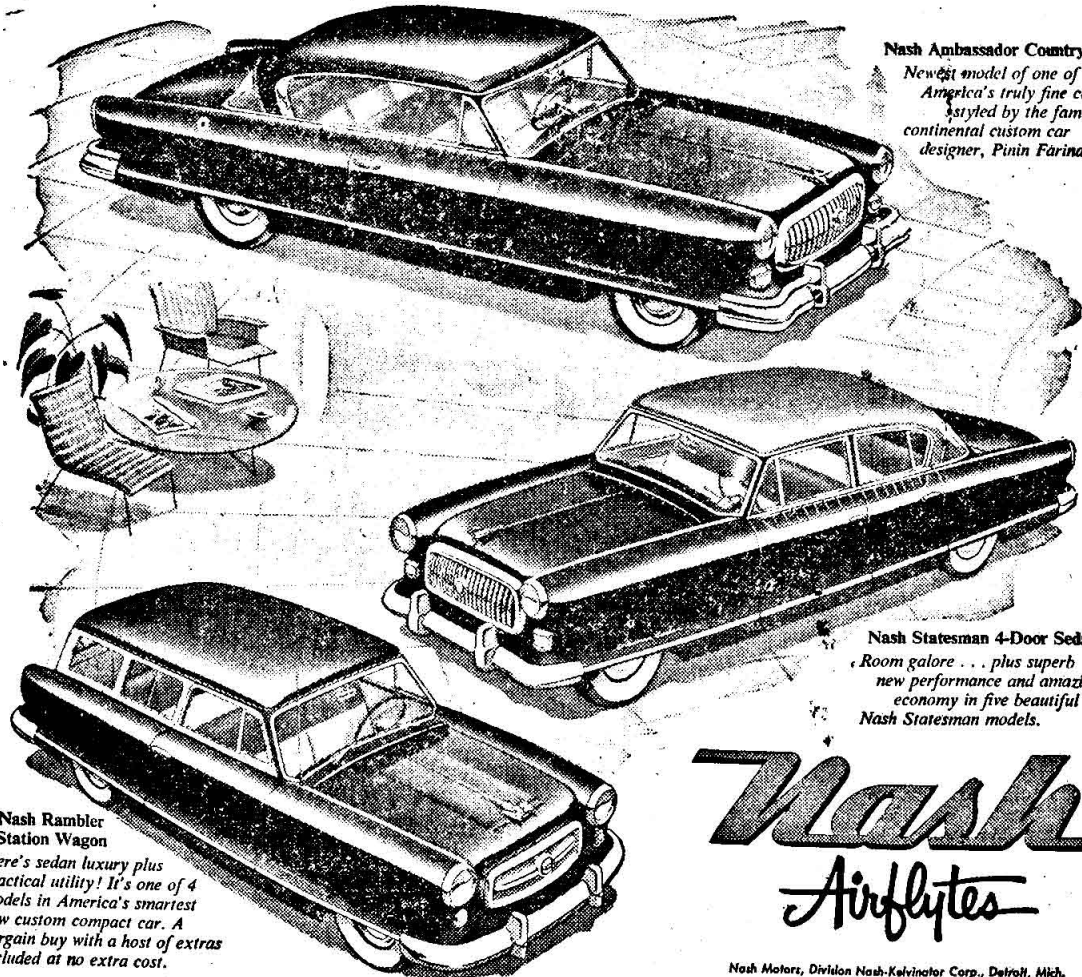
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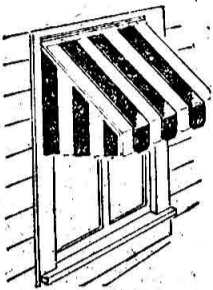
MRS. D. C. COX

Camp, July 20 — Miss Olive Riddell, who is connected with the Missionary work of the Baptist Church, will be at Car-

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mi for a service Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Luther Sample, Honaker, spent a short time at her home here last week. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. R. C. Slomp, Sugar Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Steffy, Chattanooga, Tenn., are spending a few days here with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Coppenhaver.

Dr. and Mrs. John Gordon and daughter, Helen, of Denver, Colo., were guests last week of her mother, Mrs. Leona Sage. The Gordon's went from here to Richmond where they will visit his parents and will go from there to Texas where he will be stationed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mickere, Konova, W. Va., were guests last week of Mrs. J. E. Faulkner.

Charlie Fulton spent a few days last week in Lee Memorial Hospital taking treatment. Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Dutton were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dutton, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Dutton and family, Rural Retreat, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dutton, Charlotte, N. C., and Mrs. Maude Bennington.

A-1c Alfred Cox, Nellis AFB, Las Vegas, Nev., is spending a 30 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Cox.

D. J. Horne is a patient in the veterans hospital at Mountain Home, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Roark were called to Lancaster, Penna., last Friday on account of the serious illness of her aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horne, who have resided in Big Stone Gap where he has been principal of the school for the past several years, have moved to their farm here in the Blue Spring community.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Rutherford and family and Mrs. Lou

Hall attended the funeral of his father, Tom Rutherford, at Volney Saturday. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford accompanied by Ted Brewer spent the day with his mother at her home.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bennington were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jenkins, Tazewell, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Horne and Nancy, Marion, and Mr. and Mrs. Steele Horne, Rural Retreat.

Mrs. Jennie Halsey has returned to her home here after visiting relatives in Grayson County for the past two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cox and family of Fox were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cox.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Haywood were Mr. and Mrs. "Red" Williams and son, Baltimore, Md., Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ratcliff, Pikeville, Ky., and Betty Vaught, Radford.

Sara Wilson, Greenville, Tenn., is spending her vacation here with Mrs. Maude Bennington and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bennington.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Gentry and Mrs. Stella Brewer of Bristol visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Horne and family, Mrs. Kate and Miss Muncy Horne were visiting relatives in Elizabethton, Tenn., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert McWatters of Marlow, Okla., were guests Saturday night of his uncle,

H. B. McWatters, and Mrs. McWatters.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bennington and son, Richard, and Sara Wilson were visiting Miss Wilson's sister in West Jefferson, N. C., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Baumgardner and Mrs. Alice Jenkins were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jenkins, Independence.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Sult and family visited friends in Wytheville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hensley and family were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hawk, Sunday evening.

Allison Gap

MRS. BUFORD CARDWELL

Allison Gap, July 20 — Mr. and Mrs. William Blackwell and children of Cleveland, Ohio, are spending their vacation here visiting relatives and friends. They called on Mrs. Pearl Blackwell last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bise and daughter, Brenda, of North Carolina, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cardwell and family. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Tobe McNew.

Alfred Allison spent last week end in Dublin and Palaski visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Adams and son, Perry, and Miss Zella Haynes are spending their va-

cation in Hot Springs, Ark.

Miss Evelyn Allison, Mrs. Virginia Dare Snodgrass and Mrs. Marilyn Barnard were in Marion last Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Snodgrass and Mrs. Barnard started to school Monday at the Workshop in Marion.

Mrs. Emma Haynes has been sick at her home but is improved at this time.

Mrs. Willie Cardwell also remains ill.

Mrs. Maggie Whillock and daughter, Daphne, of Chilhowie visited friends in the Gap last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Miller spent the night recently in Abingdon with their daughter, Mrs. Edd Akers.

Mrs. Roy Marshall and son, Buddy, spent last week in Augusta, Ga., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Pridney Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall have moved back to their home here.

Miss Thelma Carwell and her father, Libburn, and Carl Osborne spent the past-week end in Baltimore, Md., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cardwell.

Little Sharon Sue Everhart fell and broke her collar bone. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Everhart.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Allison and Mrs. Haynes recently were Mrs. George Frye, their son, daughter and granddaughter of Bluefield, W. Va., Mrs. Violet Moseley of Lake Charles, La., spent a 10 days vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Allison and Mrs. Haynes and other friends and relatives.

Sugar Grove Native Is Killed by Hit And Run Driver

Luther McCarter, 49, a native of Sugar Grove, was killed Sunday night when he was struck by a hit and run automobile on Rt. 50 at Pender.

Mr. McCarter was crippled and used both a cane and a crutch. He lived on Rt. 3, Herndon.

The body was found about midnight by a passing motorist.

A suspect was picked up about an hour later in Arlington. He was a 30 year old District of Columbia man, who was turned over to Fairfax police for questioning.

Police said blood stains were found on the front of the car. The driver, who was released pending further investigation, explained he had hit a dog. Police submitted samples of the blood to the FBI.

Funeral services were held this Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the Valley View Baptist Church with the Rev. Paul Hopkins in charge. Burial followed in

the McCarter Cemetery.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. C. B. McCarter, Sugar Grove; two brothers, Grover McCarter, Forrest Hill, Md., and Donald McCarter, Fairfax; five sisters, Mrs. Bessie Smith, Jefferson, Ohio, Mrs. Virgie Richardson, Jarrettsville, Md., Mrs. Lois Warren, Washington, D. C., Mrs. Nora King and Mrs. Eva Adams, both of Sugar Grove.



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Marion Garden Club to Have Noted Lecturer and Arranger to Workshop

The Marion Garden Club extends an invitation to non-members who are interested in the culture and arrangements of flowers to hear Mrs. George C. Steedman, noted lecturer and arranger of Roanoke, at the workshop meeting Wednesday, July 29, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

A small fee will be charged non-members. Anyone desiring to attend is asked to contact Mrs. J. B. Brockman or Mrs. W. Richardson for more information.

The meeting will be held at the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Steedman suggests that each person attending bring a container, holder, sissors, chicken wire, and any kind of flowers. She says it is better to bring a number of flowers of the same color with different tints and shades than to bring an assortment.

All who attend are expected to bring sandwiches and the hostesses will complete the meal. Hostesses are Mrs. W. J. Andrews, Mrs. Brodie Thompson, Mrs. F. A. Roland, Mrs. T. F. Cox, Mrs. Grant Lindsey, Mrs. C. C. Lincoln and Mrs. W. M. Sclater.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonham Give Party for The Jack Williams

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lee Bonham entertained at their home near Chilhowie Saturday evening with five tables of bridge honoring Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams.

Zinnas, gladioli and other summer flowers were arranged throughout the Bonham home. High score prizes went to Mrs. George Maust and William C. Kelly. Other prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Leslie LaPlace.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams received a gift of handpainted ash trays from the host and hostess.

MRS. STEAGALL IS HONOR GUEST AT CHILHOWIE PARTY

Mrs. John DeBusk entertained at her home in Chilhowie Wednesday afternoon with two tables of bridge honoring Mrs. Henry Steagall of Ozark, Ala. Mrs. J. C. Blankenbecker received the high score prize. Other prizes went to Mrs. J. B. Bonham Jr. and Miss Peggy Smith. The hostess presented Mrs. Steagall with a gift.

DON CORNETT IS HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY SUPPER

A surprise birthday supper was given Tuesday night at Hungry Mother Park, Shelter 1, for Don Cornett of Elkton, Md. Mrs. Cornett was hostess. Present for the picnic supper were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cornett, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cornett and son, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Parks and Mr. and Mrs. Bayne Wright all of Marion and Mr. and Mrs. Estel Cornett and children of Flatridge.

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Dinner Is Given In Honor of John Bise's 83rd Birthday

John H. Bise of Oak Grove was honored Sunday on his 83rd birthday with a dinner at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Keene.

The children of Mr. Bise attending in addition to the Keenes were Mrs. Buster Wyrick and children of New Quarry, Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Bise and children of Oak Grove, Mrs. Mattie Neal of Poore Valley, Will Bise of McComas, W. Va., and Jim Bise of Marion.

Mrs. Charlie Neal of Amonate, who was ill, was unable to attend. Other grandchildren present were Miss Ruth Keene, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Keene and children, Campbell Keene, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gillespie and children, all of Oak Grove; Mr. and Mrs. John Bise of Burkes Garden; Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Harris and son of Amonate.

Friends and relatives attending were Frank Worley, Will Price, June Gillespie, Mrs. J. W. Bise, Mrs. Lula Burgess, Carl French, Mrs. Jimmie Bise, Lloyd Russell and Miss Agnes Maloyed.

Miss Shumate, Bride-Elect, Is Honored

Miss Eleanor Shumate, whose marriage to John Hall has been announced for August 1, was honored with a linen shower last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Hufard Jr., with Mrs. Richard Mercer joint hostess.

A color scheme of green and yellow was used in house decorations and refreshments. The afternoon was spent in playing bridge and canasta. Mrs. Raymond Geoghegan was winner of the prize in bridge and Mrs. A. J. Shumate won the canasta prize. After the gifts were opened, the hostesses served an ice course. There were 20 present.

MRS. BONHAM IS HOSTESS TO CLUB

Mrs. Howard Bonham entertained the Triangle Bridge Club Tuesday evening at her home near Chilhowie with a dinner party followed by bridge.

Mrs. Lee Bonham received the high score prize, Mrs. W. H. Copenhagen Jr., second high, and the other prize was awarded to Mrs. Jack Williams.

A gift was also given to Mrs. Williams, who is moving to Johnson City, Tenn., the first of August by the club members.

NEWCOMER'S CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. ECHOLS

Mrs. W. G. Echols Jr. was hostess to the Newcomer's Bridge Club Thursday evening at her home in Chilhowie.

Mrs. Leslie LaPlace received the high score prize and Mrs. William C. Kelly was given a guest prize.

HARPER REUNION IS HELD IN NORTH HOLSTON

Last Sunday about 75 members of the late A. F. Harper family met at the home of a grandson, A. F. Harper, and Mrs. Harper at North Holston.

A bountiful lunch served on the lawn was enjoyed by many relatives from Belfast, Russell County, where the early Harper family settled. Other members came from Honaker, Bristol, Marion, Chilhowie, Saltville, Abingdon, Salem and Paris Island, S. C.

Marriages

PERKINS-FULLER

Miss Mary Ann Fuller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fuller of Atlanta, Ga., became the bride of Wallace Richard Perkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Dennis Perkins of Marion July 18.

The ceremony was performed by Dr. Monroe F. Swilley Jr. in the First Baptist Church in Atlanta.

The bride wore a gown of ivory satin trimmed in seed pearls and a Brussels lace veil. She carried a Bible topped with white orchids and stephanotis.

Mrs. Henry Burnette of Miami was the matron of honor and the bridesmaids were Misses Ann Alderman and Jack-ques Harrington and Mrs. Alvin Fuller of Miami and Miss Mary Lou Pasley of Decatur. Flower girls were Zoe Ann Irvin and Yvonne Irwin of Cornelia, cousins of the bride.

Duke Fowler of Statesville, N. C., was best man and serving as usher-groomsman were Max Perkins and Robert Hastings of Marion, Leonard Douglas of Winstboro, N. C., Alvin Fuller Jr. of Miami, Owen Kellum and Larry McDonald.

Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Fuller, parents of the bride, entertained at a reception in the church reception hall.

After their wedding trip to eastern resorts the couple will go to Hartford, Conn., for several months before returning to the South.



Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cole of Chilhowie announce the marriage of their daughter, Oscelene Fern, to Glenn Robert Blevins, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Blevins of Crumpler, N. C., June 20 at 4 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. The vows were spoken before the mantel in the living

room, which was decorated with an arrangement of white gladioli and lilies and candelabra holding white tapers.

After a program of nuptial music the Rev. W. H. Simpkins, pastor of the bride, officiated in the presence of the immediate families and relatives.

Girls State Representatives Report To American Legion Auxiliary at Monday Meet

Guests of the American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 18, at the meeting Monday evening at the Hut were students who attended Girls State in Blacksburg last week.

They were presented to the members by Mrs. R. H. Harrington Sr., a member of the Board of Directors of Girls State, and were introduced by Mrs. L. H. Hubble, local chairman. Attending were Elizabeth Wayland, Jennie Jo Pruner, Charlot Parsons, Reva Jean Martin, Susan Francis and Ann Eller. The girls showed enthusiasm about the trip and expressed thanks to the Legion for their sponsorship.

During the business meeting three delegates were elected to attend the 32nd Annual Convention at Roanoke August 13, 14, 15, 16. They are Mrs. Glenn P. Anderson, Mrs. R. H. Harrington Sr. and Mrs. M. L. Greenwood. Alternates are Mrs. L. H. Hubble, Mrs. Dayton Pennington and Mrs. Karl W. Ekstrom.

Installation of officers for the coming year was held. A picture and story of the service appears elsewhere in this paper. Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Fred Davis and Mrs. Bob Davis.

Joyce Love Is Bride of L. R. Snapp



Miss Joyce Love, daughter of Mrs. Dan Love of Chilhowie and the late Mr. Love, and Lee Roy Snapp, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Snapp of Limestone, Tenn., were married July 5 at four o'clock in the afternoon in the Mountain View Methodist Church near Chilhowie.

The Rev. W. H. Simpkins, pastor of the bride, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Ivy, candles and floor baskets of white hydrangea and gladioli were used by church decorations.

A program of nuptial music, with the traditional wedding march, was given by Miss Mary Catherine Edmondson, pianist, and Miss Helen Edmondson, vocalist, who sang "The Sweetest Story Ever Told," "I Love You Truly" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, William Steele Love, of Sutherland, N. C., wore a gown of white satin fashioned with fitted bodice, long sleeves ending in points over her hands and gothic neckline. The full skirt fell into a long circular train. Her full length veil and tiara were of imported French lace. Her only ornament, a necklace, was a gift of the groom. She carried a white Prayer Book, topped with a white orchid showered with white streamers, net and stephanotis.

Miss Elizabeth Love, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Miss Elizabeth Jo Edmondson, niece of the bride, Mrs. A. K. Heptinstall, sister of the bride, and Miss Betty Ann St. John were bridesmaids.

George Blackburn of Blountville, Tenn., college roommate of the groom, served as best

man, and Jack Love and Reid Love, both of Chilhowie, and Robert Love of Pulaski, brothers of the bride, were ushers.

For traveling the bride wore a lavender suit with white accessories and the orchid from her bridal bouquet.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Snapp and H. W. Snapp of Limestone, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Love, Sutherland, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Love, Pulaski, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Heptinstall, Huddleston, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edmondson, Meadowview, Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Edmondson and Miss Martha Bell Edmondson, also of Meadowview, Miss Anita Phipps and mother, Independence, Miss Virginia Price, Pulaski, and Miss Virginia Sutton, Dublin.

GREEK HORNE IS INJURED IN TRACTOR ACCIDENT FRIDAY

Greek Horne of Sugar Grove received chest bruises and injuries to the left leg Friday when his tractor and hay baler overturned.

Mr. Horne was working on the Douglas Suit farm at the time of the accident. He was brought to Marion General Hospital for x-rays but was returned home.

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Charles V. Rice Is Appointed To Smyth FHA Board

Charles V. Rice, Marion, Rt. 2, was appointed this week to the Farmers Home Administration committee for Smyth County, T. Carmel Brown, local supervisor for the agency, announced today.

The appointment was made by R. O. Delano, state director at Richmond.

Mr. Rice is a livestock farmer and long-time resident of Smyth County. His experience in developing a successful family-type farm, Brown said, fits him well for his new assignment in aiding other farmers to do the same. He will serve three years.

Brown explained that the county committee must approve all applications for Farmers Home Administration credit before loans can be made. When a real estate loan is being considered to buy, enlarge or develop a farm or to improve housing and farm buildings, the committee also determines how much the farm is worth as security for the loan.

Advice of the committeemen is sought on good farm management and on the refinancing of Farmers Home Administration loans when borrowers build up enough equity in their property to get credit from local banks or other lenders. Brown added. Farmers who can get private or cooperative credit are not eligible for loans from the agency, he said.

Rice succeeds Parker St. John, a livestock farmer of Smyth County, whose term expired on June 30. Harold J. Stone will continue to serve and one other member will be appointed soon to complete an unexpired term.

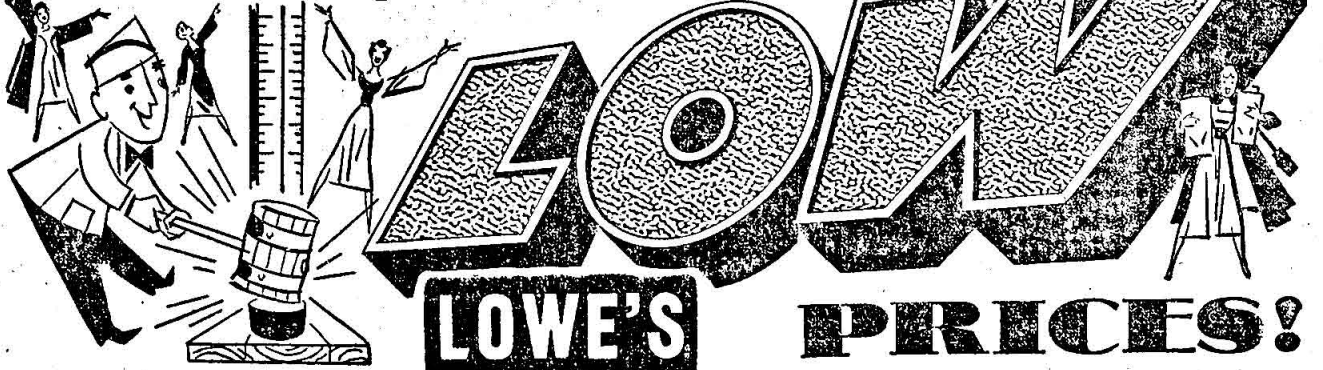
SGT. DeBORD GETS PROMOTION

William E. DeBord, whose wife, Katherine, lives on Star Route, Sugar Grove, recently was promoted to sergeant with the 2d Infantry Division in Korea.

Sergeant DeBord, a member of Service Company of the 9th Infantry Regiment, joined the division in June 1952. He holds the Korean and UN Service Ribbons.

DeBord, son of Mr. and Mrs. William DeBord, Route 2, Glade Spring, entered the Army in 1948.

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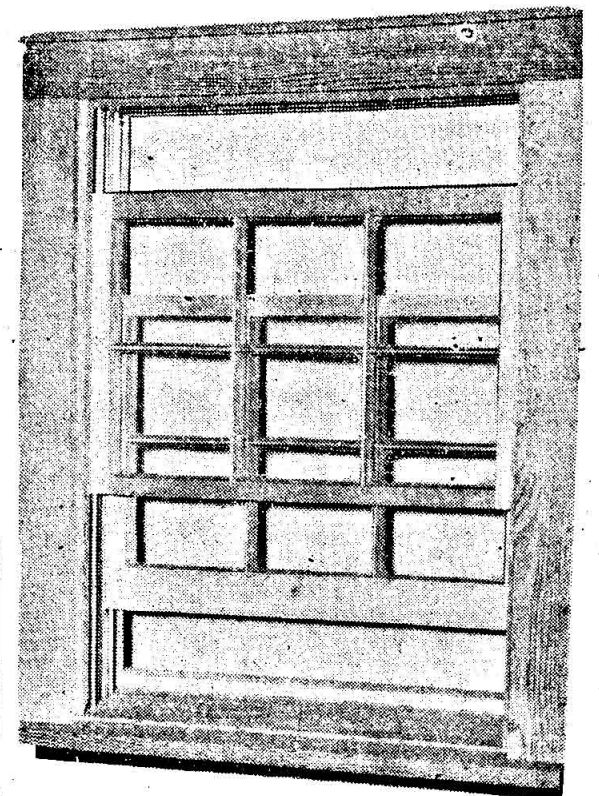
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Rural Retreat, July 20 — Mrs. Wilbur Pearce, Miss Virginia Elaine Pearce and Miss Ophelia Ensor have returned to Sparks, Md., after a visit with relatives.

J. P. Parrish of Alexandria joined Mrs. Parrish Saturday for a trip to Wisconsin. She spent two weeks with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Richmond. Mrs. Charles McGhee and Capt. and Mrs. Sandy Loomis and son of Orlando, Fla., are guests of Mrs. J. N. Cassell. Miss Mary Repass UMBERGER of Woodstock was here for

the week end. Miss Elaine Spence has returned to Alexandria after spending her vacation here. Mr. and Mrs. John Weathers and daughter, Sue, of St. Petersburg, Fla., are visiting the Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Weathers. Bob Wilson of Knoxville spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A.

Cammon. Mr. and Mrs. James Moore of Roanoke are visiting Miss Lelia Hufford. Other week-end guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Witt of Roanoke and Mrs. Philip Gibbs of Lynchburg. Mrs. O. L. Cogburn, Miss Ann and John Cogburn of Roanoke visited friends Sunday.

Patsy Buck Is Bride of A-1c Edmonds



Miss Patsy Gratchie Buck became the bride of A-1c George Thomas Edmonds Thursday, July 9, at 3 o'clock in the First Methodist Church of Marion. The double ring ceremony was performed by Dr. B. T. Sells, pastor. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Buck of Groseclose, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Edmonds of Wytheville.

Miss Betty Jo Buck, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and the Rev. Randolph Armbrister of Wytheville served as best man. After a short wedding trip the couple will make their home in Shreveport, La., where the groom is stationed.

Simmerman attended the Frye reunion held at Cripple Creek at the old Valentine Frye home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Henderlite and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hutton and son visited in the Simmerman home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Spencer and son of Salem were Saturday guests of her grandfather, D. L. Smith, and family. Mrs. Ray Tibbs and daughter

were business visitors in Saltville recently. Mrs. Virgie Guy of Marion visited her father, D. L. Smith, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Dora Armstrong and Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Burkett and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tibbs and family Thursday night. Ray Tibbs visited his sister, Mrs. Foy Tibbs, at Lee Memorial Hospital Saturday. Luther Smith and Earl Overbay went to South Holston Dam fishing Saturday. Mrs. Ray Tibbs and Luther Smith visited Mrs. Foy Tibbs at Lee Memorial Hospital Sunday afternoon.

Sylvester A. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Smith, Saltville, was recently promoted to sergeant while serving in Japan with the 1st Cavalry Division. Smith, a section sergeant in Company F of the 7th Regiment, entered the Army in 1948 and was stationed at Camp Pickett, before his arrival overseas last February. He has among his awards the Good Conduct Medal and the Army of Occupation Medal for service in Germany.

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COUNTY LEVY	
Balance June 30, 1952	17,999.20
Transfer fees	657.00
Land Redemptions	49.97
Sheriff Fees	820.83
Commonwealth Attorney fees	720.11
Board of prisoners	451.40
V. P. A. from State	110,988.26
Reimbursement Hospitalization fr St.	3,423.90
Reimbursement Jail from State	2,667.33
County Taxes Collected	107,401.11
County License	833.95
A. B. C. Profits	64,316.55
County Fines	1,500.00
Rolling Stock — M. V. C.	826.03
Collections — Dog Fund	34.00
Sale of Property — O. A. A.	1,011.25
Old Trial Justices fees	15.34
Photo Copies — Clerk	58.18
Interest on Taxes Collected	77.71
Welfare Dept. Rec. Hospital	187.00
Sale of Adding Machine	50.00
Refund — Freight & Insurance	7.80
Reimbursement State Share F. I. C. Taxes	379.12
Capitation Tax Returned	4,280.00
Sale of Material	35.00
Cancelled checks and warrants	308.35
	318,449.39
COUNTY ADMINISTRATION	
Compensation of Supervisors	1,980.00
Traveling Expenses	110.05
Recording Documents	27.75
Viewers & Surveyors	347.17
Contribution of Library	240.00
Incidentals	1,840.87
Statement and Budget	245.83
Auditing	900.00
Printing	6.00
F. I. C. A. Cont. Fund	744.43
Bldg. Materials & Supplies	1,387.83
Dues & Subscriptions	250.00
	8,079.93
COMMISSIONER OF REVENUE	
Compensation of Commissioner	3,333.37
Deputies	2,371.99
Stenographer	1,516.64
Mileage	178.69
Stationery & Office Supplies	190.77
Postage & Drayage	159.59
Surety Bond	7.00
Extra Help	318.85
	8,074.93
TREASURER	
Compensation of Treasurer	3,999.97
Office Deputy	1,540.00
Field Deputies	356.66
Stenographer	1,166.67
Stationery & Office Sup.	1,483.16
Postage	509.47
Surety Bond	21.68
Advertising De. Land	42.08
Rec. Del. Land	29.15
	9,148.84
COUNTY CLERK	
Compensation of Clerk	1,950.00
Stenographer	450.00
Stationery & Office Sup.	1,287.36
Postage	160.77
Freight	7.29
Unclassified	2,881.59
	6,737.01
CIRCUIT COURT	
Compensation of Judge	1,638.43
Jurors	563.40
Jury Commissioners	85.00
Court Library	90.00
Stenographer	61.00
Rent, Contr. of Accounts	165.00
	2,602.83
ATTORNEY FOR THE COMMONWEALTH	
Compensation	2,645.00
Stenographer	450.00
Rent	300.00
	3,395.00
TRIAL JUSTICE	
Stationery & Office Sup.	399.29
Postage	32.73
	432.02
POLICE & INVESTIGATION	
Compensation of Sheriff	1,666.68
Deputies	4,158.10
Clerk	349.99
Coroner	300.00
Cook & Jail Matron	322.01
Telegraph & Telephone	59.69
Traveling Expenses	2,277.88
Surety Bonds	38.33
Stationery & Office Sup.	1,020.43
Postage	14.41
Fuel	534.87
Food	1,938.25
Disinfectants	85.95
Unclassified	2,504.30
Bedding	112.65
Electric Current	154.81
Doctors	248.25
Fuel for Cooking	211.60
	15,998.20

FIRE PREVENTION & EXTINCTION	
Extinction	745.28
PUBLIC WELFARE	
Pay of Board	300.00
Fairview Home	2,149.07
Institutional Relief	9,082.23
T. B. Appropriation	500.00
Medicines for Indigents	66.15
Travel, Expr.-Board Members	
Fairview Home	25.66
	12,123.11
LUNACY COMMISSIONS	
Compensation of Members	387.50
PUBLIC HEALTH	
Health Officers	3,900.00
Vital Statistics	326.00
	4,226.00
AGRICULTURE & HOME ECONOMICS	
Compensation of Agent	1,500.00
Compensation of Assistant Agent	1,200.00
Comp. of Home Dem. Agent	999.96
Unclassified	10.50
	3,710.46
ELECTIONS	
Comp. of Election Officials	2,544.20
Printing	578.05
Incidentals	17.16
Laborers	4.00
Rent	99.00
Voting Lists	459.85
	3,696.26
BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS	
Janitor	2,100.00
Electric Current	613.93
Repairs & Supplies	755.54
Telegraph & Telephone	1,019.34
Insurance	15.00
Fuel	551.90
	5,055.71
SCHOOLS	
Comp. of Superintendent	1,399.92
Transferred to Schools	64,316.55
	65,716.47
MISCELLANEOUS	
Transferred to Public Welfare	135,431.80
Sheriff fees paid State	13.04
	135,444.84
Transferred to Library Fund	750.00
Total Disbursements	318,449.39
Balance on hand July 1, 1953	82,123.03
COURT HOUSE & JAIL IMPROVEMENT	
FUND	
Balance on hand July 1, 1952	32,117.72
Interest	200.00
	32,317.72
Disbursements	14,636.23
Balance on hand July 1, 1953	17,681.49
DOG FUND	
Balance on hand July 1, 1952	2,727.36
Taxes Collected	6,945.75
	9,673.11
CONTRA	
Game Warden	1,500.00
Deputy Game Wardens	1,016.66
Postage & Printing	60.96
Tags & Record Books	146.00
Paid State	1,041.86
Telegraph & Telephone	72.19
Rabies Treatment	178.74
Livestock Claims	2,268.00
Unclassified	34.92
F. I. C. A. Contr. Fund	54.27
	6,373.60
Balance on hand July 1, 1953	2,299.51
DAMAGE STAMP FUND	
Receipts Sales of Stamps	3,967.60
CONTRA	
Postage & Printing	238.96
Claims	839.00
Incidentals	604.50
	1,682.46
Balance on hand July 1, 1953	2,285.14
SUMMARY OF BALANCES	
County Fund	32,123.03
Dog Fund	3,299.51
C. H. & Jail Improvement Fund	17,681.49
Damage Stamp Fund	2,285.14
	55,389.17

Groseclose
Groseclose, July 20 — Misses Jo Ann Maxey, Eva Pierce and Jeanette Dutton spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Shirley Tester. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Butterworth left Saturday for their home in Norfolk after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Dutton and other relatives and friends. Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Welch were Mrs. W. M. Wright, Mabel Wright and Tony Cole of Oakland, Mrs. Lacy Gravett and family of Winchester, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Welch of Red Lion, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Uyless Hicks and family of Norrisville, Md. Mr. and Mrs. Garland Buck and family and Mrs. E. B. Welch have returned home after spending their vacation visiting relatives in Pennsylvania, Maryland and Washington, D. C. Mrs. Elizabeth Lundy has returned to Adwolve where she is employed, after spending a few weeks' vacation at her home. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ross and Miss Eva Pierce visited Misses Alice and Denton Haga at Flatridge Monday night, where the body of the Misses Haga's brother, Claude, who died in the Lee Memorial Hospital Sunday, remained until the funeral Tuesday. Omar Ross of Emory recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ross. Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Simmerman and family spent last Sunday in Dublin visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Henderlite and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hutton. Pvt. Don Stowers, who spent a few days furlough before reporting for overseas duty, was a Friday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ross. Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of Saltville spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Maxey. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kirby of Roanoke and Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Kegley and Mrs. Nancy Simmons and daughter, Susan, of Pulaski visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Splanger and Mr. and Mrs. James Steffey Sunday. Mrs. R. K. Harden spent Sunday with Mrs. Blanche Jones. Mrs. C. B. Ashworth and Mrs. Richard Reedy gave a surprise birthday party for Mrs. C. H. Reedy Sunday. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Ferguson and son, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Whalen and son of Wytheville, Mr. and Mrs. William McCoy and family of Blacksburg, Mrs. Lelia Whalen and family of Speedwell, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Cox and family of Camp, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rash and family of Speedwell, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Perkins and Miss Louise Fielder of Wytheville. Miss Decky Steffey has been ill for several days. Steward Harden has returned home after being a patient in Lee Memorial Hospital for some time. Mrs. Mack Tukenberry and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nelson and sons of Detroit, Mich., visited in the Simmerman home Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Simmerman and family and Charles

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Pagetown, July 20 - Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Davidson and family were: Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Davis and daughters, Dorothy and Evelyn, of Dayton, Ohio, Mrs. Sue Hess and children of Marion; Mrs. W. R. Griffey of Walkers, Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Call and son, Mike, of Possum Hollow, and Mrs. Lula Doane of Quarry.
Miss Sue Tuggle spent Sunday with her brother, Hick, at Chilhowie.
Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Tuggle and son spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. Cara Keen, the past week.
Mr. and Mrs. George D. Snow and son, Dayton, called on Mr. Jess Snow at Cleghorn Valley Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keese and family of Maryland visited Mr. and Mrs. Walker Bice the past week.
Mr. and Mrs. James Snow and family were Sunday guests

Who's Who in Smyth

MRS. ROBERT DUTTON, 43, has a loyalty to her Fulton WSCS which is far beyond the average. Mrs. Dutton has not missed a single meeting of the organization since she joined 25 years ago. "The home is first and the church second in my life," she says. "These two are the foundations of our country. The rest is built from these two points and where we go is determined by the strength of these foundations." Mrs. Dutton has taught Sunday School and has been president of the WSCS. At present she is vice president of the organization. Besides her church work, Mrs. Dutton also takes a big part in community affairs. "We must all stand ready to help each other at all times and life in our respective communities is much better and more pleasant as the result of our community activities," she says. She belonged to the Kimberlin Home Demonstration Club for several years and at one time was president of that organization also. Mrs. Dutton is known all over the Kimberlin community as a good neighbor. When anyone is sick or in trouble the neighbors all say "Go see Mrs. Dutton. She can help you." And she always does. A little job here, a small favor there has made her one of the standbys in her community - just another example of her belief in her home and church. She attended grade school in the Kimberlin community and high school at Rural Retreat. A lifelong resident of Smyth, she has been married 27 years and has two children.


\$1,071 Collected By Marion Police During Past Month
A total of \$1,071 was collected in fines in Marion during the month of June, the mayor's report to Town Council last Friday night revealed. In addition, costs collected totaled \$54. Six persons were found guilty or pled guilty of driving under the influence charges, paying fines of \$100 and forfeiting driving privileges for 12 months. They were Ray M. Bond, Kingsport, Tenn.; Fred Martin, Marion; J. C. King, Marion; Ford Sage, Marion; Albert Dalton, Marion, and James Robbins, Chilhowie.
THREE SMYTH GIRLS ENROLL IN COLLEGE
Three Smyth County girls have been admitted to Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia, school officials announced this week. The girls will begin their college work this September. They are Miss Kitty Sue Rice of Chilhowie; Miss Billie Gene Carter of Nebo, who graduated from Ashley Hall, Charleston, S. C., this past spring and Miss Mary Anne Atkins of Marion, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Atkins and a graduate of Marion High School.
PVT. EARL ELLER COMPLETES TRAINING
Pvt. Earl E. Eller, son of Mrs. Bertha Eller, Rt. 2, Chilhowie, completed basic training recently at the Medical Replacement Training Center. At MRTC, the Army's basic training school for medical enlisted men, he has received eight weeks of basic infantry training and eight weeks of medical training.

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New Quarry and Oak Grove, July 20 - Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Poe of Marion visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Callihan Sunday.
Master Paul Jones has returned from the Saltville hospital much improved. He has been a patient there for several days.
Mr. and Mrs. Bayne Wright and Mrs. Ada Weddle of Marion visited Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Bise and family Sunday afternoon.
Miss Doris Bise is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harris, in Wise. Miss Peggy Bise, who visited them last week, returned home Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Lilburn Frye and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harris and children Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones and children visited friends in Tennessee last Sunday.
Miss Marie Tuggle is ill in the Thomas McKee Hospital, Saltville.
David Doane remains ill. Mrs. Bill Haulsee and son,

New Cove
JANET ROBERTS
New Cove, July 20 - Mr. and Mrs. Berkley Surber and family visited recently his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Surber.
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Buchanan were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pratt

FOUR SMYTH WOMEN TO ATTEND STATE HOME DEMONSTRATION MEETING
Mrs. J. B. McCarty, Marion, state federation safety goal chairman; Mrs. Z. M. K. Fulton, Atkins, district six federation chairman; Mrs. Essie Bonham, Chilhowie, county home demonstration committee chairman; and Mrs. W. H. Pugh, Mt. Carmel, president of Mt. Carmel club will attend the annual State Home Demonstration meeting at Blacksburg July 29 to August 1.
Others to attend the meeting will be the county agents and the assistants. There will be many speakers from various parts of the state.

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NEWS of CHURCHES

Campmeeting Slated In Saltville Aug. 13-20

The first two days of the state camp meeting to be held in Saltville August 13-20 will be devoted to missions. It was stated this week by Miss Eula Lee Haynes, president of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Church of God in Virginia.

Outstanding speakers will be Miss Mae Robinette of Broadford and Mrs. C. P. Conley of Wise.

Dr. J. Turner Wilson of Fredericksburg will install the newly elected state officers of the Woman's Missionary Society at 6:30 p. m. Thursday, August 13.

To climax the day Thursday, a missionary film entitled "They Are a Great Host," will be shown in the Allison Gap schoolhouse at 9:30 p. m. This

film depicts the beginning of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Church of God, telling of the progress that has been made down through the years.

The camp meeting speaker for all night services during the week and general day services will be the Rev. J. W. Lykins of Kentucky, of whom it has been said, "He is a little man, but a giant in the pulpit!"

A large tent which will be placed on the Allison Gap school campus has been secured for these meetings. The public is invited to attend all services throughout the day from the 6:30 a. m. prayer service through the 7:30 p. m. general services.

Smyth People To Attend Convention In Leesville

The Church of God of Prophecy will hold its annual state convention near Leesville, Bedford County, July 29 through August 2.

The site for the state meeting will be the state camp ground owned by the church. The camp ground includes a tabernacle, a large dormitory for meals, sleeping quarters and buildings, each containing 60 rooms for delegates.

Several delegates from District 2, composed of Smyth, Washington, Russell and Tazewell Counties, are expected to attend this convention.

The Church of God of Prophecy has four churches in Smyth County, one of which is in Marion on Pendleton Street. Ina Mae Gentry is pastor of this church. Ministers from this area attending the convention will be Mrs. Mae Lutterul, Mrs. E. B. Gentry, Mrs. Victoria Joyce, H. H. Phipps, Vernon M. Lawson, Roy Prather, Lloyd Bell, D. F. Ratcliffe, John Taylor, Ella Taylor and the Rev. Albert J. Linville, district overseer of District 2 of Bristol.

Sugar Grove WMC Meets with Mrs. Howard Hutton

The Women Missionary Union of the Sugar Grove Baptist church met with Mrs. Howard Hutton at her home last Friday night.

Mrs. Ella Ross, president, was in charge of the business, and Mrs. Rudolph Earnest was program leader.

The topic "Lifting The Leper" was discussed by Mrs. Cullen Cox, Mrs. Dora Shupe, Mrs. Edd Surface, Mrs. Januita Anderson, Mrs. Howard Hutton, Mrs. Lora Hutton, Mrs. Anne Parson, Miss Erma Shupe, Miss Melvina Parks and Mrs. Ella Ross.

Mrs. Lora Hutton will entertain the group at the August meeting.

The hostess served refreshments to 16 members.

David R. Ednie Lists Gospel Chapel Services

The Rev. David R. Ednie, pastor of Gospel Chapel of Marion, announces the following services.

The Lord's Supper will be observed Sunday morning at 9:45 with the morning worship service at 11 a. m. The topic of the sermon will be "Noah's Ark as a Type of Christ".

The evangelical service will be held Sunday evening at 7:30 with the pastor in charge. Prayer meeting and Bible study will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30. The topic of the study will be Philippians Chapter 2.

Friday evening at 7 o'clock the children will meet. Flannelgraph stories of the New Testament will be given.

Elizabeth Chapel WSCS Meets Friday

The WSCS of Elizabeth Chapel met with Mrs. W. H. Meek Friday night in Rye Valley.

Mrs. Scott Meek was leader of the group. "Laborers for Christ" was the topic studied.

Mrs. Meek was assisted by Mrs. I. C. Choate, Mrs. Ted Calhoun and Mrs. W. M. Campbell.

There were 14 members present and two new members enrolled.

Misses Evelyn and Iona Griffiths will entertain the group in August, and Mrs. W. H. Meek will arrange the program.

Adventists to Observe Education Week End

Saturday will be Education Day for Seventh-Day Adventist Churches throughout the world.

The denomination operates 4,325 elementary schools throughout the world and 269 schools above the elementary level. There are 16 Seventh-Day Adventist colleges in North America.

The week-end services will be as follows: Friday, 7:45 p. m., the Youth People's Society; Saturday, 9:30 a. m. Sabbath School and 11 a. m. the worship hour. The pastor will speak at the worship hour.

Ladies Council Meets In Chilhowie Thursday

The Ladies Council of the Chilhowie Christian Church met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Dewey Lawson.

Mrs. Lloyd Hale led the program which was titled, "Helped and Happy."

Norris to Preach At Hooks Branch

Elder Claude Norris will preach at the Hooks Branch Baptist Church in Marion this Sunday at 7:30 p. m.

Church officials state that everyone is invited to attend the service.

Mountain View WSCS Has Regular Meeting

Mrs. J. B. Brewer was hostess to the WSCS of the Mountain View Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon at her home with Mrs. Edward Brewer assisting hostess.

The program, which was led by Mrs. Sam Clark, was a study of "Laborers for Christ." Others on the program were: Mrs. R. M. Widner, Mrs. Bradley Duncan, Miss Hazel Bishop, Mrs. J. B. Brewer and Mrs. Edward Brewer.

Mrs. J. B. Brewer, president, conducted the business session.

During the social hour refreshments were served to the 12 members present by the hostesses.

The Rev. Roy Redding Lists Week's Schedule

The Rev. Roy W. Redding will continue to conduct the Quebec Vacation Bible School throughout this week, with a closing program planned for 7:30 p. m. Friday.

The Old Fashioned Valley Bible School will have a closing program this Saturday at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Redding is also conducting this school.

A Vacation Bible School will be conducted at Linkous Chapel July 27 through August 1, at 7:30 p. m. with a closing program scheduled Saturday at 7:30 p. m.

The Rev. Mr. Redding will preach at Castle Run Sunday at 11 a. m., at Poore Valley at 2:30 p. m. and at Palestine Baptist Church at 7:30 p. m.

South Fork Baptist Services Announced

Sunday School will begin at 10 o'clock this Sunday morning at the South Fork Baptist Church.

The Rev. Neil Blankenbecker will conduct the morning worship service at 11 a. m. this Sunday.

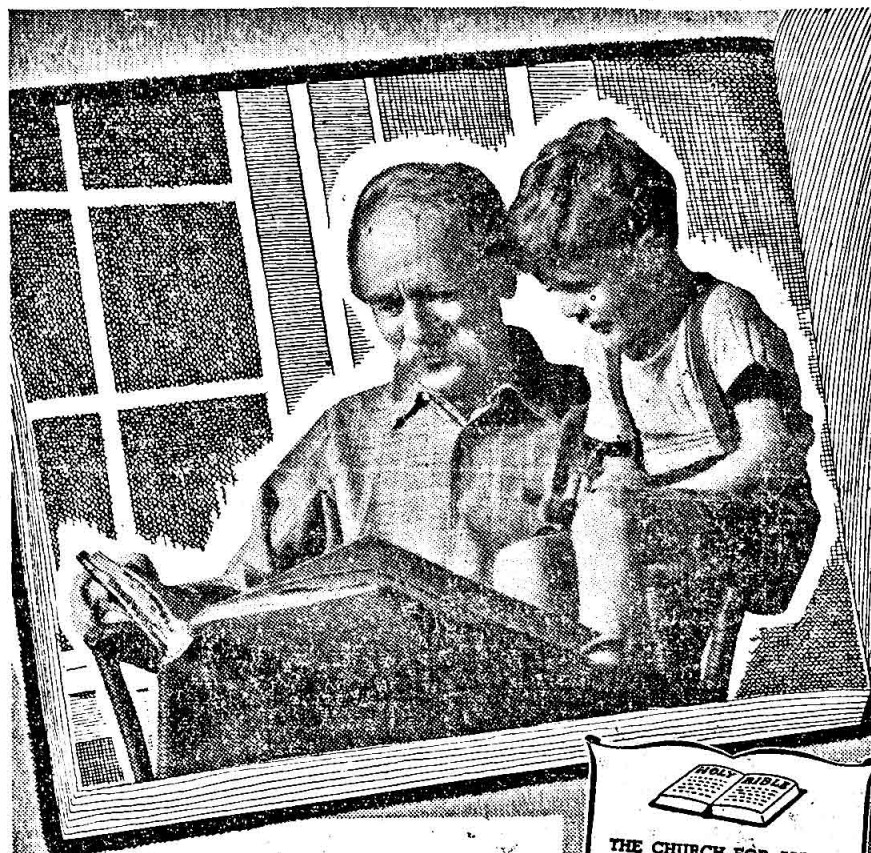
Prayer services begin at 8 p. m. each Thursday at the church and are also conducted by the Rev. Blankenbecker.

Revival Begins This Sunday At Cedars Church.

The Rev. Kermit Childress will begin a revival at the Cedar Baptist Church Sunday night at 7:30.

He will be assisted by the pastor, the Rev. C. C. McKinon; the Rev. Jessie Barlow will be in charge of the singing.

The public is invited to attend these services.



GRANDPA'S SCRAPBOOK

It's all there—in Grandpa's Scrapbook. The story of his life. His baptismal certificate, the newspaper clipping about his kicking that winning field goal, the now-yellowed wedding invitation, the snapshot of their house-warming, the announcement of Mama's birth, the blue ribbon that Grandpa's steer won at the county fair.

And, on a page all by itself, is a Children's Day program from our little Church, the day I sang "Jesus Loves Me" with Danny Andrews!

Grandpa always says, "That's the page I like best. It's a blessing to know yer grandson is goin' in the right direction."

And then with a far-away look in his eyes he says, "You keep up yer fine work in Sunday School, Lad. Whether yer kickin' a field goal, or plantin' yer corn, or servin' God in yer own humble way—you have to keep goin' in the right direction!"

THE CHURCH FOR ALL... ALL FOR THE CHURCH

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For the sake of his community and nation. (3) Which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Deuteronomy	11	13-21
Monday	Ezekiel	34	7-16
Tuesday	Luke	8	4-15
Wednesday	I Corinthians	15	35-58
Thursday	Galatians	6	1-10
Friday	I Thessalonians	4	7-18
Saturday	I Timothy	3	1-16

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Rye Valley

MRS. S. C. HUTTON
CALL SUGAR GROVE 288
Rye Valley, July 20 — Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilson and Mrs. Joseph B. Wilson of Ohio visited Mrs. Wilson's sister, Mrs. Ellis M. Calhoun, and Mr. Calhoun the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Calhoun and son, Bob, of Huntington, W. Va., recently attended the homecoming at Teas and spent several days in the Valley visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Haulsee and Mrs. Tom Haulsee and children, Tommy, Blake and Mabel, of Sykesville, Md., visited relatives in the Valley last week.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Ella Ross were the Rev. Henry Colvard and daughter, Carolyn, of Lenoir, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Cox, Mrs. Winnie Slemple and granddaughter, Miss Kitty Umberger, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Philippi and son.

Mrs. Robert Testerman, Misses Jeanie Brown and Patsy Medley spent the week end with Mrs. Halla Eller.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Kirk of Oklahoma City, Okla., were last Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Ward.

Mrs. M. M. Howell of Norfolk was also a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Thursday.

Mrs. W. B. Calhoun, Mrs. Ted Calhoun and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Calhoun attended the Cox reunion at Glenwood Methodist Church, near Galax, Sunday.

Riverside

MISS NANNIE WILSON
Riverside, July 20 — Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wolfe and children of Orlando, Fla., are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfe, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Wolfe and children of Mountain City, Tenn., were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Wolfe. Mr. Wolfe, who has been ill, is much improved.

Miss Minnie Rouse and Glen were guests of Miss Ruby Mort and Mr. and Mrs. Preston Buchanan of Bristol July 5.

Mrs. Stella Blackwell is a patient in George Ben Johnson Hospital, Abingdon, where she will undergo an operation.

Mrs. Ethel Bobbitt and Mrs. Pearl Burkett are guests of their sisters, Mrs. Bessie Wyatt and Mrs. J. M. Bishop, and family.

Miss Minnie Rouse and Glen Rouse visited relatives and friends in Tennessee last week: Mrs. Winnie Anderson Styke, Mrs. Fannie Dinkins Smith, Mrs. Belle Rouse Parrott, Mrs. Nannie Rouse Dickerson, Mrs. J. B. Rouse, Walter Rouses, Sam Rouses Hunter Rouses, Mrs. Nola Dinkins Jones, Mrs. Nodie Rouse Holt, Mrs. Minnie Anderson Rouse, Mrs. Billie Dinkins, Mrs. Melvin Hash, Mrs. A. D. Owens, Mrs. Kathleen Litz Hale, Mrs. Vergie Rouse Snodgrass and her three sons and families, Mrs. Docie Anderson Smith, the Love Anderson's, Rush Anderson's, Mrs.

Della DeBord, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Needham and the Bill Rouses. These relatives with relatives from Virginia, West Virginia, and Illinois will hold a reunion at Glenwood Park near Bluefield July 24, 25 and 26th.

Mrs. Wayne and Genevieve Dutton of Athens, Ohio, were guests last week of Miss Nannie and David Wilson.

The Rev. Mr. Neil Blankenbecker, of Marion, Rt. 3, has accepted the pastorate of Riverside Baptist Church, with services at 11 a. m. on the first and third Sunday morning, at 8 p. m. the second and fourth Sunday evening and prayer service on Wednesday evenings at 8 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Rouse Jr. and Edith Hash are visiting Mrs. Myrtle Hash Sturgill at Yorktown and Dr. C. A. Rouse in Richmond.

Mrs. R. V. Tucker was hostess to the WMS of Riverside Church Sunday afternoon at her home. The theme of discussion was "Leprosy," led by Miss Ruth Echoles, assisted by several of the members. After a business session Mrs. Tucker served refreshments during the social hour.

The Bible School enrollment was 57 with a daily average of 46. Beautiful handmade garments and sheets were made for White Cross Work in Africa. The offering was given to Oak Hill Academy.

\$12,000 Raised for Church At Chilhowie Homecoming

Over \$12,000 in contributions and pledges was raised Sunday at the "Homecoming" of the Chilhowie Baptist Church to be used in the construction of the proposed new church building.

A large crowd attended the special services, which were held on the site of the future church. The morning speaker was the Rev. Hugh Huff, president of the Baptist Orphanage in Salem.

A picnic lunch was served, after which special music was given by quartets from the community and also from Boone, N. C.

Charles Goodman, chairman of the Finance Committee of the building fund, gave a report of money on hand and pledges received. Jackson Sherwood of the paining committee stated that the new church building would be started soon with the expectation of its being completed by the end of the year.

Committees for the church building are: planning, A. B. Farmer, W. G. Echols Jr., Jackson Sherwood, Clarence Peake and Mrs. Laxton Eller; finance committee, Charles Goodman, Mrs. Gale Faris, Paul McKee, James Wheelless, and Gordon Echoles; sub-committee, Lester Brown, O. V. Sturgill and Phillip Crutchfield.

The Rev. Carl Triplett is pastor of the church.

Blue Springs WSCS Has Sunday Meeting With Mrs. Copenhaver

The Woman's Society of Blue Springs Church met at the home of Mrs. C. S. Copenhaver Sunday afternoon with Mrs. D. C. Cox as program leader.

Others taking part on the program were Mrs. J. S. Bennington, Mrs. Mary Horne and Miss Sara Roe. The program was concluded with prayer by Mrs. Colbert.

The group was very glad to have with them three members who have moved from this community. They were Mrs. Ruth Jenkins, Tazewell; Mrs. Bess Horne, Rural Retreat; and Mrs. Mary Horne, Marion.

After the program refreshments were served by the hostess.

Blue Springs Church To Have Homecoming Service August 9

The Blue Springs Church at Camp will hold its annual homecoming at the church August 9.

Persons living away who have been interested in the church, as well as everyone in the community, are especially invited to attend by church officials.

A picnic lunch will be served.

Chilhowie Christian Endeavor Has Meeting

Members of the Christian Endeavor of the Chilhowie Christian Church had a social and watermelon feast Tuesday evening at the church with 25 members present.

Miss Vivian Bland gave a devotional program. Following the program games were enjoyed by the group, led by Mrs. Desmond Cole. Miss Nancy Keesee was in charge of arrangements.

Rural Retreat Women Meet

The Women of the Rural Retreat Presbyterian Church met at the church last Wednesday evening for the regular meeting.

A patriotic program "Our Nation for Christ" was given by Miss Mary Kremer Kernan of Petersburg and Mrs. Robert Wilson of Knoxville, who are spending the summer here.

The church was decorated with flags and patriotic hymns were used. The leader traced the Christian growth of our nation from the landing of the Mayflower to the present time.

During the business session reports were heard from cause secretaries. The meeting closed with prayer.

Dr. Staley Will Speak to WSCS This Friday

Dr. J. Stuart Staley will be guest speaker for the regular monthly meeting of the Broadford Charge WSCS to be held this Friday evening 8 p. m. at the New Cove Church.

All members from the eight churches on the charge are asked to attend.

Roy Redding to Preach At Lincoln Hill Church

The Rev. Roy W. Redding will be in charge of the evening service this Sunday at 7:30 at the Lincoln Hill Baptist Church.

Sunday School will be held this Sunday at 10 a. m. and will be followed by morning worship conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Robert Lyons.

Prayer service is held at the church at 7:30 each Thursday evening.

Bible School to Be Conducted at Rye Valley Next Week

A Bible School will be conducted at Elizabeth Chapel beginning Monday at 9 a. m. and continues through Friday July 31.

Mrs. J. W. Colbert will be in charge. All children in the community are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe Entertain Their Class

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wolfe, entertained the Willing Workers Class of the Chilhowie Christian Church Monday evening at their home in Chilhowie.

Mrs. Desmond Cole gave the devotional study. Class President W. Henry Copenhaver discussed plans for a membership drive with each member taking part in the proposed plan.

Davis Memorial Young People To Have Supper Friday

The young people of the Davis Memorial Methodist Church of Atkins will sponsor an ice cream supper this Friday evening at 6:30 in the Atkins school auditorium.

Pies, cakes, candy, hot dogs and drinks will also be sold.

Officers of the organization invite the public to attend.

McCready WSCS Meets With Mrs. J. F. Clear

The McCready WSCS met with Mrs. J. F. Clear Sr. July 15.

Topic of program was "Laborers for Christ."

Mrs. Early Blackwell was program leader, and Mrs. Walter Talbert had the devotion.

Others taking part on the program were Mrs. Bill Blackwell, Mrs. W. H. Hogston and Mrs. Tony Talbert.

Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Roland's Creek

MRS. EARL WARD
Roland's Creek, July 20 — Mrs. Bryant Baker and grandchildren, Betty and Eddie, from Vero Beach, Fla., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Isom Burchett.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee DeBord and family from Lancaster, Penna., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie DeBord.

Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Blevins are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blevins.

Roby Richardson visited Mrs. Homer Clearly at Trout Dale Sunday.

Mrs. Roby Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Medley visited Mr. and Mrs. Vick Neitch Sunday.

Lorena Ward, Mary Ellen, Willena and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Parsons were dinner guests of Mrs. Juanita Parsons and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Owens and family, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Dempsey, all of Chilhowie, visited Mrs. Bud Myers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ward and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Tedder and family in Abingdon Sunday.

Zeb Richardson visited Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rowland Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Tilson was the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ward.

Miss Riddell Speaks To South Fork WMS

Miss Olive Riddell led a mission study class when the South Fork WMS met at the home of Mrs. I. M. Sturgill Friday evening.

The title of her discussion was "The Holy Spirit in Missions."

Miss Riddell, a former missionary to China, now serves as a WMS official for the Lebanon Association.

I do not agree with a word you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it

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OUR PRODUCTS

This week end the Smyth County Arts and Crafts Festival is showing at the Recreation Center in Marion. Next month the Rich Valley Fair and the Rye Valley Fair will be in full swing, with big exhibits scheduled at both places.

The three big events will give everyone of this section a chance to see exactly what makes Smyth County click.

The Marion event, in addition to showing arts and crafts of this county, has made space available for industrial exhibits. Early this week it became apparent that this part of the show will be one of the most educational of its type ever held in Southwest Virginia.

Out industrialists have gone all out to show residents of Southwest Virginia just what is manufactured in Smyth County. The true value of these products will be astounding to those who have not paid too much attention to our industries.

Hundreds of dollars are being spent by these organizations in making the individual shows attractive and educational. We are proud of the other part of the show also, and it is just as good as the industrial end of the exhibit. But we are just pointing out that this show will give everyone a chance to see where the nickles, dimes and dollars which are spent each week in Smyth come from.

Then will come the agricultural end of the business when Rich Valley and Rye Valley folks get their shows underway. Again it will be possible for students, business men and others to get a first hand look at what is going on agriculturally in Smyth.

Our agriculture and industries are what makes Smyth County. True, we have some tourist trade, but this small amount of trade is but a drop in the bucket compared to the income resulting from the two big boys. Potentially, Smyth County could realize much more from tourist trade. But it has never been developed.

Our agriculture has been developed to a degree which makes our farmers among the most progressive in the nation. Our industries are developing and developing fast. During the past two years we have lived in Smyth there has not been a single day without some improvement being made in at least one or more of our industries.

During this past two years there has not been a single period of time without an expansion program going on at one or more of these industries. There has not been a single week without one or more asking for more employees. It has been a steady and sound growth. We definitely are an industrial area.

Now comes the time when we can witness in capsule form what is being done in industries and on our farms. It is all free. It is our best chance to come out and learn what progress is being made.

Make plans to visit Marion this week end and to visit the Rye Valley and Rich Valley Fairs later this summer. All three will be worthwhile.

WORLD'S OLDEST PROFESSION

Smyth County and Marion police have stated that they are going to clear out any and all women soliciting on the streets and in cafes and such in and around Marion.

Control of the world's oldest profession is a hard job. It often is known by officers that girls hanging around are not just loafing. They are earning a living — if such lives can be called living. But such is hard to prove in court.

Law enforcement records definitely show that where such open soliciting is allowed to continue it leads to an increase in crime. Places known to harbor such are attractive to criminals of all types, including the lovely pimp, too lazy to work and willing to sell any woman he can get his hands on for a few paltry dollars.

Also, women of this type have no scruples in getting young boys and girls into trouble. They frequently take a sordid delight in dragging down what ordinarily would be decent citizens to their lowly depths.

Marion does not have too many women of this type. By far the big majority of them are locals and they soon drift off to the larger cities to ply their trade. But there are isolated cases of out and out prostitutes coming to town and creating trouble. With their own bodies gone and their own lives wrecked, they will stoop to many low tricks to earn another dollar or so.

The declaration to clear them out and get them off the streets comes as welcome news to our ears. If they do not leave or take their trade to the back alleys and off the streets, then let's see how many we can place in confinement. They have no business associating with decent people.

Other Folks' Ideas

DISGRACEFUL DISTINCTION

(Bedford Bulletin)

Virginia has the disgraceful distinction of having led all the other states of the Union in the number of highway fatalities during the Fourth of July Holiday week-end. Drivers over the nation appear to have been a little more careful than customary on this holiday, but that is not true of Virginia. The National Safety Council gave 262 as the total of automobile deaths during the three-day period beginning on the night of July 3, and of these 20 occurred in Virginia. New York was the next highest state with 19, but that state has five times the population of Virginia, and had the ratio obtained there been the same as in the Old Dominion it would have counted 100 dead.

On numerous occasions we have heard visitors to Virginia comment on the reckless handling of motor vehicles in this state. They all marvel that the number of people killed and maimed is so low, even though it ranks with the highest in the nation year after year. More people are killed on holidays simply because there are more cars on the roads, as the greater number of moving vehicles reduces the chances of reckless and speeding drivers getting through traffic without hitting another car or pedestrians. The law fixing speed limits, and other highway signs giving the maximum safe speed, have absolutely no meaning to the speeders. These laws and signs are meant only for the cautious and timid who want to get to their destinations all in one piece; not for the reckless who prefer to take chances to save a few seconds, which they have no use for even if they are safely saved.

The Virginia courts, happily, are taking a more realistic view of this problem than formerly, but apparently the stiffer fines, with jail sentences added in many cases, are not lowering the death rate. This means that both the laws and the courts will have to be made more stringent. The only thing that will substantially improve conditions is the adoption of a policy that will strongly impress upon the reckless that if they do not drive safely their permits to drive will be revoked permanently.

Dr. Nixon chimed in. "Well, it's raining, so I guess it looks different. Besides, we traveled all over the county that day and that was two years ago." The judge stopped the car. "Should be right here," he said. There was just one thing wrong. There was no vein of ore eight by 25 or 30 feet in size. There wasn't even one little, teenie-weensie vein or low grade iron ore, eight by 25 or 30 inches. There was no iron ore, low grade or high grade.

"This certainly looks like the place and I would have sworn we were on this road," the judge stated.

"Yep. But remember, we were on dozens of roads that day. Now let's sit back and think," his companion remarked. "Remember the spot over about Sugar Grove where we stopped at a store and some man over there played a joke on you?"

"You're talking about Charlie Keesling's place. Nope, it wasn't there."

"Then, how about over on that ridge where you told me some man stuck you on a bull trading job? He swapped you a worn out bull which he touted to the skies for one of your best young bulls."

"That was over on the Crook Gwyn place clear across in the other valley."

"How about that place where we stopped and some old farmer gave us those good apples?"

"That was down at Chilhowie and that wasn't just some old farmer. That was J. B. Bonham, one of the biggest apple growers in Virginia. It wasn't down there, either. It was right here."

"Well, where is it?"

"Just let me think a minute or so."

About that time a group of boys and girls passed by in an automobile. They had big baskets packed and evidently were going on a picnic. The young student was no longer interested in iron ore. He looked at the car and saw that there were two boys and three girls — one extra.

"Excuse me, Mr. Birchfield, but is there a picnic spot in this section? Maybe we could mess around there and someone could give us some information about this vein of iron ore we are looking for."

"Well there is Hurricane several miles from here, but few people go there."

"Reckon that was where the car which just went by is going?"

"Could be. Why?"

"Let's go over and see."

Dr. Nixon suddenly spoke up "Hurricane. That's it. Remember the day we found the ore. You took me on over to a place you called the Hurricane and talked to somebody over there about the vein of ore. He knew where it was and all about it. Let's go to the Hurricane."

"By George, you are right. Woodrow Newman was over there and we talked to him about the ore. But wait. It's too late to go over today. We'll try again tomorrow."

Early the next morning they set out for Hurricane. Sure

enough, Woodrow remembered the conversation. But the curious part about the entire matter was that he thought that the vein was in the same spot where the group had been the day before.

"It's right there. You fellows just missed it."

"Who ever heard of missing a vein of low grade iron ore eight by 25 or 30 feet," the judge stated. "Dr. Nixon here is one of the best in the field and he certainly would not miss such an outcropping."

A stranger standing nearby stepped up. "Pardon me, but are you men talking about that naked spot on the Nicks Creek Road where all that iron ore spilled out about two years ago?" he asked.

"Yeah. It's covered up now and you can't find it."

"What do you mean, covered up?"

A new road was cut through there and besides, Mr. Dixon (F. E. Dixon, manganese miner of Atkins) pulled out a big part of it which was on top of the ground. But if you will go back of the hill over there you can find plenty of it sticking up all over the place. I was over there not too long ago."

The stranger had worked in the area and knew every inch of the section. He gave the party detailed instructions on how to find the vein up on top of the hill, so they took off.

The student climbed the hill and sure enough, there was the vein, sticking out of the ground in several spots.

"Follow it on down to the road and we will get some specimens," Dr. Nixon told his assistant. Several minutes later the young man came out on the road in exactly where the judge and the geologist would have sworn they were two years ago.

This left everybody happy. Judge Birchfield has renewed his faith in his knowledge of Smyth County and its terrain. The geologist has a large number of iron ore samples to putter around with. And the student knows where there is a beautiful picnic area where a group of two boys and three girls sometimes go for an outing. His geology expeditions will be confined to Hurricane in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Roop, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Shepherd at Whitetop last Sunday.

Ovid Barker of Churchville, Md., and Govan Barker of Havre de Grace, Md., were called home last week due to the illness of their father, the Rev. James Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Greer and son, Terry, have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Reedy, of Grassy Creek, N. C.

Mrs. C. L. Campbell and son, Hurley, of Richmond returned home Wednesday after spending a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Yvonne Mabe.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lilly and children and Mrs. Carl Shumate of Beckley, W. Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mitchell over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Martin of Forest Hill, Md., visited the Rev. and Mrs. James K. Childers and family last week.

Mrs. Steve Taylor of Sugar Grove and Mrs. George Fulton of Cedar Springs visited Mrs. P. S. Pierce Sunday.

W. K. Boone and daughter of Marion visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Boone, Sunday.

Mrs. R. F. Phipps and Mrs. T. L. Pugh visited their sister in Yard last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Suitt of Bel Air, Md., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Loy Suitt, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Linney Williams of Alken, S. C., are visiting her sister, Miss Glenna Anderson, this week.

Mrs. Kermit Childers and Mrs. Dora Wagg were visitors in Independence Monday.

Mrs. J. B. McCarty and Mrs. T. L. Pugh left Sunday for the latter's home in Belton, Mo.

Mrs. McGrady also plans to visit her husband in Chicago, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Plummer and daughters of Toledo, O., and Mrs. Earl Davis and family of Marion were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Tolliver last Sunday.

Mrs. L. H. Brooks of Sugar Grove visited Mrs. G. W. Henderson last Sunday.

Chatham Hill

MRS. CLAUDE BURNOP

Chatham Hill, July 20 — The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Shuler of Broadford called on the sick last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Oley of Radford visited the Claude and John Burnops Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Yeatts of Kimbridge and Miss Naomi Buchanan of Greensboro, N. C., were the recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hightower.

Mrs. C. E. Warren and daughters, Mary, Judy and Patty, of Portsmouth are visiting the Claude Burnops and John and Hazel Oakes.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Neel, Billy and Gail, spent July 12 with Mr. and Mrs. Will Neel at Ceres.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neal and sons, Jimmy and David, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Crabtree at Plasterco.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Campbell and children, Mrs. Leon Noel and children of Little Rock, Ark., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Campbell and other relatives.

Mrs. Ray Caldwell and son, "Butchie" of Panama left Saturday for New York where they will sail for Panama July 21. Mr. and Mrs. "Junie" Williams drove them to New York. They will return to G. W. DeBord's this week after spending a few days at Mr. Williams' home at Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Crauuree and daughters, Lucille and Edna, and their families of Groseclose, Kingsport and Roanoke visited Mr. and Mrs. George Fred Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neal July 12.

Mrs. A. M. Ferguson and son, Bobby, and Miss Bessie Burnop of Marion spent July 10 with Mrs. V. H. Neel.

Mrs. Rush Gwyn III and son, Johnny, and her mother, Mrs. Lambert, of Baltimore, Md., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Gwyn. They have returned to their home.

Rush is expected home from Alaska around August 17.

Billy Campbell Neel spent several days last week with John Campbell Jr.

Mrs. G. W. DeBord, who has been ill, is much better. John Burnop is ill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richardson and sons, Leon and Lewis Albert, of Radford and Mr. and Mrs. Prince Waddle of Rockville, Md., called on the Claude Burnops recently.

Mrs. Mary Virginia Olinger and Miss Hazel Oakes returned home Saturday after spending five weeks at Radford summer school.

The J. A. Campbell family enjoyed a family picnic recently, all children and grandchildren being present except Allen Campbell of Winston-Salem and Leon Noel of Little Rock.

John Oakes was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carter Sunday.

Mrs. Leon Noel and daughters, Carol and Margaret, and

J. A. Campbell visited M. E. Campbell and Mrs. Baldwin Friday evening.

Mrs. Wylie Bowling is ill. Her daughters, Wanda of Richmond and Meiba of Radford, have been called home.

Currin Valley and Attoaway

MRS. ZOLLIE V. FOWLER

July 13 — Dewey Sayers returned from the Woodrow Wilson Rehabilitation Center at Fishersville recently. His condition remains about the same.

Lydia Taylor spent last week with her daughter, Fay, who is a rheumatic fever patient at Richmond Medical College. She is somewhat improved but is still not permitted to sit up any.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taylor visited relatives in the community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Blevins and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Willard Blevins Sunday. The two families motored to Holston Valley Dams in Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moore and children of Texas were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hutton, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eller entertained relatives from Lakeley, W. Va., during the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jont Blevins, and family of Whitetop were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Billie Shepherd. Mrs. Shepherd's sister has been visiting her for the past week.

The Rev. Fell Aker and the Rev. J. R. Shumate were recent Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fowler.

Charlie Hutton was a patient at a Roanoke hospital last week.

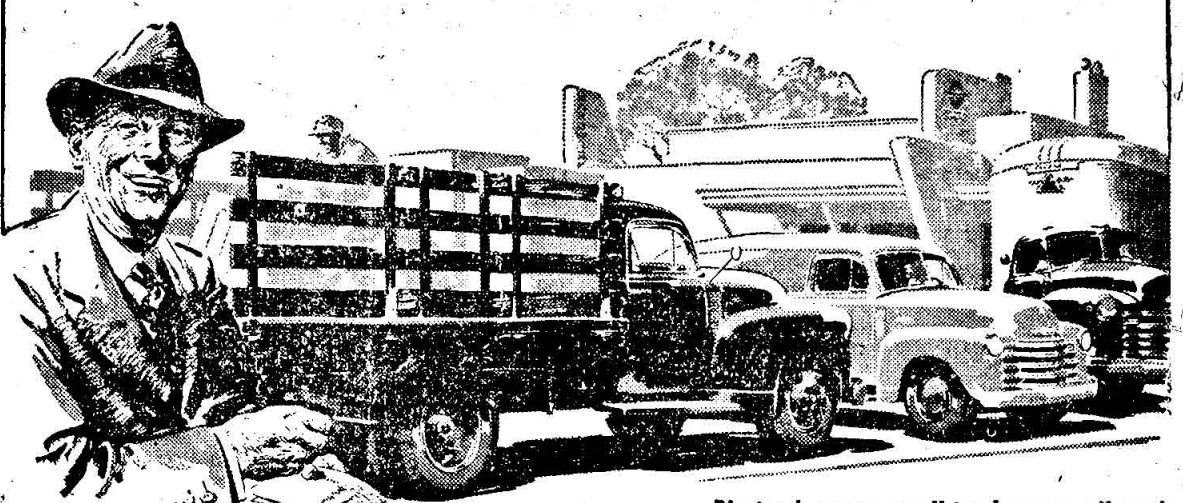
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simons of Norfolk were recent visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Simons.

All the children of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Russell spent some time at home recently, being called here due to the death of their grandfather.

Pedro Garza remains a bed patient at home after treatment at Lee Memorial Hospital.

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