

Local Affairs

Mrs. Bessie Brown of Valle Crucis, visited her son, Mr. Clint Brown and family of Lenoir, last week-end

Mrs. Wendell Wilson of Elkin, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cooke.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harwood, Sue and Jerry, of Concord, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. J. A. Idol of Boone Route 2.

Mrs. Velma Casey has returned to Wytheville, Va., after spending several days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hamby.

Mr. J. E. Joines was a patient at a Johnson City hospital last week, where an operation for the removal of tonsils was performed.

Mrs. Ernest Miller of Brownwood, is critically ill at the Wilkes hospital. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Greene of Laxon.

St. Luke's Auxiliary met with Mrs. G. K. Moose on Tuesday afternoon, at which time plans were made for a silver tea to be given in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira S. Ayers will leave the end of the week for Hockingham where they will establish their temporary home. Mr. Ayers is engaged in electrical work there.

Mrs. Grover Triplett of Lenoir, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moretz and small daughter, Bobby, of Butler, Tenn., visited over the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moretz.

Pvt. Allen Norton of Fort Bragg, is visiting his brother, Mr. Charles Norton, who is yet a patient at Watauga hospital, where he has been critically ill. Pvt. Norton is a member of the U. S. army's pioneer airborne field artillery division.

Mr. and Mrs. David P. Lavietes will spend Thanksgiving with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Wolff of Roanoke, Va., where they will be joined by Mr. and Mrs. M. Leshine of Branford, Conn. Mr. Leshine is owner and publisher of the Branford Review.

Mr. H. S. Steelman, R. F. D. carrier of Deep Gap, has returned home from Washington, D. C., where he has been taking treatments for the past 25 days. Mr. Steelman is considerably improved in health, but thinks it may be necessary to undergo further hospitalization at some future time.

Mrs. John H. Farthing of Providence, R. I., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Farthing. Her husband, chief petty officer in the navy, who was injured sometime ago, in an automobile accident, has almost recovered and is now back on duty. He will likely join Mrs. Farthing here at a later date.

SOCIETY NOTES

Music and Art Club Entertained By Mrs. G. P. Eggers

Members of the music and art department of the Woman's Club were pleasantly entertained on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. G. P. Eggers on Faculty Row.

Mrs. J. A. Williams, program leader, gave a very interesting discussion on hymns, their origin and composers. The president, Mrs. Eggers, conducted the business session, during which the committee reported serving coffee and doughnuts to the eighty draftees who left for camp Monday morning.

Mrs. Eggers served a sweet course and tea during the social part of the evening.

The December meeting will be with Misses Walker and Carstene, and will be in the nature of a "White Elephant Auction," the date to be announced later.

Mrs. Wm. M. Winkler Entertains Tuesday Night Club

Mrs. Wm. Winkler entertained the Tuesday Night Club November 10, at the Gateway Cafe.

Bridge was played at four tables and when scores were added, Mrs. Rob Rivers was found to be high scorer. Low score went to Miss Pauline McGhee and guest prize was presented to Mrs. Joe Conderman.

The guests found their places at a large table where refreshments were served. The red and white motif was carried out.

At the short business session the club voted to set aside Wednesday night of each week for bandage rolling at the Red Cross room.

The club will hold its next meeting with Miss Pauline McGhee on November 24.

With While Club To Serve Thanksgiving Dinner

Hungry? Do you want a change from your own cooking? Then come and bring the family to the Thanksgiving dinner sponsored by the Worth While Club for the purpose of raising money for welfare needs during the winter. A big chicken dinner will be waiting for you for 50 cents at the Hotel Wat-

From Our Early Files

ITEMS FROM THE DEMOCRAT OF NOVEMBER 12, 1942

The pretty residence of Attorney Coffey is now being painted.

Prof. B. B. Dougherty is attending the meeting of county superintendents from all over the state at Raleigh this week.

Mr. Robbins who has been teaching at Sands for some time, has abandoned his school for the present, on account of the non-attendance of the pupils. This is, to our mind, a sad state of affairs.

A town library is now being talked, and the one who is putting the matter before the people makes us have great confidence in its ultimate success. Surely we can all get together on this and help in this noble enterprise.

Jim Brown of Deerfield, was in town Saturday and told us that he had baled 120,000 pounds of hay so far, with his new press, and has only made a beginning. The hay press, it seems, is becoming quite popular.

NOVEMBER 19, 1903

The school at Watauga Academy is now rapidly increasing in number.

Miss Jennie Coffey has moved her pretty stock of millinery into her new quarters at the Blair hotel. Mrs. Ett Horton son and daughter, left yesterday for a visit with relatives in Jefferson.

A new printing press has been

installed in the office of the Dew Drop, to be used, we are told, to advertise the school here.

Will R. Jurney of Olin, Iredell county, is here opening up a stock of groceries, confections, fruits, etc., in the little building vacated by J. W. Bryan.

Old friend Col. J. B. Todd has been quite sick for several days, but we are glad to know that he is much better at this writing. His son, W. G. Todd of Collettsville, and daughter, Mrs. F. P. Moore of Globe, spent Sunday with him.

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Eastern Star Chapter Entertains Masons

The Eastern Star chapter 220, entertained the Masonic brothers with a highly enjoyable spaghetti supper Friday night in the social hall of the Masonic building. The food was so good that Masons forgot their wartime diets and ate heaping plates of spaghetti, pumpkin pie, coffee and whipped cream. Mrs. E. E. Garbee, worthy matron, presided. A large number was present and everyone seemed to radiate that spirit of good cheer and good fellowship that make the fraternities inspiring and uplifting to those who enjoy their privileges.

Eastern Star Holds Regular Meeting

The regular meeting of Snow Chapter, No. 220, O. E. S., was held Monday evening, with Mildred Garbee, W. M., presiding. The full ritualistic form was used in opening, after which the U. S. Flag was presented, and the pledge given. A service flag for Beach Keller and Tom Redmond, now in active military service, was presented to the chapter, with appropriate music. Plans for many activities for the winter were discussed. The first floor of the building is to be made into an attractive club room. Constance Stallings was presented the past matron's pin by Amelia Greer for the chapter.

After the closing of the meeting, a friendly social hour was enjoyed.

U. D. C. Chapter Meets With Mrs. Cottrell

On October 16, the Watauga chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy met with Mrs. D. J. Cottrell. New officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Mack Luttrell; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Joe Cooke; registrar, Mrs. D. J. Cottrell; historian, Mrs. R. K. Bingham.

Many items of business were discussed. At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served.

On November 12, the U. D. C. held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Will Trivette. Certificates of membership were presented to Mrs. Alice Brown and Mrs. Ed Payne.

An interesting Armistice program was given. A salad course and coffee was served.

"I LIVE ON DANGER" IS SWIFT ACTION FILM

Screen Stars Chester Morris and Jean Parker are appearing in one of the best screen adventures in "I Live on Danger," the action-packed Paramount thriller at the Appalachian Theatre for the Owl Show Saturday night.

Morris, as on-the-spot radio newscaster, gets mixed up in a murder case, turns sleuth and captures the villain, rescues an innocent man from the electric chair and wins himself a wife. The film moves swiftly and has plenty of comedy and romance.

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Radio Station WHKY On Increased Power

Hickory, Nov. 18.—Radio station WHKY announces that operations with their increased power of 5,000 watts day and 1,000 watts night on 1290 kilocycles began on November 6th.

Application for this increased power and change in frequency was made by WHKY in June, 1941, and permit to construct was granted Jan. 6, 1942. Despite difficulty in securing the new equipment and materials needed for the construction of the new transmitting plant, all of the latest type of broadcasting equipment was installed by July 24th. However, further delay in changing over to this new power and frequency was caused by the difficulty of WHKY in securing a consulting engineer to run final tests and checks on the equipment. But at last this difficulty was overcome and the new transmitting station was put into operation.

Radio station WHKY's new transmitting plant is located approximately 2 1/2 miles southeast of Hickory on a 21-acre tract of land. A most modern brick building houses the new transmitting and associate equipment. Four 295-foot towers are used to transmit the programs to thousands of old listeners and many thousands of new listeners in WHKY's new service area.

Broadcasting studios and offices will still be maintained in Radio building in downtown Hickory and the programs will be fed to the new transmitting station by telephone lines from the downtown studios.

Due to the war, and by order of the board of war communications, visitors will not be allowed in the new transmitting plant, however visitors are still welcome to the downtown studios.

With this increase of power, radio station WHKY brings a new radio service or better radio service to many thousands of listeners in Western North Carolina.

WHKY is affiliated with the Blue Network, Inc., and through this affiliation is able to bring its listeners the best in Blue Network programs as well as many special events features from all parts of the world. In addition to the Blue Network programs, WHKY also broadcasts many popular local programs.

Through the service of United Press and the Blue Network latest news is always available to WHKY listeners.

COVE CREEK Y.W.A. MEETS

The Cove Creek Y. W. A. held its regular meeting Monday evening, November 9th, at the home of Mrs. Sam Austin. The meeting was called to order by the president and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and the roll called.

During the business session, the group decided to send Christmas greetings to the boys from this community who are in the armed forces, and also post a service list in the Baptist church.

After the business session, a very interesting program was given on the topic, "Not Chains But Cables." The topic was discussed by the following: Jamie Harmon, Ruth Sherwood and Louise Williams. The program closed by the group singing "Throw Out the Lifeline."

After the program the group enjoyed a very delightful social hour with Mrs. Austin serving as hostess.

The meeting was adjourned until December when we will meet with the new sponsor, Mrs. Hattie Lewis.

Watauga Men With The Colors

Visit at Fort Jackson Mr. and Mrs. Aud L. Ward of Sugar Grove, have returned home from a few days' visit with their son, Sgt. G. J. Ward, who is stationed at Fort Jackson. Sgt. Ward will soon be promoted to first sergeant.

In From California Sergeant Joe Todd of Camp Roberts, Calif., arrived Monday and will spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Todd.

Returns to Boston Flight Officer Carmel H. Shook left Monday on his return to camp at Boston, Mass., after spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Shook, at Banner Elk.

Visits Parents Corporal Paul Trivett left Wednesday on his return to Tampa, Fla., after spending 14 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Trivett, of Beech Creek.

Olen C. Cook is Captain in Air Corps Blackland Army Flying School, Waco, Texas, Nov. 14.—First Lieut. Olen Clell Cook, formerly of Blowing Rock, N. C., the son of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Cook, was promoted to the rank of captain in the army air corps, it was announced today by the war department. Capt. Cook, who entered the army September 7, 1940, received his elementary training at Hicks Field, Calif., and his basic instruction at Randolph Field, Texas. He was commissioned at Barksdale Field, La., in April, 1941, after completing his advanced training there. Upon graduation, Capt. Cook began his duties as a twin-engine instructor at Barksdale until he was transferred to Blackland army flying school in the same capacity last October 21. Capt. Cook attended Wake Forest college where he participated in football and baseball before leaving in 1938.

Receives Wings Craig Field, Ala., Nov. 15.—Carmel Monroe Shook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvie A. Shook of Boone Route 1, received his army air force's "wings" and diploma last Tuesday as he completed his aviation cadet training at the advanced flying school, Craig Field, Selma, Ala. He was a member of the largest class ever sent forth into the combat forces of our country's growing air arm, from this, the army's first and largest specialized fighter training school.

The award of his diploma meant a flight officer's commission for the new graduate, who successfully completed the intensive eight and one-half months cadet training course. His schooling has been all-inclusive in formation work, navigation, instrument procedure, ground and aerial gunnery and combat flying.

The flight officer was presented his graduation awards by Lt. Col. C. H. Anderson, commandant of Craig Field, which is a unit of the vast southeast air forces training center.

The total volume of the new all-purpose ration books would fill 128 freight cars.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to our friends for their kindness and sympathy shown during the illness and death of our husband and father, James W. Wall. May God bless each of you.

THE FAMILY.

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GRANDFATHER HOME FOR CHILDREN CAUSE TO BE EMPHASIZED

Banner Elk, Nov. 16.—Throughout Holston Presbytery, in North Carolina and Tennessee, the Presbyterian churches are now making an appeal for donations to Grandfather Home for Children at Banner Elk. The home is the official child-caring agency of the Presbytery. During the Thanksgiving season, especially during the month of November, emphasis is being placed upon orphanage causes throughout the Southern Presbyterian church, of which Holston Presbytery is a part.

During the summer Grandfather Home sent out hundreds of empty jars, which the people of the Presbytery have filled, and which are now being gathered in to help fill the pantries at the home. The farmers also send in grain and vegetables and sometimes a dressed beef, mutton or hog will find its way to the

Want ADS

FOR SALE—Upright Ivers & Pond Piano. Beautiful mahogany finished case. Good condition. Watauga Democrat x H. 11-19-2c

HAMS WANTED—City Meat Market, Boone, N. C. 1c

WANTED—Hard maple, birch, oak and poplar logs. Write for prices. Southern Desk Co., Hickory, N. C. 11-19-3p

FOR SALE—1939 Chevrolet sedan; excellent condition, good tires, low mileage. W. C. Wright, Mountain City, Tenn. 1c

WANTED—Tenant family to farm on share-crop basis and work for me on farm on New River. H. Neal Blair, Boone, N. C. 11-19-tfc

H. F. LONG HOSPITAL, Statesville, N. C., will take in class of nurses February 15, 1943. Applicants reply immediately. 11-19-4c

WANTED—Young lady or elderly woman to do housework. Permanent position. Call or write Herbert Wey, Boone, N. C. 1c

FOR SALE—1 1937 Reo Speed delivery, wrecked. With a little repair will make a good wrecker. Five good tires, new battery. If interested, call 53-J, Boone, N. C. 1p

WANTED—Settled white woman as companion and housekeeper for elderly lady. Good home and reasonable pay for right person. Mrs. Franklin L. Townsend, West College Avenue, Lenoir, N. C. Phone 721. 1c

FOR SALE—Oil circulator. Practically new. Bargain. Can be seen at 805 Faculty Street, Boone. 1p

FOR SALE—Six female Belgium Police puppies 6 weeks old. See them at 805 Faculty Street, Boone. 1p

FOR RENT—Seven-room house with heat, one block from high school. Partly furnished. Reasonable rent. See Mrs. W. R. Winkler, or Phone 128-J, Boone. 11-12-2c

DR. L. E. WELLMAN, optometrist invites you to come to Mountain City, Tenn., for your next glasses. You will receive a thorough scientific examination and the finest of lenses. The latest styles in frames or rimless mountings at very moderate cost. Office days, Wednesday and Thursday each week. 10-3-tf.

SIX-ROOM HOUSE, furnished complete with bath, for rent to family of two, who will look after furniture through the winter. On Gragg Street, Boone, N. C. Rent \$6.00 month. Write Mrs. Richard Hodges, 404 Holt Street, Hampton, Va. 11-5-tfc

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home's refrigerator. On Sunday, November 22, or on Thanksgiving Day all the churches in the Presbytery will take an offering for the little folks of the orphanage. The administration of the home hopes that this year the offering will be unusually generous, for increased living costs have made the need greater. Over 90 children, who are now making their home at Grandfather, will be benefited by the Thanksgiving offering.

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