

Local Affairs

Mrs. Sarah L. Davis, of Mabel, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Thompson, of Sugar Grove.

Mr. Jake Watson, of Seattle, Wash., a brother of Mrs. Flettie Idol, is visiting her at her Sands home.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Idol, of Boone Route 2, at the Perry Clinic on last Sunday, a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Pressnell on Dec. 25, a daughter, Barbara Ann, at Grace Hospital, Banner Elk.

Mrs. James Greer, who has been a patient at the Davis Hospital, Statesville, has returned to her home at Sugar Grove.

Mr. G. H. Hayes, of Blue Ridge township, has been a patient at Watauga Hospital for the last several days. His condition is decidedly improved.

Mrs. T. L. Crowell, of Charlotte, is visiting at the home of a son, L. H. Crowell and Mrs. Crowell, in Boone. Visiting in the Crowell home last week was Mr. D. J. Bostain, of Charlotte.

Mr. James L. Phillips, prominent resident of the Sugar Grove neighborhood, is a patient at the Watauga Hospital. While Mr. Phillips' illness is regarded as serious, he is showing some improvement.

Miss Virginia Wary, former member of the faculty of Appalachian College, but who is now engaged in Red Cross work in Louisville, Ky., spent the week-end visiting in the home of Mrs. F. A. Linney.

Mrs. J. T. Nicholson has left for Washington, D. C., to join her husband after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dula, of Shulls Mills. Mr. Nicholson is a chemist and is connected with the war department.

Society Notes

Home and Garden Group to Meet

The Home and Garden Department of the Woman's Club will meet with Mrs. Edwin Troutman Thursday evening of this week at 8 o'clock.

U. D. C. Meeting This Evening

The Watauga Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will meet with Mrs. Joe Cooke Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Lyon Hodges Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lyon announce the engagement of their daughter, Louise, to Cpl. Charles M. Hodges. Cpl. Hodges is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Finley Hodges, of Sands. He is now stationed at Jackson, Miss.

Literature and Education Department to Meet

The Literature and Education Department of the Woman's Worthwhile Club will meet with Mrs. W. R. Winkler Tuesday, Jan. 18 at 7:30. All members are asked to be present.

Miss Marth Harris is Bride of Glenn Farthing

Miss Martha Rachel Harris, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Stanley A. Harris, of Sherwood, became the bride of Lt. E. H. Glenn Farthing, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Farthing of Valle Crucis, in a candlelight ceremony on Friday afternoon, December 31, at 4:30 o'clock, in the home of the bride's parents.

The Rev. R. J. Starling, pastor of Henson's Chapel Methodist Church, officiated, using the double ring ceremony before an improvised altar banked with Oregon flat fern, English ivy and white sweet peas. Two five-branched candelabra bearing lighted white tapers, also were used.

A program of wedding music rendered by Mrs. R. J. Starling of Sherwood, and Mrs. James Butler of Mountain City, Tenn. Mrs. Starling played "Love's Old Sweet Song" prior to the ceremony, and Mrs. Butler sang "I Love You Truly" and "The World is Waiting for the Sunrise." "To a Wild Rose" was played during the ceremony and the traditional wedding march by Wagner was played for the processional.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a wedding gown of white taffeta designed with sweetheart neckline and fitted bodice, long sleeves ending in points at the wrists, and a bouffant skirt which ended in a short train. Her only ornament was a single strand of pearls, gift of the bridegroom, and her circular fingertip length veil fell from a tiara of seed pearls. She carried a showered bouquet of white roses.

Miss Barbara Dare Ruffin, of Wilson, classmate of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a white taffeta gown fashioned like that of the bride with three-quarter length sleeves. Her shoulder-length veil fell from a bandeau of shirred taffeta, and she carried a bouquet of white roses tied with a white taffeta ribbon.

Bridesmaids were Miss Elizabeth Hawley of Goldsboro, schoolmate of the bride, and Miss Hazel Farthing, sister of the groom. They wore

From Our Early Files

ITEMS FROM THE DEMOCRAT OF JANUARY 12, 1905

The Bank of Blowing Rock has been open for several days.

Judge Joe B. Clark of Blowing Rock, is off to Raleigh this week.

Cooge Lovill is now rapidly recovering, and without a relapse, he will soon be up again.

Miss Mary L. Hardin, who spent the holidays with friends in North Wilkesboro, is expected home today.

Miss Elvira McGhee, an aged maiden lady, died on the Blue Ridge last Friday, after a lingering and painful illness of many weeks.

We failed to note in our last issue that Old Santa brought J. D. Council another baby girl for a Christmas present. But he did, just the same.

Mr. John Stanbury has purchased the R. M. Greene farm in the edge of town and will make his future home here. Glad to have such men come among us.

Pete Mast, of Sugar Grove, one of the principal stockholders in the Watauga Telephone Co., left Tuesday morning for Sumter, S. C., where he will take a course of instruction in the managing of a telephone system.

By an oversight we failed to note

the death of Mr. Wm. Hagaman, of Poplar Grove, which occurred Christmas week. Mr. Hagaman was an old Confederate veteran, and a good, quiet, inoffensive citizen.

Mrs. W. N. Thomas, a highly respected Christian lady, died at her home at Tracy on last Friday morning. Deceased was a sister of our townsman, Mr. Ben F. Brannock, and leaves a husband, five daughters and two little sons.

On last Friday evening one of the saddest accidents that has ever occurred in this community, happened at the home of Mr. Frank H. Wyke. Mr. William Hodges called at his home for the purpose of borrowing a pistol. He took a seat by the fire, lifting to his lap the four-year-old baby girl of Mr. Wyke, at the same time stating his business. A grown daughter went to the bureau, procured the weapon, and returned, snapping it in a playful way, not knowing it was loaded. The pistol fired, a ball went crashing through the brain of the baby sister, and in less than two hours the child was dead. The shock to the loving parents was of course, almost unbearable, but no blame can be attributed to anyone. It is only another case of death by an unloaded pistol.

Sidney Phillips Dies Monday at Age of 89

Sidney Phillips, aged 89 years, died Monday at the home in Meat Camp township.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at 11 o'clock from the Meat Camp Baptist Church, by the Rev. Arlie Moretz, and interment was in that neighborhood, Reins-Sturdivant Funeral Home taking care of the arrangements.

Mr. Phillips, who was a native of Ashe County, had resided in Watauga for a number of years. He is survived by one son, B. H. Phillips, of Boone, and one sister, Mrs. Polly Goodman, of West Jefferson.

MRS. JULIA STANBERRY

Mrs. Julia A. Stanberry, 75, of Alexander, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Woods, at Alexander, Saturday morning following a brief illness.

Funeral services were held at Todd Sunday afternoon and burial was in the family cemetery there. The body was taken to the Reins-Sturdivant Funeral Home at Boone Saturday afternoon.

Surviving are three daughters: Mrs. Woods, Mrs. E. I. Robinett of Shady Valley, Tenn., and Mrs. W. G. Calloway of Todd; three step-daughters, Mrs. J. R. Ray of Abingdon, Va.; Mrs. A. M. Tolliver of Shady Valley, and Mrs. W. W. Bledsoe of Todd; three step-sons, S. O. Stanberry of Boone; J. N. Stanberry of Creston, and I. W. Stanberry of Walla Walla, Wash.; one brother, A. J. Tolliver of Tree Top, and eight grandchildren.

CARD OF THANKS

We are indeed grateful for the many acts of kindness and sympathy shown us in our bereavement. May each of you be repaid by our Heavenly Father—Mrs. J. O. Phillips and Children.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for their sympathy during the illness and burial of our daughter and wife. The many acts of kindness were appreciated as were the many floral offerings.—Mrs. F. M. Maltba, George Cottrell.

IF YOUR NOSE "CLOSES UP" TONIGHT

Here's mighty good news... If your nose "closes up" tonight and makes breathing difficult, put 3-purpose Vicks Va-tro-nol up each nostril. Va-tro-nol does 3 important things. It (1) shrinks swollen membranes, (2) soothes irritation, (3) relieves transient nasal congestion. It brings more comfort, makes breathing easier, thus invites sleep... And remember, it helps prevent many colds developing if used in time. Follow directions in folder.

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Boy Scout News

The regular Monday night meeting of the Boy Scouts was held in the high school gym. A basketball game was played by the Eagle Patrol and Flying Eagle Patrol. The score was 26 to 11 in favor of the Eagles.

All Scouts and some prospective Scouts participated and enjoyed it immensely.

The next regular meeting will be held at the Scout Hut.

Want ADS

FOR RENT—4-room cottage, with garden and cow pasture. Farming land near Miss Sallie Ray, Boone Route 2. 1c

FOR SALE CHEAP—6-room house and lot in Boone; lights, water, bath. Lot 125x175. See Dallas Hodges, Vilas, N. C. 1-13-tfc

TWO APARTMENTS FOR RENT after January 10. Completely furnished. Steam heat. Phone 14, Boone, N. C. 1-13-2c

HELP WANTED IMMEDIATELY—White woman, general house-keeping and care of children. Salary \$8 week. Write Mrs. Irene C. O'Neal, 4606 Iowa Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C. 12-13-2p

FARM FOR SALE—31 acres of highly improved land, creek running through pasture and barn lot; orchard, some timber. Modern 10 room house with breakfast room and bath; basement, electricity; good barn and out buildings, located 3 miles west of Mountain City, on Bristol highway. Priced right. If interested see Ross D. Fritts, owner Mountain City, Tenn. 1c

TWO APARTMENTS FOR RENT after January 10. Completely furnished. Steam heat. Phone 144, Boone, N. C. 1-6-2c

FOR SALE—One four-year-old Hereford cow; time to be fresh, Jan. 5. One three-year-old half Shorthorn, half Black Jersey Time to be fresh, Jan. 16. Also five bred blackface ewes, time to lamb, March 1. W. M. Thomas, Mabel, N. C. 1-6-2p

GOOD ADDING MACHINE for sale. Wilcox Drug Co., Boone, N. C. 12-30-4c

FOR RENT—4-room apartment, furnished or unfurnished. Free garage. East of Black Bear Station. Mrs. J. G. Cooke. 12-23-tfc

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SPECIAL—Large family size 5 mg tablets, vitamin B-1 a month's supply for family of five, \$4.98. Boone Drug Co. 1-14-tfc

DR. C. G. BAUGHMAN, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist of Elizabethton, Tenn., will be at the Hagaman Clinic in Boone the first Monday in each month for the practice of his profession. 12-11f

OLD GOLD WANTED—We buy old gold watch cases, rings, dental gold etc. Highest prices paid. Walker's Jewelry Store. 12-1-tf

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 a very moderate cost. Office days, Wednesday, Thursday each week.

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BOONE, N. C.

To My--- Farmer Friends

It is now ARMOUR FERTILIZER time again. I have been talking to a good many about getting their fertilizer early, as no fertilizer manufacturer has more than one set of hands, and they can't tell whether tomorrow they will have them or half of them. It's not for the want of material—it's labor—that makes the fertilizer situation serious.

At planting time it will be impossible to furnish half what we have been furnishing at that time. The man who buys during January and February is the man who will have his fertilizer troubles over.

I now have fertilizer ready for you. So come in and let's get started off while starting is good.

I also have cabbage seed, will have plenty of bean seed, and garden seeds of all kinds. Will have Onion Sets, Grass Seed, Seed Oats, and most anything you will want to plant.

M. C. Hollar

Main Street Boone, N. C.