

LOCAL AFFAIRS

Mrs. A. J. Ragan is ill with influenza at Watauga Hospital.

Mr. John W. Hodges has been ill for the past week at the home of a son, Mr. John W. Hodges, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Coffey of Shulls Mills have moved to Lenoir where they are employed.

Mr. Ambrose Brown of Armstead, Mont. is spending a few weeks with relatives in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lewis and daughter, Alice, of North Wilkesboro spent the week-end with relatives in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde R. Greene spent Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. O. Bingham in Elizabethton, Tenn.

Mr. Ben Miller, of the Merchant Marine, is spending some time with Mrs. Miller at their home here.

Mrs. Ralph Winkler, Mrs. Wiley Smith and Mrs. A. R. Smith are spending a two weeks vacation in Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Merl Long spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Coffey at their home in Shulls Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nave have moved here from Franklin, N. C. Mr. Nave will be manager of Coble's Dairy at Sugar Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Owens of Gastonia, spent the week-end with Mrs. Owens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cooke.

Mrs. L. L. Norris of North Wilkesboro spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Earl C. Norris.

Little Betty Cooke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cooke, has a broken ankle, from a fall sustained while skating on the snow last week.

Mrs. James Coffey has returned from Miami, Fla., after spending two weeks with her daughter, Miss Majorie Coffey. Miss Coffey accompanied her mother home for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson and daughter, Clonnie Elizabeth, of Panama City, Fla. left Thursday after spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hartley.

Kent K. Brown of the Howard Coffey Plumbing and Heating Co., of Boone and Blowing Rock, leaves today for Charlotte where he will attend the indoor heating conference being held there.

Mrs. J. L. Goodnight returned home Saturday after spending a month visiting with her sons in Gastonia. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Neil Goodnight, who spent the week-end here.

Mr. Clarence Trexler has returned home from a Charlotte hospital, where he was treated for a complicated fracture of a leg, which was sustained some time ago. He is well on the way toward recovery.

Mrs. L. H. Smith suffered a severely fractured hip in a fall on the streets of Blowing Rock Monday. After receiving emergency medical attention at the Watauga Hospital she was taken to Charlotte Memorial Hospital for treatment by a bone specialist.

Deep Gap Club Meets With Mrs. John Miller

The Deep Gap Demonstration Club met in its regular monthly meeting with Mrs. John Miller, Wednesday, February 4. Despite the bad weather and road condition the attendance was good. The meeting opened with a song and the club collect was repeated.

The secretary then gave the report of the last meeting and the business of the club was attended to. Flowers and cards were arranged for had been sent to the sick, and each member pledged a donation to the March of Dimes.

Miss McCain from the State office gave a very interesting lecture on health as pertaining to accidents. The many aids and advantages to, and for the people through the Board of Health were listed, and ever member was keenly interested and very attentive.

The hostess, Mrs. Miller, served delicious refreshments with lovely Valentine decorations, which every one enjoyed very much.

Miss Matheson brought a new supply of books which Mrs. Grady Triplett kindly agreed to keep and loan, during the much regretted illness of our club librarian, Mrs. Eddie Stewart. The books seemed to be an especially good assortment, and we hope that any one in the community, whether a club member or not, if they wish to read, would see Mrs. Triplett and borrow books.

We do feel that a sincere effort to help the women is being

made by the home agent and all the extension workers, and we would be very happy if more of the ladies of the community would join the club and take advantage of the opportunities offered.

Pitts-Coffey

Mrs. Orpha Pitts announces the marriage of her daughter Martha Ann Pitts to Private Don Coffey.

The marriage took place in the home of Magistrate Hahn on Saturday afternoon, February 7.

The groom is stationed at the Greenville Air Base. The bride will remain at home for awhile until other arrangements are made.

Worthwhile Club To Meet At Skyline Restaurant

There will be a general meeting of the Worthwhile Club Thursday evening at 7:30 at the Skyline Restaurant. Mrs. J. M. Moretz, Mrs. Joe Crawford, Mrs. Gordon Winkler and Mrs. Frank McCracken will be hostesses.

Church Announcements

BOONE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. S. B. Moss, Pastor
10 a. m.—Church School
11 a. m.—Morning worship
Sermon: "How Far Will You Go?" by the Pastor.
6:30 p. m. Wesley Fellowship and M. Y. F. February 18.
7:00 p. m. Lenten Service, February 20.
7:00 p. m. Choir practice at the church.

The first Lenten Service begins this week, February 11 at 7:00 p. m. Meetings will be held in the ladies parlor.
Remember to observe "World Day of Prayer" on Friday evening at 7:30 p. m. at the Lutheran church.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Dr. W. G. Bond, Pastor
9:45, Sunday School.
10:55, morning worship. Sermon by the pastor, "A Test of Faith."
6 p. m. Baptist Training Union.
7 p. m. evening worship. Sermon, "Your Capacity to See."
Wednesday 6:30, Senior choir rehearsal; 7:30, prayer service.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

James McKeown, Pastor.
Ash Wednesday, study group at 7:30 p. m.
Sunday February 15—Holy Communion 8 a. m.; Church School 9:30 a. m.; Morning Prayer, 11.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. E. F. Troutman, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Worship 11 a. m.
Sermon Topic: "Working With God."
Special Music
Luther League, 6 p. m.
L. S. A. 6:30 p. m.
Choir rehearsal Friday evening at 6:30.
Rev. Edwin F. Troutman will attend a meeting in Columbus, Ohio, the 18 and 19th of Feb. "Rebuilding the Influence of the Rural Church" will be the theme of the meeting.

Garbee's Savannah's Most Dexterous Folks

The following, from the Savannah Morning News, will be of interest to local friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Garbee, former popular residents of Boone:
Gene Garbee, of the University of Georgia faculty at Hunter Field, has a loft of twelve pigeons, Birmingham rollers are the breed name. These pigeons are noted for the fact they take backward somersaults in the air. I look any day to get word from the campus that the Garbees have improved on this feat.
Seldom before has Savannah had a more dexterous couple than Mr. and Mrs. Garbee. Mr. Garbee goes to the Lions Club and to church outfitted in homemade suits, material for which was turned out by Mrs. Garbee on a hand loom, foot-powered weaver at \$13.50 a suit. She also wove and tailored the cloth for a swanky "New Look" outfit for herself.

Mr. Garbee has made all the furniture for their home and yesterday was busy on a chestnut bed and study desk for his son's room. He has a secret formula for giving an antique finish to the furniture.

He also does the engraving on trophies and bracelets at the college, and turns out beautiful silk screen work on Christmas cards, thank-you notes and personal cards.

Mr. Garbee is also an expert cook, so that Mrs. Garbee doesn't have to worry about hurrying home to prepare dinner. As a matter of fact the wife and children were gone all last summer and Mr. Garbee took over all the household chores.

Now these accomplishments should be enough for any one man. But Mr. Garbee is known far and wide for his hand-hammered metal work, and is no



IN SCRAMBLE FOR BALL . . . Lou Lipman (24) of Long Island University and Don Ray (26) of Western Kentucky, head for the boards as Bob Smith (2) of L. I. U. reaches for the rebounding ball. Action was seen at the Madison Square Garden where the two school fives met for basketball honors. The event was taken by the visitors who defeated L. I. U. 62 to 47.

Collector To Aid Taxpayers Of State

Wade H. Lee, deputy collector with the state department of revenue, will be at the courthouse in Boone on February 19 and 20, for the purpose of assisting the taxpayers in filing their state income tax returns for the year 1947.

Between all of this, Mr. Garbee is able to budget his time to take a leading part in the Boy Scout program, the Lions Club and other civic work.

His title at the college is chairman of the division of physical education and industrial arts. Mrs. Garbee teaches the one class in physical education for girls at Hunter Field. They met at Southwestern Missouri State College, where Mrs. Garbee was a teacher and Mr. Garbee a student. They have two children, a boy, 11, and a girl, 13.

A non-laying or low-producing pullet requires from 55 to 60 pounds of feed a year.

CHURCH STUDY COURSE

Beginning Sunday, February 15, and continuing for six consecutive Sundays, at 2:30 p. m. there will be a study course conducted at the Boone Methodist Church by Mrs. John Bardeen. The course will center around the topic, "Great Prayers of the Bible," using as a text a book written by Charles M. Layman.

Men and women of all denominations are invited to attend the discussions that will last for one hour each Sunday.

98 Counties Will Aid In Overseas Relief Effort In Carolina

Ninety-eight North Carolina counties, according to latest reports received at the state headquarters of the "Fill a Ship with Friendship" drive, are preparing to participate or have already held collection in the state-wide campaign for clothing, shoes and bedding for overseas relief. The drive, sponsored by the North Carolina Council of Churches and led and supported by church people throughout the state, is now beginning its final days.

Icy weather in many sections of the state has resulted in the postponement of many collections until the first week in February, state director Julian A. Lindsey, announced. However, the cold is a reminder to many, that despite the fuel shortage, life in North Carolina is no hardship compared to life in the battered cities and countrysides of Europe and Asia, the state leader observed. Where we are in some cases without fuel oil, whole cities abroad have used up the last available chip of wood in an attempt to keep warm. The clothing, shoes, bedding and household goods being contributed by generous people throughout the state are desperately needed to preserve life itself among these needy men, women and children abroad.

The goods given in the North Carolina "Fill a Ship" drive will be overseas or on their way within six weeks of their leaving the state for the New Windsor processing center.

One of the most critical periods in the life of the pig is immediately after he is weaned. He should be fed liberally and should be given more care and attention at this time than later in life.

CRANE OVERTURNS

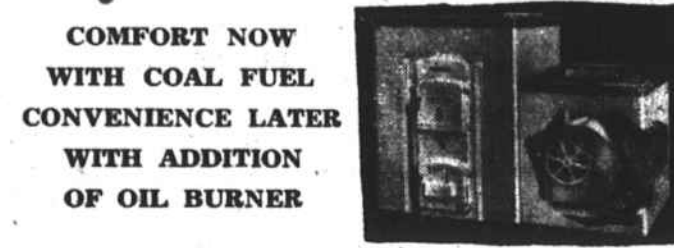
Jersey City, N. J.—Two men were scalded, one fatally, when the crane on which they were working at the Koppers Coke Company, at Kearney, overturned. Robert Sternard, 24, a helper, died, while Edward Rinkle, 32, the operator, was taken to the hospital in a serious condition.

REAL INCENTIVE

Philadelphia, Pa.—Detective Benjamin Simon found that he had a personal interest in his assignment to find a thief who had stolen three pistols from a gun shop. One of the missing guns was his own—a .38-calibre police special revolver he had left at the shop for rebluing.

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MacGregor Sweaters 100% wool, were \$7.95, now \$5.50
MacGregor Sweaters were \$12.95, now \$10.00
MacGregor Sweaters were \$5.95, now \$3.00
MacGregor Sweaters were \$10.95, now \$7.95
Pajamas . . . all sizes By Green Mills, Inc. were \$4.95 to \$5.95 now \$3.25 to \$4.25
Corduroy Coats By Marlboro were \$12.95, now \$10.00
Suits . . . 100% wool Coverts, Tweeds, Plaids by Belmont and Englishtown Reduced one-fourth to one-third
Top Coats by Englishtown were \$29.50, now \$18.00
75 Calvert Sweaters Reduced one-half in price
Cross-Country Sport Coats were \$24.50, now \$18.00
Botany Robes . . . all-wool were \$17.95, now \$10.50 were \$15.95, now \$8.50
Botany Scarfs were \$1.95, now \$1.00
Marlboro Sport Shirts colored pin stripes, were \$3.25, now \$2.25
Leather Jackets By Knapp were \$22.50 now \$15.00
Coat Jackets by Marlboro were \$15.95, now \$11.50
Botany All-wool Socks Reduced one-third
MacGregor Pants Reduced one-fourth
Sport Coats by Englishtown were \$24.50, now \$15.00
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APPALACHIAN LET'S GO TO THE MOVIES

Advertisement for Appalachian movies featuring 'Kiss of Death' (Victor Mature, Brian Donlevy, Coleen Gray) on Thursday, 'Her Husband's Affairs' (Lucille Franchet, Ball-Tone) on Friday, 'The Suspense of Relentless Man Hunt' (Robert Montgomery, Lucky Gagin) on Tuesday, and 'The Wildcat Widow of Wagon Gap' (Tom Conway, O'Riscoll) on Saturday. Also includes a section for 'CRIMINAL COURT' with Tom Conway and O'Riscoll.