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"The basic of our government being the union of the people, the very first objective should be to keep that union together..."

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GOLDEN GLEAMS

No one is ever innocent when his opponent is the judge. Lucan. He who has the judge for his father goes into court with an easy mind. Cervantes.

SEPTEMBER NIGHT

The Dipper swings low in the North, these evenings, and Cassiopeia is off to the East of the Pole Star. And off to the East of Cassiopeia, if the evening is clear, stands a Moon that soon will be verging on the full and coloring like the pumpkin in the fields.

GET PAID FOR EATING ICE-CREAM

St. Louis—Eight children are having their dreams to come true. They have been selected to eat ice-cream sundaes for several hours each Saturday—and are paid 65 cents an hour for doing it.

MR. JIGGS



This is Mr. Jiggs, a baby orangutan recently flown from New York to Denver. He will make his new home at the Cheyenne mountain soon Colorado Springs.

KING STREET

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He said he knew that was all wet... something was going to bust and quick... He had just seen a group of men down in the bank block, armed with long handled spears, and wearing certain regalia...

Dale Carnegie

Some years ago a certain boy was the poorest student in a country school in Iowa. He sat on the back row, he tried to get out of answering questions; he dawdled; he was hopeless.

Briefly Speaking

TOWN GETS MILLIONS Perryopolis, Pa. — Mrs. Mary Fuller Frazier, of Philadelphia, who was born and reared in this small mining town, died recently and left all but \$210,000 of her vast estate to the town for public improvements.

A FIREMAN'S HOLIDAY Altoona, Pa.—While motoring through this city, Capt. Louis J. Pielmeier, of the Pennsylvania Railroad fire department, noticed a motor bus spurring flames.

PIN IN APPENDIX Portland, Ore. — When surgeons removed Dorothy Harmon's appendix, they found a straight pin sticking through the end. Bothered by a pain in her side for years, Miss Harmon told doctors that tests showed on appendix trouble.

DR. SAFETY FIRST Tulsa, Okla. — Among the city's newest residents are Dr. and Mrs. Safety First, who moved here recently from Oklahoma City.

SWIMMING EXPERT AT 54 Ontario, Calif. — Taking up swimming at the suggestion of her doctor to help cure a hip injury, Mrs. Mary Keenan, 54-year-old grandmother, after a week's instructions, out-swam her two teen-age grandsons by covering a mile and a half in a pool.

FAMILY RUNS TO TWINS Bolivar, Tenn.—Twins run in the Johnson Sanderson family. His great-great-grandmother was a twin; his great-grandmother, too.

81-YEAR-OLD WINNER Matthews, Va.—Capt. Johnny H. Miles recently celebrated his 81st birthday by piloting his sailboat, the Kennu, to victory in the over-18-foot class of the Mathews Yacht Club's cup regatta.

DROWNS BATHING DOLL Nescopeck, Pa.—While bathing her doll in a small creek 50 yards from her home, little Illa Dawson, 2, fell in and drowned.

HOMING COW Pueblo, Colo. — Fred Church recently bought a milk cow but did not buy the cow's young calf. The cow broke away and was found two days later, eight miles away, making for the Pooler ranch where her calf was.

BRIEF NEWS

Senator Byrd says U. S. hired 482 each day in July. Chemists are told atomic power is not limitless. European countries resist terms set for loans from ECA.

Church Announcements

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH Rev. E. F. Troutman, Pastor Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Worship at 11:00 a. m. Sermon Topic: "Christian Promotion."

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH J. K. Parker, Jr., Pastor Sunday School at 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Westminster Fellowship 5:45 p. m. Officers meet Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

WATAUGA LUTHERAN PARISH F. M. Speagle, Pastor Mt. Pleasant Congregation: Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Chief Service 11:00 a. m. Mt. Zion Congregation: Sunday School at 2:00 p. m. Chief Service at 3:00 p. m. Special public program at Old Mt. Pleasant church, Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m.

BAPTIST CHURCH Dr. W. G. Bond, Pastor 9:45 Sunday School; 10:55, morning worship. Sermon: "My Church." 6 p. m. youth choir; 6:30, training union; 7:30 evening worship, (college night.) Sermon topic: "My People."

SLASHES OWN SALARY Yonkers, N. Y.—In making up next year's city budget, Thomas V. Kennedy, the city manager, cut himself from \$12,000 to \$10,000 a year. Kennedy made no comment on the move but had said recently it was necessary for the city government to get more revenue or slash expenses.

WANT TO BUY A TOWN? Homedale, Pa.—Want to buy a "nice little town?" R. C. Perkins is looking for someone to buy Tanners Falls in Wayne county—complete with a factory, store, houses and stable. Perkins bought the town in 1941 from a development company. It was formerly the center of a prosperous hide-finishing industry but has been virtually a ghost town since 1931.

OBITUARY Mrs. Verda Margaret Potter Thomas, age 52 years was born Nov. 7, 1895 at Zionville, N. C. and died September 2, 1948 at Reese, N. C. She was married to W. C. Thomas March 4, 1917 and this union was born one child, Mrs. Geneva Thomas Wilson.

Funeral services were conducted at the Zionville Baptist church Saturday at 2 o'clock by Rev. R. C. Eggers. Rev. Edd Farthing and W. K. Wilson. Honorary pallbearers were Roscoe Grayson, Hunter Brown, R. C. Bumgardner, W. A. Stephens, Clyde Reese, Will Reese, Clay Reese, Edd Greer, Dewey Trivette and Will C. Miller.

Mrs. Thomas was converted at 16 years of age and later joined the church and remained a faithful member until death. She was one of the most patient suffering Christians that we ever recall. She lived a life of service and in her busy life of service we indeed fall short of words to express the many different angles of worthy service in which this beloved sister took part while physically able to do so.

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Society Notes

Leach-Glovier Engagement Announced. Mr. and Mrs. James C. Leach announce the engagement of their daughter, Lillian Orme Leach, to Malcolm A. Glovier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mont Glovier of Valle Crucis. The wedding will take place on October 2 in Washington D. C.

Home and Garden Department Meets At Baptist Church The Home and Garden Department of the Worthwhile Woman's Club met Thursday evening, September 8th in the basement of the First Baptist church.

Mrs. W. R. Watkins, president of Worthwhile Woman's Club reported that the American Overseas Drive sponsored by the club will continue through Sept. 30 and that the response from various organizations of town is good. Mrs. Watkins reminded us we won the silver cup last year and hopes we keep it by as many as possible attending the district meeting, September 16, Presbyterian church, Taylorsville.

Mrs. Robert Davis made an interesting and educational talk on "Practical Nutrition." She explained the sources of necessary minerals and their importance in diet. Some obtained through enriched soil and variety—all types of food. Explained the different vitamins and carbohydrates, their sources and values. Discussed seven basic ways to obtain needed foods.

White-Maltba Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White of Shulls Mills announce the marriage of their daughter, Betty, to Mr. James Maltba, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Maltba of Shulls Mills, Friday, September 10th at the home of Rev. S. E. Gragg, who performed the ceremony.

BOOK CLUB To any and all who like to read good books and have good books for their children to read. You are invited to the Lutheran Parsonage at "Big Hill" on Thursday, Sept. 23rd at 2 p. m. to discuss and help organize a Book Club for that community. Be sure and come that you may help select the books.

ESECUTOR'S NOTICE Having qualified as the executor of the will of J. L. Wilson, late of the county of Watauga, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to present them to me for payment within twelve months of the date hereof, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All those indebted to the estate are asked to make immediate payment.

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