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Interesting Items From Deep Gap

Peggy, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Greene, who has been in the hospital the past four weeks, was brought home Saturday. Her condition is very much improved, though far from well. Her friends wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Della Church, aged lady of this community, who has been ill for some time, is still in a very feeble condition.

Mr. A. R. Yates is able to be up some after being confined to his bed for several weeks.

Mr. H. S. Steelman and family have moved into their new home here.

Mrs. Win Greer and two children, Rex and Max, of Todd, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Luther.

Mrs. Lee Watson visited her sister, Mrs. C. E. Reeves, last Thursday.

Rev. J. C. Canipe and Rev. G. A. Hamby, of Boone, were dinner guests of Mr. A. G. Miller, Saturday.

Mr. John E. Luther, who has been ill with cold or flu, is very much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Parker, of West Jefferson, visited Mrs. Parker's relatives here last week-end.

Mrs. R. D. Moretz is visiting relatives in Greensboro.

Miss Louise Miller visited her cousin, Miss Kathleen Miller, Sunday.

DIFFERENCE

Farm record books kept by Cherokee county farmers in 1939 indicate that those with the largest income were the ones who carried out a well-diversified farm program.

"Arizona Bill's" best stories of the old Wild West. Recent death of the last of the daredevil pioneers recalls some of his most spectacular and colorful reminiscences. Don't miss this illustrated feature in The American Weekly Magazine with next Sunday's Washington Times-Herald, now on sale.

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TROUBLE FOR TWO



This meeting between Betty Fields and Burgess Meredith causes strange complications in the story of "Of Mice And Men," the John Steinbeck novel which Hal Roach screened for United Artists release at the Liberty Theatre Monday and Tuesday.

When You Save A Chinese Girl From Death She Becomes Your Property

New York, March 4.—That this story may be understood by the accidental mind, it must be stated that when a Chinese is snatched from the jaws of death it is not uncommon for him to be stricken from the official rolls of the living.

So it was with the Chinese girl whom C. S. Vaughn, transport pilot, lifted dripping from the cold waters of the Yangtze river nearly four years ago. And so it is that Vaughn is still getting bills—and paying—for the board and lodging of a soul for whose rescue he was responsible.

The story goes back to that day when Vaughn brought his airplane to rest at Wahu-Sien.

A strong wind whipped across the river. He called for help to weight down a pontoon and thereby control a wing, tugging at his mooring. The first volunteer was a girl, eager to speed the progress of aviation. Men followed her, though, and in the melee the girl went overboard.

No one moved. So Vaughn shed his coat and dived.

Nearly seven months passed before Vaughn returned to Wahn-sien, and awaiting him was a constabulary officer. In his hand was a bill for \$3.18 "Mex" (1.59) for board and lodging one rescued soul, responsibility Pilot Vaughn.

Vaughn argued with the officer. Officially the girl had quit this life. Vaughn had seen fit to bring her back. Therefore she was his charge until she got married. Vaughn paid and has been paying ever since.

Ads. get attention—and results

NOTICE

By virtue of an Order of the Superior Court of Wilkes County signed by the Clerk thereof on February 14th, 1940, in the Special proceeding entitled W. C. McNeil, Admr., of Robert J. McNeil, deceased, and W. C. McNeil, J. T. McNeil, Mrs. Carrie Church, Mrs. Ida Brookshire, Mrs. Bessie Parker, Mrs. Alda Shepherd, Mrs. Bertie McLean, Blanch McNeil, Mrs. Pearl English, Com McNeil, Jesse McNeil, John McNeil, Wilson McNeil, Ruth McNeil, Edgar Church, Estelle Church Hunt, and Chelsie Church, heirs at law of Robert J. McNeil, deceased, Ex Parte, appointing the undersigned Commissioner to sell the lands described in the Petition, Order, and here-in described either at public or private sale for the purpose of making assets for the payment of debts, and for partition among the tenants in common, the undersigned Commissioner will on March 16th, 1940, at eleven o'clock A. M. at the Court House door in Wilkesboro, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described lands:

Lying and being in Reddies Township, and bounded as follows: Beginning on an Oak, corner of Mr. Clark, and running a Southwest course with Mr. Clark's line to a Maple, Clark's corner; thence a Southwest direction with the line of Mr. Clark around the foot of the hill to a branch, corner of Norma Pierce's land; thence with her line up the branch to Oscar Eller's line; thence a South course with Oscar Eller's line to the top of a knob, in Thomas Pierce's line; thence Eastwardly direction with Thomas Pierce's line to Decater Minton's line; thence with Decater Minton's line to the beginning, Containing 30 acres more or less. This the 14th day of February, 1940.

N. C. McNEILL, Commissioner
By CHAS. G. GILREATH
Attorney 3-7-4t (t)

Two More County Homes Discarded During February

Madison and Polk county homes joined those of Mitchell, Hyde, Greene, Swain, Cherokee, Chowan, Cumberland, Yancey and Transylvania on the closed list when the commissioners of the respective counties voted to discontinue use of the buildings in February, according to information received by the State welfare department's division of institutions and corrections.

Twenty-five North Carolina counties now have found it unnecessary to provide institutional care of the needy aged. W. Curtis Ezell, director of the division and, beginning with the inception of the public assistance program in the state slightly more than two years ago, 11 homes have been closed and the inmates placed in private dwellings to give them more family contacts during their declining years.

Calvin R. Edney, Madison welfare superintendent, said there were 24 inmates in that home at the time of closing, only five falling to the county entirely for support. Nineteen were given public assistance grants of which the Madison treasury had to supply only one-fourth the cost, the remainder being made up by the state and federal governments.

"Closing of the home will mean a saving of approximately \$1800 a year to Madison county taxpayers," Edney said.

Four inmates were in the Polk county institution when it was ordered closed, Miss Ina T. Tyner, welfare superintendent, reported to Director Ezell.

"The purpose in closing these homes with small inmate population is to provide better care for them in the more homelike atmosphere of private families," Ezell said.

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News Of Lewis Fork Community

The Sunday school and prayer meeting at Lewis Fork church every Sunday and Sunday night for the past year has been one among the best in the county. The attendance has been above average of any previous years. Mrs. Novella Foster, our superintendent, has done wonderful work, and with the cooperation of a fine set of teachers, our Sunday school for 1939 was something to be proud of. May the year of 1940 be a greater success.

Mr. Com Elledge has moved into his new home on Lewis Fork and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Walker have moved to Mr. Elledge's old home place near Champion.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Silas Church on February 22, a son, Charles Clayton Washington.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Radford Eller, a son on February 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Triplett, of Maple Springs, were visitors at Mr. T. A. Eller's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hensley Eller, of Millers Creek, visited Mr. and Mrs. Radford Eller, Sunday.

Miss Matty Vee and Ina Pay Triplett and Miss Vivian Church, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jones, Coy and Odie Triplett were visitors of Mrs. Rebecca Blevins, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller, of Purlear Route 1, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Laws, Sunday.

Miss Ida Church, of Purlear, spent the week-end with Mrs. Jenny Goforth at Champion.

Mrs. Teensy Stout, of Congo, is visiting friends in this community. Mrs. Stout, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Walker and Master Grayson spent Sunday with Mrs. Irene Greene.

Rev. Grady Minton, pastor of Lewis Fork church, filled his regular appointment Sunday with a visiting minister, Rev. Dwight Edmondson, of Doone.

Mrs. Willie Proffit was a dinner

Warrant Against Cobbler Secured By Census-Taker

Milwaukee, Wis.—A government census-taker late Monday obtained a federal warrant charging that a Kenosha, Wis., shoe repair shop proprietor refused to answer business census questions and chased him out of the shop. It was believed the first such warrant issued.

The warrant was issued to John W. Gilman, Kenosha, by U. S. Commissioner Floyd Jenkins.

Gilman said the incident occurred February 23.

"He didn't want to answer any of the questions," Gilman said. "Finally he took after me and chased me out of the shop."

The name of the shoe shop owner was withheld by Jenkins pending service of the warrant.

Gilman declined to reveal the nature of the questions asked, or what reasons the shop keeper gave for refusing to answer.

Guest of Mrs. Hallie Eller, Sunday the 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Laws and daughter, Joyce, Mrs. Arthur Triplett, Mrs. Ferchus Foster and son, Richard, and Miss Venita Foster, of Congo, visited Mrs. Lee Walsh, Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Jones spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Presswood at Maple Springs.

Mrs. T. O. Minton visited Mr. and Mrs. Travis Eller, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jones, of Summit, visited Mrs. J. M. Jones, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Densen Dyer and daughter, Miss Wonder Lee Dyer, spent Saturday night with Mrs. Dyer's brother, Mr. Archie Goforth.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Riggs, of Millers Creek, spent Sunday with Mrs. Riggs' mother, Mrs. Monroe Foster.

Mrs. Bertha Triplett has been very sick with the flu, but is able to be out again.

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