# Items In Brief

Rev. S. I. Watts filled his reguappointments at Goshen and White Plains Saturday and Sun-

sen ill is better, we are glad to

get back to work again after a brief illness.

Mr. Cecil Earp and mother have moved to Pores Knob where they will make their home for a while.

Mr. Linsday Rogers and family wisited Mr. Rogers' mother, Mrs. Mary Rogers, of Taylorsville, Sunday.

Mrs. S. I. Watts visited her daughter, Mrs. Paul Brown, of Taylorsville, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Emit Harris and children, of Purlear, visited Mrs. Harris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walker, Sunday. Mr. Lawrence Phillips, who is

a patient at the Wilkes Hospital where he had an operation for expendicitis, is improving, we are "lad to hear. Misses Zora and Belva Fergu-

sited friends in this community ing. anday afternoon. Among the comes they visited were: Mrs. J. E. Greer, Mrs. J. E. Phillips and Mrs. G. M. Earp. Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Greer and

daughter, Jewell, visited Mr. Greer's sister, Mrs. Tom Hester, of Dudley Shoals, Sunday. Mrs. Charlie Church visited

Mrs. S. I. Watts, last week. Mrs. Fronia Watson, of Lenoir, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Edward Lackey, this week.

Sunday was a glorious day and many people attended church and Sanday school throughout the

Mrs. Challie Church is a tient at the Wilkes hospital where the had an operation for appendicitis. We hope for her a speedy

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lackey are the happy parents of a fine boy, born May 8th. The boy weighs 8 1-2 pounds. Mother and son are getting along fine.

### EXPORTS

Probable exports of cotton over the full season which ends July 31, exclusive of barter cotton are Exchange Service.

### Prominent Reddies River Man Passes

Ambrose Gordon Whittington was born June 25, 1953, died May 5, 1940. His stay here was 87 years, 10 months and 10 days. He was the son of the late William H. Whittington and Ann F. Little Monroe, son of Mr. and Gilreath Whittington, being a rs. Charlie German, who has grandson of the late pioneer, Leonard Whittington, who came from Iredell and settled here in Mr. Johnson Caldwell is able to this county on Reddies River during the early 18th century. He was born, lived and died on the same farm. He had been in declining health for many months and had been confined to his room since the death of his wife. Death was sudden but peacefully. He was dressed and preparing himself for his Sunday morning

friends. He was married March 20, 1873, to Catherine Snyder, who preceded him in death December 21, 1939. To this union seven children were born, all of whom survive, Smith, Robert, Willie, Mrs. A. M. Whittington, Mrs. John Crysel, Mrs. R. S. Whittington and Mrs. Wiley Forester, also thirty grandchildren, twentyeight great-grandchildren and a n, of the Beaver Creek section host of friends to mourn his pass-

breakfast. His death was a great

A white - bearded pioneer merchant, farmer and business man in Wilkes County, he was known to hundreds of people in this county as "Uncle Ambrose" throughout the latter years of his life. He was widely known throughout this state and others.

Funeral services were held at Reddies River church, May 6, 1940, at 2:00 p. m. The service was conducted by the Revs. W. T. Whittington and Shade Cauthe Masonic Lodge. Honorary er Whittington, Eddie Forester of sandpaper, steel wool and em-Odell Whittington, Fred Hamil- which brought out the rich melton. Wilson Shepard, James Blev- lowness of the fine old wood. ins, Scott Davis, Glenn Reeves, This was a helpful lesson for eve-Paul Owens, Gwyn Whittington, Rich Whittington, Eddie Forester, Charles Bishop, and Misses during a very enjoyable social Dollie and Grace Lee Whitting-

He professed faith in Christ in Lodge Number 45 A. F. and A. Charles Bishop)

### Roaring Gap Home Club Has Meeting

Mrs. Mary Woodruff was hostess to the members of the Home Demonstration club for the month of April, with most of the members attending.

The president, Mrs. J. E. De-Journette, called the meeting to order. The program was opened with the club invocation.

Mrs. J. N. Gentry was in charge of the devotional service, the subject of which was "Spring." She stressed the promise of life renewed, way of resurrection from the dead, God's annual miracles, and how our lives must show fertility instead of barrenness.

Miss Sallie Woodruff, educational leader, gave an interesting study on the life and work of the famous French painter, Jean shock hundreds of relatives and Baptiste Carot. She stressed his beautiful picture "Spring," by displaying prints in colors. A painting of this kind simply opens the doors of the soul and makes the world quite new to catch this breath of Spring.

The roll was called by the sec retary, Mrs. W. W. Calloway to which members answered with their favorite spring flowers.

General plans and suggestions were made for the district meet-ing of the Federation of Home Demonstration clubs which covers the counties of Caldwell, Alexander, Alleghany, Avery, Watauga and Wilkes, which will meet in North Wilkesboro on May 30th.

Miss McGoogan gave the demonstration for the month by removing the finish from an anlique chair and showed the proper method of refinishing. She first used a home-made solution of lye paste for removing the old finish. This method was very effective. dill. Pallbearers were members of Then she used a commercial remover, showing clearly the difpallbearers were grandsons, Clate, ferent steps in the work. She Rich, Tolbart, Terry, Gwyn, Hom- demonstrated the different grades and Robert Crysel. The beautiful ory cloth, suitable for sanding. As profusion of flowers were carried a permanent finish to the furniby granddaughters. Mesdames, ture she used linseed oil and wax ry one.

At the close of the meeting, period the hostess, served delicious refreshments.

early manhood, remaining a faith- M. until his failing health pre-6,402,000 bales, according to a ful Christian to the end. He was vented, and was held an honorary check-up made by the N. Y. Stock an active member of the Masonic member until death .- (By Mrs.

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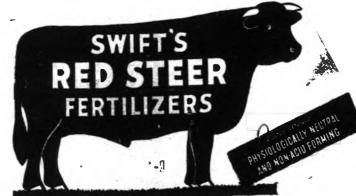


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