

LOCAL NEWS



Mr. John E. Hill, of Campbell, was here today.

Mr. Frank L. Moore, of Smith, was among Danbury's visitors today.

The public schools of the county will open Monday, October 12th.

Mr. Edward Hicks, of Meadows Route 1, spent a short while here today.

Messrs. A. W. Davis and J. O. Isom, of Walnut Cove, were Danbury visitors Monday.

Mr. Virgil T. Grabs, president of the new bank at King, was a Danbury visitor Monday.

Mr. Walter I. Mitchell, of Walnut Cove Route 3, was here today attending to some business.

Messrs. Jno. W. Shelton and Geo. Q. Venable, citizens of Danbury Route 1, were visitors here today.

A citizen here Monday from the Brim section stated that a light frost was seen there Sunday morning.

Mr. Thomas S. Petree left Monday for King where he will take charge as cashier of the new bank there.

Several Winston-Salem people visited the family of Mr. J. C. Baxton Sunday at their summer home at Piedmont Springs.

Mr. C. D. Smith and family, of Campbell, attended services at the M. E. church here Sunday morning.

Miss Mary Martin left yesterday for Walnut Cove where she will teach in the high school. The session begins tomorrow.

Messrs. R. P. Joyce, C. M. Jones, Jno. R. Smith and Watson Joyce, Walnut cove citizens, were in Danbury on business today.

Mr. Andrew Joyce, who has recently been with a corps of surveyors for the Southern railway at Charlottesville, Va., returned to his home here Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Neal, of Meadows, accompanied by Miss America King, of Pilot Mt., who is their guest, visited Danbury yesterday, coming over in their car.

Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Slate, accompanied by Misses Mary Joyce, Jesse Pepper and Mary Martin, motored over to Winston-Salem yesterday.

Personal Items From Meadows.

Meadows, Sept. 28. — Mrs. Mary Cardwell, of Madison, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jno. A. Neal, this week.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Neal made a business trip to Winston-Salem today.

Mrs. H. D. Fagg and Miss America King, of Pilot Mountain, are visiting at Dr. J. W. Neal's this week.

Mr. Robt. Neal went to Winston-Salem Monday on business.

Mr. Jno. A. Neal and wife, accompanied by Mr. Robt. Neal, went to Madison Sunday in Mr. Neal's new automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Flynt, of Winston-Salem, who have been visiting relatives here, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Hill went to Walnut Cove yesterday on business.

News of Lawsonville.

Lawsonville, Sept. 29.—A very large crowd attended divine service held at Snow Creek church Sunday, conducted by Rev. Watt Priddy.

Misses Jennie Sheppard and Erie Moore spent Monday night with Mrs. Mittie Hylton.

Miss Elsie Sheppard returned home last Monday, after spending several days at Stuart, Va., with relatives.

Mrs. Paulina Hill and daughter and Mr. Sam Taylor spent Saturday and Sunday with their uncle, Mr. J. B. Smith, of Smith.

Misses Ruth and Sadie Pringle went to Stuart, Va., last Monday shopping.

Misses Erna and Elsie Sheppard are spending several days at Summerfield visiting Misses Lucile Lester and Flossie Robinson.

Mr. Dave Hodgins, representing the Odell Hardware Co., spent Wednesday night in Lawsonville.

Miss Jennie Sheppard is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Z. R. Sheppard.

Mrs. E. C. Sheppard visited relatives at Stuart, Va. last Sunday and Monday.

Mr. Lester Smith spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. W. W. Smith.

Misses Ethel and Sally Ayers visited their sister, Mrs. H. H. Young, Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Hattie and Roxie Smith will leave next week for Central Academy, where they will enter school.

Mrs. E. C. Sheppard and son, Glenn, spent Wednesday and Thursday at Messrs. C. H. and P. C. Sheppard's.

Miss Sallie Smith has returned to Mr. J. A. Lawson's, after spending the summer visiting relatives and friends at Smith.

Little Miss Eunice Lawson spent Saturday at her grandfather's, Mr. M. H. Robertson's.

Misses Helen and Obeira Moore and Mr. Ed Wall spent Sunday at Mr. W. W. Smith's.

Misses Hattie and Roxie Smith visited their grandmother, Mrs. Malissa Lawson Monday.

Mr. Alex Rogers has recently purchased a nice five-passenger Ford car.

Misses Lucy and Gladys Lackey, Elsie, Pearl and Georgia Sheppard, Bessie and Erie Moore and Messrs. Eugene Ray, Percy Morefield, Wesley, Alonzo and Gene Pringle, R. C. King, Tom Corn, Sam Taylor, Alex Rogers, Walter Rogers and Homie Moore attended the apple peeling given by Miss Annie Hylton Monday night. All seemed to enjoy themselves.

Misses Mary and Alpha Jessup, Erna Sheppard, Messrs. Fred and Lester Smith, Gabe Hylton, Rex and Denson Sheppard, Rufus Ayers, Aron Mabe, Everette Fagg and Clifton Moore spent Sunday at Mr. E. C. Sheppard's.

Mr. Alex Rogers went to Stuart, Va., last Monday in his car.

Mesdames Cann Smith, Beulah Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Virgie Smith, Jennie Sheppard, Messrs. Powell Robertson and Posy Moore spent Sunday at Mr. Z. R. Sheppard's.

Personal and News Items From Gideon.

Gideon, Sept. 29.—The farmers of this section are about through pulling fodder.

Mr. Ed Carroll spent a short while at this place today.

Mr. W. M. Flynt spent the latter part of last week with Mr. J. G. H. Mitchell at Walnut Cove.

Miss Della Stewart, of Danbury, is visiting in this community at present.

Mr. J. Wyatt Duggins went to Walnut Cove on business Monday.

Miss Ethel Flynt, Messrs. Oscar Duncan, Elmer Flinchum, Joyce Reid and Chas. Mitchell visited Miss Myrtle Fagg Sunday.

Quite a crowd called at Mr. J. F. Dunlap's Sunday afternoon.

Mr. W. M. Flynt visited his brother, Mr. W. J. Flynt, on Madison Route 3 Sunday morning.

Miss Etzel Flynt spent Saturday night with Miss Myrtle Fagg at Dillard.

Messrs. Elmer and Roy Flinchum went to Pine Hall on business yesterday.

Mr. Billie Pitzer spent Friday at Winston-Salem with his daughter, Mrs. Gaither Davis.

Miss Fannie Lasley spent Thursday afternoon at Mr. W. M. Flynt's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rhodes and children are visiting Mrs. Rhodes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kington, today.

Mrs. J. F. Dunlap spent Monday afternoon at Mrs. Mary Dunlap's.

TRIMBLETOW.

An Appeal To The Members of the M. E. Church, South, Danbury Circuit.

Do you know my friends that the Mission Board of the Western North Carolina Conference has been giving for the past twenty years, or more, one hundred and fifty to two hundred dollars annually, which amounts to about thirty-five hundred dollars, to help support your preachers?

Do you think it fair for the Board, from year to year, to give you this money, and you give comparatively nothing in return? You must help to replenish the treasury of the Mission Board if you expect it to continue to help you. In all the history of Danbury Circuit there is no record that it ever paid all of its assessments in full. Can you afford for this to be your record always? You have abundant resources. God has blessed you beyond measure. What have you done for Him? The question is not how much shall we give to God, for God owns all that we possess; but how much of God's possessions shall we keep for our own use.

On last Saturday morning, Sept. 26th, our Presiding Elder, in his sermon, asked the question: "What shall we do with our surplus?" The answer he gave was "put it into the kingdom of Almighty God." Do you think he is right? If you do and act accordingly, the church of the living God in this country would never suffer for want of means to carry on its work.

Let us, my friends, put our surplus into God's kingdom where it will be safe.

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Tobacco Growers Will Not Have to Pay Tax

Washington, Sept. 29.—Representatives in Congress from the tobacco producing states are expressing gratification that the war revenue bill as it has passed the House does not carry any provision which would result in the taxing of the grower of this product. They naturally would have liked to see the bill passed without providing a tax for anyone interested commercially in tobacco but this was impossible as the ways and means committee had definitely made up its mind as to taxing dealers.

United States Will Exert Its Good Offices To Bring Peace.

London, Sept. 29.—English officials express confidence that the United States at the proper time will exert its good offices to bring the European war to a close under conditions insuring permanent peace. President Wilson's recent statement that peace overtures were premature at this time have proved reassuring here.

High officials today express the opinion that the United States, after the combatants become exhausted, will make it possible to negotiate a treaty requiring the European nations submit further differences to the United States for arbitration, thus making a recurrence of the war impossible.

Desirable Immigrants Be Diverted To South.

Washington, Sept. 29.—Plans are under discussion relative to diverting to the south the desirable immigrants of those who are expected to flock to this country following the close of the European war. It is being pointed out that immigrants who will give their attention to the tilling of the soil, in other words, to assisting in the production of food stuffs would not only help develop the South but provide what the entire country needs, more food products.

A public examination of school teachers will be held at Danbury Thursday and Friday, October 8th and 9th. Colored teachers by Superintendent Smith on will be examined on the 10th.

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