

Iotla

By Mrs. R. L. Poindexter

Mrs. Mary Tallent of Olive Hill has been seriously ill for several days.

Miss Dorothy Morgan, who has been employed in Detroit, Mich., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Morgan of Route 3.

Miss Lou Ella Edwards of Charlotte, recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Edwards of Iotla.

Lewis Hylton of the C. S. Navy is spending several days with his parents and wife on Iotla. He received an emergency call to see his mother, who is ill. He volunteered for service in March, 1940.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wyman and George Moore have returned to Maryland after spending the holidays at home.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bolton are glad to welcome them home again after a year's residence in Modesto, Cal. Mr. Bolton has returned to the employ of the Nantahala Power and Light Company. He will take up the work of the late H. E. Church.

We are having a lot of sickness on Iotla now, Mr. Haughton Williams has been confined to his bed for the last week with the flu.

Mrs. Maggie Huggins has been on the sick list.

James F. Poindexter visited his brother, R. L. Poindexter, Jr., in Mathews, last weekend. He is now stationed at Norfolk, Va.

We are glad to know that Mr. Chester West, now living in Brevard, is recovering from a serious operation in Asheville a few weeks ago.

We are hoping to have the lunch room open very soon to give the children hot lunch these cold days.

Mrs. Colos Rogers went to Asheville Saturday to visit Mrs. Florence Rogers and daughter.

Scaly

Mrs. Fred H. Vinson

Miss Louise Burnette, who is attending college at Greensboro, spent the holidays with her parents here.

Miss Trulla Vinson and Mr. and Mrs. Rowe Vinson from Virginia, spent the holidays with their parents.

Misses Mary Anders and Mae Miller, who are working at Greenville, S. C., recently visited their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Vinson are spending the winter with their children in Athens and Macon, Ga.

Mrs. Coolidge Burnette recently visited her sister in Gastonia.

Mrs. Fred H. Vinson visited her mother, Mrs. George C. Dowdle, who is ill at Angel hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Vinson have received word that their son, Atlas, has landed safely overseas.

Work on the Church of God parsonage is progressing nicely and the people hope to complete it soon.

Briartown

Pvt. Odell Roper has recently spent a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Roper.

Miss Maude Jones has returned home after spending a week visiting Miss Alice Owenby in Valdese.

Pvt. Bryce Rowland of Kyle visited his sister, Mrs. Zeb Morgan on Hampton Branch last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Owenby have gone into the poultry business.

Mrs. Exie Taylor has been visiting her father, C. B. Owenby.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Daye visited Mrs. Daye's mother, Mrs. Hassie Douthit, recently.

Pvt. Weyman Ayers is now stationed in New Orleans, La. He left for service in December.

West's Mill

H-D CLUB MEETS
The Home Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. R. T. Bryson recently, with Mrs. Clara W. Owens as president.

A very beautiful ceremony was used by Mrs. Florence Sherrill to install the new officers for the year 1944. Mrs. Sherrill gave a demonstration on canning meats, which was a great improvement on the old method. Mrs. Bryson, the hostess, served dinner to the large crowd present.

Sgt. Rudolph Carter is home on a furlough from Colorado.

The following persons went to Atlanta on business Sunday and returned Monday: Fred West, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. West, Jr., and Robert Morgan.

Mr. Jewel DeHart, from Winston-Salem, was here on business several days last week.

Mrs. J. W. Morgan spent the past two weeks with her daughter and family, Mrs. Claude Parrish near Bryson City.

Mrs. C. A. Bryant is visiting relatives in Indiana.

Mrs. Carl Parrish is much improved from a serious attack of flu.

Mrs. Lizzie Potts, from Bryson City is visiting relatives here this week.

Henry Cabe and family, from Otto, visited relatives here last Sunday.

Mr. Dwight Parrish has been quite sick for several days.

Mrs. Carl Rickman from Bryson City is visiting relatives here this week.

Cyrus W. Carter, from Wilmington, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Carter.

The graded school has opened with a large enrollment. The educational influence and cooperation of both the teachers and parents is being widely felt in the school and community at large.

A number of friends from Bryson City of Mrs. Nannie B. Browning, gave a surprise birthday party in her honor on Tuesday last. A most enjoyable day was spent, and many nice presents were received.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Browning, from Bryson City, spent last Sunday with Mrs. V. A. Browning.

Kyle Health Center Open

The health center will be open at the White Oak Farm at Kyle on February 11, between the hours of 1 and 3 p.m.

The object of the health center is to maintain and improve the health of the community.

1. By aiding in keeping well babies well by regular check-ups.

2. By regularly checking the conditions of expectant mothers.

3. By immunizing children against communicable diseases; diphtheria, smallpox, whooping treatment will be referred to cough, etc.

Conditions found requiring family physician.

The Health Center clinic will be conducted by Dr. M. B. H. Michal, assistant district health officer, assisted by Mrs. Gaines, county nurse.

Oak Dale

Jessie M. Roper

The people of this community were sorry to hear of the death of Lyle Bradley, whose wife is the former Annie Mae Roper. Her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Roper, her brother, Vernon Roper, and sister, Mrs. Roy Mason, live in this section and the sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved family.

Mrs. George Harvey Roper, who is the former Ruth Osborne of Wilkesboro, is making her home with her husband's relatives while he is serving in New Guinea.

The 'Mothers' Victory Prayer Band' meets every Friday afternoon at the Mt. Sinai church to pray for peace and for the safe return of their loved ones. There are 29 young men in the service whose homes are in this community, and 12 of these are already overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Raby have received a letter from their son, Pfc. Sam D. Raby, who is stationed in India. He says he is "safe and well."

Don't Be Charged With Non-Support



Grade A Macon County Dairies

Recent surveys by W. F. Hart, sanitarian, show the following dairies have attained a Grade A sanitary rating: Nantahala Dairy, Nantahala Creamery, Addington's Dairy, Howell's Dairy, Carl Slagle's Dairy, Higdon's Dairy, Stewart's Dairy.

The latter four dairies have just recently been constructed and attained a Grade A.

G. T. PARRISH RECALLS EARLY DAYS

G. T. Parrish of Burningtown was a visitor to Franklin last week. When he came in to renew his subscription to the Press he looked hale and hearty in spite of his more than "threescore years and ten." He said he comes to town only about twice a year now and has been taking the county newspaper as far back as he can remember, and still reads it without spectacles. He recalled the building of the present court house. "I hauled brick to help build it when I was about twelve years old," he said. "I drove my father's team for which he received 75 cents a day and I was paid 25 cents a day for my work," he recalled.

ADMINISTRATOR NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of W. S. Thompson, deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of December, 1944, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 30th day of December, 1944.

JAMES THOMPSON, Administrator.

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EXECUTRIX NOTICE

Having qualified as executor of Herbert Edmond Church, deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 5th day of January, 1945, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 5th day of January, 1944.

EUNICE ARTHUR CHURCH, Executor.

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ADMINISTRATOR NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of John D. Kinsland, deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 17th day of January, 1945, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This the 17th day of January, 1944.

S. J. KINSLAND, Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of Jess Willard Johnson, deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 31st day of December, 1944, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to

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This 17th day of January, 1944.

S. J. KINSLAND, Administrator.

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ADMINISTRATOR NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of G. W. Stiwinter, deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 17th day of January, 1945, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 17th day of January, 1944.

W. A. KEENER, Administrator.

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BUY MORE WAR BONDS



Freedom of CHOICE

WITH ALL THE TALK about Freedoms, what about freedom of choice?

After all, freedom of choice can mean the same thing as all the other freedoms people are talking about—and a few others besides. In large measure, freedom of choice is what this war is about.

Freedom of choice means such ordinary things as trying soy beans in the south field next year, if you think it's the thing to do. It means buying the kind of flour you think gives you the best biscuits. It means you and your boy doing the deciding whether he'll go to college, or learn to be a toolmaker.

Freedom of choice is the soil in which character grows.

This freedom of choice—and its counterpart, a sense of responsibility for the decisions made—has done much to develop the character that is going to win this war—on the battle fronts, on the farm, in industry. And when the victory is won, the kind of America we have fought and worked to preserve must be a country in which every man and woman, and every boy and girl, will have freedom of choice in even greater measure. General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

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