

Mrs. Wiggs Comes to Town to Show What Movie Fans Want

The Horse, the Dog and the Kids Are Supplanting Objectionable on the Screen

By Bion H. Butler
From the day when the women came out of all the cities of Israel to meet Saul, singing and dancing as they came, with tabrets, with joy and with instruments of music, the ages to the present day, as it will continue into the future, folk have enjoyed the dramatic and musical performances of the choir and the theatre and the picture show. And as long as the human mind can recall, the horse and the dog have been intimate and loved companions of mankind.

Last week at the theatre in Southern Pines crowded houses several times in succession welcomed that appealing story, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch." The moving picture show is an important factor in the entertainment of this community, sharing with the school house and the church in its influence in shaping the moral and educational inclination of the young folks and the old ones as well, and it is probably more of a factor than most of us suspect, for it does not throw any compulsion about its instruction. It merely presents its picture and allows the impression to do its work, and it never argues or commands.

We have heard a lot about the objectionable of the picture shows, and no doubt much of the criticism is justified. No doubt the present sees a marked improvement, and no doubt the people will appreciate a higher quality of material on the screen as it is available, as the plays last week indicated. Mrs. Wiggs is a comparatively old-fashioned story, written some years ago and now almost forgotten, except that nothing so immortal as its plain philosophy can ever be forgotten. That is what happened to the story. The picture producers brought out the old tale and set aside for the time the cocktail and naked gang and the modern froth, and the patrons of the theatre have probably talked more about Mrs. Wiggs in the past week than about almost anything else that has come this way in a long time.

Honest Simplicity
You know why, too. You bring a dog and a horse and some small children and some of the clean and homely philosophers from the cabbage patch and almost every one of us will bow down and worship. You can't turn your back on a horse, nor on a dog, nor on the budding youngsters, nor on the honest simplicity of life of those who are struggling the hardest, preserving their faith in the great Jehovah and things as created, and leading a hand to one another in their mutual needs.

I have little tolerance for the complaint that the human mind is vitiated. I don't believe God Almighty would spoil a big job by deprecating a multitudinous race after he had gone to the trouble to create it. We have frivolities and nonsenses, but at the bottom people are about good mill-run production, capable of vast usefulness and worth. We slip at times. The test of quality is shown when a play like Mrs. Wiggs comes along, for then we see what folks really appreciate—the dog, the horse, the young ones, the finer sides of human character, and the appreciation at the show last week was not artificial. It was the honest-to-God feeling of the whole audience, which is representative of the whole human race.

The conclusion is that when the producers give the people a play that is of superior type the people pay their money for it. The signs are that more of this sort of things is to crowd out the more objectionable stuff, and right there is where the reformers and the moralists can do their Goliath work of helping by offering their patronage to the good things, which count for more than kicking about the bad ones.

"An' they're goin' to get married," Mrs. Wiggs whispered softly to herself; "an' Billy's got promoted, an' Asia's got a place, an' Chris'll have a new wooden leg. Looks like ever' thing in the world come right if we jes' wait long enough."

RURAL ELECTRIFICATION WANTED, SURVEY REVEALS

Frank Wood, C. F., who has been surveying Moore county with the idea of extending electrical lines into rural areas, reports that the homes of 225 prospective users of electricity have been visited and extensions to these homes plotted on a county map. In all, nine community extensions have been planned. They are located as follows:

Two extensions from Cameron, two from Vass, one north of Carthage, one from Jackson Springs, one near Eureka, one at Roseland and one at Addor.

Additional extensions are contemplated from Cameron, Deed River Township, Hemp, and in the Big Oak sections of the county.

The Rural Electrification Survey in this state will come to a temporary close on Friday of this week, as State funds for this work have been exhausted.

Communities which have not been included in the preliminary survey need not necessarily be omitted in the final project for extending the lines. Any communities not visited and wishing the benefits of rural electrification may get in touch with Mr. Wood at Carthage.

The Pilot is read by some 10,000 persons each week. Regular advertising would drive your message home to these prospects.

It Pays to Advertise in The Pilot.

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REP. WALTER LAMBETH

WEST END

Mrs. S. H. Cochran had as her guest over the week-end Miss Sparks, her niece from Ellerbe.

M. C. McDonald, Sr., has returned home from the Moore County Hospital where he was recuperating from a slight attack of pneumonia.

Miss Treve Auman and Mack and Glenn Auman spent the week-end with their parents. Ralph Newman, a friend of Glenn's was with him.

Mrs. B. U. Richardson, and Mrs. P. J. Chester shopped in Charlotte last week.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church is conducting a study class which is being taught by various members of the auxiliary. It will meet with Mrs. R. G. Mathewson in Jackson Springs this week.

Mrs. D. C. Ritter and Priscilla Ann visited in Goldston this past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Pulliam, Phoebe, and Mrs. H. E. Davis shopped in Greensboro last Saturday.

Mrs. H. G. Fletcher and Mrs. O. H. Grdon made a trip to Fayetteville Saturday.

Earl Auman was operated on in the Moore County Hospital Monday for appendicitis.

Mrs. Clyde Gaddy of Sanford visited her sister, Miss Catherine Jackson last Sunday.

Miss Susan McLean was hostess to the West End Book Club at her home in Aberdeen last Friday night.

W. G. Roseboro is working in Hamlet for a short time.

A square dance was held in the Community House last Friday night.

Mr. Jobe, from the Farm Relief Administration in Raleigh, was in West End Tuesday, making arrangements with farmers to take care of their cattle during the winter.

The quarterly conference of the M. E. Church met at the Methodist Church last Thursday.

Mrs. M. H. Tucker is teaching this week for Miss Susan McLean, who is ill at her home in Aberdeen.

JACKSON SPRINGS

Phil Sawyer of Boston was a guest at the manse Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. K. A. McLeod, who has been in the Moore County Hospital for three weeks, has returned home.

Misses Floyd Richardson and Mattie Milligan have returned home from the Moore County Hospital where they underwent appendicitis operations.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Blue and children, Louise and W. E., Jr., of Southern Pines were visitors at the Manse Sunday afternoon.

Miss Nellie Muse is at home from the Sanatorium, much improved.

Baxter Morris and daughter of Fayetteville and Mrs. Morris of Maxton were visitors in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woodruff of Southern Pines returned home Monday after a visit with Fred's mother, Mrs. R. E. Henderlin.

Miss Evelyn Holliday who is teaching in Belmont, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Clark for the week-end.

Mrs. Jennie McKenzie is ill with a severe cold.

An enjoyable musical was given at the C. C. camp Wednesday night by Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin, who have been radio broadcasters.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin and children, Mrs. Sam McDuffie and son, and Mr. McCaskill were shopping in Rockingham Saturday.

Circle No. 1 of Jackson Springs Church met at Mrs. L. G. Melvin's Thursday afternoon for the study of "The Mission Study Book." Eighteen members were present.

The Rev. R. G. Matheson attended the meeting of the Red Cross Roll Call chairmen at Mrs. Betty Hanna Davidson's residence in Knollwood Friday.

There was a joint meeting of the Women's Auxiliary and Young People Sunday night to complete the mission study book. A program on Home Missions was given and a self denial offering taken.

On Monday night, November 12 the Rev. Mr. Crinkley of Hemp will hold evangelistic services at the Jackson Springs church.

The ladies of Jackson Springs Home Demonstration Club and their families met with Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Poole Tuesday evening, October 23. This was the fourth recreational meeting held during this club year. There were 62 present and everybody enjoyed one of "Ye old time chicken stews" and coffee.

Many a house has been rented by a Want Ad.

Notice of Sale of Assets of The Bank of Vass Vass, N. C.

NORTH CAROLINA, MOORE COUNTY, IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
Under and by virtue of sale made and entered in a judgment in the cause now pending in the Superior Court of Moore County and entitled "In Re Bank of Vass," said Judgment appearing in Minute Docket Book No. 24, Pages 249-250, the undersigned, on

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1934, AT THE BANKING HOUSE OF THE BANK OF VASS, IN THE TOWN OF VASS, NORTH CAROLINA

will offer and sell to the highest bidder for cash all the remaining assets of the Bank of Vass as follows, to-wit:

CASH ITEMS	
Check—J. W. Graham	\$ 9.20
Check—J. W. Graham	10.00
Check—J. W. Graham	2.50
Check—J. W. Graham	4.00
Check—J. W. Graham	10.00
Check—J. W. Graham	50.00

OVERDRAFTS	
W. H. Coffey	\$31.63
W. F. Briggs	1.03
Miss Thelma Patterson	.42

NAME	COLLATERAL OR ENDORSEMENT	AMOUNT
J. F. Allred		\$ 498.36
W. F. Alexander,		
R. P. Andrews	Mrs. W. F. Alexander	968.87
N. H. & Fannie Arnette	Annie L. Andrews	34.50
N. H. & Fannie Arnette		315.00
A. B. Atkins		550.00
E. L. Badgett, et al	Ethel Atkins	50.00
A. C. & Mrs. Bettie Baker		100.00
A. C. & Mrs. Bettie Baker		1,000.00
C. V. Barnes,		403.80
D. A. Blue	J. D. McLean	200.00
D. A. Blue,		211.00
D. A. Blue,	Geo. W. McNeill	1,000.00
Geo. M. & W. M. Blue	Chattel Mortgage	325.00
J. O. Blue,		300.00
L. H. Blue,	J. R. McQueen	250.00
W. M. & C. C. Blue	Z. V. Blue	139.22
W. M. Blue		400.00
W. P. Boggs,		8.90
Mrs. Stacy Brewer	D. R. Stokes	96.65
Stacy Brewer		22.45
Bright Belt Warehouse,	John Wilcox	85.00
Catherine M. & Honoria Brooks	A. M. Cameron	670.67
A. R. Burch, et al		274.85
R. E. Bryant,		634.25
R. E. Bryant, Ida M. Bryant	J. T. Simmons	50.00
R. E. Bryant,		425.00
R. E. Bryant,	D. J. Thomas	195.00
A. Cameron,	P. A. Fisher	180.00
G. McG. Cameron	40—s/s Vass Cotton Mills	\$4,750.01
J. S. Cameron	D. D. S. Cameron	200.00
Carolina Coal & By-Products		150.00
Carolina Coal & By-Products	Co.—J. R. McQueen—W. H. McNeill	2,000.00
Carolina Coal & By-Products	Co.—J. R. McQueen, W. H. McNeill	2,115.00
H. M. Carroll,	Percy L. Gardner	150.00
Mary Cassidy,		255.00
J. E. Collins—J. M. Reed	Deed of Trust	91.54
J. E. Collins—J. M. Reed		50.00
J. E. Collins—J. M. Reed		150.00
Thos. J. Coore,	Mrs. Fannie Blue Coore	196.46
W. T. Cox—W. J. Cameron		12.00
W. T. Cox—Percy L. Gardner		50.00
J. R. Craig—N. M. McLean		4.49
A. G. Crissman—W. H. Keith		75.00
T. E. Davis et al		25.00
J. A. Dees—T. J. Smith		35.00
C. E. & J. L. Elliott		20.00
J. W. & J. L. Elliott		60.00
J. L. & Claude Elliott		75.00
J. B. Evans, et al		400.00
C. H. Evans, et al		100.00
J. F. & R. A. Evans		124.87
S. H. & Helen Parker Evans		74.11
Clem Everette,	Percy L. Gardner	25.00
Futrell & Graham, Inc.,	W. B. Graham	409.00
Jesse H. & Percy L. Gardner		435.00
Percy L. & Carrie A. Gardner		4,000.00
Percy L. & Carrie A. Gardner		842.87
S. H. & S. L. Gardner		300.00
S. H. & S. J. Gardner		50.00
M. H. & Percy L. Gardner		50.00
Graham Brothers		2,000.00
D. A. Graham		969.39
J. W. Graham		3,200.00
R. W. & W. B. Graham		1,194.40
W. M. Gilmore,	W. J. Harrington	48.25
A. D. Hinsley, et al		250.00
Home Furnishing Co.,	J. W. Graham	2,000.00
Geo. H. Humber,	L. L. Marion	20.00
R. G. Hutcheson	Essie R. Hutcheson	500.00
L. L. Johnson		4,700.00
C. L. Jordan,	D. McCrimmon	160.00
J. H. Judd		500.00
Keith Motor Co.,	W. H. Keith	632.71
Hugh A. & Mrs. Hugh A. Keith		486.00
J. A. Keith		270.00
D. B. & D. H. Kelly		30.91
J. Clyde & Louise F. Kelly		100.00
R. L. King, et al		320.00
R. L. & Lula King		50.00
Jas. & Hattie Lewis		1,450.00
Chas. A. Lawrence		247.81
Lakeview Nursery,	F. M. Dwight	175.00
Little River Store Co.,	J. R. McQueen, et al	4,735.15
J. A. Phillips		200.00
A. A. Flora & Edith McCaskill		100.00
A. A. McCaskill,	M. M. Johnson	50.00
D. McCrimmon		292.24
D. McCrimmon	J. R. McQueen	2,298.95
Isabella McDonald,	Alex McLeod	73.61
W. M. Blue		160.00
E. T. McKeithen,	Norman L. McKeithen	326.69
Fred McKeithen,	J. Talbot Johnson	30.00

J. E. McKeithen, et al	Deed of Trust	1,116.52
D. A. & Mary A. McLaughlin		4,250.00
D. A. McLaughlin		532.50
D. A. McLaughlin, Trustee,	Deed of Trust	1,821.92
J. S. & W. N. McLaughlin		150.00
J. D. McLean,	W. N. McLean	200.00
J. D. McLean,	Stacy Brewer	437.23
I. D. McLean—Stacy Brewer		1,500.00
J. W. McNeill,	Deed of Trust	250.00
D. W. & H. J. McNeill		2,000.00
W. H. McNeill		2,000.00
W. H. McNeill		350.00
W. H. McNeill		3,000.00
J. A. McPherson		100.00
E. L. McNeill		5.00
J. R. McQueen		350.00
E. L. & Mrs. S. E. McNeill		50.00
J. R. McQueen,	W. H. McNeill	2,997.69
J. R. McQueen		1,000.00
J. R. McQueen		1,000.00
A. D. & Allie M. McLaughlin,	Deed of Trust	1,984.54
A. D. & Allie G. McLaughlin,	Deed of Trust	2,750.00
Howard Matthews		25.00
J. L. & Mary P. Matthews		293.95
J. L. & Mary P. Matthews		1,750.00
J. L. & Mary P. Matthews		1,478.59
Vass Mercantile Co.		300.00
A. Montesanti,	I. Montesanti	126.74
C. R. & Ethel U. Mills		265.50
B. C. Morgan		49.42
W. S. O'Brien		183.00
J. H. & Cattie Oldham		49.00
D. C. O'Neal et al		100.00
S. H. & Eula Oliver		8.00
J. M. Patterson	J. E. Elliott	25.00
T. W. & Mrs. T. W. Pilson		80.00
T. W. & Mrs. T. W. Pilson		285.00
D. S. Ray,	E. J. Tillman	125.00
D. S. Ray,	E. L. Ray	25.00
D. A. Shields & W. N. McLaughlin		198.69
J. T. Smith	Percy L. Gardner	100.00
J. W. & T. J. Smith		45.00
W. D. Smith		1,200.00
W. D. Smith		2,378.30
T. M. Sparrow,	L. L. Johnson	386.98
C. W. Spears, et al		727.50
M. N. & Mrs. M. N. Sugg, Jr.		97.31
D. J. & M. E. Thomas		283.18
F. G. Thomas & L. C. Petree		290.75
F. G. Thomas,	C. H. Gordon	365.00
F. G. Thomas	Coy Thomas	89.60
J. W. & Mrs. J. W. Thomas		5.00
W. H. Turner	B. Nat Wells	261.00
Vass Building & Loan Association,	D. A. McLaughlin, Treas.	82.00
Hotel Vass,	W. D. Matthews, Mgr.	375.00
Vass Hotel Building Co.	A. M. Cameron, W. B. Graham	1,500.00
Vass Mercantile Co.,	W. B. Graham, C. L. Tyson	4,180.27
Vass Presbyterian Church Manse,	Acct.—D. A. McLaughlin	380.47
S. W. Whitaker,	Geo. D. Carter	100.00
Frank Welch, Sr.		200.00
W. C. & E. H. Wilcox		93.11
A. L. Wilson,	W. H. McNeill	280.00
A. C. McDonald,	Real Estate	858.23

NAME	AMOUNT	NAME	AMOUNT
J. B. Eastwood	\$3,062.00	Parker H. Cameron	15.69
J. B. Eastwood	967.20	P. I. Edmonds	190.00
Edward Dunlap	245.00	P. I. Edmonds	200.00
J. A. Leslie Heirs	3,523.69	Neill A. Graham	100.00
Clayton Atkins	30.00	Neill A. Graham	38.00
C. N. Atkins	105.50	A. D. Hinsley	50.00
W. M. Atkins	159.09	W. L. Jones	160.00
S. H. Coe	75.00	Mrs. M. E. Lawrence	160.00
C. C. Carlisle	144.77	Kay Maples	25.00
D. M. Cooper	50.00	C. H. Person	55.00
D. M. Cooper	44.81	D. McDonald	158.00
M. G. Cooper	50.00	Nannie Gilchrist	19.60

NAME	AMOUNT	NAME	AMOUNT
Belle Alexander	497.46	Mrs. S. M. McNeill	592.84
D. Al Blue	200.00	D. H. McNeill	99.23
Mrs. S. M. Cox	200.00	J. A. McKeithen Estate	1,200.00
Mrs. Selma Day	200.00	D. McI. McCrimmon	500.00
P. L. Gardner	500.00	A. D. McLaughlin	500.00
J. H. Gardner	500.00	D. A. McLaughlin	1,100.00
J. W. Graham	1,000.00	Mary Gillis McLaughlin	400.00
E. B. Keith	1,000.00	Allie G. McLaughlin	1,500.00
J. A. Keith	1,000.00	Sarah Priest	99.35