



THE GAB BAG By ALAN BROWNING, JR. CAN YOU IMAGINE! We've always thought Frank Sale, who holds forth over the parts department over at Mr. Freeman's Chevrolet company, a pretty good fellow until the other day we took our current piece of rolling stock over to be repaired. We told Frank we wanted it fixed.

A little later we wandered into the shop, climbed over a big "keep out" sign, struck a match on a big "no smoking" sign to light a cigarette, and came upon our car. Can you imagine! Instead of "fixing" it, Arthur Morrison, a mechanic, had the thing laying around the floor in a dozen different pieces!

We were quite upset, and immediately rushed out front to find Frank. Do you know what he said? He said that that was the way they fixed things!

P. S. Maybe Frank and Arthur were right. They got it all back together again and it runs all right.

But that wasn't the half of our troubles. While our car was all torn down we borrowed a used car to go to Dobson in Saturday morning. Aside from a few assorted knocks, rattles, grunts and groans, it did very well until about three miles out of Dobson on the way back. Then it wheezed once, coughed a time or two, and expired. It's queer how cars demand gas to run, isn't it?

"There we were. Ahead the road led through a forest and disappeared around a curve. Behind us the nearest filling station was

Illustration of a car and a man. Text: Bargains are not always what they seem -- especially in insurance premiums! PAUL GWYN INSURANCE Phone 258 West Main St. Elkin, N. C.

have had to hunt around for another column. Thank you so much.

MOUNTAIN PARK

Miss Virginia Fletcher has returned to her home in Petersburg, Va., after spending several months with her sister, Mrs. A. F. Kinzie, and Mr. Kinzie.

Miss Ruby Norman spent the week-end with Gladys and Mary Thompson.

Mrs. A. F. Kinzie and daughter, Mary Gray, have returned home after spending a week in Salem, Va., with relatives.

Mr. A. F. Kinzie, Mr. A. J. Wagner and a group of agriculture boys and some members of the band of Mountain Park school made a tour of Virginia and Washington, D. C., and have returned home.

Mary and Eva Thompson, Ruth and Ruby Norman spent Saturday in Pilot Mountain.

Mr. James Sprinkle has left for Amelia, near Richmond, Va., where he will be in business for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Gentry and Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCann spent the week-end in Virginia.

Mary Thompson and Ruby Norman spent Saturday in Sparta attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Norman spent Sunday afternoon with the Freemans in Dobson.

Eva Thompson spent Monday with Ruth Norman.

Mrs. Robert Moore and children returned home Monday after a week's visit with her brother, Rufus Nixon.

Bobby Linville spent last week with his relatives in Winston-Salem.

Miss Emma Jane Linville is spending the week in Winston-Salem with her relatives.

Mr. Rufus Nixon spent the week-end at his home.

Mrs. J. A. Linville, Mrs. S. F. Gordon and daughter and son, Libby and Linville Gordon, Mrs. G. H. Newsome and daughter, Doris, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Linville and family.

Mrs. Grover Hanes, Nancy and Bobby Hanes have been spending some time with her mother, Mrs. C. F. Fields, at Cool Springs.

Joe Simpson is spending some time with his relatives in Mount Airy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cockerham, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cockerham and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cockerham Sunday.

MARLER

Rev. E. K. Wooten filled his regular appointment at Oak Grove Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blevins and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lester, of Welch, W. Va., were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Whitlock, of Hamptonville, spent the week-end with Mrs. Whitlock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde West, of Winston-Salem, visited Mr. and Mrs. Riley Ashburn Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Vanhoy visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Money Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Bates, of Center, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. Bates' sister, Mrs. Lettie Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Shore and daughters, Misses Ruth and Evelyn, spent Sunday with Mrs. Harvey Shore.

Miss Mary Laster, of Union, is spending a week with Mrs. Hugh Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Burgess, of Brooks Cross Roads, were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Burgess' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson.

Several men of this section attended the big stock sale of Mrs. R. P. Riley in North Wilkesboro Monday afternoon.

BRANON

Mr. Glen Cummings, of Salisbury, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Doss announce the birth of a son, May 17.

A home coming and communion day was held at Bethel Baptist church Sunday. Dinner was served on the grounds. Many people attended and all reported a nice time.

Mrs. Dulla Shore and children, of Jonesville, and Mrs. Polly Patton, of Coolemeec, spent Sunday with Mrs. Carrie Cummings. Mrs. Cummings accompanied them home for a visit.

Lost Underwear Medium—The spirit of your wife wishes to speak with you. What shall I say to her? Daudi—Ask her where she put my summer underwear.

UNION HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Epperson, of White Plains, were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Rachel Wolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nixon, of Elkin, spent Sunday here the guests of friends.

Willie Greenwood, of Thurmond, spent the week-end here with his sister, Mrs. Early Mayes.

L. B. Norman, of Mt. Airy, and Jim Blevins, of Dobson, were visitors here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Britton, of Greensboro, spent Saturday and

Sunday at their summer home here.

Talmage Crouse spent a short time in Stokes county Saturday, attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Glaspie announce the birth of a son on May 19.

Honest and Proud Wanda—Why, Sally! I saw you deliberately put your arms around Mikhail's neck and kiss him.

Sally—Well, he had to have it somehow, and he is too honest to steal and too proud to beg.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for the kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our grandson, little Jack Garland Cochran, and for the beautiful flowers. We also want to

thank our good pastor, Eli Jordan, for the comforting words that were spoken. That God will bless each and every one of you is our prayer. MR. AND MRS. HENRY COCHRAN

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