

LOCALS

Save your laughs until Friday night, October 27.

M. Q. Snow spent the early part of the week in Raleigh, attending to business matters.

Mrs. G. T. Roth returned Wednesday from a tour of four months through the northwest.

W. A. Neaves left Tuesday for a business trip of several days to Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Spainhour moved Monday to their beautiful new home on West Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Gavin Dortch returned Sunday from a brief vacation trip to Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Glenn Lewis left Tuesday for Chester, S. C., for a visit of ten days with Mrs. W. J. Graham.

Joe Bivins left Sunday for Dayton, Ohio, for a visit with Mrs. H. A. Bivins and family. He is expected to return today.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Poindexter returned Sunday from a vacation trip to Williamsburg, Washington and Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Markham and daughters, Misses Neva and Hilda, of Mocksville, were the guests of friends here Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Johannes and little son, Billy, of Guilford College, are the guests of Mrs. Jane Smith, at Home Hotel.

Friends of Mrs. L. E. Aldridge will regret to know that she is ill in the hospital here, suffering from pleurisy.

Friday evening, October 27, has been set aside for fun and enjoyment. Look for announcement next week of details.

Miss Sarah Kelley Lillard, of this city, accompanied by Miss Charlotte McAden, of Charlotte, left Saturday for New York, to attend the World's Fair.

Dr. W. H. Strowd, of Nashville, Tenn., was the overnight guest Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Ashby, the latter his sister, at their home on Bridge street.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Harris and daughter, Sarah, of Statesville, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Finney, at their home on West Main street.

James Gray and Hunter Maguire, students at North Carolina State College, Raleigh, spent the week-end here with their respective families.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Neaves, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neaves and son, Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Neaves, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Neaves, Lowell Smithy and Leonard Shepherd attended a reunion of the Neaves family at the home of J. M. Neaves at Crumpler Sunday.

Eugene Lewis, of Middlesboro, Ky., is on an extended visit to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lewis, the former his brother, at their home on Church street.

Miss Nancy Click, of Morganton, spent the week-end here the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Click, at their home on Circle Court.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Browning, Jr., and children, Sterling and Eobby, spent the week-end in Hillsboro, the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Browning, Sr.

Miss Rosamond Neaves, a student at Duke University, Durham, spent the week-end here the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Neaves, at their home on Bridge street.

Mr. Richard G. Chatham, of this city, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Gordon C. Felts, of Galax, left Wednesday for Washington, D. C. They will return Sunday.

Mrs. W. R. Hubbard, of Moravian Falls, is here with her sister, Miss Minnie Chatham, who is seriously ill following an operation at Hugh Chatham Memorial hospital on Sunday.

Mrs. W. W. Whitaker, Mrs. Errol Hayes, Mrs. C. F. James and Mrs. E. C. James spent Friday in Mount Pleasant, the guests of Mrs. Hoy Moore, daughter of Mrs. Whitaker.

Miss Barbara Weir of the Wadesboro school faculty, will arrive Friday for a week-end visit with her mother, Mrs. Lula Weir, at her home on Surry avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Somers and children, Emily Lou and Albert, Jr., spent the week-end in Chapel Hill, the guests of Mrs. Somers' mother, Mrs. I. W. Pritchard, and attended the Carolina-N. Y. U. game.

Herbert P. Hardin, Dixie, Sheffield, Worth and French W. Graham spent the week-end in Pittsburg, Pa., the guests of their sister, Mrs. L. E. Osborne, and attended the Duke-Pitt game at Pittsburg Saturday.

Richard G. Chatham left Wednesday for Morristown, Pa., where he will be an usher in the wedding of Jack Pepper, formerly of Winston-Salem, and Miss Nita Easley. He will also visit in New York while he is away.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Crews and little daughter, Carol Sue, of Winston-Salem, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Parnell, the former a brother of Mrs. Crews, at their home on Surry avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Young and daughter, Palty Rue, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dockery and Mrs. W. E. Bohannon spent Sunday at Oak Ridge, the guests of Mrs. Bohannon's sister, Mrs. John Pegram.

Mrs. Neal Spainhour and sons, Charles and Kenneth, of East Bend, and Walter Lawson, of Tobaccoville, were guests a short time Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cockerham, en route to Burch to visit Mrs. C. C. Humphries, who is ill at her home there. They were accompanied to Burch by Mrs. Cockerham.

Mr. and Mrs. George Royall and daughter, Miss Peggy, and Miss Eleanor Hayes attended the Carolina-N. Y. U. game at Chapel Hill Saturday and visited their son, Edwin Royall, a student at the University.

Miss Lucy Gray left Saturday for New York, where she will spend a week studying new hair styling and facial methods at Wilfred beauty school preparatory to opening a new beauty shop here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Masten and son, David, and Miss Laura Masten, of this city, accompanied by their brother, W. F. Masten, of Charlotte, spent Sunday in Winston-Salem, the guests of their sister, Mrs. John Brendle.

Mr. and Mrs. Edworth Harris and son, Bobby, and Harold Brendle attended the Carolina-N. Y. U. game in Chapel Hill Saturday afternoon and the State-Wake Forest game in Raleigh Saturday night. They returned to Elkin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wall and Mrs. Ora Wall Vanhoy, of this city, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wall and daughter, Miss Margie Wall, of Sparta, spent Sunday at Enfield the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Knox.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Chatham, Mrs. Raymond Chatham and son, Raymond, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gwyn will attend the play "Golden Boy" to be presented in Winston-Salem this evening, under the auspices of the Junior League.

Miss Ned Ball returned Wednesday from a visit of two weeks with her brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Wade H. Ball and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Ball, in Kansas City, Mo. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Wade H. Ball and Mrs. Ball's sister, Mrs. William Manning, of Memphis, who were guests of Mr. Ball's mother, Mrs. J. H. Ball, at her home on West Main street until Sunday. They returned by Sanford for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Joyce, the latter a sister of Mr. Ball.

Little Misses Mary Dru and Paula Lou Zearly, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zearly, of Pittsburg, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Meed, here, while their parents are on a vacation trip to the North Carolina coast and the World's Fair in New York. The Zearlys are expected to come here the latter part of the week for a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Meed. Mr. and Mrs. Zearly were accompanied on their trip by Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Meed, of this city, the former a brother of Mrs. Zearly.

Rev. P. W. Tucker, pastor of the Methodist church, Rev. L. B. Abernethy, secretary of the Golden Cross, and W. S. Reich, a delegate from the Methodist church, left Wednesday for Greensboro, to attend the Western North Carolina Conference of the Methodist church, at the West Market Street church in Greensboro. The conference will last through Monday. On Friday evening the conferences of the Methodist Protestant church, the Methodist Episcopal church and the Methodist Episcopal church, North, will be organized into one conference, which will be known as the Western North Carolina Conference of the Methodist church.

Miss Minnie Ruth McNeill attended the wedding of Miss Louise Helsabeck, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Helsabeck, and William Joseph Campbell, of Fayetteville, at King Saturday evening. Miss McNeill was one of the bridesmaids in the wedding, which was a church ceremony. Misses McNeill and Helsabeck were classmates at Meredith College, Raleigh. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McNeill, parents of Miss McNeill, also attended the wedding and reception. They were accompanied home by Misses Henrietta Castleberry, of Hillsboro, and Mary Frances Parker, of Garner, members of the wedding party, who were their guests for the week-end.

NEW HOPE BAPTISTS PLAN HOME-COMING

Saturday, October 21, a homecoming day will be celebrated at North New Hope Baptist church, near the Yadkin and Iredell county line on highway No. 21.

The public is cordially invited to attend and bring a basket dinner.

Several speakers are scheduled for the day's program and other interesting events are being planned. In the afternoon the present church building and site will be sold, in addition to several pieces of handwork, including a quilt on which is embroidered the names of several hundred people. The proceeds of the sale will be applied to the building fund for the new church which is being erected.

Young Father — Is there any time at which children cease to be a constant worry?

Oldboy—I don't know. My oldest child is only 65.

COMMITTEEMEN WILL BE NAMED FOR 1940 CROP

Will Be Selected at Meetings Next Week in Each Yadkin Township

OCTOBER 25th AND 26th

Yadkinville, Oct. 18—(Special)—The following statement has been sent out from the county agent's office in Yadkinville:

We wish to call your attention to the election to be held on October 25 and 26 for the purpose of electing Community and County Committeemen who will administer the 1940 Agricultural Conservation Program and also the 1940 Compulsory Tobacco Program.

This year the method for conducting these elections has been changed and Washington has ordered that there be held in each township of the county a public meeting at which time the community committeemen will be nominated and then elected by secret ballot. You will also nominate and elect one delegate to the County Convention who will select the county committee to represent you next year.

All landlords and tenants who cooperated in the 1939 Agricultural Conservation Program or expect to cooperate in the 1940 Agricultural Conservation Program are eligible to vote. All landlords that either cooperated in 1939 or expect to cooperate in 1940 with the Agricultural Conservation Program are eligible to hold the office of committeeman.

The office of committeeman is the most important that we have in Yadkin county. His actions

vitaly affect the welfare of every farmer in his township. It is very important that you select men of excellent character and one that will deal with his neighbor fairly and impartially.

We sincerely hope that each of you will take an active part in this election. You will find listed below a schedule of meetings for the respective townships in Yadkin county for the purpose of conducting these elections. Voting will take place only at the following meetings:

Wednesday night, October 25, 7:00 p.m.—Knobs, Jonesville high school; Boonville, Boonville high school; Fall Creek, Fall Creek school; East Bend, East Bend high school.

Thursday night, October 26, 7:00 p.m.—Buck Shoal, West Yadkin school; Deep Creek, Wooten's Store (Brannon); Liberty, Court House; Forbush, Forbush school.

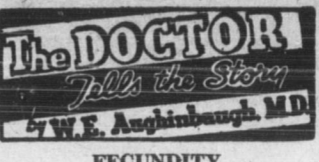
MRS. LUCY FLINCHAM PASSES WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Lucy Saunders Flincham, 77, passed away at the home of her son, R. W. Flincham, east of Elkin, Wednesday night.

She is survived by six children, Mrs. John Vanhoy, Walkertown; A. E. Flincham, Winston-Salem; Mrs. B. E. Whitaker, Pilot Mountain; Mrs. J. S. Hill, Rusk; R. W. Flincham and Miss Mamie Flincham, Elkin, Route 1.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Pilot church. The rites were in charge of the pastor, Rev. J. D. Morris, assisted by Rev. George Tucker. Interment was in the church graveyard.

You and yours should PROSPERIZE



FECUNDITY

So much publicity has been given the Dionne quintuplets born to French-Canadian parents the average individual is almost forced to the conclusion that this is the first time such an event has taken place.

A search of medical records, however, shows that while it is rather unusual, it has been duplicated many times and in several instances exceeded.

Some years ago a woman in Mayfield, Kentucky, had six babies within four hours, two of them are still alive. More recently a slender farm woman living near Mendon, Mo., aged 36, presented her husband with five boys and one girl, the little girl born first, and weighing ten pounds. All of the little ones were prematurely born, which is typical of multiple births.

Not very long ago three boys and three girls were born, at intervals of a half hour, to a 22-year-old woman in North Dakota, all but one dying within twenty-four hours afterwards.

It is rather strange that rural districts are more prolific in this respect than urban centers—just why no one can say.

Other medical writers incline to the belief that the birth rate of this type is influenced by warm climates, and fortify their statements by figures, but nevertheless, it is true that Sweden, a cold country, leads the world in large families, while Iceland with-in the Arctic Circle, averaged twenty children to every married couple, until a plague swept over the country, which decimated the population.

In Canada, where land is given to every mother of twelve or more

children, in one year 1,742 women qualified for this bounty, while one family with 36 children received a substantial bonus for its donation to the population.

There have been many cases of quintuplets born in France, Silesia, Austria, Saxony, Russia, England and Italy, while the early Greeks and Roman writers on medical topics refer numerous times to such births among their countrywomen.

In Rome, there was recently a woman named Flavia Granata, who in twenty-six years presented her spouse with 41 daughters and 21 sons. When married she was twenty-eight years of age.

Mrs. Mary Austin, wife of a Washington, D. C., policeman, during her thirty years of married life had 44 children — all sons.

In 1924, an Italian mother had sextuplets and a medical missionary reports the case of a Kaffir woman having six babies within three hours.

Only a few years ago a peasant's wife in Silesia had sextuplets and later gave birth to 38 other babies, only three being girls.

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