

MARGRACE NEWS

Mrs. Hunter Ramsey
The following ladies of the Margrace Womens Club enjoyed a beautiful picnic supper at Spencer Mountain last Friday evening: Mesdames Gue Lynch, Charls Moss, Harold Doyer, Martin Frederick, E. B. Cook, Lester Watterson, A. M. Royster, Harry Kimmel, Walter Blackwelder, John Jenkins, Haig Goforth, Grady Rhea, Joe Foster, James Cloninger, Oliver Falls, Buck Allran, Bertha George. Invited guests were Mrs. Frayley Mrs. June Cloninger and Miss Cloninger of Spencer Mountain.

Esple and Charles Cook are visiting their grandparents in Valdeese. Miss Beatrice Wilson of Valdeese is on an extended visit here with her sisters, Mrs. E. B. Cook and Mrs. Thamer Gamble.
Mrs. Thamer Gamble who underwent an operation at the Shelby Hospital recently has returned home and is getting along nicely.
Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Blackwell spent last week in Washington, D. C.
Mr. and Mrs. Wood Jackson and little son, Harold spent last Saturday in Charlotte.
Misses Dean Royster and Doris

Rhea have returned home after a week's stay at Camp York.
Mr. and Mrs. Felmer Lynn were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lynn Sunday.
The following boys from Troop 7, Margrace, have returned home after spending a week at the Piedmont Boy Scout Camp at Lake Lanier: J. D. Kee, Bobbie Herndon, Ralph Thomas, Jr., Joe Hawkins, Dickie Foster Arthur Jackson, Gene Timms, John Henry Caldwell, Dicky Jolly, Vernon Crosby accompanied the boys on their trip.
Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Caldwell and children, Gloria and Carol, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster and children, Joyce and Dickie, enjoyed a fishing party at Mountain Island Saturday.
Doris Cloninger has been visiting relatives in Spencer Mountain.
Miss Della Gamble of Gastonia is the guest of her brother, Mr. Walter Gamble and family.
Mrs. Bryant Brackett is recovering from a severe case of flu.
Mrs. Bertha George was the guest of relatives in the Patterson Grove community over the week-end.
Miss Dutch Cloninger is spending a week with her parents in Spencer Mountain.
Misses Sarah Hamrick, Helon Patterson and Messrs Fred Hamrick, Frank Hamrick and Clonie Jones are spending their vacation at White Lake.
The many friends of Mr. John Gladden will be glad to learn that he has been discharged from the Veterans Hospital at Oteen, N. C., and is now back with his family here.

Many Farms Need Better Drainage

Poorly-drained fields, now a liability to many North Carolina farmers, could be changed into profit-makers if proper drainage system were installed, says H. M. Ellis, agricultural engineer of the State College Extension Service.
Land drainage is a major problem with the average farmer of the Coastal Plain area of the State. Also in practically all of the Piedmont counties and in many of the mountain counties, there are considerable acreages that are not yielding full returns in harvest and money because of inadequate drainage.
Ellis explained that drainage is the removal of surplus water from the soil, either naturally or by channels artificially constructed. Surplus water is the excess above that needed to grow the plants and that stored in the lower layer of the earth as a reserve supply during dry periods.
For practically all crops grown in this State, it is necessary to have a quick drainage, Ellis pointed out. Where natural means do not take care of the rainfall rapidly enough, it becomes essential to supplement the natural water channels with artificial drainage.
The artificial channels used must be so constructed and situated as to conduct surplus water from the soil. Since this system is to aid Nature, it should imitate natural methods insofar as practicable.
The cheapest and simplest method of surface drainage is shallow ditches that follow the low depressions through the field. Best locations for the ditches can be determined readily after a heavy rain when the water is standing on the ground. The drains are best and cheapest in the long run for underground drainage.

Mileage Hints
By J. F. Winchester
Supervisor of Motor Vehicle Equipment, Essex Motorists

THE Interstate Commerce Commission is a branch of the Federal government which is charged with the regulation of common carriers operating in interstate commerce, including motor trucks and buses. Its regulations are established only after much thought and study. Consequently, this official body rules on such matters as the "driving of motor vehicles" is of interest to all private operators who want to be safe drivers.

The I.C.C. rules for "before driving" say that no motor vehicle shall be driven unless the driver has satisfied himself that certain required parts and accessories are in good working order, listing lighting devices, both service and hand brakes, horn, windshield wiper, rear vision mirror, tires and steering mechanism. These rules also require motor vehicles under I.C.C. jurisdiction to carry at least one spare electric light bulb, one set of tire chains and an adequate number of fuses. Buses having a seating capacity of ten or more persons must also carry a metal first aid kit and a hand axe.

I believe the average motorist can dispense with the hand axe, but the other articles are as essential to the private driver as to the interstate truck or bus operator. Moreover, every driver should satisfy himself before driving his car that the aforementioned parts and accessories are in good working order.

These regulations are designed to safeguard the public, and if the I.C.C. had jurisdiction over privately operated cars, it would doubtless make these regulations applicable to all drivers. Conscientious motorists will take time to heart.

Riding Back Of Trucks Dangerous

Three fatal accident in North Carolina last month called attention to the danger of riding on the back of a truck, Ronald Hocutt, Director of the Highway Safety Division, reported this week.

Accident records for June show that a 33 year old woman, a 36 year old man and 15 year old boy were killed during the month as a result of falling off or being thrown out of trucks on the rear of which they were riding.

"Riding on the back end of trucks and on the running boards of passenger vehicles is a practice which should be discouraged by every driver in North Carolina," said Ronald Hocutt, Director of the Safety Division.

"The danger of someone falling off or being thrown off a moving vehicle if they are riding on the running board or outside the cab when the vehicle strikes a hard bump or swerves unexpectedly is obvious," he added, "and the most effective means of combatting this highly dangerous practice is for every motor vehicle driver to refuse to carry any passengers for whom they cannot find a seat inside."

NOTICE OF SALE
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a deed of trust given by J. F. Procell and wife to Wiley H. McGinnis, trustee for the Kings Mountain Building and Loan Association, on the 7th day of November, 1936, and registered in the Register of Deeds Office for Cleveland County in Book 215 at page 137 to secure the indebtedness therein mentioned and default having been made in the payment of same and at the request of the Kings Mountain Building and Loan Association, I, substitute trustee, will sell for cash at the Courthouse door in Shelby, Cleveland County North Carolina, July 23, 1940, at ten o'clock, A. M., or within legal hours, the following described real estate:

Situated in the Town of Kings Mountain, N. C., and being a part of the 17 acre tract of L. A. Kiser and being lots Nos. 35, 36, and 37 of said tract as will appear on a map or plat made by E. L. Campbell for L. A. Kiser on May 30th, 1919, which plat is registered in the Register of Deeds Office for Cleveland County in Book of Plats No. 1 at page 36, reference to which is made for a fuller description, and said lots are 75 feet front in all and 178 feet deep and are 78 feet across the rear and containing 14,507 square feet, more or less.

This the 29th day of June, 1940.
J. C. Lackey, Substitute Trustee.
J. R. Davis, Atty. —adv. July 25.

NOTICE OF SALE
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a Deed of Trust given by the Church of God of Kings Mountain by R. L. Connor, Alex Ballard and Reverend Sam Cope, Trustees, to J. R. Davis as trustee for C. P. Carpenter, dated 26th day of June, 1939, as will appear on record in the Register of Deeds Office for Cleveland County to secure the indebtedness therein mentioned and default having been made in the payment of same and at the request of C. P. Carpenter, I will sell for cash at the Courthouse door in Shelby, Cleveland County, North Carolina on Monday, July 29, 1940, at ten o'clock, A. M. or within legal hours the following described real estate:

Situated in the Town of Kings Mountain, North Carolina, and beginning at a rock, corner of Haye's lot on Gaston Street and runs thence East two (2) chains and 38 links to a rock on Parker's line; thence along the Parker line North 1.09 chains to a rock; thence West 2.38 chains to the beginning, containing one fourth (1/4) of an acre, more or less.

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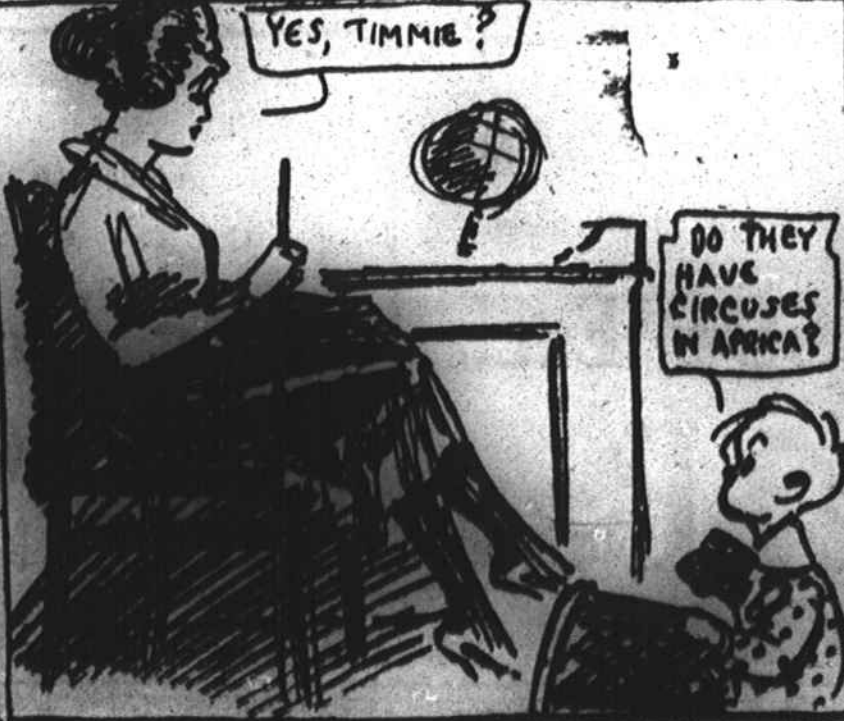
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By PERCY L. CROSBY

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