

LOCAL AFFAIRS

R. Don Laws, editor of the Yellow Jacket, spent a few hours in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams and son Buster, accompanied by Mrs. McCoy, all of Charlotte, were guests at the Critcher Hotel Saturday and Sunday.

H. L. Wilson and wife, accompanied by Mrs. M. P. Critcher, attended the State Fair at Raleigh last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McDonald of Bristol, Tenn.-Va., were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spoles Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr. G. A. Clements, of Gaston county, is a visitor at the home of his son in East Boone.

James G. Horton, of Vilas, spent Friday night at the Critcher Hotel, en route to Cleveland, Ohio, where he goes to re-enter the service of the New York Central railway.

G. K. Moose and Baxter M. Linney, attended the "Mary Ann" Butler speaking at Lenoir Saturday night.

Glad to learn that Mr. Singleterry, who was operated on for gall stones in Hickory last week, is improving.

Mrs. Rich, widow of the late I. O. Rich, of Blowing Rock, has been a visitor for several days at the home of Mrs. N. C. Greene.

Mr. Will Hodges has begun the erection of a neat home on a lot adjoining the property of Mr. Duncan, just within the corporate limits of the town on the west.

Work is progressin' very nicely on the new home for The Democrat, and we are hopeful, ere much longer, we will have our new machinery installed and occupying our new quarters.

Ex-Sheriff J. L. Hayes is back in Watauga, shaking hands with his many, many friends, after spending some time visiting his son Frank, an ex-World War veteran, of Greenville, Tenn. The Sheriff is always welcomed back to his native heath.

Mr. J. L. Banner, the popular and efficient Clerk of the Superior Court of Avery county, with Mrs. Banner and entire family of seven children, were visitors in Boone for a short while Sunday.

Editor J. T. and Mrs. Ruland, and Mr. C. M. Gray, linotype operator, all of the force of the Wilkes Patriot were pleasant and highly appreciated callers at The Democrat office Saturday afternoon.

Mr. T. H. Coffey, of Blowing Rock, was in town Monday, and told The Democrat that the condition of his wife, now in a Charlotte Sanatorium for treatment, was slightly improved at that time.

At the Methodist Conference just closed at Monroe, Reverends Brinkman and Womack were re-assigned to Boone and Watauga Circuits, respectively, while Rev. Williams remains Presiding Elder. The churches are delighted with the return of the same ministers.

Miss Velma Vandyke underwent an operation for appendicitis at her home on Mutton Creek Tuesday night, Drs. Perry, Anders and Bingham performing the surgery. Her condition at present is very pleasing to attending physicians.

The Peoples Bank and Trust Co. has moved its business to the Dr. J. W. Jones Drug Store building, where it will remain temporarily until more commodious quarters for that growing and popular institution can be provided. We were sorry indeed to see the business leave, but the expansion of The Democrat made it necessary.

LOST at or near the Baptist church last Sunday, a fur neck piece. Finder will please return to Mrs. J. S. Stanbury and be rewarded.

Mr. J. S. Stanbury returned Monday from a visit to his son the Rev. Walter Stanbury, in Wilmington. On his return he "took in" the Methodist Conference at Monroe, it being a number of years since he missed one of these important meetings.

Mrs. Maltba, widow of the late Mr. Wilse Maltba, with her daughter-

Mrs. Fred Winkler, left Tuesday morning for Black Earth, Wisconsin, where they will spend some weeks visiting son and brother, Mr. R. L. Maltba, who, for a number of years, has been a resident of that town. The Democrat hopes for the ladies a safe journey, a delightful visit and a safe return.

Mr. Bob Lovill, of Denver, Colorado, left for his home Sunday after a few days visit to his brother, Capt. E. F. Lovill. Mr. Lovill left North Carolina more than fifty years ago, being only three years old when he left. He was reared in the Middle West, and in early manhood went onto Denver, Colo., where he has since remained, coming up with that great city, then an ordinary town. He has been in the employ of one railroad Co. for more than thirty years. He is a pleasant, companionable fellow, and his little visit to Boone was much enjoyed by all who met him.

FAIR AT BOONE NOVEMBER 8

The public school children are very busy getting ready for the fair which is to be held at the Boone Public School which is to be held at the Boone Public School November 8, beginning at 1 o'clock and lasting till 5.

The girls are sewing and doing lots of fancy work. The boys are making everything from bird-houses to porch swings. We are very anxious to have the educational idea predominate in the work of the children preparing these exhibits. We want useful material which will be a benefit to parents and children alike. The faculty will appreciate anything of historical interest that anyone may have in the community that they would like to put on exhibit.

Everybody is cordially invited to attend. It is your fair!

The Giants And Yanks.

The sixth and seventh grades of the Boone public school are organized into two teams, "The Yanks," with Ruby Cottrell as captain, and the "Giants" with Pearl Norris as captain. It is their motive to see which team can get the most subscriptions for the Country Gentleman. The publishers have offered a silver pencil to the boy and girl who succeeds in getting the most subscriptions, and also have offered to give one half of the money received for subscriptions to the school. The students are taking great interest in this contest, which is a great help in teaching civic righteousness.

EXPRESSION OF THANKS

To every person who so kindly served us last Thursday evening in the form of a pounding party, we again extend our most sincere thanks. These gifts are timely and have brought and will continue to bring great joy to us. May each one who had a part receive a blessing. May our influence, ideals, work and prayers, together with yours, help to mould the lives and characters of the young life of this community into the highest type of citizenship.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rowe.

LUDEN'S
MENTHOL COUGH DROPS
for nose and throat
Give Quick Relief

BRUSHY FORK CO-OPERATIVE CHEESE FACTORY TAKES FIRST PRIZE AT N. C. STATE FAIR

Nine factories entered cheese at the State Fair. Some of the cheese were off flavor caused by old milk and others were high acid, caused by not properly firming in the whey.

Brushy Fork factory, Watauga county, Mr. Green maker, took first. Cove Creek factory, Watauga County, Fred Blair, maker, took second; Haywood Factory, Haywood County took third; Grassy Creek Factory, Ashe County took fourth.

I believe if the cheese makers will all attend the dairy school at Boone next March, some improvements can be made on the quality in 1923. Sweet, gassy, sour, tainted and old milk will be made into cheese. A lot card on each cheese will be kept by each student. These cheese will be put into cold storage and later in the year the students will be called together at some central point to examine and score the cheese. In this way we can determine what the quality of milk has to do toward making a good cheese. Also learn what methods of manufacture to use on the different qualities of milk. A maker should not accept sour, gassy or tainted milk. But no matter how particular he may be, occasionally, a can or two of inferior milk will get by, and when it is poured into the vat it must be made up and for this reason a maker must know how to handle different grades of milk.

I hope every man who is going to make cheese another year will plan to take this course.

H. L. WILSON.

Mr. W. Hardin Brown is building a handsome residence on his farm at Vilas.

Attorney Wiley H. Swift, of Greensboro, returned home the first of the week after a brief visit to his parents on Cove Creek. He paid The Democrat his usual annual visit last week.

Prof Roy M. Brown, of Cary, N. C., with one of his co-workers in State welfare work, were over-Sunday stoppers near Boone. They were traveling in a Ford, camping out, and seemed to be enjoying life to the fullest.

The Taylor gargage is being given a neat coat of paint, which is adding very much to the appearance of Boone's home of the Ford.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON CLUB ENTERTAINED BY MRS. W. ROY JOHNSON

The Friday Afternoon Club held its semi-monthly meeting with Mrs. W. Roy Johnson, Friday afternoon. Mrs. Tracy Council was added to the list of members.

A delightful social hour was enjoyed after which delicious refreshments were served in two courses.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. J. W. Jones.

Revival Closed.

The revival services at the Baptist church which were held for several days by Evangelist H. T. Stephens, came to a close last Sunday evening, and a great meeting it was, from start to finish. The evangelist is a very strong preacher, and the large church was packed to its capacity at almost every service. As a result of the efforts of this devout servant of the Master, there were added to the Baptist church in Boone, by letter or baptism, 36 members.

REMOVED!

Our banking quarters have been moved to the old Boone Drug Co building. This change is only temporary, as we hope to be permanently located soon.

Peoples Bank & Trust Co

A. Y. HOWELL, Cashier. G. M. SUDDERTH, Active V. P.

Hunting Days Are Here!

And boys, I am meeting your demands with hunting supplies and a general line of sporting goods. I have secured the exclusive agency for the famous L. C. Smith line of shot guns and have them in stock, both double and single barreled. Complete line of shells kept in stock at all times.

My line of Christmas jewelry is arriving daily, and beautiful presents for the whole family can be selected from my well appointed stock.

Courtesy and fair treatment to all. Look over my line and be convinced.

W. A. Thomas
BOONE, N. C.

BLANKET SALE

Saturday, Monday and Tuesday

The largest and most beautiful variety of blankets ever shown here at Bargain Prices

- all wool Elkin Blankets large size, beautiful pattern, \$12.50 value, sale price, per pair, only **\$7.49**
- 95 per cent wool army blankets, 5.00 value only **2.95**
- Fine wool blankets extra large, 10.50 values, pair, **6.49**
- 75 per cent wool blankets beautiful plaids, 9.50 values, only **5.98**
- Extra good baby blankets, 1.50 values, only **98c**
- 1.25 baby blankets, only **89c**
- 1.00 baby blankets, only **69c**
- 3.00 comforts only **1.89**
- Extra good cotton blankets 2.50 to 3.00 values **1.69**
- Extra comforts, \$5 value will go at only **2.98**
- Extra good baby blankets, 1.50 values, only **98c**
- 1.25 baby blankets, only **89c**
- 1.00 baby blankets, only **69c**

Thousands of Other Bargains

DAVIDSON Department Stores



Reduced Prices

Effective October 17, the list prices of all types of Ford Cars and trucks except the new four door sedan are reduced fifty dollars each. The new prices, f. o. b. Detroit, are as follows:

Chassis	235.00
Runabout	269.00
Touring (Regular)	298.00
Truck Chassis	380.00
Coupe	530.00
Sedan	595.00

J. B. TAYLOR