

LOCAL AFFAIRS

Join the Red Cross—One dollar pays for one year's membership.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Turner Hendrix, of Roanoke, Va., have been spending several days with home folks in this community.

Mr. Alex Brown, of Philadelphia, left on his return home Wednesday morning after having spent four or five days with relatives here.

A Mr. Tripiett of Blowing Rock ran over a large gray fox one day last week near that place and killed it.

Since the heavy snowstorm Tuesday the sun has been shining and the major part of "the beautiful" has disappeared. But the slush on the paving is fearful.

Miss Mildred McDade, who teaches at Old Fort, N. C., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. McDade, and entertained the following guests on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Swick, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Ragle, Miss Nan Brasington, Miss Margaret Lytle, Miss Kathryn McCall, Mr. Bob Hughes, Mr. Austin Harris and Mr. Adams, all of Old Fort; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McDade, Mountain City, Tenn.; Mr. Elmer Rankin and Mr. John Howell, of Boone.

Dr. O. J. Chandler, beloved pastor of the M. E. Church South, left Wednesday morning for Greensboro, N. C., where he will attend the annual conference which assembled in that city today. Dr. Chandler took with him a clear sheet, all assessments paid, and it is understood that he would like to return for another year. Certainly it would be a great disappointment to our people should he fail to come, as he is a good pastor and a very great preacher.

Misses Ruth Bingham and Annie Dougherty, of the faculty of the Cove Creek High School, went to High Point last week to attend the teachers' meeting. The trip was made in one of the new Austin "bantam" automobiles, a distance of 411 miles was traversed and a total of \$2.00 worth of gas and oil was consumed by the tiny vehicle. That is not excepting some gasoline that remained in the tank when the trip was completed.

Order Eastern Star Will Present Minstrel Revue.

A minstrel revue, entitled "Chocolate Opera," will be presented by Daniel Boone Chapter, Order Eastern Star, at the Demonstration School auditorium on the evening of November 11th, 1930, at 8 o'clock. An admission charge of 25 and 35 cents will be made.

Cast of Characters—Mandy Lee, old Southern mammy, Ruth Cottrell; Rose Adair, Southern girl, Mrs. Stevenson; Judge Kennedy, a dignified lawyer, T. B. Moore; Palmer Kennedy, Judge Kennedy's son, A. R. Smith; Jake Lee, Mandy's wayward son, Council Cooke; Officer Sherman, comes to arrest Jake, A. E. South; Interlocutor, Charles Stevenson; Sexton Sam, Howard Cottrell; Parson Phony White, prosperous nigger preacher, Dallas Cottrell; George Dishwater Black, Angelina's sweetheart, James Moore; Angelina, a "high valler" flirt, Suma Hardin; End Men, colored comedians, J. P. Moore and John Greer; minstrel men, W. H. Gragg, Russell Hodges, Hubert Coffey, Paul Coffey; Cullud Ladies, Margaret Coffey, Fay Hodges, Lucy Greene, Carrie Coffey, Ruth Isaacs, Ruby Winkler; Chocolate Drops Band, eight little picanninies; eight attractive chorus girls.

Johannie Perry and Allen Norton Entertain at Halloween Party.

Johannie Perry and Allen Norton entertained a number of their friends at a Halloween party Friday evening at the residence of Johannie's parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Perry in Cherry Park. The rooms were decorated with grinning jack-o-lanterns, black cats, and festoons in Halloween colors. The children came in costume and they had good fun guessing the identity of their fellow guests. After a number of lively games, they joined in a contest in which Louise Taylor and Winton Rankin won the prizes for pinning the tail on the Halloween cat. The guests were then invited to the dining room where refreshing drinks, cakes, candy and nuts awaited them. Those present were: Mary Helen Hagaman, Blanche Hagaman, Lill Clay, Martha Moore, Louise Taylor, Laura Ruth Hagaman, Mae Greer, L. G. Greer, Jr., A. E. Hamby, Jr., Charles Wright, Tom Wright, Tom Blair Moore, K. C. Bingham, Paul Hicks, Herschel Scott, Bruce Farthing, Winton Rankin, Ralph Hagaman, Junior Blair and the hosts, Allen Norton and Johannie Perry.

Worth While Club Holds Halloween Party.

"It's Halloween, it's Halloween. My black cat's eyes are blazing green." The spirit of Halloween, with its ghosts, eerie sounds and hair-raising sights, was truly manifest in a delightful party given last Friday evening at the home of Mrs. J. Frank Moore, with Mrs. A. E. Hamby as joint hostess. Decorations were very pretty indeed, the entire lower floor in its trappings of the spooky last of October, the skeletons and wailing cats staring honors with the reticent orange and black of the occasion. Ruddy fires glowed and stings of apples depending from every possible nail or casement foretold the morriment of the time-honored sport of biting apples, while in the kitchen tubs of water soon had laughing business men, for the nonce turned kid again, bobbing deep for rosy apples there.

Much merriment was occasioned by the feeding of the grinning skeleton with peanuts. After an evening of genuine fun and laughter, the hostesses served peanuts and popcorn, sweet cider and doughnuts. A large number of club members, with their husbands, enjoyed the fun.

Burley tobacco growers of Western North Carolina will soon be able to market their crop within the State through the construction of a large warehouse at Asheville.

Yonahlossee Delphian Chapter to Meet November 11th.

The Yonahlossee Delphian Chapter will meet Tuesday, November 11th, at 8 p. m., in Miss Bouchelle's room at the Demonstration School. Program for the day follows: "The Land of the Pyramids," Theme: "Life in the Earliest Cities of a Rainless Land", approximate dates, 10,000 B. C. to 2400; leader, Mrs. James Moore; Delphian traveler, Mrs. Eula Todd; topics for report: The Nile, Mrs. John Horton; Egypt and the Modern Man, Mrs. Russell Hodges; Before the Pyramid Days, Mrs. G. K. Moore; Our Sources of Egyptian History, Mrs. M. P. Cletcher; Life in the Pyramid Age, Mrs. James Must; The Egyptian View of Life, Miss Elizabeth Rucke. President's summary, Mrs. James Moore.

Mrs. Baxter Linney Hostess To Maids and Matrons.

Mrs. Baxter M. Linney was hostess to the members of the Maids and Matrons Club on Thursday evening at her lovely home in Daniel Boone Park.

Robert autumn flowers and potted plants were used in the living room and sun room, where a delightful game of bridge was enjoyed. When scores were counted, Miss Carrie Coffey held high and was awarded dainty heads as prize. Mrs. Fred Hodges, who held second high score, also received an attractive prize.

At the conclusion of the game, the cards were removed and Mrs. Linney was assisted by Miss Carrie Coffey and Mrs. Paul Coffey in serving a tempting party plate of fruit, salad, potato chips, sandwiches and coffee to the following club members and guests: Misses Ruth Coffey, Eric Greer, Carrie Coffey, Annie Dougherty, Ethel Bouchelle, and Mesdames Paul Coffey, James Moore, A. B. Cole, David Greene, Dean Bingham, Fred Hodges and Joe Crawford.

ROBERT F. GREER DIES AT BRISTOL, TENNESSEE, HOME.

Funeral services for Mr. Robert F. Greer of Bristol were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock November 2, at the home of his father, Mr. Samuel W. Greer of Brownwood, Watauga County. Interment was in the family cemetery nearby. The service was conducted by Rev. P. A. Hicks, pastor of the Boone Baptist Church.

pall-bearers were near relatives of the deceased. There were many beautiful flowers that were in charge of Misses Emily Miller, Marie Miller, Bina Faye Miller, Mildred Miller, Delphia Miller, Edna Johnson, Anna Johnson and Jessie Parker.

Mr. Greer died Friday, October 31, at his home in Bristol, death following a short illness resulting from heart trouble. In early manhood he married Miss Lillian Pruner, of Marion, Va. He was 46 years old. Surviving are the widow, one son, Robert F. Greer Jr., and one daughter, Miss Marguerite Greer, all of Bristol; his father, Mr. Samuel Greer, of Brownwood; two brothers, Mr. J. E. Greer of Bristol, and Mr. M. H. Greer, of Greensboro; and one sister, Mrs. W. B. Miller, of Brownwood.

HOME ECONOMICS GIRLS TO PRESENT PROGRAM FRIDAY

The home economics girls of the Boone High School will present a "vegetable" program and play on Friday, November 7th, at 8 o'clock in the Demonstration School auditorium. An admission charge of fifteen cents for school children and twenty-five cents for adults will be made.

LIFE SAVINGS OF AGED YANCEY VETERAN TAKEN BY THIEVES

Burnsville, N. C.—John Edge, 84-year-old veteran of the War Between the States, early Thursday was robbed of \$300, his life savings, by thieves who ambushed him on his little farm in the Bluerock section of Yancey County, nine miles from Burnsville. The Sheriff's department is seeking Sam Smith, 22 years old, and Vernon Robinson, 21 years old, whom the veteran said he recognized as his assailants.

Edge always carried his savings on his person because he did not trust banks. The \$300 represented funds accumulated from his pension checks and the earnings of his mountain farm. He told officers he was approached from the rear by the two men, a burlap sack thrown over his head, and searched and his money taken from him. He was roughly handled by the robbers and his condition, as a result of blows he received, was considered serious.

MORAN AND MACK DO SOME MORE FUNNING

About a year ago the first Moran and Mack picture, "Why Bring That Up," was driving audiences into frenzies of rage all over the country. Now comes the Two Black Crows' second all talking offering, "Anybody's War," based on the novel by Charles E. Mack, leader of the Crow team.

"Anybody's War" traces the hilariously funny adventures of the two blackface comedians from the little town of Buford, Tennessee, to the battlefields of France and back again.

Whereas "Why Bring That Up" was a parallel of the real rise to fame of "The Two Black Crows" and was biographical in effect, the new film, "Anybody's War," has no pretensions to actuality. It shows the well-known Amos Crow and Willie Crow in blackface from start to finish. It is a complete funny-bone tickler all the way through.

"Anybody's War" will be shown at the Pastime Theatre in Boone on Monday and Tuesday, November 10 and 11.

NOTICE TO EX-SERVICE MEN

Listen Comrades: District Commander G. Max Long from Morganton, N. C., with R. R. Yount, State award and trophy officer, and others of prominence in American Legion circles will be present at our next regular meeting, November 7 at 7:30 p. m. in the American Legion Hall over the Boone Feed Company store. We want a large crowd at this meeting. Comrades, come prepared to join with us and help to make the Legion a success.

CHAS. L. YOUNCE, Com. RALPH GREER, Adjutant.

LEGION AUXILIARY WILL MEET FRIDAY EVENING

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet in Legion Hall on Friday evening November 7 at 7:30. All the members and those eligible are urged to attend.

MRS. CHAS. L. YOUNCE Secretary.

A CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and deep appreciation for the many thoughtful acts of kindness and sympathy by the people of Boone and county, as well as for the messages of consolation that come to us while we were enshrouded in the shadows of the darkest gloom that ever came over our home—the tragic death of our wife and mother, May God bless you all.

L. M. Farthing and Children.

SENDS SARGON TO FAR OFF RUMANIA

President of Big Canadian Firm Says He Never Saw Anything To Equal New Treatment

"After taking five bottles of Sargon and two bottles of the Soft Mass Pills I want to say that in all my 70 years I've never seen anything to equal this remarkable treatment," recently said Jacob Gharman, president of the Western Hardware Co., Ltd., Winnipeg, Canada, who moved to Winnipeg from Rumania 39 years ago and who has acquired extensive real estate holdings in that city.

"In fact, Sargon has been of such great help to me that I am sending a full treatment to two friends of mine back in my old home country. I wrote them what a wonderful medicine it is and how it restored my health after all other medicines and treatments failed.

"I suffered torture with indigestion after meals and only those who have had this terrible affliction know what a blessed relief it means to get rid of it. I also suffered from chronic constipation almost as far back as I can remember.

"After the first few doses of Sargon my stomach began to right itself, my nerves grew stronger and I began to sleep well and now I am in better health generally than I've been in 35 years.

"I use to take a physic almost every day of my life, but since taking Sargon Pills my bowels are as regular as clockwork. Their easy natural action makes them especially suited to elderly people like myself. I only hope my statement will help other sufferers."

This is only one of the thousands of cases where grateful men and women have received such wonderful benefits from Sargon that they have sent it to their relatives and friends in distant lands.

Boone Drug Company, Agents (Advertisement)

SPECIAL NOTICES

LUMBER! LUMBER!—If you want good Building Lumber or good Chestnut Shingles, see or write J. E. Maltba or S. B. Bagby, Vilas, N. C. 7-6-4t.

LOST—Between Boone and Blowing Rock, Sunday, a gold case Elgin watch. Finder please return to Democrat office.

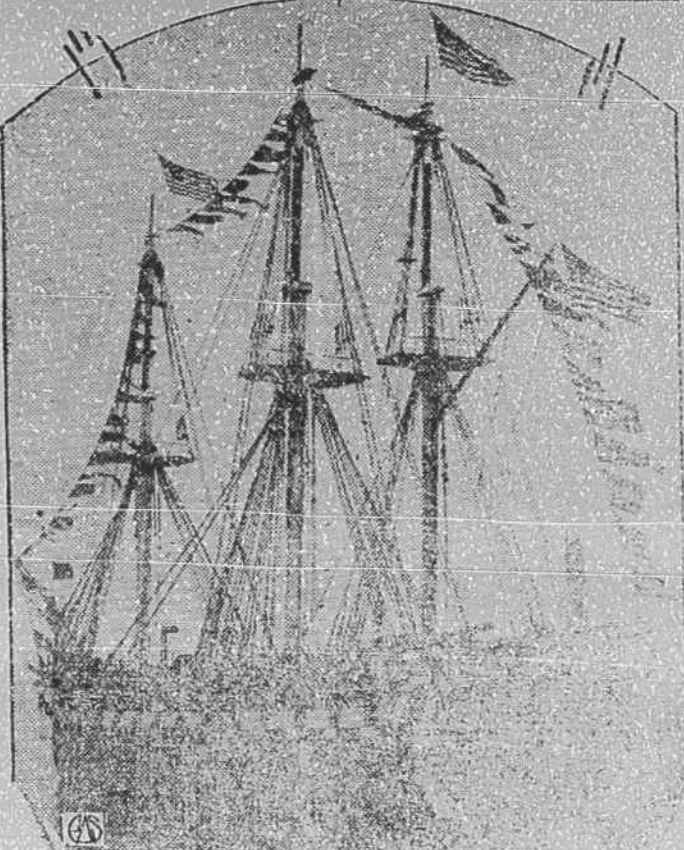
FOUND IN BOONE—A class ring from a noted school in another county. Owner will call on Mrs. J. Y. Walker, Sugar Grove, describe same, get ring and pay for this notice.

I AM NOW HANDLING a full line of flour, corn and cottonseed meal, at the lowest prices, and the best feed in town. Every bag guaranteed. See me. W. W. Shore. 3t.

MASONIC NOTICE

Regular Communication of Watauga Lodge No. 273, A. F. & A. M., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 7:30 P. M. All members urged to attend. Degree work. A. R. SMITH, W. M. GORDON H. WINKLER, Secretary.

"Old Ironsides" Takes to the Sea Again



The ancient U. S. frigate "Constitution" sea-battle of 1812. rebuilt and made seaworthy through contributions from all over the nation, as she left Charlestown Navy Yard.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES HOLD MEETING AT LEES-MERAE

Banner Elk—The annual fall meeting of the board of trustees of the Edgar Tufts Memorial Association was held last Thursday at Banner Elk, N. C., with the following in attendance: J. A. Summers and Sam R. Selis of Johnson City, Tenn.; E. W. King, Bristol, Va.; J. H. Stinson, Banner Elk; Rev. K. D. Brown, Statesville, and Dr. Frazer Hood, Davidson, N. C.

The principal business transacted was the appointment of a committee to draft a charter in the charter to provide for the election of seven additional members to the board, bringing the total number of trustees to twenty-one instead of fourteen as at present. This is considered a most progressive step looking toward the future development of the association.

Announcements were made of two bequests, one of \$7,500 by Mr. J. A. Stonemaker and the other of \$2,000 willed by Miss Sallie Faw of Johnson City, Tenn., both bequests to be devoted to the newly-created endowment fund of the Edgar Tufts Memorial Association.

After the meeting much was served at Grandfather Orphanage to the trustees and the heads of the departments.

BLOWING ROCK NEWS

The members of the Blowing Rock Christian Endeavor were guests of their own Halloween party last Saturday night, given in the Sunday School room of the Presbyterian Church. The room was very effectively decorated in the usual Halloween colors. The entertainment of the evening was in charge of Misses Doris White and Lucile Reid, who met the guests at the door with a hearty handshake. The guests entered the dark room backward and were then given favors. The first feature of the evening was a game called "post-office." Each guest was given a letter and told to comply with the enclosed instructions, thereby receiving his or her fortune. Other games followed including the making of each guest's will. In the "real contest" the prize was won by Miss Lois Klotz. Mrs. Wylmath Bradshaw was very not in fitting the eyes on the parokin and received the prize. Partners for refreshments were obtained by the guests meeting and shaking hands. The members of the refreshment committee, Misses Helen and Blair Suddreth and Lois Klotz, served a delicious banana salad, coffee and pumpkin pie. Guests of the evening were Mrs. Lee Robbins, Miss Blanch Lentz of Winston-Salem, and Miss Wylmath Bradshaw.

Miss Corinne Knight, who has a position in Hickory, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Knight, last Sunday. With her were Mr. and Mrs. George Coffey and two sons, Arnold and Bill, also of Hickory.

The girls of the Blowing Rock basketball team met Aho at Aho on Wednesday of last week. The score was 9-14 in favor of Aho.

Mrs. Jessie Walker and children, of Chase City, Va., are visiting Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Cannon.

OSAGE DAM COMPLETION EXPECTED THIS WINTER

Bagnell, Mo.—With 1,235 men working night and day, the \$30,000,000 hydro-electric dam across Osage River near here will be complete before the winter is over, and traffic from Federal Highway 54 will be routed over the dam by Christmas Day, engineers for the Union Electric Light and Power Company said recently.

The mammoth project is 78 per cent completed now, and 500 men are engaged in highway building near the dam. The dam will impound 450,000,000 gallons of water, and the variation in storage will not make more than fifteen inches difference in shore line at any time of the year, engineers asserted.

Advertisement for Boone Clothing Store. Features: "Announcement", "KNOX HATS", "Get in Line--- Suits for Every Taste and Pocket Book", "Boone Clothing Store 'The Man's Store' BOONE, NORTH CAROLINA FOR THE MEN OF BOONE AND ALL WATAUGA COUNTY". Includes images of a man in a suit and a hat.