

LOCAL AFFAIRS

Mr. J. A. Spores left Monday for Clinton, Va., where he will spend two weeks visiting relatives.

Master Gene Reese of Vilas underwent a tonsil operation last Thursday at Dr. Baughman's and Hagaman's office.

Miss Essie Hayes, of Knoxville, has been spending some time visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mattie Holschaw, of Vilas.

Miss Helen Anders, of Gastonia, arrived in Boone last Sunday. She is to be the guest of Miss Nell Trivette for several days.

Miss Elise Rice and Miss Florence Herman, of Conover, were overnight visitors to the home of Miss Ruth Black near Boone last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Phillips, of Fish Springs, Tenn., accompanied by Mr. J. G. Campbell and several other friends, greatly enjoyed a motor trip through this region last week.

Miss Emma Chandler, of Louisville, Ky., arrived in Boone Sunday, where she will spend the remainder of the summer with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. J. Chandler.

Dr. and Mrs. L. K. Hunt, little daughter, Ruby, son Dan Hunt and wife, all of Jonesboro, N. C., are spending the week at the Perkins home near this city.

Mrs. M. F. Combs, of Gallup, Wash., a former Watauga lady, has returned to her home after spending some time at the bedside of her father, Mr. A. R. Wooten, who died at his Story Rock home some weeks ago.

Mrs. Sam R. Jurey, of Glen, Ireland County, with his nephew, Prof. Howard Jurey, assistant teacher of mathematics at State College, spent Monday night in Boone, guests at the H. C. Rivers home.

Mrs. C. D. Blackman, of Temple, Texas, visited her daughter, Mrs. A. G. Glenn, in Columbus County recently. She also spent several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Glenn on Cove Creek.

A new series of advertising is just appearing this week for the Hodges Drug Company, and will feature something new each week in the well-known Neal line of drug products.

The midsummer flowers are now beginning to burst forth in all their glory as is evidenced by a gladiolus stalk gracefully bestowed upon the prior upon by Mrs. T. Lee Cook. The magnificent bouquet contains many-crested blooms of extraordinary color and size, and the lady's thoughtfulness is fully appreciated.

Mrs. Wiley L. Mast, of Sugar Grove, left Monday for Cleveland, Ohio, where she will take treatment at Dr. Cogley's Hospital. Mrs. Mast has been in poor health for some time, and her many friends are hopeful that her condition will be improved by the eminent physician. She was accompanied by a daughter, Miss Bonnie Mast.

Mrs. Joe Mast, of Washington, D. C., who has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith McBrine, on Cove Creek, and other relatives and friends in Watauga, favored our shop with a call, in company with her mother, last Saturday afternoon. The little lady is waiting for her husband to come down before returning to her home in the capital city.

Wiley C. Hartzog, local contractor, has been awarded the contract to rebuild the Dr. Fred H. Hodges residence, which was destroyed by fire last October 26th, and work on the building began Monday afternoon. Mr. Hodges states that a part of the brick walls which were left standing are intact and may be used profitably, and that the building will follow the exact plan of the original, which was one of the most modern structures in the city.

SOCIETY

W. M. S. of Boone Baptist Has Entertaining Meeting.

Mrs. Dave Horton, of the Cove Creek Church, held devotional exercises at the W. M. S. of Boone Baptist Church, which met Monday, July 20th at the old church, and Mrs. R. S. Swift, leader of Circle 2, gave a short program before the address of the day. Mrs. Roberts, of St. Croix, Virgin Islands, made a very inspiring and instructive address on work in Brazil and the Virgin Islands, stressing work among the negroes in the latter. St. Thomas is the principal tourist resort of the three—St. John's, St. Thomas, St. Croix—and sugar cane and cattle the chief products of the latter. The Department of the Interior, U. S. A., is attempting to foster the growth of new industries and culture of new crops in the islands.

The speaker, at the close of her excellent address, sang in Portuguese the well-known hymn, "I Know Whom I Have Believed," the appeal of which was unmistakable.

Mrs. Horton introduced the visitor, and Miss Blanche Horton, of Vilas, accompanied Mrs. Roberts at the piano.

Mrs. D. D. Dougherty, president, extended a vote of thanks in behalf of the society. The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. J. A. Williams.

Maids and Matrons Club Meets With Miss Coffey.

Miss Ruth Coffey delightfully entertained the Maids and Matrons, and a number of additional friends at her home on Wednesday afternoon.

Five tables were arranged for bridge in a colorful setting of mixed garden flowers, the gorgeous blooms of gladioli predominating. When the scores were added, Mrs. Baxter Linney held high, and was given an attractive miniature compact as prize. Mrs. Dean Bingham was busy in the cut and received a dainty handkerchief.

Late in the afternoon the hostess served a tempting party plate, containing salad, sandwiches, cheese straws and iced tea.

Miss Coffey's guests were: Mesdames Paul Coffey, Baxter Linney, Sara Hardin, David Greene, Jim Rivers, A. B. Cole, B. F. Williams, Douglas Redmond, J. M. Gaither, A. R. Smith, R. D. Hodges, Misses Elizabeth Rucker, Eric Green, Annie Dougherty, Louise Coffey, Anita Winkler, Ruth Benfield, Gladys Bolt, Ethel Bonnell, Virginia Wray, Jane Elison and Katherine Harwell. Mrs. Dean Bingham came in for refreshments.

Livingstone Club Meets With Mrs. William Winkler.

The Livingstone Club of the Boone Methodist Church met on Monday night, July 20th at the home of Mrs. William Winkler.

A very interesting program was rendered after which the hostess served delicious refreshments. Those present were Mesdames Jim Horton, Bradley Duncan, Joe Crawford, J. T. Hendrix, Homer Hendrix, Grady Rastings, Howard Mast, Paul Coffey, Milton Greer, William Winkler, R. C. Rivers Jr., Frank Robbins Jr., Misses Anita Winkler and Louise Hodges.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Paul A. Coffey August 17th.

SHERWOOD—MADRON

A marriage of much interest to friends of the popular couple in Watauga took place on Monday evening, July 19th, when Miss Mary Lee Sherwood became the bride of Dr. Paul Madron, at Mountain City, Tenn. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. T. Gidd.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sherwood, of Cove Creek, was educated at Cove Creek High School, and is extremely popular with a large circle of friends in East Tennessee and Western North Carolina.

The bridegroom is a son of Dr. E. F. Madron, of Pine Plains, Tenn., was reared to young manhood in this county, and after his graduation from dental college has been engaged in the practice of his profession at Mountain City. He recently completed a new home in that city, and it is understood that the newly-weds, following a brief bridal trip, began housekeeping.

GRANDFATHER NEWS

Audie Rogers and his string band gave an entertainment at the Poseo school last Friday night. A large crowd was reported. Programs are also to be given at Blowing Rock and Lenoir soon.

Rev. N. L. Hampton, of Crossnore, who is pastor of the local church, has been away for the past two months on account of illness. His condition is said to be unimproved.

A revival meeting will begin at Watauga Church the second Sunday of next month. Brother Ashley will be in charge of the services.

The Sunday school here is progressing nicely. There were 153 present last Sunday.

Grandfather school began last week and about ninety students were enrolled. Miss Olive Elfer and Ralph G. Greene are the teachers.

Mr. Rash Aldridge, a sub-contractor of Smith-Mortimer Company of Lenoir, is engaged with a large group of men in delivering pulp wood to the railroad. A large contract of wood is being shipped to the Champion Fibre Company, of Canton.

Mrs. S. P. Townsend has been ill at her home here for some time. Her condition remains about the same.

Rev. Henry Crisp, well known Baptist minister of Lenoir, and former resident of this county, preached to a large congregation at Watauga Church Saturday night and Sunday. He was on his way to near Elizabethton, Tenn., where he will preach for a while.

Grandfather Mountain is being visited by many tourists this summer, and we feel that they are amply rewarded as the mountain is one of the most scenic places to be seen anywhere. It seems like a real Grandfather to those of us who live under its shadow.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL CLOSING AT BANNER ELK

The Daily Vacation Bible School of the Banner Elk Presbyterian Church closed Tuesday night, July 14, at the commencement exercises of the school. Testaments, awarded for perfect recitation of the Child's Catechism, were presented to Jane Barlow, Jacqueline Hardin, Adah Church and Elizabeth Stinson. Thirty certificates for perfect attendance and blue ribbons for booklets on the Psalms and the Life of Christ were awarded.

The total enrollment of the school was 101 with an average attendance of 78. Miss Katherine O'Neal and her assistants should be commended for their splendid work which made the Bible School such a success this year.

IN JUSTICE'S COURT

Seven cases have been disposed of by Justice of the Peace Edwin N. Hahn, as follows:

John Teeter, petty larceny, probable cause, appearance bond fixed at \$200.

Arthur Mast, petty larceny, not guilty, discharged.

Robert Walker, petty larceny, under 15 years of age, remanded to juvenile court.

Floyd Tate, selling liquor, not guilty, discharged.

Carson Tate, possessing home brew, not guilty, discharged.

Rodger Ashley, possessing home brew, not guilty, discharged.

Paul Shores, possessing and transporting liquor, probable cause, bond fixed at \$300.

WATAUGA CIRCUIT

There will be preaching at Mabel Sunday morning, July 26th, by Rev. W. C. Dutton, who is assisting the pastor during the summer. The hour is 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited to these services.

A protracted meeting begins at Henson's Chapel Sunday morning. There will be preaching Sunday a. m. and evening, and preaching every evening for two weeks. Dr. O. J. Chandler, pastor of the Boone M. E. Church, will preach Monday evening. Rev. W. E. Poovey, presiding elder of the Mt. Airy District, will be with the church from Wednesday night on through the meeting. The congregation is exceedingly fortunate in having Rev. Mr. Poovey with them during these services, and the pastor is most earnestly requesting the hearty co-operation, not only of the local church, but also of the community at large.

New "Talkie" Job Is Lauded by Showgoers

Engineers of the Western Electric Company Sunday evening completed the job of installing the most modern sound equipment at the Pastime Theatre to supplant the machinery which had proven unfit for the needs of the auditorium. The equipment was first used at the Monday matinee and the increased crowds at the night performance gave evidence of the appreciation of theatre-goers in this forward move of the management. So perfect is the new equipment that the sound details are just as accurately received as if the actors were saying their lines from the stage.

However, according to the technicians, much of the increased pleasure to be derived from an evening at the theatre comes from the new custom made screen which has been installed in the world's greatest theatres recently and which is especially built according to the specifications of the auditorium. No matter in what part of the house a patron may choose to seat himself, he will have perfect vision, and there is no glimmer or eyestrain suffered. The programs are of high quality and the vision and sound are the same as may be enjoyed in the metropolitan theatres.

GRIST ASK GREENSBORO PAPER TO MODIFY ITS "COMPLIMENT"

Raleigh, N. C.—Frank D. Grist, State Commissioner of Labor and announced candidate for United States Senator, Saturday telegraphed the Greensboro Daily News he would "consider bringing court action for damages" if statements made in an editorial in the paper Friday are not modified.

In an editorial the paper said in part: "Frank's an amiable chap. He would make an elegant dog catcher. Dogs would love him and could trust him unreservedly. He is honest, but is unskillful."

Democrat Ads. Provide a Short-Cut to Better Business.

PASTIME THEATRE "Place of Good Shows"

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, JULY 24-25

WINNIE LIGHTNER and JOE E. BROWN

"SIT TIGHT"

MONDAY-TUESDAY, JULY 27-28

Paul Lucas and Eleanor Boardman

"WOMEN LOVE ONCE"

WEDNES-THURSDAY, JULY 29-30

JANET GAYNOR THE QUEEN OF THE SCREEN

"DADDY LONG LEGS"

Western Electric SOUND SYSTEM

MAYOR'S COURT

The following cases have been disposed of by Mayor J. M. Moretz during the past few days:

Tom Duganier, public profanity, \$1 and the rods.

Earl Lyons, public drunkenness, \$2 and the rods.

Proctor, public drunkenness, \$2 and the rods.

SPECIAL NOTICES

FLORISS FOR SALE—If you want to see the best of the best, go to Grant Miller's place on Cove Mountain. The place is ripe and ready to pick. Call on Grant Miller, Granite Hill, N. C. 7-24-31

MASONIC NOTICE

Regular Communication of Watauga Lodge No. 273, A. F. & A. M., FRIDAY, JULY 24th, 1931, 8 o'clock a. m. Special business will be transacted.

A. R. SMITH, W. M. GORIN H. WINKLER, Secretary.

FOR RENT OR SALE—My cottage on Greene Heights. Reasonable. Mrs. L. W. Timmons. 17p

CAROLINA THEATRE BLOWING ROCK, N. C.

Thursday and Friday, July 23-24

GEORGE ARLISS

"THE MILLIONAIRE"

Saturday Only, July 25th

William Boyd and Helen Twelvetrees

"The Painted Desert"

Monday and Tuesday, July 27-28

Elissa Landi and Lewis Stone

"ALWAYS GOODBYE"

Wednesday Only, July 29th

Helen Twelvetrees and Lew Cody

A Woman of Experience

Ambulance Service!

Our Undertaking Department has added an up-to-date ambulance to its equipment and will answer calls day or night.

DAY PHONE 54-W NIGHT PHONE 55

J. M. MORETZ Furniture and Undertaking

NEW CROP CRIMSON CLOVER

For sale, running 99 per cent. pure and 99 per cent. germination, at \$2.50 delivered by parcel post, express or freight. Hamilton-Bacon-Hamilton Co., Bristol, Va. 7-9-31

Dr. C. B. Baughman, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist, Elizabethton, Tenn., will be in the office of Dr. J. B. Hagaman in Boone, on the first Monday in June for the practice of his profession.


PAINFUL CORNS ALL GONE NYAL CORN REMOVER



What a relief to get rid of the pesky things! And it is so easy, too. Five days ago my feet hurt so I could hardly walk. Now I can wear a shoe that is really my shoe. Everybody ought to know about NYAL Corn Remover. One application and pain goes—a few more and corn goes, too! And only 25c.

Hodges Drug Company

THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR A SAVINGS ACCOUNT IN THIS BANK



LIKE the pyramids—the Savings Account has stood unharmed and safe through good times and bad times.

"Hold fast to that which we know is good."

Your Patronage Will Be Appreciated

Watauga County Bank

Haying Season is Now Here

In order to save all of your hay crop, won't you need some new hay machines? You often save money by buying new machinery, which enables you to better save your crop. We are carrying in stock—

McCormick Deering Mowers and Rakes, Tedders, Sweep Rakes,

and knife grinders. We also have one Champion mower which we are offering for a little more than half price. Our stock of the smaller hay tools such as snaths, scythes, forks, etc., is very complete. We shall be pleased to serve you.

Farmers Hdwe. & Supply Co.