

LOCAL AFFAIRS

The Blowing Rock Exchange was opened last week, with Miss Lena Reeves in charge.

Mrs. "Cooge" Lovill has returned from an extended visit to relatives in Surry and Guilford counties.

Mrs. Edna R. Harris, of Raleigh, secretary of the State Baptist W. M. U., was a week-end guest of Mrs. J. L. Qualls, at the Commercial Hotel.

Mrs. F. S. Palmer, Charlotte Observer agent, returned Tuesday after having spent several days in Charlotte looking after matters in connection with her agency.

Mr. Finley Hodges has returned to his home near Boone from Davis Hospital, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis recently. He is reported to be rapidly improving.

Mrs. G. K. Moose has returned from the Caldwell Hospital and is showing satisfactory improvement from the operation for appendicitis recently performed.

Misses Ruth and Rebecca Young of Winston-Salem spent the past week-end with their sister, Mrs. Fred H. Hodges. On their return today they were accompanied by Mr. Hodges.

Ex-Sheriff John W. Hodges is showing a marked improvement after having been confined to his home for several days with a rather serious illness.

Mr. Grady Moretz has rented his handsome home in East Boone to Mr. Curry for the summer season, and has moved his family to their former residence in the Deep Gap section.

Mrs. Charles Younce, little Misses Katie Younce and Kathryn McGhee enjoyed a visit over Sunday with home folks of Mrs. Younce in Wilkes county.

Mr. Harper Bell of Lenoir has been appointed by the Clerk as guardian for Billie Mack Hardin, a minor, following the death of his mother, Mrs. Suma Hardin, recently.

The interior of the Watauga Drug Company's store has been greatly improved by a block of especially designed soda booths, which supplant a number of the tables formerly employed for fountain service.

Dr. G. K. Moose of the Boone Drug Company and Dr. F. H. Hodges of the Blowing Rock Drug Store, attended the State convention of retail druggists in High Point Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Sullivan, of Florida, arrived in Boone today (Wednesday), and will be guests at the W. H. Gragg home for the next few days. Mr. Sullivan, who handled several pieces of fine real estate in Boone several years ago, will be remembered by many Wataugans.

Mrs. C. B. Reese and small son, C. B. Jr., with Miss Millie Swift, all of Reese, were pleasant visitors at the Democrat office Monday. Mrs. Reese is a daughter of the late Alex Hagaman, and Miss Swift is a daughter of Mr. George Swift, long since departed, both of whom were highly esteemed by the editor of this paper.

Mr. J. L. Qualls in commenting upon the death of W. W. Holsclaw recalls his visit to Boone thirty-five years ago, when he and Mr. Holsclaw were attending a church conference here. Mr. Qualls says the two of them had dinner at R. C. Rivers' home, and talks interestingly of the changes in the landscape since that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McKenzie, of Mountain City, Tenn., were business visitors in Boone Tuesday evening. Mr. McKenzie, who was formerly associated with the Winston-Salem Journal, has just installed a printing equipment and will publish a weekly newspaper in the neighboring town.

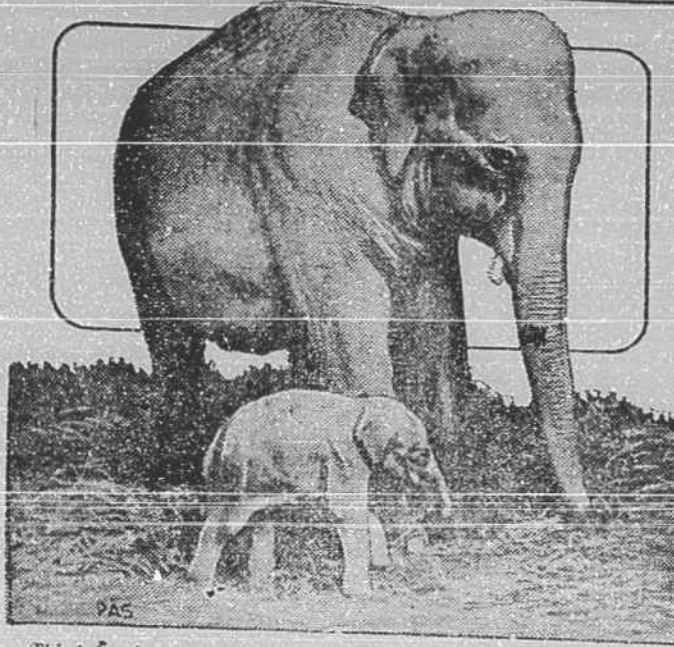
Mr. C. W. Clarke, of Cleveland, Ohio, was a visitor in Boone Friday, on his return from a trip to Caldwell County, where his mother, Mrs. G. R. Clarke, is seriously ill. Mr. Clarke has made his home for many years in the northern city, having moved there shortly after his marriage to the former Miss Jessie Shull of Shulls Mills.

W. H. Gragg, marshal for the Middle District of North Carolina, and Mr. Grady Farthing left Tuesday to attend a building and loan meeting in Wilmington. Marshal Gragg also took with him his daughter, Helen, Louise Setzer and Virginia South, they going to get a view of the ocean. Watt Gragg is always looking out for the pleasure of someone else, and this trip will mean much to the girls.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lyon and two children spent Tuesday night with home folks in this community. Mr. Lyon has been engaged as the manager of the Carolina store at Newton but has been transferred to Rutherfordton, the change having been in the nature of a promotion for the popular salesman. Mr. Hayes Coffey of Blowing Rock has been left as the head of the Newton store.

STEADY WORK, GOOD PAY—Reliable man wanted to call on farmers in Watauga County. No experience or capital needed. Write today. McNess Company, Department P., Freeport, Illinois.

He's Got His Mother's Nosel



This baby elephant, one of the few born in captivity, measured 33 inches in height when he was born a few days ago in the Zoo at Munich, Germany.

Mrs. Sam Horton Hostess to Entre Nous Club

On Thursday afternoon of last week the home of Mrs. Sam Horton on Cove Creek was the scene of a pretty affair when she was hostess to the members of her bridge club and several additional guests. Bridge was played at tables arranged amid a pretty setting of summer flowers. When scores were counted Mrs. Jim Rivers was found to be winner of high score and Mrs. John Horton held second high. Both ladies were presented lovely gifts.

At the conclusion of the game Mrs. Horton served a tempting salad course with iced tea.

Those enjoying Mrs. Horton's hospitality were her sister, Mrs. Gus Donnelly, of Wake Forest, and Mesdames Paul Coffey, Russell Hodges, Jim Rivers, John Horton, Murray Critcher, David Greene, Ralph Winkler, C. B. Johnston, Jim Mast, Luther Bingham, Will Payne, Joe Gaither, Tracy Council, Jim Council and Miss Annie Sherwood.

Little Miss Winkler Honored On Birthday Anniversary

Mrs. W. L. Winkler delightfully entertained on Wednesday afternoon at her home, North Side Farm, honoring her daughter, Clelie Moore, who was celebrating her ninth birthday anniversary.

A dainty color scheme of red and white predominated in the details and lovely garden flowers were used to decorate. Games were enjoyed, also some readings, story telling and piano selections added to the delightfulness of the occasion.

The lovely birthday cake with its nine glowing candles was used as the central decoration of the dining table, and the small guests were served delicious fruit juices, cake and candy. The honoree received many lovely gifts, souvenirs of the happy occasion.

Those who enjoyed the afternoon were: Little Miss Winkler, honor guest, Katherine and Margaret Smith of Boone; Henry, John and Robert Welfare, of Winston-Salem; James Grimes, of Winston-Salem; Misses Gladys Winkler, Eloise Robertson, Mary Frances and Helen Malba, Ora Lee and Pauline Williams.

Livingstone Club Meets with Mrs. Coffey

The last regular meeting of the Livingstone Club was held with Mrs. P. A. Coffey. The devotionals were in charge of Mrs. James Horton and the program, centering about the "Citizens' Responsibility for Crime" was entered into by Mesdames Grady Farthing, Joe Crawford and Brantley Duncan.

Piano selections by Miss Mary Frances Linney and vocal numbers by Mrs. Hooper Hendrix contributed to the enjoyment of the meeting. The group headed by Mrs. Rob Rivers proved successful in the contest for outstanding church and Sunday school attendance for the past several weeks, and the winners will be entertained at a later date. Miss Louise Hodges sponsored the group which lost by a small margin.

Miss Jane Eliason and Mrs. Brendall were special guests, the former having assisted the hostess in serving refreshments.

VILAS NEWS

A severe storm struck Vilas and vicinity late Saturday night. The rain accompanied by hail and lightning damaged crops considerably. Fuse plugs from transformers and telephones were melted out. Linesmen were busy all day Sunday repairing the lines so that service could be continued. Section Foreman W. H. Brown with a crew of men was also busy with a greater part of the day cleaning out clogged tiling where the water overran the highway.

Miss Maxie Greene, who graduated last summer from the Teachers College at Boone, has accepted a position in Cabarrus County schools for the coming year.

Little Eugene Bingham continues to be very ill. However, some improvement from last week is shown. Mr. and Mrs. Doshier and Misses Maxie Greene and Susie Banner returned Friday afternoon from Shulls

Mills where they have been conducting a daily vacation Bible school with the Baptist Church.

Several people from our community are attending the special term of court at Boone. Some probably have business and some just onlookers as usual.

Mr. Wilkinson, aged brother of Aunt Nan Dugger, has been visiting in the community for a few days.

Dr. Jordan Billings spent Saturday night with his brother, Mr. C. I. Billings.

Mrs. J. L. Reese has been seriously ill for several days, but is now improving rapidly.

Vilas and Cove Creek teachers are taking advantage of the good roads and the advantages of Appalachian State Teachers College by going to summer school by automobile. Many go to and fro each day.

What has become of the correspondents of Deep Gap, Beaver Dam, Foscoe, Laurel Creek and other places?

BRUSHY FORK NEWS

Miss Violet Greene of Valley Forge, Tenn., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Greene.

Rev. Raymond Hendrix, of Perkinsville, delivered a very interesting sermon to the congregation of Brushy Fork Baptist Church Saturday afternoon, although Rev. W. D. Ashley is pastor.

The community was shocked Thursday by the sudden death of our friend Roy Hayes, by gunshot wounds inflicted accidentally.

Mr. Earl Colvard and family of Sandy Flat spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Adams.

Mr. Ivan Rayes, of Elizabethton, Tenn., has just completed a week's visit with friends and relatives of this section.

Mrs. Philip Bentley, of Laurel Fork, spent the week-end with friends and relatives in this community.

CALL MEETING OF DEMOCRATS TO BE HELD IN SHAWNEEHAW

There will be a call meeting of all Democratic voters of Shawneehaw Township, at Matney schoolhouse on Friday night, June 24th, at 8:30 o'clock p. m. Each voter is urged to be present.

HE FESSED UP

"Judge," cried the prisoner in the dock, "have I got to be tried by a woman jur?"

"Be quiet," whispered his counsel.

"I won't be quiet, Judge, I can't even fool my own wife, let alone twelve strange women, I'm guilty."

SPECIAL NOTICES

IN THE RANGE STATES 80 percent of all mutton sires are Hampshires. The highest priced car of mutton lambs ever sold in America were Hampshires. A few registered rams at a reasonable price. J. W. Norris, Boone, N. C. 5-28 4p

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 each month for the practice of his profession.

STEADY WORK, GOOD PAY—Reliable man wanted to call on farmers in Watauga County. No experience or capital needed. Write today. McNess Company, Deut. P., Freeport, Ill.

FOR SALE—We have a great many houses and lots in the city of Johnson City that we want to sell, and some outside the city limits, and will sell these houses with a small payment down and the balance on easy terms like rent. We also have some baby farms that we will sell cheap, on easy terms. Carr Brothers, Johnson City, Tennessee, Phone 5104. 6-23-4t

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News Notes From North Side Farm

This section, being off the main highway, is little known by people not directly interested. Our new development, "Azalea Heights," is coming along nice, nineteen lots have been sold and a number of homes already built. Some of the state's leading cities are represented here. Mr. and Mrs. John Avera, Winston-Salem; Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Brewer, Raleigh; Mr. and Mrs. Strickland, of Four Oaks; Mrs. W. I. Brooks, Winston-Salem; Misses Jessie and Celeste Penny, Raleigh; Miss Margaret Tabor, teacher in the Four Oaks schools; Dr. R. L. Wall, Winston-Salem; Dr. W. L. Grimes, Winston-Salem, and Superintendent J. T. Hatcher are among those who have homes with us.

Here we have the noted Camp Yonahlossee for girls. Each year from twenty-five to thirty-five girls come to Yonahlossee for health and recreation. This camp is owned and operated by Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Kephart of North Carolina College for Women, Greensboro. The Kepharts have just returned from Scotland where they have visited and studied camp life for a year. Camp Yonahlossee opens July 1st.

Just now the Davises from Raleigh and Winston-Salem are occupying the Avera cottage. Miss Ida Poteat, who is head of the art department of Meredith College, and friends are in the Brewer home. The Brockses are in their new home, "Yoo-Hoo Lodge." The Stricklands are living in Miss Tabor's cottage while their new home is being finished. The Grimes and Welfare families are in Dr. Grimes' pretty home resting from their labors.

The Winklers are having week-end guests in their North Side home which will open for regular boarders on July 1st. Last week-end they had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Fussell with friends from Winston-Salem. Mr. Fussell is in the payroll department of the Reynolds Company.

CAROLINA THEATRE

BLOWING ROCK, N. C.

Friday and Saturday, June 24-25
JOAN BENNETT & JOHN BOLES

—in—
"CARELESS LADY"

Monday and Tuesday, June 27-28
LIONEL and JOHN BARRYMORE
HAREN MORLEY

—in—
"ARSENE LUPIN"

Wednesday and Thursday, June 29-30
SARI MARITZA and GEN
RAYMOND

—in—
"FORGOTTEN COMMANDMENTS"

Haying Season Are You Ready?

Now is the time to get your machinery in shape. How about checking for repairs now and let us know your needs. Our stock of NEW machinery is complete—Mowing Machines, Rakes, Tedders and Sweep Rakes.

Ask here for prices on Scythes, Snaths, Pitch Forks, Scyth Rocks and Sycle Grinders.

BINDER TWINE THIS YEAR AT THE UNUSUALLY LOW PRICE OF 50c PER BALL.

FARMERS HARDWARE & SUPPLY CO.

Boone, North Carolina

Opening Thurs., June 23rd

The Appalachian Beauty Parlor

(In Cottrell Building Across from Baptist Church)

A BEAUTY PARLOR WITH PRICES TO SUIT EVERYONE

Permanent Waves \$1.98 to \$6.00
Finger Wave and Shampoo 25c to 50c
All other prices reasonable.

Miss Bledsoe, of Detroit, Michigan, an old, experienced operator, will be in charge with an experienced assistant.

GIVE US A TRIAL!

"We live and let live"

Here's QUICK DEATH to flies, mosquitoes, insects!

Here is a fly killer that actually kills flies! The vapor of Elkay's Fly-Killer is so repellent to flies that they will not come through an open screen door when the mesh is sprayed with it. Yet its odor is pleasing. And it cannot stain! Make your home safer and more pleasant.



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One gallon \$1.75. Also in smaller containers

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The REXALL Store