

LOCAL AFFAIRS

Mr. Bob Campbell of Pulaski, Va., was a visitor with friends and relatives in the county last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Litten, wife and child returned Monday evening from a business trip to Porterdale, Ga.

Miss Ruby Winkler has returned to Booneville to resume her duties as a member of the faculty of the high school there.

Mrs. Littleton P. Wood and party from Winston-Salem spent another week-end in one of Mr. Horton's cabins on Winkler's Creek.

Mr. Cecil Critcher and family of Blowing Rock left Tuesday for Story, Wyoming, on a pleasure trip which will cover the next several weeks.

Mrs. Lucinda Wilson of Silverstone left Friday for Cleveland, Ohio, where she will visit at the home of a son, Wm. D. Wilson.

Mr. Shona K. Aldridge of Elizabethton, is spending his vacation visiting with relatives in the community.

Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Brinkman of Brevard are spending the remainder of the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Stanbury.

Miss Elizabeth Hahn has gone to Oak Hill, Caldwell County, where she will teach during the current school year.

Miss Jackie Ayers, nine-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Ayers, is taking treatment at a Statesville hospital for a right serious illness. However, she is showing some improvement.

Mr. Carl Graybeal, Republican candidate for Sheriff of Ashe County and Mr. Grant Bauguess, attorney and Republican chairman, both of West Jefferson, were business visitors in Boone Tuesday.

Mrs. John S. Williams of Blowing Rock, suffered a stroke of paralysis Tuesday morning, and reports indicate that the condition of the well-known lady is quite grave. Mrs. Williams is a sister of Mrs. J. D. Council of Boone.

Dr. David Swift of Butler, is seriously ill at the home of a sister, Mrs. Mary Harris, at Amantha. The popular physician had suffered a stroke of paralysis some years ago, which is believed to have contributed to his present illness.

Mr. W. N. Ragan left Tuesday on his return to Golden City, Mo., after spending a month with home folk in the county. He was accompanied by two grandsons, Ragan McCoy, Eagleville, Mo., and Orville Ragan, Roberson, Kans., the trip being made by motor.

Rev. H. A. Dobbin of Patterson and a son, Bynum, were business visitors in the town and county Monday. Mr. Dobbin resigned his position as head of the Patterson school June 1, but still holds the pastorate of the church there. He is giving considerable time to his farming interests in the mountain section.

Mrs. C. H. Hendrix and children who have been spending the summer with Mrs. Hendrix's mother, Mrs. H. J. Hardin, have returned to their home in Shelby for the fall and winter months. Mrs. Hendrix of Shelby spent the latter part of the week with Mrs. Hendrix here.

Mrs. John L. Downs of Douglas, Wyo., who is a member of the national committee of Young Democrats, Mrs. B. L. Stone, Daughton, Ga., and Mrs. Roscoe Little of Roanoke, are visitors with their sister, Mrs. Roy Johnson. They were called here on account of the serious illness of a brother, Mr. Don Kerley.

Mrs. O. W. Osborne is improving at her home in the Blackburn hotel building after having suffered a slight stroke of paralysis. All of her children were called home: B. H. Osborne, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Myrtle Costner, Glenco, Md.; Mrs. W. M. Killian, Henderson, N. C.; Fred Osborne, Glenco, Md.

Mr. Don Kerley is gravely ill at a Statesville hospital and relatives have practically abandoned hope for his recovery. His condition became serious while he was at the hospital with a son. The illness, it is said, comes as a result of serious injuries sustained in an explosion on a battleship many years ago, while Mr. Kerley was a member of the United States Navy.

W. M. U. COMMITTEE MEET
The executive committee of the W. M. U. of the Three Forks Association will meet at the residence of G. F. Hagaman on Friday the 25th of this month at 2:30 p. m.
All members are urged to be present.

Madames Bingham and Farthing Will Entertain
Mesdames R. L. Bingham and Zeb V. Farthing will be joint hostesses at a meeting of the Worth While Club which will be held at Mrs. Bingham's home Friday evening, September 18, at 7:30.

Stout's Ground Lime
\$1.50 per ton at Shows, Tenn. If interested see I. D. Shull, Agent, Valle Crucis, N. C. 9-17-36



From Our Early Files

Item From The Democrat Of September 16, 1897.

Mr. M. B. Blackburn is preparing to enlarge his store building.

Judge Greene informs us that Sheriff Pritchard of Mitchell is still improving.

Mr. J. M. Moretz has his neat dwelling almost completed and he will occupy it in the near future.

James H. Bryan of Marion is visiting his parents in Boone. He was quite ill when he arrived here, but is now improving.

Messrs. Arthur Hardin of Sutherland and Shober Rogers of Deerfield have left for the University of North Carolina.

Married on last Thursday at the residence of the bride's father on Cove Creek, Mr. Joe Mast to Miss Sarah Isaacs, Phillip C. Younce officiating.

Judge Greene arrived in Boone on Tuesday evening. He was accompanied by Miss Bessie Horton of Lenoir. They will remain until the last of the week.

Mr. Gordon of Mountain City, Tenn., is now engaged in making and

Mrs. Coffey Entertains Entre Nous Club Members

Mrs. Paul Coffey entertained the Entre Nous club and a few additional guests at her home last Thursday afternoon.

After several progressions of bridge refreshments were served. The following enjoyed Mrs. Coffey's hospitality: Mesdames D. J. Whitener, Council Cooke, J. M. Gaither, John Horton, G. K. Moose, A. S. Harris, Baxter Linney, Ab Mullins, James Council, James Mast, Ralph Winkler and Miss Ruth Robinson.

High score prize was won by Mrs. Baxter Linney and low score prize by Mrs. Ab Mullins.

Mrs. Council Cook Gives Announcement Party

Mrs. Council Cook gave a delightful bridge party Monday evening, September 14, at her home in honor of her sister, Miss Maude Greene, whose engagement to Mr. Richard E. Kelly was announced. The wedding is to take place October 13 of this year.

Those present were Mesdames Ruth Isaacs, Paul Coffey, Ralph Winkler, E. S. Christenberry, Jim Horton, Harold Wolfe, Albert Mullins, Joe Byrum Collins, G. K. Moose, David Greene, James Conway, O. Clay, Frank Payne, Pat McGuire, Tom Dunkley, J. D. Whitner, Russell Hodges, Fred Aldridge, James Mast, Sam Horton, John Horton, A. R. Smith, Amos Abrams, Eugene Garbee, W. W. Williams, Misses Carrie Smith, Eric Greer, Mary Williams, Annie Dougherty, Virginia Wary, Maudie Cathcart.

High score prize was awarded to Mrs. Abrams; low score prize to Mrs. Wolfe; cut prize to Mrs. Conway; the honor gift presented to Miss Maude Greene.

The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Frank Payne, served delicious refreshments of ice cream molded in the form of wedding bells and slippers, decorated in the color scheme of green and white; individual cakes decorated in harmonizing colors and a very refreshing glass of punch. The announcement appeared upon the plate in the form of a scroll inserted in a little bag of rice decorated with lilies of the valley.

The home was beautifully adorned with vases of fall flowers interspersed with lighted candles tied with bows of green tulle. During the bridge hour, plates of nuts, bordered with green and white mints designed in the form of sea shells, were passed.

DEERFIELD NEWS

Mr. Neashert Davis, half brother of J. C. Bowles, arrived on the 16th at the home of Mrs. Julia Bowles, from Abernathy, Texas. His wife, two sons and a daughter accompanied him. They were on the road four days and the car registered 1,500 miles when they arrived at Blowing Rock.

Mr. Davis' father moved from here when he was nine years old. He was the son of Lee Davis, whom many remember. He visited the J. C. Bowles children, also A. J. Edminsten on Sunday. The relatives accompanied them on a picnic to Grandfather, Blowing Rock and Boone. The trip was greatly enjoyed, particularly by Mrs. Davis who had never seen the mountains before.

They left August 26th for Taylorville, where Mr. Davis visited his birthplace, and they will visit relatives in three states on their return to Texas.

LITTEN REUNION

The Litten family reunion held at the home of Police Chief F. E. Litten Sunday, proved to be a most enjoyable occasion as more than one hundred relatives and friends gathered and enjoyed a sumptuous picnic repast.

Rev. J. C. Canipe of Boone, Rev. R. P. P. Wilkerson of Maiden and Mayor W. H. Gragg made brief remarks during the course of the dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rosston, of Greensboro, were callers at the Horton home during the week-end.
Dr. and Mrs. Paul Madron of Mountain City, Tenn., visited Mrs. Madron's parents Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Sherwood, on Sunday.
Sunday afternoon Rev. Wm. Milton was ordained to the Baptist ministry at Mt. Lebanon. The ordination council was composed of Revs. B. C. Eggers, W. E. Ashby, W. C. Payne and Will Cook. Many visitors came from other churches.
Messrs. V. C. and Laura Presness left recently for Eastern Carolina, where they have secured employment.

Beech Creek News
Mr. Hugh Eggers, who has been sick for some time, is no better.
Mr. and Mrs. George Judy and small daughter returned to their home in Cincinnati last week after having spent a week with Mrs. Judy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lawrence.
Mrs. Tom Stanberry is ill at her home here.
Funeral services were held at Mt. Glead church Thursday, September 10, for Conly Warren, Jr., who died at his home in Elizabethton after an illness of two months.
Services were conducted by Rev. Cox of Elizabethton and interment was in the Mt. Glead cemetery.
The palbearers and flower girls were his classmates from Elizabethton where he had attended school.
Mr. Solomon Eggers, from Mabel, and Mr. Smith Eggers, from Trade, Tenn., visited their brother, Hugh Eggers, who is a very sick man, over the week-end.
Miss Lorena Lawrence is visiting relatives in Butler, Tenn., for a few weeks.
Mr. Amos Ward has sold his stock of goods to his son, Ben.
Mrs. George Harman who has been sick for a few days is much improved.
Mrs. Hugh Reece spent a few days last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bingham, at Sugar Grove.
Mr. and Mrs. Luther Stanberry and family from Piney Flats, Tenn., spent a few days last week with relatives here.

Vilas News
Mrs. Jennie Jenkins, of Bristol, Tenn., spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith. On Sunday she took them on a visit to Shows, Tenn.
Mrs. Mary McBride, of Virginia, is visiting relatives in the community.
Mr. Roscoe Trivett, of Lick Creek, W. Va., with other members of his family, has been visiting his father, Rev. G. W. Trivett.
Rev. R. C. Painter, of Newland, filled his regular appointment at Willowdale on Sunday.
Mr. D. M. Mast, of Sugar Grove, and Mr. and Mrs. Custer Ward, Mrs. Mary Shell, of Willow Valley, were visitors at church Sunday.
Mrs. Polly Greene, of Avery county, has been visiting relatives in the county for several days.
Mrs. Esse Holsclaw, of Knoxville, Tenn., is spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Smith.
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Edminsten visited relatives at Mabel on Sunday.
Mr. Robert Shipley and Miss Virginia Shipley spent the week-end in Blacksburg, Va.

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"Hollywood Boulevard"
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WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 23
"Hell Ship Morgan"
with George Bancroft and Ann Sothera

THURSDAY, SEPT. 24
"The Road to Glory"
with Frederic March—Lionel Barrymore—Warner Baxter

FRIDAY, SEPT. 25
"Earthworm Tractors"
with Joe E. Brown

SATURDAY, SEPT. 26
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MOUNTAIN TOP MEDITATIONS
J. C. Canipe
There are two divine institutions in the world. They are the home and the church. Both originate from both. Both have had His blessing throughout the ages. The home of course, is after the church.
These two institutions form the foundation for all social and spiritual compacts. If we, like Samson, could reach out and pull down these two institutions, we could pull down with them our entire social order. Many evil attacks have been made upon these two institutions, but they still stand as a mighty bulwark to all that we hold dear and sacred in life.
In the home there is father, mother and the child. These three make up the average and the ideal home. A Christian father, a Christian mother and a Christian child make the home most like Heaven here on earth. Is your home Christian? If not whose fault is it? You can have a Christian home.
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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of J. C. Eggers, late of the county of Watauga, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to me for payment within twelve months of the date of this notice or the same will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate payment.
This September 9, 1936.
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estate of J. C. Eggers, deceased.
9-10-36

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