

LOCAL AFFAIRS

Mrs. Francis McGinnis of Washington, D. C., visited last week with relatives and friends in the county. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Trotter and daughter Virginia, of Statesville, visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Winkler. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wilcox and family left Sunday for Fort Lauderdale, Fla., where they will spend a holiday vacation period. Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Isaacs of Elk Park were in town last week. Mr. Isaacs has returned from an extended business trip to Detroit, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. John Boone, Duke University, Durham, are spending the holidays at the home of Mr. Boone's mother, Mrs. Esther S. Boone. Mayor and Mrs. Gordon H. Winkler and daughters, Anna Boyce and Barbara, left Saturday for a two week's trip to Miami, and other points in the state of Florida. Mr. H. C. Ingram of Colbert, Wash., has been spending a few days with friends in Watauga, before proceeding to his old home in Iredell county for a visit. Mr. Ingram left this section for the northwest 45 years ago, after having taught for three years in the public schools of Watauga county.

UNION CHURCH SERVICES Union services will be held at the Advent Christian Church Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, when the sermon will be delivered by Rev. Mr. McKeown of the Episcopal church. Present plans of the ministerial association are for one union service in the city each month.

EMPTY STOCKING FUND Two new contributors are noted to the empty stocking fund: J. O. Cook \$1.00 and Mrs. H. I. Lookabill \$5.00. This brings the number of contributors to the fund to 22 and the amount of money to \$69.90. Mrs. C. C. Farthing of Boone contributed nice apples to the cause, and others made special price concessions on fruits, confections, etc.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM A Christmas program including a play "The Prophecy Fulfilled" will be given at Three Forks Baptist church, the night before Christmas at 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited.

SPAGHETTI DINNER Very delightful was the spaghetti dinner given by Sir Guy Monroe Thomas when he entertained at the "House of Seven Gables". A group of A. S. T. C. students prior to their going home for the Christmas holidays. Enjoying Mrs. Cottrell's famous spaghetti with its equally famous sauce were: "Red" Leatherman, Will Graham, Danny Perkins, Troy Huskey, Martin Martin, Bill Holt, Bob Tedder and the host.

Mrs. Frank M. Payne Entertains With Christmas Party The Friday Afternoon Club met with Mrs. Frank M. Payne on December 20th, at her home in Cherry Park. A life size model of St. Nicholas was stationed in the entrance hall to assist in welcoming the guests. The house throughout was gaily bedecked with evergreens, and a brightly lighted tree was the center of interest in the living room. The hostess presented a program of music and stories appropriate to the season. Mrs. H. B. Perry, Jr. played a piano solo, "Tropika", or "Sleigh Ride", a Russian number by Tschaikevsky. Mrs. D. J. Whiener sang "White Christmas". Mrs. J. D. Rahkin read two humorous stories about Santa in the modern age. The guests were invited to the dining room, where a beautifully appointed table with colorful and delicious refreshments awaited them. Mrs. Ronda Hardin, Mrs. James Council and Mrs. Council Cooke assisted in serving. Santa Claus, impersonated by Frankie Payne, Jr. led the group in singing "Jingle Bells", then sang alone, "Santa Claus is Coming to Town", Santa presented a gift to each one present. Special guests other than club members were: Mrs. James Council, Mrs. P. O. Brewer, and Mrs. H. B. Perry, Jr.

Worthwhile Woman's Club Holds Christmas Meeting The general meeting of the Worthwhile Womens Club was held on the evening of December 12th, at the home of Mrs. W. C. Greer. Hostesses assisting Mrs. Greer were: Mrs. J. M. Moretz, Mrs. J. C. Farthing, and Mrs. Ralph Greer, who served delicious refreshments to the guests as they arrived. The dining table was gay with red candles and evergreens, and a Christmas tree surrounded with gifts decorated one end of the room. Mrs. R. H. Harmon, president, was in charge of the business. W. B. York, member of the student council, and representing the Appalachian High School, was introduced. The club voted to sponsor youth recreation at the high school on Saturday afternoons. Two club members will act as supervisors in the gymnasium and recreation rooms, beginning after the holidays. Final plans for the underprivileged children's party at the theatre, December 22, were completed. Toys, fruit and candy are being secured for 150 children. The program was in charge of Mrs. A. P. Eggers. Origin of "O Little Town of Bethlehem" was presented in song by two young girls, Beth Eggers and Betty Ann Hagaman. Several members gave Christmas customs from other lands, and all sang, "White Christmas." Mrs. Eggers read a modern humorous version of "The Night Before Christmas." Gifts were distributed from under the tree. More than thirty members were present for this delightful annual affair.

ed with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of red tapers and holly. After supper the class held its regular meeting with the president, Mrs. George C. Greene, presiding. The devotional service was conducted by Mrs. Claude Norris who had as her theme "The Need for Meditation in Christmas Living." At the conclusion of this there was a brief period of silent prayer while Mrs. R. L. Tait played softly, "Silent Night, Holy Night." A Christmas reading, "Simeon Hears The Angels", was given by Mrs. Ralph Greene. The business meeting began with a report by Mrs. Hale Vance on plans for gifts of fruit to shut-ins. Mrs. Vance also presented the schedule of meetings for 1947. The secretary's report was given by Mrs. "C. C. Rogers and the treasurer's report by Mrs. Leonard Story. Mrs. Wiley Smith explained details of assistance being given to a needy family. At conclusion of the business Little Miss Nancy Qualls substituted for Santa Claus and delivered a gift to each person present and the teacher of the class, Mrs. Frank Miller, was presented a gift from the group.

Miss Bell Married To James M. Hill Miss Jean Bell of Griffin, Ga., became the bride of James M. Hill of Rutherfordton, N. C., in a ceremony performed at the Methodist parsonage Thursday afternoon by Rev. S. B. Moss. Mrs. Hill is a teacher in the commercial department of Appalachian State Teachers College, where her husband is a student.

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Fidelis Class Entertained A Buffet Supper The Fidelis class of the Baptist church was entertained at a buffet supper Tuesday night, December 17th, at the home of Mrs. E. S. Qualls with Mrs. Qualls, Mrs. Herbert Jones, and Mrs. Lester Carroll as hostesses. Christmas decorations were used in the living room and gifts brought by the members were placed under a lighted Christmas tree. The dining table was covered with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of red tapers and holly.

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Correction The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Mountain Burley Warehouse, Inc., will be held January 4th, 1947, at 3:30 p. m., at the Junior Order Hall, Boone, N. C. All stockholders are urged to be present. H. GRADY FARTHING, Pres. CLYDE R. GREENE, Sec'y.

Roten-Hodges Miss Mollie Hodges became the bride of Mr. J. B. Roten Wednesday morning, December 18 at the office of Edw. N. Hahn. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hodges of Shulls Mills. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Roten of Laurel Springs. The ceremony was performed by Magistrate Hahn.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to express our thanks and sincere appreciation for the kindness and sympathy shown during the illness and death of our husband and father, William M. Hodges. -THE FAMILY

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CHRISTMAS JOY TO ALL TO WISH FOR YOU LOADS OF GOOD CHEER AND HAPPINESS AT CHRISTMASTIME DACUS RADIO SHOP

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Christmas is here! Peace and Good Will Lighting the way to better fellowship and good will towards all is Christmas. That it may be a truly happy Christmas for each of you is our ardent wish. SMITH'S ESSO STATION

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Table with 2 columns: Day/Time and Show Name/Details. Shows include 'SPOOK BUSTERS', 'SUNSET PASS', 'MAN FROM RAINBOW VALLEY', 'BACHELOR'S DAUGHTER', 'SINGING ON THE TRAIL', 'CORNERED', 'LIGHTNING RAIDERS', 'DEADLINE FOR MURDER', 'FIGHTING LADY', 'JESSE JAMES', 'NOBODY LIVES FOREVER'.

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