

LOCAL AFFAIRS

Miss Martha Jane Qualls, who is a student at the Woman's College, Greensboro, N. C., is home for the spring holidays. Mrs. T. Len Cook has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. K. B. Perkins in Knoxville, Tenn. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Winkler spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Angel. Miss Gertrude Perry, of Greensboro, spent the week end here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Perry, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hendrix and daughter, Mrs. V. E. Jewell, of Shelby, were week end guests in the home of Mrs. Alice Hardin. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Safian and daughter, Faith, of Chester, Pa., spent the past two weeks with Mrs. Safian's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Thompson of Vilas. Mrs. R. L. Gentry has returned to her home at Laxton from Free Union, Va., where she spent two weeks visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Luther D. Maspin. Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Kephart left Tuesday morning for Nashville, Tenn., where they will attend the Southeastern Regional Convention of the American Camping Association. Mr. Charlie Boone, student at Duke University, is spending the spring holidays at the home of his mother Mrs. Esther S. Boone, Miss Rebecca Boone, of Greensboro, was at home for the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Nash and daughter, Lenore, returned to their home in Winston-Salem Sunday after having spent two weeks with Mrs. W. F. Miller, Sr., who accompanied them home for a week's visit. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Tuckwiller and daughters, Joyce and Hilda, spent last week end in Clintonville, W. Va., with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Tuckwiller, going especially to attend the funeral of an aunt, Miss Maud Carr, in Clintonville last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Jensen, Mr. Oliver Schiele of Clay City, Ind., and Mrs. Betty Patterson, of Terre Haute, Ind., spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Jensen's daughter, Mrs. Herbert Wey, and Mr. Wey. They were accompanied by little Miss Mary Wey who returned home after a visit with her grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moretz and children, Bobby and Michael of Elizabethton, Tenn., spent the week-end with Mr. Moretz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moretz. Master Joey Danner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Danner underwent a tonsilectomy at Watauga Hospital last week. He is recovering normally. Mrs. T. M. Greer and Miss Helen Underdown have returned from a week-end trip to Eastern Carolina. Mrs. Greer visited home folks in Bertie county, while Miss Underdown visited her parents in Wilson. They were accompanied by Mrs. Joe Minor, and small sons, Joe and Phil, who are spending a month with relatives at Rich Square. Mr. John W. Hodges is at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Kay Boatright of Richmond, Va., where he is recovering from an operation performed recently in a hospital in that city. His condition is said to be favorable. Mr. Hodges was visiting in Richmond, when the operation became necessary. Miss Madge Jones is Bride of Charles Henry Johnson, Jr. Miss Madge Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hamilton Jones of Lattimore, N. C., was married in Boone on Saturday March 12, at 7:00 p. m. o'clock to Charles Henry Johnson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry Johnson of Winston-Salem. The ceremony was performed in the Methodist Parsonage by the Rev. Sam Moses. The double ring ceremony was used. Wofford Huskey, pianist, and Rachel Ann Vance, soloist, presented a program of wedding music. Escorted by her father, the bride was attended by Mrs. Dane Smyre as matron of honor. Charles Henry Johnson Sr., father of the groom, was best man and Mr. Dane Smyre served as usher. The bride wore a gown of white slippery satin fashioned with a high neckline of French lace, princess lines and full skirt extended into a train. Her fingertip veil was of two tiers of tulle, and fell from a crown of orange blossoms. She carried a prayer book topped with a white orchid. She wore a strand of pearls given her by the bridegroom. The matron of honor wore a gown of white slippery satin and carried a nosegay of red roses. Master Chuck Blanton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Blanton Jr., attended as ringbearer. The bride's mother wore a crepe dinner dress and a corsage of white gardenias. The mother of the bridegroom wore a black dinner dress and a corsage of white roses. Immediately after the wedding the bridal party and guests were entertained at a cake cutting and reception at the parsonage. Later in the evening the couple left for an unannounced wedding trip, after which, they will be at home at Wilson Apartments, Main Street, Boone, where they will resume their studies at Appalachian State Teachers Col-

lege. For traveling the bride wore a royal blue suit and white topper with black accessories. The bride attended Lattimore High School and is senior music major at Appalachian. The bridegroom was graduated from Gray High School in Winston-Salem after which he served three years in the United States Navy. He is now a junior music major at Appalachian. Out of town guests who attended the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Jones of Lattimore; Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Johnson of Winston-Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fansier and Jo Ellen Fansier of Saltville, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. George Toms of Lattimore and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson of Winston-Salem. BPW Women's Club Attend District Meeting The Boone Business and Professional Women's Club was represented at the district meeting of district number two of the BPW at the Hotel Charles in Shelby last Saturday. Those attending from Boone were President Nell Linney, Mesdames Leo K. Pritchett, Douglas Redmond, Bert Ellis and John Van Noppen. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Caddie Townsend of Hickory, district director. The program consisted of special music by the Rev. Woodrow Harris, pastor of the Second Baptist church of Shelby, the recognition of guests by Mrs. B. M. Jarrett, president of the Shelby club, reports from all club presidents in the district, and a speech by Mrs. Kay Shipman, the State BPW president. Mrs. Linney was publicly commended by the State President for being the first to turn her annual report in to state headquarters. Mrs. Linney reviewed briefly the activities of the Boone club, giving the highlights of the year, and presented the Boone group to the audience. Mrs. Shipman gave what she termed some "pert" questions relating to BPW activities. She gave them from the viewpoint, first, of the national federation, then the state federation with its various committees, then brought it down to the local club levels and to the individuals who make up the personnel of the club. The banquet dinner, the favors presented to each guest, and the program of the meeting made a most favorable impression upon those attending from Boone. The Boone club is now promoting plans for having a large delegation in attendance at the State convention which will meet in Morehead City in June. Birthday Party Honoring Mrs. R. W. Smith of Trade, Tenn. On Sunday, March 27, Mrs. R. W. Smith was honored by a group of friends who surprised her by gathering at her home to celebrate her birthday. Those enjoying the occasion were Rev. and Mrs. Victor Trivette and sons, Howard and Gary; Mrs. Hunter Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Eggers, Mrs. Amanda May, all of Trade, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. Manly Moretz and daughter, Nancy, of Bristol, Va.; Chas. Greer of Jefferson, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Potter and sons, Carl Graham and Brian; Miss Sara Potter, Mrs. Edward Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Misses Edna and Mildred Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilkinson and son, G. C., all of Zionville; Mr. and Mrs. Argus Wilson and daughters, Betty and Patricia of Trade, Tenn.; Mrs. Don Campbell and son, Keith, of Zionville. Mrs. Smith, who is recovering from a broken hip received in a fall a few months ago, received many nice gifts from her friends. Home and Garden Group To Meet Thursday The home and garden division of the Worthwhile Club will meet at the Skyline Restaurant Thursday evening at 7:30. Members are asked to bring some article for the hospital kitchen shower. ARMED FORCES The combined troop strength of the armed services dropped about 5,000 during January, bringing the total to 1,663,600 on March 1st, according to a report of the National Military Establishment. The reduction was scheduled by the military departments and an even larger reduction will be necessary in the coming months if President Truman's limits of 1,621,000 for all the armed forces in 1950 is to be met.

Church Announcements PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH J. K. Parker, Jr., Pastor. Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Morning worship at 11:00 a. m. Westminster Fellowship at 5:45 p. m. Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. Wednesday evening service at 7:30 p. m. GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH Edwin F. Troutman, pastor. Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Worship at 11:00 a. m. Sermon topic: The Sinless Saviour of Sinners. Luther League at 6:00 p. m. L. S. A. at 8:30 p. m. Church Council at 7:00 in the home of Mr. D. G. Moretz. Choir rehearsal Wednesday evening at 7:00 with Hoyt Safrin directing. Visitors welcome. WATAUGA LUTHERAN PARISH F. M. Speegle, Pastor Mt. Zion congregation: Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Chief service at 11:00 a. m. Mt. Pleasant congregation: Sunday school at 2:00 p. m. Chief service at 3:00 p. m. Announcements of services for the week: Old Mt. Pleasant, Sunday, April 3, at 7:30 p. m. Holy Trinity, Monday April 4, 7:30 p. m. Old Mt. Pleasant, Tuesday April 5, 7:30 p. m. Holy Trinity, Wednesday, April 6, 7:30 p. m. Old Mt. Pleasant, Thursday, April 7, 7:30 p. m. Holy Trinity, Friday, April 8, 7:30 p. m. To all of these services the members are urged to attend and friends are invited. Come and enjoy the fellowship with each other and feel the presence of Jesus in each service. THREE FORKS BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Victor Trivette, Pastor 10:00 a. m. Sunday School 7:00 p. m. Baptismal service and sermon. ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH Rev. J. N. Atkins. V. Sunday in Lent—Passion Sunday. 11 A. M. Holy Communion. 6:00 p. m. Roundtable on Evangelism. FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 9:45—Sunday School. 10:55 A. M. Morning worship. The Church. 5:45—Youth Choir Practice. 6:30—Baptist Training Union. 7:30 P. M. Annual installation of B. S. U. officers. Dr. Marc Lovelace, professor of Bible at Wake Forest College, will bring four students to visit Boone April 8-10. BAPTIST HOUR Dr. J. D. Grey open the Baptist Hour series, "Consider Jesus," Sunday April 3. He is the first man chosen to preach an entire series of thirteen weeks since the program's inauguration in 1941, according to S. F. Lowe, director of the radio commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, Atlanta. In May, Dr. Grey begins his thirteenth year as pastor of the First Baptist Church of New Orleans, La. For ten years he has conducted "The Gospel Hour" over WSMB, New Orleans, and now has three regular services broadcast over local stations each Sunday. A native of Kentucky, Dr. Grey claims the same home town as Vice President Alben W. Barkley, Paducah. The Baptist Hour series, with Dr. Grey as preacher, will be heard over a 70-station independent network Sunday mornings April through June at 8:30 EST. PREACHERS, DEACONS MEET A preachers and deacons meeting will be held at the Oak Grove Baptist church April 4, at 2 p. m. The following program will be rendered: "Must We Commit the Unpardonable Sin To Go to Hell?" Rev. C. O. Vance. "What is the Unpardonable Sin?" Rev. Raymond Hendrix. "The Power of the Holy Spirit," Dr. W. G. Bond. "Did Christ Leave Our Invitation?" Rev. Ben Wood.

State College Hints For Homemakers "Spring weariness," so common in grandmother's day that she dosed her family with spring tonic, now is thought to have come from a shortage of vitamin C. It often went along with aching joints and bleeding gums—first symptoms of scurvy, the disease caused by a deficiency of vitamin C. Instead of the sulphur and molasses which grandmother often used as a spring tonic, the nutritionists today advise serving more of the foods rich in C—citrus fruits or canned citrus products, canned tomatoes and juice, and green cabbage, green and raw vegetables and fruits generally, as the budget allows. The nutritionists agree heartily with grandmother in her belief that spring greens, either wild or garden varieties, are good spring tonics. On washable fabrics, soap and water will remove very slight scorching. Bleaches should be used only on washable white materials. And we're very sorry to state that you can never expect to successfully remove a deep scorch for the fabric itself has been permanently injured. Teapots and teacups as well as coffee cups often become stained. Remove these stains by sprinkling the teapot or cups with baking soda, then wipe out with a damp cloth. Rinse and dry well. Baking dishes and casseroles are often hard to clean because foods which have been baked in them for a comparatively long period may dry around the sides of the dish. When this happens, just put a little baking soda in the dish or casserole and add some hot water to it. Let stand for a few minutes and the dish can then be washed easily. Approximately three tablespoons of baking soda used in the quantity of water necessary to fill an ordinary sized casserole are ample to loosen the food that adheres. PERSPIRES IN REFRIGERATOR ROOM Johannesburg, S. Africa.—When a native dock worker was accidentally locked in one of the chambers of a Cape Town refrigerating plant, he had presence of mind enough to realize that unless he kept moving, he would freeze to death. When he was rescued the next morning he was not only alive, but perspiring. He had spent the night shifting a huge stack of fruit boxes from one side of the room to the other and then back again. Sleep numbers in the United States have declined to the lowest level on record.

"Easy Does It" By HELEN HALE If you want to keep your kitchen neat while cooking, revise your working techniques and see how much simpler all your work becomes. Measure out all ingredients before you start putting a recipe together, then check them with the recipe, and you will rule out forgetting ingredients and thus causing failures. Having all ingredients as well as utensils assembled before you begin to work, saves time as well as confusion. Keep the dish pan full of soapy suds and put each utensil in it as you finish using it. While you wait for butter to melt, onions to saute, milk to scald, and other time-involving procedures, wash the dishes you have soiled and get them out of the way. In this way, cleaning doesn't pile up on you! Finish slicking the kitchen while food bakes so you will have plenty of neat surface to place it on when cooking time is finished. Place pots and pans to soak as soon as you finish using them. Soaking will mean less elbow work for you as most pans clean easily when food is loosened from them. Save measuring utensils by sifting flour and other dry ingredients on pliable paper plates. These may be used several times. Flour sifters do not need to be washed after every use if they are brushed off with a stiff-bristled brush. If using syrup or honey, measure fat in the cup first, so that the syrup will not stick to it.

News Of Service-Men Private First Class Arthur M. Banner, son of Mrs. A. M. Banner of Sugar Grove, has recently been assigned to the Airplane Engine Mechanic school at Johnson Air Force base near Tokyo for a period of twelve weeks to pursue a course of instruction in Aircraft Engines, it was announced here recently by Major Glendon V. Davis, commanding officer of the 35th Fighter Squadron. Upon completion of the course, private Banner will return to the 35th Fighter Squadron, the original Black Panther Squadron. A graduate of Cove Creek High school in the class of 1947, Private Banner enlisted in the Air Force in August 1948 and following completion of basic training, remained on duty in the United States until alerted for movement to the Pacific Theatre of operations in December 1948. DEMOCRAT ADS PAY!

North Carolina commercial watermelon production this year will total about 11,500 acres, according to present estimates. Exports of American cigarettes have increased from five to 25 billion annually during the past 10 years.



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HEARTS SOARING ON WINGS OF DEATH! SATURDAY 7 O'CLOCK

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THE BOONE LIONS CLUB Talent And Sweet Heart Show ON OUR STAGE FRIDAY—APRIL 8 CORRECTION "THE BRIBE" Starring ROBERT TAYLOR AND AVA GARDNER will be shown THURSDAY, APRIL 7, instead of "YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU"

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