

## Wolf Creek

The Scout failed to reach us last week.

An error occurred in the report from here last week in The Scout about where Miss Delia Bell's baby was buried. It should have read "Macedonia" instead of "Pleasant Hill."

Mr. Sam Holbrooks, of near Oak Park, N. C., was buried at Macedonia on Thursday of last week. He died from sleeping sickness. He leaves a wife and two children.

A son of Mrs. Henry Walker, about 14 years of age, of Pantersville, was buried at Pleasant Hill a few days ago. The boy died as a result of a gunshot wound, it is reported, received from a young man of Copper Hill, whom the dead boy and several others were trying to "rock in."

Mr. W. C. Ballew has been very sick with flu for several days.

Miss Hilda Rockey, one of the Rural School teachers here, went to Copper Hill Sunday expecting to meet her brother, who is coming here to make his home from Toledo, Ohio.

Mrs. Ruth Ellis, whose sister, Mrs. John Post, died some two weeks ago with tuberculosis, is seriously sick with the same malady.

This section was visited by one of the longest and hardest wind storms on Sunday night of last week that this section ever experienced, say some of its oldest inhabitants. It lasted for some six or seven hours and turned up a lot of trees and unroofed and partially unroofed many buildings.

Men may come and men may go, but the "fire-bugs" we have with us go on forever.

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### Birch

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Payne visited their daughter, Mrs. N. E. Dockery, Sunday.

Quite a large crowd attended the singing given at the home of O. C. Payne's Saturday night.

Elisha Green spent Saturday night with his uncle, A. C. Green.

Mr. Clifford Hall, who is employed at Mr. C. C. Mill's saw mill on Hangingdog, visited home folks Saturday night.

Mr. A. O. Mashburn is building a pasture fence since his school has closed.

Manuel McClure made his regular trip down on Hiawasse River Sunday and rode his saddle mule, "Birt"

but the mule decided to come home and left his master to walk home.

Boyd Wise plays on his little harp all the time these sunny days.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Hall last week a fine boy.

Jeane Green has purchased a yoke of oxen and gone to hauling cross ties.

Jasper Voyles is expected to move to his new farm soon.

Mr. Glenn Green has accepted a position with the Coca Cola Company at Murphy.

Deputy Sheriff Chas. Campbell reports capturing a large still last week.

The new demonstration agent visited Birch last week.

W. E. Payne made a business trip to Murphy last week.

Mr. A. A. McTaggart, of Copper Hill, visited his father, J. W. McTaggart, of this place last week.

W. K. Johnson, of Peachtree, passed through our section last week.

J. M. Wise worked all the week and put in nine cross-ties.

Mr. O. C. Payne happened to a very painful accident last Saturday evening by slipping on a very small rock and spraining his ankle.

Mr. W. E. Payne purchased a fine cow from W. C. Walker last week.

J. J. Callaway says we will have no roads through our section now as free labor has been abolished.

Fred Beavers attended church at Hiawasse Sunday.

Stanley Green, of Murphy, visited his father and other points near Sandy Gap Sunday.

Mr. Chas. Campbell spent Sunday afternoon with Marion Green, who has been on the sick list for sometime.

Mr. Carl Hogsed was entertaining his friends Sunday with his melodians.

Mr. Floyd Hall, of Notla was out fishing Sunday in Beech Creek and reports fine luck.

Mr. Boyd Wise is contemplating putting in a barber shop near Windy Top.

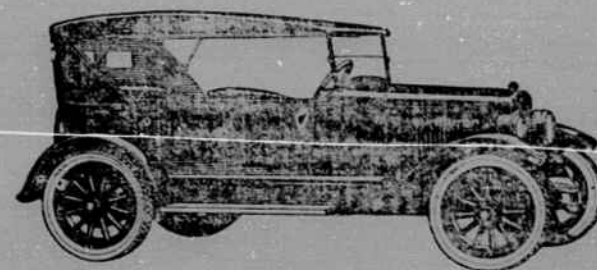
H. L. Williamson, of Suit, made a business trip to Birch Sunday.

W. C. Walker and Sammy Green are going to farm on a large scale this year.

The Beech Creek Sunday School is dead. Wonder who will be the first to resurrect it.

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