

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS FROM OVER BURKE

Items of Interest Gathered From Different Sections of the County By News-Herald Correspondents

CHESTERFIELD.

Mrs. Ben Rowe, of Morganton, was the guest of Mrs. Roy Staton at the home of Mrs. C. C. Hensley Friday.

Miss Virgie Hood has gone to Hildebrand to teach in the high school.

Mr. J. L. Hartley of near the State Hospital, spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Earl Roper and family.

Misses Vera Patton, Mary Helen Howard, Cora Smith and brothers, Messrs. Lawrence and Olen Smith, of Smoky Creek, have been visiting at the Smith home.

Rev. J. J. Clark Rev. E. B. Price, Rev. J. A. Fry and Mrs. E. M. Hood were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hood Friday.

Miss Essie Conley spent Friday night with Miss Louise Hood.

Miss Jennie Smith, who is teaching in the graded school in Morganton spent the last of the week at her home here.

Mr. Ernest Arney of Lenoir, has been visiting homefolks.

Miss Donnie Hood, of Morganton, is visiting relatives and attending the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Conley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Rader.

Miss Lexie Duckworth had as her guest for the week-end Miss Blanche Cottrell of Morganton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Smith and son, Wilfong, of Lenoir, were recent visitors here.

Messdames Bill and Mart Clay of Hartland, visited Mrs. Bertha Hood Wednesday.

Little Miss Elizabeth Hallyburton had as her guest Saturday little Misses Juanita and Dorothy Clontz, of Morganton.

Little Sam Staton, who has had malaria at the Hensley home, is improving fast, we are glad to note.

Mrs. Frank McDowell of Morganton, has been on a visit to Mrs. W. A. Hood.

Miss Nora McCall, of Worry, spent Thursday night and Friday with Misses Mae and Stella Rader.

Miss Clyde Harris was a guest Sunday of Miss Annie May Conley.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Smith and Master Jerec and Misses Ruth and Margaret Smith visited Mr. Smith's mother, Mr. J. P. Smith in Caldwell, Sunday.

Miss Mabel Sides spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Arney.

Mr. R. J. Hallyburton, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hallyburton, has returned to Morganton.

Miss Mamie Brittain and Mr. Colon Brittain, of Icard township, were week-end visitors of the Misses Smith.

Mrs. Nestor Parks and Mrs. Frank Harrison, of Morganton, visited at the home of Mrs. Bertha Hood last Thursday.

Mrs. T. A. Griffin of Morganton, was a guest of Mrs. C. C. Hensley last Monday.

The meeting still continues. Rev. Dr. Clark preached Sunday night to a full house. His subject was "Baptism." Rev. Mr. Clark is a preacher of experience, and good common sense; strong in the faith of God, and preaches a heart searching, soul stirring and convincing gospel. He has a strong grip on God and a clear and distinct insight into the Scriptures and possesses a genuine experiential religion. He makes the truth so clear anyone can understand it. His coming among us sure will do good for the uplift of the church and community. The services closed Monday night.

OKLAND

The Ladies' Missionary Society of Mt. Home church met with Mrs. R. C. Whitener Sunday afternoon.

The Mt. Home Baptist church has secured a lot near the three-mile cross-roads and will erect a parsonage at once. Mrs. William Orders has donated a lot to build a church.

The Mt. Home Mission Rally day has been postponed until the first Sunday in October.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Apple and little son, Burton, Jr., of Greensboro, are spending a week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hackney.

Mr. David B. Mull spent Monday afternoon at Valdese on business. Mrs. Mull visited her sister, Mrs. S. Hoffman, in Morganton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Britt Potteet and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Brittain and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Digh of Catawba, spent Saturday visiting his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Digh.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Digh and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Whisenant near Chesterfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brittain and family, of Morganton, were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frazier Brittain.

Master Glenn Tallent, after spending two weeks visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tallent, in Greer Burke, returned to his home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams and little nieces, Mary and May Evans, spent Sunday visiting his aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bean in the river section.

Mrs. J. P. Digh and little son, Bob, spent Tuesday of last week with her mother and family, Mrs. S. Cobb, Morganton Route 2.

Miss Bertie Mull, of Chase City, is visiting relatives and friends in the Oakland section.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Burns and little son, Keach Tells How She Got To Know Rat-Snap.

Have always feared rats. Lately I have said he just got rid of droves of them with RAT-SNAP. This started me thinking. Tried RAT-SNAP myself. Killed 17 and scared the rest away. RAT-SNAP comes in three sizes, 35c., 65c. \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Davis Drug Co. and Morganton Hardware Co.—Adv.

daughter, Claudie Mae, and Mr. and Mrs. Nolan S. Rockett and children, visited in Drexel Sunday.

Mrs. H. L. Burns and little daughter, Claudie Mae, were Monday afternoon guests of Mrs. Julius N. Pruett and family.

Mr. W. M. Rockett and nephew, Mr. Conley Rockett, of Gastonia, spent Sunday visiting his sisters and aunts and families, Mrs. Felix Whitener and Mrs. John Brendle.

Mrs. L. C. Rockett is spending some time in Gastonia visiting her sons and families Mr. W. M. and Mr. H. F. Rockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Duckworth and family motored over in their car spent Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. David B. Mull.

Mr. Frazier Brittain, who is deputy marshal at Spencer, spent the week-end at home with his family.

ROLLINS.

Arthur D. Ferree, who has been working in Richmond, Va., came to Salisbury last Monday and met his sister, Miss Janie Ferree and they, with Ruth and Billie Littlefield, came to their old home here. Miss Ferree returned to Salisbury Tuesday.

Arthur D. Ferree spent Friday in Salisbury and the week-end with friends in Morganton.

Marsh Walker is in South Carolina looking over some timber lands with a view to moving his saw mill there.

The members and friends of Rain Hill church will meet next Saturday morning prepared to fix up the ceiling and work on the benches.

Miss Ruth Littlefield spent the week-end with her little friend, Miss Eva Mangum, at Tom N. Neill's.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson W. Fisher, who have been spending some time here with his father, returned to Morganton last Thursday.

Miss Sarah C. Morris with George and Nellie Morris, spent a part of the week with her sister, Mrs. Mary A. Wainwright.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor and children visited his sister, Mrs. Sarah J. Fisher, Sunday evening.

Rev. Mark Clark preached at Pleasant Ridge church Sunday morning and was elected regular pastor in place of Rev. P. J. Shell, resigned.

Willard Morrison with his daughter Miss Cleo Morrison, of Rutherford county, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Tom N. Neill.

Russell Saunders spent Saturday in Hickory.

Mrs. Mary Landreau and baby spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Holland.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Ward, who live on the England place, a fine baby girl last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bolch and Tom Moses and Russell Saunders motored over to the power dam Sunday and when on their return they were crossing Silver creek Bolch lost control of the car and the rear end went over into the creek, throwing Moses and Saunders into the stream and pinning Bolch and his wife under the car. As soon as the boys could get out of the water they raised the car up and released Mr. and Mrs. Bolch, when the car then slid down completely into the creek. As soon as help could be obtained the car was towed down-stream to the old bridge site where they pulled it out. As luck would have it, no special damage was done either to the car or to the occupants, for which everybody is thankful.

E. W. Saunders, who has been working in Morganton, is home here for a week in order to gather his crops. Next week he will move his family to Morganton.

Carson W. Fisher and Joseph C. Fisher motored to Spartanburg, S. C., Saturday night and returned Sunday with Mrs. Florence Rogers and her children. They came by here and were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fisher. They then went to Morganton where Mrs. Rogers will reside.

TABLE ROCK.

Mr. Jack Fleming, of this place, and Miss Nola Jean Curtis, of Elizabethton, Tenn., were married Wednesday, September 13th, at the home of the bride. They left immediately after the ceremony for the home of the groom, coming via Blowing Rock and Lenoir.

They arrived in Morganton about 7 o'clock p. m. and spent the night. At present they are making their home with the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fleming.

We welcome this young couple into our midst and wish for them many years of happiness and prosperity.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kincaid and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cox at Joy.

Misses Carrie and Anabel Whisenant of Morganton, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Whisenant.

Mr. R. L. Wilson, of Rhodhiss, spent Sunday night at the home of Mr. W. W. Avery.

Messrs. Robert Williams and Fred Conley left last Friday for Rutherford College where they will enter school for the coming year.

Messrs. Manly Beck and Barter Jaynes spent Sunday night with Mr. Beck's sister, Mrs. Graham Simpson, at Glen Alpine.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams, of Morganton, spent several days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams.

Prof. J. W. Bennett and little daughter, Annie, Misses Ethel Smith and Clara Abercrombie and Mr. Bais and Clara Abercrombie, were visitors here Friday afternoon. Miss Erwin Abercrombie accompanied them home and stayed until Sunday afternoon.

Miss Thelma Powell spent the week-end at her home at Glen Alpine. Little Misses Theresa Kincaid and Margaret McGimsey spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Sisk.

Mr. Robert Pettus, of Rutherford College, was a visitor at Table Rock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Logan Wakefield and Miss Ruth Hartley, Ervin Avercrombie and Thelma Powell attended the community singing at Morganton Thursday night and reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McGimsey and little Annie Sue McGimsey spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. Sisk, Tom Kincaid.

Mr. Peter Warlick, of Rhodhiss, spent Saturday with his aunt, Mrs. Sue Golloway.

BEE HIVE.

Rev. F. A. Bower will fill his regular appointment at Burkemont church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Buff last week a little daughter.

Mrs. Rebecca Buff is visiting her son, Mr. M. A. Buff.

Miss Mary Shuping left last week for Charlotte where she has a position.

Mrs. Lettie Crawley spent last week visiting Mrs. J. E. Mace.

Miss Maggie Crawley spent Sunday night with her sister, Mrs. Spurgeon Null.

Mr. James Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Carswell and son, Walter, of the State Hospital, and Mrs. Pink Ross spent Sunday at Blowing Rock.

Mrs. A. P. Laughridge and children spent last week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Carswell.

Miss Hattie Lou Cook spent Saturday with Mrs. Cleveland Cook, in Morganton.

Miss Bessie Smith spent the week-end visiting her aunt, Mrs. Alice Shuping.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Ross had an ice cream supper Saturday night which was very much enjoyed.

Mr. Otto Dale recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Dale.

WORRY

Mr. Dunhan and family, of Morganton, and Mr. Lockley visited at the Henderson and Michaux homes last Thursday afternoon.

Misses Amy and Zalie Henderson and Mrs. W. H. McDowell, C. C. McDowell, and Mrs. W. M. Michaux visited the Pearson graveyard on Silver creek last Thursday.

Mrs. M. M. Bost left Thursday for Conover and Lawndale where she will spend some time with Mrs. Carm Elam and Mr. C. D. Forney and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mull spent Saturday night with Mrs. Mull's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bean.

Miss Mary Pritchard left Wednesday for Piedmont Springs where she will spend some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Pritchard.

Mrs. Sarah Sudderth, of Patterson, spent the week-end with her niece, Mrs. R. J. Arney and family.

Messrs. Mary and Martha Copeland and Zula Fleming spent Sunday with Mrs. I. D. Whisenant.

The revival meeting will begin at Arney's chapel Sunday night, September 24th.

A large crowd attended the baptizing at Kincaid's ford. The candidates were from Bethel church. Rev. J. M. Harris filled his regular appointment after the baptizing.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Bean spent Saturday with Mrs. M. S. Arney and family, in Morganton.

Mr. J. S. McCall, of Marion, was here Monday on business.

Mrs. Tom Clontz and Miss Hudson of Morganton, spent Sunday with Mrs. G. S. Ramsaur and family.

Mr. Joe Lovan, of Cold Springs, spent Monday night with Mr. H. M. Lingafelt and family.

Messrs. W. F. Ramsaur and Louis Ramsaur and Walter Bost left Monday for Newland and other points for a few days on business.

A number of the people of this section have been sick for the past week. Among them were Mr. W. M. Michaux, Mrs. R. J. Arney and Mrs. Bean. At this writing all are improving.

Mrs. J. J. Powell is with her daughter, Mrs. R. J. Arney, for a few days.

BRIDGEWATER

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stotts arrived last week from an extended bridal trip in Virginia, Ohio and Michigan. They will be at home here for the present.

Dr. R. Clark of Statesville, spent a few days here the latter part of the week.

Rev. J. C. Storey of Marion spent Friday here.

Misses Cleone and Bessie Ballew were visitors in Marion Saturday.

Mrs. Homer Robinson and children returned home Tuesday after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Tate.

Miss Virginia Ballengee left Wednesday to re-enter Davenport College at Lenoir.

Misses Glennie Anthony and Virginia Rust, two Miss Morrisons, Miss Cowan and Miss Dysart left Thursday to reenter the Normal at Asheville.

Rev. and Mrs. S. E. Ayers and little daughter, Helen, left Monday for Columbia Seminary, where Mr. Ayers will continue his theological course. Both Rev. and Mrs. Ayers made many friends while here who regret very much to have them leave.

Miss Zelda Yelton was shopping in Marion Monday.

Miss Mary Joe Walker, who has been visiting Miss Virginia Ballengee returned to her home in Biltmore last Thursday.

Miss Jessie Hendrix is visiting her sister, Miss Florence Hendrix, in Winston-Salem.

Mr. S. P. Tate visited his son, Joe, in Marion, Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Homer Robinson and Miss Pinke Tate were visitors in Marion Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ellis, of Norfolk, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ballew.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Avery and Mrs. Will Hemphill spent Sunday in Marion with Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Conley.

Mrs. Ben Seals and little son will leave this week to join her husband, who is engaged in bridge construction work in Hertford county.

GLEN ALPINE

Dr. B. L. Long has just gotten back from a notable trip to Detroit, Canada, Niagara Falls, etc. Leaving here September 4th with Messrs. N. O. Sisk.

Read What U. S. Dept. of Agriculture Says About What Two Rats Can Do.

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Pitts, James Claywell and Jim McGimsey, they went to Detroit, Mich., by rail and then across the lake to Buffalo and into Canada, 275 miles by steamer and Niagara Falls, and from Buffalo to New York. A stay of two days in New York sight-seeing. From Buffalo to New York, quoting Dr. Long, is "a fine country—a cattle and dairying country." From Newark, N. J., they took a car and came by way of Philadelphia through Washington, D. C. and Richmond, Va., home, a distance of 1310 miles not including the boat trip. They all express themselves well pleased with the trip and it will be long remembered.

Dr. Robert Ross has gone to Philadelphia to take a post graduate course of two years.

Mr. Willie Hennessie is in Charlotte at King's Business College.

Miss Addie Daves came home Saturday to spend the week-end from her school at Joy.

Miss Annie Maxwell of Wilson, has been the guest of Miss Winnie Simpson for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Sherrill spent Sunday with Mrs. Sherrill's father, Mr. John West Simpson.

Miss Winnie Simpson will resume her school duties at Wilson this week.

JOY.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Annis and children, of Morganton, visited her parents here Sunday.

We are glad to note that Mrs. J. A. Cox was able to be out at church last Sunday, after having been sick for several weeks.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Oehler Cox last Friday, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Kincaid and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Susan and Mr. and Mrs. A. P. McGimsey.

An ice cream supper, under the direction of Mrs. John Perkins, swelled our telephone fund to near \$200.00. After patient plodding Morganton got her hotel. We will talk to you soon over our "Joy telephone."

There will be an ice cream supper at the Joy schoolhouse Saturday night, September 30th. This will probably close the season here for ice cream suppers. Cakes, pies and candies also for sale. Come one and all.

Let us forget, next month is October and should be the first month for keeping an egg record. Let's join the "more egg" club this winter.

Misses Daves and Powell spent the week-end at their homes near Glen Alpine.

ENOLA

Mr. Colon Brittain, of near Hickory, spent several days the past week visiting Mr. Odus Huffman.

Mr. S. P. Brittain, of Asheville, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Brittain.

Mr. Roy Brittain of Asheville, spent several days the past week visiting friends in this section.

Mr. Jacob Smith, of Marion, visited his mother Mrs. Martha Smith, Sunday.

Misses Hester and Bessie Carswell and Mr. F. M. Smith spent the week-end visiting in Casar.

Mrs. Mary Davis and daughter, Viola, of Belmont, are spending the week-end with Mrs. D. A. Watts.

Messrs. C. C. and T. R. Smith, of Enola, and D. M. Walker of Morganton Route 1, motored to and from Whitmire, S. C. during the past week.

Mr. Timothy Smith returned Wednesday from a short visit to his son, Mr. S. S. Smith in Asheville.

We notice a few sorghum factories starting up. Guess it would be a good idea to "keep sweet."

Miss Tessie Smith has been very ill of bronchial-pneumonia during the past week, but is now recovering.

Mr. Thomas Potteet of Spencer, spent Saturday night visiting his father, Mr. E. H. Potteet.

AMHERST.

North Catawba was sorry to lose our pastor, Rev. H. S. Benfield, who moved last week to Rutherford College so his children could enter school there.

Mr. Ira Benfield and family spent several days last week at Valdese visiting his father, Mr. J. R. Benfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Coffey and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Barber of Whitel, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Baker Sunday.

Mr. Corl Benfield, of Rutherford College, spent the week-end at Amherst.

Miss Fannie Eller entertained quite a number of her friends at a birthday party Saturday night. After games were played refreshments were served. All report a nice time.

Mrs. Rilda Setzer and family moved to Drexel last week.

Mr. J. E. Brooks and family spent Sunday at Hickory.

Mrs. Florence Brown, of Cherryville, is visiting her brother, Mr. C. A. Ledford.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Flowers spent the week-end with relatives at Granite Falls.

RUTHERFORD COLLEGE.

Rev. H. S. Benfield, pastor of the Baptist church at Connelly Springs, and several other nearby Baptist churches, moved into the Rolly Morris house, next door to the Methodist parsonage, one day last week.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church have purchased a nice four-piece individual communion set, and it was used the first time at the college chapel Sunday. We were glad to have the pastor, Rev. W. F. Elliott, back to conduct the services. He hopes now to be able to fill all his appointments from now to conference.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church held their monthly meeting Monday at the home of Mrs. S. J. Shrum. A large number were on hand and an interesting business session was held.

Mr. J. U. Ledbetter was privileged to get off the road long enough to spend the week-end at home and be at a birthday party given by his baby girl, "Bill," at which were assembled quite a number of her young friends. Of course they had refreshments and a jolly time. Let the children play.

A mayor's court here the 12th and 13th, at which two men confessed to having unlawfully supplied wine to certain students of the college, and were fined \$25 each. Our charter

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makes it unlawful for any drink that will intoxicate to be furnished, either by sale or otherwise, to students of this institution, if delivered anywhere within five miles of the college. It is the purpose of the present board of commissioners to carry this rule into effect, so far as evidence to convict can be secured.

Mr. John Stamey, after spending his vacation here at the home of his father, returned to Trinity College Monday to join his classes there.

There are two important things that should engage the attention of all the Methodist people of this community, and which are hanging fire much to their discredit; these are our new church building and the Centenary. It is the honest conviction that no important advance movement can be made in this educational community until this church is built and the Centenary obligations are fully met.

I know we cannot complete the church building without outside help, but we are not likely to get much outside help until we make a sacrifice that will challenge the respect of the church boards. Let us "up and be doing."

The town commissioners have passed a ruling that all automobiles who carry passengers for any consideration, or accept pay for carrying passengers out of our town pay into the town treasury an annual tax of five dollars.

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