

LOCALS

C. V. Holbrook, of Abingdon, spent a few hours in the city yesterday.

James Davis, of Statesville, spent a short while in the city yesterday evening.

E. J. McNeill, of Wilkesboro, Route 1, was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

W. L. McMillan, of Scottsville, was a business visitor in the city a few hours Tuesday.

Judge T. C. Bowie, of West Union, was a business visitor in the Wilkesboro Tuesday.

County Agent A. G. Hendren was a business visitor to Raleigh Tuesday.

Attorney J. H. Burke, of Taylorsville, is attending Wilkes Superior court now in session at Wilkesboro.

Attorney and Mrs. W. B. Austin and Mrs. Alice Austin, of Jefferson, were visitors in the city a short while yesterday.

State Highway Patrolman Carl Ingle, whose headquarters are at Lincolnton, spent a few hours here yesterday.

Mrs. M. S. Church, of the Adley community, was a visitor in the city Wednesday for a few hours.

Mrs. M. D. Phillip, of Dalton, is spending sometime in Wilkesboro with her daughter, Mrs. G. T. Mitchell and Dr. Mitchell.

Mr. Chas. E. Hagaman, of Hickory, a member of the Chas. E. Hagaman & Co., auditing firm, was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

Mr. N. S. Forester, Jr. returned Tuesday from Charlotte where he was in the care of a specialist following the removal of a wisdom tooth.

Mr. W. F. Absher, of this city, left Monday for Baltimore where he is spending a few days in the interest of Abshers, popular local clothing firm.

Mrs. Lillie Kight, Messrs. T. F. Church, Roy Woodie, Spencer Blackburn and C. C. Mikeal, of Summit, were North Wilkesboro visitors yesterday.

Don't miss seeing "Tea Toper Tavern" at the Wilkesboro school auditorium this evening at 7:45. The play is being sponsored by the Junior Woman's club.

Mrs. G. G. Foster, Miss Inez Absher, Mrs. B. H. Goss and Mr. Ed Dancy, who are connected with the civil works administration in Wilkes, spent yesterday in Raleigh on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arnold, of Lincolnton, were guests during the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lomax. Mrs. Arnold is a sister of Mrs. Lomax.

Mr. and Mrs. James Yates and M. L. Bumgarner and Archie Yates were in Charlotte Wednesday on business.

Colonel Henry Blair, of New York City, is in the city visiting his sister, Mrs. R. W. Gwyn, and brothers, Messrs. F. P. Blair, Sr. and Will Blair.

Be sure and see "Tea Toper Tavern" at the Wilkesboro school auditorium this evening at 7:45. Admission will be the popular prices of ten and fifteen cents.

Mrs. W. C. Grier and Miss Lucy Finley were in Winston-Salem yesterday and today attending the annual conference of the N. C. Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mr. Raymond McDuffie, 15-year-old son of Attorney and Mrs. F. J. McDuffie, of Wilkesboro, is suffering from an attack of pneumonia. He is getting along nicely, however.

Messrs. F. C. Armes and Will Smoot, of Abshers, were business visitors in the city this morning.

Attorneys J. M. Brown and Ralph Bingham were in Raleigh on professional business yesterday.

Mr. C. H. Holland, accompanied by his brother, Mr. R. N. Holland, visited his Ashe county farm near West Jefferson yesterday.

Mr. Holland will move his family there in about two weeks to spend the summer months.

Mrs. R. M. Brame is spending this week in Elkin with her daughter, Mrs. Eugene Spainhour. Mrs. Spainhour came up Tuesday for Mrs. Brame. Mr. Spainhour is spending the week in New York.

Marriage licenses were issued the first of the week by Register of Deeds T. H. Settle to two couples: Lee Wood, of Raleigh, and Rosa Milam, of Wilkesboro; J. M. Souther and Laura Howard, both of Wilkesboro.

Mr. L. H. Voehesse, of Lynchburg, Va., and Hampton Sewell, of Winston-Salem, managers of J. C. Penney company stores in these places, called upon Mr. W. H. Clark, manager of the local Penney store, Monday afternoon.

Misses Katharine and Janie McDiarmid, of this city, motored to Concord Tuesday to attend the wedding at high noon in the First Presbyterian church of Miss Louise Cross Webb and Mr. Joseph M. Barrier.

Mrs. I. M. Myers is now operating the Myers boarding house recently under the management of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Myers. Mr. and Mrs. Myers have moved to the Reins bungalow near the Mid-Way Service station in Wilkesboro.

Mr. F. P. Blair, Sr., whose home was damaged by fire several days ago, is resting well at the home of his sister, Mrs. R. W. Gwyn, having returned from Davis Hospital at Statesville where he was carried after the fire. He was uninjured in the fire, but suffered a severe shock.

Mrs. J. C. McDiarmid, who has been visiting Mrs. E. A. Johnston at Roland Park in Baltimore, Md., for the past month, is expected to return here next week. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Johnston and Miss Eloise McDiarmid, sisters of Mr. J. C. McDiarmid, who will visit in the McDiarmid home for some time.

Mr. W. L. Sparks, of Traphill, returned to his home Tuesday after his physician advised that he would be unable to serve on the Superior court jury for which he had been summoned. Mr. Sparks became ill soon after arriving here Sunday afternoon. He was suffering from high blood pressure.

Rev. and Mrs. Paul Candill and daughter, Netta Sue, of Louisville, Ky., passed through the city Monday evening en route to Winston-Salem to visit Mr. Candill's parents. From there, Mrs. Candill and baby will go to Washington to visit her relatives. Rev. Mr. Candill is a student at the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville and will finish his course this summer.

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New York... Pauline Revere (above), descendant of Paul Revere, has been selected by faculty members as the most beautiful girl at Columbia University... an honor which completely "floored" the young freshman.

TODAY and TOMORROW

CAREERS... man made "A man's life is what he chooses to make it," I heard an eminent scholar say not long ago. It sounded like a pretty broad statement, but as I tried to analyze it I came to the conclusion that he was right.

Most people won't agree, because most people are not satisfied with what they have made of their lives, and imagine that if they had "got the breaks" their careers would somehow have been different. But, looking back of the failures as well as the successes among men I have known for years, I think the professor was right.

The failures failed because they did not or would not make the necessary effort to attain the goal of their ambitions; the successes succeeded because they put all they had in them into the job. To the failures their successes seemed to have been easily achieved, but only the man who has succeeded knows how much harder he has worked than did the man who failed.

WORDS... how many? How many words does it take to express one's self clearly in the English language? Shakespeare used more than 35,000 different words in his writings. Some years ago a student of such things reported that the average uneducated man used not more than 700 different words. Some savage tribes have vocabularies of only 300 words.

In the effort to compile a dictionary of English for use in the education of persons speaking other languages, the faculty of New York University has come to the conclusion that not more than 900 words are really needed to carry on all ordinary conversations. That does not include technical terms, of course.

Too many persons have a tendency to use unusual words where ordinary ones will answer as well or better. Sometimes I think the world would understand itself better if nobody were allowed to use more than 900 words, and those were so clearly defined that nobody could misunderstand their meanings.

WEATHER... down East The month of February, 1934, was the most severe winter month in the Eastern United States since the winter of 1777-78, when Washington's army camped at Valley Forge and nearly froze to death. There have been heavier snows, but not in connection with such low temperatures. At my farm there was at one time three feet level depth of snow, with drifts as high as twenty feet, and the thermometer 35 degrees below zero!

Folks who were certain that the Gulf Stream had changed its course and made the Atlantic Coast permanently warmer are trying other guesses now to account for the cold weather. Nothing gives most people more pleasure than to try their hands at weather forecasting. And nothing is more futile than long-range weather predictions.

INSULATION... new method As everybody knows, the trouble with most houses is that they let too much heat out through the roofs and walls in winter and let too much heat in through the same routes in summer. There are many ways of insulating an ordinary house, some more expensive than others, but all expensive.

Now the discovery has been made that sheet-aluminum, less than 1-100 of an inch thick, will insulate against the penetration of heat as well as 20 inches of concrete or twelve inches of brick. The discovery was made when a young man tried wrapping cigarettes intended for export to Africa in aluminum foil, and found that was the only protection against the tropical heat. It has been tried on many houses and it works perfectly and costs almost nothing, those who are experimenting with it say.

That is only one of many new

inventions which will make the new homes of the future more comfortable and economical to run.

OBSOLESCENCE... interpreted Owen D. Young has brought into public notice a word that is not given enough consideration when people discuss the replacement of men by machines. He said the other day:

"Science is the mother of obsolescence."

What Mr. Young meant was that it is the function of science to send old machines and old methods to the scrap-heap, to make them obsolete. There is no danger of the world becoming overcrowded with goods of man's production, so long as scientific research continues to find new machines or methods which will perform the same functions better, or do new things that no machine has ever done before.

Some people thought there were enough automobiles in the world when Ford finished making his fifteen-millionth "Model T." But where are the model T's now? They have been replaced by better cars, which in turn will be replaced by still better cars.

Let someone invent anything which will do any job twice as well as existing machines and cost half as much and every machine of the old type becomes obsolete.

EDUCATION... and leaders The young new President of Harvard, Dr. J. B. Conant, said the other day that the whole college system needs reorganization, both in the way of making it harder for those unfitted for higher education to get in and easier for youth of real talent to obtain the best education available.

We are going to look more and more to the universities for leadership, I imagine, especially if the "New Deal" proves a success. The program on which the effort is now being made to rehabilitate the nation is largely the product of university men of comparatively recent crops. I think the time is past when the principal qualification for public leadership will be a loud voice and a pair of ready fists.

I have no illusion, however, that the mass of the people will ever vote for a man merely because he is more intelligent than they are.

GOLD... in plowed furrow One of the impelling reasons for a readjustment of the gold standard of money is the fact that the world's supply of gold is not increasing while the gold requirements for international trade have increased enormously, since the last great "gold strike."

But it is anybody's guess when and where another great gold deposit will be found.

The other day an Australian farmer dropped a wrench while plowing. Going over the plowed ground to hunt for the wrench he saw a piece of glittering quartz in a furrow. It had a streak of gold in it. He forgot all about his wrench but started to dig and turned up a gold-bearing quartz reef, from which he took out \$2,200 in two days.

Gold, as the old prospectors say, is where you find it.

CLIMATE... it changes Greenland is getting colder while Alaska is getting warmer, scientists who have been studying Arctic conditions say. A hundred thousand years ago the glacial ice-cap scraped all North America bare of vegetation, as far south as Kentucky. As the ice melted, trees began to grow in its receding path. Forests are advancing northward into Alaska at the rate of a mile in a hundred years, but ancient Norse settlements in Greenland have been again denuded of trees and the ground that once was fertile is now frozen solid the year around.

Some think this means that another polar ice-cap is forming, to descend upon the northern lands and once more drive man and beast to the tropics, as has happened three times in the past million years. But I think I shall let posterity do the worrying about that.

Mrs. R. L. Norman Dies In Somers

Mrs. R. L. Norman, a respected lady of Somers township, was claimed by death yesterday morning at 9 o'clock. She was 60 years, one month and one day of age.

Funeral service will be conducted from Union Baptist church Friday at 11 a. m.

Mrs. Norman is survived by her husband, R. L. Norman, and the following children: Thomas R., Roosevelt and Everett Norman, Mrs. Lillian Mathis, Mrs. Nora Everage, Misses Addie, Eva, Mittie and Georgia Norman, all of Cycle.

Before you can discipline others successfully you must discipline yourself.

Most of us talk, not because we have anything to say, but because silence is embarrassing.

Shoes, Shoes for the Mrs. and Miss. Lots of novelties coming in for Easter.—The Goodwill Store.

GETTING ALONG



Mrs. W. H. Belk Named Head State D. A. R.

Winston-Salem, March 7.—Mrs. W. H. Belk of Charlotte was today elected regent of the North Carolina Daughters of the American Revolution, succeeding Mrs. Sydney Perry Cooper of Henderson.

Mrs. Isaac Manning, of Chapel Hill was elected vice regent and Mrs. Benjamin Wyche, of Charlotte corresponding secretary. The new officers were installed at tonight's session at which Dr. Howard E. Rondthaler, president of Salem college, was the principal speaker.

Dr. Rondthaler spoke on the "Mystery of Theodosia Burr," relating the story of this woman of colonial days. He was introduced by Mrs. Eugene N. Davis of Statesville.

The state conference will close with a business session tomorrow.

Following the morning business session, deceased members of the order were honored in a memorial service at noon with Mrs. W. L. Reid presiding.

Music, interspersed with reading of Scriptures and with prayer, marked the program during which Mrs. R. E. Gribben read the memorials and Mrs. J. S. Silversteen made the roll call. Flowers were placed in a memorial wreath and the benediction and taps followed.

Spanish Vets To Meet

All Spanish American war veterans are urged to attend a meeting in Wilkesboro Saturday, March 10, at 2 p. m. Special business will come up at the meeting.

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THURSDAY-FRIDAY, MARCH 8-9—

"IF I WERE FREE" with Irene Dunne, Clive Brooks and Nils Asher. NEWS, CARTOON and COMEDY

SATURDAY, MARCH 10—

"WHEELS OF DESTINY" with Ken Maynard and Tarzan, the wonder horse. 9th chapter "Phantom of the Air, with Tom Tyler. Cartoon and Comedy

"BOMBAY MAIL" with Edmund Lowe, Ralph Forbes, Shirley Grey, Hedda Hopper and Tom Moore. The mile-a-minute mystery drama.

SUPER ATTRACTIONS

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