

# LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meadows visited friends in Statesville Sunday.

Mr. O. N. Myers, of Elkin, was a visitor to this city a short while last week.

Friends will be glad to know that Mrs. Russel Hendren, who has been ill, is improving.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Doughton at the Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem Saturday, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Long, of Winston-Salem, are spending a few days here with their son, Mr. Ed Long.

Mr. W. G. Gabriel, manager of Bobb's Department Store, was a business visitor to Charlotte Thursday.

Friends will be saddened to learn that Attorney Frank D. Hill at Smyth Hotel in Winston-Salem.

Attorney Clyde Hayes, Mrs. W. Hayes, Misses Lucile and Aline Hayes were visitors to Charlotte Tuesday.

Attorneys C. G. Gilreath and W. H. McElwee were in Rockingham Saturday several hours looking after business matters.

Mr. T. S. Barnes writes to have his paper changed from Sarasota, Fla., to Nashville, Ga., stating "It got too cold in Florida for me."

Miss Carolyn Cowles, student of Mitchell College, Statesville, spent the week-end at home in Wilkesboro with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cowles.

Mr. Fred Hubbard, who is in school at the university at Chapel Hill, spent the week-end at home here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. C. Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Absher, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Forester, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore left Saturday night for a vacation trip to Florida of interest in Florida. They will return in about two weeks.

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**DAIRY TALES**  
WELL, HE WANTED SOMETHING TO SAVE HIS LIFE AND I DON'T KNOW OF ANYTHING BETTER TO GIVE HIM NEW LIFE THAN A BOTTLE OF FRESH MILK FROM MONTVIEW DAIRY  
**BOP!**  
A quart a day for new life! Drink more Montview Dairy milk and watch the ambition return.  
MONTVIEW DAIRY BOOMER, N. C. GRADE A MILK

Miss Helen Bumgarner, student of W. C. U. N. C., Greensboro, spent the week-end in Wilkesboro with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bumgarner.

Friends of Mr. F. C. (Tom) Forester will be pleased to know that his condition continues to improve. Mr. Forester is a patient of the Davis Hospital in Statesville.

Dr. S. L. Perkins, well known Wilkesboro physician, is seriously ill at his home. Relatives have arrived to be at his bedside and his condition is considered quite critical.

Mrs. Robert Morehouse will return today from a week's visit in New York City with her sister and to confer with a publisher about her novel, to be published on February 21.

Miss Louise Foy spent the week-end at her home in Mt. Airy. She was accompanied there by her little niece, Anne Clark, of Mt. Airy, who was here the past week with Miss Foy.

Slight improvement was reported today in the condition of Mr. R. L. Earp, prominent citizen of the Moravian Falls community who has been seriously ill during the past week.

Mr. D. A. Saws, who has held a position in the Western Union Telegraph office here during the past few months, has been transferred to Leaksville. He took up his duties there today.

Mrs. J. W. Woltz, secretary of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church in the Mount Airy district, participated in the services at the North Wilkesboro and Wilkesboro Methodist churches Sunday morning and evening.

Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Templeton, Mrs. W. P. Horton and Miss Mammie Sockwell, of this city, Rev. W. A. Lynch, Mrs. B. S. Call and Mrs. J. R. Henderson of Wilkesboro, and Rev. J. C. Gentry, of Moravian Falls, were among those from this community attending the Missionary Institute held at the Methodist church in Elkin Friday morning.

Mrs. A. L. Griffing returned the latter part of the week from an extended trip to Helena, Arkansas, Cincinnati, Ohio, and Memphis, Tenn. In Helena Mrs. Griffing visited her mother, Mrs. H. A. Wenzel and her brother, Mr. Henry Wenzel. In Cincinnati she was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Julia Wenzel, and in Memphis she attended the Southern Methodist Conference for several days.

**FARMERS CLUB MEETS ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT**  
The Mountain View Farmers club will meet Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. The subject for discussion will be "Breeds and Market Classes of Swine."

The Hay Meadow group has changed their time of meeting from Wednesday to Thursday. They will meet every Thursday evening at 7 o'clock until further notice. The subjects for discussion will be "The greater corn borer" and "corn ear worm."  
At the last meeting the group decided to put on a rat eradication campaign. It is hoped that many of the farmers of this community will cooperate with the group and rid their premises of their "Star Boarders"—the rat.  
Come on men! Let us make those meetings pay us dividends. The Barret Co. is offering a sack of Arcadian Nitrate to the farmers who have the best record of attendance. See if you can't win one.

**3 Arrested in Connection With Robbery of Spurgeon Johnson Wednesday Night**  
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kin where his injuries were given attention.  
Officers of Wilkes and Surry counties (the alleged hold-up occurred in Wilkes), with the aid of private investigators, are combing the country for clues which may bring the guilty parties to justice.

The sum of money claimed to have been carried on the person of Johnson, a man in his thirties, is thought to be authentic, as he was known to have had that sum while in Elkin.

**Three Are Killed As Ship Crashes in Texas Pasture**  
Itasca, Texas, Jan. 25.—Three men were killed today in a sputtering airplane that fell in a dense fog on a farm six miles southeast of here.

Growth of flue cured tobacco in eastern Carolina are now having their seed cleaned for planting the seed beds. One farm agent cleaned 489 pounds last week.

## J. S. Jennings Taken By Death

### Prominent Citizen of Pores Knob Community Passes; Funeral Tuesday

Funeral service will be held Tuesday, eleven o'clock, at Walnut Grove Baptist church for J. S. (Center) Jennings, who died at his home in the Pores Knob community Sunday evening. Death followed a long illness, he having suffered an apoplectic stroke several years ago and since that time had been confined to his home.

Mr. Jennings was a prominent farmer and orchardist in his community, being proprietor of a Brushy Mountain orchard. As long as his health permitted he took an active part in church and community life.

Surviving are the following children: Eugene Jennings, Thomasville; Mrs. J. O. Earnhardt, Charlotte; Mrs. J. Webb Moore, York, S. C.; R. G. Jennings, Thomasville; Fred, Edwin and Miss Alma Jennings, Pores Knob.

Rev. C. C. Holland, pastor of Taylorsville, and Rev. W. E. Linney, of Wilkesboro, will conduct the funeral service and interment will be in the church cemetery.

## "SO RED THE ROSE" AT LIBERTY THEATRE

Movie enthusiasts will be interested to hear that "So Red The Rose" will live again in the romantic old town of Natchez, Mississippi, scene of Stark Young's famous novel and Paramount screen success coming to the Liberty Theatre Thursday and Friday, when the Natchez Garden club holds its Fifth Annual Pilgrimage this Spring, March 27th, April 5th—inclusive.

During this period twenty-seven stately, oldworld mansions of the Antebellum South, so vividly pictured in Paramount's stirring screen-play, will be open to the public, and ladies in the hoop-skirts and jewels of their ancestors will receive the thousands of enthusiastic Pilgrimage visitors, with old-fashioned Southern courtesy into the country of "So Red The Rose."

These famous, tall-columned houses of historic Natchez, used by Mr. Young as the background of his thrilling and beautiful romance, are still in a wonderful state of preservation. Guests of the Natchez Pilgrimage may visit the very scenes where was enacted the drama of the Bedford family, and may wander through the halls of the stately Southern mansion where Valette and Duncan Bedford were finally married.

(Above is a photograph of one of the famous Natchez mansions, shown on the Pilgrimage tours. In the "Country of So Red the Rose," where the Old South still lives.)

## SAYS LESPEDEZA IS VALUABLE FARM CROP

It will soon be time to sow lespedeza, E. C. Blair, extension agronomist at State College, reminds North Carolina farmers.

Lespedeza is one of the most valuable crops that can be grown on the farm, he stated, and it can be grown under a wide variety of climatic and soil conditions.

Lespedeza makes a good hay that is rich in protein and is high in proteins and carbohydrates. It also makes good grazing in the hot summer and fall months when other pasturage is dormant.

Blair also pointed out its value as a soil builder when plowed under at maturity. Even when the crop is cut for hay, he added, the roots and the lower part of the plant that is left in the field will improve the soil to some extent.

Eight tests with lespedeza showed that on an average, where corn was producing 21.3 bushels to the acre without lespedeza, the same land would produce 44.1 bushels to the acre after a growth of lespedeza had been turned under.

Similar effects have been noted on small grains, cotton, soybeans, and even weeds.

## World's Greatest City Takes 10-Inch Snowball on Chin



NEW YORK . . . The world's greatest city awakened from its mid-winter drows of a mild, mild winter to start wrestling with the year's record snow fall of 10 inches and a 100-mile-an-hour gale. Traffic was in a snarl and 42nd street and Broadway shops (upper photo) might have done a good business in skis, if they had any skis. Lower photo shows one of "the city's finest" helping a lady hold a true course across Columbus Circle in the 100-mile wind.

## Today and Tomorrow

**PENSIONS . . . all hands**  
The people of the United States seem to me to have been infected with the pension-craze as I have not seen them since the 1890's. Even then, nobody thought of pensions for anybody but veterans of the Civil War. Now the American Legion comes out for pensions for soldiers' widows, and the Veterans of Foreign Wars is advocating pensions for all veterans, and on top of that, Dr. Townsend and his followers would pension everybody over 60 years old, while almost every class of public servant, from school teachers and policemen to governors, are nowadays being pensioned at public expense.

It is an understandable human desire to live comfortably in old age without working. But I have never been able to convince myself that it is society's duty to provide anything beyond decent subsistence for the indigent aged.

**THRIFT . . . best pensions**  
I have not seen in any of the projects for supporting old people at public expense anything that does as much for them as every man can do for himself, if he wills. Even the contributory old age benefit plan of the social security act does not provide for as large old age annuities as the ordinary man could buy for himself from any insurance company, if he would pay out of his wages the same percentage that the government now proposes to take from him in old age taxes.

I am reminded of Bob Davidson, an Albany newspaper man, who died only a few years ago. Bob never earned more than \$28 a week in his life, but when he died, after 40 years of work, he left an estate of \$100,000. He had the qualities of thrift and self-denial, which are so repugnant to the folk who are now loudly demanding old age pensions which they have done nothing to earn.

**CONSTITUTION . . . change**  
The latest decisions of the Supreme court holding that congress had exceeded its delegated powers in undertaking to regulate business and agriculture have revived talk of amending the constitution. Half a dozen amendments have been proposed to give the federal government broader powers than it has yet been granted by states.

No good American can quarrel with the idea of amending the constitution. We have done it a good many times and doubtless will do it many more times in the future. The constitution itself provides three ways for its own amendment. The only thing it doesn't provide for is amendment in a hurry. And that, it seems to me, is very wise.

Whatever party is in control at Washington would always like to have more power. But it can't get it without giving all the people and all the states plenty of time to think it over.

I am not worried a bit about the constitution.

**HAMILTON . . . influence**  
Every time I pass Trinity churchyard, in New York, I pause to look at the tomb of Alexander Hamilton, who died when he was only 47 years old. I believe no man in our history has exerted such a strong and enduring influence. I was impressed with that belief when I read the two opposing opinions of the Supreme court in the AAA case.

## Roaring River And Wilkesboro Split

Wilkesboro and Roaring River high school basketball teams split a double header in the county basketball schedule at Wilkesboro Thursday afternoon. Wilkesboro girls lost the first game, 21 to 8 but the Roaring River boys were unable to follow the lead set by the girls of their school and lost to the Wilkesboro boys 18 to 15.

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