

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS ITEMS ABOUT People You Know

Miss Evelyn McGee is visiting her cousin, Miss Christine Fairchild, at Palaski, Virginia. Miss Ina Myers returned home Saturday from a visit with relatives in Charlotte. Mr. J. H. Williams, of Georgetown, S. C., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. C. G. Yates, in Wilkesboro. Messrs. Fred C. Smith and Eustace William left Sunday to spend a week at Myrtle Beach, S. C. Misses Gladys Lomax and Verma Foster and Mrs. Ray Barnes were in Charlotte shopping Saturday. Miss Pauline Yale has returned to Bassett, Va., after a visit here with her sisters, Mesdames W. L. Miller and J. E. Carrigan. Miss Lorene Davis, of Winston-Salem, is spending this week here as guest of Miss Charlotte Harvel. Mrs. W. F. Loftis, of Madison, is here for a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Hubbard. Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Green, and Mrs. R. S. Shoaff, spent Sunday at Rockville with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin. Dr. Carolyn Taylor, well known member of the dental profession here, will leave August 11 for a vacation of ten days at Lake Lure. Mrs. D. G. Wiles and son, Mr. Dock Wiles, of this city, attended the wedding of Miss Amy Katherine Myers and Mr. Clyde Rudd in Elkin Sunday. Mr. John W. Robbins, well known citizen of Somers township, was in the Wilkesboros today looking after business matters. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gambill, of this city, enjoyed a several days' visit last week to the Great Smoky National Park in North Carolina and Virginia. Mr. Avery T. Whittington and family have returned to the city after spending several days last week at Ocean Drive Beach, South Carolina. Mr. and Mrs. James T. Hubbard, Mrs. W. F. Loftis and Little Miss Mary Yeakle Phipps spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Banner at Banner Elk. Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Beach and sons, Kline, Jr. and Douglas, and Miss Mark Hickman, of this city, will leave tomorrow to spend two weeks at Walterboro, S. C., with Mr. Beach's mother, Mrs. B. O. Beach, and Mrs. Beach's father, Mr. W. H. Hickman.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Salabour, of ... visited relatives in the ... Sunday. Messrs. J. C. and H. O. ... of the Purlear community, ... North Wilkesboro visitors ... week. Mr. J. E. McCartney and family, of this city, visited friends in Mount Airy Sunday for several hours. Mrs. Lawrence Miller is spending three days in Asheville this week while attending a NYA District Conference. Misses Mable Myers, Eleanor Myers and Miss Louise Fletcher, all of Charlotte, are spending this week with Miss Ina Myers, of this city. Miss Elizabeth Finley returned Thursday from Montreal where she had been for ten days attending a leadership school for religious education. Rev. and Mrs. Watt Cooper and Mr. Lewis Vickery attended part of the meeting. Mrs. R. C. Jennings and daughters, Misses Elizabeth, Dorothy and Billie Jennings, of Pores Knob, were visitors to Greensboro Saturday. They were accompanied home by Miss Bea Jennings, who spent the week-end with them. Rev. W. M. Coper, pastor of the North Wilkesboro Presbyterian church, will officiate at the wedding of Miss Harriet McGoogan, Wilkes home demonstration agent, to Mr. Dan Hoiler, former Wilkes county agent, at St. Pauls in Robeson county on Thursday, August 8. Mrs. J. E. Self and daughter and son, Mrs. Frank Shepherd and Mrs. Hugh Self, from Hammonds, Calif., were here last week visiting Mrs. Self's sister, Mrs. W. G. Gabriel. Mrs. Gabriel, accompanied by her visitors, went to Carolina Beach today where they will spend a week. They will be joined there by a number of other relatives. Week-end guests in the home Mrs. Alonzo Myers and family, of Mrs. J. I. Myers were Dr. and Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Nance and family, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Fletcher and family and Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Parlier and family, all of Charlotte. Mrs. Myers and her guests attended the wedding of Miss Amy Kathryn Myers to Mr. Clyde Rudd in Elkin Sunday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Myers.

Miss Fisher ... At Picnic On Friday ... Eighteen quartets and singing classes participated in the North-western Singing convention held Sunday in Wilkesboro. In order to accommodate all the singers and musicians, the singing was held at two places, in the school building and in the Baptist church. Singers participating appeared before both assemblies in rotation. J. A. Gilliam presided in the school auditorium and Wm. A. Stroud in the church. The groups taking part in the singing were Friendly Four, Gospel Singers, Wilkesboro quartet, Stanley quartet, Hinchaw quartet, Happy Valley quartet, Brewer Family, Walnut Grove choir, Harmony Grove, Brushy Fork choir, Eller Family four, Victory Sacred Singers, Carolina Trio, two Oak Grove quartets, Kendal duet and Winston-Salem quartet. Several northwestern North Carolina counties were represented among the singers and there was one class present from Mountain City, Tennessee. 37th Farm-Home Week Hailed Best Two thousand farm men and women are back home with memories of what most of them hailed as the best Farm and Home Week ever held at N. C. State College in the 37 years of the history of this annual event. With few exceptions, every one of North Carolina's 100 counties was represented at the convention in Raleigh. W. L. Lyerly of Woodleaf, Rowan county, was elected president of the Farmer's group, with T. B. Upchurch, Jr., of Raeford being elevated to the first vice-presidency, and J. M. Picker of Stanly County was elected second vice president. Dan M. Paul of State College was continued as secretary and treasurer and F. H. Jeter was re-named publicity director. Among the speakers heard by the farm people during the week were Governor Clyde R. Hoey; Governor-nominate J. M. Broughton; R. M. Evans, Federal AAA administrator; Col. John Hall Manning of the N. C. National Guard; the Rev. John C. Glenn of Raleigh; Dean R. B. House of the University of North Carolina; Jonathan Daniels, editor and author, and literally dozens of others who addressed special groups. About 600 county and community AAA committeemen attended the convention and held three afternoon sessions at which phases of the Agricultural Conservation Program were discussed and recommendations for improvements made. Carl Olsen of the National Defense Commission and several National and regional AAA leaders spoke before this group. The resolutions committee took note of one lack when it recommended that an auditorium to seat at least 5,000 persons be built on the State College campus. The general assemblies were held in Fullen Hall, which seats only about 1,300, and in Riddick Stadium which cannot be used in bad weather. Loud speakers enabled those unable to gain entrance to Pullen Hall for the morning programs to hear the talks and discussions. To Begin Revival At Church Of God A revival meeting will begin Sunday evening, August 11, at the church of God, two miles west of Moravian Falls, near J. T. Rodgers' home. Rev. J. W. Whitnack, of Drexel, will be the evangelist. Rev. Mr. Whitnack, is an aged pioneer minister of the church, and is an interesting speaker. This church is not denominational, but preaches the divine church which includes all Christians. The public is invited to attend.—Reported. Ads. get attention—and results!

North Wilkesboro Girls Honored At Elkin Elkin, Aug. 4.—Honoring her guest, Miss Nell Rousseau, of North Wilkesboro, and other young visitors in the city, Miss Peggy Royall entertained at luncheon Thursday at her home. Complimenting her guests, Misses Irma Shore Steeloff and Mary Elizabeth Lindsay, of High Point; Miss Lula Hester Brame, of North Wilkesboro, and other young visitors in town, Miss Mary Elizabeth Allen entertained with an open house Friday evening at her home. Exams Announced By Civil Service The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations for the positions listed below. Applications must be on file with the Commission's Washington office not later than the closing dates mentioned in each case. The first date governs receipt of applications from States east of Colorado; the second, from Colorado and States westward. The salaries given in each case are subject to a retirement deduction of 3 1-2 per cent. Senior stenographer, \$1,620 a year; junior stenographer, \$1,440 a year; senior typist, \$1,440 a year; junior typist, \$1,260 a year; for appointment in Washington, D. C., only. This examination is open to both men and women. Applicants must not have passed their fifty-third birthday. Closing dates are August 15 and August 19, 1940. Civil engineer, four grades, with salaries ranging from \$2,600 to \$4,600 a year. Optional branches are: Cadastral, construction, soil mechanics, safety, sanitary, general. Applicants must have completed a 4-year engineering course in a recognized college or university. In addition they must have had professional civil engineering experience partly in one of the optional branches listed. Applicants may substitute additional engineering experience for part of the prescribed education; they may also substitute graduate study in civil engineering for part of the experience. They must not have passed their fifty-fifth birthday. Closing dates are August 29 and September 3, 1940. Full information as to the requirements for these examinations, and application forms, may be obtained from Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, at the post office in this city, or from the Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, at any first- or second-class post office.

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Announcement I wish to announce to the public that I have opened an office at the Jenkins Hardware Company store, and am now ready to handle your Health and Accident Insurance PROBLEMS AND Real Estate Transactions If you want to buy the best Health and Accident Insurance on the market for the price, see me. If you want to sell your real estate (farms or houses and lots), see me. I already have some valuable property for sale at bargain prices. P. E. Dancy Office At Jenkins Hardware Company North Wilkesboro North Carolina

County Agent In His Office Three Half Days Weekly J. B. Snipes, Wilkes county farm demonstration agent, today announced what times he will be in his office for consultation with farmers. For the convenience of farmers of the county who desire to call at the office of the county agent in the county courthouse, Mr. Snipes has set aside three half days each week when he will be in his office. The periods are Monday mornings, Wednesday afternoons and Saturday mornings. While he may be in his office at other times, he pointed out that a great part of his time will be spent in field visits throughout the county and in order that farmers may not be inconvenienced by making a long trip to the office and finding that he is out in the county, he has set aside the periods for office work. Mr. Snipes assumed his duties as county agent on July 15. He and his family, which consists of Mrs. Snipes and two children, Ann Proctor and J. B., Jr., have moved to this city from Roxboro, where he was assistant county agent for five years before he was appointed county agent for Wilkes. REAL WELCOME Tom: "Was her father rough with you when you told him you had secretly married his daughter?" Dick: "I'll say He nearly shook my arm off." Cash farm income from marketings and government payments in June amounted to \$587,000, 000 as compared with \$583,000, 000 in the same month of 1939.

Magistrate: "Tell me, young man, just how did this accident occur?" H. W. Oles: "Well, your Honor, I had dimmed my lights and was bugging the curve..." Magistrate: "That's how most accidents happen. Five dollars."

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Two Days Only Wednesday and Thursday August 7th and 8th A Magnificent Presentation Of Luxurious FURS At August Sale Prices Mr. LeGrand Scott an expert furrier of New York City, will be here these 2 days with over 100 smart new 1941 styled fur coats and jackets. Luxurious quality and workmanship that you can purchase with confidence. TERMS MAY BE ARRANGED Spainhour's SPAINHOUR-SYDNOR North Wilkesboro, N. C.

Table with 2 columns: Product Name and Price. Items include Max Factor Products (89c), Listerine Tooth Paste (49c), Pepsodent Antiseptic (51c), Marvelous Make-up (55c), Clapp's Chopped Baby Foods (23c), Paper Napkins (7c), Foot Wax Paper (3 1/2c).

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HORTON'S Money-Saving Summer Bargain Carnival Not Just A Few Items Included, But Hundreds of 'Em—SALE PRICED TO SAVE YOU MONEY!—Read the Few Listed Here—They Show You HOW TO SAVE \$\$\$\$ —Hundreds Of Items Listed In Our Big 4-Page Bargain Carnival Circular—

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