

### News of Boomer The Past Week

The pastor, Rev. E. Y. Bunker, of Taylorsville, filled his regular appointment here Sunday as usual, preaching a fine sermon on the text, Isa. 41:10.

A Christmas program here by the Sunday school of the Baptist church was well attended and a joyful and inspiring sermon enjoyed by all. After which a Christmas tree was unloaded and the presents given out.

Rev. and Mrs. S. I. Watts attended the Christmas program at Lebanon Church where a fine and inspiring service was rendered by the church on Sunday night. A beautiful tree with presents for all was a feature of the program. Another feature was a liberal pounding for the pastor, Rev. and Mrs. Watts by the church. The journey to Bethlehem by the shepherds and the wise men from the east was very beautiful and impressive as we all viewed the manger with the Christ Child.

Mrs. M. C. German, of Kannapolis, and Mrs. J. F. Britton, of Charleston, S. C.; and Miss Leora German, of Atlanta, Ga., who works for the American Red Cross, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. German, during the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Carl Cummings, of Charlottesville, Va., is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Greer.

Mrs. Helen Walsh Dixon, of Charlottesville, Va., visited her mother, Mrs. C. L. Walsh and other friends here during the holidays.

Miss Pauline Gilbert, of Maryland, visited relatives and friends here for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Greer and family visited Mrs. Greer's mother, Mrs. Mary Rogers, of Taylorsville, Christmas day. Mrs. Rogers, one of the most sturdy citizens of Alexander county, is 84 years young, and had all of her seven children and a number of grandchildren for dinner Christmas day, a good day for all.

Mr. J. D. Phillips, of Lenoir, visited his mother, Mrs. Julia Phillips, Christmas day.

Mr. Millard F. Laws, of Boomer, received a telegram Thursday from the War Department, stating that his son, Sgt. Ishmeal Laws, who was with our fighting forces in Germany, was missing in action December 11th. Sgt. Laws was a fine young man and had many friends here. He was noted for his trustworthiness and

### ROUSSEAU-BAILLEY Invitations Issued

Invitations have been issued here reading as follows:

"Judge and Mrs. Julius Addison Rousseau request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Nella Gertrude, to Captain James Ruffin Bailey, Air Force, Army of the United States, on Thursday, the eighteenth of January, at five o'clock, First Methodist church, North Wilkesboro, North Carolina."

### Dorman T. Payne Honor Agent For Company In 1944

Home office agency of Jefferson Standard Life insurance company held its annual meeting and dinner Friday afternoon and night at Jefferson Standard country club, and awarded its trophy cup for the honor agent of 1944 to Dorman T. Payne, North Wilkesboro.

### Negro Is Arrested Prohibition Charge

Alfonso Webster, Negro, resident of this county, was arrested by Federal authorities Friday and charged with violating the internal revenue law in the manufacture of illegal liquor.

### W. M. Hayes, 65, Is Taken By Death

Funeral service was held Tuesday at Hunting Creek church for William Hayes, age 65, local citizen who died Monday. Rev. Noah Hayes conducted the last rites.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of William H. McNeill, late of Wilkes county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned, whose address is Hays, N. C., duly verified, on or before the 2nd day of January, 1945, or this notice will be plead in bar of their right to recover. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 2nd day of January, 1945.  
R. N. McNEILL,  
Administrator of the estate of William H. McNeill, dec'd. 2-8-6T

**ROCK WOOL**  
INSULATION  
North Wilkesboro  
Hardware Co.

Use  
**Woodside Dairy**  
Grade A  
**RAW**  
MILK

**PLUMBING**  
And Electrical  
**SERVICE**  
Telephone 328  
**Day Electric Co.**  
North Wilkesboro, N. C.

**Sam P. Mitchell**  
Civil Engineer  
CITY AND FARM SURVEYS  
PROPERTY PLATS  
Office 2nd Floor Bank of North  
Wilkesboro Building  
Residence Phone 42  
Office Phone 227

**WILLIAMS**  
**MOTOR CO.**  
T. E. Williams, Manager  
BEAR  
**Frame Service**  
GOOD USED CARS, TRUCKS  
AND TRACTORS  
**Easy Terms**  
Complete  
**Body Rebuilding**  
Electric and Acetylene Welding  
Will Pay Cash for Late Model  
Wrecked Cars and Trucks  
Phone 334-J

### SOCIETY

### Miss Era Templeton Is Bride of Pvt. Lenderman

The marriage of Miss Era Templeton and Pvt. James Albert Lenderman was solemnized in a quiet ceremony Friday afternoon, December 29, at the home of the bride on D street. Rev. J. O. Ervin, Wilkesboro Methodist minister and pastor of the bridegroom, officiated, using the impressive ring ritual, in the presence of immediate members of the two families.

The vows were spoken at two o'clock in the living room before an improvised altar in the bridal green and white. Attending the couple were Miss Dorothy Lenderman, sister of the bridegroom, and Mr. Don Culler, both of Wilkesboro. Miss Lenderman wore a fuchsia dress with black accessories and her flowers were talisman roses.

For her nuptials the bride was becomingly attired in a street dress of gray with which she used black accessories. At her shoulder was a corsage of red roses.

Immediately following the ceremony the bridal party and guests were invited into the dining room where an ice course was served, after which the bride and groom left for a short wedding trip.

Mrs. Lenderman, daughter of Mrs. W. J. Templeton, of North Wilkesboro, and the late Mr. Templeton, operates the Vogue Beauty Parlor in North Wilkesboro, of which she is the owner.

Pvt. Lenderman, son of Mrs. P. L. Lenderman, of Wilkesboro, and the late Mr. Lenderman, will leave Saturday for Camp Cook in California where he is now stationed.

### U. D. C. Chapter Met Monday Afternoon

The January meeting of the Wilkes Valley Guards chapter of the U. D. C. was held Monday afternoon with Mrs. W. C. Grier at her home on E street, having a splendid attendance of the members. The meeting opened by singing "Carolina" followed by the salute to the flags, after which Mrs. Joe E. Johnson, the chaplain, gave the devotionals. Mrs. Grier, the president, was in the chair for the business session. For the program Mrs. H. T. Brown made an interesting talk about Lee, Jackson, and Maury, whose birthdays occur in this month. Refreshments and a social hour followed the meeting.

### Mastin-Thomas Vows Are Spoken

A wedding of much interest took place on November 25, 1944, at York, S. C., when Annie Mae Mastin became the bride of Paul Thomas.

Mrs. Thomas is the daughter of Mrs. B. L. Combs, of North Wilkesboro route three, and Mr. Thomas is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thomas, of Elkin, and is employed by the Coble Dairy Products company in Wilkesboro.

### Miss Alene Greene Bride of Cpl. Redding

A simple but impressive ceremony took place at two o'clock, January 1, at the home of Mrs. R. H. Greene, of Ronda, when her daughter, Alene, became the bride of Cpl. D. J. Redding, Jr.

The vows were heard by Rev. R. R. Crater before an altar of fern and gladioli, lighted cathedral candles added soft illumination.

A program of bridal music was presented by Miss Elaine Griffin, of Rural Hall, who played "Ave Maria" and "I Love You Truly".

The bride and groom entered together to the strains of the traditional bridal chorus from Lohengrin. "The Sweetest Story Ever Told", was played softly during the ceremony.

The lovely bride wore a suit of gold gaberdine with black accessories. Her flowers were gardenias.

Mrs. Redding is the youngest daughter of Mrs. R. H. Greene and the late Mr. Greene. She was graduated from Ronda high school with the class of '38.

Cpl. Redding is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Redding, Sr. He is a graduate of Ronda high school, and for the past two years has served with the Marine Corps in the South Pacific.

Immediately following the wedding a reception was given honoring Corporal and Mrs. Redding and guests. Mrs. Troy Redding presided over the punch bowl, assisted by Mrs. Elmer Lowe and Mrs. Dewey Redding. Following the reception Corporal and Mrs. Redding left for a short wedding trip.

### Obituary

Funeral services for L. D. Clonch, who died on Thursday, December 21st, at Davis hospital in Statesville, were held at Flint Hill Baptist church Saturday, 3 p. m. The service was conducted by Rev. Edd Hayes.

Survivors include his wife, the former Miss Pheaby Della Parlier, four daughters, Mrs. F. S. Hall, of North Wilkesboro; Mrs. B. M. Wilson, of Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Virgel Jordan, Baltimore, Md.; Mr. Vernon Clonch, North Wilkesboro; Mr. Quincy Clonch, of North Wilkesboro; Mr. Edgar Clonch, of North Wilkesboro; twenty-one grandchildren and six great grandchildren.—Reported.

We want to thank each and every one for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our husband and father.

MRS. L. D. CLONCH  
AND FAMILY.

### BUY MORE WAR BONDS

It was reported that the agency had over \$50,000,000 of insurance in force, had paid for new business during 1944 in excess of \$5,000,000 and that its renewal record was 95 per cent.

### BUY MORE WAR BONDS



May It Be A  
**Victorious One!**

Let Us Greet It With Faith, Hope and Courage

As the year 1944 becomes history, we pause to reflect upon its many happenings and conditions, and look with eager eye to the arrival of its infant successor, 1945. We—along with you our friends and customers—enter this New Year with hopeful hearts that each succeeding day will find us a step nearer victory and peace.

With such an outlook we express anew our desire and intention to operate the kind of store you prefer to patronize . . . to give the kind of values you want to buy . . . to render the best service possible.

So, in 1945, as in 1944 and the many years before it, make BELK'S your favorite store. Buy the things you need, take care of what you have, and buy more and more of the most important item of all . . . WAR BONDS!

# Belk's Department Store

W. G. Gabriel, Manager

North Wilkesboro, N. C.

Plans and methods of operation vital to America's war and post-war reconstruction will be discussed at the meeting. Space is limited.

To relieve its food shortage, Colombia has a new program to improve land utilization and increase agricultural production.

**BUY MORE WAR BONDS**

**SERVICE BY PUBLICATION NOTICE**

North Carolina, Wilkes county. In the Superior Court. W. A. Bauguess, Executor of the Estate of Mattie Bauguess, deceased, vs. W. A. Bauguess, J. J. Rhymer, Mrs. J. J. Rhymer, Grant Rhymer, Mrs. Grant Rhymer, Albert Rhymer, and Mrs. Albert Rhymer.

The defendants, J. J. Rhymer and Mrs. J. J. Rhymer take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Wilkes county, North Carolina, to sell real estate belonging to the estate of Mattie Bauguess, deceased, to make assets to pay debts, and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county in the courthouse in Wilkesboro, N. C., within ten days after the 29th day of January, 1945, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 29th day of December, 1944.  
C. C. HAYES,  
Clerk Superior Court of Wilkes County, N. C. 1-25-4T

### Beware Coughs from common colds That Hang On

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

### CREOMULSION for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis