

THE STAR'S Women

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CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY
 3:00 p.m. — Elizabeth Home Demonstration club meets with Mrs. V. O. Cline.
 Community prayer meetings held as follows:
 4:00 p.m. with Mrs. R. L. Ryburn, South Washington street. Mrs. Robert Doggett, leader.
 4:00 p.m. with Mrs. H. A. Logan, North Morgan street. Mrs. J. W. Cannon, leader.

Whitaker-Martin Marriage Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Martin announce the marriage of their daughter, Sara Ivey, to Lawrence Whitaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitaker of Mooresboro, on Friday night, July 20, in Gaffney, S. C.

The bride wore a dress of powder blue crepe with black accessories.

Mrs. Jack Beason accompanied the couple to Gaffney.

Both bride and bridegroom are now employed at the Cleveland Cloth mill. They are making their home at 523 South DeKalb street.

Miss Devine Is Wed To Dwight T. McSwain

In a quiet and simple ceremony performed Wednesday evening, July 18, at the home of Rev. A. M. Kiser in Waco, Miss Edith Norma Devine of near Fallston became the bride of Dwight Thurman McSwain of Waco.

The Rev. Mr. Kiser, pastor of both bride and bridegroom, heard the vows of the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a becoming dress of white eyelet embroidery with white accessories and a shoulder corsage of pink rosebuds.

Mrs. McSwain is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Devine of near Fallston. She is now employed at the Stamey company in Fallston.

Mr. McSwain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McSwain, is engaged in farming in Waco where the couple will make their home.

Personals

Jimmy Goode Blanton will return home tomorrow after visiting his cousins, Mrs. C. C. Moore and Mrs. Paul Jones, in Whiteville for a week.

Miss Isabel Armour arrived this week from Washington, D. C., to spend the remainder of the summer months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Armour.

Mrs. W. C. Goode has been ill at her home on North LaFayette street for the past week. Her condition is showing gradual improvement.

L. and Mrs. H. E. Noell, Jr. and little daughter, Sandra, will leave tomorrow for Mrs. Noell's home in Ita Bena, Miss., after visiting L. Noell's parents for about ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Owen have returned home after spending ten days at Tybee Beach, Ga., and in Savannah, Ga., with Mrs. I. Sessan.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Mull, their daughter, Mrs. Earl Meacham, and

her daughter, Montrose Pallen, returned home yesterday after spending two weeks at Myrtle Beach, S. C.

Miss Lou Daniel left today for Moyock, N. C., to join Miss Anne Taylor Webb for a visit with Miss Josephine West. Miss Webb has been in Moyock visiting relatives.

T/Sgt. Edsel Howell and Cpl. Margaret Roll, W.A.C. of Lockbourne Air base, Columbus, Ohio, arrived yesterday to visit the former's mother, Mrs. Miriam R. Howell, at her home on Jones Place.

Paul H. Wray, MM 1/c, USNR, has reported back to New York City after spending a 30-day leave with his wife and son at their home on Suttle street. He has just completed 18 months of service in the European theatre of war.

Mrs. Willeford Feted At Parties

KINGS MOUNTAIN—Mrs. R. J. Willeford arrived here last Friday from Orono, Fla., for a visit with friends and has since been feted by a number of local persons.

Mrs. E. W. Griffin entertained at luncheon on Saturday with Mrs. Willeford as the guest-of-honor.

Mrs. M. A. Ware was host to the party Saturday evening when they all attended the movies. On Monday night, Mrs. C. E. Neiser entertained at rook at her home on Piedmont avenue. The hostess presented Mrs. R. J. Willeford with an honor gift. Mrs. Charles Campbell entertained Mrs. Willeford on Tuesday. Mrs. Campbell and visitor were guests of Mrs. E. W. Griffin at a movie Tuesday afternoon and guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thomason at a dinner party honoring Mrs. Willeford Tuesday evening.

VISIT COUSIN

Misses Juanita and Gwen Houser of Baltimore, Md., are visiting their cousin, Miss Margaret Wellmon, at her home in Belwood.

WELLMON GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wellmon of Belwood had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pendleton of Gastonia and Mrs. Lawrence Berry of Morganton.

RECREATION BODY Has First Meeting

RALEIGH, July 25.—(AP)—The state recreation commission, sworn in by Governor Cherry here today, immediately proceeded to hold its first meeting.

The commission, authorized by the 1945 general assembly and appointed by Gov. Cherry, met to elect a chairman and a full-time state director.

CLAYPOOL FUNERAL

NEW BERN, July 25.—(AP)—The funeral will be held tomorrow for Jesse Stanley Claypool, 64, executive secretary of the New Bern housing authority, who died unexpectedly early yesterday after a heart attack at his home here.

FACULTY MEMBER RESIGNS

CHAPEL HILL, July 25.—(AP)—Dr. Frank Lowe, member of the University of North Carolina medical school faculty since 1937, has resigned.

NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Sam Greene, Jr., Off To Great Lakes, Ill.

Sam Greene, Jr., left yesterday for the naval training station at Great Lakes, Ill., where he will enter the navy radar training school, having successfully passed the navy test for enrollment in that branch of training. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Greene of Mooresboro.

Edna E. Devine Earns Promotion

Mrs. L. A. Devine of this place has received word that her daughter, Edna E. Devine, serving with the Woman's Army corps in Paris, France, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant. She has been overseas 8 months and is a dietitian.

Carl P. Dover Is Home On Furlough

Cpl. Carl P. Dover, who has been in Europe for the past year, has arrived home to spend a furlough with his family at 306 Ford street. He has been in service 32 months and expects to go to the Pacific after retraining in the States.

Winford Graham Is Transferred

Cpl. Winford G. Graham is spending ten days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Graham at Earl. Cpl. Graham has been at Fort Jackson, S. C., as a military policeman for 33 months and has recently been transferred to Camp Lee, Va.

VISITORS AT KINGS MOUNTAIN

KINGS MOUNTAIN—Miss Ruth Leigh of Lynwood avenue had as her guest this week-end Miss Blondine Evans of Shelby.

Zeb Falls left earlier this week for Chase City, Va., where he plans to spend his vacation with members of his family who have been spending the summer there with relatives.

Pvt. J. T. McGinnis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tracy McGinnis, assigned to the AAC, arrived home late this week-end for a short furlough visit with his parents.

Billy Jonas, Seaman 1-c, U. S. navy, arrived home last week on leave from his base for a visit with his parents and other relatives.

W. F. Stone, who was wounded in action earlier this year, has arrived home and been discharged from military service. He was reported as enroute home several weeks ago.

Chester 'Nick' Bowers, who was reported in the States several days ago, has arrived home. He received a discharge under the new point discharge system.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Kircus and children and Miss May Hamrick, all of the Marriage section, left last week for Alabama where they plan to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson arrived home last week after a visit with relatives and friends in Cowpens, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Putnam had as their guest this week-end, Cpl. Johnny Kuchta, U. S. army, who is now stationed at Augusta, Ga.

Floyd Bridges, Seaman 1-c, U. S. navy, is now home on leave for an extended visit with his wife. Seaman Bridges recently returned to the States from several months duty overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. James S. Ware and Mrs. Frank Ware of the Oak Grove section had as their guests last week Mr. and Mrs. William Ware of Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harris and family moved early today to Roundo, South Carolina, where Mr. Harris is now working.

Mr. and Mrs. John Petty moved from Piedmont avenue earlier this week to the South Fork section of North Belmont, where Mr. Petty is employed.

Meadows Defense Testimony Heard

GREENVILLE, July 25.—(AP)—The defense continued to parade its witnesses before Pitt county superior court here today in an effort to show that Dr. Leon R. Meadows had authority to keep special college funds in his personal bank account and further that he used the funds for improvement of the college while he was president.

A deposition and other testimony of Henry Clark Bridgers of Tarboro, originally presented at the first trial of Meadows for embezzlement and false pretense, was reviewed before the court yesterday by attorneys for the defense. Bridgers had said that the board of trustees for East Carolina Teachers college had passed a resolution in 1924 giving the president authority to handle funds.

W. B. Shoe, Greenville contractor, earlier testified for the defense that checks which the state contends went for work on Meadows' private property were spent for work on the college and that amounts spent on improvement of a new classroom building were reasonable.

Westly Kiser Home After 8 Months

Pfc. Westly Kiser is spending a furlough with his wife, the former Miss Pearl Dixon of Kings Mountain, after eight months of service in the European theatre. He arrived in New York last Saturday and notified his wife and his parents, also of Kings Mountain that he would soon be home. He has been in the army about 3 months.

Tessener Chalks Up Sixty-Five Patrols

Word has been received here that Worth A. Tessener, S 1/c, bow gunner of a big navy PBM, Mariner search plane, has chalked up 65 patrols to his credit in 22 months of overseas service. Son of A. M. Tessener of Bolling Springs, he is married to the former Miss Louise Whisman of that place and has been in the navy since May of 1943. He has not returned to the States for a leave.

Kings Mountain Man In Richmond Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peterson of route 1, Kings Mountain, are visiting their son, Pvt. Jasper (Jack) Peterson at the army hospital in Richmond, Va., where he is recuperating after having been wounded in Germany. Pvt. Peterson was wounded during the winter months and was hit by a tank during a blizzard, breaking both his legs and injuring his arms. He has served in the army about three years and returned to the States for a convalescent period about three weeks ago.

New Officers Of Legion, Auxiliary To Be Installed

Newly elected officers of Warren Hoyle Post #2 American Legion and the Legion auxiliary will be installed at the Legion hut Sunday afternoon in a special meeting to be held at 4 o'clock. Past Commander Max R. Dixon announced today.

Officers of the Legion will be installed by R. Dave Hall of Belmont, a past department commander, and officers of the auxiliary will be installed by Mrs. Paul G. Noell of Gastonia, department vice president. After the installation Griffin P. Smith will make a talk on filing claims and all war veterans, especially those who have received discharges because of physical reason, are urged to attend in order to hear this talk.

Officers to be installed include: Willis McMurtry, commander; Earl Lutz, Hugh Noell, sr., and Lester Misner, vice commanders; Reid Misner, adjutant; and Griffin P. Smith, service officer. A number of minor officers to be appointed by Mr. McMurtry will also be installed.

Officers of the auxiliary who will be installed are: Mrs. Griffin Smith, president; Mrs. Charles Smith, vice president; Mrs. J. L. McDowell, secretary; Mrs. J. E. Robinson, treasurer; Mrs. H. A. Logan, chaplain; Mrs. H. A. Logan, historian; and Mrs. Robert Wilson, sergeant-at-arms.

All members of the local Legion post and auxiliary are urged to be present for this meeting and a special invitation is extended to those wives of Legionnaires who are not members of the auxiliary and to discharged service men who have not joined the Legion and their wives. Past-Commander Max Dixon is especially anxious that World War II veterans hear the talk by Mr. Smith since he says he believes there are a number here who are eligible for pensions if they will apply for them through the Legion.

The installation meeting was set for Sunday afternoon because of interference this week by baseball games.

FROM SARA NEWTON'S SCRATCH PAD

IN "THE TREASURY OF AMERICAN Folklore" are some of the most fascinating tall tales, jingle, songs, and stories of all types that it is a refreshing book to dip into for short reading. Most of the contents are familiar to all from childhood, but since it deals in material from all sections of the country there are plenty of new tales, too. Listen to this one called "Dat Wasn't Hot":

"It sho' is gittin' hot. Ah'll be glad when we git to de lake so ah kin find myself some shade."

"Man, youse two miles from dat lake yet, and otherwise it ain't hot today," said Joe Wiley. "He ain't seen it hot, is he, Will House?"

"Naw, Joe, when me and you was hobbing down in Texas it was so hot till we saw stumps and logs crawlin' off in de shade."

Eugene Oliver said, "Aw, dat wasn't hot. Ah seen it, so hot till two cakes of ice left the ice house and went down the street and fainted."

Arthur Hopkins put in: "Ah knowed two men who went to Tampa all dressed up in new blue serge suits, an' it was so hot dat when de train pulled into Tampa two blue suits got off de train. De men had gone melted out of 'em."

Will House said, "Dat wasn't hot. Dat was chilly weather. Me and Joe Wiley went fishin' an' it was so hot dat before we got to de water, we met de fish, comin' swimmin' up de road in dust."

"Dat's a fact, too," added Joe Wiley. "Ah remember dat day well. It was so hot dat Ah struck a match to light mah pipe an' set de lake afire. Burnt half of it, den took de water dat was left and put out de fire."

Joe Willard said, "Hush, don't Ah hear a noise?"

Eugene and Cliffert shouted together, "Yeah—went down to the

river—
 Heard a mighty racket
 Nothing but de bullfrog
 Pullin' off his jacket!"

According to those standards we are having quite chilly weather, or have things been happening around here, too, "dat's de truth"?

PERHAPS YOU RECALL WHAT Mrs. Martha E. Truman, 92-year-old mother of President Truman, said to her son as he was leaving Kansas City for Washington, D. C. It ought to make her eligible for the title of the typical American mother. She said: "Now, you be a good boy, Harry."

This should be somewhat consoling to youngsters who feel quite adult and write when their mothers say "Be good." Remember that even the President of the United States will always be a little boy to his mamma.

A HUGE, ENTHUSIASTIC speech of congratulation is due again to the women of Shelby who knuckled down to this sewing which the Red Cross is now completing. In this hot weather many find thinking of others rather difficult or at least find such thought cut to a minimum. Those who have made kit bags, utility bags, and infants slippers during this time when so many are taking vacations or are "doing well to keep cool" have received little praise. Let them be sure, however, that the men and children who use those articles will be deeply grateful for them. What greater reward can there be?

"It is not wisdom to be only wise.
 And on the inner vision close the eyes,
 But it is wisdom to believe the heart."
 Santayana.

CASAR FOLK HAVE VISITORS

CASAR.—S. 1/c Sam Denton of Little Creek, Va., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Denton.

Seaman 1/c Clarence Daniel Parker of Boston, Mass., is spending an 18-day leave with his wife and children.

S 1/c Clyde Peeler of Boston, Mass., is spending a leave with his wife and little son, Charles Wortman Peeler.

S/Sgt. Brady Warlick, who has been serving in the U. S. army for three and one half years, 32 months of which was spent overseas, has returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Warlick, for a 30-day visit.

Cpl. Clyde Pruett, 3/c Petty Officer Howard Pruett and their mother, Mrs. Verna Pruett, of Morganton, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Ernest's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Wilkes Towery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lail and children of Morganton spent the week-end with Mrs. Lail's grandmother, Mrs. David Fortenberry.

Misses Aileen Pruett and Kathleen Propst of Morganton spent the week-end with Miss Pruett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Pruett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Downs of Hickory spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Downs.

SUNDAY DINNER GUESTS
 Rev. Ralph Carpenter and daughter, Mattie Sue, of Belwood, were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Peeler.

Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Downs and little daughter, Patricia Ann, of Hickory were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Ledford.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Earl Pruett announce the birth of a son on Tuesday, July 17th.

FORMER TEACHER
 Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Walker had as their dinner guests Wednesday Mrs. Moss of Blacksburg, S. C., and Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Rice of Kingsport, Tenn. Mr. Rice will be remembered as having been a teacher in the Casar high school and Gardner-Webb college.

Miss Ruth Pruett, who holds a

position in a U. S. defense plant in Akron, Ohio, has returned to her work, having spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McKesson Pruett.

Mrs. A. A. Horton is a patient in the Shelby hospital where she is undergoing treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Elmore and daughter, Dorothy Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Pruett and daughter, Virginia, Ruth Warlick and A. C. Brackett, Jr., have returned home after having spent last week at Carolina Beach.

Miss Vertie Downs spent Thursday in Morganton visiting Miss Helen Harris, educational director of the First Baptist church.

Mrs. Henry Smith and daughter, Mrs. J. T. White, Jr., were Charlotte shoppers Monday.

Mrs. Edmund Williams and children, David and Susan, of Shelby, are spending a few days with Mrs. Williams' father, A. A. Richard, and her sisters, Mrs. Henry Hall and Miss Mary Lou Richard.

The Casar high school opened Monday, July 23, with a large enrollment.

Death Sentence For Soldier Commuted

PARIS, July 25.—(AP)—The death sentence of Pfc. Samuel Rosenbloom of Brooklyn, N. Y. (Serial No. 3258530) for disobeying the command of an officer has been commuted to life imprisonment at hard labor, U. S. army headquarters announced today.

WEBB

TODAY - THURSDAY
 "BENEATH WESTERN SKIES"
 SMILEY BURNETTE
 — And —
 "RECKLESS AGE"
 GLORIA JEAN
 JACK GIFFORD
 JANE DARWELL
 JUDY CLARK
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TODAY LAST TIMES
 JUDY GARLAND
 and
 ROBERT WALKER

IN "THE CLOCK"

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 and
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 Prescription Drug Store
SUTTLE'S
 Cut Rate
 DRUGS
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TODAY CAROLINA THURS.
HOLLYWOOD CANTTEEN
 62 STARS
 SONGS:
 "Don't Fence Me In" and Many Others.

When a Beautiful Baby Sings:
 "I'm only Teasin'!"
 LOVE SET TO MUSIC
 THURS. - FRIDAY
ROGERS
 "Where The Best Pictures Are Showed"
 "Delightfully Dangerous"
 JANE POWELL
 RALPH BELLAMY
 CONSTANCE MOORE
 MORTON GOULD and his ORCHESTRA
 TODAY LAST TIMES
 JUDY GARLAND and ROBERT WALKER
 IN "THE CLOCK"

IT'S 20° COOLER
STATE
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 They made history... and LOVE!
 Storming out of the past... their amazing adventures thrill the world as a dashing rogue and his beautiful blonde defy a king to win your heart!
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"The Fighting Guardsman"
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 Screen Play by Franz Seznac and Edward Dmytryk
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 Also CARTOON - SPORT

ON OUR STAGE IN PERSON
 — FEATURED 5 YEARS ON —
WSM GRAND OLE OPRY
 FRIDAY ONLY
JOHN DANIEL QUARTET
 CAROLINA THEATRE
 Billy Gilbert... Shemp Howard and Maxie Rosenbloom
 "TROUBLE CHASERS"

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 "Where The Best Pictures Are Showed"
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GREER GARSON GREGORY PECK
 The Valley of Decision
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