

# Personals

Mrs. Bess Reeves, Mrs. Bain Doughton, Misses Minnie Lou Edwards, Rosemond Doughton and Ellen Hardin visited Julian Reeves in a Roanoke hospital, on Saturday. They found him very much improved.

Bain Doughton, of Washington, D. C., spent the week end with his mother and sister, Mrs. Mallie Doughton and Mrs. Bess Reeves. He was accompanied home the first of the week by his wife and daughter, Rosemond, who have been spending sometime here.

Mrs. Lena Gentry, who has been a patient in the Elkin hospital, is spending sometime with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Cox, of Galax, Va. Mrs. Gentry is reported to be improving.

Master Bobby Dillard is seriously ill with pneumonia at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dillard.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wagoner were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Holloway and son, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Joines, Ken Crouse and J. H. Evans.

Mrs. Edwin Duncan, who has spent the winter in Elkin, returned to her home here this week.

Miss Ivy Grace Doughton, of Greensboro; W. Frank Doughton, Gov. and Mrs. R. A. Doughton and Mrs. T. J. Carson were dinner guests of Congressman and Mrs. R. L. Doughton, Sunday.

Mrs. Guy Wallace remains critically ill at her home at Roaring Gap.

J. H. Doughton has returned from Miami, Fla., after visiting his family there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hoppers have returned to their home here. Mrs. Hoppers will spend the summer here, while Mr. Hoppers travels for Dr. LeGear medical company.

Mrs. Robert Thompson is spending sometime in Eastern North Carolina, where her husband holds a position.

Mrs. Fred Hill, of Dobson, visited her sister, Mrs. Elmer Edwards, recently.

Miss Imogene Hoppers, who teaches in Jefferson, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hoppers.

W. F. Jones is improving from a recent illness.

Mrs. Ray Choate, of Sylva, who has been spending sometime with Dr. and Mrs. B. O. Choate, returned home Monday.

Mrs. Pearl Truitt Smith, of Norfolk, Va., visited Miss Jeane Hawthorne last Saturday. She also visited relatives in town.

Miss Ivy Grace Doughton, of Greensboro, spent last week end with her father, Frank Doughton, at Laurel Springs.

Miss Wilma Crouse spent last week end with her father at Piney Creek.

Mrs. Clayton Chambers, of Nashville, Tenn., has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thompson at Glade Valley.

J. Kemp Doughton, of Baltimore, Md., has returned home, after spending a few days with his parents, Gov. and Mrs. R. A. Doughton.

Mrs. Flossie King, of Statesville, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sprinkle, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Thompson spent Sunday in North Wilkesboro.

Mrs. Myrtle Joines, Mrs. Maude I. Richardson and daughter, Maybelline, spent last Saturday in Elkin, shopping.

Mrs. P. L. Choate returned home yesterday from a visit with her sons, Cadet Bill Choate, in Athens, Ga., and S-Sgt. and Mrs. Wade Choate, at Columbia, S. C. Sgt. Choate accompanied her home for a 17-day furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Carroll and daughter, of Asheville, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Richardson.

Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Whitener and son, Jack, of Boone, spent Sunday with Mrs. Whitener's mother, Mrs. S. A. Choate.

Mrs. A. C. Sturgill, of Piney Creek, was a visitor in town, on Monday.

Miss Ruth Pugh, of Winston-Salem, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Pugh, of Laurel Springs. She had as her guest Miss Helen Wall, of Elkin and Winston-Salem.

Mrs. Charles E. Pugh and son, Bryan, spent the past week end with Pvt. Pugh, who is stationed at Camp Lejeune.

Ray Moore, of Wilkesboro, visited relatives here, Sunday.

Bruce Wagoner left last week for Radford, Va., where he is employed.

Miss Alda Gentry returned to her home in Statesville last week, after spending the week with her

## Mrs. Hugh Choate Hostess To Group

The Lucille Ford Circle of the Sparta Baptist church met Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Hugh Choate with Mrs. Bruce Wagoner in charge of the program.

Following the program, Mrs. Choate served delicious refreshments to the members present.

The May meeting will be held with Mrs. N. D. Fox with Mrs. Choate as program leader.

## Woman's Club To Meet On April 20

The Woman's club will meet Friday, April 20, at the community building with Mrs. Alton Thompson, Mrs. Amos Wagoner and Mrs. Walter Osborne as hostesses.

The program committee has planned a special program which will be announced next week. A speaker is expected to be present. A report on the old clothes drive will also be given.

All members are urged to attend the meeting.

## MR. CLAUDE GAMBILL IS PRESENTED WITH GIFTS

Mr. Claude Gambill, who is receiving treatment in the Black Mountain Sanatorium, was presented with a number of gifts from several friends in the Stratford community and throughout the county on Easter Sunday.

## Pine Swamp News

"Aunt" Nancy Jane Holloway, who has been ill, is slightly improved. Mr. and Mrs. Mack Holloway and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Edwards visited her, Sunday.

Lucille and Wade Evans, children of Eld. and Mrs. Walter Evans, spent Saturday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Harless and son, Pfc. Grant M. Harless, Jr., were Thursday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Perry, at Chestnut Grove.

Roy Bell, small son of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Bell, has been ill with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Holloway and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Joines were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wagoner, Sunday.

Misses Naomi Andrews and Sue Edwards spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Dorise Billings.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Holloway and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Estep, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Evans and daughter, Betty Lou; Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Evans and daughter, Margaret Ann; Mr. and Mrs. Arza Crouse, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Crouse; Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Atwood; Mrs. Mae Brown, Mrs. Candace Nichols, Misses Jessie Brown, Darlene Bell, Lou, Ruth and Mattie Lee Evans and Patsy Atwood; Messrs. J. H. Evans, G. T. Atwood, Floyd Brown, Joe Billings, Glenn Sparks and Bert Wooten were Sunday visitors of Maurice Evans, who is slowly improving from an attack of pneumonia.

Floyd Brown spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Arza Crouse.

Mr. and Mrs. John Long, of Bel Air, Md., have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hendrix at Ennice and Mr. and Mrs. Rush Long at Laurel Springs.

Mrs. G. B. Shepherd and Mrs. Ross Jones and little daughter, Brenda, of Furches, were visitors in Sparta last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Mitchell made a business trip to Charlotte, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. B. Tucker and sons visited her grandmother, Mrs. W. A. Gentry in Statesville, last Thursday.

Edwin Duncan, Jr., left last Thursday for New York, where he entered the U. S. Merchant Marine service.

Mrs. Astor Joines, of Baltimore, Md., arrived this week to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Busic, of Piney Creek and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Joines, of Sparta.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Choate and children, Betty Jo and Billy and Miss Elsie Reeves, of Winston-Salem, and Pvt. Jessie M. Reeves, of Homestead, Fla., visited Mr. and Mrs. Kilby Reeves last week end.

George A. Jones, who has been employed at Fontana Dam, is visiting his family here.

Horace Brown, who has been in Costa Rica with an Army Engineering Unit for the past six months, arrived here Monday for a visit with his wife and daughter.

## Dinner Is Given For Mrs. Weaver

Mrs. Sarah Ann Weaver, wife of the late W. C. Weaver, pioneer merchant and business man of the Piney Creek section, was honored Sunday on her seventy-eighth birthday when relatives and friends gathered on the lawn of the ancestral home and spread a bountiful lunch. Over sixty-four attended the gathering.

Mrs. Weaver, who has been a prominent woman of her community for many years, had four sons in World War I, Grover L. Weaver, of Havre de Grace, Md., who received an honorable discharge due to disability; W. A. Weaver, of Edgewood, Md., who was a member of the air force; D. W. Weaver, of Galax, Va., who served in the navy and Cpl. W. Everett Weaver, who gave his life in battle near Verdun.

Five grandsons are now serving in World War II: Lt. Donald Weaver, U. S. Army in New Guinea; Sgt. Edward Weaver, U. S. Army in Saipan; Bill Weaver, Seaman 1-C, in Pacific area and Pvt. Leighton Weaver, of Shepherd Field, Texas, all sons of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Weaver, of Galax, Va. Another grandson, W. A. Weaver, Jr., is with the U. S. Navy, now serving his third year.

A daughter, Mrs. W. G. Wettenberg resides at Wilmington, Delaware and another daughter, the late Mrs. A. G. Parsons, lived in Cloverland, Washington.

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## Timely Hints

By RUTH CURRENT  
State Home Demonstration Agent

Most cooks know that water, or any liquid for that matter, just will not get any hotter than boiling no matter how much heat you apply (unless you are cooking with steam under pressure). Therefore, leaving the electric unit turned on high after the food reaches boiling point is wasteful. The water boils off faster so you have to start with more; excess steam heats your kitchen; and the food cooks not one bit faster—reasons enough for reducing the heat, don't you think?

After boiling is started on high, turn your switch to the lowest point possible to still maintain steaming. After experimenting with the quantities you most frequently cook, you'll know exactly where to turn the switch, and you'll get exactly the same heat every time.

If you don't have much time for sewing, there are a number of shortcuts that can be taken to save time.

Choosing a pattern: Select a pattern that is simple, one with few pieces. Avoid patterns that have many pleats, tucks and but-

tonholes and those with a great deal of shirring. Be sure to buy the proper pattern size which should require only minor alterations.

Choosing a fabric: A firmly woven fabric will prove most satisfactory since it cuts easily and will not fray or pull. Avoid large figured prints that have to be matched at the seams. Figured fabrics, plaids and stripes are a little harder to work with than plain fabrics.

Good sewing equipment is essential to quick, efficient sewing. Before beginning to work, have pins, scissors, thimble, needles, thread, tape measure and ruler at hand. And when the garment is ready for stitching, it is a good idea to keep the iron in readiness so that seams can be pressed after each is stitched.



## On Stage In Person SARTA HIGH SCHOOL Friday Night April 20 at 8 P. M.

### BIG OLD TIME "MOUNTAIN JAMBOREE"

- Featuring
- THE LOVELY Smith Sisters
- THAT FUNNY GUY Walt Hanks
- Bobby Bowers
- Acc of the Drums Wayne Hampton
- At The Piano Voice of O. B. Gilley
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A SHOW THAT YOU WILL LONG REMEMBER!  
FULL OF MUSIC! SONGS! AND LAUGHTER!

Admission Prices:  
Adults, 50c, incl. tax Children, (under 12), 25c incl. tax  
A SHOW TO FIT THE BABY TO GRANDDAD!  
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## Bonds Over America



### IOWA'S FIRST CAPITOL

Among the important shrines that American youths are battling to protect is the Administration Building of the University of Iowa, Iowa City, constructed in 1840 as the first State Capitol. In 1857 the government moved to Des Moines and the building was turned over to the University. People on the home front buy War Bonds to equip service men who are guarding such institutions as this one in Iowa, which began with 75 students and now numbers 10,000. U. S. Treasury Department

## Little Pine News

A large crowd attended the service at Little Pine church, Saturday and Sunday with Rev. W. H. Handy and Rev. Coy Anders, of Hanes, in charge.

Rev. Connie Cleary preached an interesting sermon at Little Pine church, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Anders and family, of Hanes, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Murphy, Saturday night.

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# Farm & Personal Property

## SALE

Boyd M. Higgins Farm For Sale

SATURDAY APRIL 21, 1945

10 A. M. Sharp

Known as my home place near Little Pine School, consisting of: 135 acres land, 25 acres wood land, rest cleared and in a high state of cultivation. This farm is now a demonstration farm. Practically new 8-room house with basement room, running water in house, also electricity. Barn and other out-buildings, good orchard, several kinds of fruit. This farm has 36 acres to mow this year.

It is located near Little Pine School; near churches, with graveled roads leading out in 3 directions, with school bus routes to Sparta and Little Pine.

### I WILL OFFER FOR SALE PERSONAL PROPERTY, CONSISTING OF:

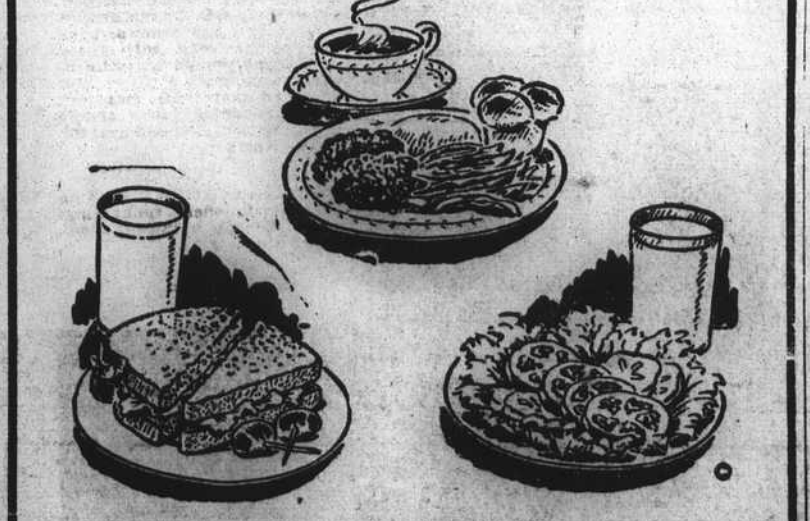
- 8 Guernsey Cows, already fresh, 6 more to freshen next month; 6 Guernsey Heifers, 1 and 2 years old; 1 Guernsey Bull, 1 Short-horn Roan Baby Beef, 1 pair Mares, 6 and 8 years old—good workers, weight about 1400 each; 1 set Harness, practically new; 2 Wagons, 1 Syracuse Plow; 2-3 feet Cultivator; 1-2 horse Cultivator; 1 Section Harrow; Pitch Forks, and other Tools too numerous to mention. Also hay and corn. 25 sq. 5-V New Roofing; 1 Kitchen Range, 1 Kitchen Cabinet, 1 Wardrobe, 1 Bed, 1 Sewing Machine, 2 Lawn Chairs, 2 Porch Chairs, Kitchen Table and Chairs, and other Household items.

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