

Personals

Mrs. Gavin Dortch, of Elkin, has been spending several days with her father, Dr. J. L. Doughton and Mrs. Doughton.

Mrs. Garnett Cornett, of Rural Retreat, Va., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lola Womble, was called home last week on account of the sudden illness of her husband.

Mrs. Annie Burrus, of Rockford, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. R. D. Gentry.

Mrs. John D. Chalk, Jr., is spending sometime with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Eldridge of Glade Valley and attending commencement.

Miss Anne Reeves, of Winston-Salem, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon M. Reeves.

Mrs. Vance Foote, of Chicago, visited her niece, Mrs. Edwin Duncan, last week. Mrs. Foote and Mrs. Duncan are spending a few days in Raleigh with Mrs. an Hoyle.

Chauncey Jordon, of Hickory, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Eva Jordon. He returned to Columbus, Ga., where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kirkman, of Winston-Salem, spent the week end with Mrs. Kirkman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Edwards.

Mrs. Tom Noland and daughter, Sarah Jane, are visiting in

Waynesboro, and will later go to New Jersey for a visit there.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. Judy Womble and Mrs. Lola Womble spent Sunday with Mrs. J. C. Martin in Elkin.

M-Sgt. and Mrs. Earl Queen, Cpl. and Mrs. Newton Kelly and Mr. and Mrs. Sig Holcomb, all of Elkin, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Duncan last Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rector, of Baywood, Va., were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Lon M. Reeves and Mr. Reeves, Sunday.

Miss Georgia Andrews, of Charlotte, is spending her vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Andrews and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Higgins and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Higgins in Galax, Va., Sunday.

Howard Gallagher, 2-C Petty Officer and Mrs. Gallagher, of Baltimore, Md., are visiting Mrs. Gallagher's father, Clark Higgins, of Ennice.

Mrs. Lillian Watson, of Kingsport, Tenn., spent the week end with her nephew, Dewey Sturdivant and Mrs. Sturdivant here.

Mrs. Ada Hall and daughter, Miss Treva Hall, are visiting Mrs. Hall's daughter, Mrs. J. A. Osborne, who recently underwent an operation.



Mrs. Robert Louis Irwin who was before her marriage on April 26, Miss Sarah Virginia Ratledge, of Elkin.

Dinner Is Given For Mrs. Wagoner

Mrs. J. H. Wagoner, formerly of Alleghany county and now of Ashe, was honored last Sunday when members of her immediate family gave her a surprise birthday dinner.

Sharing honors with Mrs. Wagoner was her little niece, Peggy Sue Warden, who celebrated her first birthday.

Those present were Mrs. George L. Warden and daughters, Peggy Sue and Joyce Ann, B. B. Warden, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Warden, Mrs. Katherine Warden and Mrs. Ruth Choate.

The one candle from little Miss Warden's cake was mailed to her father, who is in the U. S. Navy and could not be present for the celebration.

SOCIETY TO MEET

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. J. L. Doughton and Mrs. C. R. Allison at the home of Mrs. Doughton today. Mrs. Lola Womble, Mrs. Dalton Warren and Mrs. Grover Landreth will be in charge of the program.

Woman's Club To Meet On Friday

The Sparta Woman's Club will meet at the community building on Friday, May 25, at 3:30 o'clock when Rev. E. W. Thompson will speak on "The American Home" from a moral and religious standpoint. Hostesses at the meeting will be Mrs. B. O. Choate, Mrs. P. L. Choate and Mrs. Tom Noland.

All members are urged to be present.

Group Honors Eld. J. S. Evans

A number of friends and relatives of Eld. J. S. Evans gathered at his home at Piney Creek, Sunday, where they gave him a surprise birthday dinner.

Those attending included: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McMillan and children, Margaret, John F. and Edna; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Evans and children, Mrs. Grace Blevins and daughter, Blanche; Mr. and Mrs. Carl M. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kennedy, Misses Ruth and Eula Kennedy, Carol Sue Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Church and Rosa Lee Church, Clifford Church, Mr. and Mrs. John Tucker, Mrs. J. V. Hoppers and children, Ray and Shirley; Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bedwell, W. L. Kennedy, Howard Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Phipps, Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Douglas, Miss Carol Sue Douglas, Mrs. O. A. Douglas and grandson, Herbert; Welter VanHoy, Johnnie Evans, Everett Evans, Charles R. Kennedy, Junior Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Douglas and daughter, Inez; Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Douglas and children, Harold, Louise and Norma; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith, Frank Phipps, John L. Phipps, Ruth and Ruby Absher, G. Clyde Kennedy, Reba S. Kennedy, Elaine Kennedy, Marie and Debra Baldwin, Edward Osborne and Mrs. Ina Walls.

Cattle can get tuberculosis from man. Knowledge of the kind of TB a human patient has is helpful to veterinarians in tracing the source of infection when healthy cattle become tuberculous.

Mrs. Wagoner Is Hostess To Group

The Lucille Ford Circle of the Sparta Baptist church met Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Bruce Wagoner with six members present.

Mrs. T. R. Burgiss had charge of the program on "Consecrating the Centennial to Christ". Those taking parts were: Mrs. Burgiss, Mrs. J. B. Reed, Mrs. Clennel Richardson, Mrs. Ben G. Reeves and Miss Emoryetta Reeves.

Members were reminded by the treasurer, Mrs. Clennel Richardson, that the "Money Bags" would be turned in in June. The circle also decided to serve a meal to the Alleghany county rural carriers and their wives on June 1.

Following the business session and the program, the hostess served a delicious sweet course and coffee. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. R. L. Hickerson with Mrs. Bruce Wagoner as leader.

ENGLAND — DAVIDSON

Miss Ellen England, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James England, of Austinville, Va., was married to Lawrence Davidson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Davidson, also of Austinville, on May 5, with Justice of the Peace B. F. Wagoner, officiating.

CIRCLE TO MEET

Circle I of the Sparta Baptist church will meet on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. A. L. Rector. The program for the month will be "Consecrating the Centennial to Christ."

WAR LOAN DRIVE STARTS OFF GOOD

(Continued from Page One) committees as they see fit. He also stated that more rallies would be held in the county at an early date. "We cannot relax our efforts for one moment and our unified support is greatly needed to give the final punch to Japan", Mr. Nichols said as he urged that everyone co-operate by buying bonds and more bonds.

Do not ask if a man has been through college; ask if a college has been through him—if he is a walking university.

PINEY CREEK GROUP VISITED SPARTA, MON.

Members of the senior class of Piney Creek High School were taken on a tour of Sparta, Monday when Principal Joe Bill Reed and Supt. Clyde Fields showed them to points of interest in the town.

Dr. N. D. Fox explained to the class the procedure followed in making an X-ray and demonstrated by making two pictures for the class. Miss Fields then conducted a tour through the community building and county library and also through the courthouse where the class visited the various public offices.

More Tobacco Output Is Urged

F. C. Department Of Agriculture Warns Of Increasing Foreign Yields

Raleigh—The State Department of Agriculture has urged North Carolina tobacco growers to produce better quality tobacco this year and to increase production in general "in order to compete with stepped up production programs in Canada, Cuba and Mexico."

Frank Parker, the department's statistician, said that Canada now is planning a 22.5 per cent increase in acreage over 1944, and also plans larger acreages for each type of burley grown in that country. The proposed increases for year-cured leaf over 1944 are 20 per cent.

son is expected to total nearly 66,000,000 pounds, he said, compared with 44,000,000 pounds produced last season. That country has an average production of 41,000,000 pounds for the years 1938 through 1943, Parker said.

Increased acreages and favorable development of the tobacco crop in Cuba are expected to result in a production of between 70,000,000 and 75,000,000 pounds this season, Parker continued.

"Neither North Carolina nor the United States has a corner on the production of tobacco, and since the economy of North Carolina is based largely on tobacco, we must keep an alert eye on what other countries are doing with this crop," he said.

Pointing out that while North Carolina produced 40.75 per cent of all tobacco grown in the nation last year, Parker said that "We must not become so enraptured in our golden leaf glory as to forget what the lands about us are doing with tobacco."

TRUSTEE'S SALE

NORTH CAROLINA ALLEGHANY COUNTY Under and by virtue of authority vested in me in deed of trust executed by W. Q. Higgins, dated May 5, 1944, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Alleghany County in Book 22 page 150, default having been made in payment of notes secured by said deed of trust and demand having been made on the undersigned trustee, I will offer for sale at public auction, at the courthouse door in Sparta, for cash, on the 14th day of June, 1945 at 11:00 a. m., the following described land:

BEGINNING at J. M. Caudill's and Ross Jolly's corner on bank of Cherry Lane-Mountain View church road, then running with said road to Brush Creek; then down and with said creek to R. F. Shaw's line; then with Shaw's line to a Spanish oak, R. F. Shaw's and J. M. Caudill's corner; then with R. F. Shaw's line to Richard Shaw's line; then with Richard Shaw's line to Jim Shaw's line; then with Jim Shaw's line to Ross Jolly's line; then with Ross Jolly's line to the beginning. Containing 150 acres, more or less. This the 14th day of May, 1945. R. F. CROUSE, Trustee. 5-17-4T

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