

Turkey Knob News

Those visiting Mrs. J. C. Hill during the week end included Mr. and Mrs. Russell Van Hoy, Mrs. J. H. Pettyjohn, Mrs. Jesse Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Snease, Miss Mc Osborne, Mrs. Hardin Bell, Mrs. Mae Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hill, Roy Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hill and daughters, Sue and Judy, Misses Viola Van Hoy and Edna Musgrove, also Wilma and Bobby Crouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Delp and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Delp, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Osco Church and Lorene, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brown, Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Johnson, Roanoke, Va., is visiting Mrs. J. W. Hoppers.

Miss Opal Testemon of Christiansburg, Va., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wyatt.

Miss Viola Van Hoy spent Saturday night with Miss Virginia Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Young, of Volney, Va. Misses Pauline Osborne and Doris Wagoner spent the week end at Hungry Mother Park, Marion, Va.

Miss Joan Hesser, of Wilmington, Dela., visited Mr. and Mrs. Bays Parsons last week.

Mr. Clint Landreth, Gary, W. Va., spent the week end here.

Mrs. Harry Delp is spending a few days with Mrs. Wiley Shores.

"Aunt" Liddle Firney spent Saturday with Mrs. A. M. Osborne.

There were approximately 340,716,000 layers on hand on United States farms during May.

Supplies of chicken meat in the second half of 1947 will be below last year. Prices may decline from present levels this fall, and there will be fewer turkeys for the coming holidays.

Record Rainfall Here This Month

According to official reports from J. S. Parker, of Parker, all records for the month of August so far, have been broken for this section with a rainfall of 8.5 inches and without a clear day, for the month.

Many of the crops are showing a nominal growth, due to lack of adequate sunshine and high soil moisture, Mr. Parker reports. He also points out that much of the tobacco headed too low and is now "yellowing too easily for maximum production."

MEET TO BE HELD AT BELVIEW CHURCH

A special meeting will be held at Belview Baptist church on Saturday night, August 30, at 8 o'clock, it was announced here by Rev. Lee Woodruff.

Rev. Mr. Woodruff urges that all members be present for the meeting.

NEED GEOMETRY AND PHYSICS BOOKS

R. H. Walker, principal of Sparta high school, has asked that all students who have geometry and physics books that they would like to sell, to bring them to school.

There is a scarcity of these books and students are urged to sell their old text books.

FIFTY BOYS NOW PRACTICING FOOTBALL

Fifty boys, eager to begin work on the gridiron reported to Coach Joe Bill Reed on Monday and practice is now underway.

The boys will meet each afternoon at 1:30 o'clock on the local field for practice.

BASEBALL TEAM IS DEFEATED 3 TIMES

Three defeats were suffered by the Sparta baseball team in last week's games. The team journeyed to Boone last Wednesday to suffer a 15-6 loss and was defeated by Elk Creek 5-4. Bridle Creek handed the local team a 6-3 defeat.

New Hope News

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Swanson had as their week end guests Miss Irene Bovender, Jackie Holcomb, O. H. Walker and Earl Trivette, of Winston-Salem.

Miss Edna Jones and Miss Hazel Jones are the captains of the reds and blues contest which is being conducted at the New Hope Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Swanson entertained the Union St. Baptist choir, of Winston-Salem with a picnic at their home, Saturday. The forty members conducted a song service at the New Hope Baptist church.

BARBERS TO ATTEND ANNUAL CONVENTION

Dav Higgins, Basil Landreth and Rodney Busie, plan to leave Sunday for Carolina Beach, where they will attend the annual barber's convention.

Coggin Is Named To State Bench

Raleigh—Gov. Gregg Cherry has appointed Charles Lee Coggin of Salisbury, as a special superior judge to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge Hubert E. Olive of Lexington.

Coggin, 57, will take the oath at 11 a. m., Wednesday in the Governor's office. He has been solicitor of the 15th judicial district since 1934.

He served overseas as an infantry lieutenant in World War I, traveled on a fund-raising mission for the University of North Carolina, and practiced law in Salisbury until 1926, when he was elected solicitor of the Rowan county recorder's court. He later was judge of the court.

YEATTS IS COBLE DAIRY FIELD WORKER

Bruce Yeatts has assumed his duties as field worker for Coble Dairy Products, Inc., for Ashe, Grayson and Alleghany counties. Mr. Yeatts was transferred here from South Boston.

ALLEGHANY MAN SUCCUMBS IN IDAHO

News has been received here concerning the death of Earnest Williams, Filer, Idaho, formerly of this county. He is the son of the late Elijah Williams and a nephew of Mrs. J. M. Estep. His many friends regret to learn of his passing.

TELLS OF BENEFITS OF SOIL CONSERVATION

(Continued from Page 1) pasture field and the thinning of four acres of woodland, all these practices have been established.

The fields on which I kept three cows in 1940, last year I kept 12 cows and one horse. The field on which I made less than 20 bushels of corn per acre in 1940 I made more than 60 bushels last year. I harvested enough hay from my farm last year to feed my cattle for two years.

I am 60 years old and cannot walk without a cane. If I had not started conservation farming when I did I would not be able to work enough to make a living on this farm. If I had to cultivate five acres of corn to produce 100 bushels, I would not be physi-

cally able to make enough feed good conservation plan but I do for the three cows I used to keep, not regret one thing I have done I may not live long enough to see this farm producing as it is toward establishing this plan. I capable of producing under a only wish I could do more.

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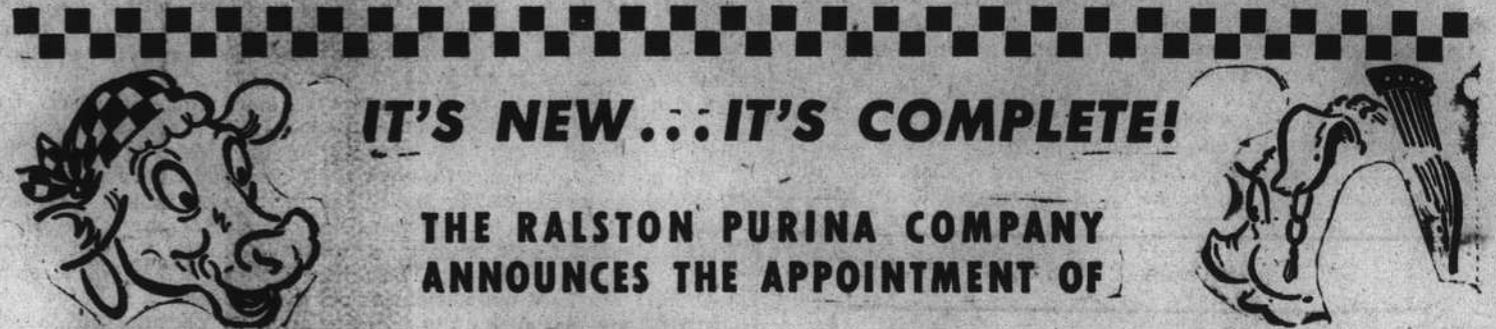
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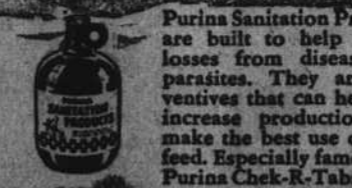
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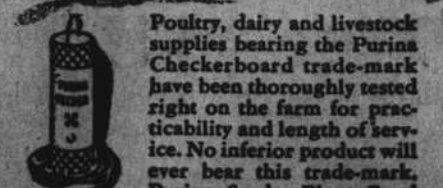
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