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STOKES COUNTY GETS SUN. MOVIES

FIRST SHOW STARTS AT 2 P. M. SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14 AT PALMETTO THEATRE, WALNUT COVE.

After securing a petition signed by influential business men and citizens of Walnut Cove, the Palmetto theatre will open for regular Sunday shows during non-church hours this coming Sunday. The petition by prominent citizens calls attention to and stipulates that Sunday exhibition of motion pictures will attract the young people from gambling and other less wholesome practices and will attract large numbers of people who now go to Stuart, Va. and High Point, N. C. for the wholesome, educational amusement now available to people in hundreds of cities over the country.

The Palmetto Theatre, Walnut Cove, N. C. opens Sunday Feb. 14th at 2 P. M. with the Fox-Super Picture, "EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT" which will hold you in suspense for two hours. A news film showing the ravages of the flood in the west will complete a program which will be repeated at 9 P. M. Two shows on next Sunday, NOT DURING CHURCH HOURS.

Mtn. View Fidelis Class Meets With Myrtle Wolff

The Fidelis Class of Mtn. View Baptist church met in monthly session with Miss Myrtle Wolff. The class was called to order by the vice-pres. and minutes of the last meeting were read and approved, the roll called with 12 members and two visitors present. New business was called for, the welfare committee made a report with 58 visits to the sick during January. There being no other business the class adjourned until the next meeting in February. After which a very interesting program was presented with several members taking part in the program.

During the evening two contests were given with Misses Nina Baker, Nora Boles and Mr. E. C. Slate and Frank Barr winning prizes. Several games were played and the hostess assisted by Mrs. Herman Wolff served refreshments to the following: Elizabeth Ferguson, Nora Boles, Nina Baker, George Jones, Willie Hartgrove, E. C. Slate, Gates Ferguson, Frank Barr, James Boles, Howard, Loyd and Herman Wolff.

Bud Marshall Dead

Bud Marshall, whose illness from a stroke of paralysis was noted in last week's Reporter, died about 4 P. M., Sunday at the home of Will Bowles near Flatshoal.

H. M. Joyce Honored On His Eightieth Birthday

H. M. Joyce was honored last Sunday by the assemblage of his sons and daughters and the setting of an excellent turkey dinner, which was highly enjoyed by all those present.

The occasion was the 80th anniversary of Mr. Joyce's birth which finds him in excellent health and with an undivided family.

The invited guests, practically all of whom were present, were as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Joyce, of Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Joyce, of Winston-Salem, with their son Herschel.

Miss Nellie Joyce, of the faculty of the Winston-Salem city schools.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Joyce, of Danbury.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Wall, of Danbury.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Pepper, of Danbury.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Joyce, of Winston-Salem.

A. H. Joyce, of Danbury.

Mr. Joyce was the recipient of some handsome and useful presents, and many good wishes for continued health and happiness.

Death of Pressley Palmer of Pinnacle

Pressley Palmer, aged 76, one of the best citizens and one of the best farmers of Quaker Gap township, died Monday at one o'clock P. M. at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Reid Moorefield near King. Mr. Palmer had been ill in a hospital at Winston-Salem recently and had submitted to an operation.

Surviving are the following children: W. A. Palmer, Walter Palmer, Mrs. J. L. Lawson, Mrs. W. R. Morefield, of King, E. E. Palmer, of Francisco; Mrs. R. F. Vaden, of Kernersville; Mrs. S. F. Lawson, of Pinnacle; Mrs. C. A. Vaden, of Vade Mecum.

The interment was at Rock House church cemetery, conducted by Elders J. Watt Tuttle, S. H. Reid and W. J. Brown.

The deceased was the grandfather of R. O. Palmer of Danbury.

Merchants, Do You Know Your County?

There are 176 stores in Stokes county which retail goods in a year's time to the amount of \$1,048,000. These stores employ 95 persons to whom is paid salaries of \$53,000.

The above information is obtained from data gathered by the U. S. Census Bureau, and edited by the University of North Carolina News Letter.

TO BE ERECTED AT COUNTY HOME

A TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL OR COTTAGE FOR THE TREATMENT OF TUBERCULOSIS PATIENTS WHO ARE UNABLE TO OBTAIN ADMITTANCE IN STATE INSTITUTIONS — MISS NICHOLSON LEADING THE MOVEMENT.

Miss Katherine Nicholson, one of the county's efficient nurses, is taking the lead in a movement for the early erection of a tuberculosis hospital or cottage on the grounds of the Stokes County Home.

The movement has the strong endorsement of both state and county authorities, as well as all persons who are interested in the public health.

The building proposed to be constructed will be of dimensions sufficient to accommodate 18 to 20 tubercular patients, both white and colored, who for any cause may be unable to obtain admission at the state sanatoriums.

The labor for the enterprise will be furnished by the WPA, while the material will be purchased with possible help from the county commissioners, and from other sources. Private contributions from individuals will be solicited, while the schools, clubs, etc., will be invited to donate funds realized from entertainments given for this purpose.

It is known that there are no state funds available for this purpose.

One of the first efforts made to raise funds for the help of the sufferers will be a bridge and set-back party to be given next Wednesday night at the relief headquarters in Danbury. A small admission will be charged, the proceeds going to the cottage.

The Reporter feels confident that all patriotic, charitable or benevolent citizens will cordially cooperate with Miss Nicholson in her program to raise funds for such a deserving cause.

The cottage when completed and equipped will be at all times in charge of a nurse and under the medical superintendence of the county physician.

Lawsonville News

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shelton, a girl, lived only hours. We extend our sincere sympathy for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Nickelson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Elma Shelton and little girl visited Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Shelton Tuesday.

Mr. J. W. Hundley is visiting his daughter, Mrs. F. F. Shelton this week.

Raleigh, Feb. 9.—New automobile sales in North Carolina last month were 5,124 compared with 2,954 in January, 1936.

Life at Francisco School

We are a group of boys and girls Out on a Frisco farm, And when each one does his part The work goes like a charm.

Our principal is Mr. Voorhees. He is a true blue man And if your work is going bad He'll help you if he can.

And there is dear old Mrs. Voorhees.

A sincere friend to all She cheers and helps us on the way Or we would surely fall.

And here is our health to little Prof. He is so young and spry He teaches science and history so well We learn it if we try.

Now when Miss Styers comes into class She always brings a smile She teaches English by the foot And French by the mile.

Mr. Redding teaches math and physics too He coaches seniors day and night You bet we all pull through.

A High School Student.

Au Revoir

It is with a heavy heart and tears in my eyes as I make ready to depart from Danbury and Stokes county and friends whom I have learned to love and trust.

During two and one-half years here, as employee of this paper, I have formed the opinion that this county, for the most part, is made up of "Blue Ribbon" men and women and boys and girls—First class citizens with high ideals bulging in their craniums; striving each day by their labors, to make Stokes one of the most desirable counties in North Carolina for people, who are people, to live in and enjoy. And that Danbury, the little town buried beneath the shadows of Sauratown mountain, holds within its borders a sweet and lovable citizenship which cannot be excelled by any town of its size in the State.

The mountains, with their scenic beauty; the people, who have displayed their Southern hospitality on many an occasion and the efficient public officials, who helped make my stay here most enjoyable, will live long in my memory and shall be cherished throughout the coming years.

Although leaving here this week, having accepted a position with the Mocksville Enterprise, Mocksville, N. C., I'll not say goodbye forever, for I'll be coming back from time to time; but instead may it be, just adieu until we meet again.

FRED P. CARTER.

E. Y. Floyd To Discuss 1937 Farm Program

Mr. E. Y. Floyd, Extension Tobacco Specialist, will hold two meetings on February 20th to explain the 1937 Soil conservation program. In the morning he will meet the committeemen to discuss with them the details of the program and answer any question that might be asked in regard to the new program.

At 1:30 o'clock P. M. there will be a general meeting at the Walnut Cove High School. This meeting will be held early so that it will not conflict with the drawing for prizes. It is being held in Walnut Cove for the convenience of the farmers since the majority of them are expected to be there for the drawing that afternoon.

Every one is urged to attend this meeting to hear Mr. Floyd so that a better understanding of the program be had.

On The Sick List

Mrs. J. W. Hall is still at Baptist hospital, Winston-Salem, but is rapidly recovering and expected home soon.

Beverly Christian has been confined to his home for several days, with illness. He is improving.

T. L. Booth has recovered from an attack of chicken-pox.

Mrs. Dr. Antanakos is convalescing from a recent illness. She has been at the Baptist hospital in Winston-Salem.

Miss Nellie King is confined to her home with deep cold.

Virginia Joyce is better from recent illness.

J. F. Martin is limping with an injured leg received in the woods by a falling tree.

Quilting Party At Mountain View

Last Tuesday afternoon thirty-five ladies gathered in the community hall for to have a quilting. There were six quilts quilted. The main things that happened during the afternoon was quilting, talking and laughing. Music by "The Briarhopper Crowd" was heard from W. B. T., Charlotte, N. C., over the radio. The hostess, Mrs. W. R. Boles, Mrs. E. C. Barr, Mrs. W. G. Ferguson, Mrs. C. R. Rutledge served delicious fruits, candies, cake and pickles. Everyone left saying they had a nice time and enjoyed the happy affair.

P. H. Linville Is Recovering

P. Hanes Linville, superintendent of the State highway camp, has been ill since New Year's day, but is now recovering and is getting out able to attend to his duties.

Reed George has minded the camp since Linville's absence.

FRANCISCO STORMS CHMN. WAYNICK

BIG DELEGATION FROM STOKES VISITS HIGHWAY COMMISSION WITH STRONG COMPLAINT ABOUT NO. 89—BIG CREEK AND PETER'S CREEK CITIZENS LEAVE HOME EARLY FOR RALEIGH

A delegation consisting of about 40 citizens of Big Creek and Peter's Creek townships, Stokes county, visited Raleigh Thursday of last week in the interest of State highway No. 89. This road, which is in bad condition from Duck Island bridge to Wright's Store, a distance of about 10 miles, has never had the attention from the State Highway people which the citizens believe it deserves. It has been kept un surfaced while other roads of far lesser importance have been hardsurfaced.

Chairman Waynick of the State Highway commission was visited early in the morning by the impatient Stokes citizens, many of whom left their homes as early as 4:30 A. M.

Chairman Waynick listened to the complainants, who were headed by Senator Gilmer Sparger and Representative R. J. Scott, who acted as spokesmen. He promised early attention to the road. He was very forcibly reminded by some of the delegation that they had been listening to promises until their patience was exhausted. What they wanted now was action.

Danbury Route 1

Miss Beulah and Othelia Moorefield spent Saturday night with Wilma and Edith Oakley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Mabe spent Saturday night with Mrs. Mabe's mother.

Those visiting Misses Wilma and Edith Oakley Sunday was Beulah and Othelia Moorefield, Smith and Shelby Priddy, Paul Moorefield, Gordon and Hanes Wood, Bernard Wilkins, Paul Moore, Vaughn Wood and Watson Oakley.

Miss Kathleen Sheppard spent the week-end with Miss Thelma Young.

Mrs. B. B. Oakley is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Client Stephen in Kernersville.

Mr. Odell Mabe and Misses Eldred and Pauline Mabe spent Saturday night with their sister, Mrs. Harvey Manuel near Stoneville.

Miss Annie Mae and Ola Oakley is spending this week with Mrs. Roy Hartman at Belevs Creek.

The worlds largest Swiss cheese factory is located at Antigo, Wis., and not in Switzerland.

A duck's bones are three times stronger than those of a human being.