

The Mt. Airy News

Mt. Airy, N. C., July 22, 1926.

Miss Mary Leslie Powell spent the week end in Greensboro.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Turney left Thursday to spend ten days in Washington, New York and Atlantic City.

Mrs. C. L. Coon, of Wilson, is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sparger.

Miss Margaret Sparger has returned from a month's visit to friends in Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. W. H. Long has returned from a visit to relatives in Pilot Mountain.

Miss Sara Augusta Davis, of Concord, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. G. C. Welch in this city.

Miss Fannie Lou Wiggins, of Zebulon, spent last week with Miss Marie Wood near White Plains.

Misses Nona and Mary Raper, of Lexington, are guests of Mrs. W. J. Byrly.

Misses Ethel Haynes, Elizabeth Long and LeVina Powell visited friends in Pulaski, Va., the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fulton left Sunday to spend several days in Norfolk, Va., and other seaport towns.

J. H. Folger will speak at Salem Methodist Church next Sunday evening at eight o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Miss Lillian Sparger has accepted a position as stenographer with the Southern Public Utilities Co., and assumed her new duties this week.

F. M. Terry, of the Carolina Cafe, is a patient at Martin hospital with something like an infected throat.

Miss Carrie L. Booker, of Atlanta, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Foush and family and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Stout, of Greensboro spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Forester Booker.

Miss Rena Wood has returned to her home in this city very much improved in health after a lengthy stay in John Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Md., for treatment.

Mrs. W. E. Jackson and Miss Martha Saunders are on a trip to northern markets to buy early fall millinery and ready-to-wear for Jackson's store.

Miss Dell Lineberry has returned from Galax, Va., where she was called by the serious illness of her mother who is now very much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Painter and daughter Miss Gertrude, of Jacksonville, Fla., spent the week end with Mrs. W. T. Hennis and family.

Mrs. W. C. Burge, formerly of this city, returned to her home in Kansas City, after visiting several weeks here.

Mr. Morgan Simmons, of Martinsville, Va., spent the week end here with his family who are guests for a month of Mrs. Simmon's father, Mayor W. G. Sydnor.

Mrs. P. S. Early and daughters, Misses Grace and Blanche Early have returned to Winston-Salem after visiting Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Haymore in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Herman and daughter Miss Kathleen and son Ralph spent Friday in Greensboro and Winston-Salem shopping and on business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Leonard and son R. H. Jr., left Tuesday to visit in Salisbury where Mrs. Leonard will be joined by her sister Mrs. Arthur Baldridge, of Greensboro, together they will go to Albemarle.

Mrs. J. B. Jeffries, Miss Ruth Saunders and Miss Sallie Jeffries have returned from a two weeks stay in Philadelphia, Pa., where they attended the Sesqui Centennial.

Friends of Mrs. H. D. Pogleman, will be glad to know that her condition is much improved since going to the State Sanatorium as a patient. Mrs. Pogleman will be remembered as Miss Ona Mae Boyles, a graduate of the Nurse Training School of Martin Hospital.

Messrs. Haywood Taylor and Amos Wyrick accompanied by Misses Gellean Taylor and Kathleen Wyrick spent Sunday in East Bend as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor. They also visited Misses Maude and Lillian Hinsdale while there.

Mrs. J. J. Ends and daughter Miss Ruth Ends were among those receiving with Mrs. M. A. Biggs at a brilliant reception given at her home in Elkin from 4 to 6 o'clock P. M., Friday in compliment to Mrs. Harold Click, a June bride, and daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Ends, of this city. About 100 guests were in attendance.

Rev. W. A. Newell spent last week in the western part of the state and was accompanied home by Mrs. Newell who had been on a month's trip in the interest of the social service work of the M. E. Church South and Miss Olive Newell, who visited in Hendersonville and Asheville for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Daber have returned from a two weeks trip to Washington, D. C., Philadelphia and Pittsburg, Pa. Mr. Daber now takes a position as head draftsman with the Sargent Granite Co., and will be at home on Cherry street.

Misses May and Margaret Barnes, of Greensboro, were week end guests of Miss Dorothy Creveling, they were accompanied by Mr. S. K. Wells, of Greensboro, who also spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mitchell spent Sunday in Ronohe, Va.

Mrs. Ed Snow, of Advance, is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Snow.

Mr. Forester Booker spent Tuesday in Greensboro on business.

Miss Nannie Fulton will return Saturday from Asheville where she attended summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Lawson, of New York, will arrive next week for a ten days visit to Mrs. A. G. Trotter and Miss Mae Lawson.

Little Lewis Whitman has recently had an operation for the removal of his tonsils.

Miss Annie Louise Steele, of Rockingham, is spending a month with her grandmother Mrs. J. H. Sprager.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Jones, of Williamson, W. Va., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sprinkle on route 6.

Mrs. S. E. Gates and children, of Greenville, who are summering with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Simmons, are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Lewis at Pilot Mountain.

Miss Marian Prather returns today after attending summer school at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Worrell, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wall, Miss Mabel Woods, Miss Mary Haymore, Raymond Worrell and Elmer Badgett were among the guests at a recent week end house party at the Odell Country Club, Greensboro.

Mrs. L. A. Lineberry has returned to her home at Snake Creek, Va., after spending some time here for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sparks and daughters Misses Frances and Charlotte, of Americus, Ga., are spending some time in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Banner.

Miss Virginia Gill, of Henderson, the guest of her cousin, Miss Isabel Hunt.

The Junior Girl Scouts, of Central M. E. Church are camping at Kapps Mill camp this week with Misses Kelley, Partridge and Burke in charge.

The Sunday School picnic at Kapps Mill Tuesday was very much enjoyed by the members of Central Methodist Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Howe, of Winston-Salem, spent Sunday with Mrs. Howe's mother Mrs. T. B. McCargo.

The News Club Members To Have Banquet.

Interest in The News' "Salesmanship Contest" that is now being waged between a score or more of workers continues to grow, and will reach a high peak this week—a period when subscriptions will count the most for those who are out to win the new Hudson Coach, Ford roadster and other valuable prizes.

On next Tuesday evening all those who are participating in this drive will be tendered a banquet at the Blue Ridge Hotel, beginning at eight o'clock. This will be given by the publishers of The News and Messrs. Latta and Patterson, managers in charge of the campaign. An interesting program is being arranged and the evening promises to be a unique occasion in the newspaper field of this section of the state.

Many Attend Hotel Opening.

Several hundred guests accepted the invitation, of Manager C. W. Andrew to inspect the improvements made in the Blue Ridge Hotel within the past two months or more in which it has been completely overhauled, and at the close of the reception Friday evening, all had voiced their heartiest approval of the hotel as it now stands.

Everything is in the best of taste and the furnishings, which are entirely new, harmonize throughout.

Rugs, draperies and upholsteries are in grey and blue, the dressers, chairs and baggage racks of walnut, made in our own furniture factories, match with the walnut finished Simmons beds which are equipped with the best of springs and mattresses.

Even the kitchen and pantries were open for inspection and many learned, for the first time, something of the kitchen equipment necessary to serve a large crowd.

Music was furnished by the Mount Airy band under Mr. Warren and a group of young ladies served punch at the head of the first flight of stairs.

Both the owners and managers are to be congratulated on their accomplishment in providing an up-to-date attractive hotel for this city.

Mrs. Kochitzky Luncheon Hostess.

Mrs. E. H. Kochitzky was a charming luncheon hostess at noon Wednesday having as her guests Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Wright, Winston-Salem; Mrs. Clinton Toms and Miss Mary Cobb, of Durham, and Mr. and Mrs. John Sobotta, of this city.

Miss Kochitzky House Party Hostess.

The following young ladies will arrive this week to be guests of Miss Louise Kochitzky at a house party Miss Dorothy Rosamond, of Birmingham, Ala.; Miss Elizabeth Trannou, Miss Katherine Gregory and Miss Katherine Howard, of Greensboro; Miss Nancy Jones, of Chatham, Va.; and Miss Elizabeth Norfleet, of Winston-Salem.

Coming for the week end are the following young men: Ted Koenig, Herman High, William Ham, Charles Ambercrombie, Charles Lipscomb and Charles Gold, Jr., all of Greensboro, William Sheppard, Forest Wright and E. H. Crawford, Jr., all of Winston-Salem.

Several of the boys will remain throughout the week and a number of charming social events will be staged for the house party guests. On Saturday morning Mrs. John Sobotta will entertain them at a bridge luncheon and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Kochitzky will entertain them at dinner at Bearing Gap Saturday evening.

Strong Baseball Team Coming.

Local fans will be permitted to see one of the strongest amateur baseball teams in the state in action Thursday and Friday when a pitched aggregation of players from Western North Carolina will play in this city. Mount Airy has gained a reputation of having a very strong team and the visiting team is a pick of the players from Hickory, Morganton and Lenoir. With the best players of these points gathered into one team the Mount Airy boys will have strong competition in the two games.

This team has been brought here at a considerable expense and the local management asks that the public give these games a big attendance so that the financial end can be cared for.

Swimming Party for Visitors.

Mrs. John Sobotta was hostess to the girls of the younger society at last Thursday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock at a swimming party.

After sporting in the Kochitzky private pool a delicious course of refreshments was served in Mrs. Sobotta's flower garden where tables had been arranged. Miss Louisa Kochitzky and Miss Helen Smith serving.

California Tourists Spend Week End Here.

Three young men motoring to Maine from San Diego, Cal., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Merritt the past week end; they were Dick Walker, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Augusta and Pitta Mack, of San Diego, the two latter were schoolmates of Will Merritt at Leland Stanford College, Palo Alto, Cal., during the residence of the Merritt family in that state. They stopped en route at Tuxedo Camp and were accompanied here by Will Merritt who is with the surveying squad from the University of North Carolina at Tuxedo.

Visitors Lost Suitcase.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman E. Fussell, of Winston-Salem, spent the week end with Mrs. Fussell's sister, Mrs. Arthur Lower, and between this city and Pilot Mountain Sunday afternoon lost their suitcase off the fender of the car.

Mrs. Fussell is a recent bride and will be remembered here as Miss Connie Stewart and the suitcase contained her wedding dress and other things that she prized highly.

Templeton-Wright

The marriage of Miss Margaret Templeton to Mr. Charles Wright which took place in York, S. C., June 19, has just been announced this week and the young couple has secured rooms for light housekeeping in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Parker.

Miss Templeton came here from Mooresville about three years ago to enter Martin Hospital for nurse training and received her diploma at the commencement in June. Mr. Wright is a native of this place and is employed in the offices of the A. & Y. Railway Co.

E. M. Linville Kiwanis Host.

Mr. E. M. Linville was host to the Kiwanis officers and directors at a six o'clock dinner Thursday at his home on North Main Street. A decorative color scheme was carried out in yellow and white, shasta and yellow daisies and yellow candles being used and the dinners were served in six courses, covers being laid for fourteen.

First Presbyterian Church.

Rev. J. C. Grier, Pastor.
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Evening worship, 8 p. m.
Junior C. E., 7 p. m.
Senior C. E., 7:15 p. m.
Prayer service Wed., 8 p. m.

Pythians Loving Cup Formally Presented.

The Knights of Pythias in Mount Airy were signally honored last Monday night by having C. W. Coghill, of Rocky Mount, Grand Chancellor of the Grand Domain of North Carolina, present for an address and the presentation of a loving cup; Geo. E. Lovill, of Charlotte, Grand Keeper of Records and Seals, I. W. Grubbs, District Deputy Grand Chancellor, Fred J. Brower, Trustee of the Clayton Pythian Home and Oscar F. Adams, the organizer and adviser of Winston-Salem lodges accompanied the Grand Chancellor and all made short speeches after the Grand Chancellor had made his address.

Last October Grand Vice-Chancellor Coghill offered a loving cup to the lodge in North Carolina having the largest number of accepted applications during that month. Every lodge in the state entered the contest and Mount Airy Lodge 242 won out. This was and is a great honor for the local lodge which is known as one of the liveliest and most progressive in the state.

After the Grand Chancellor, who is an exceptionally able executive and presiding officer, had made his address and presented the cup to the local lodge, George K. Snow was called upon by Chancellor Commander W. H. Holcomb to accept the cup for the lodge.

Refreshments were served to the members and visitors during the evening.

Mr. Coghill expressed himself as astounded at the signs of progress and activity shown on every hand in our community and praised the spirit of optimism which he said he found prevalent here. We wish him all success in his work and assure him of a most hearty welcome any time he can come back to us for a visit. —Contributed.

A bottle of GREEN RIVER contains FOOD VALUE equal to ten ounces of egg plant.

D. O. K. K. Ceremonial.

The D. O. K. K. meeting held here last Thursday was a very interesting event and the stunts performed on the streets by the candidates for initiation into the mysteries of the order will furnish stories for the youths to enjoy for a long time to come.

Every candidate, some forty or more in number, was dubbed "Fresh Meat" and numbered according to enrollment, these placards together with other placards with humorous inscriptions were worn throughout the day, some were handcuffed and condemned to walk together, Mr. Victor Morris, local fat man was caged and placed on exhibit on Main street, Mr. C. F. Clarke in bathing suit was made to run races and ride on a block of ice, C. W. Andrew in convict garb was assisted by a pal in trying to empty a barrel of water with a tin can, other drew toy trains or rolled each other in a baby carriage, at the same time the high officials of the order attired in their glorious temple robes directed the ceremonies.

After the street stunts and drill work a supper was served on Bearfoot Hill the menu and serving being in charge of the members of the Woman's Club.

During the supper a pie eating contest was staged and Mr. Edwards, the winner was led to hope that he would not be put through further initiatory pranks during the secret sessions in the evening.

The ladies voted the pie eating contest the most amusing stunt of the day. Chances were sold for a second pie which netted \$20.00 this amount was turned over to the Woman's Club as a token of the appreciation of the visitors for the service rendered by the women.

The evening sessions were behind closed doors and consisted of the ritualistic and degree work of the order, many coming from Greensboro, Winston-Salem and other points for the night session.

The officers and dignitaries were served a luncheon at 1:00 P. M. in the newly finished and refurbished Blue Ridge Hotel.

Supper For Miss Snell.

Miss Mae Snell, of Thomasville, sister of Mrs. B. H. Williamson, was honored at a picnic supper Wednesday evening of last week in which the members of the Kilcare Bridge Club motored to the country and spread a delicious supper in picnic style, Miss Snell was the only non-member participating.

Robert Lovill Entertains School Friends.

Robert Lovill, Jr., was host to about thirty boys and girls at the home of his parents Dr. and Mrs. R. J. Lovill Wednesday evening from 8 to 10 o'clock. Cakes and lemonade followed a series of games and the guests had a wonderfully good time.

Values In Used Cars. Our garage space is crowded with used cars in order to move them and make room for new cars we are making specially low prices on all used cars that we have on hand. Among them are the following: ONE BUICK TOURING. ONE FORD COUPE. ONE DODGE TOURING. Other automobile values to be had. B. & H. Service Station Willis-Knight and Overland Cars.

Land For Sale. 2,400 acres very fine timbered land on Fisher's Peak. Extra well timbered—Also one splendid factory site on A. & Y. Railroad near the bark shed offices—Also one 5 room house and 2 good lots on West Raleigh St. Prices low and terms reasonable. See JOHN A. MARTIN Agent for C. C. Smoot & Sons Co.

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A bottle of GREEN RIVER contains FOOD VALUE equal to three ounces of peas. DON'T FORGET IT—drink GREEN RIVER, the snappy lime drink.

Big Saving At Prather's July Clearance Sale NOW ON 1/4 OFF This Sale Lasts All Through July No Goods Charged—No Goods on Approval PRATHER'S