

# Littleton News Events

MISS EMILY PIPPEN, Editor

Mrs. William Alston, Miss Maria Alston and Mr. Crowell Alston spent Thursday in Richmond.

Mr. Edward Carlton of Richmond was a guest in the home of Mr. Crowell Alston last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Warren, and Mrs. Leslie Crawley spent Friday in Raleigh.

Miss Betty Hardy spent the week end at her home near Whitakers.

Mr. Edgar Stevens of Goldsboro spent the week end at the home of Mr. Crowell Alston.

Mrs. Virginia Sessoms, who has been spending some time in Washington, N. C., has returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ben Long Rives.

Mrs. H. L. Jones of Franklinton was in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Midkiff and children of Chase City spent the week with Mrs. Midkiff's mother, Mrs. J. W. Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wagner were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Riggan of Warrenton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Riggan and baby, Jean, of Warrenton visited Mr. and Mrs. Macon Moore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Partin of Dawson spent Friday night with Mrs. Nannie Insoe.

Mr. R. L. Topping of Roanoke Rapids spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Topping.

Mrs. Annie Butts, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Knight and Dan Jr., of Norlina were visitors in town Sunday.

Miss Fannie Moore is spending some time with Mrs. William Herbert in Enfield.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Perkinson of Weldon and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Delbridge of Norlina were guests in the home of Mrs. Joe Pope Sunday.

Misses Lucy Harvey Moore, Annie Price and Lucille Topping were visitors in Henderson Sunday.

Mrs. Alma Salmon spent the week end in Norfolk.

Mrs. M. P. Cassada is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George D. McCeney in Baltimore, Md.

Miss Annie Thorne is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. T. Bussey, in West Palm Beach, Fla.

Mr. William Nuckols was in Battleboro Sunday.

Misses Margaret Lee Delbridge and Anne Person arrived Thursday to spend a few days at their respective homes here. Miss Person has as her house guest, Miss Dorothy Pertain of Westfield, N. J.

Mesdames John P. Leach, Wilton Browning, Robert Kirkland, Horace Palmer, and Miss Annie Alexander spent Saturday in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hunt, and Miss Hattie Cullom spent Monday in Durham. Mr. Wilson Hunt returned with them after being in the Duke Hospital for several days.

Mr. Willis Stallings has returned to his home after spending some time in Florida.

Miss Jean Parker, Mabel Stroup, and Louise White spent several days last week at the home of Miss Parker in Murrefressboro.

Miss Claire Benthall spent the week end in Woodland.

Miss Tempe Thorne is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thorne in Charlotte.

Mesdames W. T. Person and Rufus Bradley Jr. were in Norfolk Saturday.

Mr. Ben L. Rives spent several days last week in Richmond.

Mrs. James Jenkins was in town Monday.

Mr. Tommie Harrison of Roanoke Rapids spent the week end here.

Miss Emalyne Evans was the guest of Mrs. Cecil B. Neville in Scotland Neck last week.

Miss Rosa Hamilton spent the week end in Rocky Mount.

### SON BORN

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cromwell Daniel, a son, James Cromwell, on Saturday, January 23rd.

### CLUB MEETS

Mr. and Mrs. E. Leslie Crawley entertained the Friendly Dozen Bridge Club at their home Wednesday night, January 20. After several progressions, Mrs. H. S. Capps was awarded high score for ladies—a hand painted hat stand—and Mr. C. H. Lambeth received key rings, having top score for men. A delicious sweet course was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Lambeth, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. May, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Bradley Jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Capps, and Miss Louise White.

### STUDY CLUB MEETS

Mrs. Joseph P. Phippen delightfully entertained the Wyanoke Study Club at her home on Mosby Avenue Friday afternoon. Early spring flowers were arranged throughout the home. Ellen Terry, a star of magnitude, was discussed by Mrs. M. Nelson. Miss Carrie Helen Moore played several instrumental solos, followed by Porfirio Diaz, ably presented by Mrs. Reese Jenkins. The guests were invited into the dining room and delicious refreshments were served. Guests, other

### On College Board



NEW YORK . . . Mrs. J. A. Clark, 24, class of '32 of Sarah Lawrence College, has been elected a member of the Board of Trustees of that school and is believed to be the youngest member of a college governing board in the U. S.

Club members were Mrs. William Alfred Thorne, Roanoke Rapids; Mrs. C. A. Jones, Mrs. Norman Mosley, Mrs. J. P. Leach, and Mrs. W. T. Person.

### Lions Donate \$50.00 For Flood Sufferers

A regular meeting of the Littleton Lions Club was held at its club room Tuesday night. The meeting was called to order by President W. G. Alston. In the absence of Lion F. R. Walker, chairman of the Activities committee, Lion Jenkins outlined some of the proposed activities to be "put on" by the Club. Lions Justis reported on the condition of a 15 year old girl who was recently stricken blind, which had been brought to the club's attention theretofore. Previously arrangements had been made by the club for attention to this case, and all were happy to learn that already improvement was indicated. Other matter pertaining to the blind and undernourished children were discussed, and the members were gratified to learn from Lion Capps, Superintendent of the High School, that proper nourishment was already provided for the school children.

A committee composed of Lions E. C. Bobbitt, Capps, Jenkins and Justis was appointed to study the several suggestions and report to the next regular meeting.

A special collection was taken from which was realized \$68.25. This sum will be turned over to the local Red Cross for use toward the relief of flood sufferers.

### Keeps Flock Laying All Through Winter

Porton Bryan, Madison county poultryman, says it's not hard to keep chickens laying regularly through the cold weather months.

It's mainly a matter of getting a flock of good birds and taking proper care of them, he told George Miller, Madison county agent of the State College extension service.

Bryan has a flock of 47 White Leghorn pullets which have been laying an average of three eggs per hen every four days this winter.

During the month of December, the daily flock average was 36 eggs, and one day he got 43 eggs from 47 hens, he told Miller.

Last winter he remodeled his poultry house according to plans furnished by the extension service. The house provides for adequate ventilation, yet protects the birds from cold and drafts. It is comparatively easy to keep sanitary.

He keeps broken oyster shells before the hens at all times, and on fair days he turns them out to pick up grit and find green feed. Early morning and evening he puts a fresh supply of lukewarm water in the drinking fountains.

In addition to the mash and grain feed, he gives the birds sour milk every day, and keeps the water fountain and feed hoppers scrupulously clean.

As a check to show him exactly what his birds are doing, and how

much he is making off the flock, he keeps a record on all expenditures and cash receipts.

What Bryan has done, any poultryman can do by raising only high quality birds and taking good care of them, Miller stated.

### Poultry Selection Is Important Task

North Carolina poultrymen are expected to start approximately 20,000,000 baby chicks this year, according to T. T. Brown, extension poultryman at State College.

Selecting the breed and variety is one of the important decisions which the grower must make. If he wishes to keep poultry for egg production, the grower will choose one of the lighter breeds such as Leghorns.

However, if he wishes to market his birds as meat, he will raise one of the heavier breeds, such as Barred Rocks. Then he can use utility birds, such as Rhode Island Reds, which are good for both egg production and meat.

In a broadcast on the Carolina Farm Features program Friday, January 29, Mr. Brown will give advice on the selection of breeds and varieties. Through this broadcast, he hopes to help growers determine the exact type of poultry which they would like to raise during 1937 if they are not satisfied with their present breed.

More requests for forestry thinning demonstrations have been made by farmers of Harnett county than the county agent has been able to fill.

## BRUCE BARTON

Says:

### Let's Have Humor, Please

I once had some correspondence with the alumnae secretary of a woman's college, an estimable lady seeking to raise more money for her institution, which it well deserves.

Our letters developed quite an interesting exchange of ideas on education, until I made the mistake of sending this comment:

"I am a believer in women's colleges, and I think they receive much less than their rightful share of legacies and gifts. But I sometimes think they have pushed their scholastic standards too high, and are applying them too rigorously. Two of the most successful and attractive middle aged women of my acquaintance are college graduates. Yet, if the present standards had been in force in their day, both of them would have been thrown out of college at the end of their first semester. They were poor students, but they are great women."

I added rather facetiously: "After all, a majority of college girls are going to enter the profession of matrimony. My idea of a college program would be to teach them to look after their health, cultivate their sense of humor, and then add whatever amount of book learning they could absorb without spoiling their good looks."

This stopped the correspondence. The lady regarded me as lacking in seriousness, and wrote to me no more.

Yet I have the temerity to publish the comment, and to add this "firm conviction: that the world does not need more knowledge as much as it needs more humor.

Do you remember the famous session of the Cabinet at which Abraham Lincoln presented the Emancipation Proclamation? He preceded it by reading one of the humorous essays of Artemus Ward. He laughed until the tears came and then, looking around at his associates and finding them all solemn, he exclaimed: "Gentlemen, why don't you laugh? With the fearful strain that is upon me night and day, if I did not laugh I should die; and you need this medicine as much as I."

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Business Has No Grumble

I was lunching with a group of

## Everyday Cooking Miracles

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Do you have that kind of husband who calls you Tuesday noon, knowing very well that that's the day your bridge club meets, and announces he's bringing a guest home to dinner? And do little things like that sometimes annoy you? Or are you one of those miracle hostesses who can spend the



This delicious dinner was cooked entirely in the Thrift Cooker of the modern electric range.

afternoon tense with excitement at the bridge party, come home with the prize and then go calmly about getting dinner for the guests?

It's easy to be the calm, well-poised hostess when you have dinner all prepared and ready to "dish up" upon returning home. That, in fact, is the basic rule for easy entertainment because it makes your guests feel welcome and makes you enjoy their visit. The hostess who must stay out in the kitchen preparing a last minute meal, while her husband takes care of the guests in the living room, misses most of the fun and appears warm and fussed at the company dinner table.

### A Piping-Hot Dinner

The miracle hostess is one who enjoys all the afternoon's fun, and the evening's as well, and then serves a piping hot, well-cooked dinner calmly and with the self-assurance which is characteristic of the successful homemaker. You will find this kind of "hostessing" economical too; especially when the meal, Jack-in-the-box-like, springs from the thrift cooker.

### Thrift Cooker Dinner

To prepare such a meal: Spread a round steak (1/2 inch thick) with a well-seasoned bread dressing, roll it up and secure with a skewer. Preheat the roomy thrift cooker kettle on High heat and brown the steak on all sides. Place steak on rack in cooker, add 1 1/2 cups water and surround meat with pared sweet potatoes (cut in lengthwise pieces) and whole onions. Pour the pudding batter into individual molds and arrange them on top of the vegetables. Fancy, cooking onions with the dessert! But that's just one of those amazing things about the thrift cooker. Each food takes its share of the heat units and minds its own business, even to hoarding its own individual flavor.

After the meal is placed in the cooker, it cooks on High heat until steam comes from vent; then on Low for about 1 hour.

And strange but true—it's the economical dishes which choose the economy Thrift Cooker unit, for in this unit these dishes, Cinderella-like, are transformed into delectable company foods.

### HOT WATER IS A NECESSITY



DISHES to be washed, and no hot water! No wonder this busy young homemaker is aggravated. An unfailling supply of hot water is so necessary in the smooth performance of household chores that when it falls the whole housekeeping machinery is thrown out of order. Thousands of women have solved this problem, as they have so many relating to the home, by turning to electricity for assistance. The Hotpoint electric water heater, one of the newest electrical servants, is completely automatic in operation. It requires no attention after it is installed, and insures an unfailling supply of hot water for every need. Practically all of the newer homes are adopting this new electric servant as the modern solution to all hot water problems.

high executives, and the discussion turned to economic problems. Presently out came the usual line "Congress is a bunch of idiots, I was annoyed. All my business

How can we hope for any sensible program when our laws are made by such men?"

life I have listened to that sort of talk. I have known a good many Senators and Congressmen. My judgment is that they are fairly representative of the nation, neither better nor worse than the rest of us. They do not originate very much in the matter of national policy and legislation. They merely record in laws the sentiment that grows up around them. They respond to public opinion.

And what does Big Business do to create and guide an intelligent public opinion? Practically nothing.

Big bankers and a policy of "dig-nified silence." As a matter of fact it is laziness and cowardice. My father was a distinguished clergyman. He never hesitated to have views or to give them vigorous expression. Sometimes parishioners criticized him. He said to me once: "If I do not know better than the members of my congregation what sort of preaching my people should have, then I am not entitled to be their pastor."

Ours is a democracy. For a generation or more we have been lugging our best brains into business. The time is coming when those best brains must render some more positive service in the formation of sound public opinion.

### "Delightful at mealtimes"

says Champion Figure Skater - BETTY CHASE

"I LOVE TO SMOKE Camels with meals and afterwards," adds this graceful athlete. Camels speed up the flow of digestive fluids, increasing alkalinity, and bringing you a sense of well-being. Camels set you right!

POURS WHITE-HOT STEEL (below). "Chuck" Davis says: "Boy! How I go for Camels at mealtimes and after. They make my grub taste better—set better."

FOR DIGESTION'S SAKE SMOKE CAMELS

# BUILT To Serve and To Endure

Here and there across the face of the globe are great monuments to man's will to serve humanity. These monuments, sometimes feats of engineering, sometimes triumphs of business organization, are always destined to endure, not for any private gain, but for the general good. Of such a character is the strong Banking institution. It must be founded upon principals of service, and built up solidly from that foundation. Let's Talk Over Your Problems.

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