

Personal and Social

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Miss Bessie Price spent Sunday in Statesville.

Miss Mildred Black is visiting relatives in Charlotte.

Miss Bina Hamby visited friends in Boone last week.

Mr. C. W. Warlick attended the Gypsy Smith meeting last week.

Mr. J. A. Marshall is attending the Grand Rapids furniture market.

Mrs. Casey Jones of Morganton spent a few hours here Saturday.

Mr. W. O. Potter of Baltimore spent a few days here last week.

Mrs. A. W. Dula and children are spending a month at Valle Crucis.

Mr. T. H. Broyhill left Monday for the furniture show at Grand Rapids.

Mr. Joe Powell spent a day or two in Asheville week, returning Friday.

Mr. R. A. Ramseth and son, Jack, spent the week end here with friends.

Misses Louise Todd and Lillie May Chinnies returned from Blowing Rock Monday.

Elder W. B. Bryant will preach at Lower Creek church Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Hillie Martin spent the week end with friends at Montreat and Marion.

Mrs. R. A. Ramseur of Lincolnton is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Miss Mamie Walton of Hickory arrived last Friday on a visit to Miss Majel Ivey.

Mr. Eichar, who attended the Gypsy Smith meetings at Lexington, returned Monday.

Mr. Wallace Lindsay returned last Thursday from a business trip to Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wall and son, Billie, left Saturday for Lexington and High Point.

Mr. J. M. Bernhardt left Saturday for Grand Rapids to attend the furniture exposition.

Misses Lucy Laxton and Sue Conley of Perkinsville were shopping in town Saturday.

Mr. H. M. Teague has returned from a two weeks' trip to Chicago and Racine, Wis.

Miss Carrie King of Wilmington is spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. E. R. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dayvault of Concord spent several days here and at Blowing Rock last week.

Mrs. M. A. Craven, who spent the winter in Lancaster, S. C., is visiting her son, Dr. J. B. Craven.

Miss Minnie Michael of Lincolnton spent several days with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Warlick, last week.

Misses Ruth and Mary Boyd have returned from Thomasville, where they visited Mrs. J. R. Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Abernethy and children attended the Gypsy Smith meeting at Lexington last week.

Mrs. R. C. Powell and son, Robert, Jr., left Saturday for Charlotte, where they will visit Mr. Powell.

Mr. J. G. Ballew spent several days at Blowing Rock last week looking after his new drug store at that place.

Miss Margaret Harrington of Charlotte and Miss Cora Elma Jones of Grandin are visiting Mrs. R. L. Isbell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Reins and little son, Charles Jr., of Winston-Salem are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Reins.

Mrs. E. N. Hahn and children, Margaret, Mary Edith and Elizabeth, of Gastonia, arrived Tuesday on a visit to relatives here.

Miss Maude Minish left Monday for Statesville for examination at a hospital there. She was accompanied by Miss Pearl Minish.

Mr. Avery Craig and sister, Miss Johnnie, spent Sunday in Statesville with their brother, Roby Craig, who is in a hospital there.

Dr. R. H. Courtney is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Courtney. He will leave the first of July for Richmond, Va., where he will locate for the practice of his profession.

Mr. Speight McLean of Rock Hill, S. C., spent several days last week with his brother, Rev. A. A. McLean.

Miss Lucille Abernethy arrived home from Lexington Monday to spend the months of July and August.

The Gypsy Smith meeting closed at Lexington last Sunday night.

Mrs. J. D. Watson left last week for her home in Ravalli, Mont. She was accompanied as far as Hickory by her sister, Miss Bina Hamby.

Rev. E. R. Welch left Monday for New York, where he will join a party for a three months' tour of Europe and the Holy Land this summer.

Mrs. M. M. Gwyn and Mrs. C. M. Hickerson and daughter, Mary Gwyn, have returned from the Valley, where they had been visiting for several weeks.

Mrs. B. L. Stone and children have returned home from Blowing Rock, where they spent several weeks with Mrs. Stone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kerley.

Misses Regina Reid and Mary Lindsay Beall came home Monday from Linwood, where they visited relatives and also attended the Gypsy Smith meeting.

Little Misses Margaret and Mary Anna Moore, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Moore, Jr., are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Barber, at Wilkesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mallard and daughter, Irene, returned to their home in Allendale, S. C., last Friday after visiting Mr. Mallard's brother, Mr. A. L. Mallard.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Jennings and daughter, Susie, of Tunkhannock, Pa., left there Monday in an automobile and expect to arrive here today to spend some time to visit Mr. Jennings' brother, Mr. S. S. Jennings.

Rev. Mr. Billups, who is to be the supply at the First Methodist church during the summer, arrived here last week and was introduced to the congregation Sunday morning.

Mrs. T. P. Kincaid and son, Rufus, returned Thursday from Loachapoka, Ala. They stopped at Gastonia en route home and Edwin Hahn of Gastonia accompanied them here.

Mr. Roby Craig took his brother, Roscoe Craig, to a Statesville hospital last week, where he had his tonsils taken out. He will remain there about a month taking treatment.

Rev. J. E. Hoyle of Lenoir filled the pulpit in the First Baptist church at the morning and evening services yesterday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. W. R. Bradshaw, who filled Mr. Hoyle's pulpit in the Baptist church at Lenoir. Mr. Hoyle, who is a fine speaker, preached two splendid sermons, making a good impression on the large audiences who heard him.—Hickory Daily Record.

STORES CLOSED MONDAY

Lenoir stores and business houses will be closed Monday, July 4.

CLERK MAILED OUT PENSIONS

About \$6,000 in pensions to the old soldiers and soldiers' widows have been mailed out during the past few days by Clerk of the Court W. C. Moore, Jr.

BASEBALL BY COLORED FOLKS

Tuesday, July 5, Johnson City will play the White Socks on the local ground. The Adako team will also play the White Socks following the game with Johnson City.

BORN

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hoyle, Lenoir, N. C., announce the birth of a son, Ransom Gardner, June 27, 1921.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Potts of Drummond, Kan., June 12, a daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Potts for several weeks have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Potts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, on Route 1.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Blackwelder, June 26, a son.

LENOIR WINS AND LOSES GAME

Lenoir lost to Marion Saturday afternoon, 7 to 0. Several members of the Lenoir team were out because of sprained ankles and injured arms.

A game was played Monday afternoon between Lenoir and Yadkin Valley, the latter being defeated by about 16 to 1.

NEW CAFE AT BLOWING ROCK

A new cafe has been opened at Blowing Rock by Harry Young of Lenoir and R. H. Wilson of Blowing Rock. The new cafe is located in the building next to Lentz Bros' store. The young men promise to operate a thoroughly modern cafe at the village.

MEETING OF SOLDIERS, SAILORS AND MARINES

There will be a meeting of the former soldiers, sailors and marines at the court house tonight at 8 o'clock for the purpose of making arrangements for transportation to Morganton, Monday, July 4, to attend the four-county celebration to be held there on that date.

MEETING OF PENSION BOARD

The pension board of Caldwell county will meet Tuesday, July 5, to consider any applications for pensions. Any persons who are entitled to pensions or who wish to make applications should have their applications ready to be considered by this board. The board is composed of P. G. Moore of Granite Falls, J. A. Bush, Sr., of Lenoir and Pickets Barlow of King's Creek.

MRS. COURTNEY ENTERTAINS FOR MRS. RAMSEUR

Thursday afternoon between the hours of 4:30 and 6:30 Mrs. Harry Courtney entertained at one of the prettiest teas of the season, honoring her house guest, Mrs. Richard Ramseur of Lincolnton. Mesdames G. C. Courtney, W. I. Pitts and B. F. Williams greeted the guests on the veranda, which was brilliant in decorations of garden flowers in artistic floor and wall vases. Here in a garden of flowers the guests were served delicious frozen punch by Misses Mary Nelson, Faith Courtney and the two attractive daughters of the hostess, Josephine and Dorothy Courtney, all dressed in ruffled frocks of organza.

Mrs. Hunter Gwyn, a recent bride, gowned in ruffled pink taffeta with picture hat, met the guests at the front door. From there they passed into the reception hall, where the hostess and her guest received. Mrs. Courtney wore a handsome gown of black satin with bronze trimmings and Mrs. Ramseur a lovely gray Canton crepe with touches of pink and corsage of pink Killarney roses. The hall was lovely in its decorations of pink gladioli and numerous garden flowers. Receiving in the parlor and music rooms were Mesdames A. N. Todd, E. A. Abernethy, J. W. Self, R. H. Harper, E. F. Allen, J. R. Todd and Miss Gertrude Courtney. Bright nasturtiums in artistic bowls and baskets were used as decorations in these rooms. A delightful musical program was given during the entire afternoon by Mesdames J.

R. Todd, N. H. Gwyn, C. L. Robbins, J. T. Pritchett and Misses Mary Nelson, Gertrude and Faith Courtney. The guests were then invited into the dining room, which was lovely in its decorations of sweet peas. The dining table was beautiful with an elaborate centerpiece of sweet peas on a Cluny lace cover. Crystal candlesticks and bon-bon dishes of mints in all the pastel shades completed the dainty appointments. Iced tea and sandwiches were served by Mesdames K. A. Link and F. H. Marley. About fifty guests called during the afternoon.

BONNIE BLUE FLAG CHAPTER WITH MISS POWELL

The Bonnie Blue Flag chapter of the U. D. C. was most delightfully entertained recently by Miss Coline Powell at her hospitable suburban home. The members arranged to meet up street, where they were put in autos and started merrily off. This was the regular June meeting, and the leader had prepared an interesting program. One reading was from the new book, "Women of the South in War Times" and proved to be most thrilling as well as instructive.

A short sketch was given of Jefferson Davis and a special tribute paid to his memory, as June is the month in which he was born.

The annual election of officers next took place, resulting as follows: Miss Mary Pulliam, president; Miss Charlotte Brawley, first vice-president; Miss Coline Melton, secretary, and Miss Sybil Henry, treasurer.

A number of new members were cordially welcomed, and others are expected to join at the next meeting. Application blanks were distributed and all members, both old and new, are expected to fill them out, as a new ruling has been made.

Delightful music by members of the chapter enlivened the program, after which a refreshing ice course was served and thoroughly enjoyed. Miss Powell was assisted by Mrs. Powell and Miss Greer. Twenty-one guests were present and it proved to be one of the most enjoyable meetings in the history of the chapter.

Watch the paper for the place of the July meeting.

STARNES-CLINE

Mr. Gaither Starnes of Granite Falls and Miss Bertha Cline of Taylorsville were married at the court house Monday evening at 6 o'clock. Justice of the Peace J. A. Bush officiating.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION
Last Sunday, June 26, Mr. Darius Cline, near Granite Falls, celebrated his 86th birthday. A sumptuous dinner was spread on the shady lawn and every one ate and enjoyed it. Those present were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Hayes and daughter, Ruth, Rev. and Mrs. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cline and children, Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bush of Cleveland, O.; Mrs. Sarah Greene of Upton; Mrs. J. B. Bush, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bush, Mr. Grover Bush and sister, Miss Genevieve, of Bushville; Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman of Black Mountain, Miss Thelma Flowers of Charlotte, Messrs. Conrad and Erson Washam of Cornelius, Mr. and Mrs. Will Smyre and Messrs. John and Duston Smyre of Hickory.

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