

Gneiss

By MRS. F. E. MASHBURN

Rev. Chas. Jennings preached at the Walnut Creek school house twice Sunday. Mrs. Jennings came with her husband Sunday.

Miss Eula Mashburn, Ennis and Emory Mashburn, Clyde and Howard Moses, went to Whiteside mountain Sunday.

Jack Berry is at work at the Angel fishing camp on Buck creek.

Everybody is invited to come to the home of W. A. Keener June 26, at 3:30 p. m., to a preaching service.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moses and son, Arvel, of Gastonia, spent Friday night at the home of Zack Peck.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for their many deeds of kindness shown us in the sickness and death of our wife and sister, Mrs. Paul Love. Also for the many beautiful floral offerings.

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Just Some Sisterly Advice



Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain gets some friendly advice accentuated by gestures from his sister-in-law, Lady Austen Chamberlain as they leave No. 10 Downing street. Mr. Chamberlain is now in his second year of the premiership.

Bartram's Description Of North Carolina Azaleas

Visitors to Wayah and other parts of the mountains in this section, who are lost in admiration and wonder at the beauty of the azalea blossoms, will be interested in the following description. The great English botanist, William Bartram, who travelled in this part of the mountains about the end of the eighteenth century, making a study of the varied plant life in that early day, gives vivid pictures of the primeval beauty he discovered. In one of his books, "The Travels of William Bartram" he thus describes the flame azalea:

"Firey Azalea, flaming on the ascending hills or wavy surface of the gliding brooks—the epithet 'firey' I annex to this most celebrated species of Azalea as being expressive of the appearance of its flowers, which are, in general, of the color of the finest red lead, orange and bright gold, as well as yellow and cream color. The various splendid colors are not only in separate plants, but frequently all the varieties of shades are seen

on separate branches on the same plant; and the clusters of the blossoms cover the shrubs in such incredible profusion on the hillsides, that suddenly opening to view from dark shades, we are alarmed with the apprehension of the hill being set on fire. This is certainly the most gay and brilliant flowering shrub yet known; it grows in little copses or clumps, in open forests as well as dark groves, with other shrubs about the bases of hills, especially where brooks or rivulets wind among them. The bushes seldom rise above six or seven feet in height, and generally about three, four and five, but branch and spread their tops greatly, the young leaves are but very small whilst the shrubs are in bloom, from which circumstance the plant exhibits a greater show of splendor."

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Four Veterans Get Pension Checks

Macon county's four surviving Confederate veterans have received their semi-annual pension checks. They are: James M. Daves, of Franklin Route 2; S. W. Picklesimer, of Otto; William E. Roper,

of Briartown, and J. W. Caldwell, of Franklin Route 3.

A negro, James Deal, also received a pension for services rendered during the War between the States.

Widows of veterans who received checks are: Mrs. Jane Adams, Mrs. Myra Allman, Mrs. Martha Brown, Mrs. Ellen Crawford, Mrs. Julia Crisp, Mrs. Addie J. Daves, Mrs. S. J. Dowdle, Mrs. Mary Kathryn Downs, Mrs. James B. Fulcher, Mrs. L. T. Gillespie, Mrs. Betsy Jane Grant, Mrs. Ella Hall, Mrs. Maggie R. Hall, Mrs. M. M. Henderson, Mrs. J. H. Higdon, Mrs. Jane P. Justice, Mrs. Mallissa M. McCoy, Mrs. Martha McCloud, Mrs. Angeline McCoy, Mrs. Hattie Moore, Mrs. Laura Parrish, Mrs. Sallie Pope, Mrs. Mary M. Ramsey, Mrs. Laura Rogers, Mrs. Myra Shope, Mrs. Sallie Tippet, Mrs. M. E. Williamson, and Mrs. H. C. Wilson.

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