

HIGHLANDS—THE ROOF GARDEN OF THE SOUTHEAST

MACON COUNTY NEWS BRIEFS AS TOLD BY CORRESPONDENTS

RAINBOW SPRINGS—F. W. Tittle PRENTISS—Beatrice Gribble WALNUT CREEK—Mrs. F. E. Mashburn

NORTH SKEENAH—W. R. Sanders SHOOKVILLE—Marie Rogers ELLIJAY—D. J. Moses TELlico—Vance DeHart HOLLY SPRINGS—Faye Franklin NORTON BRANCH—W. L. Carpenter TESENTA—Mrs. A. C. Patterson PATTON'S—Mrs. R. A. Patton OTTO—J. C. Bradley, Jr. KYLE—Maude Lunsford CULLASAJA—Mrs. Fred McGuire FLATS—M. J. May SCALY—Mrs. Irene James STILES—Carl Morgan CARTOOGECAYE — Mrs. F. H. Nolen

UPPER IOTLA—Mrs. D. M. Rowland **WEST'S MILL**—C. A. Elmore **CLEAR CREEK**—Mrs. E. P. Picklesimer **AQUONE**—Mrs. Craig Stepp **UPPER ELLIJAY**—Blanche Mincy **ROSE CREEK**—Mrs. Pennie Hughes

TESENTA

After spending a week with their sister, Mrs. Bob Webb; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shelton returned Monday to their home at Hayesville.

Mrs. Elias Buchanan spent Sunday night with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Adington, at Prentiss and went to Franklin, Monday, to have some dental work done.

Mr. A. C. Patterson made a business trip to Clayton, Ga., Tuesday. Messrs. Geo. Henry and W. H. Patterson have been hauling telephone poles to Otto this week.

Mrs. John H. Rogers is out again after being confined to her home for three weeks with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Patterson and children spent last week-end with Mrs. Patterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. James, at Bald Mountain, Ga. Mr. Don Young was in this section Wednesday looking over government land.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wood, of Ohio, are visiting Mr. Wood's grandmother, Mrs. Martha Brown. Mrs. Brown is one of Tesenta's oldest ladies, and has been in feeble health for several months.

Rev. C. W. Farris failed to fill his appointment at Dryman's Chapel Sunday on account of sickness. Rev. J. L. Teague preached an interesting sermon, filling his place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wood, Mrs. Martha Brown, and Miss Nellie Brown spent Sunday night with Mrs. Brown's son, Cling, at Otto.

Mr. Bob Webb visited his parents on Clear Creek, Sunday.

Misses Mildred and Bernice Smith spent last week-end with their uncle, Mr. Drew Smith, at Otto, and attended the commencement exercises at the Otto school Saturday night.

Miss Mattie Keener, of Otto, attended church services here Sunday.

WALNUT CREEK

Mr. C. N. Jones, who has been at work at Nantahala, spent the week-end with home people, and has gone back to Cullowhee Copper mines to work.

Mr. Harlie Keener, who is working at Nantahala, spent the week-end with his parents.

Messrs. Chas. Moore and Lester Mincy and Miss Blanche Mincy, of Ellijay, were welcome visitors in our community Sunday.

Mrs. A. B. Moses and son, T. B., of Franklin, Route 3, were visiting old friends and neighbors here last week.

Mr. Everett Mashburn, who is a junior in Franklin high school, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Mashburn.

March 13, a forest fire of unknown origin swept over about 15 acres of land back of Baxter Houson's house. After faithful work Warden J. D. McCoy, Deputy Warden F. E. Mashburn, and others, extinguished it.

Mr. J. N. Keener, age 80 years, preached a short, but Bible sermon after Sunday school Sunday afternoon. His subject was, "Hear ye Him."

ROSE CREEK

Mr. Clyde Hughes was in this section Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Houson's health is improving. She is able to be in her kitchen again.

Miss Loverna Bradley spent the week-end with Mrs. Arnold McMeans. Mrs. Arey Moore is still sick. Mr. R. L. Parrish attended the B. Y. P. U. at Oak Grove, Sunday night.

Mrs. Laura Parrish's health is im-

proving every day.

Mrs. Robert Down's health has improved some. Her many friends are wishing her speedy recovery.

Mr. Dearl McCoy was on Burningtown Saturday on business.

Mrs. Eulah Welch's health is improving slowly.

Mrs. Ida Southards' is better after a serious illness.

CULLASAJA

Mrs. L. T. Watkins, who lived in this section several years and moved to Watkinsville, Ga., last summer, died March 9. She was laid to rest in Watkinsville cemetery.

Mrs. T. J. McGuire, Miss Mary McGuire, Mr. F. S. McGuire and Mrs. J. B. Watkins, from this section, attended funeral services.

Mr. Lyman Jolly made a business trip to Franklin, Monday afternoon. Miss Roxie Conley, from Tesenta, was visiting Miss Hester Conley, Saturday afternoon and Sunday.

Miss Annie Bell Mashburn, and Mr. Henry Mashburn, from Franklin high school, spent the week-end with home folks on Nickajack.

PATTONS

Homer Mashburn went to Beechers Monday on business.

A forest fire of unknown origin burned over several acres on the Blaine mountain Sunday night. Fire Warden Fred Slagle was notified and soon reached the fire with tools and men. These, with several neighbors who had hurried to the scene, soon put the fire out. No serious damage was done.

Mr. and Mrs. Cranston Green have moved to their home on the Dobson branch.

Mrs. Will Green, who has been sick for several months, is improving slowly.

Mr. Andy Hall, from Bryson City, was visiting his brother, Randolph Hall, Sunday.

Mrs. Will Reece is able to be out some after having been very sick with flu for some time.

Mr. Ben Dobson is recovering from a serious illness.

Several men from the Smoky Mountain park have been in the community looking over some farms with a view of buying homes here.

R. A. Patton attended the Jackson Day dinner in Raleigh, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Blaine, from near Otto, were visiting their sons, Arthur and Earle, Sunday.

NORTH SKEENAH

Mr. Quince Shope has purchased a piece of land from Molly Sprinkles and is planning to put up a service station.

Mr. Lawrence Blaine, from Dillard, Ga., was in this section the past week. While here, he traded J. L. Sanders a tudor sedan Ford and a mule for his store at Midway.

Mr. Weimer Hasting and wife, from Franklin, were in this section Sunday.

Mrs. Johnie Sanders and family, from Prentiss, are visiting S. V. Stockton at present.

The boys in this section had a merry time fighting fire Sunday night on the headwaters of Blaine branch.

Mr. Ed Sanders and Misses Minnie Sanders and Hester Kimsey were in Franklin the past week on business.

Mrs. Margaret Sanders and J. L. Sanders, Jr., were sick enough the past week to have Dr. Rogers with them. They are now some better.

Mr. Arthur Sanders is going in the hog farming business. When he came home from Sunday school last Sunday he found eight small hogs.

WEST'S MILL

George Hayes Gibson died of pneumonia fever at his home near West's Mill, March 12. Mr. Gibson was born July 10, 1857. On November 16, 1881, he was united in matrimony to Miss Emma L. Owens. Seven children were born to this union, three of whom are living: Robert, Fred, and Roy. Mr. Gibson joined the Liberty Baptist church, Dec. 25, 1887, where he remained a member the rest of his life.

Mr. Gibson was sick only a few days before his death. He was laid away in Snow Hill cemetery. The funeral was conducted by Rev. Bradley, of Etna, and Rev. H. C. Freeman, of Franklin.

Highland Flings

Sarah Hicks Hines

BOY SCOUTS TAKE ALL-DAY HIKE

The Boy Scouts of this town enjoyed an all-day hike Sunday. The Silent Panther patrol, led by patrol leader, William Edwards, hiked to a wild and seldom visited spot, Wolf Den, in Primeval forest. Patrol leader, Toliver Crunkleton, led the Bob White patrol to Wildcat cliff. The Scouts enjoyed a campfire dinner on the way and got back to town in time for supper. The Scout organization here is receiving more members all the time and it would be hard to find a more enthusiastic group of boys anywhere.

PLAY TO BE GIVEN SOON

"Mix Well and Stir," a snappy one act play will be given at the school auditorium March 29 for the benefit of a school gymnasium. In addition to the play a short program consisting of Hawaiian music, dancing and several other features will be presented.

"Mix Well and Stir" is sheer comedy but unlike most comedies it is not overdrawn and exaggerated but is an amusingly true picture of each and every one of us in our "weak moments."

- 1 teaspoon of pathos,
- 2 overflowing cups of laughter,
- 1 dash of romance,
- 1 peppering of humor,
- Mix Well and Stir!

BOY'S ELIMINATION CONTEST HELD

Those of the high school boys who wished to do so participated in the annual elimination contest Friday morning. This contest is for the purpose of deciding by the process of elimination the boys who are eligible to enter the commencement debate.

The contest took the form of debate, the question being, "Resolved, that a Federal uniform divorce law be put into effect." On the affirmative side were Harry Wright, Louis Edwards, and Leon Calloway. Those on the negative side were William Potts, Albert Wiley, Glen Shuler, and Edison Picklesimer. Those selected by the judges as the best speakers were as follows: Harry Wright, Louis Edwards, William Potts and Glen Shuler. All the boys spoke extremely well and set forth their points very clearly and forcibly. Judges were Mr. W. S. Davis, Rev. L. E. Crowson, and Col. Henry Robertson.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL DEBATE

The fifth and sixth grades gave a very interesting and well prepared debate Friday morning. The question was "Resolved that the United States should give the Filipinos their freedom." The following sixth grade students upheld the affirmative side: George Beale, Edward Potts, and Jim Hines. Those on the negative side were Jack Potts, Nancy Elizabeth Hines, and Corrine Paul. The judges were three high school students, Virginia Pierson, Albert Wiley, and Harry Wright. The decision was rendered in favor of the fifth grade.

BRIEFS

The Highlands Merrimakers gave little Margaret Sarah Hall, the very young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tudor N. Hall, a surprise shower Saturday evening. The attractive gifts were concealed beneath the white dress of a mock doll and presented to Mr. and Mrs. Hall. After the shower the Merrimakers went to Chestnut Burr cottage where a St. Patrick's day party was enjoyed. Games, in which Irish potatoes took an important part, were played and delicious refreshments were served.

The Ladies' auxiliary of the Episcopal church met at the home of Mrs. W. S. Davis Thursday afternoon, March 13th for a study of the church program.

Dr. E. R. Gilbert, Mr. Tudor N. Hall and Prof. O. F. Summer were in Franklin one day last week.

The Community club met at the Bank Wednesday afternoon. An interesting round table discussion of the plans for the Community Club house was had and plans were also made to assist the Town council in improving the streets.

Col. Henry Robertson made a trip to Franklin, March 14, returning to Highlands the next day.

Editor Lyles Harris was in Highlands, March 14.

Quite a number of people visited this town Sunday. Among them were some tourists from Sweden.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Anderson,

their small daughter, Mattie Angela, Mrs. C. J. Anderson, and Mrs. T. N. Hall left for Atlanta, Thursday.

The Boy Scouts took a moonlight hike up to Kalalanta, Friday evening after their regular meeting.

Mr. D. C. Sheldon and Mr. D. H. Sherk of Clemson college were guests at the Central house Sunday.

Mr. S. Mickwee, of Asheville, was a visitor here Sunday.

The Girl Scouts met at the home of Mrs. Leonard Pearson March 14.

Mr. F. S. Alden, of New York, was in our town last week.

A Highlands School edition of The Press will be gotten out some time in the near future. This edition will be sponsored by the high school and will contain town, county and school news.

Mr. John H. Alley, of West Union was in Highlands, Thursday.

Mr. J. H. Fowler, of Atlanta, was a guest at the Central house last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. McGee, of Manning, S. C., were in Highlands last week.

The Highlands High school basketball team played the Rosman team at Rosman, Thursday evening. The Rosman boys won with a score of 33-16.

STILES

Mrs. Carl Morgan has gone to Tellico to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. DeHart.

Mr. Creed DeHart, of Tellico, was in this section Friday on business.

Mr. R. C. Anderson, who is working for B. V. McCoy, of Oak Grove, spent the week-end with homefolks.

Mr. H. B. Mason went to Franklin, Friday, to visit his wife who is in the Angel hospital. Mrs. Mason was operated on last Monday. According to reports she is getting along fine.

Mr. Fred Owenby has been helping C. C. Welch do some repair work on his corn mill. Mr. Welch's mill has been out of commission for several weeks.

Mr. E. B. Byrd is splitting rails and remodeling his fence.

Mr. Dill Owenby has just returned from Wesser. He has been visiting his sister, Mary Justice, who is seriously ill. He states that her case is almost hopeless.

Mr. Joe Duvall, of Almond, was in this section the week-end visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. H. D. Dean attended the Sunday school at the Morgan school house Sunday afternoon.

Revs. Kilpatrick and Freeman, of Swain, preached at the Tellico church Sunday night.

Mr. J. V. Rogers has returned to his home in California after spending several days with his brother-in-law, C. A. Randolph. Mrs. Rogers, an invalid, is going to spend the summer in this vicinity trying to improve her health.

Mrs. Jack Savage has just arrived from Gastonia to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson.

Mr. Harley Carnes has purchased a Ford car. Mr. Carnes is traveling and carrying several lines. He is canvassing every home.

Mrs. Billy McHan, of Tellico, was in this section Monday.

Mr. Floyd Ramsey has purchased a Ford car.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Owenby, of Proctor, are spending a few days with friends and relatives.

Mr. E. P. Hampton went to Franklin, Monday, on business.

Mr. Henry Mashburn, of Rose Creek, was here Tuesday.

Mr. James Raby is back on his old job, saw milling. Mr. Homer Cochran took on a pair of horses to do the logging and most of his other laborers will be secured here.

Mr. Jack Sherrill, after two weeks' absence, has returned to his timber job. We understand he has several poles, ties and white oak logs under contract.

Messrs. Erastus Mason and John Anderson are hauling lumber for C. F. Moody.

Messrs. W. E. Smith and Carl Morgan are cutting timber for the Sheep Knob Pole company.

Mr. Alfred Davis, of Oak Grove, was in this section Thursday putting a new roof on Carl Morgan's dwelling.

Mr. Homer Cochran, of Franklin, is doing the logging for Turkey Mountain Lumber company.

Mr. Clyde Morgan is sick this week.

Mr. T. B. Justice, of Franklin, was in this section a few days ago on business.

Mr. Brye Holbrooks, after spending a few days with home folks, returned to his job at the Fontana mines.

TELLICO NEWS

The Turkey Knob Lumber company started its saw mill Tuesday.

Mr. Frank Moody was here Thursday in the interest of his lumber business.

Mr. Fred Anderson is working for Mr. James Raby.

Mr. Green Calloway was here Wednesday buying fodder.

Mr. Jack Sherrill was here Thursday wanting teams to skid poles for himself and W. E. Smith.

Messrs. Harley Ramsey and V. C. DeHart are putting seven tons of lime on the Hurst place.

Mr. Everette Cook moved in his new house, Wednesday.

Messrs. Robert and Harley Ramsey went to Franklin Thursday evening to a Junior supper, and report a nice time.

Misses Lola, Jessie and Ruth Ramsey, who are going to school at Franklin, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ramsey.

Mr. George T. Ramsey and grandson, Elmer Solesbee, went to Franklin on business Wednesday.

CHAMPION SHOE SHOP



UNDER CONDITIONS

that would tear soles to shreds, soles put on shoes by us stand up and give continuous service, because they are of a toughness that defies wear and tear. Bring your shoes to us and let us resole them—half or full, as you wish. You will appreciate the economy.

EARL ANGEL, Mgr.

NOTICE

Dr. Edwin A. Alderman, President University of Virginia, will deliver a Jeffersonian speech to America, Democrats and others, at 10:30 P. M., E. S. T. on a nation-wide hook-up of the National Broadcasting system. Be sure and tune in.

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