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FROM MARS HILL

Rev. and Mrs. I. N. Corpening of Mars Hill, who have a leave of absence from the college for special study, have been visiting here for the past ten days. They have returned North to continue their study. On Tuesday, June 11th, all the members of the faculty with their wives, also Mrs. L. D. Edwards and Mrs. Roy Wall surprised Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Moore by going to their home with baskets of sandwiches and cake. It was their 34th wedding anniversary and there was an abundance of rattles left. Misses Ethel English, Bex Ramsey and Pauline Sprinkle are at Carolina for six weeks of study. Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Cooper of Sanford, Fla., visited Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Whitaker for a few days recently. Mr. Grover Jones, attorney of High Point, is at Mars Hill visiting after being away for some years. He has his family with him. Both Mr. and Mrs. Jones are former students of Mars Hill College. We are glad to have them back. Miss Ada Edwards, who has been away teaching, is at home with her parents for the summer.

From MARION

Mrs. Dellie Plemmons is still on the sick list and we hope that she soon recovers. Mrs. Sherrill is visiting at home at this place. Mr. Thad Sherrill, Mr. George Hall called at Mr. Dave Deaton's Sunday. Mr. Walker Rogers and sons are the proud owners of a big car. Mr. Jim Arrowood was accompanied to town and back Saturday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Plemmons and daughter Vicie and Mrs. Howard Plemmons and daughter. Miss Nellie McCrae called on Miss Grace Plemmons Sunday. Mrs. Howard Plemmons and Grace Plemmons called on Mrs. Arthur Kite and Mrs. Marion Seagle Saturday afternoon.

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J. H. WOOD, Division Passenger Agent ASHEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA



OFFICE KAT KOLUM

By the "Office Cat"

I want to tell you folks about a little frog hunting trip down the French Broad River that a fellow and I took last Friday night. Yup, I have actually been bull-frog hunting for the first time this year, and I sure did have a good time at it, too. Well, as I was about to expostulate, we left here about nine o'clock that night, and got into a boat at the lower end of town, and boy, it sure was some boat. Leak? No, the water just poured in by the bucketful. Anyway, we got started down the River, and nary a frog was to be heard for a while. Well, we just eased along the bank, flashing our light all along, and after a while we spotted one—a darned big one at that. The boat was gently pushed into the bank, while the light was held in the frog's eyes all the time, and when we got close enough to the frog, the fellow in the bow of the boat leaned way over, and, holding the light full on the frog, he grabbed him and held on—and take it from me, you have to keep a mighty good grip on those slippery brethren to prevent their escaping. Said frog being caught, he was handed to me, and it was up to yours truly to do the dirty work—kill him and put his hind laigs in a bucket. This accomplished, we started out again, and by this time, we could hear several of the big frogs "hollering" down the River. Well, we kept drifting along until we

had gotten six of them (six legs, I mean) and then decided to fish awhile, which we did until eighteen fish lay in the bottom of the boat. By that time, it was getting up into the wee hours, so we decided to call it a night's work and go home, the other fellow taking the fish, and I the frog legs. Ate the legs for breakfast later on in the morning, and I am here to tell you that they were something good. Yum, yum! Hope I can go "frogging", again some time soon.

I've taken up my Kolum this time with the bull-frogging trip. I didn't intend to write so much about it, but I did write it, and that's that.

Riding Their Hobbies

Some people think it is cruelty to catch fish with a hook, and this class of people think it is murderous to hunt wild game. In recent legislative sessions there have been measures introduced to prohibit the use of rifles in certain States. Very few persons ride a hobby as hard as that, but there is a steady demand in many sections of the country seeking to curb the use of firearms. A recent bulletin of the American Game Protective Association reminds us that "the founders of the Government realized that experience and intelligence and the use of firearms is an important factor for the public safety," and while the bulletin does not debate the subject of restricting the use of firearms beyond the question of their use for hunting, it points out the fact that the man who goes hunting armed with a public license, is entitled to carry the best kind of firearms that he can obtain to suit his purposes. Manifestly, says the Association, that class of measures which affect the use of firearms so as to restrict hunting, are "improper and unwarranted," to which statement all Federal and State game officials lend their sympathetic approval.

PAPA'S LETTER

I was sitting in my study, Writing letters, when I heard: "Please, dear mamma, Mary told me, Mamma mustn't be 'isturbed. But I'se tired of the kittiy. Want some ozzer fing to do, Writing letters, is 'ou, mamma, 'Tain't I write a letter too? Not now, darling, mamma's busy; Run and play with kittiy, now. No, no, mamma; we write letters; 'Tan if 'ou, will show me how, I would paint my darling's portrait, As his sweet eyes searched my face— Hair of gold and eyes of azure, Form of childish, witching grace. But the eager face was clouded, As I slowly shook my head, Till I said, "I'll make a letter, Of you, darling boy, instead." So I parted back the tresses, From his forehead, high and white, And a stamp in sport I patted, 'Mid its waves of golden light. Then I said, "Now little letter, Go a way and bear good news." And I smiled, as down the staircase, Clattered loud the little shoes, Leaving me, the darling hurried, Down to Mary in his glee. "Mamma's writing lots of letters; I'se a letter, Mary, see." No one heard the little prattler, As once more he climbed the stair, Reached his little cap and tippet, Standing on the entry stair. No one heard the front door open, No one saw the golden hair, As it seared o'er his shoulder, In the crisp October air. Down the street the baby hastened, 'Till he reached the office door, "I'se a letter, Mr. Postman; Is there any room for more? Cause 'dis letter's doing to papa; Papa lives with God 'ou know; Mamma sent me for a letter; Does 'ou fink 'at I tan go?" But the clerk in wonder answered; "Not today, my little man." "Dem I'll find anozzer office, Cause I must do if I tan." Fain the clerk would have detained him, But the pleading face was gone, And the little feet were hastening, By the busy crowd swift on. Suddenly the crowd was parted, People fled from left to right; As a pair of maddened horses, At a moment dashed in sight, No one saw the baby figure, No one saw the golden hair, 'Till a voice of frightened sweetness, Rung out on the autumn air. 'Twas too late—a moment only, Stood the beautiful vision there, Then the little face lay lifeless; Covered o're with golden hair. Reverently they raised my darling, Brushed away the curls of gold, Saw the stamp upon his forehead, Growing now so icy cold. Not a mark the face disfigured, Showing where a hoof had trod, But the little life was ended, "Papa's letter was with God. Copied and sent in by— Rora Waldroup, Bluff, N. C.

From Little Pine Creek

The pastor, Rev. Everett Sprinkle preached at Caney Fork last Sunday night. He will hold a revival meeting beginning the fifth Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Wiley M. Roberts and son Paul returned from Detroit last Wednesday, where they spent a few

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days with friends and relatives. They reported a nice trip. Mrs. Ida Goforth visited her sister Mrs. Angie Lotterdale at Greenville, Tenn., last Saturday. Mrs. Sis Cassada and Mrs. John Cassada and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dockery spent Sunday with friends on Little Pine. Mrs. Pearson Meadows and two daughters, Beulah and Fay, and son Leo, of Azalea, N. C., spent the week end with Mrs. Meadows parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Roberts. Mr. and Mrs. Bascomb Payne went to Marshall Saturday. Miss Gladys Meadows is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Pearson Meadows at Azalea. Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Redmon and children visited Mrs. Redmon's parents Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gaddy at West Asheville last Wednesday. The fifth Sunday meeting will be held at Caney Fork church on next Sunday.

BIG LAUREL

Our S. S. is progressing nicely at this writing, also the prayer meeting. Mrs. Dolson Crow and Mrs. Ralph Griffin spent Sunday night with Mrs. N. H. Griffin. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fortner visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rice Sunday. Miss Carrie Lewis took dinner with Mrs. Thelma Rice Sunday. We are glad to see Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Buckner moving back to Laurel. Mr. and Mrs. Doak Davis of Woodfin spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Davis. Miss Zora Davis took dinner with Miss Ethel Wilde Sunday. Mr. Ernest Capps was the pleasant caller at the home of Miss Thelma Rice Sunday. Mrs. W. H. Hunter of Bull Creek were visiting friends and relatives on Laurel Wednesday. Mrs. Mary Buckner and daughter Verna spent Monday night with her daughter Mrs. Luke Griffin on Walnut Creek. Mr. Masole Holland and Wayne Griffin took dinner with Robena and Atlas Buckner Sunday. Miss Jimmie Crow and Portia Griffin visited friends on Walnut Creek Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Jim Chandler, Hattie Buckner, Della Buckner, Lillie Davis were motoring Sunday. Mrs. Jess Davis and Mrs. Doak Davis took dinner with Mrs. G. M. Buckner Sunday. Mrs. Auburn Rice and Nellie Bishop spent last week with Mrs. Dolson Crow. Mr. and Mrs. Andy Lewis took dinner with Mrs. N. H. Griffin Sunday. Mr. Osten and Wayne Griffin are the proud owners of a Victrola. Mr. Patterson Wilde took dinner with Mr. Hubert Rice Sunday. Mr. Henry and Audie Norton visit-

Miss Pauline and Katie Lewis Sunday. Mrs. L. B. Rice visited Mrs. Mary Buckner Sunday. Mr. Chuck Griffin visited Laurel Sunday. Mr. Pat Wilde visited Miss Atlas Buckner Sunday afternoon. Mr. Grayson Griffin and Mr. Burnett Reece were on Laurel Sunday.

FORKS OF IVY

Miss Marie Willis gave a birthday party Saturday evening at 8 o'clock in honor of her sister Ayeris. They played many games, served ice cream, cake and lemonade, had fine music, played by Tom Willis and Bascombe Shepherd. Those present were Howard Willis, Eloise Buckner, Louise Ledford, Carl Bailey, Howell Forester, Harry Brown, Marion Marchbanks, Faye Marchbanks, Genell Forester, Marie Willis, Mattie Sams, Opal Buckner and two brothers, Orville Brown, Kate Sams, Robert Sams and Stanley Marchbanks. Prizes given to Miss Kate Sams and Robert Sams. Mrs. Leona Chambers was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mada Ledford Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ledford, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Whitte were invited to Mrs. Mada Ledford Sunday. Mr. Howard Willis was the guest of Harry Ledford Sunday. Mr. Dewey Robinson called at Louise Ledford's home Sunday. Mrs. Bailey is visiting her mother at Morgan Hill. Mr. Tom Ledford and Mr. Jerome Chambers motored to Locust Grove Saturday on business.

FROM ENGLISH

We had a good S. S. at Bright Hope Sunday with real good singing afterward. Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Burnett and family spent the week end on Little Creek with Mrs. Burnett's father. Mr. Clarence Yelton of Jupiter was visiting his parents at this place last week and they were very proud to see him. Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. English, of Little Creek, Friday a bouncing baby girl—Mary Oleta. Miss Orla Bailey of Middle Fork is spending a few weeks here with relatives. Miss Valeria Boone took dinner with Mrs. M. D. Crowder Sunday. Misses Altha English, Orla Bailey, Messrs Ovid Burnett, Condrey English and Wayne Phillips went sirvis hunting Sunday. Misses Mable and Ava Boone of near Asheville was visiting their aunt Mrs. M. A. Crowder last week end. Messrs Louise Tipton and Floyd Yelton were guests of Misses Altha English and Orla Bailey Sunday evening. Messrs Louis Tipton, Guy Howell,

Clyde Yelton and others went to Asheville Saturday on business. Mrs. O. M. Hampton and children of Flag Pond were visiting relatives here the week end. Mr. Ovid Burnett spent Saturday night with Mr. Condrey English. Mr. Louis Tipton was seen with a furious snake Sunday which he killed. Mr. J. H. McGhee has been visiting in Tennessee. Mr. Zehris English was on Bear Branch Monday. Mr. Thomas Murray of near Mars Hill has been spending a few days at this place. Mr. E. B. English has quit sawmilling for a while. Several from Tennessee attended church here Sunday. Mrs. Lee English and daughter Altha English were picking straw berries Monday also Mrs. B. E. Burnett and children. Miss Orla Bailey took dinner Sunday with Miss Altha English. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bailey were on Sams Creek Sunday. Messrs Raleigh English and Jeff Whitte are trucking lumber from here now. Our roads are in very good shape. Mrs. J. H. McGhee was on Little Creek Friday visiting Mrs. Pansy Metcalf and others. Mrs. Lee English had her first of young potatoes Tuesday. They sure did eat good.

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