A POEM WITH MERIT ABOUT NEWSPAPERS

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Came across a little poem the other day that I had clipped and it has a lot of truth in it.

Hope you agree with it:

When The Paper Doesn't Come

My father says the paper he reads
ain't put up right;
He finds a lot of fault, too, he does,
perusin' it all night;
He says there ain't a single thing
in it worth to read,
And that it doesn't print the kind of
stuff the people need;
He tosses it aside and says it's strictly on the bum,
But you ought to hear him holler when the paper doesn't come.
He reads about the weddings and he snorts like all get out;
He reads the social doin's with a most derisive shout,
He says they make the papers for the women folks alone;
He'll read about the parties and he'll fume and fret and groan.
He says of information it doesn't have a crumb —
But you ought to hear him holler when the paper doesn't come.
He is always first to grab it and he reads it plumb near from its
[illegible]
But you ought to hear him holler when the paper doesn't come.

[illegible]

An unmitted [illegible] in a village in California is, Can a cat come?

The man paid $50 for this Siamese female. While pregnant she became friendly with a neighbor, a retired medical man. She had her five kittens in this neighbor's woodpile. [illegible] to his daughter's [illegible]. The owner of [illegible] Book. [illegible] Thirty [illegible] Pearl Harbor [illegible] They [illegible] one could that [illegible] up to five. The [illegible] in the trees, watching the farmer and hands, and when the fifth man goes to the house for dinner they descend on the cornfield.

A Word Of Advice To The Tourists

The air lines, the ship lines and all the travel agencies are now beginning to concentrate their fire on the stirring tourists.

Coming out of hibernation, or about to, the tourist is now dreaming of wonderful vacations in June, July or later in the year, and the travel ads certainly look enticing.

A word to the wise is in order for all those who plan to go to Europe this year. The first word of caution should concern Paris. Paris is the symbol of gaiety and exciting life, and, therefore, it is thought to be a place every tourist should visit. With this, we do not agree.

Our advice to the European traveler is to pick out a country he or she would like to visit, visit that country for one or two weeks, to actually learn something about it, and then take a few days to see a few sights traveling, if one desires it. A traveler who sees a different city and different sight every day or two is worn out by the end of his trip.

We suggest Germany, Spain, Scotland, Scandinavia and some parts of Holland for the tourist who would like to get his money's worth and not feel that he was being raided several times during each day.

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Experience: Ralph Webb Gardner [illegible] and operates the Gardner Angus Cattle farm near Shelby; [illegible] N. C. Angus Association; committee member [illegible] Association; has interest in several [illegible] Carolina. He is a member of the N. C. Bar Association [illegible] District of Columbia Bar. He [illegible] Pearl Harbor and served [illegible] with [illegible] overseas under [illegible] India Theatre. He [illegible] Gardner-Webb College.

FARMER LAWYER BUSINESSMAN

Qualifications: Gardner is a farmer, business man and lawyer. For 21 [illegible] Cleveland Co[illegible] of the sm[illegible] who [illegible] Acquaintances In Washington [illegible] man.

WIN WITH GARDNER

IN THE MAY 26 PRIMARY

VIRGIL "CRICKET" WEATHERS, Cleveland County Manager of "Gardner For Congress" Campaign

MIDDLE LAUREL

We are having good services at the Middle Laurel Church of God. We are having a wonderful Sunday School. Our attendance is good. Our superintendent, Grover Franklin, is doing good with the help of others. If you have no place of worship, come be with us, or go to some other church, and take your children. They need to be in Sunday School. Read your paper and look around you what the teenagers are doing because they are turned loose too soon and are not taken to Sunday School. Parents, plan now to keep your children in Sunday School.

The Reverends Albert and Nell Osteen of Henderson plan to be with us again Saturday night, May 12 at 7:45. We hope to have the blind man and his accordion, too. These are wonderful singers and musicians. Come and hear them. They plan to be at Carmen Church of God Sunday morning.

We were glad to have Mrs. Muncie Gunthaw, Jeanette Shelton, Mrs. Marvin Reeves and Miss Gunter of Tennessee in Sunday School Sunday.

[illegible] Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Mr. and [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

FALL BRANCH

The farmers are getting behind in their work due to the rainy weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beasley went to Marshall Saturday; also Mr. and Mrs. Weaver Allison and son, Ronnie.

Mr. and Mrs. Weaver Allison visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frisbee Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Gosnell visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beasley Sunday.

Mr. Floyd Shetley and daughter, Jackie, called on Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Shetley. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beasley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Graves and daughter, Shirley, from Spartanburg, S. C., visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beasley Sunday. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. Alf Graves.

Dallas Gunter is spending the week-end with Mr. Alf Graves.

K. D. and Alonzo Gunter are spending the weekend with their grandpa, Mr. Kibert Wyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Gosnell called on Mr. and Mrs. Weaver Allison Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Shetley and children of Big Stone Gap, Virginia have visited his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Shetley, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gentle had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Weaver Allison and son, Ronnie. Sunny Mosier was also a dinner guest there.

Dallas Gunter called on Charles and Wanda Beasley Sunday.

[illegible] son, Burnice, of Swannanoa, Mrs. Delmalo Hensley, Mrs. Minnie Oldfield and Dorothy Gentry.

Those visiting in the afternoon were Mrs. Cornelia Franklin, Benjamin Franklin, Mrs. Marvin Reeves and Miss Gunter, of Chase Creek.

May Day Observed At Hot Springs School

Miss Mary Ann Ward, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ward of Paint Rock, a 10th grade student, was crowned Queen of May at a May Day program Friday night, May 4. Her escort was Ronnie Payne, son of Mrs. Violet Payne of Hot Springs. The maid of honor was Miss Lillian Tolley, 9th grade student, and her escort was Tommy Davis. The May Court was made up of representatives from each grade and their escorts. It included: 1st grade, Terry Rector and escort Tommy Huff; 1st and 2nd grade combination, Linda Whitson and Terry Barker; 2nd, Linda Waddell and Dennis Ramsey; 3rd, Linda Fisher and Roscoe Woody; 4th, Patay Goode and Bill Collins

Madison County 4-H Members Win Honors

The Western District Elimination Contest was held at the Clyde A. Erwin High School April 28. Madison County 4-H members won first place in two of twenty-one demonstrations. Edwin Stines of the Walnut 4-H Club won first place in a soil and water conservation demonstration entitled "The Value of Taking a Soil Sample." J. D. Rathbone and Charles Foster of the Sherley community 4-H Club won first place in a vegetable production demonstration entitled, "[illegible] Potato Seed Pieces." These [illegible] will be in state competition [illegible] district winners during 4-H Club Week at Raleigh, [illegible] through July 28th.

Other entries from Madison [illegible] in the district [illegible] tricia Robinson [illegible] Proffitt in a dairy [illegible] Gen. Olin Jarrett [illegible] ing, and [illegible] The Western District [illegible] counties in the [illegible]