

LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS
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Miss Ola Francis arrived Sunday from New York City to spend her summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Francis. She was accompanied by her nephew, John Everett Penny.

Miss Frances Ray and Mr. Charles Ray left Sunday for New York City where they will purchase fall and winter merchandise for C. E. Ray's Sons Department Store.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Campbell had as their guests last week-end the latter's sister, Mrs. G. W. Few, and Miss Geraldine Few, Messrs. Harold and Leon Few of Greer, South Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hendrey, of Washington, D. C., arrived Tuesday for a visit to Mrs. Hendrey's mother, Mrs. G. C. Bangs at her home on East Street.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Lane of Chester, Pennsylvania, who make their summer home in Waynesville, have arrived and are guests at Birchwood Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jeffers and the latter's mother and sister, Mrs. Armstrong and Miss Marie Armstrong of Clearwater, Florida, have arrived to spend the rest of the season at Birchwood Hall.

Mrs. Doyle Alley returned Friday after spending several weeks at Chapel Hill where she attended summer school at the University of North Carolina taking a course in public administration.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Y. Brode, who have been visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bridges, for some time, left Sunday for their home in Charlotte.

Mr. Joe Ferguson, of Newport News, Virginia, is spending several days here this week as the guest of his aunt, Mrs. W. J. Campbell, and Mr. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Patrick have as their guests the former's mother and brother, Mrs. Nettie H. Patrick of Scottsboro, Alabama and Mr. Paul Patrick of Johnson City, Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Battle of Sylva, spent Tuesday in town visiting Mrs. Battle's father, Mr. G. T. Platt, who is convalescing after an operation at the Haywood County Hospital.

Mrs. John Vaughn, of Raleigh, who attended the wedding of her niece, Mrs. Maude Terrell and Mr. Eric Miles, here last Thursday, is spending several days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Terrell.

Mrs. L. N. Davis, Paul Davis, James Gordon Howell, Jr., Bobby Sloan, John West, and Ernest Withers, Jr. left Tuesday by motor for Chicago, Illinois, where they will spend several days attending the World's Fair.

Miss Louise Edwards, head of the home economics department of the Waynesville High School, who has been attending summer school at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, returned Friday and is again a guest at Blink Bonny.

Mrs. George Semmes, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ray, for some time left Tuesday for her home in Jacksonville, Florida.

Miss Mary Adame Ward is spending several days in the city as the guest of Miss Babbie Way.

Miss Katherine Rheims returned to her home in Ramseur the first of the week after a visit to Miss Frances Roe.

Mrs. M. J. Collins and three children of Washington, D. C., have arrived for a visit to the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cabe.

Mrs. C. E. Lupton, of Bridgeport, Connecticut, is here for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Frith, of Miami, Florida, will arrive tomorrow to visit the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cabe.

Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Randall, who have spent the past two weeks in Hazelwood, left yesterday for their home in Charlotte.

Mr. Tom Tallafiero, of Raleigh, arrived Saturday to spend a week with Mrs. Tallafiero and young son at the home of Mrs. R. H. Mitchell.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Howell has returned to her home in Asheville after spending a month with her aunt, Mrs. Eli McGee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Latham and daughter, Betty, spent Sunday with James Latham who is spending the summer at Camp Daniel Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. Estes Semmes and Miss Alice Semmes of Memphis, Tennessee, are guests of Mrs. Maude Perry at Chestnut Park Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ransom and son, Wick, of Hughes, Arkansas, have arrived to spend the summer at the home of Mrs. R. H. Mitchell.

Mrs. Blanche Lee, of Marion is spending some time at Lake Junaluska as the guest of Mrs. Walter Lee.

Mrs. David Miller, of Atlanta, Georgia, has arrived to spend a month in the city and is a guest at Birchwood Hall.

Mrs. Willie Sprinay, of Salisbury, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Kirkpatrick at their home at Lake Junaluska.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Patton of Hollywood, Florida, are guests of Mrs. Patton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Francis.

Mrs. Allen McLean left Tuesday for her home in Tampa, Florida after a visit to her parents Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Abel.

Mrs. C. J. Reece will leave Sunday for New York City where she will spend several days purchasing fall merchandise for Massie's Department Store.

Mr. Sam Bushnell, Jr., who is a member of the State Highway crew stationed at present at Bryson City, is spending a week's vacation at home.

BLACK-DRAUGHT
"Such a Good Laxative," Says Nurse
Writing from her home in Festus, Mo. Mrs. Anna LaPlante says:
"I am a practical nurse and I recommend to some of my patients that they take Black-Draught, for this is such a good laxative. I took it for constipation, headache and a chill feeling that I had so much. A few doses of Black-Draught—and I felt just fine."
Because so many people know from having used it that Theodor's Black-Draught is a good, purely vegetable laxative, millions of packages of it are sold every year.

Twice the price couldn't buy more convenience in any ELECTRIC REFRIGERATOR

and you get **5 YEARS*** PROTECTION

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*Standard 1 year warranty plus 4 more years protection against any possible failure of sealed-in-steel mechanism for only \$5!

Requires no attention... not even oiling.
All-Steel Cabinet. Gleaming white porcelain or glistening Glyptal baked enamel exterior. Stainless porcelain interior.
Large, open quick-freezing chamber of stainless steel that cannot chip or rust. Freezes more ice faster.
Temperature control dial for quick freezing when desired, and economical operation in cooler room temperatures.
Sliding Shelves, adjustable in height.
Automatic interior lighting.
Auxiliary foot pedal door opener.
Vegetable container that keeps vegetables crisp and fresh for days.

\$177 UP

Massie Furniture Co.
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Visitor Does Not Believe Europe To Have Another War

F. D. Trumbull, an officer in the French army during the World War, and step son of the late General Hans von Below, who spent several summers here, stated in an interview this week that he did not believe that war would be declared in Europe as the result of the recent trouble over the murder of Chancellor Dolfus in Vienna.

"I believe that it will take them some time to settle the matter as it always takes Europe a long time to settle those things, but I have no idea that war will be resorted to by any of the nations involved. Much of what we hear of the situation is propaganda, and even with that there does not seem to be a trend towards war."

Mr. and Mrs. Trumbull are spending their fifth summer in this community.

RICKMAN'S ENJOYING THEIR WESTERN TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Rickman who left here some two weeks ago for an extended trip west wrote friends here that they are enjoying their vacation among the Rockies. Last week they visited Pike's Peak and later attended the annual rodeo in Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Mr. Rickman is a merchant at Woodrow and a member of the board of county commissioners. The expect to return the latter part of August.

CROP LOAN OFFICE MOVED TO MEMPHIS

Notice has been received that the State Crop Loan office, formerly located in Washington, has been moved to Memphis, Tennessee.

All borrowers are requested to take notice of this change and not forward anything to the Washington office which is discontinued. All correspondence should be sent to the Memphis office, or direct to S. S. Williams, field supervisor for this district, at Asheville, N. C.

WAR IN EUROPE IS ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE

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see eye to eye it is the opinion that von Papen may be Hitler's successor. "Very little may be said in praise of Hitler and his campaign. On the other hand, Hitler has aroused the German people when as a nation Germany could not look the rest of the world in the eye. "It is too bad Hitler could not have been more generous to his enemies."

STATEMENT
National Ben Franklin Fire Insurance Company, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Condition December 31, 1933, as Shown by Statement Filed

Amount of Capital paid in cash	\$1,000,000.00
Amount Ledger Assets, Dec. 31st previous year, \$4,541,476.63;	
Increase paid-up Capital, \$	1,541,476.63
Income—From Policyholders, \$819,488.03; Miscellaneous,	1,056,025.42
\$299,537.50; Total	1,911,001.49
Disbursement—To Policyholders, \$696,117.06; Miscellaneous,	1,911,001.49
\$1,214,882.82; Total	1,911,001.49
Fire Risks—Written or renewed during year, \$3,410,928.34 In	2,109,624.84
force	
All Other Risks—Written or renewed during year, \$520,321.82 In	266,465.10
force	
ASSETS	
Value of Real Estate	\$ 239,933.15
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	824,793.00
Value of Bonds and Stocks	2,087,037.19
Cash in Company's Office	27,694.00
Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks not on interest	193,710.06
Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks on interest	9,178.38
Agents' balances, representing business written subsequent to	
October 1, 1933	279,947.34
Agents' balances, representing business written prior to October	
1, 1933	123,361.24
Bills receivable, taken for fire risk	9,735.59
Interest and Rents due and accrued	47,579.74
All other Assets, as detailed in statement	314,189.62
Total	\$4,048,260.92
Less Assets not admitted	\$ 124,814.28
Total admitted Assets	\$3,923,446.64
LIABILITIES	
Net amount of unpaid losses and claims	\$ 227,659.00
Unearned premiums	1,142,338.85
Salaries, rents, expenses, bills, accounts, fees, etc., due or accrued	2,000.00
Estimated amount payable for Federal, State, county and mu-	
nicipal taxes due or accrued	25,000.00
Contingent commissions, or other charges due or accrued	11,600.00
All other liabilities, as detailed in statement	250,121.84
Total amount of all liabilities except Capital \$1,698,729.29	
Capital actually paid up in cash	\$1,000,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	1,254,726.35
Surplus as regards Policyholders	\$2,254,726.35
Business in North Carolina During 1933	
Fire Risks written, \$416,227.00; Premiums received	\$4,802.00
All other Risks written, \$168,660.00; Premiums received	292.00
Losses incurred—Fire \$6,090.00; Paid	2,530.00
Losses incurred—All other, \$839.00; Paid	1,602.00
President, Neal Bassett;	Secretary, Thos. A. Hathaway
Treasurer, Chas. W. Payne, Jr.	
Home Office, 120 Ohio St., West, Pittsburgh, Pa.	
Attorney for service: DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner, Raleigh,	
N. C.	
Manager for North Carolina, Newark, N. J. Office.	
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.	
INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.	
Raleigh, May 8, 1934.	
I, DAN C. BONEY, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the National Ben Franklin Fire Insurance Company of Pittsburgh, Pa., filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company, on the 31st day of December, 1933.	
Witness my hand and official seal, the day and year above written.	
DAN C. BONEY,	
Insurance Commissioner	

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Beaverdam
J. N. Mease, Jr., Comm. to W. C. Trantham, et ux, lot.
Paul B. Clark, et ux to Eston Moore, et ux, lot.
P. P. Clark et ux to Horace Robinson, et ux, 1 acre.
W. J. Miller, et ux to Mrs. Nora Smathers, lot.
Joe Miller, et ux to Mrs. Nora Smathers, lot.
Joe Miller et ux to Trustees Wesleyan Methodist church, lots, Clyde.
Mrs. E. E. Keener to W. G. Bryant, et ux, 1 acre.

A. R. Nelson to J. I. Clark, et ux, 2 8-10 acres.
J. R. Morgan trustee to heirs of J. W. Morgan, 1 1/2 acres.
Cranberry
Clark L. Jones, et ux to Fannie Jones Hurkey, 10 1/2 acres.
Hugh Chambers, et ux to Jarvis Chambers, 10 acres.
Hugh Chambers et ux to F. G. Davis, 6 1-10 acres.
Fines Creek
J. R. Redmond to Dan Wright, et al, 29 acres.
Pigeon
R. L. Wells, et ux to T. J. Pies, et ux, lot.
B. W. Terrell et ux to L. W. Rogers, et ux, lots.
Waynesville
R. L. Cope, et ux to Clara Fisher Allen, lot.

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PURE CANE SUGAR
25 LBS. NET
Extra Fine Granulated
Savannah Sugar Refinery

Packed in serviceable cotton bags, purity and full weight guaranteed

"THE SWEETEST SUGAR EVER SOLD"

Quality Groceries
Economy Prices

Blue Plate Salad Dressing,	HALF PINTS	PINTS	QUARTS
	10c	15c	25c

Jar Caps 25c
Quart Jars 85c
Half Gallons \$1.15
Vinegar, bulk 29c

Welch Tomato Juice

PINT BOTTLE	15c	26 Oz. BOTTLE	23c
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Super Suds 8c
Palmolive Soap, 2 for 9c
Camay Soap, 3 for 19c

Honeymoon Grapefruit Juice
50 oz Size 33c

MARKET

Native Teabone Steak, per lb. . . 25c
Native Round Steak, per lb. . . . 20c
Ginger Ale, 3 for 25c
Picnic Hams, per lb. 14c
Pork Chops, per lb. 17c
Pork Brains, per lb. 12 1-2c
Veal Chops, per lb. 12 1-2c
Mixed Sausage, per lb. 9c
Boiled Ham, per lb. 39c

C. E. Ray's Sons