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ROCKFISH NEWS

By Mrs. A. A. McInnis.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert M. Ray announce the birth of a son, Gilbert McLeod, the second, Oct. 31st at Pittsman's hospital, Fayetteville.

Mrs. Duncan Ray, who was almost completely paralyzed about three weeks ago has recovered to the extent that she is able to speak again.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Wood spent the past week end visiting relatives in Asheboro, N. C.

The Rockfish Home Demonstration Club expect to have their Christmas party on December 8.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Brock and family attended a birthday dinner given for Mr. Brock's father, Mr. Colin Brock of St. Pauls, last Sunday.

The elder Mr. Brock is recuperating from gunshot wounds accidentally received while squirrel hunting near his home a few weeks ago.

Miss Lilly Wood accompanied her niece, Miss Betty Jean Wood, to Gastonia last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones spent the past week end in Sanford.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wood and Wilton Wood spent last Sunday in Greensboro.

R. B. Shockley went to Washington, D. C. last Friday to visit his brother, Hugh Shockley. He returned home Sunday.

Mrs. M. S. Bristow's mother, Mrs. G. W. Livingston of Lumber Bridge, fell last Saturday and was seriously hurt.

Mrs. F. P. Bethea and Mrs. Belle Whitted visited relatives in Charlotte over the past week end.

Little Joe Courson, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Andrews, was right sick the first of this week.

Miss Betty Jean Wood entered the orthopedic hospital at Gastonia last Thursday.

Some of the progressive citizens of this community met at Rockfish schoolhouse last Friday night to formulate plans for the industrial upbuilding of this place. It was agreed that any good business coming to Rockfish, from a washerette to a cotton or silk mill would be welcome, and a club was organized to look out for new business and to encourage the establishment here of any desirable enterprise.

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Beef Prices Still High Despite High Production

Despite the record production of beef this year, the prices of steaks and other cuts still remain high, and here are a few reasons for this, according to C. Brice Ratchford, in charge of Extension Farm Management at State College.

There are several reasons for this, Mr. Ratchford said, but the main one is the strong demand which stems from high income. Since incomes are also higher this year than ever before, there is a stronger demand for meat, and this, in turn, is helping keep prices high, he said.

Another reason, he declares, is the shorter than usual supply of pork, sheep and lambs.

Consumer studies by the Department of Agriculture indicate that meat purchases and consumption increase as family incomes increase. Generally, for each 1 per cent increase in disposable income, there is an increase of 7.10 per cent in retail value of meat consumed. The study further revealed that families with an income of \$1,000 to \$1,500 per year consumed 64 cents worth of meat per person per week. Families with incomes of \$3,000 to \$5,000 per year consumed 94 cents worth of meat per person per week. In 1942 only 19 per cent of the families had incomes of over \$3,000 per year, but in 1946, 43 per cent had incomes of over \$3,000, Mr. Ratchford said.

The tedious and tiring job of hand weeding tobacco plant bed will be eliminated on many Wake County farms next year because farmers are chemically treating their plant beds for weed control.

Cotton Farmers Urged To Check Planting Seed

Cotton farmers and ginners were urged today by Fred P. Johnson, Raleigh, Executive Secretary of the Carolinas' Ginners Association, to check on supplies of planting seed for the 1948 season, because "the unusual weather experienced this year indicates a possible critical situation ahead."

"Ordinarily, we can expect plentiful supplies of planting seed from such counties as Cleveland in North Carolina," Johnson said, "but this year has really been unusual and our old stand-by producing counties have been the victims of poor weather along with the other counties. Hot weather, coupled with continued dampness, has served to shorten 1947 production of planting seed."

Johnson, whose organization's members are ginners from North and South Carolina and Virginia, warned that if seeds are not on hand, those expecting to plant next season should obtain them immediately. If they already have sufficient supplies, he added, they should see that seeds are properly stored and checked for germination as early as possible, being careful to specify the year grown.

Johnson pointed out, "If this season's weather had not been hot and wet, there would be no danger or damage to germination, for no free fatty acids would have developed." Johnson said, "if the chemical analysis of seed sold for crushing were to be used as an index, germination on all seed would be far below normal."

After checking on supplies, Johnson said, a report should be made to J. A. Shanken, N. C. State College, County Agents, or Mr. Johnson, at the Carolinas Ginners Association office in Raleigh.

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Raeford Baptist Church
J. D. Whisnant, Pastor
9:45 A. M.—Sunday school.
6:00 P. M. Training Union
7:30 P. M. Wednesday Prayer Meeting.

Raeford Presbyterian Church
W. B. Heyward, Pastor
9:45 A. M.—Church School.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship
7:30 P. M. Evening worship.
7:00 P. M. Wednesday Prayer Service.

Parker Methodist Church
Rev. P. O. Lee, Minister
11:00 A. M.—Sunday school.
12:15 P. M.—Regular worship services each first and third Sundays.

Shiloh Presbyterian Church
10:00 A. M. Sunday school.
Tabernacle Baptist Church
E. B. Booker, Pastor,
10:00 A. M.—Sunday school,
11:00 A. M.—Morning worship,
1st and 3rd Sundays.

Pittman Grove Baptist Church
Rev. Taylor, Pastor.
10:00 A. M.—Sunday school,
11:00 A. M.—Worship service each 1st and 3rd Sunday.
7:00 P. M. Thursday—Prayer meeting.

Community Chapel Methodist Church
Rev. G. W. Crutchfield, Minister
Sunday School each Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, Mrs. H. W. Ellis, Superintendent.
Preaching services each second and fourth Sunday afternoons at 3:00 o'clock.

Antioch Presbyterian Church
J. W. Mann, Pastor.
10:00 A. M.—Sunday school.
11:00 A. M. Morning Worship

Spring Hill Baptist Church
J. D. Whisnant, Pastor
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.
11:00 A. M. Morning Worship
6:00 P. M. Training Union
7:30 P. M. Wednesday Prayer Meeting

Bethel Presbyterian Church
10:00 A. M.—Sunday school.
Ryan McBryde, Supt.

Dundarrach Presbyterian Church
Rev. J. W. Mann, Pastor
2:30 P. M.—Sunday school.
3:15 P. M.—Preaching every 2nd and 4th Sunday.

Lumber Bridge Presbyterian Church
10:00 A. M., Sunday School

Ashley Heights Baptist Church
Joseph F. Woodson, Pastor
10:00 A. M. Sunday School
11:00 A. M. Morning worship
6:00 P. M. Training Union
7:00 P. M. Evening worship.
7:30 P. M. Wednesday, Prayer Meeting.

Raeford Methodist Church
Rev. P. O. Lee, Minister
9:45 A. M.—Church school.
In the absence of the pastor there will be no worship services as usual.
6:00 P. M., Meeting of the MYF.
3:30 P. M. Monday, General Meeting of WSCS
7:30 P. M. Monday, Meeting of Omega Clegg Circle with Mrs. J. T. Jones

Philippi Presbyterian Church
3:00 P. M. Sunday School
3:45 P. M. Worship Service

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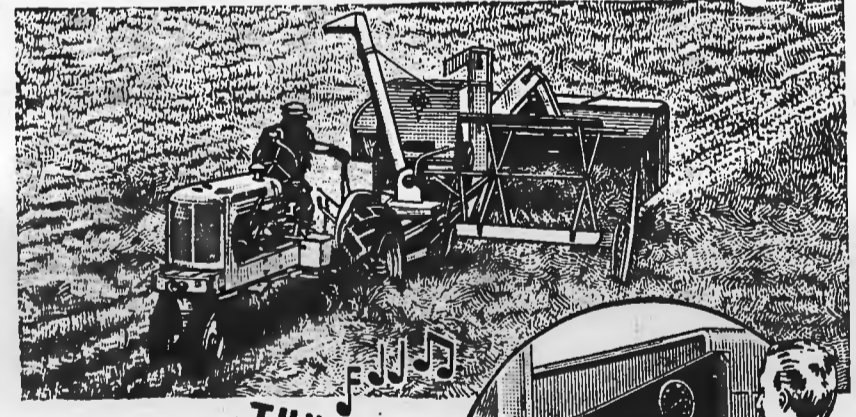
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