

News Events From Our Nearby Communities

News from the County Capital

Mrs. R. C. Lewellyn was hostess to her Contract Club at a dessert bridge Friday evening. Mrs. L. H. Koon captured high score prize, Mrs. J. W. Comer runner-up and Mrs. P. G. Bolick the deuce prize.

The "Workers Council" of the Baptist Sunday school met with Mrs. W. L. Reece Monday evening in a business meeting relating to Sunday school work.

Mrs. J. T. Threatte, Mrs. John Lewellyn and Miss Bertha Jewel Hemming went to Camp Lee, Va., Thursday to visit J. Lewellyn, who left Saturday for California, in the Army Service.

Mrs. Don Dickerson of Galax, Va., spent last week with Mrs. E. L. Hauser, who resides at the home of her father, W. S. Comer.

Mrs. W. E. Reid returned on Thursday from a few days' visit with friends in Ashe county.

Miss Mary Betty Norman of the Aberdeen school faculty, spent last week with the family of W. B. Norman. The Aberdeen school having closed because of scarcity of gas to run the school buses.

Misses Mary Catherine Treva- than and Margaret Sparger left Tuesday for Mars Hill to resume school work.

The Intermediate class of the Baptist Sunday school taught by Mrs. Emma Mock, met in regular sessions with Miss Vera Edmonds Tuesday evening. After the business meeting and during a social hour the hostess served refreshments.

Mrs. Wendell Stone entertained the Rummy Club Friday evening. Mrs. A. W. Huff won first prize and Mrs. F. P. Riggs runner-up. After the progressions, Mrs. Stone served her guests delicious refreshments. Next meeting will be with Mrs. R. B. Blackwelder.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Moore have returned from Richmond, Va., where they visited Mrs. Woodrow Moore, whose husband is in the Army Service.

Mrs. Helen Jones of Mt. Airy,

Pleasant Ridge

Mrs. Ivan Byers of Wake Forest, arrived here Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Bauguess, and other relatives.

Pvt. and Mrs. Orville Norman of Camp Gordon, Ga., are spending a few days the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Norman.

Mrs. Bryce Reavis and little son, Sammy, of Harmony, were the guests a few days last week of her sister, Mrs. B. W. Carter, here.

Mrs. Roy Baker and children of Thomasville, spent last week here visiting her mother, Mrs. Tyra Felts.

Pfc. and Mrs. Parks Groce of Battle Creek, Michigan, are expected to arrive this week for a visit with relatives here and in Jonesville.

Mrs. Richard Thompson of Norfolk, Va., arrived here Monday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Dalia Thompson.

Home Demonstration Club Meets

The Home Demonstration Club met at the school house last Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock for the January meeting. In the absence of the president, Mrs. M. Z. White presided over the business session.

The club leader, Mrs. Annie H. Greene, gave a very interesting talk on "It's Time For Team-work."

The men were invited to the meeting to hear the Wilkes county farm agent give a most interesting talk on "Farm Management. Both talks, by Mrs. Greene and Mr. Snipes, were very much enjoyed by all who attended.

After the business session the club served delicious cookies and coffee.

spent the week-end with Mrs. Ambrose Woodruff.

Bausie Marion spent Saturday in Raleigh on business pertaining to the Welfare office.

Mrs. A. D. Folger spent the week-end with the Reece family and left this morning for Charlotte to assume duties as Field Representative Officer of Price Administration.

Mrs. Kermit Lawrence and son are residing in the Reid apartments, while Mr. Lawrence is away in service of his country.

Crutchfield

Rev. J. L. Powers of Elkin, filled his regular appointment at Mount Herman Baptist church Saturday night and Sunday. On account of bad weather, not many attended these services.

Mr. Edgar Barker spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Mittle Stanley, and family, in Jonesville.

Miss Bert Anthony, of Midway, spent the week-end with Miss Kathleen Hardy.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Anderson and family, of near Asheboro, were recent visitors of the latter's mother, Mrs. Bettie Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eubanks of Winston-Salem, were recent visitors of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Phillips.

Jack Chaney, A. Chaney, Jr., and Arlis White, will leave this week for army duty.

Benham

Due to the snow no Sunday school was held Sunday. Next Saturday and Sunday is our regular preaching time. Everybody is invited to attend.

Pvt. Posie Ross, of Camp Adair Oregon, has been spending a few days with his father, Mr. C. A. Ross; also Mr. James Ross and family. He will leave for camp next Tuesday.

Mr. Dale Walters of the U. S. Army, left last week to report to a camp in California, after spending a few days' furlough with relatives and friends here.

We have on the sick list this week Mrs. G. W. Curry, Mr. C. A. Ross and Misses Ailene and Nellie Gray Smith.

Friends of Mrs. Charlie Boyd will be glad to know that she is able to be out again.

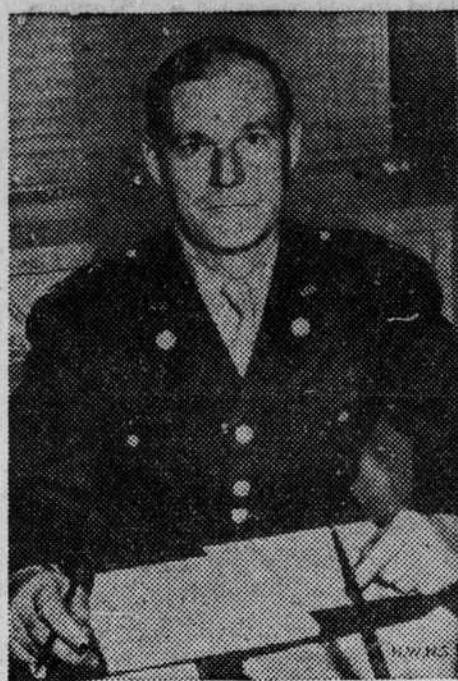
Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Darnell and family were the Sunday guests of their daughter, Mrs. Marvin Lewis, and Mr. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Burcham have been spending a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Arel Smith, and Mr. Smith.

Several people gathered at the home of Mr. C. A. Ross, honoring his son, Posie, who was spending a few days' home from the U. S. Army. Everyone reported a nice time.

BACK THE ATTACK — WITH WAR BONDS!

Railroad Boss



Maj. Gen. Charles P. Gross, who was placed in charge of operating the nation's railroads as chief of the army's transportation system. The army seized the lines when a strike of railroad workers seemed imminent.

Ronda

Pvt. J. C. Drum of Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., arrived here Tuesday of last week to spend about a week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Drum, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Lee Wood and daughters, Helen and Doris Lee of High Point were also guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Drum over the week-end.

Mrs. Dewey York who recently underwent an operation in Davis hospital, in Statesville, is reported to be getting along very well. Her many friends are wishing for her a speedy recovery.

This section of North Carolina was a beautiful sight to behold Sunday morning as it was wrapped in about five inches of snow. Some of the snow melted Sunday and Monday afternoons, but there's lots of it here yet and the weather looks as if we may have more snow soon.

Bessie's Chapel

Rev. R. J. Pardue will fill his appointment at Bessie's Chapel Baptist church Sunday morning and again Sunday night at the usual hours. Everyone has a cordial invitation to attend.

Miss Jessie Pardue from Roaring River, spent the last week-end the guest of Miss Viola Wall.

Pfc. Ray C. Wall from Fort Benning, returned to camp last Tuesday after spending a 10-day furlough with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Holder and children spent last Saturday in High Point the guests of Mrs. Holder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton White.

Mr. Steve Dobbins from Draughn's Business College at Winston-Salem visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Dobbins and family over the week-end.

Mr. T. A. Stanley of this section has returned home from the hospital and is improving very nicely.

Bethel

We regret to note the illness of Luther Gilley, who is a patient at the Hugh Chatham Memorial hospital, and wish for him a speedy recovery.

There are several in this community suffering from the attack of severe colds and "flu".

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Caudle of this place have been advised by their son, Pfc. Warren Caudle, of his safe arrival at New Guinea. Pfc. Caudle is the husband of the former, Miss Louise Morrison of this place.

The farmers say this five or six inch snow, which fell last Saturday night, will be beneficial to the small grain crops, as well as adding moisture to the soil, and feeding low streams.

Kenneth Stroud Is Feted At Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stroud entertained at their home of the Bethel community, last Saturday evening to honor their son, Kenneth Stroud, on his eighteenth birthday anniversary.

Both living room and dining room were beautifully decorated. The host and hostess were assisted by Mrs. Seaman Dobbins and Mrs. Wayne Stroud in directing the games and contests, the winners being, Misses Kathlene Gilliam, Leo Gilley, Patsy Stroud and Anna Morrison.

A huge three tiered birthday cake bearing the significant number of candles, which served as a center decoration of the handsomely appointed dining room table, was sliced and served with other refreshments to about forty guests.

The honoree was presented many useful gifts.

REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR!

Mulberry

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mounce and children and Mr. and Mrs. Gaither Wall and daughter, Hazel, spent last Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Preston Mounce and family at Friendship.

Miss Ruth Southard is spending a few days at Union Cross with her brother and family.

Henry Wall left Monday of last

week for Roxboro, where he has accepted a position.

Several in our community are sick with colds and flu, but so far no one has been seriously ill.

LEGUMES

Contrary to popular belief, there is practically no difference in the ultimate value of a legume crop whether it be turned under green or after it is dead, report State College specialists.

Buggaboo

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Brown and daughter, Shirley, of Hayes, were the guests of Mrs. Brown's mother, Mrs. Lillie Bradley.

Due to the heavy snow fall Saturday night, there was no church or Sunday school Sunday.

Tyre Tharpe has been in the Wilkes hospital for several weeks. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Lovely New Arrivals

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New Spring Dresses

Lovely new spring dresses you can wear now and all spring long. Beautiful new styles and colors in our gay new selection. Be first to see them.

\$4.95 to \$14.95

New Spring SUITS

You'll dream of spring when you see these beautiful new spring suits. Sure you can wear them now as well as in the spring. Select yours today.

\$19.95 TO \$29.50

SPRING COATS

Colorful, beautifully tailored spring coats in smart new styles to thrill you. Choice of fabrics, too. Come see them right away.

\$24.50 TO \$29.50

SPRING MILLINERY

You'll adore the gay new millinery just here in spring styles and colors. Fetching new styles to make you prettier.

\$1.98 AND \$2.98

New COTTON FROCKS

In Spring Styles

Smart cotton frocks in gay colors and in smart styles for spring — Wide assortment.

\$4.98
and
\$5.95

NEW SWEATERS

New spring sweaters in choice of colors and styles, just unpacked. Slipover and coat styles.

\$3.98 AND \$5.95

NEW SPRING SKIRTS

You'll want to select your spring skirts right now from our lovely assortment of spring styles. Choice of colors and patterns.

\$2.98 TO \$5.95

New Shipment Children's SPRING DRESSES

Gay new spring dresses for children in many attractive styles for the youngsters. Just unpacked! See them.

\$1.49 to \$2.98

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<p>WINDOW SHADES</p> <p>With Rollers</p> <p>39¢-59¢</p>	<p>WEEK-END BAGS</p> <p>\$1.20</p>	<p>HEAVY OUTING</p> <p>Dark Stripes and Plaids. Yard—</p> <p>19¢</p>

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