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If you order your garden seeds now you will avoid the rush.

The jaywalker may soon become as rare as the plesiosaurus.

A little henna now and then is relished by the wisest women.

Another good thing about radio concerts is the lack of encores.

Day by day, in every way, our pile is getting smaller and smaller.

One thing prettier than a ton of coal in the basement is two tons.

A pessimist is a man who lives with someone who sings before breakfast.

Germany, it is reported, faces ruin. It ought to be used to it by this time.

In southern Europe high treason seems to consist in being on the losing side.

Knowledge is an accumulation of facts; wisdom an accumulation of sore spots.

If we got everything we wanted there wouldn't be room to put it anywhere.

Some persons seem to think that what has happened to the ruble and the mark was an accident.

Inland fishing won't be a very thrilling sport until Burbank manages to cross the bass and the chigger.

An efficiency expert is a man who can condemn leaders without making it sound a little expensive.

"Steel railroad cars have a longer life than wooden ones." And so have the passengers who ride in them.

Most of the mortgages on homes are given by people who wonder what they are going to do to kill time this evening.

Thoughtless people leave matches where their children can get them, but otherwise would never set the world on fire.

Statistics for 1910 and 1923 show an increase of a million in the number of mules, exclusive of articulate types.

Those who condemn the modern tendency in women's styles do not include the manufacturers of freakie cream.

Germany's circulation of 1,000,000,000,000,000 marks makes even some of the astronomers' distances sound reasonable.

But if the island of Cagat becomes a retreat for writers and artists, will the League of Nations be able to keep the peace there?

Five hundred people have been killed by automobiles in Chicago and environs this year, and none in porch swing accidents.

A writer prints some very suave words on "Being Obedient," which one can be to a good certainty in paying his income tax.

Those Moscow communists who believe Germany is ripe for sovietism are destined to find they have tried to pick a lemon.

A medical sharp says happiness depends on the activity of the thyroid gland. The activity of the sweat glands helps some.

Automobiles are a great blessing. They enable folk on holidays to get lots of outdoor air, thoroughly mixed with gasoline fumes.

In the good old days God's pants were cut down to make pants for Willie instead of being cut down to make knickerbockers for himself.

The Persian earthquake created less of a sensation in the United States than the news that the prince of Wales does not play poker.

In praising a man they say "He is one of our oldest and most highly respected citizens." In praising a woman they leave out part of it.

One wonders at times whether the sacred bull of Egypt was a real animal or propaganda designed to make folks patriotic in time of war.

A shoe dealer has been divorced by his wife because he lost the day's receipts gambling. Gambling and domestic happiness aren't mates.

Science has learned that fish supply the world with oil, and before long it may be able to give us the mileage that can be got from a two-pound bass.

Circumstances have proved too strong for the old-fashioned man who hoped to make himself look distinguished by wearing black-rimmed glasses.

The KITCHEN CABINET logo with a picture of a kitchen cabinet.

It is the little rift within the lute that by and by will make the music mute. And ever widening, slowly silence all. -Tennyson.

SOME GOOD DESSERTS

A good pie is always a welcome dessert and if one observes the kind of pie usually in demand at most eating places the apple pie takes the lead. A good pie must have a crust rich enough to be tender and flaky and baked long enough to be thoroughly cooked.

Pineapple Jelly.—Pour two cupsful of boiling water over one-half cupful of sugar and add two tablespoonfuls of gelatin soaked in two tablespoonfuls of cold water for five minutes; then add one cupful of pineapple juice drained from canned pineapple, and three tablespoonfuls of lemon juice. Strain. When the mixture begins to thicken, add one and one-third cupsful of pineapple cubes. Turn into a mold, first dipped into cold water and chill thoroughly.

Newport Pudding.—Boil one cupful of sugar with one cupful of water for three minutes. Add one tablespoonful of gelatin soaked in one-fourth of a cupful of cold water. Beat the mixture as it begins to thicken, then add the whites of three eggs beaten stiff and continue beating twenty minutes. Divide the mixture into thirds, flavor and color to suit the taste. Arrange in layers in a mold.

Miss Charolette Yale was a visitor in Asheville last Friday.

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If happiness has not her seat And center in the breast, We may be wise, or rich or great, But never can be blest. -Burns.

GOOD THINGS FOR OCCASIONS

An appetizing sandwich which is not common may be prepared as follows:

Remove the crusts from bread and spread with horseradish butter. To make this, cream six tablespoonfuls of butter and add, gradually, four tablespoonfuls of grated horseradish root, one teaspoonful of lemon juice, and salt and a dash of cayenne.

Raisin Fritters.—Scald two cupfuls of milk with one-inch stick of cinnamon. Mix one-half cupful of sugar, one-quarter cupful of cornstarch, three tablespoonfuls of flour, one-half teaspoonful of salt and one-quarter cupful of cold milk. Add the scalded milk and cook ten minutes, then add the yolks of three eggs and one-third of a cupful of raisins cooked until plump in a little fruit juice, then cut into small pieces. Turn into a pan, spread evenly and cool. Remove from the pan, cut into squares or diamond shapes, dip into crumbs and egg and crumbs and fry in deep fat. Serve hot with a fruit sauce.

Egg Ramekins.—Half-fill buttered ramekins with hot-boiled rice, drop an uncooked egg in each, sprinkle with salt, paprika and grated cheese or chopped boiled ham. Set in a pan containing boiling water, cover and bake in a moderate oven until the eggs are set.

Washington Pie.—Bake two layers of layer cake; put together with sweetened and flavored whipped cream. Serve cut in pie-shaped pieces.

Corn, Southern Style.—To one can of chopped corn add two eggs, slightly beaten, one teaspoonful of salt, a dash of cayenne pepper, two tablespoonfuls of melted butter, one pint of scalded milk. Turn into a buttered baking dish and bake in a slow oven until firm.

Baked Potatoes.—Choose even-sized potatoes, scrub well and bake until soft. Slash in two-inch gashes at right angles on the flat side of each potato. Press to force the potato through the opening; drop a half tablespoonful of butter into each and sprinkle with paprika.

Miss Addie, Allie and Alice Kimbrell spent Saturday and Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Ransoms Grissel.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Kimbrell and son visited their daughter, Mrs. Hattie Grissel Sunday.

Rev. R. N. Hunter preached a very interesting sermon at Hill Crest Sunday night.

Locals

Mrs. Charles Davenport of Columbus visited Tryon on Saturday.

Mrs. Ross and son Claude were Spartanburg visitors Wednesday.

Harold Alley and Ralph Jentry of Spartanburg were in Tryon last Sunday.

Misses Sara Lipscomb and Lena Johnston are guests of Mrs. Kennedy this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Waters and family were guests of Mrs. W. C. Ward Sunday.

Fred W. Blanton, of Columbus was in Tryon a short time Tuesday on his way to Asheville.

Mrs. W. Y. Wilkins and son, Billy, and Miss Eva Thorn, were Spartanburg visitors Saturday.

D. W. Galloway, of Spartanburg, was a guest of his sister, Mrs. R. M. McCown Friday and Saturday.

Messrs P. H. Bailey, Claude Ward and Jethro Garren, of Saluda, were in Tryon for a short time Monday.

Miss Austin Wilcox, of Asheville visited her cousin, Miss Elizabeth Grady for a few days this week.

Miss Ada Waters of Spartanburg S. C. spent several days with her cousin, Miss Clyde Metcalf last week.

Mr. M. R. McCown of Clemson spent several days last week in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McCown.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Fowler and family of Forest City N. C. were guests of Mrs. W. C. Ward during the past week.

Misses Minerva and Eva Avant returned to Tryon last week after an extended visit with relatives in Charlotte and Laurinburg.

Mrs. Frank Cain has as her guests this week her mother, Mrs. M. E. Murphy and brother, Mr. E. R. Murphy of St. Matthew, S. C.

Miss Charolette Yale was a visitor in Asheville last Friday. Keith Grady spent Sunday in Tryon with his parents Dr. and Mrs. Earle Grady.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Bacon and Mr. and Mrs. J. Foster Searles left Sunday for New York and will sail June 5th for Europe where they expect to spend the next two months.

TRYON GIRL WON HONORS

Miss Clyde Metcalf who graduates from Tryon High School this year, was awarded a full scholarship in the Carolina Commercial College of Spartanburg in their annual essay contest open to high schools seniors of the Carolinas. The competition was keen and Miss Metcalf's well written article on business education was selected from hundreds submitted by high school students all over the two states.

Miss Metcalf is to be congratulated on her splendid essay.

Too many neighbors think thrift consists in coming over to borrow a cup of sugar.

A highbrow evening is one spent in exhibiting your little store of useless information.

It is easy to love the fellow worker who is always cheerful, unless he whistles to prove it.

The best that can be said for built-in conveniences is that the neighbors can't borrow them.

A benedict never realizes how complete is his fall until he is sent to match a piece of silk.

LANDRUM R 4

We are still having some cool weather in our section yet. Miss Addie, Allie and Alice Kimbrell took a walk up to Mr. Ransoms Grissel's Saturday afternoon.

The farmers of this section are about through planting. Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Kimbrell and son visited their daughter, Mrs. Hattie Grissel Sunday.

Rev. R. N. Hunter preached a very interesting sermon at Hill Crest Sunday night. Miss Addie, Allie and Alice Kimbrell spent Saturday and Sunday with their sister, Mrs.

Mrs. Hattie Grissel, they had a very nice time.

There will be services at Sandy Plains Church May 30, and 31. at 8 o'clock and in the cordially invited to attend these services.

Mr. Tessler Cole was with Miss Eva Turner at Hillcrest Sunday night.

There was a few from Sandy Plain attended services in Rutherford County Sunday.

Miss Esther Rodgers led the Y. P. C. U. Sunday night.

The funeral service were held last Friday morning from the residence of Mr. Jim Green age 86 years old his body was laid to rest in Pinile Cemetery.

There was a few boys from Walker School house attended services at Hillcrest Sunday night.

Mr. Robert Morris is going to stay at Hillcrest this summer. Miss Brammer Jones was with Miss Lottie Beary Turner at Hillcrest Sunday night.

Mr. Washington Denton and Mr. Ralph Williams were callers at Mr. E. K. Kimbrell Sunday night.

Mr. Grady Walker and Miss Margie Shehan attended service s at Hillcrest Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Hunter will leave in June to go to Bible School for a short while.

Mr. John Greenway from Rutherfordton spent Sunday with his father, Billie Greenway near Hillcrest.

MILL SPRING R 1

Everyone glad to see Mrs. W. E. Elliott with her little baby at Sunday School last Sunday. The little child has been very sick for the past four months.

Mrs. Henry Lynch and family of near Rutherfordton spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. J. Burnett spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. Sellers Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Edwards spent Saturday in Rutherfordton.

Miss Ellen Edwards spent Sunday with Miss June Voorhies.

Mrs. D. W. Odell and Miss Vestie Odell spent Thursday afternoon at the home of A. A. Edwards.

Mr. J. T. Edwards and daughter, Miss Bertha Edwards went to Rutherfordton Saturday.

Miss Maggie Sue Edwards has returned home after a weeks visit with friends at Forest City. She had the pleasure of attending Redpath Chautauqua while there the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thompson and little daughters spent Sunday her

Roscoe Whiteside made a business trip to Rutherfordton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Whiteside spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. D. J. Burnett.

A large crowd attended prayer service at the home of J. C. Griffin Sunday afternoon. Rev. Womack conducted this service.

FISHTOP

A heavy rain Wednesday topped the plowing. E. C. Harris of Union Mills, Rutherford County (A surveyor) visited E. J. Bradley Tuesday.

H. H. Mull while surveying Thursday and climbing up among the rock placed his hand on a rock within two inches of a rattlers head, and never got bitten. His crew also killed a copper head the same day.

Atlas Bishop is working with the same mill crew.

With an abundance of fruit coming in soon peas, beans, cabbage, lettuce, potatoes and other vegetables we are having a lively time.

J. R. Sams our demonstration agent ought to visit this section and note the difference now and a few years back in the improvemnets made.

We all ought to be proud of our demonstrator (said to be the best in the state) and justify so.

Newton Case lost a fine hog a few days back, and has another one down.

Farmers and Cooperation.

The lettuce crop is just now coming to maturity in Polk County. What will be the out come this year? No one can tell just now. All will depend on how the crop is put on the market. If each individual small grower undertakes to dribble it on the local markets these markets will be

choked at once and ruinous prices will be the result. It matters not how small the individual crop may be; it should be prepared and marketed through Mr. P. C. Spuires, who knows how and has charge of this part of the lettuce business. This and the Irish potato and corn for roasting ears were undertaken to develop cooperative marketing in Polk County. These crops can all be grown and marketed successfully in Polk County if all will work together. We must learn to grow these and other crops cooperatively and to sell them the same way. We now have the services of a man who knows how. Will we follow his lead and learn how; or will

past reap failure? Respectfully, J. R. Sams County Agent.

Application for pardon of Steve F. Greenway

Application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina for the pardon of Steve F. Greeway who was convicted at the September term, 1923, of the Superior Court of Polk County for the crime of violating the prohibition laws for a term of two years.

All persons who oppose the granting of said pardon are invited to forward their protests to the Governor without delay. This the 22 day of May, 1924. Mrs. Steve F. Greenway.

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