

### DOWN MAIN STREET

#### CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

**Thursday, January 30th**  
The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church will give a silver tea at the home of Mrs. D. R. Fouts. Proceeds will be added to the funds raised in the county for the Infantile Paralysis Foundation Fund.

**Friday, January 31st**  
The President's Birthday Ball will be held in the high school auditorium from 9 till 12.

**Monday, February 3rd**  
The Little Theatre Players will meet with Miss Hannah Martin and Grace Hubbard.

**Wednesday, February 5th**  
The Circles of the Baptist Missionary Society will meet.

**Thursday, February 6th**  
The Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. W. Hennessee.

J. R. Burton has left for Detroit, Mich. where he will make his home.

J. G. Ellis who is now employed as sanitarian with the district health department has moved his family to Burnsville and they are now occupying the Duncan apartments on Summitt street.

Mrs. W. C. Ramsey and Mrs. Ransom Higgins left Tuesday for Alexandria, Va. where they will spend

Clyde Whittington, Sr. has returned from the hospital following a tonsilectomy, and is improving at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Robertson.

Roscoe Banks is out again after being confined to the hospital and to his home for the past three weeks.

Miss Lucille Banks has been ill of flu for the past few days.

Arney Fox has been ill of flu for the past week.

Troy McIntosh is confined to his home because of an attack of flu.

Mrs. Sol Harris is ill of flu at her home on the Bolens Creek Road.

Betty Wray and George Leslie Hensley are recuperating from an attack of the flu.

D. R. Fouts who is attending Wake Forest College spent the week end at home. Clark Fountain of Camden, N. J. and Wake Forest was his guest.

Mr. and Mrs. John Han-num of Ramseytown were taken to Appalachian Hospital, Johnson City last week suffering from flu and complications.

Mrs. E. C. McIntosh has been ill of flu for the past week.

Mrs. Clarence Belgarde is still confined to a Bristol hospital because of an attack of mastoiditis.

Miss Evelyn Hunter has accepted a position with Matthews Motor Sales of Asheville.

#### WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING

The Burnsville Woman's Club met Thursday afternoon, January 23 at the home of Mrs. Rudolph Glatly. Mrs. Carroll Rogers was associate hostess.

Mrs. G. L. Hensley was program leader and presented Supt. James Hutchins who spoke on Indian Folk Lore. Miss Grace Hubbard sang a group of Indian songs. She was accompanied by Rush Wray at the piano.

The business session was held following the program. The president, Mrs. Hubert Justice, presided. The treasurer made a report and the chairman of the welfare committee, Mrs. Hobart Ray, gave a report. The club voted to pay \$50.00 on the club house.

An invitation was read, asking all club members to attend the silver tea which the members of the Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church are giving Thursday afternoon.

#### JANUARY BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Howell of Newdale a son, Jan. 6.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hall of Green Mtn. a son, Jan. 10.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Berlin Jones of Windom a daughter, Jan. 11.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Ogle of Vixen a son, Jan. 13.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCourry of Burnsville a daughter, Jan. 14.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Grover Westall of Prices Creek a son, Jan. 14.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buchanan of Mica-ville a daughter, Jan. 18.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Freeman, Burnsville Rt. 1, a daughter, Jan. 21st.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Byrd of Day Book a son, January 22.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Edwards of Bak-ers Creek a daughter, Jan. 23rd.

#### HOSPITAL SAVINGS

Chapel Hill, Jan. 25th.—One member of Hospital Savings Association of North Carolina, Inc., was admitted to one of North Carolina's general hospitals approximately every 30 minutes during last year.

Executive Director E. B. Crawford of Hospital Saving Association, which has its home office here, pointed out the frequency of Hospital Saving membership admissions today in releasing the annual year-end report of the Association's activities.

Of Hospital Saving's 137,761 members in the state, last year 11,263 were admitted to hospitals a total of 16,127 times. Figuring 366 days for the Leap Year, and 8,784 hours, admissions reached the figure of approximately two per hour, or one every half-hour for the full twelve months.

For the full period of operation of the Association 30,957 members have been hospitalized, admissions numbering 40,823 and total days' stay reaching 320,404.

Attend the President's Ball Friday night—Burnsville school auditorium.

**LOST:** A small white beagle dog with light reddish markings, called Tenor. Write Box 217, Burnsville, N. C.

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#### THE CAROLINA JUNCO

"Snowbird" is the common local name applied to this bird, a variety surely recognized by everybody in the Appalachian Mountain region. There are, however, two varieties of Junco found in Eastern America. The other variety is the Slate-colored Junco. The one common in Western North Carolina is the Carolina.

The Carolina is slightly larger than the Slate-colored, and is of a purer gray color. The Slate-colored is slaty-gray with a brownish wash.

The Carolina spends the summers in the region of the balsams and the upper reaches of the hardwoods, remaining there till cold weather comes in the late fall. It is not much in evidence until the snow blankets the earth; the greatest numbers are seen when there is a cold snow flurry, at which time a person may see hundreds during the day.

The nest is built on the ground where there is a blanket of moss, and it is well concealed. I have found two, or three, of their nests. Walking nonchalantly along, I came near stepping on the nest, when the mother bird fluttered away, revealing four eggs, whitish peppered with reddish spots.

The diet of the Carolina is composed of insects, harmful to forests and crops, and weed seed. When there is snow on the ground, hundreds of these birds cling to weeds, devouring the seed, are a frequent sight. It is altogether a beneficial variety.

The song of the Carolina, heard during the summer, is not pretentious; yet it is pleasing.—(James Hutchins).

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**NOTICE**  
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NORTH CAROLINA  
YANCEY COUNTY  
Burnie Franklin Higgins

vs.  
Annie Williams Higgins  
The defendant, Annie Williams Higgins, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Yancey County, North Carolina for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce; and the said Annie Williams Higgins will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Yancey County in the court-house in Burnsville, N. C. on the 20th day of March, 1941, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint. This January 28, 1941.  
FRED PROFFITT, Clerk Superior Court.  
Jan. 30, Feb. 6, 13, 20, 1941

Burnsville, N. C.—The American Guernsey Cattle Club, Peterborough, N. H. reports the sale of a registered Guernsey bull by E. J. Harbison to Frank Goforth of Marion, N. C. This animal is Eminence of Beech Park 2 9426.

American Guernsey Cattle Club, Peterborough, N. H. reports the sale of a registered Guernsey bull by Lucius B. Compton to E. J. Harbison of Biltmore, N. C. This animal is Wizard's Ferdinand of Eliada 284901.

#### REVISED LITTLE THEATRE PROGRAM 1940-41

February 3—Hostesses, Misses Hannah Martin, Grace Hubbard. Leader, Miss Lucille Erwin. Subject: Ruth Chatterton. ("West of Broadway").

February 17—Hostess, Miss Willie Molt Hensley. Leader, Bruce Higgins. Subject: Sir Cedric Hardwicke ("Shadow and Substance").

March 3—Hosts, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Swann. Leader, Arney Fox. Subject: Raymond Massey ("Abe Lincoln In Illinois").

March 17—Hosts, Bruce Higgins and Mrs. Troy Ray. Leader, Miss Willie Molt Hensley. Subject, Jane Cowl ("Merchant of Yonkers").

April 7—Hostesses Misses Daphne Butner and Ella Horton. Leader, Miss Beth Honeycutt. Subject: Paul Greene ("House of Connally").

April 21—Hostess, Mrs. C. R. Hamrick. Leader, Miss Daphne Butner. Subject: The Lunts ("Idiot's Delight", "There Shall Be No Night").

May 5—Hostess, Mrs. Carroll Rogers. Leader, Miss Hope Buck. Subject: Helen Hayes ("Victoria Regina", "Ladies and Gentlemen").

May 19—Hosts, Miss Margie Proffitt, and Joe Goodin. Leader, Mrs. T. M. Swann. Subject: Paul Muni ("Key Largo").

June 2—Hosts, to be announced. Election of officers. (COMMITTEE).

## Know Your Man

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