

Down Main Street

Miss Edaline Johnson who is employed in Newport News was home for the week end. Her brother, Jack Johnson of the U. S. Marine Corps was also here for a short leave, and Miss Maxine Champion of Asheville was their house guest for the week end.

Major and Mrs. D. A. Powell were guests of friends in Burnsville during the week end.

Bill Huskins is taking training at the Asheville N. Y. A. War Production Center.

Mrs. C. M. Cheadle sustained a broken leg when she fell at her home last Thursday and she is now in the Norburn hospital, Asheville.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Young have an apartment in the home of Mrs. Julia McIntosh on Summit St. Mr. Young is station agent here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hubbard spent the week end in Burnsville with friends.

Mrs. Lorene Byrd is spending a few days in Gaffney, S. C.

Misses Jeanette Edwards and Velma Brown were visiting in Johnson City, Tenn. over the week end.

Mrs. Joe Banner and Mrs. Horace Riddle were called to Georgia on account of the death of their cousin and nephew, Billie Biggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Woodard L. Biggs who was accidentally shot while Rabbit hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Glenn have moved to the house recently occupied by the Fletcher family.

RECENT ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Melchor, of Columbus, O., announce the arrival of a 73-4 lb. son, Kenneth Ludwig, at the University Hospital, January 6, 1943. Mrs. Melchor is the former Miss Kate Huskins.

PARTY HONORS MISS PROFFITT

A party was given at the club house on Monday evening, sponsored by the Freshman class of Burnsville high school and honoring Miss Mary Glenn Proffitt who has been Home Economics teacher at Burnsville school.

Members of the other classes were invited and approximately 40 attended the enjoyable affair.

Miss Proffitt and Mr. Sams of the high school faculty chaperoned the group.

MRS. ROGERS IS CHAIRMAN OF DRIVE

Mrs. C. P. Rogers, Jr. is chairman for Yancey county of the "Fight Infantile" Paralysis drive.

Much stress will be placed this year in contribution to the fund through the schools and civic groups.

REGISTRAR

Mrs. Shelby Hall of Micaville has been appointed local registrar of Vital Statistics for Crabtree Township.

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BURNSVILLE P. T. A. HAS MEETING

The Burnsville Parent-Teacher Association held the January meeting at the school building on Tuesday evening with Mrs. H. G. Bailey presiding.

Dover R. Fouts read the proposed Legislative program as agreed to by educational groups in the state, and the association voted to endorse it.

A nominating committee, Mrs. Fouts, Mr. Tomberlin and Mrs. Allison, was named to report at the next meeting at which time new officers will be elected. An announcement of the 1943 radio program was made. This program will begin on Saturday, Jan. 16 over the N B C network and continue for 13 weeks. The title is "On the Home Front," and the time is 2:45 to 3:00 P. M.

The group was urged to contribute books during the Victory Book Drive. The attendance banner was awarded to Mr. Peterson's 7th grade.

Miss Mary Glenn Proffitt was in charge of the program and presented members of her home economics classes in a style revue. The following girls modeled dresses, Mona Lee Griffith, Mary Woody, Sally Evans, Lena Hensley, Jerline Hughes, Louise Atkins, Peggy Johnson, Ruby Black, Louise Blaylock, Eloise Pate, Virginia Marie and Magnolia Riddle, Jean Sholes and Marie Autrey and Katherine Pipes was announcer.

Following the program the members were invited to the home economics room and refreshments were served from a beautifully appointed table, carrying out the Patriotic motif.

DRAMATIC CLUB MEETS

The Pensacola Dramatic Club met January 18 at the home of Mrs. W. H. Hensley.

The following new officers were elected; Louise Wilson, President; Kathleen Hensley, Vice President; Ruby Wilson, Secretary; Albert Jamerson Treasurer; Ted Wilson Stage manager and Vaughtie Blankenship, sponsor and director.

During the social hour games were played and the prize winners were Albert Jamerson, Ted Wilson, Kathleen Hensley, Louise Wilson and Ruby Wilson. Prizes and refreshments were furnished by the sponsor. A beautiful birthday cake was presented Kathleen Hensley who had a birthday January 4.

PENSACOLA NOTES

Burns McMahan and Oscar Hensley left last week for Camp.

Mrs. Clarence Beatty of Dillwyn, Va. and Mrs. N. F. Randsell and little daughter Sylvia of Varina are visiting relatives here.

Will Parker has been on the sick list the past few weeks.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Calloway on the 12th a son. The infant died a short time after birth.

Lee Rathburn and Arthur Hutchins are in from Camp to visit home folks.

Miss Zilla Hensley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hensley, is in from New York to visit home folks.

WOMANS CLUB

The Burnsville Woman's Club met on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. J. A. Goodin with Mrs. Troy Ray and Mrs. Rudolph Glatly as associate hostesses. Mrs. John Robinson, the president, was in the chair.

During the business session it was announced that the club had purchased a war bond, and had also offered war stamps to the school winning a contest in collecting salvage for the war effort.

Mrs. Dover Fouts was in charge of the program and presented B. M. Tomberlin as guest speaker. His subject was "The Preservation of the American Way of Life."

HOME AGENTS NOTES

The 4-H County Council met at the Agent's office Saturday morning, January 16, at 10:00 a. m., and the following officers were elected: President, Junior Howell, Green Mountain; Vice President, Barbara Higgins, Burnsville; Secretary, Gene Shoales, Bolens Creek; Treasurer, Violet Young, Burnsville and Pep Leader, Gaynell Young, Burnsville.

The purpose of this council meeting was to make plans for the year, and the following subjects were discussed: National Mobilization Week, (February 7 to 14); Achievement Day; the importance of keeping good records; and the possibility of a 4-H Camp. It was decided that the council would meet again on March 17, which is the last Saturday of the month.

NUTRITION CLASS

The Nutrition Class meets every Monday at 2:00 p. m., in Mr. Dover Fouts' library. Everyone is invited to come, whether or not they can attend all the classes. Perhaps they will be benefited by the classes they can attend. So far, we have discussed the following subjects: Are Americans well fed, the factors that influence our diet, what is an adequate diet, the characteristics of good nutrition and faulty nutrition, what foods give us energy, what are enriched breads and flours, and why the body can be called a human machine.

RIVERSIDE NEWS

Hubert Riddle came over from Asheville and spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Riddle. He left Tuesday for camp.

Burt Gonce has gone to Wilmington to work.

Rev. Roy Riddle will preach at Riverside the fifth Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

There will be a special prayer meeting at Riverside church, Saturday night, Jan. 30. Everyone is invited to attend and help pray for our men that are in service. If you can't attend please pray wherever you are.

Macon Blankenship has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Plato Blankenship.

T. P. Ray who, has been very sick, is improving.

Mr. Willie McIntosh is still on the sick list.

Will Evans and family were visiting relatives Sunday.

THE TREE SPARROW

The Tree Sparrow, which resembles the Chipping Sparrow and is frequently called winter Chip Bird, is misnamed, for it is rarely seen in a tree and rarely builds its nest in a tree, preferring to build, as a rule, on the ground or in shrubbery.

It is a rather large variety of Sparrow, about six inches long. A small dark spot in a gray breast, rufous crown, gray stripe above the eye and reddish upperparts streaked with black serve to identify this bird.

In its feeding habits it is mainly a vegetarian. It has been estimated that it consumes eight hundred seventy-five tons of weed seed annually in the state of Iowa. It is also very fond of feeding on broom-ledge. It prefers to feed to a great extent on the ground and in protected places.

In the spring it builds a nest of grass, bark and feathers in Canada and Newfoundland, where it spends the summer. From four to seven pale greenish eggs finely specked with reddish-brown are laid.

As a songster it has attracted a great deal of attention. The winter song has been described as a "twittering trill." Burroughs says that "it sings a soft, sweet note, almost running into a warble." Chapman says "I like to see them feeding on the seed stalks above the crust, and to hear their chorus of merry tinkling notes, like sparkling frost crystals turned to music."

A few of these birds have been observed in Yancey County during the winter. We should listen for the winter song.—(James Hutchins, Windom, N. C.)

GREEN MOUNTAIN

Birthday Party

A birthday party was given for Junior and Elizabeth Howell on Thursday night, January 14th at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Howell. It was Elizabeth's fourteenth birthday and Junior's seventeenth.

Two lovely birthday cakes were in the center of the dining room table; refreshments were served while the group sang songs. Many interesting games were played.

Those present were: Beatrice Peterson, Everette Garland, Geneva Hunter, Elmer Lewis, Leona Lettman, Junior Howell, Dorothy Wheeler, James Johnson, Elizabeth Howell, James Tilley, Lallage Johnson, Herman Styles, Betty Canipe, Dock Renfro, Walter Bennett, Juanita Bailey, Jr. Ramsey, Kathleen Johnson, "Buck" Bennett, Edward Gardner, Tilda Ayers, Avery Fox, Edward Bailey, Jr. Collis, and "Buddy" Peterson.

WINS BOXING TITLE

BREVARD, January 15. Robert Peterson, of Cane River, N. C., won the 135 pound boxing title of Brevard College tonight, when he punched out a three round decision over Doug Jones, of South Carolina, in the final fight of his class.

Young Peterson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Peterson of Cane River, N. C.

WINDOM REVIVAL

A Revival meeting will begin Sunday Jan. 24th.

A. Z. Jamerson assisting the pastor. Everybody is invited. We especially insist on the other nearby churches; the Baptist and Methodist are urged to come and feel at home and do all you can to help Evangelize our community.

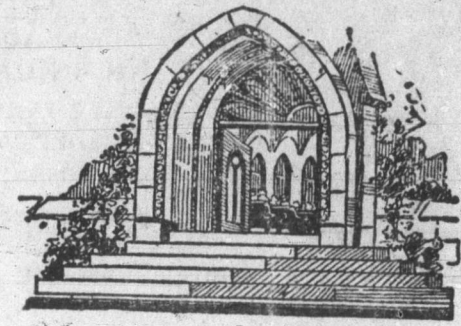
R. C. Arrowood, Pastor.

CANE RIVER NEWS

Clay Fender who is employed in Portsmouth, Va. is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Fendar and friends of this place.

Rev. Edd Riddle and son, Rev. Ray Riddle have been in a revival meeting at Bee Log for the past week.

Buster Riddle left Tuesday for Camp Jackson, S. C. We regret to have him leave our community.



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