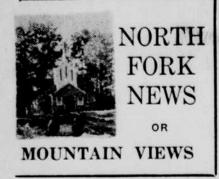
Thursday, December 20, 1951 SECTION III



By Oden Walker

Mr. and Mrs. Marion McIntosh this past week. "stepped across the rdige" the other evening for a visit, and while we were talking of this and that, Marion related the following incident: Our little friend, Louise Weaver, daughter of Vern Weaver, had a pet duck which she cherhad a pet duck which she cher, cleaning off for the dam. It is ished a great deal. On Thanks-giving day a dog got after the like they are getting a real con-duck and chased her under the struction job started over there duck and chased her under the struction job started over there there. The light was bad under with shovels, bulldozers, hootinhouse. The light was bad under the house, and the duck was going with speed. She ran into the tines of a pitchfork that was left there. She wasn't killed outright, but so great was the wound, her intestines were dragging on the ground. Louise loved her duck, and couldn't stand for any of her folks to put her pet out of it's the misery, so she gathered her up ried and took her the short distance W to Mr. McIntoshes's home. Marion ubiq inspected the wound and decided something could be done. First he got germicides and cleansed the that Edna Earl Morris is getting dragging intestines, after care- an electric range for Christmas. fully putting them back inside. With the assistance of Woodrow y putting them back inside, held the flesh and skin tofully gether, while his wife did an pig last Saturday. embroidery job. They kept the pet Darius Patton ha in a box for a few days so she work all last week couldn't jump around the Cabin place. We have couldn't jump around, and the wound could heal — Louise is again romping with her duck, which is healthy, happy and fat. Mr. McIntosh has not recovered from the healthy experiments

from the horrible experience he this work had last summer when a horse Fred Ma kicked him in the face. He has pendectom lost the use of one eye. Marion is selling Stark's fruit trees and nursery stock. Mrs. McIntosh is selling men's and ladies' hosiery.

Last week we had a delightfully warm and friendly letter from Gordon and Garnet Greenwood. They are doing fine, but mildly homesick for Black Mountain. They are keenly appreciative of the hill-billies' efforts at journalism.

"Uncle" Tommie Morris had a serious accident last week. He was off-bearing at a woodsaw and started to pull down the slats and

2-Black Mountain (NC) NEWS debris from under the saw, got Juveniles Help Celebrate

sympathy to the bereaved family of O. E. Hudgins.

We saw a crudely built latrine going up North Fork on a truck last Tuesday morning, but did not follow it to see where it was going

Minnie and Essie must be expecting a cold winter-they have been making quilts all of last week.

It is a pity the scientists haven't got a rocket ship ready to start to the moon; there has surely been a fine one for them to aim at

Harry Morris and this reporter went over to the creek to get a truckload of hemlock and rhododendron boughs for Moore VA hospital Friday morning. Thad Burnett gave us permission to get all we wanted where they are cleaning off for the dam. It looks

tootin, churning, and charging. We hear that "Uncle" Ja Jack Cordell lost his wallet recently,

but with perseverance and proper fishing tackle he got it back. Pfc. Howard Russell was at home on a week end pass last week, but was not enjoying it— the girl of his dreams has mar-ried enother man another man.

We notice the mention of our ubiquitous newspaper in the Wash-ington, D. C. Times-Herald. us

Santa Claus whispered to

and 'Gin Propst, we butchered a

work all last week at the Double Cabin place. We haven't been over there lately, but they must have nearly all the thickets in the hollow pushed down by this time. Wayne Roberts is helping with

Fred McAfee underwent an ap-pendectomy at Moore VA hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Lewis and son, Mrs. Charles Knowlton and son of Old Fort, and Mrs. John Bruner of Marion visited Minnie and this reporter last Sunday afternoon.

Miss Maude Wicker will come home to Wickersham this Tues-day. We are so glad she will be home for the holidays.

Rob Kelly and son of Montreat sited Miss Kate Wicker last visited Miss Kate Saturday.

Miss Jean Brown of the Uni-

A color scheme of pink and white was carried out in the refreshments and decorations. Ice cream, fruit juice and individual cup cakes with each child's name

cup cakes with each child's name stencilled in pink on top were served by Mrs. Ingram. Those present were: Dennis O'Connor, Chippy Knight, Susan Crowder, Carol Watkins, Sandra Buckner and Charles M. Sobol. George Kelly Humphries was un-chle to attend but sent a gift. able to attend but sent a gift.

versity of N. C. will come home to Wileneuk for the holidays this Wednesday night.

Junior Penland and family of Riceville visited the Emory Pen-lands of North Fork Sunday be-

lands of North Fork Sunday be-fore last. Miss Alice Burnett, who is studying voice in New York, will come home this week for the Christmas holidays. William Brown has been home from the hospital for some time end is feeling worth good Many

and is feeling pretty good. Many neighbors have come in to visit and do any helpful thing that they could. The Browns say that they feel that North Fork has accepted them, and are truly thankful for all the kindnesses

that have been extended them. We visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burnett on the old Toll road Sunday afternoon. Ralph's daughter, Miss Wilma Burnett of the Riceville section, was visiting also. There will be a Christmas tree

and program at the Mountain View church Monday night, Dec. 24, at 7:30 o'clock.

Darius Patton had the bulldozer ANDY HOME FROM SCHOOL

Andy Jumper of Bamberg Military school, Bamberg, S. C., has arrived home to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Jumper.

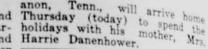
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Our hope, this year as always, is for lasting peace on earth.





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