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MOUNTAIN VIEWS

By Oden Walker

Mrs. Vaden Marett and children and Mrs. Sarah Wheeler visited us last Tuesday evening. We are glad to note that our good friend, George Summer of Newberry, S. C., has been re-elected as coroner of his county. Elijah Walker suffered a painful accident last week when he got hit in the eye with something. Thad Burnette Jr. and family have moved into Mrs. Kinard's house. Mrs. Kinard is spending the summer in the old Kinard "cabin". Happy birthday to Betty Jo Cordell. Betty Jo spent a few days with her sisters at Riceville to celebrate the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor and chaps visited us Monday night. Daphne brought this reporter a delicious pineapple fluff cake with 40 blazoned on top of it. Miss Lucille Gamble of Michigan and Miss Mary McKay visited at Wickersham last Sunday. Miss McKay and Mrs. Kinard came over to see us. Mrs. Frank Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Van Court of Asheville also visited us Sunday evening. Our Lottie Moon Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Lillie Bell Cavin on the Toll road the afternoon of May 21. A. H. Penland and Laurence Ballard and family of south Reems Creek visited the Emory Penlands last Sunday. A. H. Penland had a long visit with Mrs. Julius A. Walker while the rest of the folks went over to the dam site.

Among the visitors at Mountain View church services Sunday morning were Perry White of Sanford, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jones, Miss Judy Sawyer and Mrs. Leonard Clark and children of Riceville.

Bob Miller and family of Atlanta are visiting on North Fork. They and Mrs. Leonard Clark and children had Sunday dinner with the Rev. Chester Millers.

We were very glad to have Mrs. Jim Ledbetter with us at church last Sunday. We hope she can come regularly.

Mrs. Woodrow Propst and Theo Williams went to sit up with their sick brother in McDowell county Monday night. Some of them go several times a week.

We think that the high school band is making rapid progress, and that the majorettes are lovely indeed.

VISITING PARENTS

Mrs. Jack Milton and small son of Fort Wayne, Ind., are here for a visit with Mr. Milton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Milton, and with members of Mrs. Milton's family.

VISIT IN TENNESSEE

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bernhardt and son, Philip, and Mrs. Bernhardt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pettigrew, spent last Friday in Johnson City, Tenn.

Miss M. Talmage Will Be Married To Missionary

Dr. and Mrs. J. V. N. Talmage of Alabama terrace, Montreat, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mariella, to Raymond Clair Provost Jr. of Washington, Pa. The wedding will take place in Gaither chapel on Saturday, May 31, at 3:00 p.m.

Miss Talmage attended Queens college, Charlotte and was graduated from Medical College of Virginia, School of Nursing. She attended Assembly's Training School, Richmond, and the Far Eastern Language School of Yale University. In 1948 she went to Korea as a medical missionary under the Presbyterian U. S. board of world missions. She was nursing in a hospital in Chunju, Korea, when the Communists invaded southern Korea. She remained in Chunju for three weeks before she had to leave and go to Japan. Later she returned to Korea. She arrived in this country the first of April.

Mr. Provost studied at Princeton Seminary and went to Korea in 1948 as a missionary under the Presbyterian U. S. A. board of

world missions. He remained there for three years. He is now in this country completing his studies at Princeton Theological Seminary and will graduate in June 1953. Both plan to return to Korea as missionaries.

Miss Talmages parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. V. N. Talmage, spent 40 years as missionaries in Korea and are now on furlough in this country. She is a sister of the Rev. John E. Talmage and Miss Janet C. Talmage, both missionaries to Korea. Her brother is still in Korea but her sister is on furlough in this country and will be an attendant in the wedding.

OBITUARIES

WILLIAM CHARLES MEISS

Funeral services were held on April 28 in the Church of The Holy Redeemer in Detroit, Mich., for William Charles Meiss, age 51, who passed away at the Veterans hospital in Detroit on April 24 following a long illness.

Mr. Meiss, a native of Pittsburgh, Pa., was the husband of the former Mrs. Bonnie Mae Parris Yost of Asheville, a sister of Mrs. Fred Higginbotham of Black Mountain.

NEWSPAPERMAN

Herbert C. Hillman of Prescott, Ariz., newspaper writer and artist, will arrive May 11 for an indefinite stay at the Monte Vista hotel.

SEE CHEROKEE

Mrs. Richard Hughey and friends from Hendersonville spent Sunday sightseeing at Cherokee.

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