

LITTLE STARS

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To Graduate—Invitations of the graduating class of the Atlanta-Southern Dental college, Atlanta Ga., have been received in Shelby from Dr. Frank F. Hicks who graduates there in June with honors.
At Davids Chapel—Mr. Lutz of upper Cleveland asks The Star to announce that memorial services will be held at Davids Chapel in the edge of Lincoln county on Sunday, May 30th. Services all day. Dinner served in family style.
Demonstration—The Drewery Dobbins B. Y. P. U. will give a demonstration program at Zion Hill Baptist church near the three county borders on the first Sunday in June at 10 o'clock a. m., preaching by their pastor Rev. E. L. McDaniel at 11 o'clock.
His Mother Dead—Jesse Lutz who drives the U. S. mail wagon here, transporting mail from the trains to the postoffice, was called to New York Tuesday on account of the death of his mother, Mrs. Ethel Taub, who died there Tuesday morning at the age of 75. His mother was born in Russia and came to this country about 18 years ago. She will be buried in New York this afternoon.
Mr. Swain Here—Henry T. Swain former Shelby citizen is here today shaking hands with friends. Mr. Swain lived here about 18 years ago working monazite at the old Lottimore mine for the Metropolitan Gas Co. of London, he being a native Englishman. Mr. Swain, however, has been back in America since the close of the war and is now district representative of the Federal Truck company of which Mr. Pulcher, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Wagner, N. Morgan street, Shelby, is president.

Boiling Springs News Of Late Happenings

(Special to The Star.)
We are sorry to note that Mrs. Yates Hamrick is ill with pneumonia at this writing.
Mr. and Mrs. Mintz of Blacksburg, S. C. were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Mintz.
Mr. and Mrs. Z. O. Holland attended memorial services at High Shoals Sunday.
We are all glad to have Mr. Havel Williams of Spartanburg, S. C. visit our B. Y. P. U. Sunday night.
The Tongues and Needles club will meet with Mrs. Huff Hamrick Friday afternoon.
Misses Thelma Jolley and Lucile Buchanan attended commencement exercises in Gaffney, S. C. Friday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Huggins and family and Miss Eloise Pruetie have returned from a week's visit to friends in York, S. C.
Miss Lois Hamrick who held a position in Charlotte spent the week-end at home.
Dr. E. N. Biggerstaff of Spindale was a recent visitor in our community. The sewing circle entertains the ladies Sunday school class Saturday afternoon. The hours are from 3 to 5.

Our Horrible Language

A kindly but somewhat patronizing landlady was inquiring of the professor's young bride as to her prospective summer outing.
"Our plan thus far," he replied the bride a little distantly, "are only tentative."
"How delightful!" the landlady exclaimed. "I'm sure you will enjoy camping out more than anything."

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PERSONALS

Mr. M. P. Coley has returned from Roanoke, Va. on a business trip.
Mr. and Mrs. George Tompkins spent Monday in Charlotte.
Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Newman spent Wednesday in Charlotte.
Mr. R. T. LeGrand is spending this week in New York on business.
Miss Millicent Blanton spent Tuesday in Charlotte—shopping.
Mr. Alfred Marshall is spending several days in Clearwater, Florida on business.
Hon. and Mrs. Herbert L. Davis of Washington, D. C. and Miss Elizabeth Webb spent Monday in Gastonia.
Miss Sarah Brit of North Wilkesboro spent Monday night here the guest of Miss Elizabeth Webb.
Mrs. Alfred Marshall and Mrs. J. D. Lineberger were Charlotte visitors on Monday.
Miss Myrtle Warren of Gastonia spent Sunday here with Mrs. and Mrs. R. Hoey.
Mrs. H. K. Boyer is spending a fortnight with her sister, Mrs. Sanders in Virginia.
Miss Annie Adams and Miss Lois Rankin, two of the popular teachers spent the week end at Gibsonville, at Miss Adams' home.
Mr. C. B. Cabaniss spent Tuesday on a business visit to Rock Hill, S. C. and Charlotte. Mrs. Cabaniss accompanied him.
Mr. Clarence Sain of Pendleton's music store leaves tomorrow for Denver, Colorado and other Western points on a pleasure trip.
Mr. and Mrs. Odie Royster and Mr. and Mrs. Laurel Hoyle of Lawdale motored to Asheville and Hendersonville Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Adlai E. Elliott are all smiles over the arrival of a son, Robert Andrew, May 9. Mrs. Elliott prior to her marriage was Miss Lila Mae Gantt of Belwood.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Harris have received word that their son Frank Harris, Jr. is recovering from an operation for appendicitis at Anderson, S. C.
Mrs. Charlie Burrus returned a few days ago from Mocksville where she had been at the bedside of her mother who has been quite ill, but is somewhat improved.
Miss Elizabeth Gay of Jefferson, S. C. has accepted a position as saleslady at Campbell's department store, Shelby. Miss Gay is boarding with Mrs. F. V. Hendrick on Sumner street.
Messrs. Rufus and John Justice have returned from Birmingham, Ala. on business connected with settling up the estate of their brother who died there last year.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Martin Jr. and children of Fayetteville left Monday by motor after spending two weeks with Mrs. Martin's father, Mr. B. C. Hicks, of Lawdale.
Mrs. T. W. Ebeltoft who has been spending a few days in Charlotte with Miss Elizabeth Ebeltoft who is in the Charlotte Sanatorium returned home Monday.
Miss Elizabeth Blanton of Asheville and Miss Mary Adelaide Roberts arrived in Shelby from Converse college where they graduated Monday. On Monday evening, Miss Blanton joined Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Blanton here and they are guests of Mr. C. C. Blanton.

Brings Us Peaches But They Are Green

M. G. Latham Gives Interesting Points on Care of Orchards.
Curly Leaf is a Pest.
The Star office was lifted up and let down, suddenly the other day. M. G. Latham of Patterson Springs came in with a bag, represented it to contain a peck of Mayflowers, the earliest peach for this section. Imagine how our ears perked up and our mouths watered in anticipation of fresh peaches, the first of the season. When the bag was opened, the peaches were all green and small, but sound. This was the basis, however, for an interview with Mr. Latham on orchard culture, which should be interesting to other farmers.
Mr. Latham has 35 healthy trees, full of fruit. The crop looks promising over the county, but the bag he brought was picked off green in order to thin out the fruit. He thins out his fruit like a cotton farmer does his cotton plants and finds that by the thinning process the fruit left on the trees to mature, produces as much in quantity and a better quality than if left alone. Fruit trees should be sprayed three times at least, once before bloom, next when the bloom is in the husk stage then four or five weeks before the fruit ripens. He uses arsenate of lead, lime and sulphur. In his orchard the Mayflower is the earliest, then the Belle of Georgia and last the Elberta. The curly leaf is a sort of disease which is prevalent over the county, not only in his orchard that has been sprayed, but in all orchards. Spraying will not stop the curly leaf. Mr. Latham says more attention should be given by the farmers to orchards and when Mr. A. Hardin, the county agent is needed, farmers should feel free to call him for he is an expert on fruit growing, having had charge of a large orchard before coming to Cleveland.

If Muscle Shoals can't cheapen fertilizer, at least it is prolific of cheap politics.

Winston-Salem Leads In State Population

Estimate Puts Charlotte Second, New York Continues to Lead Nation. Some Changes.
Winston-Salem stepped far out in front of Charlotte as the largest city in the state with a population of 71,800, according to estimates of population for July 1, 1926, just made public by the Bureau of Census, says Jonathan Daniels in a dispatch from Washington to the News and Observer.
The tobacco metropolis increased its lead over Charlotte from 2,067 in the census of 1920 to 17,200 under the new estimates.
The population of the state as of July 1, 1926, is estimated by the bureau as 2,857,846 as compared with 2,559,123 in the 1920 census and 2,811,969 in the 1925 estimate.
Population estimates of the seven leading cities in the state as of July 1, 1926, are as follows: Asheville, 32,000; Charlotte, 54,000; Durham, 43,500; Greensboro 48,700; Raleigh, 31,000; Wilmington, 37,700 and Winston-Salem 71,800. The figures for five of these cities are based on the 1920 census, while the figures for Greensboro and Durham are based on special enumerations made in 1925.
Winston-Salem, the state's largest city, is the 111th city in size in the United States. In 1900, Winston-Salem was the sixth city in size in the state with a population of only 10,008. In 1910, it was still the sixth city in size with a population of 17,167. In 1920 it jumped to the front with a population of 48,395.

An interesting fact about this city which is only the 111th city in the United States is that it pays 4.2 percent of all the internal revenue the federal government received from all sources during the fiscal year 1925, according to figures published.
In the light of the new estimates, the old standing of the cities of the state in population is interesting. In 1900, these seven cities ranked as follows: Wilmington, Charlotte, Asheville, Raleigh, Greensboro, Winston-Salem and Durham. In 1910, they ranked as follows: Charlotte, Wilmington, Raleigh, Asheville, Durham, Winston-Salem and Greensboro. The standing today is: Winston-Salem, Charlotte, Greensboro, Durham, Wilmington, Asheville and Raleigh.
Big Four Unchanged.
The big four, the country's only cities having a million or more population, show no change in rank. New York leads with 5,924,000 against 5,620,048 in 1920. New York city's boroughs are estimated as follows: Bronx 800,000; Brooklyn 2,240,000; Manhattan 1,877,000; Queens 764,000; and Richmond 143,000.
Chicago passed the three million mark for the first time with 3,048,600 against 2,701,705 in 1920. Philadelphia, crossing the two million mark retained third place with 2,008,000 against 1,823,779. Detroit continued fourth with 1,290,000 against 993,678.

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ED DIXON ASKS SUPPORT FOR SHERIFF ON RECORD

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ED W. DIXON
Born on a farm in Cleveland County, North Carolina, son of the late Henry Dixon, engaged in farming all of his life, with the exception of the time he has been called upon to serve his township and county in the official capacity as Deputy Sheriff and Court Officer, E. W. Dixon appeals to the voters for their support and influence in connection with his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of Cleveland County.

Reared Father's Family.
After the death of his father and mother, E. W. Dixon took charge of the family of five children and reared them up in his farm home, one of the children still living with him at the present time. Mr. Dixon is married, has four children, has been a Steward in Kadash Church near Belwood for several years, has also been Secretary and Treasurer of the Sunday School for a period of 13 years, is a member of the Masonic Order, and is Assistant District Deputy in the Junior Order, comprising five counties, and is also a member of the Board of Agriculture of Cleveland County.

Has Fine Experience.
For the past ten years, E. W. Dixon has efficiently discharged his duties as Deputy Sheriff, going wherever necessary in the performance of his varied tasks, always striving to get his man, without fear or favor. Except for that period of time, Mr. Dixon has spent his time behind the plow, ready and willing to help his neighbors, assisting in all community enterprises and always on the alert to promote the best interest of his fellow man.

Busy On His Farm.
About two months ago, E. W. Dixon resigned his position as Deputy Sheriff in order to become a candidate for Sheriff of Cleveland County. Owing to the busy farming season, Mr. Dixon will not be in position to visit each voter personally, but will rely upon his past record as an officer of the law and citizen of the County. But his friends may feel well assured that every word spoken in his behalf, and every vote cast for him, will be greatly appreciated.
(Political Advertisement.)

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Alec—"Did ye put in some money?"
Donald—"No."
Alec—"Did ye take out some money?"
Donald—"No."
Alec—"Then ye borrit some money?"
Donald—"No."
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