

# Nobody's Business

By GEE MCGEE

breezes from flat rock.

mrs. bess dresser had a bad accident at the party hell last friday night at the pallatial home of the brides mother when the new dress she had on ketched on the door nob in the receiving line and tore a big rip in same. it was a new swed frock she had sent out on approval and after she tore it, "the ladies shopp" would not take it back as they had been doing for all the rest of the parties and mr. dresser had to buy it.

the bored of health of flat rock posted the following sign on a board in the post office and dog owners better beware, or they will be dogless: "notis—all dogs running at large on the streets without a tag around his neck showing that he has been vaccinated for rabbits will be shot, and all owners should buy muzzles at once and put them on, as this will be the law allo. yores trulle, dr. gunning, chairman." (p. s. this had to be done on account of 2 dogs bit mr. smith and other live stock last sunday).

it is possible our next legislature will pass a bill making it a miss de meanor for anybody employed in a political position to steal, carry off, take away, and possess any money or monies that belongs to the publick and the taxpayers, and they may incorporate a feature which will make it a crime for one man to kill another man, the way things have been going for the past few years, it looks like it will take a law to stop this kind of going-on, the court don't seem to help much, as 2 good lawyers and 1 bad juryman can tear up positive proof ansforth and he comes clear or mistrials—9 times out of 10.

Our retail merchants enjoyed a big business last saddy for the first time this fall, and all 3 of them said their cash drawers showed gains over last year. the 6 filling stations also done a whaling of a bizness on sunday. there is plenty monney to buy what people want, but there aint much to pay debts with, according to our undertaker, he says he wishes he had the right to dig up a few of our best citizens and get his caskets back, at least, after the widdar marries, he says that he knows then the time has come for him to be marked off his books.

a collection was taken up last sunday at sabbath scholl for the jobless of our community and it amounted to \$3 and c14. it was turned over to yore corry spondent to be paid out to anny one ketched not able to get work to do if he tries, but able bodied men need not apply till they look around a right smart, there is still some cord wood to be cut.

yores trulle,  
mike Clark, rfd.  
corry spondent.

Mike Wants Hunting Restrictions Outlawed.

Flat rock, s. C., dec. 10, 1931.  
Dear mr. editor:  
I seat myself to rite you a few lines about the game laws of our state, which I think is unfair to the poor man. they keep him from hunting rabbits and other necessites exoepp when he possibly does not need same onner count of other erops coming in at that time for him to live on.

our game warden lifted the law on thanks-giving so's a feller could shoot a few messes of partridges, and I took advantage of it and went out but did not bag very much as the wind was from the east. I think I carried too many dogs with me, I scared up 3 swarms in less than an hour, but missed them, as they scared me worse than I did them and I unbritched my gun instead of pulling the trigger.

my best dog, who ancers to the name of "farm relief" is a combination canine. he is 1 part pointer

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and the other parts is just plain and 1 part setter and 1 part hound dog. if partridges is scarce, I hunt rabbits with him, the first few birds he set when going out usually turns out to be a rat or a bug or a grasshopper, but he does better as soon as he gets warmed up.

we have too much law for the poor man and I think hunting should be allowed on all kinds of game until the repuglicans gets out of offis and then a poor man can make an honest living and let wild animals alone. I have been thinking of getting rid of 4 or 5 of my best dogs, as they do not serve me no good purpose with a game warden snooking around all the time.

I have a fine gun which has been handed down to me by my ancestors, and it will shoot further and quicker than anny other fire arm around here, but what good does a gun do a man if he can't shoot it? at nothing exoepp on 1 day in november and 3 days in december, about 4 days in october at dovesansforth, which fly so fast they can not be hit and it is a loss of monney to shoot at them.

rite or foam me at once and let me know if you can't put on a drive to do away with the hunting laws. I paid 18 and 00 for a license plat to hunt with and shot up 2 worth of gun shells and got only 1 partridge which flew against a telly-gram wire and "farm relief" ketched the other 2 rabbits.  
yores trulle,  
mike Clark, rfd.

## Mulls Chapel News Of Late Interest

Several On Sick List. Attend Singers Convention. Personal.

(Special to The Star.)  
Mulls Chapel, Dec. 8.—We had a very large crowd out for Sunday school Sunday.

Several of this community attended Sunday school district meeting at Double Shoals Sunday. Those on the sick list are as follows: Miss Mittie Conner, Messrs. Ben Wright and Frank Wright.

Miss Nell Mull of Cramerton spent the week-end with Miss Bertha Hoyle of near Ross Grove. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cook and family have moved into our community. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Self and children of near Patterson Springs and Mr. and Mrs. John Wright spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wright of near Ross Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Peter Hoyle accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Hoyle and children of Shelby visited Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Clark Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wallace were visiting in the Zion community Sunday with Mr. Wallace's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Wellmon. Rev. R. R. Cook was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lall Sunday. Mr. Walter Hoyle spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Stowe Wright of Pleasant Grove community.

Mr. Dwight McSwain of St. Paul community spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. Ben Wright of Mulls Chapel. Mrs. Will Causby and daughter Annie and small son Clarence spent Monday with Mrs. C. A. Eddings. Mrs. George Stringfellow and small son, G. L. and Mrs. Everett Eddings spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Causby.

## Young People Of Kings Mtn. Meet

B. Y. P. U. Meeting at Bethlehem. Personal News of That Community.

(By E. R. Gamble)

Kings Mountain, Dec. 10.—The Kings Mountain city B. Y. P. U. which is composed of the Baptist Young Peoples union of several churches in and near Kings Mountain, met with the Bethlehem Baptist church in their regular monthly meeting Monday night at 7:30 o'clock. The meeting opened with the singing of several songs, by the

congregation. Miss Bessie Weaver led the devotional, using as her topic "Denominational Loyalty." The business of the meeting was then attended to, and reports from all the unions called for. Two short talks of special interest were heard, "Baptist Principles" by Mr. I. J. Falls, and "Serving the Denomination Through the Local Church" by Miss Julia McDaniel. Special music was furnished by a choir from the Bethlehem Baptist church.

A report of the percentages made by each Union was read. Dr. C. J. Black, pastor of the Bethlehem Baptist church, then presented the banners to the winners. The Truett union of the First Baptist church of Kings Mountain won the senior banner. The intermediate banner was won by the intermediate union of Macedonia. The junior banner was won by the Junior union of Bethlehem Baptist church.

The next meeting of the City B. Y. P. U. will be held at Macedonia church in January.

Miss Hazel Falls, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Falls, is sick at her home in Kings Mountain.

Mr. Robert Dilling, who has a position at the Charlotte air port spent the week end in Kings Mountain, with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Dilling.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Roberts and

son Eugene, spent Sunday in Charlotte with relatives. Mrs. Vera Rawls, who has been connected with L'Elegant beauty shop for some time is now with the Meredith beauty shop. Miss Lackey who was with the Meredith beauty shop has gone to Statesville. Mrs. Paul Neisler and Mrs. Booth Gillespie spent Tuesday in Charlotte.

## More A. and P. Goods But the Income Is Off

Decrease of 6.42 Per Cent Shown in Income of All A. and P. Tea Co. Stores.

Sales of the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea company for the four week period ending November 28th were \$74,702,978. This compares with \$79,824,093 for the same period in 1930 and is a decrease of \$5,121,115 or 6.42 per cent.

More goods were sold during the November period in 1931 than in the same period a year ago, as shown in the estimated tonnage figures. November sales, expressed in tons, were 418,782 this year, compared with 400,203 in November 1930. This is a gain in quantity merchandise sold of 18,559 tons, or 4.64 per cent.

Average weekly sales in Novem-

ber were \$18,675,745, compared with \$19,956,023 in 1930, a decrease of \$1,280,278. Average weekly tonnage sales were 104,691 compared with 100,051 in November 1930, an increase of 4.64.

## Maxwell Speaks At Kings Mountain Club

(By E. R. Gamble)

Kings Mountain, Dec. 9.—A. J. Maxwell, commissioner of revenue for the state of North Carolina made the principal address at the business meeting and luncheon of the Civitan club at the club rooms here Wednesday at noon.

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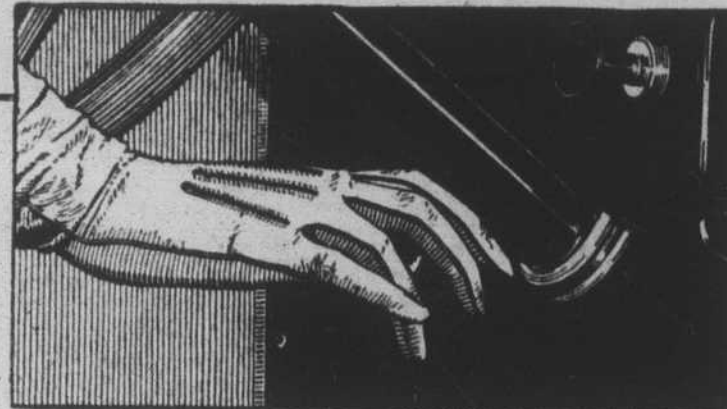
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