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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR WEEK

THE WILDERNESS VOICE: The voice of him that crieth in the wilderness, Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make straight in the desert a highway for our God.—Isaiah 40:3.

COME UP TO SEE US SOMETIME

It seems to be a good time to send out invitations to all our neighbors to come over to Hertford and take a look around.

Time was when our neighbors were few. The automobile and the good roads have changed all that. They have widened our horizon, so to speak, have broadened our neighborhood to take in a great deal more territory, and those who live fifty miles away are closer to us than were our old neighbors who lived only five or six miles distant a few years ago. It took a horse about an hour to drive eight or ten miles.

So that the folks who live in Chowan, in Gates and in Pasquotank are now really our very close neighbors. They can and do come over to see us often, running in for a visit in the afternoon and returning home before night.

More and more are people from the outlying sections adjoining Perquimans coming to Hertford to shop, as they realize that the stores of Hertford are on a par with the stores of large towns and cities, and that because of the difference in the overhead expense of the city merchant and the small town merchant, the prices here in many cases are lower.

With the opening of the State, Hertford's fine new theatre, already more people are being drawn to our town, which is very gratifying, and we look forward to an increase in the number of visitors from a distance.

The special sales which the stores in Hertford are advertising just now, with bargains in practically everything one needs, should induce many others to come to Hertford.

And so the invitation is given to you, our neighbors who haven't yet acquired the habit of shopping here to come over also. You will want to visit our fine new theatre and see you will want to visit our stores and see for yourselves what Hertford has to offer.

Come over!

Joint Hostesses In Honor Recent Bride

Mrs. N. O. Chappell and Mrs. Claude Winslow delightfully entertained on Saturday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ashby Jordan at a miscellaneous shower. Mrs. Jordan is the former Miss Orene Chappell. Contests and games were enjoyed. Those winning prizes were Mrs. Willie Lamb, Mrs. Roland Copeland and Robert Hendren. Those they graciously presented to the bride. The bride was the recipient of many lovely gifts. The hostesses served delicious refreshments.

The guests included: The honoree, Mr. and Mrs. Ashby Jordan, Mrs. Callie Copeland, Mrs. Ralph Chappell, Mrs. George Jordan, Mrs. Cutris Chappell, Mrs. Carl Ward, Mrs. George Chappell, Mrs. Fronie Lamb, Mrs. Ervin Lane, Mrs. Willie Lamb, Mrs. Tom Chappell, Mrs. Linward Winslow, Mrs. Edwin White, Mrs. Roland Copeland, Mrs. Charlie Rogerson, Mrs. Nurney Chappell, Mrs. Freeland Copeland, Mrs. Anna Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dail, Mr. and Mrs. Cutris Chappell, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Winslow and son, Don, Miss Mary Sue Lamb, Miss Mary Elizabeth Winslow, Miss Attie Chappell, Miss Kathryn Lamb, Miss Agnes Ward, Miss Annie Mae Mathews, Miss Nora Marie Raper, Miss Mattie Hendren, Miss Margaret Raper, Miss Syble Rogerson, Miss Thelma Roccus, Miss Marie Copeland, Miss Eula Chappell, Miss Elizabeth Elliott, Miss Tryphenia Lane, Miss Deborah White, Miss Arvelis Lamb, Miss Enice Chappell, Charlie Thomas Rogerson, George Winslow, Robert Hendren, Elwood Smith, Louis Norman Chappell, Daris Copeland, Gailher Chappell, Thomas Chappell, McCoy Phisic, Beecher Chappell, Pentress Lane, Lester Lane, Pervis Chappell, Curtis Chappell and Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Chappell.

MR. PEARCE VERY ILL.
 T. A. Pearce, Manager of the Grocery Sales Company, is ill with pneumonia at his home on Church Street in Hertford.

BING CROSBY AT THE STATE NEXT WEEK



A wandering minstrel is he in Columbia's new musical comedy, "Pennies From Heaven," showing Monday and Tuesday, January 18-19th at The State Theatre, Hertford, N. C. It's Bing Crosby himself, and he rambles the open road singing and swinging some of the year's biggest hits. Madge Evans, Little Edith Fellows and Louis Armstrong and his band do their stuff.

HIT OR MISS

By M. L. W.
 A certain very prominent Hertford woman tells this one on herself. She says that she has frequently been so sleepy in church that it was all she could do to save her life to keep from nodding. Moreover, this good lady doesn't appear to be too certain that she hasn't upon occasion dropped to sleep for a moment. Now, strangely enough, this lady is afflicted with insomnia and sometimes she cannot go to sleep to save her life. Whenever this happens there is no counting of sheep in order to induce sleep. No sir-ee. "I just try to imagine myself in church and that I am so sleepy I cannot keep awake," she says.

We've had no cold weather in Perquimans, but for all that dandelions, breath o'spring and buttercups are blooming in our back yards, the weather is not spring-like. Surely, never have we had so much rain and cloudy weather. What a treat it would be to have sunshine for a spell!

Bridge Club Guest Of Mrs. S. P. Jessup

Mrs. S. P. Jessup was hostess on Tuesday night at a delightful party, her guests including the members of her bridge club.

Miss Mary Sumner was the winner of the prize for top score a lovely sandwich tray. The hostess served a delicious salad course.

Those present were Mesdames T. B. Sumner, B. G. Koonce, V. N. Darden, E. W. Lordley, R. M. Riddick Jr., Cecil White, and Misses Mary Sumner and Kate Blanchard.

GODWIN—UMPLETT

Miss Virtue Umphlett and Mr. Carl Godwin, both of Perquimans, were married on December 30, 1936, in Suffolk, Va.

The bride is the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charis Umphlett, of Burgess. The bridegroom is a son of Mrs. Sue Godwin and the late Lassie Godwin, also of that community.

Both young people are very popular with a wide circle of friends. They are making their home in the Burgess community, where Mr. Godwin is engaged in farming.

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JAMES LEIGH SKINNER

James Leigh Skinner, age 68, died at his home in Decatur, Ga., Sunday, January 10, of a heart attack. Mr. Skinner is a descendant of the early settlers of Perquimans County. He is a son of the late Benjamin S. Skinner, of Raleigh, who for many years was connected with N. C. State College, and a grandson of James Leigh Skinner, who was a large land-owner and prominent farmer of the Old Neck section of Perquimans County during the latter half of the eighteenth century.

Mr. Skinner has been prominent in the fire insurance business; in his early life at Raleigh and later in Atlanta. At the time of his death he was the head of the insurance department of the Federal Bank of Atlanta.

Mr. Skinner married Louise Pettenger, daughter of the late Dr. McKinnon Pettenger, for many years rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh. Mrs. Skinner and four children survive: James Leigh, Jr., Chapel Hill; McKinnon, Washington, D. C.; Benjamin Smith, Richmond, Va., and Annie, Decatur, Georgia.

Interment at Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Nachman Guest At Insurance Banquet

Mrs. Louis Nachman, Special Agent of the Reliance Life Insurance Company for this territory, will go to Richmond on Saturday to attend a banquet to be given by the company. The banquet, known as the Caritas Cup and H. G. Scott Trophy banquet, which was won by the Virginia Department this year, is a very special occasion. The banquet will be held in the Washington Room of the John Marshall Hotel.

WINFALL PERSONALS

Little Kenneth Ray Barber, who has been ill with pneumonia and whooping cough, is very much improved.

Mrs. W. J. Stanton is very sick at her home in Winfall.

Mrs. Clara Dillman, of Norfolk, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bagley.

BROUGHTONS IN NORFOLK

E. J. Broughton, whose business takes him to Norfolk at this season of the year, will leave Hertford on Friday, accompanied by Mrs. Broughton to spend the remainder of the winter in the Virginia City.

DAIRIES GRADE A

R. M. Potter, City Chemist, announces that the only two dairies furnishing milk in Hertford are both Grade-A. The dairies are Perry & White and Cannon-Bright.

CHILD IMPROVING

Oscar Barnes O'Neal, the seven-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. O'Neal, has been very ill for the past week with pneumonia. The baby's condition was reported as improving on Wednesday, however.

RYLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jordan and their son, Kermit, and Miss Priscilla Jordan from Eason's Cross Roads, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Chappell, of Snow Hill, spent Sunday with Mrs. Chappell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dail.

Mrs. H. N. Ward spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Louisa Ward.

Mrs. Walter Foster and children visited Mrs. Curtis Wilson Sunday afternoon.

Miss Inez Perry, of Sign Pine, was the guest of Miss Rella Spivey on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Rachel Ellis, of Sunbury, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. A. Boyce.

SPENT WEEK-END HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Richardson Sedgwick and little daughter, Sallie, of Elizabeth City, spent the week-end with Mrs. F. M. Weeks.

VISITED AT BELVIDERE

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boyce and Mrs. J. W. Carver spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary Gregory, at Belvidere.

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THREE SALES

Mules, Farming Implements, Etc.

Y 22nd, 1937, commencing at 10 A. M., **CE TRACK FARM**, in Perquimans public auction, for cash, among other:

all Tractor, One Farmall Tractor, Three Carts, Two Farm Wagons, Four John Deere Discs, One Hay on Drills, Corn Drills, Fertilizer, Hoes, Hay Forks, Harness, One lot of

Y 26th, 1937, commencing at 10 A. M., **FARM** in Perquimans County, N. C., public auction, for cash, among other chattel:

all Tractor with Disc, Cultivators, Discs, Three Horse Carts, Three International John Deere Discs, One Peanut Picker, Set Scales, Drays, Plows, Cotton Drills, Rakes, Hoes, One Lot Baled

Y 28th, 1937, commencing at 10 A. M., **ANNONHOUSE FARM** in Chowan County, N. C., I will sell at public auction, for cash, among other chattel property, the following:

all Tractor, Two Horse Carts, One Farmall Tractor, One Hay Bailer, Two International John Deere Discs, Cultivators, Planters, Drags, Discs, Fertilizer Drills, Hoes, Shovels, Harness, One Lot of Baled Hay, etc.

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One Lot of Dresses

Formerly Priced at \$5.95, \$4.95 and \$3.95

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All Winter Coats

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WE HAVE THE SHOWS

PROGRAM FOR WEEK

Today and Friday, Jan. 14-15—



News

Saturday, Jan. 16—

Johnny Mack Brown

in

"Lawless Land"

"Darkest Africa" No. 3

Act - - - - - Cartoon

Monday, Jan. 18—

ON THE STAGE

"Follies of Broadway"

17 People

7 Big Vaudeville Acts

ON THE SCREEN

Spanky McFarland

(Of Our Gang)

Phillips Holmes

Ralph Morgan

and

Rosina Lawrence

in

"General Spanky"

Matinee: Picture, 3:30; News, 4:45. Admission, 10c -

Night: Picture, 7:15; News, 8:30. Picture, 9:30. Admission, 10c and 50c.

Tuesday, Jan. 19—

Warner Baxter

June Lang

Gail Patrick

and

Alison Skipworth

in

"White Hunter"

News - - - - - Act

Wednesday, Jan. 20—

Patricia Ellis

Mickey Rooney

Dennis Moore

in

"Down the Stretch"

Act - - - - - Comedy

BANK NIGHT