

PERSONALS

Messrs Sidney Gambill and Claude Miles made a business trip to Raleigh Monday, and were accompanied by their wives. They also visited in Chapel Hill.

Mr. Amos Wagoner arrived home from the hospital in Washington Monday and is improving.

Leo Irwin, in the role of Arthur Hurley, returns from Europe with the Rosemonoff diamond, a prize gem formerly belonging to the late Cesar of Russia and valued at one hundred thousand dollars. Who's the lucky girl? See "Laugh Clown" High School Auditorium, January 27, at 8:00 P. M.

Mrs. E. F. Murray, of Beckley, West Virginia, underwent a serious operation January 15 and is reported in a serious condition.

Mr. J. H. Doughton, of Statesville, was a visitor in town Monday.

The Methodist Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. C. W. Higgins Friday afternoon, January 19.

Uncle Jake's experience with the ghost is well worth the price to see "Laugh Clown. Don't miss his ingenious use of chewing gum.

Miss Mildred Shores entertained a number of her friends at a party Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Joines and little daughter, of Thomasville, visited relatives at Whitehead during the weekend. Mrs. Joines remained for a visit to relatives for several weeks.

Mr. D. E. Barbour, of Elkton, was a visitor in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Berry moved to Boone Wednesday.

Mattie Lou Edwards as Patricia Hurley is a regular little tigress defending her man—only Danny (Connie Cheek) doesn't know he's her man until she tells him later.

Mr. R. L. Hickerson, of Mt. Airy, visited in town Sunday.

Messrs Cleve Nichols and Beale Poole attended the Standard Oil meeting at Winston-Salem Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Irwin and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Moxley Sunday.

Madeline Smith impersonating Aunt Sue, a negro, holds for high stakes—Uncle Jake (Gwyn Musgrove) must save five dollars license and fifty cents to buy some candy. Are all women, black or white, women of experience when they are after their man? Don't fail to see "Laugh Clown!"

The son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Faley Stokes, of Glade Valley, Miss Virginia and Master Clive were on call patients at the Sparta Clinic this week and also the son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Edwards, of Yadkinville, N. C.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Irwin announce the birth of a nine and a quarter pound baby girl on January 16.

TWIN OAKS

Edwin and Elsie York have gone to Richmond to spend a few days with relatives there.

S. S. Jennins of North Wilkesboro spent Tuesday at Irwin Hotel.

Boone D. Tillet of Charlotte stopped in the village Tuesday.

Reports reached here Tuesday night that a Mr. Collier employed by White Chevrolet Co., of Galax, Va., lost control of his car and went over a bluff near Edd Hawthorne's, but was not thought to be seriously injured.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Irwin and little son, Wade, and Mrs. Stella York attended the Banquet and advertising show given at the Robert E. Lee Hotel by Standard Oil Co. Monday night. All were greatly pleased with the occasion.

Gene Irwin spent Monday night with George Mack Irwin.

LAUREL SPRINGS NEWS

Mr. Robbins Miles has been confined to his bed for the past week.

Mr. John Pugh is slightly improving.

Mrs. Herman Fender and little daughter, who have been very ill for the past ten days, are better.

"The Peak Creek Dramatic Club" will give a four act play, "Happy Valley" at the Laurel Fork school house, Friday night, Jan. 19th at 8 P. M. Admission 10c. and 15c. Benefits will go toward completing the new church. All are invited and promised a good time.

Mrs. E. E. Dancy visited Mrs. Mary Jane Mabie Saturday night.

Mr. Glenn Osborne has been reported to have killed the largest wild cat that has been killed in this county one day last week.

Mr. C. E. Osborne who has been in bad health for the last two years does not improve any, we are sorry to say.

Mrs. Daniel Taylor, who has been real sick for a few days, is some better we are glad to say.

Mrs. Verna Long and Mr. Wintford Hoppers visited their brother R. G. Hoppers at the Wilkes hospital Sunday.

Mr. Cox Long, who has been very sick, is improving.

Mr. Robert Bowers spent the week end at J. H. Osborne's.

Mr. Clay Osborne spent Saturday with Mr. C. E. Osborne.

Mr. Eugene Shepherd reported the loss of five fine sheep two of which were registered ewes. It is thought that they were killed by shepherd dogs.

Miss Ethel Taylor spent Sunday with Miss Mable Taylor.

Mr. Elmer Osborne has been ill but is improving.

Miss Gertrude Osborne has been very ill with neurage at Laurel Springs.

There was a large crowd attended the dance at Mr. S. H. Bowers December 29 were as follows:

Misses Mabel Taylor, Mildred Dancy, Miss Ethel Taylor, Miss Grace Taylor, Dot Taylor, Messrs Frank Taylor Edward Dancy Chas. Taylor, Booker Taylor, and Mrs. Carrie Taylor Mrs. Mae Taylor.

Mrs. Ellen Burchett spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Booker Taylor's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor and daughter Ethel, spent Saturday night with Miss Lydia Pruitt.

Misses Dare, Lena, and Okey Sheets spent Sunday with Miss Gertrude and Hazel Osborne.

We are glad to know that Mr. Theima Osborne is having a fine school at Pine Fork.

There was a large crowd attended Preaching at Pine Fork Sunday and Saturday.

Mrs. Jane Hall was visiting friends and relatives at Pine Fork Saturday.

Mr. Eddison Taylor has been carting a great deal for the past few weeks.

Miss Mable Taylor spent last Wednesday night with Miss Ethel Taylor.

STRATFORD NEWS

Mrs. Blanche Hendrix, who has been in the Sanatorium for several months is reported much improved and is expected home in a few days.

Miss Mollie Hampton is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Johnson and daughter, Miss Bettie, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hartozoy and baby of lifton, Ashe County attended the services at Shiloh Sunday.

Little Bryce Richardson has been very sick but is much better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Atwood announce the arrival of a son.

Howard Crouse and Jim Williams have returned from Maryland where they have been several months.

I. C. Reynolds has spent the last two weeks with his son C. M. Reynolds, of Ennice and daughter Mrs. Fred Andrews, of Vox.

A birthday dinner was given at I. C. Reynolds' Sunday, January 14 in honor of Walter Edwards and Ramaleigh Edwards. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Joines and Ramaleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Merida Richardson and daughter, Miss Ruby Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Elza Reynolds and baby, Misses Fanny Hendrix, Ruby Watson, Messrs Roy Evan Howard Crouse and Bruce Williams.

All present reported a very enjoyable time.

SCHOOL NOTES

The Junior Class of Sparta High School Presents, "Laugh Clown", in the High School Auditorium, Saturday, January 27, 1934 at 8:00 P. M.

CAST OF CHARACTERS
Mrs. Hurley—A rich widow—Ruth Hines.
Patricia Hurley—The youngest daughter—Mattie Lou Edwards.
Evelyn Hurley—Pat's sister—Dorothy Andrews.
Arthur Hurley—Pat's brother—Leo Irwin.
Fritz Benton—An ex-buglar and Donny's pal—Hobart Royal.
Danny Palling—A nice young man who got mixed up with jail—Connie Cheek.
Gallager Starling—Pat's girl friend—Ruby York.
Dale Terrence—Arthur's fiancée—Virginia Osborne.
Dr. Pratt—Who prefers the society of girls to the practice of medicine—Murrell Joines.
The maid—Who rescues Fritz—Jean Honaker.
Aunt Sue—A negro mammy—Madeline Smith.
Uncle Jake—Who got mixed up with the ghosts—Gwyn Musgrove.
The Gardener—Claude Sexton.
The Detective—Fred Williams.

SYNOPSIS
Act 1. Living room of the Hurley's. Eight o'clock in the evening.
Act II. Same. Two weeks later.
Act III. Scene 1. Same the following morning.
Scene 11. A man in the garage at midnight.
Admission: 15c. and 25c.

FARM NEWS

A meeting was held at Sparta on Monday of this week to discuss the Burley Tobacco Acreage reduction in this county. Practically every tobacco grower in the county who attended this meeting signed the tobacco reduction contract.

These Burley Tobacco reduction contracts are in the County Agent's office now, and any tobacco grower can get these contracts at any time.

Every tobacco grower in the county should investigate the Burley Tobacco contracts and decide for himself whether it will be to his advantage to sign them.

I think that every Burley Tobacco grower in the county should sign this contract, regardless of the amount of tobacco he is growing.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS

The December meeting of the Ladies Missionary Society was held at the home of Mrs. A. V. Choate.

The house was very artistically decorated for Christmas.

Mrs. T. J. Carson presided in the absence of the President, Mrs. J. T. Inskeep, and a very interesting Christmas program on Japan was given with Mrs. Carson as leader.

After the program the hostess, assisted by her two attractive little daughters, served a delicious plate with a tiny candle burning, suggestive of the Christmas season to twelve members and one visitor, Mrs. Z. Osborne.

The January meeting will be held with Mrs. C. W. Higgins with Mrs. Cloy Winkler as leader.

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WINTER DRUG SPECIALS

Vicks Salve	25c.
Castoria	29c.
Wampoles Cod Liver Extrast	79c.
Cardui	69c.
White Pine and Tar Cough Syrup	25c.
New and Improved Kotex 2 boxes	31c.
Lavender Shaving Cream and Blades	39c.
Milk Magnesia, Pint	39c.
16 oz. Mi. 31 Solution	49c.
Mineral Oil, Pint	39c.
Cold Tablets	19c.
Bulk Drugs: Epsom Salts..... 8c. lb.: Sulphur.....6c. lb.; Castor Oil	50c. pint.
GLYCERINE AND ROSE WATER	19c.
RUBBING ALCOHOL PINT	39c.
RUBBER GLOVES	29c.
CAMPHORATED OIL, 4 oz.	34c.
Shari Face Powder and Perfume, Both	\$1.00
Gardenia Face Powder and Perfume, Both	59c.

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Rev. C. W. Russell made a splendid talk on The Factors of Success at Chapel on Tuesday morning, January 15.

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Cold Tablets	19c.
Bulk Drugs: Epsom Salts..... 8c. lb.: Sulphur.....6c. lb.; Castor Oil	50c. pint.
GLYCERINE AND ROSE WATER	19c.
RUBBING ALCOHOL PINT	39c.
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CAMPHORATED OIL, 4 oz.	34c.
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