

RAMBLING SKETCHES OF
OAK GROVE NEWS

By Mrs. William Wright

The local church today announced plans for its Memorial Day service to be held on Sunday, May 19th featuring a special service for returned veterans. Speaker to be announced in the following will be the Memorial Day address to be delivered by the pastor, Rev. W. F. Fogleman. Lunch will be served on the grounds. In the afternoon a special song service will be held.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ware and children, Billy and Wanda Ruth, of Winston-Salem were the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Ware and Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Ware and

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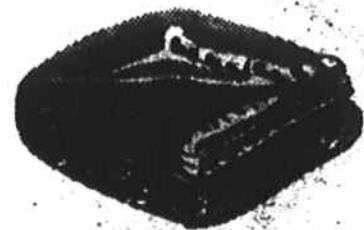
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NEBO VALLEY NEWS

H. Y. Bell

Clarence Gladden has been promoted from Taxi cab driver to City Police. We hope Clarence catches all the bad men.

Bob Styers of Washington, D. C., says he takes the old home town paper and enjoys the Nebo Valley news very much. Bob, we know you would.

Miss Nelline Parrish of Kings Mountain was married to Frank Preston Cable of Burlington. They were married April 30th in Burlington. They spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Parrish. They will make their home in Burlington. Nelline was graduated from Kings Mountain high school. She is now attending college in Burlington. Mr. Cable has recently been discharged from the armed forces. He spent two years of his time in service overseas. We wish this fine young couple all the happiness wedded life can bring.

I got to figuring last night, or rather you might call it taking stock. This is a peaceful little valley. Only when the dogs break loose, at night. They are very musical being there's a dozen different breeds. I have nine dogs, 3 cats, no cow, no hogs, to bother with. Have a few chickens. Eggs keeps the dogs long winded. I know but one man in the Valley that owns a little pig. Harold Horn has the cutesie little pig. If we the people, would kill these worthless dogs and buy a pig meat wouldn't be on the black market list. But a man and a dog are inseparable. North says the Belgian people haven't gotten any clothes on their back. Tattered patches and rags. No bread in the oven. No coal in the bin. He had the opportunity to go in many homes. He worked Belgian labor invariably. The dog population averages 1 to 6 dogs to a family. They are of the low type breed. If I kill my dogs the skunks will eat my chickens and my dogs will be gone then. I don't know who was the first gentleman to write a check. But he sure did have something worthwhile up his sleeve.

A lot of folks now have more money than they've got brains.

Trust in the Lord and do good and verily thou shalt be feed today. Those devils on the other side of the pond don't trust in God. They trust in America to feed them and we trust mostly in money.

The feminine mind. I find she's an angel in truth. She's faithful, honest and kind, keen sighted and blind. She's cruel, she's kind. She loves you but she's fickle. You find finds she is faithful, deceitful and hateful at times. She'll take you for better and leave you for worse. She'll crown you her king and make you her clown. You fancy she's this but you find she's that. She plays with you like a kitten and scratch you like a tomcat. In the morning she cooks, in the evening she don't. You are always expecting she will when she won't. She's an angel in disguise. We love her for what we find in her kind heart. Men aren't nothing. Sis-

ter, do you agree?

I was surprised my little green min now bucket turned up this week. It pays to advertise our troubles. When you meet me just give me a dollar and a dime. I'll send the paper 24 times. I'll put you on the front line and thank you for being kind.

We find it difficult to esteem others as we do ourselves.

I met a little boy on the street. I asked him what he was looking for. Said he, "My teacher sent me to the store to get a pack of cigarettes and I've lost the money." I said good.

I remember that day my friend, Skimp Stowe took me up in his plane. I was a little nervous. I asked what he would do if his motor died while we were in the air. His answer came without hesitation, "We will leave the plane up here and we will go down." That was my first visit up in the Land of the Sky.

I have been asked by several of my readers to re-write the story of the dogwood tree. Look for it next week.

Somebody always trying to take the joy out of life. Now a certain physician is experimenting with serum in an effort to find a cure for laziness.

Looks like the election laws will have to be changed. Under the present set up there's no way to make the voters vote like they are told. I must stop right here. I fear I have already bored my audience.

The Philco Company has installed a logging railroad with gasoline locomotive, a crane at the mill and many other labor saving devices in the Simmons Bay area of Columbus County where it has bought timber rights.

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