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SPEEDERS BEWARE — Effective July 1 State Troopers in Smyth County will be using radar to check the speed of travelers in the county. Monday afternoon Sgt. J. W. Burrow of Abingdon demonstrated the use of the new device to law enforcement officers of the county. The set was placed about three miles outside of Marion, and those passing were checked. Monday afternoon travelers saw the set and all the officers in time to slow down to about 15 miles per hour.

LIFE IN SMYTH COUNTY

Don Baker To Attend Conference in N. C.



Don Baker of 337 Church St., Marion, has been selected by the Civitan Club of Marion to represent the club at the Civitan Youth Conference on Human Relations at Wildacres, a mountain estate near Little Switzerland, N. C.

This is a Civitan project that sends a high school senior or college student for a week to participate in a work conference whose purpose is to develop among the outstanding young people attitudes of understanding, mutual respect and good will toward people of different nationalities and races; to study the nature and origins of prejudices and how they effect individuals and communities; to explore the meaning of citizenship in a democracy and its privileges and responsibilities.

Don is the son of Mrs. Grace Baker of Marion and a senior at Marion High School. All expense for the week will be paid by the Civitan Club of Marion, says Max Schloss, president.

ONLY FOUR CASES ARE HEARD IN SALTVILLE

Trial Justice Court was held this Monday in Saltville with only four cases being heard. Harold Henderson was given 30 days and a \$10 and costs fine, all suspended upon payment of costs, for an assault on his wife, Lucy Henderson. The three other cases involving public drunkenness, with one being fined \$10 and costs, one \$5 and costs and one \$2.50 and costs.

Parks-Belk Buys Marion Real Estate

Firm Purchases Marion Hotel for Investment

Officials of Parks-Belk this Tuesday completed the purchase of and received the deed for the Marion Hotel property located at the corner of Main and Church Streets and extending south to South Lane.

Sellers were Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Coyner of Marion, who had owned the property since 1910. They had made several additions to the building since that time.

S. B. Peavler, manager of the local Parks-Belk store, negotiated the purchase. Mr. Peavler said that the property is for an investment and that the company has no plans for the building for the time being.

"We will continue to rent to the present tenants," he said. "We believe that economically Marion is one of the soundest and healthiest towns in any to the 364 places where we have outlets. We have been here for 20 years, and we believe in the future of this section. There are no plans now for changing the newly purchased property. We will remain in our present location, and tenants who have been renting from the Coyners will continue in their spots," he said.

Judge Cracks Down On Reckless, Hit And Run Driver

Willard Lee Ward of Marion this Wednesday in Trial Justice Court received 60 days time suspended, \$100 and costs and had his driver's license revoked for 60 days for careless and reckless driving and failing to stop following an accident.

Testimony of several witnesses including George Greer, Bill Jones, Ned Legard, Walt Boone and Warren Wright showed that the Ward car was traveling on the new road to Holston Hills Country Club last Saturday at such a speed as to be dangerous for road conditions. The Ward car hit the rear of Mr. Greer's car, continuing down the road. The other witnesses with the exception of Acting Chief Boone, were following the Greer car. All stated that Ward was going too fast for the width and condition of the road.

Judge W. V. Birchfield in sentencing the man stated that such driving practices had to stop.

Robert W. Hall, charged with possession of alcoholic beverages in violation of an order of interdiction, pled nolo contendere. Officers found five fifths of wine, four pints and a part of a pint of whisky hidden around the Hall house. Two letters from doctors entered in the evidence stated that Hall is very ill and could not survive a jail sentence. Judge Birchfield, on motion of Commonwealth's Attorney C. H. Funk, ordered Hall to be examined by the jail physician who is to make a report in writing to the court. Should he find Hall unable to serve, Hall will be required to post a substantial bond. The report is to be heard at next Wednesday's session of court. The whiskey was confiscated

Smyth Has Rash of Wrecks During Week

Smyth County Rates High in Buying Power

New York, June 14 — Smyth County proved to be a strong market during the past year, standing well-up among the nation's 3,072 counties in business activity.

The findings are contained in Sales Management's new, copyrighted survey of buying power, with statistics for 1953 for all parts of the country.

Continued heavy spending by residents of Smyth County was a bright spot in the local business picture. Their purchases in the county's retail stores reached \$19,666,000 in the year, slightly above the \$18,941,000 volume recorded in 1952.

Per family, these expenditures amounted to \$2,770 in the year, an increase over the \$2,745 per family of the prior year.

The strength in consumer spending in the county stemmed from better earning power, which made for easier budgets and greater diversity of expenditures, especially in the direction of luxuries.

The data shows that the 7,100 local families had a net disposable income, after taxes, of \$24,653,000.

The per-family income in Smyth County, an arithmetical figure obtained by dividing total income by total number of families, was \$3,472 last year. That more money is going into savings and into insurance and investments locally is indicated by the fact that only 80 cents of each available dollar is being spent in retail stores.

Such considerations as the number of people living in an area, the amount they earn and spend and the amount they might have spent go into a rating called "buying power index." For Smyth County it is .0122, which is the percent of the national business that might be produced locally. Actually only .0115 percent of that potential was reached last year, indicating that much pent-up purchasing power remains.

Smyth County had its second traffic fatality and five other wrecks during the past week, which marked the opening of the vacation season.

Tom C. Honeycutt was fatally injured Tuesday, and several other persons have been injured in the last few days.

Smyth County Sheriff W. Pat Jennings this week asked that motorists exercise extreme caution now that school is out, and children are playing along the streets. "We

Radar Unit Shown In Smyth County

Troopers Will Use Unit to Check Speed

Sgt. J. W. Burrow of the Virginia State Police Monday afternoon demonstrated the use of radar for the control of speed in Smyth County which will become effective July 1.

The General Assembly passed a law providing for the use of radar by state troopers.

The small unit was set up on Rt. 11 about three miles east of Marion Monday afternoon with all local officers attending the demonstration. This set can be carried around in a car and is small enough to be set up along the highways.

The entire unit consists of a transmitter and receiver, six volt battery, power unit and a speed meter. The transmitter sends out a fan shaped beam. When this beam is struck by any moving object it is then reflected back to the receiver. The speed of the moving object is then turned into miles per hour and registered on the meter. Some of the units have an attachment that records the speed.

The speed is correct within one mile per hour. The beam of the transmitter is sent out about 250 feet from the unit.

Such objects as a tractor and trailer or bus, something bigger than a car, will break the beam earlier than the car. The new equipment will include about 500 feet of cable, thus allowing the trooper to move back from the road and still check speed without being seen.

If a person travels at a speed of 70 miles per hour and is checked by the radar he is then stopped by a trooper.

Sgt. Burrow pointed out that the speed registered on the meter in a car, in most cases, are off from 2 m. p. h. to 10 m. p. h. This unit will not vary, he added.

are having visitors from all over the country since the tourist season has opened," the sheriff said. "We must be cautious and courteous. So far this year there have been two traffic deaths in Smyth County. We want to keep that total down, and it will take the cooperation and help of every person who drives a car or crosses a street to do it."

Tom Chalmers Honeycutt, 79, Radford, was killed instantly in an automobile accident Tuesday morning at approximately 6:30 on Rt. 11 about three miles east of Marion, according to State Trooper S. M. Norris.

The 1948 Chevrolet, operated by Bertha Farmer Honeycutt, 47, of Nashville, Tenn., was traveling west on Rt. 11 when the car went out of control from an undetermined cause, Norris stated. The vehicle traveled down an embankment and turned over.

Mrs. Honeycutt was a daughter-in-law of Tom Honeycutt. The other passenger in the car was Henry David Honeycutt, husband of the driver. Mr. Honeycutt suffered some broken ribs and bruises. Mrs. Honeycutt suffered cuts and bruises.

The two younger persons had been to Radford, where they picked up Tom Honeycutt and were traveling to Nashville. The two left Marion Tuesday morning for Radford, where funeral service for Mr. Honeycutt will be held.

Trooper Norris stated that his investigation of the accident was still not completed.

Trooper V. W. Hinton investigated a wreck Sunday in which a 1947 Ford operated by Allen F. Barker, 29, of Konnarock was involved in a one car accident in the St. Clair section, three miles south of the bridge.

The Barker vehicle rounded a curve on a gravel road and ran off the left shoulder, hit a bank and turned over in the middle of the road, bursting into flames.

There were five others in the car but no one injured. Barker is charged with reckless driving and is to appear Saturday in Trial Justice Court, Hinton stated.

Saturday night about 11:50 two 17-year-olds were involved in an auto accident, investigated by Trooper Norris. A 1939 Chevrolet was traveling along Rt. 16, south of Marion below the brickyard when the vehicle stopped. Three other young boys in the car started pushing the stalled vehicle when a 1947 Ford crashed into the left rear and ran off the left side of the road into a ditch. The young boys narrowly escaped death, Norris stated, because they were pushing the car on the side instead of the back.

Damage to the Chevrolet was estimated at \$50. The two boys are charged with reckless driving and are to appear in court July 9.

Friday night a 1947 Ford operated by Robert Testerman, 24, of Marion was involved in an auto accident at the west end of Atkins on US Rt. 11. The vehicle rounded a curve, the operator lost control, and

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Red Cross Swimming Is Now Underway At Hungry Mother Park

The water safety and swimming classes, sponsored by the Smyth County Chapter, American Red Cross, started at the Hungry Mother Park lake this Monday with about 350 children turning out.

Monday morning children from Chilhowie, Marion, Atkins and Sugar Grove gathered at the park for registration. Students were allowed to sign up the first three days, but it is now impossible to accept new students. Red Moore stated this Wednesday.

The classes will run through June 25, Mr. Moore added. Moore and Malcolm Brown are in charge of the program.

Miss Nancy Walker and Tex Williams are in charge of the classes.

Mr. Moore stated that plans now are to hold a water carnival at the close of the school with the students demonstrating the various techniques taught. The instructors will aid in this carnival.

Jones Named President Of Jaycees Here

George Kiser Chosen First Vice President

Donald Jones was elected president of the Marion Junior Chamber of Commerce for the coming year at a dinner meeting held at Hemlock Haven last Thursday night.

Other officers elected were George Kiser, first vice president; Charles Franzen, second vice president; Eddie Duke, secretary, and Marvin Conner, treasurer.

The new officers stepped into office last week at the meeting. W. R. (Bill) Hubble is the past president of the club.

The Marion Jaycees were founded to render service to the community in various programs they sponsor. The club is backing a team in the newly organized Marion Little League and various other civic activities.

SMYTH COUNTY WHEAT BUYERS TO HOLD MEET

All persons in Smyth County who plan to buy wheat were requested to turn in their names to the county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office and attend a meeting to be held at the office June 25 at 10 a. m.

George DeBusk, county chairman added that threshermen and combine operators who take wheat for toll should also attend this meeting.

PFC. CUMMINGS HAS COMPLETED TRAINING

Pfc. Wilburn R. Cummings has completed his military police training at Camp Gordon, Ga., and left Sunday from Camp Kilmer, N. J., for duty in Puerto Rico and the Caribbean.

Pfc. Cummings is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Neel Cummings of Route 1, Marion.

Wolfe Honored For Bond Sales Service

W. A. Wolfe, president of the Marion National Bank, this Tuesday received a silver pin for having served for 13 years as chairman of the Smyth County savings bond program.

B. C. Moomaw, deputy director of the savings bond division for Virginia, in presenting the award at the weekly meeting of the Marion Kiwanis Club at Hotel Lincoln, stated that from May, 1941, through March, 1954, Smyth residents have purchased \$13,000,000 worth of bonds.

Mr. Moomaw also presented Mr. Wolfe with an illuminated copy of President Eisenhower's prayer in recognition of the fact that Smyth County exceeded its quota in 1953.

COMING EVENTS

For events not conducted for private gain. Column closes noon Wednesday. (Mail postcard or dial Marion 3-8001)

THURSDAY, JUNE 17
MARGIE SHUMATE CIRCLE of the Marion Baptist Church will meet at the church, 6:45, to go to the Southwestern State Hospital.

FRIDAY, JUNE 18
ICE CREAM SUPPER, sponsored by the Grace Methodist Church WSCS, will be held at the church, 7 p. m.

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, JUNE 11-12
BUMMAGE SALE AND BAKE SALE sponsored by the Lansdown PTA, in former location of Wolfe's Grocery.

SATURDAY, JUNE 19
THE LANSDOWN HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB will meet at the school building, 2 p. m.

BAKE SALE, 10 a. m. in Vance Company Store in Chilhowie. Sponsored by Cora Vance Circle of Baptist Church.

SUNDAY, JUNE 21
PILOT CLUB, regular dinner meeting, 6:30 p. m. at Hemlock Haven.

TUESDAY, JUNE 22
MT. CARMEL HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB will hold an all day meeting at Mt. Carmel Church on refinishing furniture. Pot luck supper.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23
BLUE SPRINGS HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB meets at 10 a. m. with Mrs. Jewel Thompson. Pot luck supper. Demonstration: "Refinishing Furniture."

THURSDAY, JUNE 24
RICH VALLEY HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB meets at 10 a. m. with Mrs. Louise Goss. Pot luck dinner. Demonstration: Refinishing Furniture.

FRIDAY, JUNE 25
RIVE VALLEY HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB meets at 10 a. m. at the Rive Valley School. Demonstration: "Refinishing Furniture."

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23
A SILVER TEA, sponsored by the WSCS of Grace Methodist Church in Marion, will be held at the church, 2 to 5 p. m.

M. L. Prescott Fined \$100 For Drunk Driving

M. L. Prescott Saturday in Trial Justice Court was fined \$100 and costs for driving drunk, and his drivers permit was revoked for one year along with a 30 days suspended sentence.

There were two persons in court for being intoxicated in public. One was fined \$10 and costs. Juanita Walls was fined \$10 and costs and given 12 months. Her warrant was written to include vagrancy and having no visible means of support. Judge W. V. Birchfield said the woman would have to leave town.

William D. White, Pulaski, was fined \$25 and costs and given 60 days in jail for operating a vehicle while his permit was revoked.

Kenneth L. Adams was fined \$10 and costs for reckless driving. Windell T. Gallimore, Wytheville, was fined \$10 and costs for no operator's license and \$24 and costs for reckless driving. Gallimore was involved in an auto accident on Rt. 16 in which Phearon Stone-man received a broken back.

One youth was fined \$10 and costs for operating a vehicle without a license and \$25 and costs for reckless driving.

A case involving a youth for reckless driving was dismissed.

Bookmobile Schedule

Monday, June 21
New Quarry—Patrick's Store 10:30 a. m.
F. M. Worley's Store, 11:30 a. m.
Mrs. Bertha Whitley's Store, 12:30 p. m.
Rich Valley High School, 1:30 p. m.

Tuesday — June 22
Porter Rice's Filing Station, 10:30 a. m.
Seven Mile Ford Post Office, 11:15 a. m.
Sugar Grove (7 Mile Ford), 11:30 a. m.
Cleghorn, 1 p. m.
Blevins Store, 1:45 p. m.
Walker's Creek School, 2:30 p. m.

Thursday — June 24
Buckeye Hollow School, 10 a. m.
Allison Gap School, 11:15 a. m.
Saltville High School, 12:45 p. m.
Saltville one room school, 2 p. m.

SMYTH COUNTY SPORTSMEN TO HOLD MEETING FRIDAY

The Smyth County Sportsmen and Fox Hunters Association will meet Friday at 8 p. m. at Ridgedale.

All members of this organization are urged to attend.

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Saltville

Mrs. C. S. BARKER
Saltville, June 14 — Mrs. Albert Talley and Barbara Ann, Mrs. R. J. McEhratt, Mrs. Hattie Hartman and Doris Bridgeman of Saltville and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Cruseberry and three children, Michael, Terry and Janice, of Bristol spent last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Davis at Green Cove. Michael and Terry spent the week end with their grandmother, Mrs. Talley. Mr. and Mrs. Cruseberry spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Talley.
Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Perkins were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Perkins, Tommy and Danny of Bluefield, W. Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Patrick and Carol of Bristol. Mrs. Jimmie Taylor

of Bluefield and Miss Vivian Counts were week-end guests. Others who visited the Perkins' Sunday and through the week were Mr. and Mrs. George Snow Jr. and Ann of McCreedy, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones of Bristol, Fred Taylor and son, Donald, of Glade Spring. Mrs. S. R. Webb of Meadowview, Mrs. George Hammond of Plasterco, Miss Loretta Snodgrass, Mrs. Ocie Taylor, Kyle and Glenn of Hayter's Gap, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Taylor of Aftex, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Campbell of Marion were visitors of his father Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Colley of Marion visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Colley, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barker, Tony Anderson, Mrs. Edith B. Hall and son, Brad,

and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Morrell of Johnson City, Tenn., who spent the week end in the Barker home, visited Mrs. Barker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Webb, of Meadowview Sunday afternoon. Tony Anderson, who was a week-end guest of his grandparents, the Barkers, returned his home in Elizabethton, Tenn., Sunday evening with the Morrells.

Miss June Totten attended music camp at Massanetta Springs last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perkins visited Mrs. Roy Duncan of Abingdon Wednesday. The latter has been ill for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith and children, Brack and Susan, are on vacation this week.

Mrs. Robe Woods and grandson of Bristol were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Colley.

Mrs. C. M. Helton spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Clarence McCray, and family in Bristol.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Poin-dexter of Cleveland, Ohio, were last week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Wix. Donald and Bobbie Goodman accompanied them home for a summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ivey and family are visiting relatives in Buena Vista and Front Royal this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Patter-son and family of Central City, Ky., have returned home after spending a vacation with relatives here and in Abingdon.

Mrs. Clarence Brown visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Rose, Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Overbay had as visitors Sunday evening Mrs. W. M. Lee, Miss Mary Lee, Mrs. Joe Taylor and Mrs. Pete Wyatt.

Fred Barker spent last Thursday and Friday visiting friends and relatives in Johnson City and Elizabethton, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Rose and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith and daughter, Judy, visited in Konnarock and Damascus Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Parks, Ray Parks and Airman Garland Parks of Panama City, Fla., visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Talbert of Jenkinjones, W. Va., Monday.
Mrs. W. M. Lee continues ill at her home.

HORACE MYERS WILL ATTEND C OF C INSTITUTE IN N. C.

Horace E. Myers, secretary of the Marion Chamber of Commerce, will be a second year student in the Southeastern Institute for Chamber of Commerce Executives at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, June 19-26.
This school is attended by more than 300 Chamber of Commerce executives from the Southeastern United States and scattered points over the country.

Mrs. Porterfield Is Hostess to Chapter

The Saltville Preston Chapter, UDC, held its regular meeting last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. T. B. Porterfield in Glade Spring.

There were 15 members and four visitors attending. The program was called to order in ritualistic form by Mrs. V. T. Rector. Reports were given by the secretary and treasurer.

It was announced that 19 contestants entered the essay contest. Prizes were awarded to the two winners who were Helen Williams of Saltville and Georgia Hutton of Meadowview.

Mrs. W. G. Buchanan and Mrs. Porterfield were selected to have their names placed in the book of remembrance in the memorial building in Washington, D. C. A letter from Mrs. Bishop complimenting the chapter on its outstanding work for the year was read.

Mrs. Enoch Frye gave an historical program. Mrs. Virginia Harmon showed slides on her recent three months' trip around the world. She also showed souvenirs of various places of interest she had visited.

The July meeting will be with Mrs. Mary McNew in Clinchburg. Mrs. Norman Campbell will be program leader. The winners of the essay contest will be guests at this meeting.

The chapter will sponsor a bazaar and silver tea at the home of Mrs. Rector in July.

New Quarry and Oak Grove

MISS DORIS BISE
New Quarry and Oak Grove, June 6 — Mrs. J. W. Bise spent June 5 with her daughter, Mrs. Reece Kinder and Mr. Kinder of Tazewell.

Mrs. Harry Doane is visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doane, of Rockville, Md.

Nialla May of Bishop, W. Va., spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. C. E. Breedlove, Mr. Breedlove and family recently.

June 6 guests of the J. W. Bise family were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Neal and family of Page-ton, W. Va., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller of Huntington, W. Va., and Mrs. George Snow and son, Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tuggle and son, Jerry, of Baltimore, Md., spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Albert Keene, and Mr. Keene recently.

June 4 guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bise were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones and daughter, Jean.

Mrs. Eugene Ritter and daughters have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Julia Doane, and Ann.

Richard Neal of Pageton, W. Va., has been spending a few weeks with his aunt, Mrs. J. W. Bise, Mr. Bise and family. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mills Jr. and Jimmy Dayton Snow spent June 5 with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mills, and family of Princeton, W. Va.
June 6 guests of the Bub

Katherine Mason Marries Thomas B. Millard



Miss Katherine Elinora Mason became the bride of Thomas Burke Millard in a double ring ceremony performed by candlelight Sunday, June 6, at 4 o'clock in the Chilhowie Methodist Church, the Rev. M. C. Phillip officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Mason of Chilhowie, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Burke Samuel Millard of Chattanooga, Tenn.

The church was decorated with baskets of gladioli, rhododendron, greenery and candelabra. Candelighters were Fred Albert Mason, brother of the bride, and Jimmy Crutchfield.

Preceding the ceremony Mrs. J. Bayard Cole, organist, gave a program of wedding music.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white slipper satin, fashioned with fitted bodice and round neckline, trimmed with embroidered lace and pearls. The long fitted sleeves ended in points over the hands, and the gathered skirt terminated into a circular train. The fingertip veil of imported silk illusion was attached to a hat of embroidered lace and pearls. She carried a bouquet of white orchids and stephanotis.

Mrs. Joe F. Price, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. John Mason Jr., Chilhowie; Mrs. Tom Cates, Knoxville, Tenn.; Miss Ann Mae Millard, sister of the groom, and Miss Emma Brown of Wartburg, Tenn. The Rev. James Millard,

Nashville, Tenn., served his brother as best man. Ushers were John Mason Jr., brother of the bride, Bob Zumstein, Wartburg, Tenn., Tom Cates, Knoxville, Tenn., and Sonny Crouch of Chattanooga, Tenn.

The bride's mother wore rose crepe and lace with white accessories and an orchid corsage.

The groom's mother wore grey lace with white accessories and an orchid corsage.

Immediately following the ceremony the bride's parents entertained with a reception at Hotel Poole for the immediate families and out of town guests.

For a southern wedding trip, the bride wore an aqua linen dress with white accessories and the orchid lifted from her bouquet.

Mrs. Millard is a graduate of Tennessee Wesleyan College, Athens, Tenn., and the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tenn. For the past two years she has been a teacher in Wartburg, Tenn.

Mr. Millard is a graduate of the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tenn., and is now serving in the US Army, stationed at Fort Jackson, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Mason entertained the bridal party and out of town guests with a dinner at Hemlock Haven June 5.

Following the rehearsal Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hutchins, aunt and uncle of the bride, entertained the rehearsal party at their home in Marion.

Harris and Poke Snow families were Mr. and Mrs. James Snow and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mills attended the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Wade Neal, recently at Rhodell, W. Va. The body was brought from Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Mc-Cachren of Charlotte, N. C., returned home June 4 after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Cordia Jones. While here they visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holliday of Abingdon; Mr. and Mrs. Coke McAllister, Mrs. Darcus Widener and Mrs. India Thomas of Chilhowie; Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bise, Mr. and Mrs. Eubert Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones, Mr. and Mrs. John Jones, Mr. and Mrs. John Breedlove, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Buchanan and Granny Bise of Rural Retreat.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Phillips and Lequita and Ronald of Bristol, Tenn., Mrs. Will Johnson and Mackie Johnson of Seven Mile Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl McAllister and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones and children were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill McAllister.

Charles Keesee and a friend of the U. S. Air Force recently spent a week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keesee.

Mrs. Cordia Jones, Mrs. John Breedlove, Patsy Bise, Mr. and Mrs. John McCachren and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones were supper guests June 7 of the Rev. and Mrs. Roy W. Redding of Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Chapman have purchased a home and moved to Chilhowie.

Paul Somervell has returned home after being a patient at the Johnston Memorial Hospital in Abingdon.

Mrs. Ralph Jones spent June 4 with Mrs. Walker Bise.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holliday, Freddie and Norman of Abingdon visited her mother, Mrs. Cordia Jones June 5.

Mr. and Mrs. John Breedlove, Mrs. Cordia Jones and

New Smyth Citizens

Marion General
Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Dolinger, Rt. 3, Marion, boy, June 8.
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Blevins, Marion, girl, June 12.
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Holdaway, Mouth of Wilson, girl, June 12.

Lee Memorial
Mr. and Mrs. James Norman, Marion, boy, June 14.
Mr. and Mrs. James Armstrong, Atkins, girl, June 14.
Thomas K. McKee
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cregger, Saltville, boy, June 10.
Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Ledbetter, Saltville, boy, June 10.
Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Snead, Saltville, girl, June 11.

Greener Club
Mr. and Mrs. James H. Doane, Chilhowie, boy, May 21.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walks, Chilhowie, girl, June 1.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blevins, Konnarock, boy, June 6.

HOSPITAL PATIENTS

Lee Memorial Tuesday, June 15 Medical
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Mr. and Mrs. Carl McAllister and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones and children were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill McAllister.

Charles Keesee and a friend of the U. S. Air Force recently spent a week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keesee.

Mrs. Cordia Jones, Mrs. John Breedlove, Patsy Bise, Mr. and Mrs. John McCachren and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones were supper guests June 7 of the Rev. and Mrs. Roy W. Redding of Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Chapman have purchased a home and moved to Chilhowie.

Paul Somervell has returned home after being a patient at the Johnston Memorial Hospital in Abingdon.

Mrs. Ralph Jones spent June 4 with Mrs. Walker Bise.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holliday, Freddie and Norman of Abingdon visited her mother, Mrs. Cordia Jones June 5.

Mr. and Mrs. John Breedlove, Mrs. Cordia Jones and

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Chilhowie

MRS. HILTON RECTOR

Chilhowie, June 14 — Charles Hawthorne remains a patient in McGuire Hospital in Richmond, where he has been for the past five weeks. His wife and Mrs. Gerald Wolfe visited him week end before last.

Jane and Frank Sanders and William St. John attended 4-H camp in Greeneville, Tenn., last week.

Mrs. John Lynch Sanders returned home Saturday after being a patient in the Abingdon Hospital.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Patrick were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sheets and daughters, Kitty and June, of Radford; Mr. and Mrs. Kay Cahill and daughters of Saltville; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hammonds and children, Caroline and James, of Piasterco.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Greever of Blacksburg spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyncus Greever.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Osborne of Crescent, N. C., were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Prater and other relatives.

Mrs. Neal Blevins left Monday for Radford to attend summer school at Radford College.

Among those who are attending Emory and Henry College for the summer session are Neal Blevins, Donald Wheelless, Sam L. (Buddy) Crockett and David Bonham. Those attending the Massan-

etta Music Camp this week at Massanetta Springs are Betty June and Jeanne Spurgeon, Ann Herrington, Sarah Bonham, Patricia Duncan, Wyness Wheelless, Benny Sanders and William St. John. Band director L. C. Krumwiede, who accompanied the group, is an instructor at the camp. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Spurgeon also accompanied the group, returning home Monday afternoon.

A group from the Chilhowie Christian Church is attending the Christian Service Camp Albemarle at Charlottesville this week. They are Mary Ellen Keesee, Geraldine Wolfe, Anna Lee Wyatt, Joan Mullins, Barbara Osborne, Gordon Tuell, Roy and Joe Poole. The Rev. Desmond Cole accompanied the group Monday and will return for them Saturday.

Mrs. Clifford Hopkins and Carolyn left Sunday for Newark, N. J., where they will be guests of her sister, Mrs. Willis Dolinger, and family. Mr. Hopkins will join them for the Fourth of July after which they will return home.

Mrs. John Gollehon of Seven Mile Ford is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Roy Colley, and Mr. Colley in Baltimore, Md. She plans to return home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Manuel and daughters spent Sunday with relatives in Max Meadows.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blankenbecker and children, Martha Jo and Johnnie, spent several days last week in Richmond. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Blankenbecker in Hope-well.

Lincoln Minnick of Detroit, Mich., is visiting his father,

Frank Minnick, and Mrs. Minnick. Mr. Minnick remains very ill at his home.

Mrs. Hilton Rector is a patient in the Abingdon Hospital.

Mrs. W. T. Eads is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Groselove, and family in Pearisburg.

Mrs. Fred Jones and Kay of Radford visited Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Copenhaver Jr. They attended the Deaton-St. John wedding Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Neal Miller, Mrs. Frank Cole, Mrs. Ralph Stokes and Miss Malissa Bowman are attending the University of Virginia extension classes at Marion this week.

Mary Charies and Jackie Williams of Johnson City spent last week with Mrs. W. R. Urps. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams, came for them Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Rice.

Coach Bob Coulthard is attending the University of Virginia summer sessions.

Among those from out of town attending the funeral of J. Vance Snavely were Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. John McGhee, Mrs. Luther Greenwood, Miss Betty Lou Greenwood and Mrs. Clara Hill Carner, Marion; Miss Helen Hill, Appalachia; Mrs. Mabel Stump, Bristol; the Rev. George B. McCrary and Mrs. McCrary, Elgin, Texas.

Mrs. Rollins Named President of BPW Club in Chilhowie

Mrs. Pansy Rollins was installed as charter president of the Chilhowie Business and Professional Women's Club at a dinner this Tuesday evening at Hotel Poole in Chilhowie.

Mrs. Ruth Cantor, assisted by four other members of the Abingdon BPW Club, was in charge of the ceremony.

Others officers are first vice president, Mrs. Annie Hubble; second vice president, Miss Florence Buchanan; recording secretary, Mrs. June Overbay; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Geraldine Trent; treasurer, Miss Malissa Bowman; parliamentarian, Miss Louise Snavely, and arrangers, Mrs. Annie Hubble and Mrs. Helen Hayes.

Following the installation of officers, Mrs. Rollins appointed committee chairman as follows: membership and emblem, Mrs. Annie Hubble; program, Miss Florence Buchanan; fine arts, Mrs. Margaret Reaser; international relations, Miss Margaret Buchanan; news service, Mrs. Janie Buchanan; legislation, Miss Minnie Rouse; health and safety, Mrs. Edith Cole; finance, Miss Malissa Bowman; house, Mrs. Katherine Thomas, and history, Mrs. Raeburn Blevins.

The Chilhowie Club has 21 charter members and had 25 members present at the installation dinner.

Awards Presented To Chilhowie Seniors

Awards presented to Seniors of the Chilhowie High School at the graduating exercises Tuesday night included valedictorian, Janet Haga; salutatorian, and also citizenship award, Shelva Jean Blevins; activities, Josephine Duncan, and school spirit, Nancy St. John. The Arion award, which is the highest band award, went to Lowell Hopkins, who also received a scholarship to study music at William and Mary College.

The awards were presented by members of the high school faculty, and Miss Louise Snavely, senior sponsor, assisted in giving the diplomas to the 49

seniors, which was the largest graduating class of the Chilhowie school.

Smyth County Loses A Total of 90 Acres Of Forest to Fires

D. M. Waite, district forester of Bristol, announced this week that in the first six weeks of 1954 Smyth County lost about 90 acres of forest to fires.

Smyth County, along with Russell, Washington and Grayson, was at the bottom of the list with Buchanan County at the top with a total of 845 burned over acres.

Waite added that after careful investigation by officials,

the Commonwealth was able to collect about one third of the total cost for fire suppression from people and companies responsible. He further pointed out that nearly all the fires reported this spring could have been prevented.

Waite said that a very conservative estimate of the damage was set at between 25 and 30 thousand dollars.

Delegates Chosen To Farmers Meet

R. M. McGhee, secretary-treasurer of the Smyth County Farmers Union, has announced that delegates for the

constitutional convention of the Virginia Farmers Union, to be held in Richmond June 23-24, have been chosen.

Those who will attend this convention will include Mr. McGhee, R. C. Gwyn Jr., Franklin Willard and V. M. Cox.

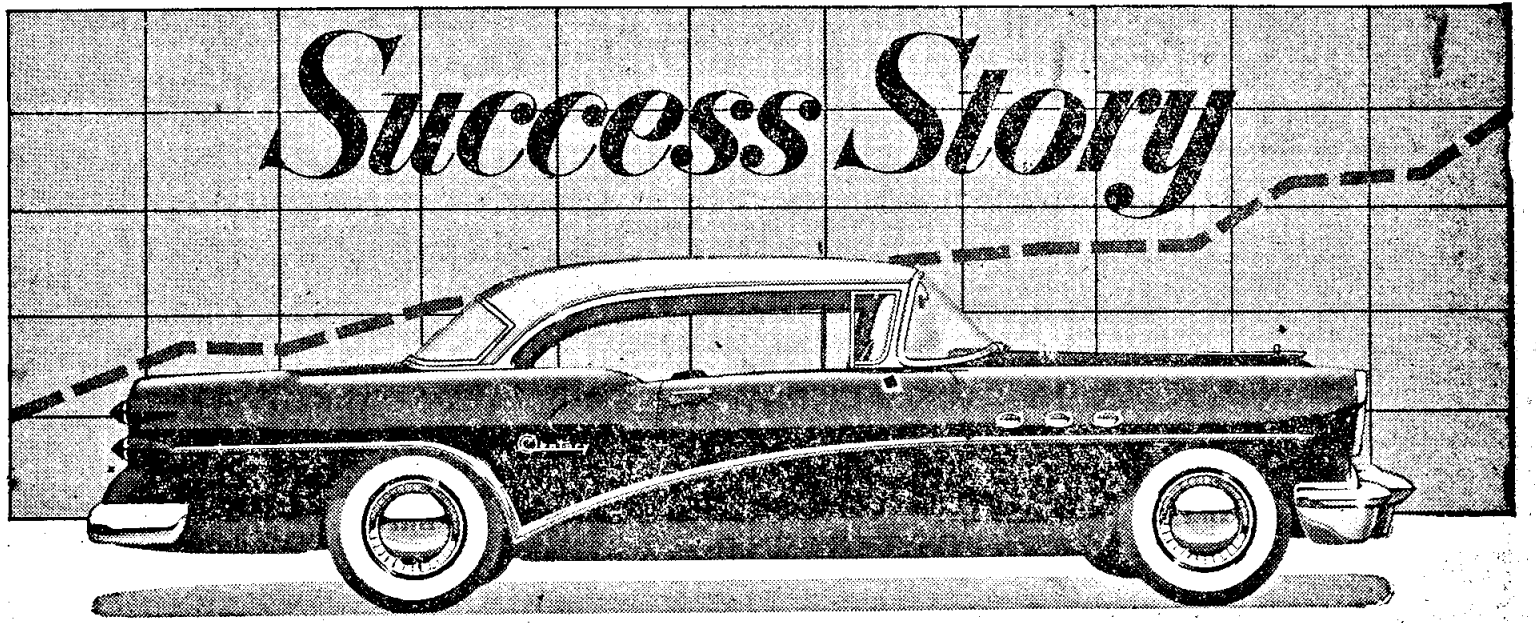
The various delegates will elect the state officials, adopt a state constitution and adopt resolutions to guide the policies of the state organization. Mr. McGhee stated it was expected that the delegates would adopt resolutions giving unqualified support to a continuation of farm price supports at no less than 90 per cent of parity.

PFC. RONALD DOANE IS SERVING IN KOREA

Pfc. Ronald K. Doane, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Doane, Saltville, is a member of the I Corps' 204th Field Artillery Battalion which is helping to construct a new government building for a village in Korea.

His battalion is supplying technical advisors and supervisors, materials are furnished by the Korean Civil Assistance Command and Korean natives are providing the labor.

Doane entered the army during January 1953 and arrived in Korea the following August from Fort Campbell, Ky.



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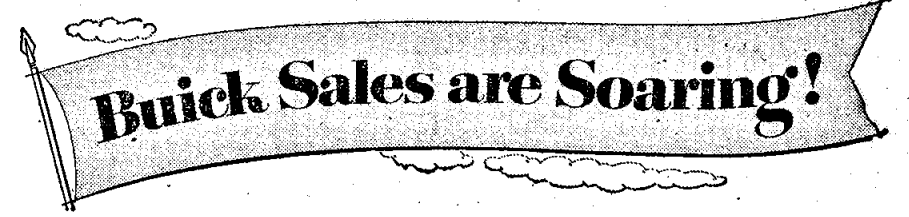
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Notices (11) We will run mineral analysis for manganese, silica and aluminum for \$10. Call 3-4151 and ask for Bill Schock. Union Manganese Co., Inc. 4-8-17F

NOTICE is hereby given that I will appear before the Town Council of Marion on July 2, to apply for license to operate a taxicab in Marion. L. H. Nelkirk. 6-17-21p

I am not responsible for any debts made by my wife after this date. Oscar W. Blackwell. 6-17-17p

Cards of Thanks (12) We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses extended us during our recent bereavement. Also for the beautiful flowers. Mrs. James T. Frye and family.

In Memory (13) In memory of Darrel P. Earnest, son of Mr. and Mrs. When we were Oh, so happy June 1937. We're dreaming today of your childhood. Day's that have long gone by. When we were Oh so happy With never a cure or sigh.

Thayer's Antique Shop Furniture — China — Glass — General Line Antiques. Hutton Street, 100 Yds. off Rt. 11. ABBINGDON VIRGINIA

But you are now just a picture. Who seems to smile at us and say, Please don't grieve for me Mom and Dad, We'll be together again some day.

Yes, we'd like to go back to your childhood And spend just one glad day. Hearing you talking and laughing. Watching you at your play.

But somewhere back of the sunset, Where the loveliness never dies, You live in a land of glory, With the blue and gold of the skies.

You had a smile for every one, A heart as pure as gold. And to us dear Darrel who loved you, Your memory will never grow old.

No, you're not dead to us who loved you, Not lost, just gone before. You live in God's beautiful garden, And in our hearts forever more. Lovingly, Mom and Dad

Special Notices (14)

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth, on the 2nd day of May 1954, Fannie Eller Blevins, Complainant, against Ephine J. Blevins care Lincoln Hotel, San Francisco, California, Defendant.

IN CHANCERY The object of this suit is to: obtain a divorce a mensa et thoro on the grounds of desertion, or a divorce a vinculo matrimonii if the complainant is entitled thereto.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear within 10 days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Smyth County News, a newspaper published in the County of Smyth, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of this County within ten days after entry of this order.

A copy—Teste: LLOYD E. CURRIN, Clerk Marion, Va. 5-27-41

"Public Notice This is to advise that the State Water Control Board has received an application from Manganese Mining & Contracting Corporation, P. O. Box 5285, Baltimore 24, Maryland, to discharge treated waste waters from a manganese ore washing plant at Marion, Virginia, into Killinger Creek, Smyth County.

Persons wishing information concerning this proposal should write to: State Water Control Board 415 West Franklin Street Richmond, Virginia." 5-27-41

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth, on the 1st day of June 1954 Harry Gordon Fouse et al, Complainant against William Fouse et al, Defendant

IN CHANCERY The object of this suit is to: partition real estate located on Walker's Creek and Walker's Mountain, Smyth County, owned by William Patterson Fouse, at his death. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants William R. Fouse, Minnie Bell Fouse and Martha Ellen Fouse are not residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they do appear within 10 days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

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VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth, on the 1st day of June 1954 Eva Ward, Jackson, Complainant against Samuel Jackson, Defendant

General Delivery Baltimore, Maryland IN CHANCERY The object of this suit is to: obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the grounds of desertion for more than one year.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant Samuel Jackson is not resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

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MRS. IDA BOWLING — A TRIBUTE

On June 12 the end came to the good life of a good woman. Mrs. Ida Bowling died as she had lived in perfect concord with nature and life, her last hours marked by dreamless sleep acting as an anodyne to the invincible adversary.

Born in an age of stern necessity when some of her section was still reminiscent of the wilderness and when motive power was limited in part to ox and horse, she lived to see the dawning of the new ages of fossil fuel and nuclear fission. Accepting changes as they came she did not depart from early precepts however and dwelt in the cool sequestered vale of life in the still rural areas which according to Epicures was the chief requisite to happiness.

Delighted with heart and home, with the all-embracing mystery of vegetative growth, she spent happy hours in their nurture. Early in her conduct with others she committed the Golden Rule, which in positive or negative form is basic in so many religions, to memory and then committed it to life. As far as she might she followed the Noble precept of Buddha to hurt no living thing. She always had some gentle word to say, some kindly thing to do for of such her life was wrought.

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It is said that the highest monuments should often be placed over the graves of those who dwelled in relative anonymity and obscurity. Recent revelations of archeology in the Valley of the Sacred Nile have shown the fertility and fatuity of man's endeavor to apotheosize himself, as the dream

Wrecks

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 the car traveled a distance of 564 feet, sliding, turning over several times and knocking down trees. The car knocked a hole in the side of Mrs. F. L. Hick's house. The driver was thrown through the window when the car hit the house. He landed on the porch and was not injured.
 This was the second car to land in the house of Mrs. Hicks in the past 18 months.
 Investigating officer was Trooper Norris, who stated that

Testerman was charged with reckless driving and is to appear in Trial Justice Court Saturday. The vehicle was a total loss.
 Friday morning around 10:20 at the corner of Franklin and Maple Street in Marion a 1953 Chevrolet operated by Frank W. Park, 57, Marion and a 1942 Chevrolet two-ton truck operated by James Harris, 35, also of Marion were involved in a collision.
 The Ford car was damaged on the left rear fender and left door, estimated at \$150 by the investigating officer, Patrolman

Eddie Atkinson. No charges were written in this case.
 Friday morning at 9 o'clock in the Allison Gap section a 1950 Chevrolet taxi operated by Al Smith of Saltville collided with a 1951 Chevrolet operated by Ryburn Cardwell, also of Saltville.
 The accident occurred at the intersection of State Rt. 613 and 634.
 There was slight damage to the Cardwell car, according to S. C. Snodgrass, investigating officer.
 No charges were written.
 Monday afternoon at 4:50 p. m. nine miles east of Marion on Rt. 11 a 1953 Chevrolet operated by Gordon Linkous collided with a 1953 DeSoto operated by Joe Brown of Jellico, Tenn. The vehicle operated by Brown was traveling east, passed another car and met Linkous traveling west. Both vehicles turned off to the north side of the road and collided.
 Mrs. C. B. Brown, Jellico, Tenn., received slight injuries to the left knee and left hip.
 Investigating officer was Trooper V. W. Hinton, who estimated damage to the Linkous car at \$500 and at \$300 to the Brown vehicle. No charges were written.
 Later Monday afternoon around 6:50 a 1948 Dodge ton and a half truck operated by Garland Lowe of Chilhowie was traveling up grade on Rt.

600, St. Clair Creek section, when his motor failed. The brakes on the truck failed, and the vehicle started rolling back. The truck rolled about 1,000 feet and ran into the home of G. B. Eller. It finally landed in the front room.
 The investigating officer, Trooper Hinton, estimated damage to the house at \$200 and about \$50 to the truck. No charges were written.
 Tuesday on Rt. 16 at the top of Iron Mountain a 1954 Mercury operated by Clark Jones, Portsmouth, was traveling north to Sugar Grove and collided with a 1952 Dodge ton and a half truck operated by Earl Rash, West Jefferson, N. C.
 Jones skidded on a curve and ran into Rash. Trooper Hinton estimated damage at \$250 to each vehicle. No charges were written.
 Wednesday night about 11:30 o'clock a 1953 Buick operated by Dolore; Copenhaver, Marion, collided with a truck operated by Herman Keith, Chilhowie. The Buick was traveling toward Chilhowie on Rt. 636 near Horseshoe bend and skidded on the wet pavement, striking the parked truck.
 Trooper Hinton estimated damage to the truck at \$75 and \$350 to the car. Hinton stated that his investigation was not complete, and charges had not been written.
 Tuesday afternoon about 2:30 a truck operated by W. C. Berry of Chilhowie was crossing the bridge on Rt. 660 at the Riverside School when the bridge gave way.
 The truck fell part of the way through the bridge, but little damage was done to the truck. State highway men worked and moved the truck from the bridge.

WHARF HILL GROUP INSTALLS OFFICERS

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the Wharf Hill Methodist Church in Sugar Grove had a candlelight installation service for its new officers last Thursday at the church.
 The new president is Mrs. Mary Jo Phillipi. Other officers include Mrs. Mary Etta Pierce, vice president; Mrs. Mary C. Pafford, recording secretary; Mrs. Edna Calhoun, secretary of promotion; Mrs. Bess Roberts, treasurer; Mrs. Marie Ward, spiritual life cultivation; Mrs. Stellena Poe, missionary education and service; Mrs. Dorthea Hall, Christian social relations and local church activity; Mrs. Bethel Curran, status of women; Mrs. Maxine Blankenbecker, supply work; Mrs. Edna Calhoun, publicity; Mrs. Kitty Cox, literature, and Mrs. Elizabeth Prater, membership.
 The program was in charge of Mrs. Calhoun with Mrs. Phillipi, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Prater taking part.
 After the business meeting, refreshments were served.
 The next meeting will be with Mrs. Curran.

Groseclose, Joe Eller, George H. McCreedy, Marion; A. E. Johnson, W. R. Earnest, Sugar Grove.
 Members of the farm home advisory committee are Mrs. O. M. Falke, chairman, Mrs. Enoch Horne, Mrs. George D. Groseclose and Mrs. Raymond Sherwood, Marion; Mrs. Ted R. Calhoun, Mrs. Howard Hut-ton, Sugar Grove.

Mrs. Charlie Thompson is ill. Kent Myers spent Saturday night with his niece, Mrs. David Hubble, and Mr. Hubble in Tazewell. Mr. Hubble and Mr. Myers went to Castlewood Sunday and were accompanied home by Mrs. Nannie Myers, who had spent two weeks with her brother, Henry Purcell, and Mrs. Purcell.
 Mr. and Mrs. Junior Shupe and family spent June 6 in Tazewell with Mr. and Mrs. Dock Shupe and family.
 Joe Culp visited friends here Sunday.
 Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jess Shupe Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shupe and children and Claude Atwell of Atkins. Mr. and Mrs. Dock Shupe and family of Tazewell, Mrs. Will Call and two granddaughters.
 Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Jones and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Cregger, en route to Texas.
 The Rev. and Mrs. Roy W. Redding were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harm Edmonds recently.

Members of Groseclose, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Shupe and Jean and Mrs. Kate Waddell and Edgar.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Cregger visited her brother-in-law, Jess Winesett, Friday afternoon.
 The Rev. Roy Redding announced Sunday he would make arrangements for a Vacation Bible School to be held here sometime during the summer.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Harner Jr. and children and Ila Young visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Harner, Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hayes visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Young and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes, Sunday.

Lick Creek

MRS. MARY SHUPE

Lick Creek, June 14 — The Rev. Ralph Jones will preach Saturday night at 7:30 and Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. Robert Lyons will preach June 27 at 2 p. m. Prayer meeting will be held this Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gates.
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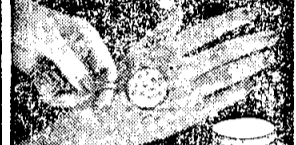
SOUTHERN STATES BOARD AND COMMITTEE TO MEET

Members of the Southern States Marion Cooperative board of directors and the Southern States farm home advisory committee, their wives and husbands will meet June 23 at 7:15 p. m. in Hotel Lincoln, Marion to make plans for their local 1954 Southern States Cooperative Annual Membership meeting and to nominate persons to fill vacancies occurring this year on the board and advisory committees.
 Elections will take place at the membership meeting to be held later this year.
 Members of the local board are S. D. Scott, president, E. Neal Umbarger, George D.

Marion Bucks Rack Up 6-3 Victory Over Abingdon Blues

The Marion Bucks racked up a 6-3 victory over the Abingdon Blues in a make-up game at Marion Wednesday night.
 This was the first win of the season for Marion over the Blues. In the first two matches the Blues grabbed the upper end of the scores.
 Bill Anderson was the main figure in the Marion win as he scored two runs and tagged up with four hits in five trips to the plate. In the bottom of the eighth frame Anderson hit a home run with two men on base to give the winning margin to Marion.
 Big Wiley Colley worked the mound for Marion and limited the visitors to seven hits while his teammates tagged up with 11. Colley hit a long double in the fourth, but to no avail when his teammates went down.
 Bill Gray was the big man for the Blues as he tagged two of the Blues' hits. Bowman hit a long home run into first field in the fifth inning with the bases empty.
 Ralph Carrier worked the mound for the Blues and struck out six Buck batters. Colley to Bass; Carrier to Carter.

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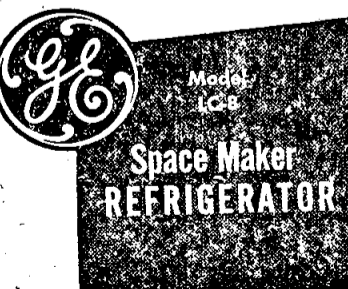
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Obituaries

Billie E. Coe

Billie Eugene Coe, 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Coe of Broadford, died in the Johnston Hospital in Abingdon Sunday. He is survived by, in addition to his parents, three brothers, George Coe, J. R. Coe, Clarence Coe, all of Broadford; three sisters, Phyllis Coe, Broadford; and Mrs. J. B. Haga, Mrs. Earnest Barr, both

of Chilhowie. Funeral service was conducted Tuesday at the Roberts Chapel Church with the Rev. N. B. Dickerson officiating. Burial was in the Ridgedale Cemetery.

Delos Guy Dixon

Delos Guy Dixon, 62, died at his home in Cleghorn Valley Wednesday afternoon. He is survived by his wife, five sons, Howard, Willard, Sidney and Tom Dixon, all of Cleghorn Valley; Roger Dixon, Baltimore, Md.; three daughters, Pearl, Polly and Josephine Dixon, all of Cleghorn Valley;

one sister, Mrs. Charles Proctor, Jefferson, N. C.; two brothers, George Dixon, Marion; Roscoe Dixon, Bel Air, Md., and 11 grandchildren. Funeral service will be conducted at 2 p. m. Friday at the Cleghorn Baptist Church with the Rev. E. E. Vaught, the Rev. Byrum Sturgill, the Rev. James Sexton and the Rev. Virgil Blevins officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Mrs. W. D. Colley

Mrs. W. D. Colley, 80, the former Nannie Bell Gullion of Smyth Co., died at her home in Oquawka, Ill., June 1 after a long illness. She was born in Smyth Co., July 8, 1873. She was married to William David Colley in 1891, and they moved to Illinois in 1904.

She was a member of the Methodist Church and the Rebekah Lodge. She is survived by her husband; three sons, Gordon of Oquawka, Troy of Gladstone, Ill., and Kyle of Aurora, Ill.; five daughters, Mrs. Vernie Ray and Mrs. Irva Brown of Burlington, Iowa; Mrs. Catherine Lox of Gladstone, Mrs. Marie Careine, Monmouth, Ill., and Mrs. Ruby Wilson, Galesburg, Ill.; 27 grandchildren, and 22 great grandchildren.

Funeral service was conducted in Monmouth with burial following in the Biggsville, Ill., cemetery.

Mrs. James Sinclair

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. James Sinclair of Baltimore, Md., former Mabel Davis. She was the daughter of Mrs.

Ellen Tucker Davis of Parkton, Md., and George Davis, who died at his home near Adwolve a few years ago.

Also surviving are her husband, one son, two sisters, six brothers and a number of relatives in Smyth and Washington Counties and in North Carolina.

Funeral and burial was held in Baltimore this Thursday morning.

Marcia Dionne Epperson

Marcia Dionne Epperson, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Epperson of Marion, died in a Marion hospital Sunday.

Surviving in addition to her parents are maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McMahan, Marion; paternal grandmother, Mrs. Noah Edmonds, Marion.

Funeral service was held Monday afternoon at the Cedars Baptist Church with the Rev. Claude McKinnon officiating. Burial was in the Rose-lawn Cemetery.

Reedy Infant

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Reedy of Trout Dale died in a Marion hospital Tuesday morning.

Graveside services were held Wednesday at 4 p. m. at the Anderson Cemetery in Trout Dale with the Rev. Kermit Childers officiating.

Survivors include the parents and the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Pierce, Trout Dale.

Mrs. Ida V. Bowling

Mrs. Ida Virginia Bowling, 68, of Chilhowie died Saturday morning in an Abingdon hospital.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Mary Barr and Mrs. Carrie E. Howell, both of Chilhowie; three sons, Hurley Odey, Norfolk; John E. Bowling, Chinowie; M-Sgt. William F. Bowling, US Army in England; one sister, Mrs. A. C.

Denny, Chilhowie, and nine grandchildren.

Funeral service was conducted at 11 a. m. Monday at the Union Baptist Church on St. Clair's Creek. The Rev. Lee Howell officiated. Burial was in McClure Cemetery.

William P. Walker

William P. Walker, 68, of Seven Mile Ford died in a Marion hospital last Thursday morning.

He is survived by his wife, the former Lockie Jo Harris; one daughter, Mrs. Frank Robertson, Roanoke; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. W. H. Walker, Clinton, Tenn.; one granddaughter; two sisters, Miss Mary Walker and Mrs. Lina Donnelly, both of Chilhowie; one brother, Clarence W. Walker, Seven Mile Ford.

Funeral service was conducted Saturday at 2:30 p. m. at the Seven Mile Ford Methodist Church with the Rev. W. H. Simpkins officiating. Burial was in the Middle Fork Cemetery.

Survivors were Meek Duncan, H. B. Robertson, Richard Walker, M. B. Lewis, George Allen Crutchfield, Charles Copenhaver, Ted Dungan and J. S. Walker.

Merriman M. Scruggs

The body of Airman Third Class Merriman M. (Buck) Scruggs, 19, who died in Japan April 13, arrived in Saltville Saturday night.

He is survived by his grandmother, Mrs. Mary L. Sisk, Salem; three uncles, Raymond Sisk, Salem; Sgt. James K. Sisk, US Army, and Charles Sisk, Kingsport, Tenn.

Funeral service was conducted at Mount Pleasant Church at 2 p. m. Monday with the Rev. L. N. Wheeler officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

J. Vance Snavelly

J. Vance Snavelly, 64, died unexpectedly Friday morning at an Abingdon hospital.

He is survived by one brother, J. S. Snavelly, Chilhowie;

Funeral service was conducted and several nieces and nephews

ed at 2:30 p. m. Sunday at the Chilhowie Methodist Church with the Rev. M. C. Phillippi officiating, assisted by the Rev. Desmond Cole. Burial was in the Beattie Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Meek Duncan, Sam Bonham, M. B. Cole, William Bowman, J. B. Cole, J. H. Prater, Fred Rector and James Smith of Saltville.

Mr. Snavelly was born February 6, 1890, in Chilhowie, the youngest in a family of seven children of Charles W. and Mollie McGhee Snavelly. He was a veteran of World War I, belonging to the 218th Engineering Division of the United States Army, stationed at Camp Humphrey. Just before his company sailed for Europe, he became ill with influenza, then pleurisy and never went overseas. He had never enjoyed good health since that time.

He was a faithful member of the Methodist Church, where he sang with the male quartet.

At one time, Mr. Snavelly was prominent in the Masonic Lodge, No. 250, having served as worshipful master.

Andrew J. McMillan

Andrew Jackson McMillan, 78, of Rural Retreat died in a Marion hospital Tuesday.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary James McMillan; four daughters, Mrs. Viola McCollum, Mrs. Helen Peterson, both of Johnson City, Tenn.; Mrs. Blanche Goodman, Chilhowie; Mrs. Minnie Williams, Baltimore, Md.; four sons, Bernard McMillan, Rural Retreat; Norris McMillan, Dublin; Massie McMillan, Pearisburg; Marco McMillan, Baltimore; six sisters, Mrs. Eliza Cassell, Logan, W. Va.; Mrs. Florence Thompson, Pulaski; Misses Emma Bell, Minnie and Lula McMillan, and Mrs. Mitie Grubb, all of Rural Retreat; one brother, Gussie McMillan, Frederick, Md., and ten grandchildren.

Funeral service was conducted at the Rural Retreat Methodist Church at 2:30 p. m. Thursday. The Rev. M. C. Phillippi and the Rev. R. L. Evans officiated. Burial was in the Blue Spring Cemetery.

53 Get Nursing Certificates At State Hospital

Graduate psychiatric attendant certificates were presented to 53 persons this Tuesday at 10 a. m. at Southwestern State Hospital in Marion.

Dr. Joseph R. Blalock presided, and presented the certificates. The invocation was given by Dr. Rudolph G. Schult, pastor of Ebenezer Lutheran Church. Music was furnished by John Dickinson and Dr. Clara K. Dickinson.

Miss Genevieve Noble, director of psychiatric nursing education, spoke briefly, and Dr. J. Stuart Staley made the principal address on "Some Problems of Nursing Care Around the World."

Mrs. Okie P. Romans is superintendent of nurses and Miss Elinor Mason assistant superintendent of nurses and instructor.

Certificates were presented to: Mary Francis Adair, Verna Anderson, H. G. Argenbright, Dewey L. Beber, Alice J. Blevins, Daniel A. Blevins, Eleanor A. Blevins, Raymond R. Blevins, Wayne Byrd, Earl Cameron, Thomas R. Clark, Evelyn Coe.

Also Walter R. Cullop, Richard French, Alice A. Gilbert, Belle Greer, Margaret Gullion, Virginia C. Haga, Howard R. Hart, Garnett Hayes, Irmalene V. Henderlite, Francis P. Hollandsworth, Lorena C. Hoover, Henry Clinton Hoover, Anna Horne, Annie B. Hutton. Also Fred M. Jones, V. Marie King, Helen Lamic, Hazel V. Lee, Albert C. Leonard, Violet Lundy, Judy Meek, Nannie L. Moore, Rachel I. Neitch, Frederick R. Neitch Jr., A. H. Osborne, M. W. Osborne.

Also Anna Mae Parks, James W. Parks, Jesse L. Parks, W. Burl Parks, S. Pauline Pennington, J. B. Sage, Walter D. Sage, Edna L. Sexton, Charles F. Sexton, Ruby L. Slagle, Julia B. Storm, Robert C. Ross, William M. Ross, J. Joyce Teaster and Ruby Yarber.

MISS FREIDA TAYLOR GIVES WEDDING PLANS

Miss Freida Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taylor of Glade Spring will become the bride of Gene McCray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher McCray of Abingdon, at the Glade Spring Methodist Church Sunday, June 20, at 4 o'clock.

A miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Miss Taylor by Mrs. C. M. Helton and Miss Vivian Counts at the home of the former in Piasterco.



EDWARD L. HENDERLITE

son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Henderlite of Atkins, received his bachelor of arts degree with a major in psychology from Berea College at the 99th anniversary commencement June 7. He was active in student and religious organizations and was on the dean's honor list. He will do graduate work at the School of Theology of Anderson College, Anderson, Ind.

S. D. Scott's Herd Makes May Record

Herds in the Smyth Dairy Herd Improvement Association with highest averages in butterfat production for the month of May were S. D. Scott's 29 cow herd Jerseys and Guernseys, which averaged 46.5 pounds butterfat and 882 pounds milk; Roy E. Groseclose's 32 cow herd of grade Holsteins and Guernseys with an average of 43.1 pounds butterfat and 831 pounds milk; D. W. Conner's grade Holstein and Jersey herd of 30 cows averaging 38.9 pounds butterfat and 860 pounds milk; J. Ralph Stone's 27 cow herd of grade Jerseys and Holsteins, which averaged 36.4 pounds butterfat and 775 pounds milk, and the 17 cow herd of grade Holsteins and Guernseys owned by Sam L. Wilkinson with an average of 36.3 pounds butterfat and 832 pounds milk.

Top cows in both butterfat and milk production were Holsteins on the Gammon farm, these cows having produced 117.6 pounds butterfat and 89.0 pounds milk per day, respectively.

Herds with cows making 60 pounds or more butterfat were owned by S. W. State Hospital, 5; J. Ralph Stone, 2; Roy E. Groseclose, 6; George D. Groseclose, 1; D. W. Conner, 3; S. D. Scott, 6; Richardson Bros., 4; T. K. McKee and Son, 7; Shanklin Dairy, 1; Sam L. Wilkinson, 2; J. T. Wilkinson, 4; Shanklin Crab Orchard, 2; Laurel Springs Dairy, 2; Gammon Farm, 2.

GRAYSON GROUP TO SPONSOR AMATEUR TALENT CONTEST

Members of the Independence, Trout Dale, Flatridge, Comers Rock advisory board and the farm home advisory committee voted at their annual meeting planning conference held recently to hold a farm talent round-up amateur contest as one of the features of their local Southern States annual membership meeting to be held August 10 at Trout Dale School.

This contest, for amateurs only, will offer an opportunity to the winning act at the local meeting to appear on the original amateur hour television show in New York. Amateurs desiring to enter the contest should contact Mrs. Clarence Halsey of Independence or Devin Greer of Grant, who are co-chairmen.

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Church News

Presbyterian Women Meet in Rich Valley

The women of the Rich Valley Presbyterian Church met June 9 at the home of Mrs. J. A. Campbell with Mrs. V. H. Neel as co-hostesses.

The meeting was opened with prayer by the president, Mrs. G. S. Buchanan Jr. The Bible lesson, "The Cry of Cornelius," which was taken from the tenth and eleventh chapters of Acts, was taught by Mrs. V. H. Neel.

The program topic, "Living Our Summer," was led by Mrs. Sam Clark, assisted by Mrs. J. M. Pratt Jr. and Miss Grayson Pratt.

The president was in charge of the business meeting following the program.

During the social hour the hostesses served refreshments to 13 members and one visitor.

The July meeting will be with Mrs. E. L. Roberts.

Services for Lincoln Hill Church Announced

Services for the week at Lincoln Hill Baptist Church have been announced by the pastor, the Rev. Robert Lyons.

Prayer meetings will be held Thursday at 7:30 p. m. and Saturday at 7:30 p. m.

Sunday School will begin at 10 a. m. with the morning worship service set for 11 o'clock. Evening services will be held at 7:30 p. m.

McKinnon Will Preach At New Bethel Church

The Rev. Claude McKinnon will fill his regular appointment at the New Bethel Baptist Church at 11 a. m.

Sunday School will begin at 10 a. m.

Cora Vance Circle Meets with Mrs. Hamm

Mrs. Lee Hamm and Miss Ruth Craig were hostesses to the Cora Vance Circle of the Chilhowie Baptist Church Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Hamm.

Mrs. P. R. Crutchfield was in charge of the program, which was titled "Proclaiming the Saviour in Formosa." Mrs. James Berry gave the devotions. Others taking part were: Mrs. J. F. Jones, Mrs. Eugenie Heath, Mrs. W. G. Echols Jr., Mrs. William Campbell and Mrs. Hilton Rector. A map was used to study the island on which Southern Baptists now have 25 missionaries.

Miss Ruth Craig, president, announced the circle received a grade of "B" for the past year, with the membership goal being the only one in which the circle failed.

Tent Revival Is Being Held On Fairground Hill

The Rev. H. A. Hess of Bristol is conducting a revival in a tent on Race Boulevard on Fairground Hill in Marion.

The services will be held nightly at 7:30 p. m. for the next two weeks.

The Rev. Mr. Hess invites the public to attend.

Bible School Is In Progress In Rural Retreat

Vacation Bible School began Monday of this week in Rural Retreat with an enrollment of 25 children.

Teachers are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Weathers, Mrs. Richard Maxey, Mrs. Robert Wilson and Miss Sandra Williams.

South Fork Baptist Services Are Listed

Sunday School will begin at 10 a. m., this Sunday at the South Fork Baptist Church.

The Rev. O. N. Blankenbiller will conduct preaching service at 7:30 Sunday evening.

Prayer service begins at 7:30 each Thursday evening at the church.

Revival Begins At Cedar Bluff Church This Sunday Night

The Rev. Earl Blankenship, pastor of the Cedar Bluff Baptist Church of Atkins, announces revival services, beginning this Sunday night at 8 p. m. and each night thereafter at 7:30 p. m.

The visiting evangelist will be the Rev. Lester Edwards of Weaverville, N. C.

The pastor extends an invitation to everyone.

Bible School To Be Held at Royal Oak Church June 21-26

Vacation Bible School will be held at the Royal Oak Presbyterian Church of Marion Monday through Friday, June 21-25.

The school will be held in the afternoon from 1:30 to 4 o'clock.

Classes will be taught for beginners, primary, junior and pioneers.

Marion Church Group To Meet Sunday Night

The Marion Interdenominational Youth Group will meet at the Royal Oak Presbyterian Church of Marion Sunday evening.

ing at 7 o'clock to organize for the summer.

Any young people in Marion are invited to join this group during the summer for worship, service and fellowship.

Mrs. Richardson Honored on Her 82nd Birthday



Dr. and Mrs. O. O. Smith and Dr. and Mrs. Emmett Richardson of Marion entertained Sunday with a picnic in honor of the 82nd birthday of Dr. Richardson's mother, Mrs. C. Lee Richardson, of Elizabethton, Tenn.

All of the eight sisters of Mrs. Richardson were present for the first time in 27 years. There were about 70 guests attending the lunch served on the lawn of the Richardson home on College Street.

All stars in each county had the opportunity to nominate one boy and one girl to be considered for membership this year. Those counties with over 1,000 4-H club members could nominate two boys and two girls. The selection is based on leadership, character, citizenship, and the over-all 4-H club record. Being selected as an All Star is one of the highest honors a 4-H member can receive.

Crockett

Crockett, June 14 — 2nd Lt. Max B. Irvin, who is stationed at Las Vegas, Nev., recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tate Irvin, enroute to Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Odie Delp, Mrs. Ralph Dixon, Nancy Delp, Mrs. John Wampler, Mrs. Tony Sanchez and daughter spent Thursday in Roanoke.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wohlford of Bristol, Tenn., recently visited Mrs. Mildred Dix and

family and attended the funeral of Trinkie Umberger in Wytheville Tuesday. Supper guests Friday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Kent Wampler were Mr. and Mrs. Don Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. Don Wampler of Hickory, N. C.

Misses Betty and Doris Wohlford, who taught the past session at Norfolk, are attending summer classes at Radford State Teachers College.

Kelifer Irvin is visiting relatives at Onley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Copenhaver, Patty and Susie, will spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Mills in Roanoke.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neighbors and Nancy and Jack of Wytheville visited Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hounshell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley James and sons of Wytheville and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gilbert spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dix.

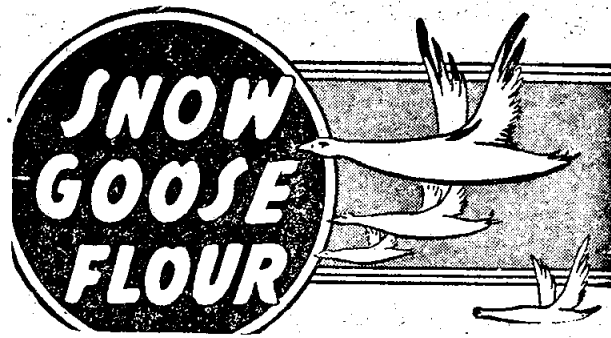
Mr. and Mrs. Roby Blessing of Marion spent Sunday with Mrs. John Gilbert.

Mrs. Hazel Brown is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brown Jr. at Trigg Trailer Camp, Radford.

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Dr. and Mrs. Thompson Davis have as their guests her father, Walter K. Carper, of Louisville, W. Va., and her brother, the Rev. Day Carper, and Mrs.

Carper and children, Francis, Stephanie and Janet. The Rev. and Mrs. Carper are missionaries from Bibanga, Belgian Congo, Africa, home on furlough. Mr. and Mrs. James W. Ritter have been spending a few days in Manassas visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Dick White have had as their guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P.

Browder, and her brother, Gene, of Memphis, Tenn. They left Monday accompanied by Mrs. White and children. Mrs. Charles S. Perkins, Neal Perkins and Mrs. Ralph Cummings and two daughters of Clintwood were week-end guests of Mrs. Perkins' sisters, Misses Emma and Carrie Wright. Mrs. Charles Findlay and daughter, Susan, of Phillippi, W. Va., are spending two weeks with relatives. Miss Pauline Moody and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dalton recently returned from a week's vacation in Florida. Jimmy Brisco returned home Tuesday from VMI to spend the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Brisco. Mrs. Clayton Lane and sons, Keith and Calvin, of Danville are spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Eller, while Mr. Lane is on a fishing trip in Tennessee. Mrs. Virginia Tate has returned from Harrisonburg, where she attended a conference of consultants held at Madison College. This conference was called by the state department of education. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Malden and daughter, Maureen, of Beckley, W. Va., have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Malden, and sister, Miss Mary Lou Malden. Bruce DeBord of Wise spent last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer DeBord. Miss Lois Waake is attending summer school at Radford College. Those from Marion attending the Presbyterian Pioneer Camp Sequoyah at Bristol this week are Ruth Scholten, Sandra Stephenson, Jean Monroe, Rose Pruner, Sarah Lindsey, Judy Ellis, Charles Lincoln, Courtney Hoge and Tom Davis. Mrs. Sam Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kincaid and family of Wytheville spent the

week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stephenson.

Misses Barbara Barnett, Nancy Sayers, Alice Jasik, Ann Eller and Nancy Dutton of the Marion High School chorus are attending a music camp at Massanetta this week. They were accompanied by Miss Betty Ruff. Mr. and Mrs. Orville DeBord of Wise and Mr. and Mrs. Homer DeBord, Marion, spent last Sunday at Carter's Wayside Park, Wytheville. Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Hill and son, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Elliott, will leave Friday for their home in Green Castle, Ind. During the week end Mrs. Elliott, Miss Joanne Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Hill visited in Norfolk. Miss Margaret Pennington, Mrs. Ralph Wolfe and Mrs. Fred White visited relatives in Wytheville Tuesday. The Rev. and Mrs. Carl R. McCain of Brooksville, Fla., announce the birth of a nine pound, four ounce daughter, Becky Ray, May 8. The McCains were formerly of Marion. She is the former Miss Jackie Lowman. Mr. and Mrs. Fred White had as their guests last Saturday her mother, Mrs. J. P. Easley, of Princeton, W. Va., and her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Sherrard, of Canton, Ohio. Mrs. E. A. Rhodes, who has been spending the winter in Norfolk, has returned to Marion for the summer. Miss Bernice Copenhaver of Johnson City, Tenn., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Copenhaver. Miss Sallie Scott of Norfolk and T-Sgt. Jake Scott of Limestone Air Force Base, Maine, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Scott, recently. Mr. and Mrs. Edd Oakley left last Thursday for their home in Richmond after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Hawks. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McCon-

nell of Nicholasville were last week guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Patrick of Atkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Weavil were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Payne in Saicm.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Reynolds visited relatives in Christiansburg last Saturday.

Miss Hattie Kent and Mrs. Pearl Crowe are spending Wednesday and Thursday in Roanoke visiting relatives. They will be accompanied to Radford by Mrs. Rush Hayes, who will visit her daughter, Mrs. Franklin Hillman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Brown of Asheville, N. C., are visiting Mrs. Brown's mother, Mrs. R. C. Hash.

Mrs. Rachel Oakes, who has been spending several weeks with her son in Norton, has returned to Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Graybeal and sons, Robert and Freddy, are on a ten days' tour of the New England States.

Miss Pauline May and Emory Ritchey of Washington, D. C., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Killinger.

Mrs. E. M. Ritchey is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Killinger, and Mr. Killinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gentry of Wilmington, Del., spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Alice Clark, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Clark. Mrs. Gentry's sister, Miss Betty Lou Clark, accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hutton Jr. and daughter of Cleveland, Ohio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Anderson.

Miss Pauline Campbell is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Anderson, in Staunton.

Miss Ann Vernon left Thursday from Tri-City Airport for St. Petersburg, Fla., for a vacation with her uncle, Marten Neff. She will return next week with Mr. Neff, who plans to spend the summer at his home in Rural Retreat.

Mrs. Rudolph Winebarger, who recently underwent surgery at a local hospital, has returned home much improved.

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The bride's mother wore a Dior blue master sheer and Chantilly lace dress with navy accessories and a corsage of red roses. The groom's mother wore a mauve nylon lace dress with white accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

For a wedding trip to Miami Beach, Fla., and Nassau, Bahamas, and British West Indies the bride wore a white linen sheath with aqua jacket and white accessories with a white orchid corsage.

The couple will be at home on Easton Road, Pearisburg, after June 28.

The bride is a graduate of Chilhowie High School, Tennessee Wesleyan Junior College, Athens, Tenn., and received her B.A. degree from Emory and Henry College, where she was a member of Kappa Phi Alpha social sorority. Prior to the wedding she was employed as director of Christian education at Grove Avenue Methodist Church in Radford.

The groom is a graduate of Clifton Forge High School, the School of Pharmacy of the Medical College of Virginia, Richmond. He received his BS

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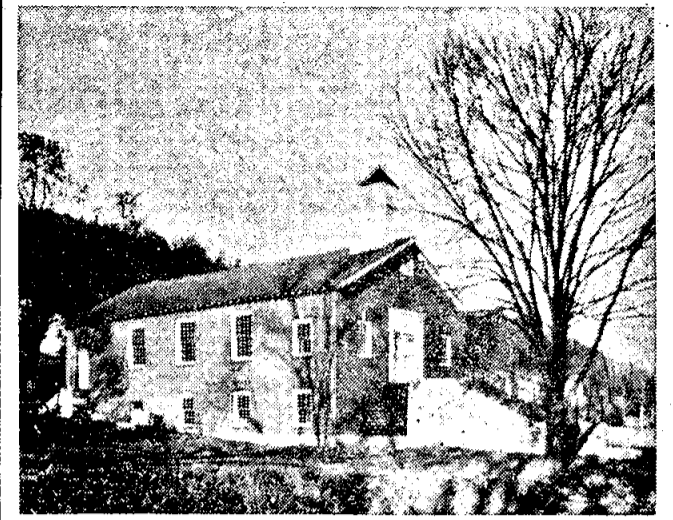
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NEWS of CHURCHES

North Holston Church To Be Dedicated Sunday



Members of the North Holston Presbyterian Church will dedicate their new building this Sunday with special services at 2:30 p. m.

Dr. Goodridge Wilson, executive secretary, Abingdon Presbytery, will bring the message at the dedication service.

At the 11 a. m. worship service the Rev. D. M. Monroe of the Grundy Presbyterian Church will bring the message.

The church was organized September 27, 1908, by order of the president, the Rev. R. D. Carson, evangelist of the Abingdon Presbytery and the Rev. J. B. Bittenger of the Rich Valley Presbyterian Church. The first officers of the church were Frank A. Wilder and C. H. Wallinger, elders, and George B. Kelly, deacon. Charter members of the church were: Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wallinger, G. J. Wallinger, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Wilder, George B. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Kinder, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Repass and A. W. Ristine.

The present building was started in 1948 and first services were held in March, 1952. The church was cleared of debt April 16, 1954.

The interior of the church presents a warm, friendly atmosphere with the main sanctuary seating 200. The basement contains four Sunday School rooms, the kitchen, rest rooms and the fellowship hall. There is also an additional Sunday School room and secretary supply room on the main floor. The assessed evaluation is \$30,000.

The present church officers are: session, pastor, the Rev. Odus M. McNeill; clerk of the session, George D. DeBusk; treasurer, G. L. Callihan; Henry Taylor and E. G. Oakes, Deacons are Robert H. Taylor and George E. Puckett. The Sunday School Superintendent is Robert H. Taylor, assisted by officers and teachers, J. C. Wilson, G. L. Callihan, Bobbie Boardwine, Mrs. T. A. Henegar, Mrs. Ernest Catron, George E. Puckett, Miss Margaret Cruseberry and Miss Helen Callihan. A very active young people's group meets at 6:30 p. m. each Sunday evening.

A very special invitation is extended to all friends and members of the church to attend these services.

John W. McGraw To Speak on Adventist Convention Saturday

Members of the Marion Seventh Day Adventist Church will hear a report this Sabbath by the pastor, John W. McGraw.

He will speak on the World Wide General Conference held in San Francisco May 24-June 6. Pastor McGraw attended the entire session with his family.

There were 25,000 present for each week-end service. San Francisco's two largest auditoriums were used. Delegates and visitors from over 100 countries were present. The great theme of the session was "The Second Coming of Christ." On the last Sabbath of the session the special offering for missions taken amounted to over \$250,000.

Pastor McGraw will give other highlights including facts and figures. Later on the pastor will show some pictures taken of the trip and the session in San Francisco.

Services of the Adventist Church are: Sabbath School at 9:30 a. m.; church service at 11 a. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:45; young people meeting Friday night at 7:45.

Vacation Bible School Begins At Saltville June 28

Vacation church school begins at 9 a. m. Monday, June 28, at the First Church of God in Saltville.

Mrs. Vonja Arnold, director of the school, has announced that boys and girls, ages four to 14, are being invited to attend.

Mrs. Arnold's staff will include teachers for four departments and other assistants. Workers include Miss Peggy Chapman and Miss Dottie Poore, kindergarten; Mrs. George Collins and Miss Doris Cannon, primary; Mrs. India Wassum and Miss Bronnda Holmes, junior; Mrs. Bill Wassum and Mrs. Juanita Little, junior high. Other helpers will include Mrs. Freda Ames, Mrs. Preston Collins, Mrs. Henry Everhart and Miss Betty Hogston. Miss Betty Nipper will serve as secretary. Miss Faye Smith and Johnny McIntyre will serve as pianists.

The theme of the school is "The Church," the study being based on new vacation school materials produced by two general agencies of the Church of God at Anderson, Ind., the Gospel Trumpet Company, and the Board of Christian Education.

The school begins Monday and will continue until Friday, July 9, when a closing program will be held. Daily sessions, from 9 to 11:30 a. m., will provide periods for study, recreation, activities and worship.

Dowell's Chapel Plans All Day Service Sunday

An all day service is planned for this Sunday at Dowell's Chapel in Allison Gap, sponsored by The Church of God of Prophecy.

Sunday School will begin at 10 a. m., followed by preaching by special speakers throughout the day. The Rev. Albert Linville, district overseer of Bristol, will be among the speakers.

A basket lunch will be served at noon. Any musicians are invited by the pastor to attend and furnish music during the day.

The public is invited by Mrs. Leona Burchett, the pastor of the church, to attend.

Ben Fulton Elected Vice President Of Youth Council

Ben Fulton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. M. K. Fulton of Atkins and a member of the senior high youth fellowship of the Royal Oak Presbyterian Church in Marion, was elected vice president of Abingdon Presbytery's Youth Council at the Senior Conference held at King College, Bristol, last week.

Miss Joan Query is also a member of the council, having been elected last year as chairman of the witness commission.

Saltville Church Society Meets With Mrs. Arnold

The Ladies Aid Society of the Main Street Christian Church in Saltville met last Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Buck Arnold with Mrs. Jimmy McCreedy as co-hostess.

A lesson entitled "Talents" was led by Mrs. Jimmy Arnold, assisted by several other members.

Following the program refreshments were served by the hostesses and Sunshine Pal gifts were exchanged. There were 15 members present. The July meeting will be held in the form of a pot luck supper at the home of Mrs. Enoch Frye.

"Father's Day" To Be Observed At Saltville Union

"Father's Day" will be observed by the Union Church of Saltville Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock service of worship, Dr. Edgar A. Valiant speaking on the subject "The Prodigal's Father."

The program of music will feature the girl's choir and Mrs. Berkley Henderson as soloist with Miss Mary Dunham at the console of the Baldwin organ.

During the service recognition of the fathers present will take place.

At 10 o'clock the Union Sunday School will be conducted with Frank Sanders in charge. He will be assisted by the teaching staff.

Bible School Is In Progress At Greenwood Church

Daily Vacation Bible School opened at Greenwood Methodist Church June 14 and will continue through June 19 each morning from 9 a. m. to 11 a. m.

Workers include Mrs. Anson Crouse, devotional leader; Mrs. Kennard Box, junior teacher; Mrs. Charles Earnest, primary; Mrs. Stanley Sprinkle, beginners; Mrs. Everette Box, in charge of music.

Other workers are Mrs. Gordon Trail and Miss Irene Ellison. A program will be given at the church this Sunday morning during the Sunday School hour by the pupils of the school.

The Rev. L. R. Hankins will preach at Greenwood Methodist Church this Sunday at 10 o'clock with Sunday School following at 11.

Dr. R. G. Schulz To Be Installed as Pastor

The Rev. Rudolph G. Schulz, D. D., who recently began his ministry at Ebenezer Lutheran Church in Marion will be officially installed as pastor this coming Sunday at the 11 a. m. service.

The service of installation will be conducted by the Rev. R. Homer Anderson, D. D., superintendent of the Lutheran Synod of Virginia.

Closing exercises of the Vacation Church School will be held at 7:00 o'clock Sunday evening.

Bible School Will Begin Monday At East End Church

The Rev. G. R. Blackburn, pastor, will direct Vacation Bible School at the East End Baptist Church, beginning Monday.

Classes begin each morning at 9 a. m.

Mrs. Joe Pugh Is Hostess To Group

Mrs. Joe Pugh was hostess to the Intermediate GA's of the East End Baptist Church last Thursday night.

There were nine members and three visitors present. The topic of the program was "Formosa". The counselor, Mrs. C. E. Elkins, had charge. She was assisted by Patsy Smith, Mabel Gullion, Betty Johnson, Myrtle Suits, Mary Ruth Smith, Carolyn Sutherland and Betty Pugh.

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Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Jeremiah	17 5-15
Monday	Ezekiel	18 19-32
Tuesday	Luke	4 27-38
Wednesday	Luke	11 17-28
Thursday	Luke	12 9-17
Friday	Acts	2 37-47
Saturday	J John	3 7-17

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Reddicks to Take Bus To Bible Camp Monday

The Rev. Roy W. Reddick has chartered a bus to take young people of the area to the Bible Camp at Blowing Rock, N. C.

The bus will leave the home of Mr. Reddick at 10 a. m. Monday. He asks all interested in going on the bus to contact him immediately.

The Vacation Bible School at Slemp Creek will have a closing program Friday at 7:30 p. m. with Mr. and Mrs. Reddick in charge.

Saturday at 7:30 p. m. the Reddicks will conduct a closing exercise at Chestnut Ridge.

The Rev. Mr. Reddick will have services Sunday at 11 a. m. at Adams Chapel, at 2:30 p. m. at Stoney Point and at 7:30 p. m. at the Wassum Valley Baptist Church.

Chilhowie Christians To Have Special Programs

The Daily Vacation Bible School for the Chilhowie Christian Church will be concluded with a program given by the pupils of the school next Sunday at 9:45 a. m., at the regular Sunday School hour.

The program will be a resume of the work done this week at the Bible School and will be under the direction of Mrs. Lloyd Hale and Mrs. L. H. Mink.

There will be a special Father's Day program at the Chilhowie Christian Church Sunday at 8 p. m.

The program, including special music, will be given entirely by men of the church. Jack Wheeler is chairman of the program committee.

Bible School Is Slated in Crockett

Vacation Bible School will begin at the Kings Grove Methodist Church in Crockett Monday and continue through Friday, June 25.

A certificate will be awarded to each child attending.

Chilhowie Choir Has Picnic at the Park

Members of the Chilhowie Methodist Choir and their guests had a picnic supper Friday night at Hungry Mother Park with about 40 persons attending.

Mrs. George Rogers and Mrs. J. B. Cole were in charge of the arrangements.

Lutheran Women Meet With Miss Troxell

Miss Gladys Troxell was hostess to the Woman's Missionary Society of the St. James Lutheran Church Wednesday afternoon at her home in Chilhowie.

The program topic was "World Council of Churches" and was led by Mrs. Parker St. John. Assisting her were Mrs. Mitchell Waters, Mrs. J. B. Bonham Jr., Mrs. S. L. Bonham, Mrs. Sam Mountain and Mrs. Jack Heath.

During the program a short history of the World Council of Churches was given, and some of the highlights of the meeting of this organization, which will be held in Evanston, Ill., this summer, were reviewed.

Ebenezer Circles Meet Thursday

The circles of the Ebenezer Lutheran Church of Marion will meet this Thursday.

Circle 1 will meet at 7:30 with Mrs. Dayton Pennington. Mrs. Fred Pierce will be co-hostess.

Circle 2 meets at 7:30 at the parsonage with Mrs. R. G. Schultz as hostess.

Circle 3 meets at 7:30 with Mrs. Everett Repass.

Circle 4 meets at the parsonage with Mrs. R. G. Schultz at 2:30.

Chilhowie Christian Women Meet Thursday

Mrs. Kyle Heffinger and Mrs. Gordon Trail were hostesses to the Ladies Council of the Chilhowie Christian Church Thursday night at the home of the former.

"The Power of Prayer" was the topic of the program led by Mrs. Walter Jones. She was assisted by Mrs. T. A. McAllister, Miss Katherine Tuell, Mrs. J. H. England and Mrs. Heffinger.

In the business session, conducted by Mrs. T. A. McAllister, plans were made for a fellowship supper, which will be held at the church June 24 at 7 p. m. and will be sponsored by members of the council.

Mrs. Thomas Is Hostess To Flora Copenhaver Circle

The Flora Copenhaver Circle of the Chilhowie WSCS met Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Burl Thomas with Mrs. W. L. Greeson assisting hostess.

The program was a study of "Student Work at Methodist Churches" and was led by Mrs. John DeBusk Jr. Mrs. M. C. Phillippi gave the devotions.

In the business session the circle voted to continue the birthday calendars as its special project. Mite boxes were also distributed to each member to be filled and used in mission work.

Rural Retreat Church Circles Have Meetings

Circle 2 of the Rural Retreat Church met Thursday evening with Mrs. Harry Biser.

Miss Josephine Tarter, chairman, opened the meeting with a short devotional.

Mrs. Richard Maxey was program leader. The Bible study was given by Mrs. J. W. Weathers. There was no business. The meeting closed with prayer.

Saltville Sunday School Class Has Picnic Sunday

The Willing Workers Sunday School Class of the Main Street Christian Church of Saltville enjoyed a picnic and trip to Blowing Rock, N. C., last Sunday.

Nineteen class members and guests were present. Jack Catron is teacher of the class.

East End Baptist Services Are Given

The Rev. G. R. Blackburn, pastor of the East End Baptist Church in Marion, announces that Sunday School will be held at the church at 9:45 this Sunday morning.

He will be in charge of the morning worship service at 11 a. m. Training union will be held at 7 p. m. with the pastor conducting the evening worship service at 8 p. m.

Wednesday a prayer service will be held at 8 p. m.

Members of Youth Group in Marion Attend Conference

Members of the Senior High Youth Fellowship of the Royal Oak Presbyterian Church in Marion attending the conference at King College, Bristol, last week were Ben Fulton, Warren Hastings, Doris Griffiths, Jenny Jo Pruner and Margaret Davis.

ENDURING

Like the enduring strength of nature's sturdy rock, so, too, is perpetuated the memory of our understanding service.

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I do not agree with a word you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say!

SAFETY ON THE HIGHWAYS

Vacations have started, and already the number of traffic accidents in the county has mounted alarmingly.

Tuesday morning a 79 year old man was killed instantly when the car in which he was riding went out of control, going over a bank. The driver said that the wheels started wobbling just before the accident. We cannot control mechanical failure, but we can control speed, and in far too many of the accidents that happen, both in Smyth County and elsewhere, speed is the most important contributing factor.

Time after time safety engineers and traffic consultants have pointed out that most fatal accidents as well as many non fatal ones are caused by excessive speed. Still we go about bragging about the fast time we made going to Roanoke, Richmond, the beach or what have you. Would it not be much more sensible to brag about the safe time we made? We do not brag about taking chances with a gun. We try to be as careful as possible. We do not brag about going swimming immediately after eating or about trying to swim across the lake and back. We abide by the rules of water safety. A car is a far more dangerous weapon than a gun, and an automobile can be much more treacherous than water. Until we learn to respect the potential for destruction in the weight and power of an automobile, we will continue to court danger and all too often to meet it head on.

Some years ago a safety organization conducted a test in a Mid-western city in which two cars set out from a starting point following a set course to a point all the way across the city. One car was to abide by all traffic rules and regulations, to take all necessary precautions and to be as courteous and safe as possible. The other was to disregard all rules of safety, traffic, regulations and common courtesy. The car which took innumerable chances arrived at the destination less than five minutes ahead of the car that had obeyed all traffic laws and speed limits.

It is more than just a slogan to say as they did on so many Army posts during the second World War, "Lose a minute and save a life."

We are all braggarts at heart. All of us like praise. Why not start a campaign of telling how safety we drove rather than how fast we made it? Why not tell the person who averages between 45 and 50 miles an hour on a long trip that he is a good driver rather than asking him why it took him so long to get there?

Some years ago a Junior Chamber of Commerce had a project of taking drivers — particularly youths — convicted of reckless driving and speeding to the emergency room of a large hospital on Saturday nights. A few times of seeing the results of too much speed and too many chances taught many of youngsters that the risks were too great to take. Seeing the victims of one bloody accident is enough for most of us. Unfortunately some of our citizens will never have the opportunity to see the victims, because they will be the victims. Let's slow down and be careful. As one sign says, "Clarksville does not have a child to spare, please drive slow." We do not have a citizen, either young or old, to spare. Please drive carefully, for there are times and conditions when driving 20 miles an hour can be more dangerous than 55 at other times.

Slaughter and mayhem on the highways must be checked. It can be if each one of us will do our part and not expect the other fellow to exert all of the effort.

SMYTH LOSES TWO FINE CITIZENS

For the second time in less than a month Smyth County has lost two fine citizens within a matter of days. News of the deaths of Chief of Police Ralph Wolfe and Dr. O. C. Sprinkle were both carried in last week's paper.

Dr. Sprinkle had lived in Marion all of his life, serving the people long and well through his connections with various drug stores in the town. Though reserved and retiring, many knew him as a kind and friendly neighbor and merchant. Through many years and several generations he ministered to the needs of the community.

The town of Marion has lost a faithful public servant through the death of Chief of Police Ralph Wolfe. He has served the community for almost 20 years.

There were times when this paper did not agree with Chief Wolfe, but we always had his cooperation. He did his duty as he saw it, and he was willing to support his stand with all of his might.

For his faithful service, the citizens of the town are grateful.

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Smyth County Safety Council

Other Folks' Ideas

TAX ON INCOME SHOULD BE TAX ON INCOME, NOT HOPES

(The Culpeper Star - Exponent, Culpeper, Va.)
At the present time, the Senate Finance Committee is considering a Tax Revision Bill. Most of us start shuddering right away when we hear that, figuring that any changes made will probably be for the worse from our standpoint. This bill, as usual, has some good and some bad points.

One of the provisions which won't affect many local people, but will really hit those it does affect, is the one to provide for declaration of estimated tax and advance payment of income tax by corporations. Such a provision already exists requiring proprietorships and partners of unincorporated businesses to make income tax payments against possible tax liability.

No business, incorporated or unincorporated, can, with any accuracy, estimate in advance what its net taxable income will be. An estimate in advance is just a guess and is no sound basis for the payment of taxes. The income tax has certainly progressed from the day it was begun as a tax on income to now where it is a tax on any hope you may have of making an income!

This provision creates an additional hazard for business and makes it more and more difficult for anyone to start up in business these days. For the person wanting to go into business must not only have enough (or borrow enough) capital to start business but must get enough money to pay income tax on profits which he may or may not make from that business. The trend away from little business to giant established business will be given further impetus.

Advance payment of tax by business is not only a hazard for business, it is hazard for government financing as refunds must be made of taxes collected on income that doesn't materialize. This tax provision is just one more step toward making it impossible for the federal government to know what its income will be and consequently living within it.

If the present trend is continued, it is not inconceivable that one of these days, the taxpayer will be called upon to pay the taxes on income two years in advance or even more. There is no valid reason why the government can't operate on current income just as the people have to. Elimination of the estimate and advance payment of taxes on possible income for everyone would be a real step forward in tax revision. After all, income tax should be a tax on income — not on hopes for income.

REMOVING "CRAZY" DRIVERS

(The Southside Virginia News, Petersburg, Va.)
A novel solution to the problem caused by chronic "screwball" motorists is being tried in Chicago. A psychiatric laboratory is being set up to examine "crazy" drivers.

The idea is to find out whether the mental condition of such drivers is normal. Chief Justice Edward S. Scheffler, of the Chicago Municipal Court, said recently psychiatrists could diagnose the mental condition of drivers by a laboratory examination with a high degree of accuracy.

When a chronic case, or "screwball" driver, is found to be mentally off, his driving privileges will be suspended. The suspended motorist's psychiatrist will then take over and seek to cure the condition.

We will be interested to see how this experiment works out. It will be eagerly watched by other traffic enforcement agencies all over the country, no doubt, and should it prove successful, it may well be that psychiatric tests for "crazy" drivers will become standard procedure.

sweepings from the back shop

By Mr. Moe

My wife lost what small chance she had of getting the porch furniture she wants for a wedding anniversary present last week end at the beach.

She let me get involved in an embarrassing spot, knowing all the time what I was doing and bringing in her friends on the deal.

This is the second time in the last few years that I have had beach trouble. The first time, I was in the dog house. Now it's her turn to live hard.

The first beach trouble was all my fault. About three years ago we were at Myrtle Beach in South Carolina with several families, all with children.

A couple of houses away there was a big house party and we menfolks seriously wanted to get in on festivities. I made my bid for an invitation and lost — in fact practically lost everything including my life.

One of the girls at the party had a beautiful white bathing suit, complete with a flaming red flamingo. It was a honey and could be spotted on the beach from our front porch. I waited one day until she had gone down to loll in the sun and followed, sitting under an umbrella not too far away and trying to appear nonchalant.

Moving out into the sun, I gradually edged nearer her umbrella, all the time getting sunburned. Finally I made it up to within speaking distance; but by that time I was burning up.

"Certainly is a nice day," was my opening comment, even though it was blazing hot and not a breath of air stirring. The white bathing suit with red flamingo looked up, took off her dark glasses and halted the conversation in a hurry.

"Pardon me, but I think your leer is showing," she said. "And don't look behind you, but I think I see your wife headed this way." She put her glasses back on and that end-

ed a beautiful friendship.

The wife called for me to go to the fish market for some shrimp, and her voice was just as cold as the weather was hot. I went down and then came back and hit the bed — sunburned from one end to the other. That night I was really sick, blistered all over and with a burning fever. But no sympathy was forthcoming from the wife. She even refused to bring me anything to eat and my mother-in-law finally came to my rescue, calling a doctor.

The doctor gave me some medicine, plastered me from head to toes with a tannic acid compound and told them to keep me in bed until our vacation ended. I woke up late that night and renewed my request for food, the wife finally consenting to bring me some shrimp.

From the way she looked, I should have known better. She brought me the shrimp and I took a big bite, immediately letting out a yell. She had doctored up the sauce with big blobs of tabasco, and I was as hot on the inside as the outside. Six glasses of water and I finally was able to breathe again.

But I didn't talk. That end of the game came from all the females. I was held up as an object lesson by all the wives. They held a pow wow around my bed, pointing out that the same treatment was forthcoming to the next husband who tried to talk to a white bathing suit flamingo. My beach trip was ruined.

Last week we went to Virginia Beach for a newspaper meeting. "Look, Butch, I want you to remember what happened to you the last time we went to the beach," I was told. "Just one mistake, and I am coming home and never again will we take a vacation. That is, until you get so grey headed that not even a broken down chorus girl will take a second look at you."

I promised and away we went. The first afternoon on the beach I stayed under my umbrella, wearing dark glasses, as ordered. Finally, becoming bored, I walked to the water for some fun. Several of our friends were sitting around in a group, including my

wife, so I headed towards them.

About half way there I spotted a young woman in a black bathing suit, all trimmed up with white — definitely a sitting suit and not for swimming. She looked like a friend of ours — from Danville, so I walked up and spoke.

"Certainly is good to see you here. Isn't this weather fine?"

"Yes, but it is somewhat hotter than I expected."

I thought immediately that Betty had a different accent from the one I remembered, slightly on the New England side, but said nothing. Looking over to the group where my wife was, I waved and smiled. They all smiled back, so I felt perfectly safe.

Bill Armistead of Roanoke came up and sat down on the other side of my companion and started talking.

Our friend looked somewhat on the worried side, but continued talking, somewhat on the conservative side and slightly hesitant about joking and laughing.

This went on for several minutes, and our companion kept talking about her daughter. I was practically certain that Betty had two boys and no girls, but decided to keep my mouth shut.

Things didn't go too well. Conversation lagged, and the three of us just sat. Bill and I hated to just get up and leave, and I thought that Betty certainly had changed. She was not full of fun and pep as I remembered. Bill was first to leave. He spotted his wife coming toward the beach, so he excused himself and left.

Our companion was next. Her daughter, nearly grown, came up from the water and she and her mother headed back for the hotel.

"I'll see you tonight," I said as she was leaving. The association had planned a dance that night, so I was just doing what I thought was the right thing in being friendly.

"Oh, no you won't," she said in an icy manner. I still shiver when I remember her glare. Embarrassed, I went on down the beach to join my other friends, wondering what was eating Betty and just why she was so unfriendly. My wife and her group were rolling in the sand and howling. I didn't see anything so funny about my walking up and thought that maybe the weather had got me.

"Come on, give, what's funny," was my greeting. "Also, who can tell me what's wrong with Betty. She appears to be mad about something and left me standing cold."

"I noticed the same thing,"

Bill said. "She struck me as being bored and wanting to go away."

"I didn't notice anything wrong with Betty," my wife said. "I was talking with her in the hotel awhile ago and she was friendly and nice as ever."

"I was telling Irma about how friendly and nice Betty is just a few minutes ago," Bill's wife spoke up. "I hope you two goons didn't make her mad about something, as she and Watt are to be at our table at the dinner dance tonight."

"If you two have made her mad you may as well prepare to lone wolf it the rest of the week end!" Tutt Bradford's wife of Bristol spoke up. "We are all planning on having some fun after coming all this way to a meeting and are not going to let a couple of knuckleheads spoil our recreation."

Bill and I couldn't understand what had happened. We went back over our conversation and tried to decide just what we had done, wrong, but couldn't make any headway. Watt was sitting there, and he was no help. As far as he knew, he said, Betty was feeling just fine and he hoped we had not done something to upset her.

Feeling the shadows of the dog house creeping across the horizon, I decided that perhaps it would be better to find Betty and apologize for whatever I had done.

Tom Hanes of Norfolk then came to my rescue. "You fellows didn't do anything to insult Betty," he said. "You weren't even talking to Betty. That is a girl who looks exactly like her and several others have made the same mistake. Forget it."

"O. K. big boy, I was just paying you back for the white bathing suit incident in South Carolina," my wife said. "This perfect stranger probably will spread it all over the beach about you and your tactics, so come on, relax, and forget about trying to be a Beau Brummel of the beach. Leave that to the lifeguards."

"Yeah, but in punishing him, you got me involved," Bill said. "That's not fair, especially with the big dance on tonight."

"You are not getting punished for nothing," his wife said. "You probably have done something I don't know about, so just keep quiet."

Bill and I were determined not too keep quiet. We had to square ourselves with the strange girl. And when I thought about my parting remark about seeing her that night, I shuddered at the ordeal.

"Let's get Betty to help us

out," he suggested. We did. Explaining the set-up, we asked her to go with us to find the stranger. She was sitting out on the terrace with her daughter, so the three of us walked up. She started to get up out of her seat, as if to leave, and then sat down with her mouth open. She looked at Betty and started laughing.

"Now I see why everything has been so funny around here," she said. "I was getting ready to leave the first thing in the morning, with all these strange men and women waving at me and you two even sitting down and talking with me without introductions."

They were as much alike as identical twins and it was easy to see how we had made such an error.

"I first thought people were just friendly," the stranger said. "I am from Vermont and was not used to having utter strangers speak and wave in such a manner. But when you two just sat down and started talking, I became afraid. That parting remark about seeing me tonight did the trick. I told my daughter that we would move on to Atlantic City or somewhere else to finish our vacation. Didn't your friends tell you any better?"

"Those heathen were just watching us fry," I told her. It developed that her daughter was in school in Virginia and that she had come down to take her home, deciding to spend a few days at the beach before returning.

My wife really put me in an embarrassing position on the deal, as I never dreaded anything more than apologizing to the visitor to our state. After all, decent people do not g o around telling strange women that "I'll see you tonight." Every newspaper man in the state of Virginia knows the tale by now, and I know that I will live hard at many future conventions. For that reason, the wife doesn't get the porch furniture. She could have easily prevented the entire situation by joining me and explaining everything when I first accosted the stranger.

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Purebred Sheep Sales Scheduled

Several new commercial ram sales are being started this year — a move to make good rams available in all sections of the state, says, George A. Allen, Jr., associate animal husbandman at VPI, with five sales set by the Southwest Purebred Sheep Breeders' Association.

The Southwest sales will be held: July 1, Abingdon; July 15, Christiansburg; July 20, Wytheville; July 26, Narrows, and August 5, Abingdon.

The Southwest sales will sell Hampshire, Southdowns and Dorsets.

All rams are yearlings that have been inspected and approved by a committee of sheep breeders. They are all registered, free from disease and defects and are guaranteed breeders, says officials.

OSCAR S. WYATT JR. IS PROMOTED TO CORPORAL IN KOREA

Oscar S. Wyatt Jr., whose parents live in Chatham Hill, was recently promoted to corporal while serving in Korea with the Army's 503d Engineer Maintenance and Supply Group.

Overseas since last August, the 22-year-old soldier is a dispatcher in the 712th Engineer Company of the group, engineer supply center for UN forces on the peninsula.

Corporal Wyatt entered the Army in February 1953 and completed basic training at Camp Breckinridge, Ky.

Bowling alleys and billiard tables manufactured in Marion by the Brunswick-Balke-Collender Company are sold in every state of the United States.

Who's Who in Smyth



PRICE W. PIERCE, 70, of 341 Cherry Street, Marion, is content to look back over his years of work with pleasure. Mr. Pierce spends some of his time overlooking his home.

The story that most of the people do not know is that at the time Mr. Pierce bought his home the yard was filled with huge rocks. The job was to be done, and he started to work moving the rocks and moving in dirt. Most of the people did not think that the job could be done. At the present time he has one of the most beautiful lawns in the county with shrubs and flowers throughout the lawn.

Each year he plants his garden, which furnishes most of the vegetables for the winter. He grows the food, and his wife spends hours canning. He stated that he spent very little in a store for food. He raises a few chickens, and each fall plants rye in the garden. This cut down the work required in the garden, he says.

Mr. Pierce was born near the Wythe-Smyth County line. He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Pierce. He attended school at what was then known as the Buchanan School near Rural Retreat and then Berea School. He worked on the farm until he was 35 years old, when he started working with the Norfolk and Western Railway. He worked with this company for five years and then turned to Lincoln Industries, then located in Marion. He worked at this place for 13 years and has worked around the school buildings for several years. He has worked with the post office in Marion for the past 12 years.

On September 22, 1909, he married Miss Blanche Phillipi, and in 1919 they moved to Marion. He has two sons, Fred Pierce of Marion and Palmer Pierce, a colonel in the US Air Force, stationed at Scottsfield, Ill.

He is a member of the Ebenezer Lutheran Church. He has belonged to various clubs, but has dropped all of his memberships.

He stated that his hobby was keeping things up around the house and working in the garden and sometimes helping with the flowers.

Stoney Battery

MRS. VERNIE SEXTON

Stoney Battery, June 14 — Miss Bobby Brooks, who was a patient in a Johnson City, Tenn., hospital, is improving nicely at her home.

Miss Carol Stamper spent Thursday night with her grandfather, Ambrose Wagner.

James Sexton, who has been sick at his home, left Monday for interviews at the Veterans Hospital at Mountain Home, Tenn.

Gene Dutton and Ruth Reeves of Fairfax are now visiting relatives.

Mitchell, Carl and Junior Giley, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Giley, have been ill at their home with throat infections.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pruitt and son, Ronnie, who have been living in Marion, have moved into a house here which has been purchased by Lacy Blevins.

V. R. Sexton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sexton and children, Wayne, Donnie and Brenda, recently visited their aunt and cousin at Flatridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hawthorne and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mitchell and daughter visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rotenberry, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Pruitt visited their son, Jack, and his family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Base Smothers visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isom Burchett, Sunday.

Luther Farmer attended the June meeting, which was held at St. Clair's Creek Sunday.

Mrs. Martin Stamper and son visited Mrs. Frazier Gillespie Thursday afternoon.

Russell Miller of Whitetop visited his aunt, Mrs. Myrtle Dutton, Sunday.

Miss June Kirk is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cecil Gore, and family at Riverside.

Dean Hawkins spent the week with his grandmother, Mrs. Rachel Sexton.

Walter Kirk, who has been ill at his home, is better and able to be at his work again.

Mrs. Russel West, Mrs. V. R. Sexton and daughter, Debbie, visited Mrs. Frankie Nelson, Mrs. Beulah Dennison and Mrs. L. Greer last Friday.

Quarry

MISS IDA M. JONES

Quarry, June 14 — The Rev. R. B. Henderson of Plasterco preached at the church Sunday morning at 10:30 in the absence of the pastor, the Rev. W. O. Webster.

Miss Katherine Terry spent the week end with Miss Retha Johnson.

Miss Patsy Greer celebrated her 13th birthday May 23. She entertained with a party at the Saltville Skating Rink Wednesday night. There were 64 children attending. Patsy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Essie Greer of Saltville, Rt. 2.

The Rev. and Mrs. Ted Witt and family of Tennessee spent the week end with Mrs. S. C. Lowe. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lowe and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Furrow of Richlands visited her Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Duff and Karon of Saltville, Rt. 2, Mrs. Laura Miller and Gail of Bristol spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sessor.

Mrs. Henry Jones, Mrs. Dan Jones and Robert of Marion visited Ida Jones Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. L. H. Terry and Johnnie spent the week end in Eaton, Ohio, with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Coston, and family.

Junior Edmondson has returned home from Eaton, Ohio, where he has been working for the past five months.

James Davis of the US Navy is spending a 20 day leave with his mother, Mrs. Emma Davis.

Robert Church has returned home from the US Army. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Church.

Mrs. Carl Keese and children of Washington, D. C., and

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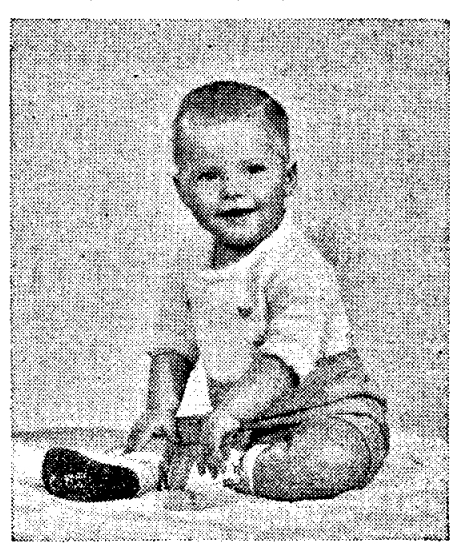
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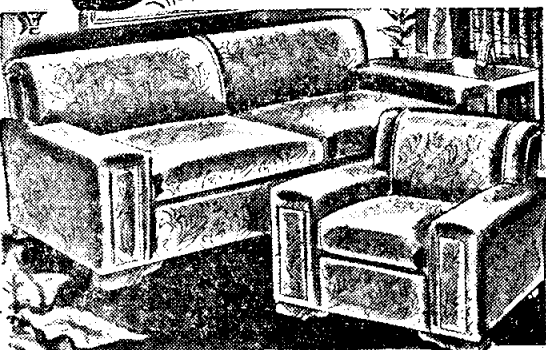
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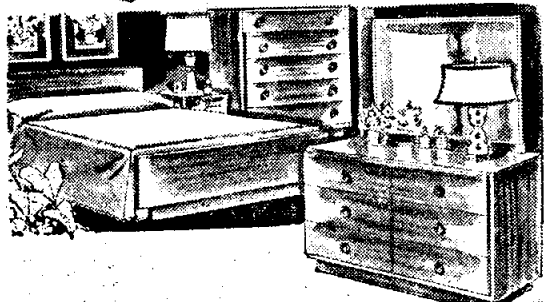
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MARSHALL GARRETT INVOLVED IN AUTO ACCIDENT WEDNESDAY

Marshall S. Garrett, 28, of New Castle was involved in an auto accident June 9 on Rt. 11 at the intersection of Groseclose Street in Marion.

The 1949 GMC truck, operated by Garrett, was traveling down Rt. 11 inside the city limits of Marion when a 1950 Oldsmobile operated by John M. Eads, 21, of Bristol came out of the Groseclose St. intersection and collided with Garrett.

The Eads car was knocked into the ditch on the left side of Rt. 11 and the truck was knocked into the right side of the road.

The left front, left front fender, hood and left rear of the Eads car was damaged. The right front fender and grill of the Garrett vehicle was damaged. Investigating officers Lt. Walter Boone and patrolman Ed Atkinson estimated the damage at \$500 to the car and \$100 to the truck.

The drivers are charged with reckless driving and are under bond to appear in the Trial Justice Court Wednesday, Atkinson stated.

BUR-MIL TOPS HOSPITAL IN 23-2 CONTEST TUESDAY

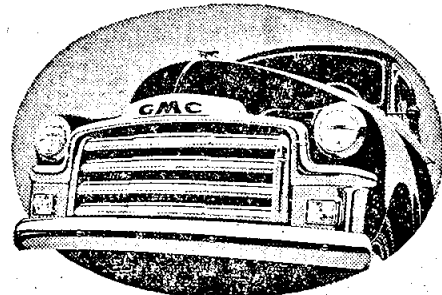
The Bur-Mil softball team racked up a 23-2 victory over State Hospital in Marion June 8.

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Miss Ellen Hull Is Honored At Series of Parties

Mrs. James S. Scott, entertained for Miss Ellen Hull, whose marriage to James Robert Keever Jr. took place Saturday, with a dessert bridge party at her home in Marion last Tuesday.

High score went to Mrs. Donald D. Jones with second high going to Mrs. Eldon E. Campbell, Front Royal.

Mrs. Rushland Kelly Flesher and Mrs. Charles Funk entertained the bride-elect at the home of the latter in Marion with a kitchen shower and bridge party last Wednesday afternoon. High score prize winner was Mrs. John Tate. Mrs. James Scott won second high, and bingo prizes went to Miss Martha Hull and Mrs. K. W. Berry of Chilhowie.

Thursday night Miss Nancy Walker honored Miss Hull and Mr. Keever with a picnic at "Tuckaway".

The rehearsal dinner was given Friday night by Mr. and Mrs. Wythe Hull Jr., parents of the bride, assisted by Miss Margaret Hull and Mrs. Francis Copenhaver, at Holston Hills Country Club.

Following the rehearsal an informal party for the wedding party and out of town guests was given by Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. Jones.

Mrs. William Clark Ackerly and Mrs. William Gordon Joyce, both of Philadelphia, Penna., were co-hostesses at the wedding breakfast, which was held at Hemlock Haven the morning of the wedding.

MRS. POE IS BRIDGE CLUB HOSTESS

Mrs. Fred Poe was hostess to her Tuesday Evening Bridge Club this week.

High score prize winner was Mrs. Stuart Stephenson with low score prize going to Mrs. Herman Hubble. Mrs. Clarence Stephenson was the other prize winner.

Triangle Bridge Club Meets Here

Mrs. Neal Blankenbeckler

Miss Summer to Marry Mr. Leedy



Mr. and Mrs. Troy Paige Sumner of Floyd announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Josephine, to William Jackson Leedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roby L. Leedy of Marion.

Miss Sumner is a graduate of Marion College. Mr. Leedy attended Marion College.

No date has been set for the wedding.

was hostess to the Triangle Bridge Club Monday evening at her home in Marion.

Canterberry bells, larkspur, lilies and other summer flowers were arranged throughout the house. A dessert course was served by the hostess.

Mrs. Edwin Sanders received the high score prize. Mrs. Hilton Rector, second high, with the bingo prize going to Mrs. Sam Mountain. Mrs. L. S. Gillenwater received the lucky

prize, and Mrs. Robert McKay of Marion received a guest prize.

DUPLICATE CLUB HAS MEETING

The Rural Retreat Duplicate Club met Friday evening with Mrs. Joe DeBord.

The winning teams were Mrs. Hazel Geoghegan, Mrs. C. A. Elter, Mrs. Ed Dobyns and Miss Margaret Humphrey.



Miss Ellen Clyde Hull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wythe Marvin Hull Jr. of Marion became the bride of James Robert Keever Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James Robert Keever of Charlotte, N. C., Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the First Methodist Church, Marion.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Eugene Morrison Grier of Gastonia, N. C., former classmate of the groom from Princeton Theological Seminary, assisted by Dr. B. T. Sells, pastor of the bride. The church was decorated with white snapdragons, baby's breath and tapering candelabra entwined with ivy.

Immediately preceding the ceremony Miss Charlotte Key of Knoxville, Tenn., and Julia Conservatory in New York City, organist, and John Winston Dickinson of Marion, soloist, presented a program of wedding music.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of imported white Chantilly lace over blush pink nylon tulle. Medallions of lace ap-

plique formed an off-shoulder neckline above a fitted bodice with long tapering sleeves. Her bouffant skirt was edged with a deep ruffle of pleated tulle, and her fingertip veil of blush lace and nylon illusion was gathered to a Juliet cap of matching lace and pleated blush tulle. She held the Belgian lace handkerchief carried by both her mother and her maternal grandmother on their wedding days. Her cascade bouquet was of lily of the valley, baby's breath and white orchids with tiny pink centers, which picked up the delicate pink of her dress.

Miss Martha Hull of Marion was her sister's maid of honor. Mrs. William Clark Ackerly of Philadelphia, Penna., served as matron of honor, and the bridesmaids were Miss Cornelia Hale of Tuscaloosa, Ala., Mrs. David Nathan Martin of Baltimore, Md., Mrs. Howard K. Garmon, cousin of the groom from Charlotte, and Mrs. William Gordon Joyce of Philadelphia, Penna.

James Robert Keever served as his son's best man. Ushers were Philip H. Young of Bala-Cynwyd, Penna., William O. Harris of Petersburg, Ind., S. Craig Alexander Jr. and Howard K. Garmon of Charlotte, William Gordon Joyce and Dr. William Clark Ackerly of Philadelphia.

The bride's mother wore an ankle-length gown of mauve nylon net over taffeta and a corsage of cymbidium orchids. The mother of the groom was in blue lace with white orchids for her corsage.

The reception was held at the Holston Hills Country Club immediately following the ceremony. For traveling the bride wore a grey Glenhaven suit with shell pink and black accessories and a white orchid. After their wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Keever will live for the summer in Covington, Va., where the groom will be assistant minister of the First Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Keever received her Bachelor of Arts degree from Agnes Scott College, Atlanta, Ga., and her Master of Arts degree from the University of Pennsylvania. For the past year she has been a student in the School of Christian Education at Princeton Theological Seminary. Mr. Keever is a graduate of Davidson College. He completed his residence work on his Master's degree from Duke University before entering Princeton Theological Seminary, where he is now a member of the senior class. After the summer the couple will be at home at 45 Linden Lane, Princeton, N. J., where the bride will be a member of the faculty of Miss Fine's School, and the groom will resume his studies.

Marion Pilots To Sponsor Girl To Girls State

At a recent business meeting of the Pilot Club of Marion held at Hotel Lincoln the club voted to co-sponsor a local girl to attend Girls' State, which is to be held at Blacksburg.

As part of its plan of work for the year, the Pilot Information Committee has as its aim to present some information about Pilot International at each club meeting. Miss Lucille Naff gave a short history of Pilot International at this meeting.

It was announced that the June dinner meeting will be held Monday, June 21, at Hemlock Haven.

Mrs. Greever Has Bridge, Rook Party

Mrs. Nelson Greever entertained Monday evening at Sue's Party Place with a dessert bridge and rook party.

There were six tables of bridge and five of rook in play.

In the bridge game the high score prize went to Mrs. W. H. Copenhaver Sr. and second high to Mrs. Grace McCormick. Other prize winners were Mrs. J. B. Cole and Mrs. M. B. Cole.

Mrs. Ray Carter received the high score prize in the rook game with second going to Mrs. James Catron. Other prizes were won by Mrs. E. V. Greever and Mrs. V. G. Copenhaver.

Ralphetta Turner



Miss Ralphetta Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turner of Columbia, S. C., will wed Charles Randolph Cox III, son of Mrs. Mary Sheffey Cox, 206 Miller Avenue, Marion, and Charles Cox Jr. of Gary, W. Va., in the early fall.

Miss Turner is a student at Claflin University, Orangeburg, S. C., and Mr. Cox is a member of the 1954 graduating class at Claflin. He served in the armed forces overseas after which he returned to college to complete his studies.

Marriages

ROSE-BLEVINS

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Wesley Blevins of Marion announce the marriage of their daughter, Margaret Joyce, to Dale E. Rose, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton A. Rose of Marion.

The single ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Carroll Skeens at the First Methodist Church, Bristol, Tenn.

The groom is a graduate of Marion College and received his A. B. in Chemistry from Emory and Henry College in 1953. He also did graduate work at the University of Richmond and will teach in an eastern Virginia school this fall. The bride attended Marion High School and will continue her education this fall in eastern Virginia.

Engagements

JOHNSON-SHARITZ

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Walford Johnson of Minneapolis, Minn., announce the engagement of their daughter, Doris E., to Clyde G. Sharitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul P. Sharitz of Crockett.

No date has been set for the wedding.



Mr. and Mrs. Samuel P. Arnold announce the marriage of their daughter, Beulah Ruby, to Major Wythe Crackett of Rich Creek.

The ceremony was performed at the bride's home Wednesday, May 26, at 2:30 by the Rev. J. F. Aker of Radford, as-

Guests Attend Deaton-St. John Wedding June 12

Among the guests attending the Deaton-St. John wedding in Radford June 12 were the Rev. and Mrs. Harrell Russell, Tazewell; the Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Eldridge, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Nally and Bill, R. A. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Farmer, Miss Margaret Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones and Kay, Mr. and Mrs. John Nye, all of Radford; Mrs. G. E. Newland and daughter, Elizabeth, Bristol, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rogers, Misses Claudine Rogers, and Joyce Roberts, all of Kingsport, Tenn.

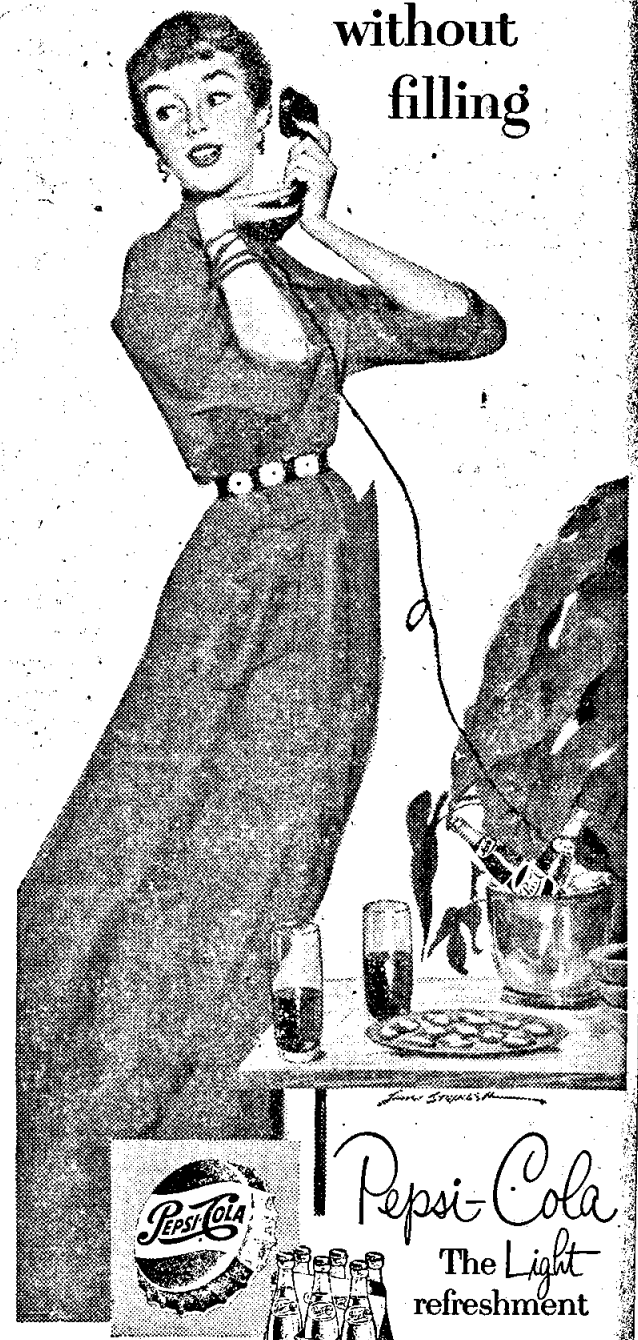
Also the Rev. and Mrs. George McCrary of Texas, Mrs. W. F. McCall, Spruce Pine, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Scott and Carole, Greensboro, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Snapp, Limestone, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Deaton and G. A. Jr., Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Deaton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hannah, all of Clifton Forge; Dr. and Mrs. Harry Austin, Dr. and Mrs. John French, Mrs. Edgar Groseclose, all of Pearisburg.

MRS. COPENHAVER IS HOSTESS TO BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Robert Copenhaver of Rural Retreat was hostess to the Neoplyte Club May 23.

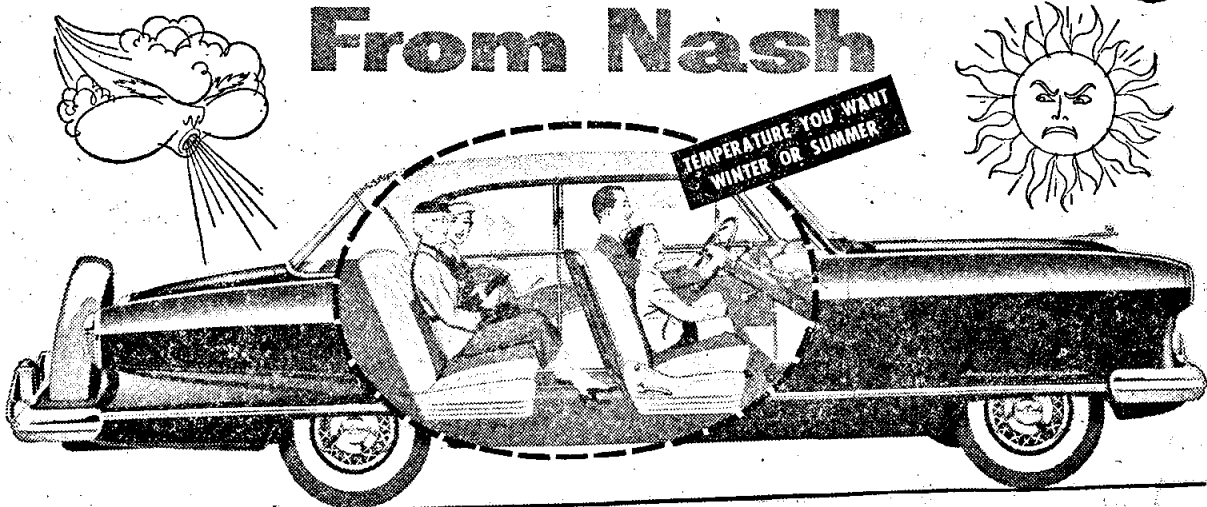
Mrs. B. L. Musser Jr. won high score. Guests of the club were Misses Joyce and June Kidd and Mrs. W. M. Huddle-

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Miss Oleta Owen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Owen of Kahoka, Mo., and the Rev. Odie M. McNeill, son of Mrs. O. B. McNeill and the late Mr. McNeill, were united in marriage at 4 p. m. Sunday, June 6.

Dr. George W. Atkinson performed the double ring ceremony in the Saltville Union Church before a decorated altar.

Preceding and throughout the ceremony Mrs. C. C. Hatfield, organist, and Mrs. G. S. Buchanan Jr., soloist, presented a program of nuptial music.

The candles were lighted by Ann Goff and Rickey Halferty, nephew of the bride.

The bride was given in marriage by Henry Hutton. She wore a ballerina length gown of white material and a fingertip veil of tulle. Her jewelry was a single strand of pearls and matching earrings, a gift of the groom. She carried a white Bible topped with white roses and showered with pink carnations.

Mrs. J. Fred Brooks, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor. Other attendants

were Mrs. H. C. Halferty, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Jack Sloan and Miss Marjorie McNeill, sisters of the groom.

Mary Lynn Goff served as flower girl and Johnny Brooks, nephew of the bride, served as ring bearer. George Puckett served as the groom's best man and ushers were Winfred and Fulton McNeill, brothers of the groom, and Robert Taylor.

A reception followed at the Madam Russell Methodist Church.

For a southern wedding trip the bride wore a pink linen dress with pink and white accessories. After June 19 the couple will reside in the manse in Rich Valley.

The bride attended Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, and the past year she has taught Bible in the Glade Spring, Meadowview, Liberty Hall, and Plasterco schools. The groom attended Presbyterian Junior College, Maxton, N. C., and Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, Ga. He is now serving the Saltville Union, Locust Cove Union, North Holston and Rich Valley Presbyterian Churches.



Miss Dana Yvonne Kell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kell of Route 3, Marion, became the bride of Bobby Morris Runyon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Runyon of Ragland, W. Va., Saturday, June 12, at 2 o'clock.

The double ring ceremony was performed in the South Fork Baptist Church by the Rev. O. N. Blankenbecker, pastor. The church was decorated with mountain ivy and candelabra.

Mack Sturgill, pianist, presented a program of wedding music with the traditional wedding marches. Miss Glenna Lee Sexton of Bristol, cousin of the bride, was soloist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a tailored white linen suit with white accessories. Her

flowers were a corsage of brown orchids.

Miss Elaine McKinnon of Marion was maid of honor. Drexel Atkins served the groom as best man. Ushers were Bruce Runyon, brother of the groom, and Arthur Lee Vernon.

The bride's mother was attired in a beige street length dress with matching accessories. The mother of the groom wore a blue and white ensemble.

The bride is a member of this year's graduating class of Marion High School and the groom is a graduate of Logan, W. Va., High School and served in the U. S. Air Force in Korea.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

Flatridge

LOLA SHULER

Flatridge, June 14—Mr. and Mrs. Duane Hackler and Claude of Maryland have been visiting Mrs. Eldon Harrington and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Taylor, Winston-Salem, N. C., visited Mr. and Mrs. Dean Mays recently.

Marilyn Cummings is a patient in Waddell Hospital, Galax, at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Baynard Funk and family of near Washington, D. C.; visited her sister, Mrs. Edmond Harrington, recently.

Guests during the week end of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shuler were Misses Olive Varney and Leona Anderson, Washington, D. C.; W. G. Ghuler, Logan, W. Va.; the Rev. James Anderson, Galax, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Saunders and sons, Atkins.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Jelich and son, Johnny, after spending sometime in the Shuler home, returned to Washington, D. C., Sunday. He is with the State Department, and his next assignment will be at the American embassy in Lisbon, Portugal.

Carl Parks and Carl Cornett, Marion, were visitors here Sunday.

Michael and Odette Adams, children of S-Sgt. and Mrs. W. C. Adams, are spending some time with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cornett.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Parks and son of Galax, and Wayne Cornett of Speedwell visited Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Cornett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Roberts of Farmville and Mrs. Thelma Drinkard and children of Volony visited friends and relatives last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cornett and son of Richmond are spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Cornett.

Miss Deanna Mays and Fred Jones, were in Bluefield, W. Va., Tuesday night for the recital presented by Miss Esther Irene Graham at the Ramsey Auditorium. They were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Graham.

Spratt's Creek

HELEN COMPTON

Spratt's Creek, June 14 — Mrs. J. E. Gates is spending some time with her children in West Virginia.

Mrs. Elmer Waddell and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. John Waddell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Turley spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Turley and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Atwell.

Mr. and Mrs. David Overbay of Chilhowie and Miss Helen Compton visited Mr. and Mrs. John Compton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kinder and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Horne and children enjoyed a picnic last Sunday.

Sgt. and Mrs. Herbert Atwell and children have arrived in California after a several days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Atwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Atwell and Jo Ann spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stonewall Cullop at Beaver Creek.

Miss Laura Mae Young visited Miss Sally Atwell Sunday.

Mrs. Gervis Atwell and Marlene and Mrs. G. S. Ferguson spent last Friday with Mrs. Clarence Gillespie.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Hurst visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Atwell Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dame Turley, Lana Sue, Ronnie and Clyde

of Tazewell recently visited Helen, Hobert and Darr Compton and Mr. and Mrs. John Compton.

Mrs. Betty Tate Neal and Stevie spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whittaker in Bristol.

Mrs. Elmer Waddell visited Miss Helen Compton recently. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gates and children and C. F. Gates recently visited relatives in Bristol.

Miss Jo Ann Atwell spent the week end with Miss Goldie Gates.

Bob Coulthard of Chilhowie spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Compton.

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Trout Dale

JOY TOLLIVER

Trout Dale, June 14 — Mrs. J. E. Conley recently visited her sister, Mrs. Oscar McGrady.

Mrs. Carl Phipps and Mrs. Ardie McGrady visited the former's mother, Mrs. Troy Phipps of Independence, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Linnie Williams of Aiken, S. C., are visiting relatives here and at Rugby.

Vance Anderson of Aberdeen, Md., and William Anderson of Baltimore visited rela-

tives last week. Miss Georgia Lantz, who recently returned from Europe, left last Tuesday for Washington after spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Mae Lantz.

Mrs. Marie Atwood, who has been a patient at a Marion hospital, returned home much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Handy of Newport News are visiting relatives here and in Marion.

Mrs. D. G. Henderson and family of Marion visited Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Tolliver and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Testerman and family of Blacksburg were Sunday night guests of Mrs. G. W. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Greer and family of California and C. D. Greer of Roanoke are visiting Miss Mary Greer for a few days.

Miss Kate Woods of Grant spent Sunday night with June Atwood.

The families of Ed Wagg and Omar McGrady and Carnette and Roger Stone of Sugar Grove spent Sunday on the Blue Ridge Parkway.

Delora and Helen Baker of Corners Rock are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baker.

Mrs. Charles Reedy of Maryland is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Reedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Greer and son, Terry, are visiting relatives in Wyoming and Utah.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilmore Cornette were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reedy and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe French and family of Florida have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Greek Walton and family of Galax visited Mr. and Mrs. Marsh Walton Sunday.

FFA Honors Area People

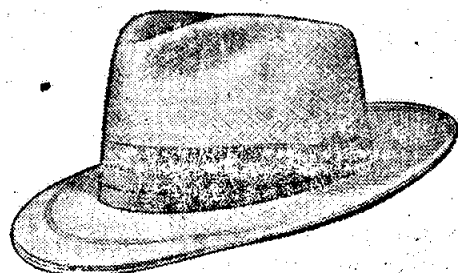
Three FFA members and two faculty members of the Rural Retreat High School were among those honored by the Virginia Association, Future Farmers of America, at the 28th annual convention, which is being held this week at Blacksburg.

Charles Cook of Rich Valley, Donald Jerome Moore of Rural Retreat and Joe Moore, Glade Spring, were elected to receive the "State Farmer" key, the highest honor the state association confers upon its members in recognition of their accomplishments in vocational agriculture as well as other high school and community activities.

C. E. Clear, principal of Rural Retreat High School, and C. M. Vaughan, instructor of vocational agriculture in Rural Retreat, were among the 16 adults elected to honorary membership in recognition of their contributions to Virginia's farm youth.



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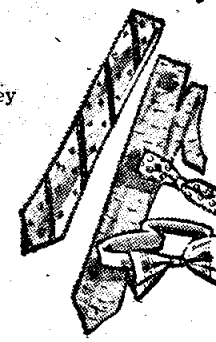
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Chilhowie Team Folds in Softball Loop

The Town House softball team in the Marion Industrial Softball League dropped from the loop after nine games of play, Jack Musten, president stated this week.

The loop had been operating with five teams, one drawing a bye each Tuesday and Thursday afternoon of scheduled play.

The Town House manager stated that enough could not be secured to have a team at game time. The player shortage grew worse forcing the team out of the league.

A meeting was held at the Marion Recreation Center Monday night with a revised schedule being made. At this meeting those present decided to hold an All-Star game July 7. Seven members of the Bur-Mil team and seven members of the VFW team will combine to face a like team composed of State, Hospital and Harwood members. There will be two pitchers from each team selected by the managers. Each will play about four and one half innings.

The schedule for the remainder of the season is:

- June 17 — Hospital at Harwood.
- Bur-Mil vs VFW at Wright Field.
- June 22 — VFW at Harwood.
- Bur-Mil at Hospital.
- June 24 — Harwood vs Bur-Mil (High School Field.)
- VFW vs Hospital at Harwood.
- July 8 — Harwood at Hospital.
- Bur-Mil vs VFW (High School Field.)
- July 13 — Harwood vs VFW (Wright Field).
- Hospital vs Bur-Mil (High School Field.)
- July 15 — Bur-Mil at Harwood.
- VFW at Hospital.
- July 20 — Hospital at Harwood.
- Bur-Mil vs VFW (Wright Field.)
- July 27 — Harwood vs Bur-Mil (High School Field.)
- VFW vs Hospital (Harwood Field.)
- August 3 — Harwood vs VFW (Wright Field).
- Bur-Mil vs Hospital (High School Field.)
- August 5 — Bur-Mil at Harwood.
- VFW at Hospital.
- August 10 — Hospital at Harwood.
- Bur-Mil vs VFW (Hospital).
- August 12 — VFW at Harwood.
- Bur-Mil at Hospital.

Those present for the meeting were Bill Carrico, Alfred Wolfe, Cloyd Manuel, Bill Corneette and Jack Musten.

MARION BUR-MIL HOLDS FIRST SPOT IN LOOP

The Marion Bur-Mil team in the softball league increased the league lead with a win over Harwood Tuesday afternoon at the Harwood field in a close 9-8 contest.

Bur-Mil holds the league lead with a nine wins and three defeats margin for a percentage of 75.

Joe Snively worked the mound for Bur-Mil while Null suffered the loss. Mason Hicks with three hits in four trips was the leading hitter for the Bur-Mil team. Two of these hits by Hicks went for home runs.

Null was the losing pitcher but helped bring the score close by tagging up with a home run.

HARWOOD RACKS UP 11-6 VICTORY OVER TOWN HOUSE TEAM

The Harwood softball team ran up a 11-6 victory over the Town House team of Chilhowie June 8 at Chilhowie.

Earnie Hall with four hits in five trips was the leading hitter for Harwood. Hall, Fred Fowler and Null each tagged up with home runs. Null started on the mound for Harwood and gave way to Cloyd Manuel in the third inning. Manuel pitched two hit ball the remainder of the game for the win.

Bise with two hits in four trips, one a home run, was the leading hitter for the Town House team. Berry started on the mound for the losers and gave way to Rupard in the sixth inning.

This win ran the standings to four victories and seven defeats for the Harwood team.

Four Teams Tied For Second Spot In Saltville League

Four teams in the Saltville Softball League are all tied up for the second place bracket this week.

Ice Plant, Chlorine, Maintenance and Ammonia Soda are in a tie with three wins and three defeats for the second spot.

Tuesday afternoon the Stores team forfeited a game to the Chlorine Plant, by using ineligible players. Wednesday the Ammonia Soda team rack-

ed up an 8-7 victory over Caustic. The winning run for Soda came in the bottom of the seventh inning. Harold Hammond worked the mound for the winners, while Farris suffered the defeat.

Last Thursday the Maintenance team ran up a one-sided 20-5 score over the Ice Plant team. Smith worked the mound for the winners, and Denton and Lee served mound duty for the losers.

PINEY TOPS PULASKI IN CLOSE 12-11 TILT

The Piney baseball team in the Tri-County League edged out Pulaski in a close 12-11 baseball tilt at Piney Sunday afternoon.

J. Crockett was the leading hitter for Piney with five hits in trips to the plate. Crockett scored four runs. D. Porter tagged up with four hits in five trips, and B. Arnold hit four times in six trips.

R. Aker started on the mound for Piney and gave way to O. Porter and then J. Frye.

W. Burchett, Yelton and Hughs each tagged three hits in five trips for Pulaski. Burchett scored two runs for Pulaski.

Little was credited with the loss for the Pulaski team. He worked the entire game. Pulaski 301 060 001 - 11 15 0 Piney 203 003 004 - 12 20 0 R. Aker, O. Porter, J. Frye to J. Porter; Little to S. Lawson.

Musten Is Starting League for Boys Up To 16 Years of Age

Jack Musten stated this week that he is trying to start a league for boys in Marion from the age of 12 to 16 years for the summer recreation program and that he is interested in securing games.

Musten added that he now had two teams in such a league and that his teams would like to schedule games with any teams of the same age in a 20 mile radius of Marion. He said that he would like to have these games on a home and home basis.

The open dates for these games would be on Monday, Wednesday or Thursday. He added that some Saturday afternoon games might be arranged.

"If anyone is interested and has a team in this age bracket please call me at Marion 3-4562," Musten stated.

Sports Chatter

By Charles Martin

The Smyth County Baseball League, after starting the season with only seven teams, was forced to pick up one during the season. The additional team has caused a haymaker of trouble for league officials. Trout Dale started the season in the loop and then changed boats in the middle of the stream. Two weeks ago Trout Dale joined a league in Grayson County and left the Smyth loop short-handed after eight games had been played. Cleghorn Valley was the answer to part of the problem. Cleghorn entered the league last Saturday by playing Atkins a two game series.

The big problem now will be to have the Cleghorn team play over the games that Trout Dale had already played. This will mean most of the season in the form of double-headers to bring the tally of games up to date. The games that Trout Dale played should not be counted, and the Cleghorn team will have to play all the back games to have the proper standing in the loop.

The second problem for the loop will be securing another secretary-treasurer for the loop. Paul Emerson of Trout Dale was elected to this post at the first part of the season. With his team's dropping out the post will also be evacuated. The only possible answer to this problem will be to have the various managers of the teams hold a meeting to decide about the entering of Cleghorn Valley and elect another person to this post.

SPORTS IN SMYTH COUNTY

THURSDAY, JUNE 17
SALTVILLE SOFTBALL LEAGUE — Chlorine Plant vs Caustic at Saltville ball park. Game time 5:45 p. m.

FRIDAY, JUNE 18
BURLEY BELT LEAGUE — Bristol Liners vs Saltville Alkalies at Saltville. Abingdon vs Lebanon at Lebanon. Marion bye. Game time 7:45 p. m.

SATURDAY, JUNE 19
BURLEY BELT LEAGUE — Bristol Liners vs Saltville Alkalies at Saltville. Abingdon vs Lebanon at Abingdon. Marion bye. Game time 7:45 p. m.

SMYTH COUNTY LEAGUE — Scratch Gravel at Cleghorn Valley, South Fork at Atkins. Furnace Hill at Chatham Hill. Game time 2:30 p. m.

SUNDAY, JUNE 20
SMYTH COUNTY LEAGUE — Cleghorn Valley vs Scratch Gravel at Wright Field. Atkins at South Fork. Chatham Hill at Furnace Hill. Game time 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY, JUNE 22
SALTVILLE SOFTBALL LEAGUE — Maintenance vs Caustic, at Saltville ball park. Game time 5:45 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23
GOLF TOURNAMENT — Southwestern Virginia Golf Association tournament at Saltville course.

THURSDAY, JUNE 24
SALTVILLE SOFTBALL LEAGUE — Ice Plant vs Stores at Saltville ball park. Game time 5:45 p. m.

Marion won its first Southwestern Virginia Golf Association tournament August 4, 1938. The team members were Curtis Hamm, Bill McFall, Ned Davis, Jess Baughman, Jack Gordon, Thomas Ellis, Spud Query and Joe Ellis.

The first night baseball game in Smyth County was played at the Saltville ball park June 26, 1948. The game was between Marion and Saltville with Marion Rice pitching for Marion and Jim Mooney pitching for Saltville.



BURLEY BELT LEAGUE LAST WEEK

FRIDAY'S RESULTS
Abingdon 17, Marion 3.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS
Abingdon 7, Marion 2.
Bristol 25, Lebanon 6.

SUNDAY'S RESULTS
Bristol 17, Lebanon 8.

TUESDAY'S RESULTS
Saltville 9, Bristol 3.

Team	W	L	Pct.
Abingdon	6	1	.857
Saltville	7	3	.700
Bristol	5	6	.455
Marion	4	7	.364
Lebanon	2	6	.250

SMYTH COUNTY LEAGUE LAST WEEK

SATURDAY'S RESULTS
South Fork 8, Cleghorn 4.
Atkins 22, Scratch Gravel 2.

SUNDAY'S RESULTS
South Fork 13, Cleghorn 6.
Atkins 10, Scratch Gravel 8.
Chatham Hill 13, Seven Mile Ford 1.

Team	W	L	Pct.
Furnace Hill	6	1	.857
Chatham Hill	6	1	.857
South Fork	6	1	.857
Atkins	5	5	.500
Cleghorn Valley	3	3	.500
Scratch Gravel	0	6	.000
Seven Mile Ford	0	7	.000

MARION SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Bur-Mil	9	3	.750
State Hospital	6	5	.545
VFW	5	9	.357
Harwood	4	8	.333

SALTVILLE SOFTBALL LEAGUE LAST WEEK

Stores forfeit to Chlorine
Ammonia Soda 8, Caustic 7.
Maintenance 20, Ice Plant 5.

Team	W	L	Pct.
Caustic	4	2	.667
Ice Plant	3	3	.500
Chlorine	3	3	.500
Maintenance	3	3	.500
Ammonia Soda	3	3	.500
Stores	2	4	.333

Alkalies to Face Liners Friday, Saturday Nights

This week end the Alkalies will face the Bristol Liners in a two game series Friday and Saturday night at Saltville.

ALKALIES CLOSE GAP

The Saltville Alkalies, after drawing a bye during the week, came back within one half game of the league leading Abingdon Blues with a victory over the Bristol State Liners Tuesday night in a 9-3 contest.

The Alkalies were silent over the past week end while the Blues grabbed two victories over Marion to increase the lead.

Bob Angel, Saltville pitching star, tossed a six hitter to the Bristol team and struck out 16 Bristol batters in his victory. Bill Anderson, Joe Payne and Tom Wright were the leading Saltville batters in the victory. Chub Arnold chipped in with two hits.

Bill Trivette with two singles was the pace setter for the losers.

The big frame for the Alkalies came in the fourth when five runs crossed the plate. Bristol 000 000 030 - 3 6 4 Saltville 020 502 000 - 9 12 1 Little to Jesse; Angel to Worley.

The Marion Bucks drew a bye in the regular season of play for this week end.

The Marion Bucks were on the lower end of two contests with the Abingdon Blues over the week end to drop into fourth spot in the Burley Belt League.

Friday night at Marion the Bucks dropped a one-sided 17-3 tilt to the Blues. Preston Pitta started on the mound for Marion and was in trouble in the first frame when Marion Rice came to his aid to retire the side. Freddy Query entered the game in the fourth inning with the bases loaded and only one out. Query pitched good ball but was relieved in the eighth inning by C. P. Brickey. Brickey walked two men and was relieved by Guy Dutton, who finished the game on the mound for Marion.

Bill Anderson scored the first Buck run by tagging for a single, stealing second and rounding home on a wild pitch. Jack Musten scored Neal Kinder with a long double after Kinder was walked. C. P. Brickey scored the final Buck run with a hit by Smith.

Dan Hester was the big batter for Abingdon with two hits, scoring three runs in five times to the plate. Abingdon tagged up for 11 hits while holding the Bucks to five.

Gene Carrier started for Abingdon and gave way to Bowman in the eighth inning. Cloyd entered the game in the ninth to finish the game.

Marion Golfers Win In SWVGA Golf Tournament

The Marion golfers finished in the last spot in the first Southwestern Virginia Golf Association tournament and then came back to capture the first place in the second last Wednesday at Holston Hills Country Club.

The Marion team shot a low score of 436 to capture first place. Pulaski was second with a 438, Blacksburg third with a 442 and Saltville next with a 463. Wytneville was in the bottom spot with a 478.

The individual low net cup went to Preston Newman of Blacksburg with a net of 68. Warren Wright of Marion captured the low gross of the tournament with a gross score of 76.

The best individual score for Saltville was DeBord with a 77.

The next tournament will be held at the Saltville Golf Course Wednesday, June 23, with the Saltville golfers as host.

Marion Golfers Take Team Match From Tazewell Club Team

Marion golfers racked up a 19½ to 15½ victory over the visiting Tazewell team at Holston Hills Country Club in Marion Sunday in an inter-club match.

The results of the match were as follows:

Kepler and Ellis, Marion, tied with Kiser and Lindsey of Tazewell, 1½ to 1½.

Hastings and Ross, Marion, defeated Beavers and French, Tazewell, 3-0.

Hockaday and Bishop, Marion, lost to Horne and Fullerton, Tazewell, ½ to 2½.

Buchanan and Collins, Marion, lost to Poe and McColl, Tazewell, ½ to 2½.

Davis and Bass, Marion, lost to Wilson and Copenhagen, ½ to 2½.

Slemp and Rouse, Marion, defeated Beattie and Adkins, 2½ to ½.

Gillespie and Linkous, Marion, defeated Bowen and Berry, Tazewell, 2½ to ½.

Thomas and Lindsey, Marion, defeated Kiser and Mock, Tazewell, 2 to 1.

Hull and Rowland, Marion, lost to Tiff Kiser and Brumfield, 0-3.

The next inter-club match for the Marion golfers will be with the Mercer Country Club of Bluefield at Holston Hills July 11.

Chatham Hill Wins 13-1 Contest Over Seven Mile Ford

The Chatham Hill baseball team racked up a 13-1 victory over the Seven Mile Ford team Sunday afternoon at Seven Mile Ford.

The game Saturday afternoon was called due to a funeral.

Stan Webb and Ralph Carter set the batting pace for the winners with three hits in five trips each.

Campbell Ear-nop worked the mound for Chatham Hill, striking out 17 batters. This was his fourth win in as many starts. Ray Buchanan worked behind the mound for Chatham Hill.

Saturday and Sunday Chatham Hill will face the league leading Spruce Hill team in a two game series.

Smyth County Loop Player Rosters Must Be Turned In

Campbell Burnop, president of the Smyth County Baseball League, this week asked that all team managers of the loop turn in the playing rosters for the season.

The date set by the managers was June 15, and all managers are responsible for turning in these to the president.

The roster must include players for the remainder of the season, and others may be added during the coming games. Burnop stated.

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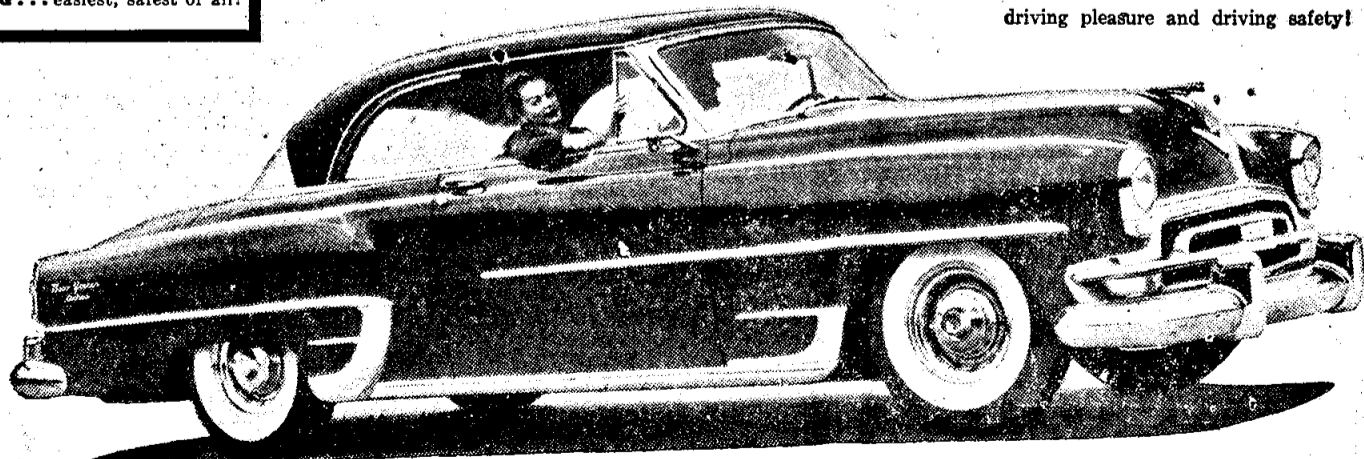
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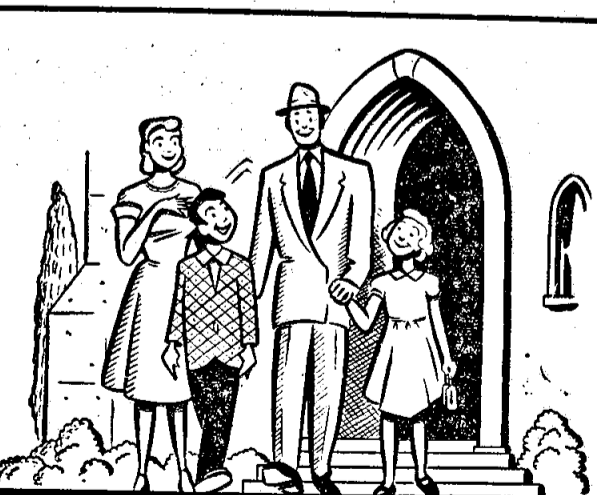
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Little League Play To Start Tuesday Afternoon

The regular playing season for the Marion Little League is scheduled to begin Tuesday afternoon, according to Jack Musten.

Plans set for the league now include two games Saturday morning with the selecting of the teams' place Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m. The youngsters have been working overtime during the past week in an effort to prepare for the playing season.

At the present time there are five clubs in Marion that will back teams in this league. They are Junior Chamber of Commerce, American Legion, Rotary, VFW and the Marion Baptist Church. The team that was to be entered from Atkins seems to have fallen through. Ken Chaffin stated that interest in such a league had fallen with the boys, and the money end seemed impossible.

The teams will consist of about 15 players, depending on the number of boys interested in playing. The team will have a limit of three boys from eight years through 12 years of age. This is to give each team an equal chance on winning.

Each club backing a team will furnish a coach and umpire for the games, and Jack Musten stated that he would work the boys during the week when there were no games. This way the coaches and others of the teams will not have to spend too much of their time with the boys and the league still should go over.

Those now interested in forming this league are making plans for a bigger league and entering the regular Little League for the next year.

Musten stated this week that all boys interested in playing with the Little League must be signed up this week. He urged all youngsters to attend the practices and prepare for the season, adding that they must work out under supervision to enter the league.

Musten said that the best of equipment would be used for play and all protection would be given the boys.

South Fork Grabs Two Victories Over Cleghorn Valley

The South Fork baseball team racked up 8-4 and 13-8 victories over Cleghorn Valley over the week end in the Smyth County League.

Saturday afternoon at Cleghorn Valley South Fork ran up the 8-4 win with Smothers pitching the winning game. Brooks was accredited with the loss. J. Blevins was the leading hitter for Cleghorn Valley with two hits in four trips to the plate. Charles Kirby set the pace for South Fork with two hits in four trips.

Sunday afternoon at the South Fork diamond the home team again ran up a 13-8 victory. O. D. Hayes worked the mound for South Fork, and Earl Blevins was marked with the loss. V. Blevins with two hits in four trips to the plate was the leading hitter for Cleghorn Valley.

Lee Thompson set the pace for South Fork with three hits in five trips.

Atkins Grabs Two Game Series From Scratch Gravel

The Atkins baseball team racked up two victories over Scratch Gravel in the Smyth County baseball loop over the week end.

Saturday Atkins was on the upper end of a runaway 22-2 score. Lefty Norman with a single, double and triple set the batting pace for the winners. Lambert chipped in with two for four, and Jack Schwartz added two for two.

Cox started on the mound for the Atkins team and gave way to Perkins in the fifth inning.

Sheets, Overbay and Callahan were the only Scratch Gravel batters to tag hits. Overbay started on the mound

and gave way to Atkins in the second inning. In the first frame 17 Atkins batters faced Overbay.

Scratch Gravel —
002 000 0 - 23 4
Atkins 1303 420 x - 22 14 3
Cox, Perkins (5) to Greer; Overbay, Atkins (2) to Vernon.

Sunday afternoon at Marion the Scratch Gravel team settled down to hold the game at 10-8 in favor of Atkins.

Bise started on the mound for Scratch Gravel and gave way to Ansil Kirby in the eighth inning. Schwartz started on the mound for Atkins and gave way to Atkins in the seventh frame. The game was called at the end of eight inning.

Lambert and Norman with four hits in five trips were the leading hitters for Atkins. Harold Richardson with two hits in three trips set the pace for Scratch Gravel.

Atkins 011 021 14 - 10 17 4
Scratch Gravel —
002 006 000 - 8 5 0
Bise, Kirby (8) to Vernon; Schwartz, Atkins (7) to Calhoun.

Page B-6 OTHER SPORTS

MARION TEAM TAKES DAMASCUS, 9 TO 6

A Marion team composed of youths up to 20 took a 9 to 6 decision from Damascus Saturday at Damascus.

The two teams are remnants of an attempt to form a league of youths of this age in the area, which failed.

Alfred Wolfe worked the mound for Marion, pitching a four hitter. He was erratic and gave up nine walks, also hitting a couple of opposing batters.

David Moore was on the mound for the losers in the first four frames, giving way to J. D. Parris, who gave up three runs in his initial inning.

Wolfe was big man at bat for Marion, collecting three for five, one a double, Eddie Powell hit the only round tripper for the winners.

Marion 110 230 020 - 9 12 3
Damascus 200 103 000 - 6 4 2

Letters Have Arrived At Marion High

Coach Charles Cooper this Tuesday stated that monograms for Marion High School baseball, track and golf team members have arrived.

Mr. Cooper asks all players who are to receive the letters to contact Mrs. Evelyn Bowles, secretary at the school, or T. M. Gillespie, principal, to find out when they can be picked up.

Shipment of the awards was detained so that they did not arrive before the close of school.

BLUE RIDGE GOLFERS HOLD FIRST TOURNAMENT

The Blue Ridge Women's Golf Association held its first tournament at the Giles County Club in Pearisburg Tuesday.

There were 35 women playing and the following won prizes of golf balls: Miss Ann Preston, 84, Tazewell; Miss Clara Mae Williams, 96; Wytheville; Miss Elizabeth Brown, 98; Pulaski; Mrs. D. T. Williams and Mrs. Tom Kuhn, both 94, of Pearisburg; Mrs. Thomas W. Roane, 104, Marion and Mrs. C. E. Richard, 105, Blacksburg. Mrs. Lou Bowers of Pearisburg received the surprise award for the most sevens.

The next tournament will be held at the Holston Hills Country Club in Marion Tuesday, June 29.

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Marion, Virginia, Thursday, June 17, 1954

Sgt. William Asbury Gets Promotion

Cpl. William K. Asbury, RA 13292745, a member of Hq. Btry., 200th Armored FA BN., Fort Sill, Okla., was recently promoted to the grade of sergeant. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Asbury, Sias Route, Sugar Grove.

Dana Christian Is Training In Wyoming

A-3c Dana S. Christian daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Christian, of Marion is presently being trained as an Air Force Technician at Warren Air Force Base, Wyoming.

Pfc. Blevins Is Now Paratrooper

Pfc. John D. Blevins, a member of Company "L", 503d Airborne Infantry Regiment, 11th Airborne Division, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther S. Blevins, Route 2, Marion, became a paratrooper by completing the basic airborne school at Fort Campbell, Ky. Before entering the army Pfc. Blevins attended Chilhowie High School.

Ruby C. Ball Received Degree From University

Miss Ruby C. Ball of Marion received her master of education degree from the University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Monday.

Senator A. Willis Robertson of Virginia made the final address to the 647 graduates and their friends and relatives.

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Seven Mile Ford, June 6 — Mrs. Jack Hicks and Susan and Mrs. Kelly of Charleston, W. Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hicks recently. Susan will spend some time here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKee and children visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hicks June 3.

Mrs. J. F. Mast of Meadowview spent several days recently with her sister, Mrs. D. H. Rector, and Mr. Rector.

Mrs. John Collehan left recently for Linthicum Heights, Md., where she will spend two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Roy Colley, and Mr. Colley.

Willis Ray Blessing, a student at VPI, is spending the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Blessing.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones visited relatives in North Carolina June 6.

Mrs. Fred Blevins, Elizabeth and Sandra left June 7 to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Thomas, in Maryland.

Mrs. G. M. Pulliam attended the Holston Annual Conference of the Methodist Church in Bristol June 2, 3, 4.

Mrs. D. H. Rector and Mrs. J. F. Rector spent June 7 in Bristol.

Mrs. J. F. Alexander of Charlotte, N. C., has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Collehan.

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Chatham Hill, June 7 — Many people from a distance attended the memorial service at Ridgedale June 6. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Little and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Will Little and sons of Tennessee, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilson, Mrs. George Billings, Mr. and Mrs. Walter DeBord and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Clear of West Virginia, Mrs. George Burkett of Bluefield, Mrs. Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Farris and Ira Moore of Meadowview, Bill Stephenson and Miss Powell of Charlotte, N. C., Mrs. Pearl Smith of Baltimore, Md., Mr. and Mrs. Clem Lamie of Erwin, Tenn., Mrs. Ida Buchanan Holmes of Tannersville and Dr. Ed DeBord of Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Neel and children, Mr. and Mrs. Will Neel and Mr. and Mrs. John Burnop were picnicking at Holston Dam June 6.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fred

Cook and children were picnicking in Thompson Valley June 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Hightower moved to Kembridge June 7. Mr. Hightower will return in the near future to the prison camp here, where he is a guard.

J. A. Campbell has been ill for several days.

Jimmy Neal, who was graduated from Rich Valley High School this year left for Bluefield Business College last Wednesday.

Mrs. Laura Burkett has returned to her home in Bluefield after an extended visit with Mrs. J. A. Stephenson and Kate and Polly.

Miss Peggy Stephenson spent the week end with Mrs. Marie Griffin at Saltville recently.

Misses Hoover and Eyster were the supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rush Gwyn May 31.

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G. S. Baumgardner is in Roanoke for a visit to relatives.

Dr. Barclay McGhee, Mrs. McGhee and two children were guests this week of Mrs. J. N. Cassell. They were en route to Atlanta, Ga., for a visit before going to Athens, Ga., where he will teach science in the University of Georgia. For a number of years he has been doing research work at Rockefeller Center, New York.

LT. COL. JOHN STEFFEY TO GRADUATE FROM STAFF COLLEGE AT LEAVENWORTH

Army Lt. Colonel John P. Steffey, son of Mrs. John P. Steffey, 308 Strother St., Marion, will be graduated June 18 from the Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

Colony Steffey is one of 600 U. S. and Allied officers attending the 10-month course at the Army's highest school of tactics.

A 1942 graduate of the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, N. Y., the colonel will be assigned to the 1st Armored Division at Fort Hood, Tex.

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