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**Appalachia Items**

Misses Lora and Brownie McKenzie were the guests of friends in Coeburn Sunday.

F. B. Cloek visited homefolks at St. Paul Sunday.

Mrs. Grim has returned from the Teachers Convention in Lynchburg.

Miss Pridemore visited relatives in the Gap Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth Payne, of Mendota, has accepted a position in Fuller's store at this place.

Misses Gains and Anderson, of Norton, were guests of the Misses Carrier last week.

N. G. Cox, of Gate City, was a visitor here first of the week.

Mrs. Wm. Greenwood left last week for Dante, where she will join her husband.

Tom Elliott, of Norton, was in town Sunday.

Mrs. W. N. Breeding entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Collier, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Maddox, Mr. and Mrs. Will Young, Miss Cynethia Marrs, J. S. McConnell and L. T. Tate.

**Junior Civic League Program.**

The following is the program for the Junior Civic League entertainment to be held at the School Hall Friday, December 5th, at 8 o'clock.

Instrumental Solo—Miss Nemo Vineyard.

Reading—Miss Fennessee.

Until the End of Time—Miss Mary Skeen.

Reading—Miss Fennessee.

Violin Solo—Miss Virginia Beverly.

Reading—Miss Fennessee.

Vocal Solo—Miss Mabel Willis.

Musical Reading—Miss Fennessee.

Duet—Misses Mary and Bruce Skeens.

Reading—Miss Fennessee.

Miss Dorothy Fennessee, from Bristol, Tenn., Teacher of expression in the Stonewall Jackson Institute for the past two years, is a very popular humorist and we feel sure that all who go will spend a very enjoyable evening.

**Cartright Metal Shingle Roofing.**

We hope our readers have been noticing the advertising of the Cartright Metal Roofing Company, which has appeared in our columns regularly since early this year, and that any of those interested in high grade, substantial roofing have gotten in touch with the Company's local agents, Joshua & John F. Mullins.

Cartright Metal Shingles have been in use for more than a quarter of a century and are giving splendid satisfaction every where.

The Lee County Sun is the name of a new weekly paper that made its appearance at Pennington Gap on last Friday. The new paper has bought the outfit of the Pennington Gap News, which ceases publication with the appearance of the Sun. L. B. Howard is editor and A. D. Robins is president of the new paper, and from the bright and spicy appearance of the first issue, we bespeak for it a popular and successful career. We welcome it to our exchange table.

The Womans Civic League will meet with Mrs. E. E. Goodloe Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

An east bound V. & S. W. freight train jumped the track just this side of Duffield Monday morning about 9 o'clock, tearing up several coal cars and a considerable length of track, but none of the train crew were hurt. Traffic was blocked for several hours.

J. E. Walker and Joe Keys, both of Keokee, were in the city last week on business.

F. B. Gaut, of the Sparger Mill Company, of Bristol, was among the traveling men calling on the trade in the Gap last Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilmer and little daughter were the guests of Mrs. J. E. Bunn at dinner Thanksgiving day.

L. T. Winston spent Saturday hunting near Dorchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin V. Wells announce the approaching wedding of their daughter, Lillian Gordon Wells, to William Logan Jones, which takes place at the home of the bride January 27th, 1914.

J. A. Sterns, of Greensboro, N. C., the new proprietor of the Monte Vista Hotel, arrived in the Gap last week and took charge of that popular hostelry on the first of December. We gladly welcome him and his family to our mountain city.

J. T. Music, district manager of the Virginia and Tennessee Telephone Company, spent Sunday at Pennington Gap visiting homefolks.

Dr. C. T. Barker, of Gate City, was called here last week to attend his sister, Mrs. P. M. Reasor, who has been quite sick.

Miss Mish, one of the teachers in the Public School here spent Thanksgiving with her sister, Miss Carrie McClure, who is teaching at Elk Garden in Russell county.

Mrs. C. I. Wade and little son left Saturday morning for Bristol, where she will spend several weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Thomas. Mrs. L. B. Montague accompanied her as far as Bristol on her way to Norfolk to visit relatives.

Misses Sarah Cochran and Madge Dingsess attended the Thanksgiving dance at Norton.

Miss Janie Slomp, who has been spending a few weeks with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Will Slomp, in the Cove, returned last week to Washington, where she will spend the winter with her brother, Hon. C. B. Slomp.

Emmit Warner and Rachel Moore, both colored, were arrested last week by night policeman, R. H. Bryant, for boot legging. Both confessed and were fined \$50 each and cost.

Misses Cleonor Terry, of Wytheville, and Jule Bullitt and Messrs. Ben Huger, of Roanoke and Stuart Garrett, of Seattle, Washington, spent a few days at Keokee visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Taggart last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Parks and son Frank have left Big Stone Gap for Pineville, where Mr. Parks will take charge of the New Continental Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Parks will be greatly missed in the Gap, as they have made numerous friends here, who regret they have gone away. Before taking charge of the new hotel they will visit Cincinnati, Louisville and Chicago.

E. C. Young, son of W. M. Young, of Turkey Cove, has been made General Auditor of the National Railways of Nicaragua, which have been taken over by Brown Bros., Bankers of New York. This position was formerly filled by the brother of the vice president of Nicaragua. The new company is changing the old wood burning engine into oil burners and making the road one of the most up to date in Central America. They are also rebuilding the steamers and will be prepared in a short time to furnish modern transportation across the two large inland lakes.

**New Restaurant in Town.**

Mrs. J. D. Anderson, one of the best home cooks in the Gap, has opened a restaurant on East Fifth street near the Polly building and if you want a good meal and a nice place to eat, you should patronize her. Fresh oysters at all times.—adv.

**Public Sale.**

On the 8th day of December, 1913, at the residence of Mrs. J. L. Wells in the town of Big Stone Gap, Wise County, Virginia, at 11 o'clock, I shall offer for sale for cash in hand, for all items amounting to less than \$10.00 in value, and either for cash or on short terms, taking notes with good security, for items over that amount, the following property appraised as part of the personal estate of Jerome L. Wells, deceased: 5 black shots, 350 bushels of corn, 2 Yearling heifers, 5 Tons of hay, A quantity of tops and fodder, 1 Stack oats, 132 Winchester, 112 Gauge Double Barrel Shot-gun, 1 Black steer calf, 1 Old Buggy, 1 New Buggy and harness. C. E. BLANTON, Administrator of the Estate of Jerome L. Wells, Deceased.

It is reported here that the Douglass Lumber Company, of Bristol, has closed the deal for the five thousand acres of timber lying between Norton and Coeburn on Stone Mountain and which has been owned for years by the Virginia Coal & Iron Co. There have been many reports of a supposed deal for this timber during the past several months, but this one seems to be authoritative. It is said that the purchasers of the timber are considering the proposition of building a stand-

ard gauge road from Norton to Nettle Patch and bring a large part of the timber to a point near here to be sawed.—Wise Virginian.

It was a great surprise to his many friends, when Mr. E. A. Dockins returned Monday morning from a trip to Kentucky, bringing with him his bride, nee Miss Margaret Mize, of Eddyville, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Dockins are at home at Mrs. E. V. Birds.

**BANKRUPT NOTICE.**

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Virginia, In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Rock Hall Atwell, Bankrupt.

IN BANKRUPTCY. To the Creditors of Rock Hall Atwell, of Appalachia, in the County of Wise and district aforesaid, a bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of Nov. A. D. 1913, the said Rock Hall Atwell was duly adjudged bankrupt and the first meeting of the creditors will be held at Big Stone Gap, Virginia, in the U. S. Court House on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1913, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. MAXO CABELL, Referee in Bankruptcy. Nov. 27th 1913.



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