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LOCAL ITEMS.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Greear, of St. Paul, spent a few days in the Gap last week with their uncle, Rev. J. B. Craft.

Miss Jean Marrs, of Keeokee, spent last week in the Gap with Miss Ruth Barron.

Denny Smalling and Autry Doak spent Sunday evening in Appalachia with friends.

John and Bate Flannery of near Jonesville, were visiting in the Gap on the Fourth of July.

Howard Jesse was over from Kingsport, Tenn., a few days last week visiting home folks.

Hubert Potter and Harry Smith came over from Jenkins, Ky., last week and helped the boys win the ball game on the Fourth.

Miss Jaunita Horton, of Scott County, spent a few days in town last week visiting her aunt, Mrs. Frank Sturgill.

Miss Marcia Evans, of Linden, spent Saturday in town shopping.

J. T. Dorton, jailer at Wise, who formerly lived at the Gap, spent Saturday here mingling with his many friends.

F. G. Baker, of Pennington Gap, spent Saturday in town being a guest at the Monte Vista.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet this afternoon, Wednesday, at three o'clock with Mrs. Sally A. Bailey.

The Civic League will meet Friday afternoon at four o'clock with Mrs. M. R. McCorkle.

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Misses Gertrude, Laura and Uly Bailey, of Olinger, spent last week with their aunt, Mrs. Anna Slomp Myers, near Blue Springs.

Miss Clara McCorkle is spending this week at Dungannon with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hickam and Miss Ella Hickam, of Dot, Lee County, motored to the Gap last week in their Ford touring car and took in the Fourth of July Celebration.

Misses Bonnie and Margaret Catron, of Glamorgan, spent last week in the Gap with their father, J. H. Catron.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Akers and Mrs. Sadie Rucker Lanham, who were married two weeks ago in Washington, D. C., spent a few days in the Gap last week with Mrs. Akers' sister, Mrs. Karl Stoehr. They left Thursday for New York City, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. Hisel, of Kentucky, is spending several days in the Gap with her son, J. E. Hise.

Mrs. P. J. Pappas and five children, of Oxnard, California, arrived in Big Stone Gap, June 23, on a visit of a few weeks to her sister, Mrs. T. T. Tucker.

Miss Florence McCormick is spending several days in Radford visiting friends.

Miss Mary Bethel, who has been teaching school at Dante, spent a few days in the Gap last week, the guest of Mrs. C. F. Camp, at the home of Mrs. J. L. McCormick.

Miss Adna Mathews, of Frankfort, Ky., arrived in the Gap last week, where she will spend the month of July with her aunt, Mrs. E. F. Burgess.

Miss Nell Marrs, of Keeokee, spent last week in the Gap with Miss Francis Long.

Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Cox, of St. Paul, spent a few days in the Gap last week with Rev. J. B. Craft.

Mrs. W. R. Peck and two little daughters left last week for Terre Haute, Ind., where they will spend some time visiting relatives.

Mrs. Fimone Litton and daughter, Miss Kathleen, of Dot, Lee County, spent several days in the Gap last week with Mrs. Litt's daughter, Mrs. J. A. Gilmer.

V. S. Paine, of Dante, spent a few days in town last week.

Mrs. H. A. W. Skeen left last Saturday for Mohawk, Tenn., where she will spend several days visiting relatives.

Miss Emily Fulton, of Wise, spent a few days in the Gap last week with Miss Mary Skeen.

J. A. Sterne, formerly proprietor of the Monte Vista hotel in the Gap, motored here last week with J. W. Rush from Bluefield, and spent a few days.

Miss Maude Wolfe went up to Dante Thursday, where she will spend a few days visiting Mrs. J. L. Uoil.

Rev. and Mrs. L. Kirk and son, of Pennington Gap, spent a few days in the Gap last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Mahaffey.

Mrs. W. R. Robertson and two little daughters, Marjorie and Florrie, of Bristol, arrived in the Gap last week and will spend the summer at the Monte Vista Hotel.

Dr. and Mrs. D. F. Orr, who have been spending some time at St. Paul with their daughter, Mrs. Guy Pugh, left last week for Albuquerque, New Mexico, where they will spend a few weeks with their daughter, Mrs. Hugh Gibson, nee Miss Bernice Orr, who is there on account of the health of her husband, Dr. Hugh Gibson.

The Womans' Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. W. H. Polly, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Durrett and two attractive children, who have been spending several days in town visiting Mrs. Durrett's father, Major J. E. Bullitt, returned this week to their home in Connecticut.

Mrs. A. H. Reeder and attractive daughter, Miss Betty, of Washington, D. C., arrived in the Gap last week, where they will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kennedy and children, of Cleveland, spent a few days in the Gap last week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson, of Dot, Lee County, were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Painter, the Fourth.

Miss Reland Wells, who has been spending several months in Florida, returned Sunday to her home in Keeokee, after spending a week in the Gap with Mrs. Anna Slomp Myers.

George Rhoads, who has a position at Hopewell, has been spending several days in the Gap with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rhoads.

Mrs. Nora Hatcher, who has been spending a few weeks in the Cove with her daughter, Mrs. Auburn Hamblen, was called to her home in Harold, Ky., last Wednesday. Mrs. Hamblen expects to go to Harold in a few days.

R. F. McClellan, of Gate City, is spending several days in the Gap with his sister, Mrs. W. W. Cleek.

W. T. Alsover and two daughters, who spent some time in the Gap, returned to their home in Charlotte, N. C., last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Otey, on July 2nd, a daughter, who was named Dorothy Virginia. Mother and daughter are getting along nicely.

Wm. Stout, who has been spending several weeks in the Gap with his son, Dr. J. M. Stout, returned Monday morning to his home in Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Mrs. W. J. Draper and three children, Misses Lucile and Irene and Master Hiram, who spent last week in the Gap, returned Monday to their farm in Rye Cove, where they are spending the summer.

F. R. Haun, of Gate City, was a visitor in the Gap Saturday.

J. P. Bishop was over from Duffin one day last week visiting friends.

W. E. Wolfe was down from Wilder Saturday and Sunday, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wolfe.

Mrs. Julia C. Kirby, of Indianapolis, arrived in the Gap last week, where she will spend the summer the guest of Mrs. A. Kyle Morrison.

Miss Virginia Beverly is spending a few days week at Dryden with her grandmother, Mrs. E. Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ramsey, of Derry, Pa., and Erskin Ramsey, of Birmingham, spent a few days in the Gap last week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kelly and Miss Mary Ramsey.

Morgan Anderson, who was injured several weeks ago in a railway accident on the Southern, has improved sufficient to be out on crutches.

Frank Yeary, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Yeary is confined to his room with an attack of typhoid fever.

J. W. Hisel, the hustling meat man, has installed in his meat market a large electric fan to keep his customers cool during the hot summer days.

Mrs. Lizzie E. Cox, of Rye Cove, Scott County, spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Melissa Slomp, near Blue Springs.

Mr. M. J. McConnell, grandfather of Mrs. J. B. Wampler, of this place, died at his home near Gate City on Monday evening at the age of 79 years. Mrs. Wampler went over to Gate City Tuesday afternoon to attend the funeral.

Rev. W. J. Goff, will hold services at the Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Creed Kelly, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Kelly, has been sick for several days, threatened with fever.

Orbin Graham and wife and daughter, of Pennington Gap, and Miss Rosie Johnson, of Dryden, spent the Fourth in the Gap visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Grubbs.

Wiley Morrell, who has been employed here for some time with the Electric Transmission Company, has accepted a position as electrician with the Stonegate Coke & Coal Company at Osaka.

H. W. Leet, of the purchasing department of the Stonegate Coke & Coal Company, left Tuesday night for Tazewell, Tenn., where he will join Mrs. Leet, who has been there for several weeks visiting home-foiks. They will also visit relatives at La Grange and Louisville before returning to the Gap.

S. L. Chestnut, of Rogersville, is visiting his son, Paul Chestnut, in the Gap for a few days.

Dervin Cox went to Kingsport Sunday, where he will spend a week fishing in the Holston.

Miss Ruth Jones left Monday for Atlanta, Ga., where she will spend a few weeks with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Earl Jones, who was formerly Miss Frances Moore, of Alabama. From there they will go to Fort Oglethorpe, where they will spend a few days with Earl Jones, who is a Second Lieutenant in the Third Regiment.

C. C. Long has sold quite a number of Dodge cars in Wise county during the past two weeks. Among the latest purchasers are O. M. Vicars, of Wise, and Jno. W. Chalkley, of this place. Mr. Long has also made some extensive improvements in his garage recently by enlarging the office and transferring the storage battery equipment into the old office.

In a fourth of July dancing contest at Warner Park, Chattanooga, Miss Blanch Kilbourn, of this place, who has been visiting Mrs. J. B. Layfield in that city, and Mr. C. M. Smith, a soldier from Chicago, won a gold pin, engraved "Warner Park, July 4th, 1917, Dancing", as the best dancing couple out of twenty in the contest.

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