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Monday morning it was learned that the Sheriff of Wise county had attached the aeroplane of Ruser & Turner, having locked it on the aviation field near East Stone Gap, at an early hour, even while the aviators were asleep in the hotel here. This was done probably because the aviators were selling photos and giving the purchasers a chance on the flying machine free, which may have been construed as a violation of the law. The rilling off of automobiles, etc., has been a frequent occurrence in Wise county within the last few years and so far as can be learned no one has been molested or prosecuted for such an act, yet these gentlemen who came here for a good cause, and having piloted their machine across the lofty mountain ranges, for the sake of giving the people of this section a chance to see a real aeroplane and acquaint them with aviation, have to face this undue embarrassment. They are gentlemen of the highest type and saw much service in the aviation corps during the recent war, both here and abroad, and although coming here rank strangers they have made friends with every one they come in contact with and it was not their purpose to violate any law. They announced their intentions of selling these photos within fifteen minutes after arriving here on the evening of July 3rd and if it was a violation of the law and the authorities intended to take action in the matter the aviators should have been notified to that effect. But no action was taken until after the aviators had made exhibition flights before thousands of people, both at this place and at Norton.

It is to be hoped that if these gentlemen have violated the law and are prosecuted they will be dealt with leniently, as we do not believe they had any intention of evading or violating the law in any manner.

Banquet

Tendered Col. D. B. Wentz and Mr. C. E. Bockus by the Virginia Coal Operators Association.

On last Saturday night at the Monte Vista Hotel a banquet was tendered Col. D. B. Wentz, president of the National Coal Association, and president of the Stonega Coke and Coal Company, and Mr. Charles E. Bockus, a director of the National Coal Association, it being the occasion of the annual banquet of the association.

The dining room of the hotel, where the banquet was held, was beautifully decorated in red, white and blue banding.

On this occasion, Mr. Otis Mouser, vice president of the Stonega Coke and Coal Company, was presented a loving cup for his past faithful and efficient services as president of the Virginia Coal Operators Association.

During the evening the guests were royally entertained by Mr. George Mann, monologist, of Cincinnati, and his jokes were much enjoyed by all present.

Delightful music was furnished for this occasion by a Cincinnati orchestra.

The following delightful menu was served by James Lucas, caterer, of Chillicothe, Ohio, who came here especially to prepare it for the occasion.

- Fruit Salad (Dahlings)
- Nut Bread Straws
- Baked Fish
- Spiced Ham
- Plum plus Squab Chicken
- Celery Sauce
- French Potatoes
- New Egg Pudding
- New Potatoes Au Gratin
- Compote Fruit
- Mashed Potatoes
- Angelus Salad
- Mayonnaise
- Cheese Straws
- Molded Ice Cream
- Angel Food Cake
- Small Cakes
- Cafe Noir
- Salted Jordan Almonds
- Mints
- Carolina Perfector
- Pail Mail Cigarettes

Following the feast of good things, the toastmaster, Mr. R. S. Graham, of Norton, called upon the following gentlemen, who made excellent addresses upon the subjects assigned them:

Address of Welcome—Lee Long; Export Situation—C. E. Bockus; As a Token of Appreciation—George H. Esser; Response—Otis Mouser; Relation of Government to Industry—Hon. C. B. Slemp, Virginia; Hon. Harry St. George Tucker.

Among those present were: General R. A. Ayers, D. C. Anderson, W. M. Brown, Henry S. Beck, C. E. Bockus, C. F. Blanton, C. H. Butcher, F. L. Beuger, H. C. B. Boyer, A. E. C. Conder, C. J. Coville, Cunningham, John W. Chalkley, G. B. Coleman, G. S. Carter, W. F. Coman, S. F. Carmack, C. C. Corbett, Hon. R. E. Chase, Dicks, Jack Dawson, H. S. Benjamin, George Esser, W. J. Elgin, W. A. Fink, C. W. Fuller, George Fuller, Richard K. Fox, R. E. Hainsy, G. H. Holmer, R. S. Graham, E. A. Goodlow, S. J. Gandy, M. H. Graber, H. Broadway, C. C. Byatt, W. M. Huggins, H. R. Hooton, J. E. Hunter, R. T. Irvine, N. B. Ingles, W. L.

King, M. K. Kelly, G. D. Kilgore, Lee Long, F. L. Longley, E. B. Loisinger, A. Mundy, M. H. Maury, Otis Mouser, C. A. McHugh, Wade H. Massie, J. A. Muse, E. B. McFarland, J. G. Morgan, C. Mathews, C. B. Neel, Grover Orr, P. D. Pease, E. J. Prescott, D. A. Patterson, Victor C. Paine, C. R. Pepper, George H. Pepper, J. D. Rogers, John Roberts, Dr. Stehr, C. B. Slemp, W. C. Shunk, A. J. Sewing, Rudolph Swank, D. B. Sayers, C. A. Sine, Judge Skeen, T. E. Snyder, R. E. Taggart, Hon. Harry St. George Tucker, C. H. Thompson, P. D. Trautman, J. K. Taggart, Webb Wain, Roscoe Waltz, G. J. Walker, R. H. Casper, Robinette, Koger, Price, M. H. Grater, R. C. Rhoads, Andrew Reeder, Will Nickels, A. G. Lutz, W. F. Richmond, Chas. Conner.

Kitchen Shower for Miss Willis.

Mrs. Will L. Jones (nee Miss Lillie Wells) delightfully entertained a large number of her friends last Thursday afternoon in honor of Miss Mabel Willis.

The color scheme for the occasion was green and white when was carried out very attractively in the decorations of the large veranda, where the game of hearts was played at four small tables. Mrs. Harry Brown won the first prize, a box of maderia handkerchiefs.

A delicious ice course carried out in the color scheme of green and white was served the guests at the close of the games.

After the refreshments were served the most interesting event took place when little Miss Wick Scott, dressed as a little kitchen maid came out dragging a little wagon decorated in green and white, filled with many useful kitchen utensils in aluminum which were presented to Miss Willis by the guests.

Radford Normal Notes

The number of students enrolled in the Radford Normal School for the first term of summer school is 624. Some 200 students were unable to gain admission to this first term. The number of students in the second term of summer school will be considerably larger than formerly. A great many applications have been made for admission in the second term. Every student that expects to come in the second term should apply at once for a room to be reserved, otherwise they might not be able to be accommodated with a place to stay when they arrive. Nearly every city and county in Virginia are represented in our enrollment.

Fourth of July was celebrated on Saturday evening, July 3, in the auditorium. The main address of the occasion was delivered by Judge George E. Cassel, of our city. The program was patriotic and musical. Students take a great deal of interest in the work of the

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The Clifford Deveraux Company will give some of its excellent plays here on Saturday of this week.

At chapel every day talks are made to the students by visiting lecturers or by members of the faculty. These prove to be very helpful and serve to supplement the prescribed courses of the summer school program.

Many of the counties have already organized county clubs, regular officers are elected and various social activities are undertaken by these clubs. Some of them have picnics and do other things for diversion.

Following is a list of summer students from Wise county:

Miss Virginia Baker, Big Stone Gap; Miss Pearl Mae Bray, Norton; Miss Cora Virginia Buchanan, Roundtown; Miss M. Ella Caswood, Big Stone Gap; Miss Myra M. Caswood, Big Stone Gap; Miss Emma Elizabeth Collier, Big Stone Gap; Miss Bessie Mae Collier, Big Stone Gap; Miss Lucille Lily Dowell, Big Stone Gap; Miss Mae Farmer, Coeburn; Miss Lillian Bradley, Brewster; Miss Edlie Hamilton, Wise; Miss Tipton Eula Hund, East Stone Gap; Miss Ottilie Belle Johnson, East Stone Gap; Miss Susie Kilgore, Big Stone Gap; Miss Gertrude Lowelwyn, Wise; Miss Bertha Madley, Big Stone Gap; Miss Audrey Marshall, St. Paul Gap; Miss Cora Palmer, Big Stone Gap; Miss Gissie Powell, Graden; Miss Pearl L. Reed, Big Stone Gap; Miss Rose Mae Roberts, Graden; Miss George G. Seaton, Big Stone Gap; Miss Beulah Ella Shelton, Big Stone Gap; Miss Lelia Edna Shelton, Big Stone Gap; Miss Trula Cleo Shelton, Big Stone Gap; Miss Esther Stewart, East Stone Gap; Miss Bonnie Lee Wells, East Stone Gap; Miss Nanmie Maude Wilson, East Stone Gap.

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