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MISS LINDA LEE SHERWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Sherwood of Sugar Grove announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Lee, to Herbert Nelson Osborne, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Osborne, Sr., of Greenville, S. C. Miss Sherwood is a teacher in the Greensboro City Schools and Mr. Osborne is working as an executive manager trainee of the Woolworth Company in Greensboro. An April wedding is planned.

## **Local Affairs**

Flats, Tenn.

Rutherwood.

in Newton.

and Dr. Rankin.

John VanNoppen.

Mr. Perry Carroll of Balti-

more, Md., spent the Christmas

holidays with his parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Greene Carroll of

Mrs. R. C. Greene and grand-

on, Jerry Creech, spent a week

visiting her daughter and son-

in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Estes

"J! K. Parker, III of Bristol,

the Rev. and Mrs. J. K. Parker,

his sister, Mrs. J. D. Rankin

Mr. and Mrs. Shelley Cashion

the holidays with Dr. and Mrs.

Dr. and Mrs. Carl Meeks and

family spent the Christmas

holidays visiting Mrs. Meeks' mother, Mrs. D. F. Clark of

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin and

spend a few days with Mr. and

Mrs. E. Ford King, Jr. during

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Harmon,

over the week end with rela-

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Burns of

and family of Deep Gap, spent

part of the Christmas holidays

with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Welch

and family in Rock Hill, S. C.

Holiday visitors with Mrs. Ray Brendall were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brendall and daugh-

tives in Valdese.

the holidays.

Mrs. Frank Payne.

Mrs. Edward Stroupe, Mac | Sunday visitors with Mrs. J. and Lee of Charlotte, spent the K. Brown were Mr. and Mrs. holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Winebarger and Mr. Dempsey Wilcox.

Mrs. Carl Smith, Janie, Susie and Carl of Mooresville, are spending the holidays with Mrs. R. K. Bingham.

Miss Eva Danay Erneston of Concord, is spending the holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Nicholas Erneston.

Mrs. Julian Ragan and daughter, Valerie of Charlotte, spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey Wilcox.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Worth spent Christmas Day in Jefferson visiting with relatives and

King Triplett, student at Harvard, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H: C. Triplett, during the holidays.

Mr and Mrs Horace Dowling spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Craig, Jr., Cindy and Sally in Cincinnati, Ohio.

recovering from a recent ill-Mr. Ernest Miller of Tampa, Fla. is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. J. C. Goodand Jennie Lee have returned

night and Mr. Goodnight. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fidler and family were in Cornelius during the holidays visiting with

Mrs. W. C. Fidler. Mr. and Mrs. David Gebhardt of Arlington, Va. are spending with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. a few days with Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Goodnight.

J. K. Parker, Jr. Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Whitener spent Christmas with their son, Captain C. C. Whitener and

family in Springfield, Va. Johnson City, Tenn. Miss Ann Sherwood of Ashe Miss Suzanne Martin of Frankville spent the holidays with lin, Ky. arrived Saturday to her sister, Mrs. Grace S. Bing-

ham of Sherwood. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walsh, Jr. and Paul III of Graham, N. C.

East Tennessee State College, visited her parents, Mr. and were holiday visitors with Mrs. Paul Walsh of Sherwood.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Coun the Christmas holidays. cill spent Christmas week in E. Ford King, V, of King College in Bristol, Tenn., visit-Sylva visiting Mrs. Councill's sister, Mrs. David Hall. ed at home during the Christ-

Miss Pat Dowling spent the mas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ford King, Jr. holidays visiting with Mr. George Davis and family in Charles, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harmon and Bradford visited

Mrs. Tom Brown and Miss Dorothy Brown visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mor-

etz in Lenoir.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cottrell and family visited during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Palmer in Albemarle.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown of Norfolk, Va., spent the holidays visiting Mrs. Brown's par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cobb.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Plemmons returned Sunday from a two weeks visit to Ft. Myers Beach, ter, Lynn of Pinehurst, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Champion and boys of Morganton and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Brendall and daugh-ter of Chatham, Va.

Mrs. James B. Winkler is improving from a serious illness at Watauga Hospital, where she has been a patient since December 17.

Miss Patty Adams, student at Duke University, is spending the holidays with her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. Taylor

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. High and factory. family spent Sunday and Mon-day with Mrs. High's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Farabee in Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hamby, Jr. and Pam spent Christmas with Mrs. Hamby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Faulk in Fairmont, N. C.

Mrs. Evan John of Wales, mother of Mrs. William Surry, former resident of Boone, died Thursday, December 20, in Oswego, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Clawson of Tallahassee, Fla., spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. Clawson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Clawson.

Mrs. C: M. Stiles and Miss Cynthia Stiles spent the Christmas holidays at home. They visited with Mrs. A. Lee Gibson and family in Greensboro on Christmas day.

Spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bumgarner of Boone, were Billy L. Bumgarner of the U. S. Navy and Miss Betty Bumgarner of Lenoir.

The Rev. and Mrs. Gerald Troutman, Stephen and Lee of Greenville, Tenn., are spending a few days with Rev. Troutman's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Edwin F. Troutman.

Visiting during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Eggers, Sr. is their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Perry and son, Ronnie of Vincentown, Myral Winebarger of Piney

> Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gipps and daughter, Cindy have returned to their home after spending the Christmas holidays with their parents in Mar-

> Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hagaman, Nancy and Jane of Norfolk, Va., visited during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hagaman of Vilas and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis of Sherwood.

Tenn. is spending the Christ-mas holidays with his parents, Mrs. Dean Bingham returned Sunday from Concord where she spent the Christmas holidays with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs, Don-Mr. E. J. Abernathy of Rutherford College, N. C., spent a few days during Christmas with ald L. Berryhill.

Mrs. Chapell Wilson and Jandays in Williamsburg, Va. They enjoyed the season celebrated Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Miller of Deep Gap have gone to Miami in the manner of the 18th Cen-for the winter. Mr. Miller is tury.

Mr. Joe Moretz who is a law student at the University of North Carolina, and Mrs. Moretz, spent the holidays in Miami Shores, Fla. with Mr. to Wadesboro after spending and Mrs. Sidney Pickard.

Mr. Frank Hamilton, teacher in the Pittsboro High School in Jim Goodnight, student at the University of North Carolina at Pittsboro, N. C., returned Wed- Ohio, spent the Christmas holi-Chapel Hill, spent the holidays nesday after visiting with his days with their parents, Mr. and Hamilton.

> Pfc. Jim Fox and wife, Gail of Ft. Bragg, spent the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fox of Banner Elk and Mr. and Mrs. Dock Dishman of Mabel.

Mrs. Dave P. Mast and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Mast spent the week end in Richmond, Va., visiting with Mrs. Mast's sister, Mrs. M. M. Neblett and mother, Mrs. W. P. Blalock. Miss Carolyn King, student at

Holiday visitors with Mrs. C. B. Angel were Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Caudle and son, J. V. and Mrs. Caudle, and Mrs. Helen Caudle Clay, all of Raleigh; and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dagess and family of Newland.

Mr. and Mrs. Orus Sutton and children, Elizabeth and Tom spent the Christmas holidays in Middle Tennessee with Mr. Sut-ton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Sutton and his sister, Miss

Mr. Phil Hughes of Coco Hollywood, Fla., visited with Beach, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Tom-Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nichols and my Greene and family of Eau family of Deep Gap over part of Gallie, Fla., Capt. and Mrs. Robert Ray and family of Waco Texas were holiday visitors with Mrs. Margaret Hughes.

> Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson and their children, Martha, Julia and Danny of Charlotte visited recently with Mrs. Chapell Wilson and Janice. The first of the year they moved to Raleigh where William will be sales training manager for Nationwide Insurance Com-pany, working in the Carolinas, Georgia and Florida.

Mrs. Charles L. Younce, teacher in the Wilkesboro elementary school, underwent sur- are Mr. and Mrs. Fuller Horton gery at Baptist Hospital, Win- and three sons of Winstonton-Salem, December 21. Her Salem, Captain and Mrs. David condition is said to be satis-

Miss Joan Thalheimer and Miss Hermine Harieux returned to New York City Saturday after a week's visit with Miss Thalheimer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Thalheimer in Blowing Rock.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bingham during the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. George Mast and son, Charles of Smithfield, and Robert Bingham of Ft. Benning.

Mrs. Claude Hughes, and daughter, Billie of Newland and Mrs. Dempsey Clark and son, Dempsey of Montezuma, visited during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Luttrell.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Winters of Elk Park, Mr. and Mrs. Harold D. Winters of Kershaw, Ind. and Mrs. R. C. Mabry and Miss Sara Lynn Mabry of Concord, were holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Brown, Jr., and children, Elaine and Timothy of Lancaster, S. C., visited last week end with Mrs. Tom R. Brown. They also visited Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Colvard.

Mrs. J. C. Cooke returned to her home Sunday after spending the Christmas holidays with her daughters, Mrs. Ray Harrill and family and Mrs. Harvey Owens and family, all of Gas-

Sam Tully, son of Mrs. Kathryn Tully, will return to his studies at the University of North Carolina Thursday, after spending the New Year's holiday as a guest of Col. and Mrs. Charles Bank in Chattanooga,

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Payne, Jr., Lynda, Cathy and Bill of Asheville, spent a few days with Mr. Payne's mother, Mrs. Will Payne of Sugar Grove. Mrs. Payne recently spent a week with her son and family in Asheville.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Sowder. Mr. John Sowder, all of North-Wilkesboro, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Hillman, Jr. of Chapel Hill and Mr. and Mrs. James E. Hillman of Raleigh, visited during ice spent the Christmas holi- Christmas with Dr. and Mrs. E.

> Mr. Bobby Watkins, student versity of North Carolina, and in nurses training at Charlotte Rebecca, Mr. and Mrs. Billy H. Memorial Hospital, visited their McGoogan of Rockingham, Dr. parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Watkins, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bumgardner and daughters and Miss parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mrs. Voyne Edmisten of Boom and Mrs. Nora Bumgardner of Zionville.

Visiting during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Dave P. Mast were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mast. David, Scott and Kathryn of Winston-Salem; Mr. and Mrs. George Mast and Charles of Smithfield and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Mast of Chapel Hill.

Mr. Ed G. Farthing, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer G. Miller and Ben, visited Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Farthing and family in Miami, Fla. during the Christmas holidays. While in Florida they visited many of the attractions in Miami, Cypress Gardens and Bok Tower.

Mr. and Mrs Hershel Williams of Jacksonville, Fla. and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest C. Lane of Portsmouth, Va., spent the Christmas holidays visiting Mrs. Lane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Coffey. While here they also visited other relatives in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Nash and daughter, Lenore of Lexington, Ky., visited during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hamilton and family. They also visited with Mrs. Nash's moth er, Mrs. W. F. Miller, Sr., who is a patient at Watauga Hospi

Wilson of Beaver Dam on Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle James of Guilford, Mr and Mrs James Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Harrison and children. Luther and Dianne, of Boone and Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson of Vilas.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Horton during the holidays Horton and three children of Ft. Benning, Ga. and Mr. and Mrs. Gail Taylor and son, Mike

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Zollie Greene Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Greene and children, Phillip, Ricky and Karen; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watson and daughter, Linda, and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Greene and children, Denia, Lois, Lane and Dennie

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Autor and Mr. and Mrs. John Shook have returned from a weeks visit in Vero Beach, Fla., where they visited Mrs. Auton and Mrs. Shook's sister, Mrs. Karl Hollars and Mr. Hollars. Mrs. Hollars is the former Barbara Bentley of Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Brown and Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brown and children, all of Alexandria, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brown of Trade, Tenn., and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown and children of Galax, Va., spent the holidays with Mr. Milton Brown and Ray at Trade, Tenn.

A3-c Harold D. Cole, Jr. of the U. S. Air Force, who has been stationed at Chanute AFB in Illinois, is home on leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold D. Cole of Perkinsville. He recently graduated from the school of electronics. He will leave January 18 for 3 years duty in France.

Mrs. Maude Estes and Mrs. Bertha Hayes entertained Mrs. Estes' children at a Christmas dinner Sunday the 23rd. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Estes, Boynton Beach, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Laxton, Carroll and Neal Laxton of Lenoir; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Lawrence, Mineral Wells, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Estes, Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hardin of Brookfield, Connecticutt, celebrated their Silver Wedding Anniversary on Christmas day. They were honored at a dinner party given by Mr. and Mrs. David Duncan of Brookfield and White Plains, N. Y., at the Duncans' White Plains home. The dinner was attended by close friends and relatives of the Hardins.

Among the visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Moretz during the Christmas holidays were Mrs. E. S. Qualls, in the Law School at the Uni- Mrs. R. Q. Collier and daughter, Kathy and son, Bobby, Mrs. Miss Dianne Watkins, who is Boyce Rhymer and daughter, and Mrs. Elmo E. Moretz and daughters, Anne and Patty of Tampa, Florida, and Miss Olive V. Moretz of Gastonia. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Myers of Chatta-Ann Edmisten of Cleveland, nooga, Tennessee, also joined the others.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boone and daughter, Mary of Durham visited over the Christmas holidays with Mr. Boone's mother, Mrs. Esther Boone. Also visiting with Mrs Boone was another son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boone and sons, Stevie and David John of Val-

Out of town guests visiting in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Gale Bare last week were Mr. and Mrs. Neil Sturgill and son Barry of Piney Creek, Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Cooper of North Wilkesboro, the Rev. E. B. Barton of Atkins, Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Pierce of West Jefferson; and Mr. Brantley Bare and children, Darrel, Shirley, and Audrey Bare of Crumpler

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown have returned from a trip to Corpus Christi, Texas, where they spent the Christmas holidays with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. West and Col. and Mrs. L. V. West of Lake McQueeny Texas. They were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Lynn Qualls . and grandson, Jerry Qualls of Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jellicorse of Evanston, Ill., spent Christmas with Mrs. Jellieorse's father, Dr. C. Ray Lawrence. Also visiting Dr. Lawrence were Mr and Mrs. Tom Lawrence and daughter, Sharon of Charlotte, Mrs. Jack D. Lawrence and children, Jack, Jr., Beth, Susan, Martha, Sally and Jim visited with Mrs. Lawrence's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cheek of Rockwell.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aud L. Ward during Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Ward and daughter, Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Byrd and daughter, Mary Ellen, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Matheson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Presnell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Ward and son, Cecil, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Henson, Mrs. Ray Ward and children and Mr. and Mrs. Duke Hol lars.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Lewis during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. W F. Lefis of Bristol, Tenn., Mr and Mrs. Howard Range of Elizabethton, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Heffner, Tom Heffner of Glen Alpine, Miss Linda -Hef-fner of Womans' College in Greensboro, Mr and Mrs. Art Krida, Jr. of Chattanooga, Tenn., Miss Rachel Rivers of the University of Missouri in Columbia, and Mrs. Rob Rivers of Boone.

### **Blowing Rock** Home Club News

The Blowing Rock Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Bryce Beard, Jr., on Monday, December 17. Mrs. Lillian Danner presented a varied display of gift suggestions

The trouble with many peo ple, in this day and time, is that they are perfectly willing to be neighbors to the people of Africa, India and Asia but unwilling to be neighbors at home.

#### **Observe Sixtieth Anniversary**



MR. AND MRS. ELIJAH REID

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Reid of ried at Blowing Rock on Dec-Blowing Rock, celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary at their home on December 25, with a quiet family dinner given by their daughter, Miss Grace Reid of Asheville.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid were mar-

ember 25, 1902. Mrs. Reid is the former Miss Lola Winkler. They have three children, G. M. Reid of Jacksonville, Fla., Mrs. Lucille Lett of Boone and Miss Grace Reid of Ashevile. There are three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

#### **Blowing Rock** Garden Club

A festive bucket of red-studded holly greeted Blowing Rock Garden Club members and their guests at the home of Mrs. Bryce Beard, Jr., on Tuesday, December 18.

Preceding the festivities, the club heard of the Silver Benefit Tea for the Daniel Boone Botanical Gardens which was held at the Plemmons' home during the holidays. Members who attended described the originality and appropriativeness of design which coincided v'th the Christmas season.

Guests for the occasion included Mrs. Spencer Percival, Mrs. Curtis McGowan and Mrs. T. R Snyder, Jr. Miniature sherried fruit

cakes, petits fours and coffee were served during the gift giv-

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