

Personal Mention—Social Activities

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JEAN'S PERSONAL COLUMN

Dear Jane And Rachel:

By JEAN L. RIVERS

I came home late yesterday afternoon from Chapel Hill after spending a pleasant weekend at Carolina Inn. This was mainly a business trip, but I was able to finish in time to attend part of the annual Spring Institute of the North Carolina Press Women, which was in session when I arrived. I missed all the workshops Saturday afternoon, much to my sorrow.

However, I thoroughly enjoyed the banquet speaker, Bonnie Angelo Levy, a native of Winston-Salem, who is now with the Long Island Daily, assigned to Newsday's Washington Bureau. She is a dynamic person and certainly leads an exciting life. She told of standing on the lawn of Walter Reed Hospital while the surgeons operated on President Eisenhower... they called it 'the death watch'. In 1960 President Kennedy's campaign was ably covered by Bonnie, and she was assisted by a colleague in breaking the Dr. Norman Vincent Peale religious issue during the campaign. She has won national recognition for her news writing, and is a graduate of Woman's College in Greensboro. I would like to hear her speak often!

I met a lot of people I had known of for years, including Walter Spearman, professor of journalism at the University of North Carolina, who presented the awards, Garland Atkins of the Gastonia Gazette, who conducted the news workshop, Grace Laffoon of the Elkin Tribune, a real nice person, and many, many more. I also had a chance to chat briefly with Bette Elliott who, along with Marion Gregory of The Raleigh Times, recently won second place in the J. C. Penny-University of Missouri women's pages contest. Thought you would be especially interested in that bit of news, Rachel.

Speaking of awards... It was exciting to see the faces of the winners. Six went to the Charlotte Observer women, whose work I am more familiar with than the others. This could go on for pages, so I will cut it off with this observation... just wonder why I didn't join this organization a long time ago.

It was good to see Rufus Edmisten who came by Sunday morning and took me on a grand tour of the campus. This was my first over-night visit to Chapel Hill and seeing the things and places I had read about through the years was a real treat. Rufus is a very busy senior who plans to enter law school at the university this fall. I appreciate his courtesy to me.

The only regret I have about the week end is that your daddy and I missed the Boddie-Dimmette wedding in Lenoir Saturday evening. We had made plans to attend and we are sorry we couldn't be there. I know it was a pretty wedding! On my way home yesterday afternoon I decided if we are fortunate enough to escape war, flood, famine or a deep depression in this part of the country, we are soon going to need twice as many miles of roads as we now have. Thousands of cars were on the highways between two and five o'clock and the tourists season is a month or more away. Travelling is easy on Interstate 85 and 40, but the town of Wil-

kesboro... the mountain between Wilkesboro and Boone, as well as between Lenoir and Boone are bottlenecks. Right this minute we need three or four lane highways on both mountains and between Boone and Blowing Rock. I do hope the money can be appropriated for roads during this session of the legislature.

Had a real nice visit with my brother (Carl Lewis) and his family in North Wilkesboro Sunday afternoon. Their children will soon be grown and gone. Alice is 16 now. You should see Carl's bowling trophies... has two extra large ones, five smaller ones... and two had been broken.

I'm running late with everything these days... so this is all until next week.

Love,
Mom

March 25, 1963

Town, Country Home Club

The Town and Country Home Demonstration Club met on Thursday, March 21, at the home of Mrs. Cecil Greene, with Mrs. Robert Bumbaugh as co-hostess.

In the absence of Mrs. Len Hagaman, president, Mrs. Earl Petrey presided. She also gave the devotional.

Mrs. Lillian Danner's interesting program on gardening included information on planning a variety of foods and insecticides.

Mrs. Sophia Miller had an attractive display of ceramics that she had made. She explained the process of molding, glazing and firing them.

The club had as a visitor during the meeting Mrs. Clyde Greene.

Thalheimer Engagement Is Announced Here

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Edwin Thalheimer of Charlotte and Blowing Rock announce the engagement of their daughter, Joan, to Lt. Robert Ivan Kramer, MC, USNR, of Washington, D. C., son of Dr. and Mrs. Louis I. Kramer of Providence, R. I.

Miss Thalheimer graduated from the Beard School, Orange, N. J., and Sarah Lawrence College, Bronxville, N. Y. Since her graduation she has been living in New York where she has been engaged in editorial work, and she is currently attending the New York School of Interior Design.

Dr. Kramer is a graduate of the Providence Country Day School, Brown University, and Tufts University School of Medicine in Boston. He was an intern and resident in Pediatrics at the Yale-New Haven Medical Center, and was Chief Resident and teaching fellow at the Children's Medical Center, University of Texas Southwestern Medical School in Dallas, Texas. Dr. Kramer is presently on active duty in the U. S. Navy and is Chief of Pediatrics at the U. S. Naval Dispensary in Washington, D. C. The couple will be married on April 27 in New York.

Fashion News

There is an especially beautiful shade of yellow—soft and goldish—and the tones of lavender and violet continue to be popular in these sweater outfits.

Shantung blouses are good with these spring suits and many dresses have their jackets.

Scenery may be interesting but it's the people that count.

Local Affairs

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hough spent the week end at Mars Hill College with relatives.

Mr. Denny Cobb of Belmont, is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cobb.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Holshouser are vacationing for ten days in Daytona, Fla.

Robert E. Leake, Jr. of Raleigh, is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Councill.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Ford King, Jr. visited in Burnsville over the week end with Mrs. King's mother, Mrs. J. S. Moody.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gabriel and son, Chris of South Boston, Va., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Richardson.

Mrs. Howard Donald has returned to Boone after visiting with relatives in Greensboro and Oxford.

Bill Cook, student at the University of North Carolina, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Psomadakis and children of Gastonia, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Taylor.

The Rev. E. O. Gore, who has been in ill health the past year, resigned as pastor of the Laurel Springs Church recently.

Palmer Blair, Jr. of Boone, visited during the week end with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Latta Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McDade of Lenoir, visited Sunday with Mrs. McDade's sister, Mrs. J. E. Brookshire and Mr. Brookshire.

Mrs. William S. Whiting, Jr. of Camden, S. C. spent last week with Mrs. A. K. Buxton at her home in Blowing Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Moretz, and Mrs. V. L. Moretz have returned from Miami, Fla., where they spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Latta Johnson recently moved to their new home on Blairmont Drive, located on Deerfield Road.

Keith Wyke, student at the University of North Carolina, visited during the week end with friends in Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Panther and Mrs. Charles Peeler and daughter, Paula of Shelby, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Qualls.

Mr. Eric DeGroat left Monday for Williams Bay, Wisconsin, where he will attend a Camping Convention at George Williams College.

Mrs. A. P. Van Dusen of Delaware, Ohio, arrived Saturday for a week's visit with her brother, Mr. Charles Lewis and Mrs. Lewis of Sherwood.

Rev. and Mrs. Gerald Troutman of Greenville, Tenn. and Mrs. C. H. Shirey of Newman, Ga., spent last Friday with Rev. and Mrs. Edwin Troutman.

Sam Tully, student at the University of North Carolina, visited his mother, Mrs. Kathryn C. Tully during the week-end.

Miss Jane Norris, student at King's College in Charlotte, visited during the week end with her mother, Mrs. David Norris.

Bob Cook, student at King College in Bristol, is spending his Spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Cook.

Mrs. Boyce Brooks visited during the week end in Raleigh with her son, Bill Brooks, who is a student at N. C. State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Smith of Morganton, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John York.

Miss Pat Breitenstein, student at Catawba College, visited over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Breitenstein.

Mr. and Mrs. John King and children, Martha, John, Bobby and Margot of Wadesboro, visited last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Norris.

Mrs. Troy Norris is visiting two weeks with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John King and family in Wadesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Greene of Elizabethton, Tenn., visited during the week end with his brother, Mr. W. C. Greene and Mrs. Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Greene are spending this week in Raleigh, where they are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira W. Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sams of Elizabethton, Tenn., and Mrs. Tom Lawrence and daughter, Sharon of Charlotte, visited Friday and Saturday with Dr. E. Ray Lawrence.

Johnny Taylor, student at the University of North Carolina, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus E. Talent of Sweetwater, Tenn., visited two days last week with Mrs. Talent's sister, Mrs. Herman Eggers and Mr. Eggers.

Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Barnett of Charlotte, visited over the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Barnett and his sister, Vera.

Miss Dorothy Jackson and Mr. C. C. Morrison of Greensboro, visited Monday with Mr. Morrison's sister, Mrs. W. W. Chester.

Miss Margaret Gragg, student at Duke University, is spending the spring holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gragg.

Dr. Nicholas Erneston played with the Winston-Salem Symphony last Tuesday and Thursday nights when they presented Verdi's "Requiem."

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Fairchild of Winston-Salem, visited Mrs. Fairchild's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Trivette over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Clay and children, Zana, Carol and Kenny of Raleigh, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Caudill and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Clay.

Miss Azalee Wilson of Bel Air, Md., visited over the week end with her father, Mr. I. B. Wilson. Also visiting with Mr. Wilson was his grandson, David Wilson of Thomasville.

Miss Clyde Kilby visited Tuesday and Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Harold Simpson of Lewisville, who is a patient at Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey Wilcox visited over the week end in Charlotte, with Mr. and Mrs. Julian Ragan and daughter, Valerie and also with Mrs. Edward Stroupe and sons, Mac and Lee.

E. Ford King, V, student at King College in Bristol, is spending the spring holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ford King, Jr. Also visiting the Kings was their daughter, Carolyn, a student at East Tennessee State College.

Miss Ann Buxton of Blowing Rock spent last week in Charlotte with Mr. and Mrs. W. Ben Britton. While there they were joined by friends and drove to Charleston, S. C. and Hilton Head Island.

Mrs. Kenneth Linney spent Wednesday through Friday in Charleston, West Va., where she appeared on the Convention program of the Music Education National Conference, on the subject of "Vocal Techniques Appropriate for the High School Student."

Miss Jo Anne Aldridge visited last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Auten in Charlotte, where she attended the Van Cliburn concert. She was the guest of Mr. J. G. McCullen, Jr. of Pinehurst. Mr. McCullen was the week end guest of Miss Aldridge and Mrs. Carlos DeLima.

Mrs. T. M. Vance of Newland, who has been seriously ill a week at Cannon Memorial Hospital in Banner Elk, is improving. Four daughters, Mrs. W. R. Winkler, Mrs. C. B. Angel, both of Boone; Mrs. Charles Lecka and Mrs. Lee DeGes, both of Newland, are staying by her bedside day and night.

Miss Barbara Matheson, student at Duke University, is spending the spring holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. William Matheson. The Mathesons left Monday morning for Chicago, Ill., where they will attend the wedding of Mrs. Matheson's niece, Miss Joyce Ann LeMay.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Payne and Mrs. Payne's sister, Mrs. Rex Kelley of Sanford, left today (Wednesday) for a visit with the Payne's son, John, who is a student at Marion Military Institute in Marion, Alabama. Mrs. Kelley will leave for Menard, Texas, to visit with her daughter, Mrs. John L. Mann and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Neal Blair, Jr. and Mrs. Tillman, a sister of Mrs. Blair's, all of Greensboro, visited over the week end with Mr. Blair's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Neal Blair. Mrs. Tillman also visited with her daughter, Misses Patricia and Priscilla Tillman, students at Appalachian State Teachers College.

Miss Rebecca Stevens of Lenoir and Miss Rayle Stanton of Bennettsville, S. C., were junior bridesmaids.

The bride's mother chose a chiffon crepe gown of French

Miss Boddie, Mr. Dimmette Marry



MRS. JOEL HART DIMMETTE

Lenoir, March 25.—Miss June Elizabeth Boddie became the bride of Mr. Joel Hart Dimmette in a formal ceremony Saturday evening at eight o'clock at the First Baptist Church. The Reverend Emory Trainham, pastor, and the Reverend Hartley Hall, IV, the bridegroom's pastor, officiated, using the double ring ceremony.

The vows were spoken in a candlelight setting of green and white with white tree candelabra holding cathedral tapers, white gladioli, snapdragons and smilax arranged against a background of palms and greenery.

Prior to the ceremony, Mrs. Mast Dickson, Jr., organist, Mrs. John Barlow, sister of the bridegroom, harpist, of Atlanta, Georgia, and Lynn Pollard, baritone, presented a program of wedding music. Mrs. Dickson played: "Suite Gothique," Boellman; "Oh Stainless Lamb of God," Bach; "Chorale," Frank; "Adoration," Felix Borowski, and as the procession, "Trumpet Voluntary," Purcell. Mrs. Barlow's selections were: "Piane," "Fracheur" and "Night Breeze," Carlos Salzedo; "Prelude in C," Maurice Ravel; "Prelude VII," Debussy, and "In the Garden," Charles Schultze. Mr. Pollard sang "The Greatest of These is Love," Roberta Bit Good.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee W. Boddie, was given in marriage by her father. She wore a floor-length gown of ivory pseudo-soie, fashioned with princess lines. The fitted bodice was beaded with opaque crystals and bridal pearls. The dome-shaped skirt, embroidered with crystals and pearls, extended into a chapel train. Her formal length heirloom veil of ivory imported Brussels lace was worn mantilla style. She carried a cascade bouquet of Snow White roses and lilies of the valley tied with antique white satin.

The bridegroom, the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dimmette, had his father as best man. Ushers were David Spainhour of Boone and Dr. John Barlow of Atlanta, brother-in-law of the bridegroom; D. Peterson Hunter of New York; Douglas Dellinger of Charlotte; John Miller, Erwin Smith, Charles House and Lee Boddie, Jr., the bride's brother of Lenoir, and David Spainhour, Jr., of Boone.

Miss Peggy Patton of Morganton was maid of honor, and Mrs. John G. Stewart of Gastonia was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Ginger Speagle of Hickory, Miss Millie Pearce and Mrs. James Harper Beall, III, of Lenoir, Miss Edith White of El Paso, Texas, Miss Sara Gordon of Hamlet and Mrs. Ruth Des Marais of Nashville, Tenn., the bridegroom's sister.

Miss Rebecca Stevens of Lenoir and Miss Rayle Stanton of Bennettsville, S. C., were junior bridesmaids.

The bride's mother chose a chiffon crepe gown of French

blue with fitted bodice embellished with blue bagette beads. Her corsage was of pink cymbidium orchids. The bridegroom's mother wore a floor-length gown of gray chiffon trimmed with silver lace. Her corsage was a purple orchid. The bride's grandmother, Mrs. W. M. McGlamery, wore a coral chiffon gown with draped bodice. She wore a corsage of white orchids.

Mrs. Dimmette was graduated from St. Mary's Preparatory School, Raleigh, attended St. Mary's Junior College and Randolph-Macon Woman's College in Lynchburg, Va. She was one of the 1962 season debutantes presented in the Terpsichorean Ball in Raleigh.

Mr. Dimmette attended Ransom School in Coconut Grove, Fla., was graduated from Westtown School in Philadelphia, Pa., and is a 1959 graduate of the University of North Carolina where he was a member of Delta Sigma Pi Fraternity. He is vice president of Fidelity Insurance Agency, Inc., in Lenoir.

For her wedding trip to Nassau the bride wore a pink wool suit with matching accessories. Upon their return from Nassau the couple will live at 411 Penn Avenue in Lenoir.

Reception at Country Club

Immediately following the wedding the bride's parents entertained at a reception at the Lenoir Country Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Culp, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Broyhill and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Triplett Sr. greeted guests, and Mrs. David Porter of Northfield, Minn., served punch. Mrs. W. H. Patton, Jr., of Morganton and Mrs. Boyd Fall, presided at the silver service. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stanton, Bennettsville, S. C., and Mr. and Mrs. David Spainhour of Boone were at the register. Directing guests to the dining room were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Miller, Jr.

A color scheme of pink and white was carried out in flowers and refreshments. A center table, covered with a white lace cloth, held two five-branch candelabra and an arrangement of white snapdragons, Snow White roses, white tulips, freesia and gypsophelia in a crystal and silver epergne.

Out-of-town guests from Boone and Blowing Rock were Mr. and Mrs. David N. Spainhour, Mr. Davy Spainhour, Miss DeMette Spainhour, Miss Lotie Spainhour, Miss Elizabeth Spainhour, Mr. and Mrs. Councan Cook, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rivers, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Snyder, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Snyder.

Buffet Breakfast

Mr. and Mrs. William M. McGlamery, grandparents of the bride elect and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stanton, Jr., aunt and uncle of the bride elect of Bennettsville, South Carolina entertained the bridal party, close friends, and out-of-town guests at a buffet breakfast at 12 o'clock Saturday noon in the main dining room of the Lenoir Country Club.

A color scheme of pink and

white was used in the foyer and main dining room. The tables were overlaid with pink cloths. Arrangements of white and pink bridal flowers in silver epergnes were used at vantage points in the dining room.

Miss Boddie attired in an ensemble of royal blue silk was presented a corsage of white roses.

Covers were laid for 100 guests.

Cake Cutting

La Ravine, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Laurie E. Dimmette, was the scene of the cake cutting for Miss June Boddie and Mr. Joel Hart Dimmette. Guests were greeted by Mr. and Mrs. John Christian Bernhardt, and then received by Mr. and Mrs. Dimmette, the bride and the groom, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Boddie. The radiance of the bride and groom set the tone for a joyous evening. The bride was lovely in a rose silk and lace ensemble.

Bright bouquets of spring flowers were placed throughout the home. The tiered bride's cake was the centerpiece of the dining room table covered with an Oriental linen and lace table cloth. In the antique Dresden candelabra delicate pink tapers glowed. The bride's cake was served by Mrs. Harper Beall, Jr., the groom's cake by Mrs. Hartley Hall, and the punch by Mrs. Roger Triplett, Sr. In the conservatory Mrs. Edgar Stanton Jr. and Mrs. J. E. Broyhill poured coffee and punch. Mr. and Mrs. William McGlamery attended the guest register in the library.

Mrs. David Spainhour of Boone, Mrs. Hubert Des Marais of Nashville, Tennessee, and Mrs. David Hugh Porter of Northfield, Minnesota, were hostesses for the evening with their mother, Mrs. L. E. Dimmette.

Fine Arts Dept. Meets Thursday

The Fine Arts Department of the Worthwhile Woman's Club had its March meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Rom Adams. Mrs. Carlos DeLima, Mrs. DeWitt Barnett and Mrs. W. G. Hartzog were co-hostesses.

The special business of the meeting was the election of officers for the coming year. Mrs. E. S. Qualls was elected chairman, Mrs. A. E. South, co-chairman and Mrs. M. E. Muder, all elected by a unanimous vote.

After further business, Mrs. A. E. South, chairman, called on Mrs. R. C. Winebarger and Mrs. Collect Coffey for the program. Mrs. Coffey gave a discussion and reading of children's poetry after which Mrs. Winebarger presented Miss Janie Price, pianist for the evening. Miss Price played "Consolation" by Liszt, "Alemo" by Handel and "Theme with Variations" by Haydn.

The program being over, members and guests were served a delectable plate by the hostesses.

The April meeting will be an organ recital given by Mrs. O. R. Sutton and will be open to the public.

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