



THE TEEN SCENE

BY BETTY JEAN MOORE

Last Tuesday night, MISS MILDRED TAYLOR was guest of honor at the semi-monthly meeting of the Lions Club. SHIRLEY BATES, Murphy High's favorite pianist, and Velma Umphres entertained the men with several musical numbers. SHIRLEY and MILDRED had a very enjoyable time dining and talking with the members of the Lions Club.

Two of our former Murphy High students are planning to get married. I saw DORETHA FLEMING the other day and she said she and GLENN SWAIN were making their marriage plans but they were not complete yet. Congratulations to the lucky pair!

ACHIEVEMENT NIGHT
Friday night the 4-H Club had

its annual Achievement Night. DOROTHY SHIELDS, a former Murphy student who has made all of M. H. S. proud of her because of her outstanding work in Murphy and Cherokee County for the 4-H Club, made a talk on Holland, where she has been for the past several months. FRED VAN HORN, president of the Club, pre-

Betrothed



MISS FLEMING

Mrs. Cora Fleming, Rt. 1, Murphy, announces the engagement of her daughter, Doretha, to Glen Arthur Swain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Swain, also of Murphy. Wedding plans will be announced later.

sided at the meeting. Fred, a sophomore, won a medal for public speaking, also a medal in forestry work. JERRY RUTH SMITH, who is known for her wonderful musical ability, won several medals in music.

Something new has been added to our Cheerleading Squad! Friday night, DENNY ELLIOT was a great help to our girls on the sidelines. As Denny is quite an attraction, we hope he will keep on cheering with them.

STREET SALES

If you were in town Saturday, you probably wondered what all the commotion on the street corner was about. That was the Juniors trying to sell their Christmas cards to make money for the Junior Class, namely MARY ANN FOSTER, FAY BURGESS, JEAN REED, and RAMONA JORY.

With Christmas just around the corner, you will find cute teenagers in almost every store eager to wait on you. I noticed SALLY MORRIS and ROSALIND STALCUP looking real cute and acting very business-like in Lay's 5 and 10c Store.

MISS IDA BRUMBY told me she had a grand time visiting friends and relatives in Marietta, Ga. over the week end.

Woman Talk

By EMILY COSTELLO

A couple of days ago when I went to see her, KATE HENSLEY (Mrs. Hugh) was going round and round trying to get things in order for the Junior Woman's Club dinner Thursday night. And from all appearances it's going to be a grand party and will be held at Duke's Lodge, beginning at 7:30 p. m.

The four able hostesses, headed by RUTH CHENEY (Mrs. Bob) are proceeding with plans on the sound principal that everybody will have a better time entertaining themselves than with some planned activities that never seem to go over anyhow. Kate is a hostess as are LOUISE SCHUYLER (Mrs. "Red") and MARY JORDAN (Mrs. John).

CHRISTMAS CARDS?

What with the holly and the ivy and the carol fests and the Christmas shoppers, it's really beginning to be real Christmasy in town.

But, the poor juniors at high school would feel a lot happier about the whole thing if they could sell about 100 more boxes of Christmas cards.

It's like this. The class did such a tremendous job of selling their first batch of cards that they ordered some more, and they've sold a lot of them, but somehow there are still plenty left.

So, if you're like me, you probably failed to send cards to lots of folks who remembered you, and you'll need a reserve of cards for emergencies like that. Why not call on one of the juniors?

After all, we can save the cards till next year if necessary, but the class needs the cash now—all for the good cause of their annual.

TALENTED SONGSTERS

That talented group of high school girls who make up the Youth Choir at the Baptist Church sang their Christmas music—some beautiful numbers from Mendelssohn at church Sunday night. They also performed the group at school twice Monday for chapel services and traveled up to Hiwassee Dam School Wednesday to repeat the program there.

VELMA UMPHRES, the director of the group, and the other choirs at the church, is about beat after many busy weeks of rehearsals and is looking forward to a rest at home in Texas. She will be on her way Monday and will stay in the Lone Star State for three weeks.

AVIS HOOVER (Mrs. Bill) was saying that the annual Business Women's Circle Christmas party will be at her home Thursday night. And, by the way, she was wearing the most beautiful purple velvet suit Sunday!

LARGE AUDIENCE

"The Messiah" was heard Sunday night by a large crowd including some folks from out-of-town, like Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Davis and Mark and Hazel Elliott of Andrews.

I certainly did enjoy the performance and the church seemed very worshipful with the soft candle lighting and effectively simple decorations.

LIZ AND HUBERT WILLIAMS and tiny son are home for the holidays. They're living in Orlando, Fla., where Hubert is stationed with the Air Force. I tried to get them on the phone yesterday, but the whole business must have gone off together, because

Reynolds-West Marriage Told

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Reynolds announce the marriage of their daughter, Hattie Sue Reynolds, to Corp. Zeb W. West, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pearson West, of Topton, on Sunday, December 14.

The couple were married in McCaysville, Ga., by Roy Chapman, ordinary.

They were accompanied by the bride's brother, Billy Reynolds, and by Janice Wilson, Glen Holloway, Della Mae Bailey, Keith Gregory and Mrs. Austin White. The bride is a student in the Andrews High School and plans to continue her studies there.

The groom is stationed at Ft. Knox, Kentucky.

not one could be reached by phone.

Some nice newcomers to Murphy are WANDA AND HERMAN EDWARDS, who are living here on Campbell St. in John Carringer's house. Herman is a lawyer here and his pretty wife is working with him. She stopped by the other day for a minute and was wearing the prettiest fleecy green coat.

MRS ZEB CHASTAIN gave us all a first hand touch of Christmas tradition when she came by with a clipping from a St. Louis, Mo., paper on the story of "Silent Night". But the real interest is in the fact that Mrs. C. is a former voice pupil of the great grandson of "Silent Night's" composer. You'll find the interesting story in the Scout (Page 2, I think).

BARBARA RHOADS was saying that she will spend Christmas in Camden, S. C., with her sister. And she's mighty thrilled at the thought.

I also understand that STEVE CRAWFORD is a patient at Murphy General Hospital. He's one of those fellows that hate to give up and be sick. But after running around half sick for some days, he finally had to be carted off to the hospital, where he is now recovering nicely.

I know that the many pretty young visitors he's having are good medicine.

In and phone conversation with BOB HEATON of Andrews yesterday I wrangled an invitation to his and EVELYN'S pretty home there at the Andrews airport. The modernistic stone home is in a beautiful location with a magnificent and unobstructed view of the mountains.

SOCIETY

Couple Wed In Blue Ridge, Ga., Dec. 6



MR. AND MRS. JAMES HERBERT CRISP

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Lena McClain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis E. McClain of Fairfield, Pa., to Mr. James Herbert Crisp, son of Mrs. Hettie Crisp of Andrews. The wedding took place Saturday, Dec. 6, in Blue Ridge, Ga.

CARD OF THANKS

We shall ever be grateful to all those who remembered us so kindly in our recent bereavement. May God richly bless each of you
Mrs. Annie Lou Rogers
The H. G. Rogers Family
The R. L. Keenum Family

BIRTHS

PETRIE HOSPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Evans of Unaka announce the birth of a daughter, December 10.
Mr. and Mrs. Holbert Ware of Murphy announce the birth of twin boys, December 12.
Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Gordon, Frank Ellis, has been a patient in Petrie Hospital for the past week. birth of a son, December 13.

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