

To Have Christmas Program

Mrs. Lucy T. Allen's seventh grade will present a short Christmas program, Thursday, December 18, 1969, at 1:00 p.m. in the Louisburg High School auditorium.

The theme is "Christmas Around the World". The elementary band will also perform.

Parents and friends of the school are invited to attend this program.

One of the most misused words in the language is the word love.

Ruth Mercer Circle Meets

(Frk. B.W.) The Ruth Mercer Circle of the Franklinton United Methodist Church met at the Educational Building Thursday evening.

Miss Edith Jackson, chairman, welcomed the members and the special guests who were members of Circle No. 1 and Wesley's Circle.

Miss Jackson's Christmas message was a reading from Henry Van Dyke.

During the short business session, Mrs. C. H. Weston read the minutes. A Study Course on China to be taught by the Rev. Marvin Vick at the Edenton Street Methodist Church January 24-26 was announced.

Mrs. Mary K. East, program leader, read a Christmas scripture, "There's a song in the Air" was sung by Mrs. Richard Whitfield, who was accompanied by Mrs. J. A. Cox.

Mrs. East gave an informative program about the Inheritance of Christmas. First, it was pointed out that different countries celebrate Christmas on a different day. The customs, practices and legends are many and varied. Some of the customs were mentioned by the speaker.

In a very dramatic manner, Mrs. East read portions of "A Christmas Carol" by Charles Dickens.

While talking about our heritages in America, it was stated that it was not until the first of the 19th century that Christmas became a legal holiday. It was 1822 that the poem, "Twas the Night Before Christmas", was written. The speaker commented about the importance of Santa Claus to a little child.

Mrs. East closed her talk by reciting the poem, "If He Had Not Come."

Mrs. Carl Gilliam closed the program by singing "O Holy Night." Mrs. J. A. Cox was the accompanist.

During the social hour, members of the Ruth Mercer Circle served tea, fruit cake, brownies, rum balls, cheese biscuits, candies, cranberry bread and nuts.

Holiday Hash Omelet



HOLIDAY HASH OMELET

15-oz. can Mary Kitchen
Roast Beef Hash
6 eggs
2 Tbsp. milk or cream

Salt
Pepper
Tomato
Green Pepper

Place hash in frying pan, break up with fork. Brown 5 minutes over medium heat. While hash cooks, beat eggs and milk in a bowl, add salt, pepper. Pour over hash. Cover and cook until eggs are firm, occasionally lifting mixture gently with spatula. Garnish with lightly-fried tomato wedges and chopped green peppers. Makes 4 hearty portions.

Gay Gardeners Visit Raleigh

Saturday, December 13th, the Gay Gardener Junior Garden Club toured over to Raleigh for their regular monthly meeting and visited the Governor's Mansion, Capital and State House.

The mansion had been beautifully decorated for Christmas by the Raleigh Garden Club. In the capital rotunda was a decorated twenty foot Christmas tree. A guided tour was given at both the capital and the state house.

After touring the points of interest the club went to the Shoney Restaurant for a Christmas Party.

Mesdames Marvin Pleasant and John Mills, Club Counse-

Youngville - With holiday decorations all around the building and Christmas music being played, teenagers of Youngville enjoyed a Christmas party at the Youngville Community house Saturday night, December thirteenth. It was given by the Woman's Club which is the sponsoring organization for the Teenage Club.

Mrs. A. N. Corpening as chairman prepared and served refreshments which included frosted cake squares decorated in holiday style in colors of red and green, Christmas cookies, a variety of party

lors; Lucille Romero, John White, Earlie Tillotson, Howard Harris, club member's mothers accompanied the club on their tour and Christmas party.

sandwiches, nuts, mints and festive red punch.

Covered with a red cloth, the table was centered with a white spiral tree decorated with tiny ornamental cones and holly sprigs.

Mrs. Allen Stallings and Mrs. N. A. Brown directed Christmas games and contests, giving prizes to winners.

Mrs. L. A. Woodlief and Mrs. H. H. Reddick of the Woman's Club Chaperone committee were in attendance for the party.

"I suppose the little wife will win all the arguments in your house?"

"No; she'll win half of them."

"Oh, you expect to win the other half?"

"No, but my mother-in-law will."

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Louisburg; Eugene G. Foster, Louisburg; James Gill, Louisburg; Moneta D. Gupton, Louisburg; Ollie Joseph Gupton, Sr., Louisburg; Forrest Clifford Harper, Louisburg; Martha Solomon Hicks, Louisburg; Lafetta Tabron High, Louisburg; Frank Bennett Hight, Franklinton; Cleacy Webb House, Raleigh; Katie Leonard House, Louisburg; Carolyn Holmes Hudson, Louisburg; Raeford Bryant Hunt, Louisburg; Lois Grady Journigan, Henderson; Staley Claude Journigan, Henderson; Joseph William Joyner, Louisburg; Nettie M. Lineberry, Louisburg; Annie H. Lloyd, Louisburg; Margaret Annie Lee Long, High Point; Rose Winstead Loyd, Louisburg; Terrence Lynch, Hollister; Josephine Neal, Louisburg; James Henderson Nowell, Louisburg; Jackie Bartholomew Parrish, Louisburg; Annie Williams Perry, Louisburg; Charlie B. Perry, Louisburg; Donnie Gray Perry, Rocky Mount; Lucy Tant Perry, Spring Hope; Wiley Lee Perry, Louisburg; Maggie Viola Preddy, Franklinton; Etta Privette, Louisburg; Henry Perry Privette, Youngsville; Dianne Richardson, Hollister; Gladys Richardson, Macon; Nancy Louise Richardson, Louisburg; Dennis Simmons Robbins, Franklinton; Frank Rogers Rose, Sr., Louisburg; Brenda Powell Rowe, Louisburg; Dorothy Carter Shearon, Franklinton; Jeffrey Wade Strickland, Louisburg; Percy William Tant, Louisburg; Minnie Burnette Thompson, Louisburg; Bennie Thomas Wester, Louisburg; William Haywood White, Louisburg; William Linzy Winstead, Louisburg.

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Death

MRS. GERTRUDE KEARNEY

Franklinton - Funeral services for Mrs. Gertrude P. Kearney, 90, who died Sunday, will be held at 2 p.m. today at Sandling Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Dana Scrivener. Burial will be in Mt. Olive cemetery. She was the widow of Richard Kearney.

Surviving: a daughter, Mrs. Bertha K. Wheeler of Rt. 1, Franklinton; a son, E. J. (Nick) Kearney of Rt. 1, Creedmoor; a brother, Lewis Preddy of Franklinton; two sisters, Mrs. Lela Blackley of Franklinton and Mrs. Liza Fisher of Warrenton; 16 grandchildren.

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