

SOCIETY

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Bride And Visitor Feted Thursday

Mrs. F. J. Killelea and Mrs. H. A. Smith combined their hospitality on Thursday to honor a popular bride and an attractive visitor at the Legion club house. The bride, Mrs. E. L. Blackburn, who prior to her marriage was Mrs. Alena Hodges, of Kingstree, S. C., and Miss Mary Mitchell, of Johnston, S. C., who was a house guest of Mrs. H. B. Smith. A mass of yellow summer flowers were artistically arranged in the room giving a colorful background for the players.

In the morning at ten o'clock six tables were placed for bridge and following a series of spirited progressions a delicious two course luncheon was served. The score award went to Mrs. John E. Justice. Five tables were arranged for the game in the afternoon and at this time Mrs. Frank Eller proved to be the most successful at cards. When cards were laid aside the hostesses served tempting refreshments. At each occasion the honorees were presented with lovely gifts.

Miss Ruby Blackburn Gives Dinner Party

Miss Ruby Blackburn entertained at a charming dinner party at her home on Thursday evening having as guests the members of her club and a few other friends. Guests besides the club members were Miss Julia Finley and her house guest, Miss Martha Glass, of Richmond, Va., Miss Kate Finley, of New York City, and Mrs. W. J. Bason. Miss Kate Finley is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Finley. A three course dinner was served at seven o'clock with covers for fourteen. A silver basket filled with clematis served as a centerpiece for the dining table.

Mrs. Hutchens Idlewife Hostess

The members of the Idlewife club with a number of visitors spent a happy evening on Thursday at the home of Mrs. Hoyle Hutchens. A period of needlework and conversation was enjoyed and when the sewing was laid aside the hostess had the as-

stance of Mrs. Ira Payne, Mrs. Ray Barnes and Little Margaret Anne Hutchens in serving delicious refreshments in two courses. Gladioli and dahlias made effective decorations for the rooms where the guests were entertained. Visitors of the club were, Mesdames C. S. Slink, Weaver Starr, Russell Hodges and Ira Payne.

W. M. U. Holds Splendid Meet

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church was held on Tuesday afternoon at the church with a splendid attendance. The opening prayer was led by Mrs. J. N. Shockey, who also had charge of the devotional. "The Return of the Word to Europe and Palestine," was the theme for the afternoon and was well presented under the leadership of Mrs. C. C. Grissom for Circle No. 4. Those taking part on the program were Mesdames A. H. Casey, J. I. Myers, Tip McNeill, R. E. Walters, A. F. Killip and T. C. Caudill. Special music was a solo by Miss Grace Grissom. Three special prayers were offered by Mesdames C. D. Coffey, Sr., A. C. Dennis and T. C. Caudill. For the business part of the meeting, the president, Mrs. J. N. Shockey was in the chair and interesting reports were presented by the different chairmen.

Bridge Luncheon Given For Visitors

Mrs. William Barber and Miss Elizabeth Barber delightfully entertained at a pretty bridge luncheon on Thursday morning at the home of Mrs. Barber honoring their sister, Mrs. W. C. Moore, Jr., of Lenoir, Mrs. Walter Spivey, of Rich Square, who is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Holman, and Misses Bert and Ila Holman. A color scheme of yellow and white was carried out in detail making a lovely setting for the guests. Bridge was played at three tables followed by a tempting luncheon at one o'clock in two courses. Mrs. B. R. Underwood was awarded the high score prize and each of the honorees were given attractive gifts. Mrs. Johnson J. Hayes, of Greensboro, was also remembered with a gift.

Mrs. Henry Moore Hostess Yesterday

With Mrs. Henry Moore as hostess the members of the Wednesday bridge club were pleasantly entertained at her home on Wednesday afternoon. Cut flowers made a festive scene for the living room where three tables were placed for the game. When scores were tallied Mrs. A. T. Lott was found to hold the grand total and received an attractive prize. Mrs. Bill Absher and Miss Lina Forester assisted Mrs. Moore in serving a delectable salad course followed by sweets at the conclusion of play.

Mr. Isaac Duncan Honored Friday

A delightful surprise birthday party was given Ikey Duncan on Friday evening by his mother, Mrs. Ralph Duncan, and sister, Miss Elizabeth Duncan, at the Duncan home. The occasion celebrated his nineteenth birthday and a large number of his friends had been invited in to enjoy the evening with him. Summer flowers made attractive decorations for the rooms where five tables were placed for bridge and hearts. At the conclusion of the games the hostess aided by Miss Anne Duncan served a dainty salad course followed by an ice cream. Mr. Duncan received a large number of useful gifts. John Hayes, of Greensboro, and Billie Crews, of Gainesville, Fla. were among the out-of-town guests attending the event.

Frances Hunter, Feted By Miss Duncan

To fete her houseguest, Miss Mary Frances Hunter, of Raleigh, Miss Elizabeth Duncan entertained at a delightful theatre party Wednesday afternoon. Twelve guests made up the party which met at Miss Duncan's home before going to the theatre. At the close of the picture, the hostess with her guests went to the drug store for refreshments. The honoree was presented with dainty lingerie by Miss Duncan.

Roaring River Girl Weds Shelby Man

Mr. and Mrs. Felix L. Parks, of Roaring River, N. C., announce the marriage of their daughter, Eleanor Frances, to Ambrose Dison Dudley, Friday, August 18, 1933. The marriage was solemnized at Blowing Rock by the Methodist minister. The bride wore a becoming suit of brown faille crepe with accessories to match.

Mrs. Dudley received her education at the Wilkesboro high school and at William and Mary College at Williamsburg, Va. The bridegroom, who is the son of Mrs. J. G. Dudley, of Shelby, was educated at the Shelby high school and at the Dallas Aviation School and College, at Love Field, Dallas, Texas. He is now associated with his brother in the heating and plumbing business at Shelby. After a wedding trip in the mountains of Western North Carolina, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley will be at home in Shelby.

Blair-Kinyoun Marriage

Miss Ruby Blair and W. J. Kinyoun were united in marriage on July 29, 1933, at Martinsville, Va., with Rev. J. P. McCabe, of the Baptist church, of that city, performing the ceremony.

The bride wore an attractive dress of navy blue crepe with white accessories and wore a shoulder corsage of sweetheart roses.

Mrs. Kinyoun is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Blair, of Greensboro and has been living in this city for the past three years.

The bridegroom is formerly of Wilkesboro, and has been living in Winston-Salem for the past six years and for the past three years he has been connected with the State Theatre.

The young couple were accompanied to Martinsville by Ray N. Peterson, manager of the State Theatre.

After a wedding trip through the Western North Carolina Mountains, Mr. and Mrs. Kinyoun will be at home to their friends at 627 West Second street.—Winston-Salem Journal.

Miss Lloyd Smoot To Wed

Word has been received here of the approaching marriage of Miss Rebecca Lloyd Smoot, of Alexandria, Va., and Mr. Charles Marbury Seaman, of Washington, D. C. The wedding will take place on Saturday, September 2, at Christ's church in Alexandria and will be attended by a number of relatives from here. Miss Smoot is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smoot, former residents of this city, and she has many friends here who will be interested to hear of her wedding.

Miss Williams Honors Visitors

Miss Melvina Williams delightfully entertained a number of the younger set at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams on Tuesday evening honoring two visitors in the town. Those honored were Miss Bernice Pool, of Winder, Ga., a niece of Mrs. Williams, and Mr. Billie Crews, of Gainesville, Fla., a former resident of this city who is here visiting friends. Punch was served. The guests upon their arrival after which a series of interesting games were directed by the hostesses. Fifteen minutes dedicated to a radio program featured the evenings entertainment. Following the games an ice cream was served by Miss Williams being assisted by Mrs. Williams and Miss Wilma Pöhl, also of Winder, Ga. An abundance of roses, snapdragons and dahlias made a pretty setting for the occasion. Around twenty

Wilkes Timber Pays Six Point Two

By R. W. GRAEBER, (Extension Forester, North Carolina State College)

When farm timber pays taxes and produces a net annual income of 6.2 per cent simple interest for the life of the timber it demands the attention of every farmer and timberland owner. This news story will deal with the results of a timber study made on the farm of J. M. German, Boomer, Wilkes county. Last winter, A. G. Hendren, county agent, with the cooperation of the extension forester started a timber thinning and management demonstration with Mr. German. A mixed stand of shortleaf and spruce or Virginia pine, with an under-story of hardwood and white pines was chosen for this study. The site was well gravelly loam and was previously a cultivated, but eroded field. The pines have stopped the washing and reclaimed the field, and at the same time produced a worth while crop in the twenty-six year period.

Choosing for the demonstration a one acre plot of average condition and growth, we found a total growth of 32.4 cords of wood per acre—an average of 1.25 cords annually for 26 years. The stand was crowded and needed thinning. Trees were marked for the harvest.

Mr. German reports a cut of 13.5 cords, and the cost of the harvest at 80c per cord. The wood sold for \$2.00 per cord in the forest, leaving a net value of \$1.20 per cord. The tax valuation of the land was given as \$20.00 per acre, and the tax rate (1932) \$1.25 per hundred. Thus the annual tax per acre was 25c.

Now let's see what the results are. The harvest—13.5 cords per acre—at \$1.20 per cord was sufficient to pay taxes—on the basis of 1932 average—for the life of the timber, twenty-six years amounting to \$6.50 and still leave a cash dividend of \$9.70 per acre. You might compare this cash dividend with the tax value of the land. Another item to consider is the labor from this harvest amounting to \$10.80 per acre.

But we must not overlook that crop of standing trees left as a working capital to take and make use of the available moisture and soil fertility. In the standing crop we have 341 of the choicest trees per acre. These trees averaging 6.5 inches D. B. H. and 38 feet high scale a total of 18.9 cords per acre. If we add the standing crop and the recent harvest and calculate at the same value per cord the results would, after deducting cost of harvest and taxes, show an average annual income of 6.2 (six point two) per cent on land valued at \$20.00 per acre.

This type of study made at the farm of J. R. Byrd, Call Section, Wilkes county and in the adjoining counties of Alexander, Caldwell, Iredell, and Yadkin give very similar results, show an average of what farmers may expect from their pine trees when protected from fire and given common-sense management.

Pearsons Buy Property Of Mr. Charlie Bumgarner

A business transaction of importance was completed this week when Messrs. I. E. Pearson and Rom H. Pearson purchased the store and other property of C. O. Bumgarner, located on cotton mill hill, one mile west of the city on the Boone Trail highway.

Mr. Al Pearson, son of Hamp Pearson, has been placed in charge and will continue to operate the store and filling station business. The business will be operated in the future under the firm name of North Wilkesboro Grocery company.

guests enjoyed the hospitality of Miss Williams.

Miss Pearson Hostess To Sewing Club

Miss Beatrice Pearson was hostess to the members of her sewing club at her home on Thursday evening. The group, composed of several members of the younger set, spent sometime in sewing after which the hostess, with the aid of Miss Margaret Vannoy, served delicious refreshments. A variety of cut flowers were used in the decoration of the home.

Dresses to Close Out. Beautiful prints and other seasonal cloth. 77c and 88c. Children's dresses at 89c.—The Goodwill Store.

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News From Ronda Route 2 Section

RONDA, Route 2, Aug. 21.—Mr. Sneed Gentry, who is always interested in religious services, loaded sixteen of his family and friends in a two horse wagon and drove to Bethel last Sunday night. It is useless to say he has a good team. It seems like "old times" to see people drive six miles to a revival meeting at night.

Mr. Sam Pardue, a neighbor of Mr. Gentry's and living a mile farther from Bethel, "outdone" Mr. Gentry. He carried nineteen a few nights later to the revival. Brier Creek thus enlarged the audience. The examples of these big hearted men should be copied.

Mr. Harvey Pardue called on this Armisa Sale last week and engaged a job of repairing, varnishing and polishing an old time spinning wheel.

Mrs. James Calaway is suffering from a severe sore on her shin, the result of a snag which injured a "leader." Her niece, Mrs. Harry Kellam, who spent several days with her, has now returned to her home at Danville, Va.

Messrs. Robt. Key, of Ronda, route 1, and his nephew, Rex Venable, who is attending summer school at Elkin, took dinner Saturday night at 5:30 o'clock with Mr. and Mrs. Worth Sale.

Mr. Clyde Gentry was again absent from Brier Creek Sunday school attending Cranberry revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Jennings and two little daughters, of Cycle, visited Mr. J. C. Hemrick's family last Friday.

Mrs. Amanda Pardue is suffering with a felon or painful infection on her thumb. Her son, Ernest Pardue, who has an electrical job in Moline, Illinois, motored with his family to his mother's last week. He will spend his vacation of two weeks in North Carolina. He will probably visit his sister, Mrs. Novella Vanhoy, near Brooks Cross Roads, and his niece, Mrs. Hugh Howard, of Cycle. Mrs. Ernest Pardue is a daughter of the late Joe Mathews and has many relatives in Forsyth county who will expect a short visit from this family.

Mrs. Wayne Way, of Carthage, spent several days at the home of Mr. Lafayette Pardue, nursing her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Mathis, who with her husband has boarded at Mr. Pardue's for the past three months. This grandmother cared for her little granddaughter, Joan Way Mathis. Mr. Mathis is a son of the late Loyd Mathis. He is at work at North Wilkesboro in a furniture store. He has rooms with his cousin, Monroe Mathis, a prominent citizen of Roaring River, where they expect to do light housekeeping. Mrs. Way and her daughters will spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Mathis at Roaring River before returning to Carthage. Mrs. Way and Mrs. Mathis moved to Roaring River last Monday.

Miss Lizzie Pardue and her nephew, Harold Pardue, of Clingman, visited her sister, Mrs. Walter Walker last Saturday. In the afternoon they called on their cousin, Mrs. Bertie Pardue Gray, Saturday night. Miss Pardue and Master Harold accompanied by Mrs. Walker and Mr. Clarke Walker called on Misses Mattie and Armisa Sale and Mr. and Mrs. Worth Sale. Miss Pardue lived in this community with her parents on the Ginning's place for twenty-eight years, being very small when she came. All who know her love her. She makes "sunshine in a shady place." There is a cordial welcome in every home for her. We wish her visits could be often and longer. Come again Miss Lizzie!

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson and three little daughters, of Greensboro, spent the week-end with Mr. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sebastian took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Worth Sale last Sunday.

Mrs. Anse Walls and Miss Ruth Sale, of Elkin, visited Misses Mattie and Armisa Sale last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gathier Gentry and Mr. Paul Boyd and family, of Winston-Salem, spent the week-end at Mr. Richard Walker's. Mrs. Sanford Ashley returned with them to visit relatives and friends at Winston-Salem.

The revival at Bethel closed last Sunday. Eight candidates were baptized. Rev. Jas. Martin, of Jonesville, assisted Rev. Richard Pardue, the pastor, in the services. A large audience and much interest characterized the spirit of the community.

Miss Mary Kate Sale spent the past week with friends near Bethel attending the revival and reports the best time of her life.

Mrs. Amanda Morrison walked from her home beyond Brier

Thousands of Speakers Are Called In Blue Eagle Drive

(Continued from page one) back in world war days when she had sons in the United States and German forces; entertainment by Will Rogers and other mirth-producers; addresses, too, by the public relations trio of NRA, Charles F. Horner, Frank T. Wilson and Alber.

Cabinet members, judges, senators, representatives, literary lights, have been signed up by Alber for the educational speaking campaign which will follow in theaters, churches and assembly halls.

Protestant, Catholic and Jewish ministers, he said, had accepted the NRA invitation to assist.

The 30,000 NRA speakers, Alber added, will stress two main points:

Every employer should be enlisted to fly the blue eagle. Every consumer should sign the co-operation pledge: "I will co-operate in re-em-

Creek to Bethel, a distance of seven or eight miles. She and Miss Ruth Linney of the "Tilly Place" ought to walk a race. Mrs. Morrison is much Miss Linney's senior. Their attitudes are to be admired.

payments by supporting a patronizing employment workers who are members of NRA."

Next Monday, too, a block-by-block check-up canvass starts.

The chief difficulty right now at NRA headquarters is to keep up with the frantic telegrams for more and more blue eagle insignias. Twenty million consumers' eagles are off the government presses, and 20,000,000 more have been ordered to meet insistent demands.

Miss Pauline Kinlaw returned home Sunday from a week's visit with her sister in High Point.

Drop everything. Study your needs and buy a plenty. The markets are going up. We want you to own the goods.—The Goodwill Store.

Ursula Blevins

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