

Social Happenings

Women's Church, Civic and Social Activities • Preview of Coming Events
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Minton-Reavis Vows Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Reavis, of North Wilkesboro route one, announce the marriage of their daughter, Lois Helen, to Pvt. Arvil E. Minton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Minton, of North Wilkesboro. The wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Swain, Hinchshaw street, on July 5, 1944, where the bride has been making her home for the past year.

Pvt. Minton, now stationed at Camp Stewart, Georgia, returned to camp today where he has been in service for the past two years.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Wilkes county, made in the Special Proceeding entitled Johnson Sanders, administrator of A. L. Church, deceased, et al, vs. Lizzie Church Nichols, Jennie Eller Church, et al, the same being No. — upon the Special Proceeding Docket of said Court, the undersigned Commissioner will, on the 26th day of July, 1944, at 11:30 o'clock, a. m., at the courthouse door in Wilkesboro, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash that certain tract of land lying and being in Reddies River township, Wilkes county, N. C., adjoining the lands of James Church, Sanford Church, John Griffin, Richard Church and others, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on a beech on the east bank of Fish Dam creek, Hira Church's corner, and running up and with the east bank of the creek 24.8 poles to a yellow oak at the east end of the old mill dam; north 67 1/2 deg. east 9.5 poles; north 78 deg. east 7.5 poles; north 70 deg. east 6 poles; north 52 deg. east 2.4 poles; north 30 deg. east 4 poles to an apple tree; north 13 deg. east 12 poles; north 2 deg. east 8.4 poles; north 13 deg. west 7.8 poles; north 20 deg. east 2 poles; north 4 deg. west 5 poles; north 3 deg. east 4.8 poles; north 18 deg. east 3 poles; north 6 deg. east 6 poles; north 1 deg. west 3.6 poles to a rock; west 2 poles to the creek; thence up and with the creek north 33 deg. west 30 poles to a bunch of maples; thence south 59 deg. west 13.2 poles; south 67 deg. west 23.2 poles to two persimmons; thence south 11 deg. east 24 poles 17 links to a pine; thence south 60 deg. west 11 poles to a post oak; thence up and with an old road north 19 deg. west 10.2 poles; north 5 deg. west 16 poles to a white oak; thence north 30 deg. west 5 poles; north 49 deg. west 7.2 poles to a double Spanish oak; thence south 44 deg. west 44.2 poles to a stone near the branch; thence north 43 deg. west 10.6 poles to a pine; thence south 48 deg. west 12.8 poles to a stone on the top of the ridge; thence with a wire fence south 20 deg. east 4 poles; south 31 east 6 poles; south 35 east 6 poles; south 45 east 7 poles; south 37 east 12.5 poles to a post oak; thence south 21 west 4 poles; south 35 west 5 poles; south 38 west 11 poles to a stake in the branch; thence down and with the branch south 43 east 7.5 poles; south 33 east 2.6 poles; south 82 east 4.6 poles; south 28 east 4 poles to a beech on the bank of the branch; thence south 24 east 5 poles; south 37 east 4.4 poles; south 30 east 7 poles; south 12 east 4 poles; south 15 west 3.5 poles to a poplar; thence south 1 west 7.5 poles; south 20 east 14.4 poles; north 54 east, 17.8 poles; north 66 east 11 poles; north 21 east 9.2 poles; north 14 east 4.4 poles; south 88 east 20.4 poles; north 80 east 14 poles to the beginning containing 61.2 acres, more or less. And being the residue of the lands of A. L. Church, dec'd.

This 22nd day of June, 1944.
JOHNSON SANDERS,
Commissioner
7-14-44(M)

Social Calendar

The general meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the North Wilkesboro First Baptist church will be held at the church Tuesday evening at 7:45 o'clock with the circle of which Mrs. J. G. Chipman is chairman, in charge of the program.

There will be four divisions of the Spiritual Life Group of the North Wilkesboro First Methodist church meeting on Tuesday afternoon. The meetings, which are to be held at 3:30, will be in the homes of Mrs. Murphy Hunt, Mrs. J. D. Schaefer, Mrs. J. O. Reins, and with Mrs. W. E. Shuford at the Hotel Wilkes.

Mesdames Spainhour and Bason Honor Bride-Elect, Visitors

Mrs. J. E. Spainhour and her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Bason, were hostesses at a lovely luncheon at the Hotel Wilkes Thursday honoring Miss Elicia Caroon, who was married Saturday afternoon in a formal ceremony at the First Methodist church to Captain Richard B. Johnston, United States Army Air forces. Sharing honors with Miss Caroon were Mrs. Charles Sterling, of Dayton, Ohio, and Miss Myrtle Hunt, of Detroit, Michigan both of whom were houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Johnston. Miss Hunt is a sister of Mrs. Johnston.

A four course luncheon was served at one o'clock with covers laid for nine. Guests besides the hostesses and the honoree were Mrs. W. J. Caroon and Miss Mary Caroon, mother and sister of the bride-elect, Mrs. A. B. Johnston and Mrs. Lincoln Spainhour. Each of the honorees received gifts from Mrs. Spainhour and Mrs. Bason.

An arrangement of lanterns centered the table while the place cards, bearing miniature decorated sea shells, were attached to sea shell nut cups furthering the decorative motif.

Another luncheon was given on Wednesday at one o'clock by Mrs. Spainhour and Mrs. Bason at the hotel honoring two popular visitors in the city, Miss Margie Clements, of Gloucester, Va., houseguest of Misses Lucy and Grace Finley, and Mrs. Blair Gwyn, who is visiting her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gwyn, S.Sgt. Blair Gwyn is in England. Covers were laid for Mrs. Spainhour, Mrs. Bason, Miss Clements, Mrs. Gwyn, Miss Lucy Finley, and Mrs. S. P. Mitchell.

Phillips-Jarvis Vows Are Spoken

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Phillips announce the marriage of their only daughter, Miss Ila Faye Phillips, to Seaman First Class John Houston Joiner, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Houston Joiner, of North Wilkesboro.

They were united in marriage by Judge Ray C. Cobb, at Gaffney, S. C. The bride wore a two-piece dress of tan celanese and used brown and white accessories.

Seaman First Class Joiner is stationed at New York City.

Miss Margie Clements Extended Courtesies

To honor her houseguest, Miss Margie Clements, of Gloucester, Va., Miss Lucy Finley was hostess to the members of the Wednesday club and several guests Thursday at an outdoor luncheon. Steak was cooked on the grill, and lunch was served picnic style, on the rear lawn at Riverview, home of the hostess. Gifts were presented to Miss Clements, Mrs. Blair Gwyn, and Mrs. Robert S. Gibbs, who is moving out of the neighborhood. Miss Grace Finley assisted her sister in serving the 18 guests present.

Misses Lucy and Grace Finley were hostess at an enjoyable outdoor supper Friday evening when they entertained in honor of their houseguest, Miss Margie Clements. Steak and accessories were served to the 18 guests present on the rear lawn of the Finley home, Riverview. Miss Katherine Finley and Gordon Finley, Jr., assisted their aunts in the serving.

Mrs. L. M. Nelson Entertains Club

Mrs. L. M. Nelson was charming hostess to the members of the Wednesday Sewing club at her home on Tenth street Wednesday afternoon. The group spent an informal hour together after which the hostess assisted by her sister, Miss Elizabeth Finley, served tempting refreshments. Miss Margie Clements, of Gloucester, Va., and houseguest of Miss Lucy Finley, was presented with a gift by Mrs. Nelson.

Mrs. Dean Andrews Is Party Honoree

Mrs. G. R. Andrews and Mrs. K. D. Key entertained at a rook party Monday evening honoring Mr. and Mrs. Dean Andrews, who were married June 24 at York, S. C. Mrs. Andrews is the former Miss Pauline Maxwell.

An ice course was served at the arrival of the guests. Rook was played at five tables. Mrs. Page Choate won the prize for high score and Mrs. W. P. Maxwell for low score.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Johnston Hosts at Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Johnston were hosts at an informal dinner party at their home on Main street Saturday evening honoring their son and his bride, Captain and Mrs. Richard B. Johnston. The dinner followed the wedding of Captain Johnston and Miss Elicia Caroon, and the reception at the Woman's clubhouse. Covers were laid for 20 at the dining table and some small tables, which were attractively appointed in the bridal motif.

Guests besides the members of the wedding party were Mrs. Ben O'Neal, of Durham, mother of the bride's father, Mr. W. J. Caroon; Mrs. Minnie Hunt, mother of Mrs. A. B. Johnston, and houseguests in the hosts' home here for the wedding, Mrs. Charles Sterling, of Dayton, Ohio; Mrs. Robert Taylor, of Greenville, S. C.; Miss Myrtle Hunt, of Detroit, Mich., sister of the hostess; Mr. C. P. Johnston and daughter, Miss Nancy Johnston, of Winston-Salem.

Mrs. W. C. Grier Gives Bridge Party

A delightful party of the week was given by Mrs. W. C. Grier at her home on E street Friday afternoon entertaining at three tables of bridge. Guests upon arrival were served Coca-Cola and sandwiches. In the bridge game Mrs. Russell G. Hodges and Mrs. S. P. Mitchell scored high and low each receiving attractive awards. Two honor guests at the party were Miss Margie Clements, of Gloucester, Va., houseguest of Miss Lucy Finley, and Mrs. E. D. McRae, of Jacksonville, Florida, who was stopping in the city for a few days with her husband, Mr. McRae is a traveling representative for the Forest Furniture Company.

Mrs. Grier had remembrance gifts for Miss Clements and Mrs. McRae.

Fidelis Class Holds Monthly Meeting

The Fidelis class of the Hinchshaw Street Baptist church, held its monthly meeting on Friday evening at the home of Miss Doshia Myers with Mrs. Howard Meade as co-hostess, having 13 present. Mrs. Leora Miller gave the devotionals and the closing prayer was offered by Mrs. Oma Deal.

During the business session it was reported that 33 visits had been made to the sick. It was announced that the next meeting would be held with Mrs. Deal with Mrs. Clemmie Snow as associate hostess. A social hour and refreshments were enjoyed at the close of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meadows Hosts at Rook Party

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meadows were hosts at a rook party at their home at Pines Knob Tuesday evening as a courtesy to Mr. Meadows' brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. James C. Meadows, of Martinsville, Va., who were spending several days vacation with the Meadowses. Three tables were arranged for play in a colorful setting of cut flowers and at the close of the game Mrs. Meadows served a salad course. The top score prize for the ladies was won by Mrs. J. G. Bentley while among the men Mr. Sam Davis was the winner. The honor guests received a gift from the hosts. The tables were in patriotic designs.

Oakwoods W. M. U. Holds Monthly Meet

"The Isles Shall Wait for His Law" was the theme of the program given at the July meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Oakwoods Baptist church which was held at the home of Mrs. James Canter Friday evening. Mrs. A. T. Jones, the president, presided during the business session, during which time the regular reports were heard. Miss Nora Laws gave the devotionals which was followed by a prayer by Mrs. James Canter. Others taking part were Mrs. Fred Blevins, Mrs. Carl Canter, Mrs. Hazel Stroud, Mrs. Archie Osborne, and Mrs. Arch Anderson.

Special music was given by Miss Florence Miller and Mrs. Carl Canter. During the social hour refreshments were served by the hostess.

Announcement was made of the meeting to be held Wednesday evening, July 19, for discussing the book, "Following in His Training", which will be held at the home of Mrs. Hazel Stroud.

LA HAYE TAKEN BY AMERICANS

Triumphant British and Canadian troops on Sunday captured the river port of Caen only 120 miles from Paris, unhinging the entire German front in Normandy, and trapped a large part of the German garrison north of the city in the biggest Allied victory since the fall of Cherbourg.

The enemy survivors retreated to the south bank of the Orne where they were reported still resisting fiercely early today in the

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Mrs. Emma M. Dockery, late of Wilkes county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to undersigned, whose address is Purlcar, Route 1, N. C., duly verified, on or before the 10th day of June, 1945, or this notice will be plead in bar of their right to recover. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 10th day of June, 1944.
MRS. EMMA FERGUSON,
Administratrix of the estate of
Mrs. Emma M. Dockery, dec'd.
7-17-6t(M)

PRELIMINARY CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION

State of North Carolina, Department of State
To All to Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting:
Whereas, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the Southern Bargain Company of Wilkes, Incorporated, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at Main Street, in the Town of North Wilkesboro, County of Wilkes, State of North Carolina (M. L. Donovan being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 55, General Statutes, entitled "Corporations", preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution;

Now Therefore, I, Thad Eure, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 9th day of May, 1944, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Raleigh, this 9th day of May, A. D., 1944.
THAD EURE,
Secretary of State
7-10-4t

ATTENTION! All Home Canners!

Before you begin your 1944 canning, Good Housekeeping Magazine advises you: use the boiling-water bath method for tomatoes and fruits, only. Can all vegetables—except tomatoes by the correct use of a pressure cooker to be sure of killing botulinus germs. In the last few years, cases of botulinus food poisoning have cropped up in widely different parts of the country. Buy, borrow, share a pressure cooker—don't can low-acid vegetables any other way. If you want further information, write Good Housekeeping Magazine, 959 Eighth Avenue, New York 19, N. Y.

Church Obituary

Homer Thomas Church was born April 12, 1882, departed this life June 24, 1944; age 12 years, two months and 12 days. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Church, of Purlcar.

He is survived by his father and mother, and the following brothers: Dwane Church, of Wilkesboro; Clay, Bruce, Haden, Hadley, Bryant and one sister, Vetra Church, all of Purlcar. One brother preceded him in death. He left a host of friends and relatives to mourn their loss.

He will be missed in his community as a playmate and friend. He is gone from among us, but not forgotten.

May the God of comfort bind up the broken hearts of the family and friends, and we, as a church, pray God's blessings upon them. Homer met his friends with a smile and was loved by all who knew him.

A precious son from us is gone; a voice we loved is still; a place is vacant in our home, which never can be filled.—Contributed.

Last Rites For Mrs. Jordan Held July 3

Funeral services for Mrs. T. C. Jordan, 81, of 47 Hedgesboro road, who died Monday of last week in an Asheville hospital following a brief illness, were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Central Methodist church with the Rev. W. A. Lambeth and the Rev. W. L. Hutchins officiating.

The body lay in state at the church from 1:30 to 2:30 o'clock. Active pallbearers were R. C. Perry, J. E. Shipman, Carl M. Swicegood, C. W. Dasher, R. C. Reeves, Charles Ricker, C. W. Dermid and C. M. Cherry.

Interment took place in Oakdale cemetery, Hendersonville. The Rev. Frank C. Smathers, pastor of the Hendersonville Methodist church, conducted the last rites at the grave.

Mrs. Jordan, the former Miss Henrietta Marfield Engle, was born March 8, 1883, and was married to Thomas Chancy Jordan on June 12, 1901. Her husband, who died in January, 1939, was at one time pastor of the old Bethel Methodist church in Asheville and of the Acton Methodist circuit. He was a member of the Western North Carolina Methodist conference for a number of years.

Mrs. Jordan was active in work in the Methodist church for many years, and had done much training children in missionary work of the Methodist church. She was a member of the Hendersonville Methodist church, but since coming to Asheville about three years ago she had attended Central Methodist church, where she was a member of the Charles Wesley Byrd Bible class and of the Woman's Society of Christian Service. Mrs. Jordan, with her husband, resided in Hendersonville at the time of Mr. Jordan's retirement.

Survivors include a son, T. C. Jordan, Jr., with whom she made her home; a daughter, Mrs. R. R. Arledge, of Hendersonville and Richmond, and a grandson, Thomas Ray Jordan.

Mrs. Jordan was well known in the Wilkesboro, her husband having served the Wilkesboro, Union and Roaring River Methodist church for two years.

Cpl. Dyer Returns

Cpl. York E. Dyer has returned to Camp Gordon Johnston, Fla., after spending a 15-day furlough with his wife, Mrs. York E. Dyer, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dyer, of Purlcar.

J. Roby McNeil
WILKES COUNTY'S
"PERFECT PROTECTION"
REPRESENTATIVE

IS NOW REMODELING HIS OFFICE IN THE BLACKBURN BUILDING AND IS INSTALLING A COMPLETELY MODERN FILE OF INFORMATION ON ALL POLICY HOLDERS IN THIS AREA.

MR. MCNEIL, CONSEQUENTLY, WILL BE BETTER ABLE TO SERVE THE STEADILY GROWING LIST OF PEOPLE WHO ARE BUYING LIFE INSURANCE UNDER THE "PERFECT PROTECTION" PLAN.

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Retonga Is Fine Says A County Employee

Years Of Distress Promptly Relieved, Mr. Flowers Discusses His Case.

Happy and grateful praise for Retonga continue to pour in. And among the latest to come forward with his strong public endorsement of Retonga is Mr. Andrew J. Flowers, widely known County employee residing at 311 Covington St., Florence, S. C. Mr. Flowers is a Mason, a Baptist and Veteran of the Spanish-American War. Speaking of Retonga he happily stated:

"Retonga is unquestionably the finest medicine I have ever taken. For several years I had such severe pains in the muscles all over my body that I was unable to walk up and down steps without extreme suffering. I had very little appetite, I could scarcely ever get a good night's sleep and I felt nervous and miserable practically all the time. Sluggish elimination also gave me considerable trouble. I tried treatments and medicines for years without finding much relief.

"Retonga gave me grand relief.



MR. ANDREW J. FLOWERS

I have a splendid appetite, I sleep lots better, and best of all, those severe pains in my muscles are so relieved that I am now able to move around freely. Even the sluggish elimination is relieved. I feel worlds better generally. Retonga is fine."

Retonga is intended to relieve distress due to Vitamin B-1 deficiency, constipation, insufficient flow of digestive juices in the stomach, and loss of appetite. Accept no substitute. Retonga may be obtained in North Wilkesboro at Horton's Drug Store.—Adv.