

Azzie Wagner's

Social Whirl

95 Year Retirement Party

Employees of Reynolds Health Center got on down and "party(ed)" the past Wednesday as they honored five (5) persons who had given a total of 95 years combined service to the medical related profession. Mr. Frank Dulin was the keynote speaker. Dulin, Associate Administrator at Reynolds Health Center, talked about the numerous years that each employee had rendered in his department during his time of service. Each person retiring received a plaque and a \$15.00 (fifteen dollar) gift certificate - compliments of the employees and staff of the center.

Mrs. Velma Hopkins, manager of the Health Center Cafeteria, donated a luscious menu of Wings 'n things, potato salad, assorted melon balls, sliced melon, and punch. Approximately 75 employees and staff congratulated Mrs. Ruby M. Bell (25 years) Mrs. Dorothy J. Mills (30 yrs.), Mr. Benjamin Blackshears (7 yrs. Reynolds) Mr. James P. Keen (23 years) and Mr. Robert Van Hoy (9 years).

Mrs. Bell joined the Reynolds Staff in Sept. of 1951 and worked in the capacity as Medical Records Librarian; Mrs. Mills became a part of the staff in July of 1946 in the clinical lab as a medical technologist; Mr. Benjamin Blackshears joined the ranks in October of 1968 in the housekeeping division; Mr. James Keen, in April of 1953 was hired in the medical services collection dept. at the time of his retirement, he was patient relations representative; Mr. Robert Van Hoy in Jan. of 1967 was employed in the painting department.

Some well-wishing staff members were: Mesdames Aretha Broadway, Jean Mosby, Annie Alexander, Maggie Cramer (WIC) Dorothy Gatewood, (Medical records librarian). Also there was Mrs. Hazel Scott (and Mr. "Nate" Rumph of the Sickle Cell division, as was Terry Roberts, Doris Graham, Betty Snow, Riley Peterson. Vanessa Crawford, Carolyn Maransville, Doris McCorkle, Willie Mae Smith and Chris Stinson. Tipping away from the business office was Mrs. Olivia Thompkins. From the purchasing department was Rainey Mitchell and from housekeeping came Patsy Woods. Mr. Alonzo Reid from family planning.

The chairperson of the Entertainment Committee was Mrs. Betty A. Alexander who did a dynamic job of co-ordinating and organizing the affair. The affair and food was thoroughly enjoyed by those attending.

Irwin - Osborne

Miss Vickie Osborne became the wife of Nicholas Edward Irwin of Elon College at 2 p.m. Saturday in First Baptist Church. The Rev. Michael Sepaugh was officiating minister.

Mr. Irwin graduated from Central Piedmont Community College in Charlotte. She is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Mack Osborne.

Irwin is a graduate of N.C. State University and is employed by a division of Burlington Industries. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. U. Irwin.

Mrs. Robert Andrews was her sister's honor attendant. Other attendants were Mesdames Kenneth Byrd, Jane Irwin, Claudia Busic, Leigh Edmunds, and Debbie Bridges.

Ushers were Jimmy Osborne, David Fortune, Terry Greene, Ron Laughlin, Tom Smith, Roger Edwards, and Ronald Edwards. A reception followed the ceremony.

A Carousel of Fun

A "living carousel" was just what the youngsters of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Garner of Baltimore, Md. got as they joined their cousins, the Guy Barrimores of Winston-Salem.

Tanya, Shenee' and Rodney were treated to a Saturday afternoon and evening of frolic as they were taken by their older cousin (age 18) Mary on a whirlwind tour of the Dixie Classic Fair. They rode practically every ride at the fair, ate "tons" of cotton candy, drank "gallons" of soda pop and still found time to laugh at the amusing antics of many a sideshow. Mr. & Mrs. Garner enjoyed the shopping at Hanes Mall, and as a wrap-up for the evening, toured many local nite-spots. The couple was in town for a week-end and luckily, there was never a dull moment.

Wells - Lawson

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan H. Wells are proud to announce that their daughter Sandra Anisa, was recently engaged to Mr. Barry Vincent Lawson. A December 25th wedding has been planned. Miss Wells is a graduate of Coppin State College where she majored in Special Education. She is employed in her field in the Baltimore City Schools. Lawson, a graduate of Reynolds Sr. High School and Winston-Salem State, is employed by B.H. Landville Agency of the city.

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The First Presbyterian Church of Charlotte stands on the site of the first church built in North Carolina's largest city, and one that is known as a city of churches, having some 400. The original church was built in 1823 on an entire city block. It served all denominations although Presbyterians predominated. Its spire, rising above West Trade Street in the business district of the city, stood out above all else until modern skyscrapers were constructed nearby. The McAden memorial window, a copy of Sir Edward Burne-Jones' painting "Hope," won an award at the Chicago Fair of 1894.

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