

Society

BRIDE-ELECT

home of Mrs. J. W. Ruark honoring Miss Elizabeth Watson whose wedding will take place on Saturday.

Bridge was played with Mrs. E. J. Prevatte winning the high score prize, a set of perfume and powder. Mrs. Harold St. George was second high and she received a bud vase. Mrs. Prince O'Brien binged to receive a set of sachets.

After delicious refreshments of fruit salad, sandwiches and Coca-Cola were served, Miss Watson was taken into the dining room where a kitchen shower was prepared. She received a number of attractive and useful gifts, most of them following her color scheme of red and white.

Those present were: Mesdames J. E. Carr, Harold St. George, Fred Willing, Prince O'Brien, E. J. Prevatte, George Y. Watson, G. E. Hubbard, Fred Ashburn, Robert Thompson, I. B. Bussells, J. W. Ruark, James Harper, and Miss Zipporah Rice.

CIRCLE NO. 1

Members of Circle No. 1 met at the home of Mrs. Laney Southerland on Monday evening, December 7, with Mrs. Roy Daniels, leader, presiding over the meeting. Mrs. L. Sellers led the devotional and Mrs. Carlton Price presented the program.

As each member arrived she was requested to write her name on a slip of paper and place in a box of Christmas gifts, and at the close of the meeting names were drawn and each one present received a gift.

After singing Christmas Carols the meeting was turned into a Christmas party. The rooms were attractively arranged with Christmas decorations, and a jumbled word contest in keeping with Christmas, was enjoyed, the prize being awarded to Mrs. Lindsey Robbins. The most interesting and enjoyable feature of interest during the evening was the "Black-out" contest, each person being given a hat of different style and type, and as all lights were turned out the hats were donned in the dark. As the lights were turned on again the appearance of each person was very much changed and many comical scenes were in view. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Carlton Price and Mrs. John F. Potter in this contest. The hostess served delicious ginger bread with whipped cream as refreshments to the following members present: Mrs. C. W. Osborne, Mrs. M. C. Spencer, Mrs. L. Sellers, Mrs. J. L. Robbins, Mrs. Sam Rees, Mrs. Ethel Fullwood, Mrs. Amelia Swain, Mrs. Harrison Creech, Mrs. Louis Creech, Mrs. Maude Phelps, Mrs. Carlton Price, Mrs. Connie Lupton, Mrs. John F. Potter, Mrs. John F. Potter, Mrs. B. P. Finch, Mrs. Fred Smith, Mrs. Lee Hewett, Mrs. Olive Carrawan and Mrs. Laney Southerland.

CIRCLE NO. 2

Members of Circle No. 2 met at the home of Mrs. Geo. Whatley on Monday evening, December 7. In the absence of the leader, Mrs. L. W. Clemmons, Mrs. E. H. Smith presided over the meeting. Mrs. A. L. Brown led the devotional and Mrs. Whatley presented the program.

At the conclusion of the program there was a business session held, at which time Mrs. Geo. Whatley was appointed leader of the circle for the coming year. Other plans were made for work during the coming year. After adjournment of the business session the members enjoyed a social hour together. Mrs. Whatley served cake with whipped cream and Russian tea as refreshment to the following members present: Mrs. Lee Hewett, Mrs. Earl Westcott, Mrs. Dave Spencer, Mrs. Annie Goodwin, Mrs. Lizzie Southerland, Mrs. Lizzie Johnson, Mrs. D. F. Danford, Mrs. Joe Spencer, Mrs. Clifton Arnold, Mrs. J. S. Oliver, Mrs. E. H. Smith, Miss Louise Watson, Mrs. A. L. Brown, Mrs. Geo. Whatley.

CIRCLE NO. 3

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WEDDING SATURDAY



BRIDE—Miss Elizabeth Louise Watson, whose marriage to Mr. John Henry Griffin, of Georgetown, S. C., will be solemnized in Trinity Methodist Church Saturday evening at 6 o'clock.

BAPTIST BANQUET

Members of Circles No. 1, No. 2 and No. 3 of Southport Baptist church met together on Tuesday evening, December 8, in the Church Annex for their annual banquet.

A report of work done during the past year was read by the leader of each circle, after which announcement was made of work planned for the coming year, and the following were appointed circle leaders for 1943:

Circle No. 1, Mrs. Lee Hewett; Circle No. 2, Mrs. Geo. Whatley; Circle No. 3, Mrs. Thompson McRackan.

Mrs. Ruth Gay was appointed president of the Woman's Missionary Society to succeed Mrs. Thompson McRackan.

Mrs. A. L. Brown presented to Mrs. McRackan a gift of appreciation from members of the three circles for the loyal and faithful service rendered by her as president of the society during the past year.

Rev. A. L. Brown was the speaker for the evening and made a very inspiring talk on the "Great Importance of Woman's Work in the Church." He commended very highly the great work accomplished by the circle members during the past year of success. At the conclusion of his talk a delicious turkey dinner was served. There were about 75 present.

Miss Ann McRackan, Bettie Oliver and Dolores Hewett assisted in serving the dinner.

French West Africa is three-fifths as large as the United States.

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DOWLING-EVANS

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Evans, of Bolivia, announce the marriage of their daughter, Marie, on December 5th to Lieutenant Jay Van Tassel Dowling of Salt Lake City, Utah, now stationed at Camp Steward, Georgia. The couple will make their home in Savannah, Georgia, for the time.

Personals

C. J. Williamson, of Camp Davis, spent the week-end here with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Simmons spent last week with relatives in Georgia.

Mrs. K. G. Butler visited relatives in Wilmington last week.

David Watson has returned to duty with the U. S. Navy at Norfolk.

Harold Aldridge has returned home to spend the holidays with his parents.

Mrs. C. C. Cannon has returned home from Charleston where she was called last week on account of the death of her brother.

Mrs. Howard Watts and daughter, Nancy, left last week for Baltimore, Md., to spend the winter with her daughter, Annie Margaret Watts, who holds a government position there.

Huntin' 'N Fishin'

By JOEL MOORE, Jr.

If this weather Monday isn't cold enough for ducks, lets hope we don't have any duck weather. There are a good many ducks being killed now considering the scarcity of gas and ammunition.

Still throughout the county coon hunters are giving good reports. Coon hunting seems to be a more popular sport this year than it has been in the past few seasons.

We have heard some of the sportsmen say that they have seen some wild turkey, and a few turkeys have been killed this season.

The squirrel hunters are doing better now than they were at the beginning of the season. Still that is nothing to boast about. Squirrel hunters are slowed up, not only because of the lack of ammunition, but also because there are very few squirrels to hunt this season.

Some of the quail hunters have disagreed about the abundance of quail this season. Most everywhere you go you can kick up a covey, that is if you are not hunting them.

The scarcity of gasoline, tires,

and ammunition have caused quite a few sportsmen to slow up on this hunting.

Last week we found a VICTORY hunter in the barbershop. He claimed that he used to kill quail with stones. Don't take that too seriously though.

Will Present Play Over Again

Despite bad weather on Friday evening, December 11, the senior class play, "Sara Sees It through"

was presented in the Bolivia high school auditorium before a large and appreciative audience. The cast has received much praise for its very excellent performance and for the stage scenery, designed by their sponsor, Mrs. Glenn Tucker, and made by various members of the class.

Because many have expressed a desire to see the play a second time, and because many could not attend last Friday evening, the seniors have decided to present the play a second time, the date of which has been set for Friday, January 15. Everyone is invited to attend at that time.

★ Christmas ★

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