

# Highlands Highlights

MRS. H. G. STORY

## MRS. CORBETT HOSTESS TO HIGHLANDS W. M. U.

Mrs. John C. Corbett was hostess to the Woman's Missionary union at the March meeting, held last Tuesday at the Baptist parsonage. The program topic was "Missions in Cuba".

## MRS. POTTS ENTERTAINS WITH BRIDGE LUNCHEON

Mrs. Frank H. Potts entertained her card club on Wednesday of last week with a luncheon at the Highlander and a three table game at the Potts home. Miss Sara Gilder won high score prize, Mrs. W. H. Cobb the Bingo prize, and the guest prize went to Mrs. D. B. Wentzel.

## Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Harold N. Coolidge, of Atlanta, have been spending several days here at their summer place on Whiteside mountain.

Miss Rebecca Nall has returned to her home in Shortoff, after spending the winter in Atlanta with her cousin, Miss Laura Hammond.

Mrs. A. D. H. Little, of Thomasville, Ga., is spending several days at her town house here en route to Washington, D. C., where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Seymour Etkins, and Mrs. Roy Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Misener have returned to their home in Horse Cove, after spending the winter in Hollywood, Fla., with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bosworth. On their way back to Highlands, Mr. and Mrs. Misener stopped over in Charlotte for a week with another daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolf Hertzberg, of New Orleans, La., have announced the birth of a son, Tatham Eskridge Hertzberg, March 4. Mrs. Hertzberg is the former Miss Winifred Eskridge, of Highlands and New Orleans. Mrs. Shorter Rankin has returned to "Buckhorn Gap", her

home on Satulah mountain, following a several weeks' stay in Atlanta.

Going down to Atlanta Tuesday of last week for the military funeral of Corporal Jay Henderson were Mrs. Sam Baty, Mrs. Joseph W. Reese, Jr., and her brother, W. P. Pierson. Corporal Henderson died March 6 in Warrington, England. He was the son of Mrs. Pauline Henderson, registered nurse, who has many friends in Highlands.

Mrs. H. P. P. Thompson left Monday for a short visit in Clyde with her daughter, Mrs. W. T. Medlin, Jr., and family. From there Mrs. Thompson will go on to Statesville, where she will be joined by her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. McNeely, and small daughter for a ten-day visit with Mrs. D. E. McNamee and family in Miami, Fla. Mrs. McNamee is the former Miss Sarah Thompson.

An invitation from the bishop of upper South Carolina to attend the ordination to the priesthood of the Rev. Jack Wallace Cole, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church in Pendleton, S. C., April 2, has been received by Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Davis, of Highlands.

Mayor and Mrs. W. H. Cobb had as their week-end guests their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Chalker, of Greenville, S. C., Miss Mary Louise Abbott, student at Winthrop college, and Prof. Joe Young, of Clemson college.

Mr. and Mrs. George Saussy, of Columbia, S. C., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. John H. C. Perry at "Perrywinkle", their home on the Franklin road.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Moore have returned to their home in Highlands after spending nine months in Palm Beach and Miami, Fla.

Highlands friends will be interested to know that Mrs. Martha Brown Edmondson and her sister, Mrs. J. H. Sawyer, sailed for Europe March 21, aboard the S.S. Queen Elizabeth. They will tour France, Italy, Switzerland, Germany, Belgium, Holland and England, and will return to the U. S. in May.

# MASONS, O. E. S. OFFER AWARDS

## Gold Medals To Be Given For 'Best Citizens Of High School'

The Highlands Blue Ridge Masonic lodge and the Highlands Chapter Order of the Eastern Star have announced two gold medal citizenship awards, one for boys and one for girls, in Highlands school, the awards to cover the four years of high school.

The qualities on which the student will be judged, the announcement said, will be honesty, integrity, courtesy, public conduct, initiative, industry, friendliness, cooperation, cheerfulness, use of good English, and "clean in thought, word and deed".

## Mrs. Holt's Kin Wins Honors On West Coast

Miss Myrna Holt, of East Nicholas, Calif., granddaughter of Mrs. Fannie Holt, of Highlands, has received a number of school honors, it has been learned here. Miss Holt is president of her class, and was voted the girl with the best personality in the class. She is a leader of the girls' league at school, member of the California Scholarship Federation, on the junior class executive committee, president of the Phi Beta Theta Rho girls' club and the first student ever to be elected president of the club for two terms.

## Highlands Rotary Club Paid Visit By District Head

The Rev. Malcolm R. Williamson, of Waynesville, district governor of the 280th district of Rotary International, made his annual visit to the Highlands Rotary club Tuesday.

A club assembly was called by him at 12 noon, followed by the weekly luncheon at the Highlander cafe, where he was the guest speaker.

## Rites For Mother Of Dr. Mitchell Conducted In S. C.

Funeral services for Mrs. Sallie Cobb Mitchell, mother of Dr. C. E. Mitchell, of Highlands, were held in Westminster, S. C., Wednesday afternoon of last week.

She was the widow of F. E. Mitchell, and was in her seventy-first year. Death followed a few hours' illness.

In addition to Dr. Mitchell, survivors include two sons, Frank Mitchell, Westminster druggist, Lee Mitchell, of Greenville, S. C., and three sisters. Among those going down for the funeral were O. F. Summer and W. S. Davis.

Release of a superior new snapbean variety named Wade has been announced by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. It has been widely tested by USDA in cooperation with agricultural experiment stations of the Southern states and with commercial producers and seedmen.

## Plan Class For Those About To Join Church

A class for children and young people who either are planning to join the church or wish to renew their vows to the church will be held by the Rev. Robert E. Early, Highlands Methodist pastor, at the parsonage today (Thursday) at 3:30 p. m., Mr. Early has announced.

## Lucas Named Governor Of This Rotary District

John Paul Lucas, Jr., of Charlotte, has been chosen in a mail ballot as governor of the 280th district of Rotary International, according to word received by Presidents John H. C. Perry and Norman Blaine, of the Highlands and Franklin clubs, respectively. The result of the mail ballot must be confirmed at the international convention. Both Franklin and Highlands clubs plan to send a number of delegates to the district conference at Shelby April 17-19.

## New Officers Of Women Of Church Are Installed

Newly elected officers of the Women of the Highlands Presbyterian church were installed at the March meeting, held at the home of Mrs. C. E. Mitchell, Miss Dorothea Harbison was installing officer.

The new officers are Mrs. Sidney McCarty, Jr., president; Mrs. O. F. Summer, vice-president; Mrs. L. G. Misener, secretary, Mrs. W. H. Cobb treasurer, and Mrs. Lewis Rice, Sr., historian.

Committee chairmen are: spiritual growth, Miss Dorothea Harbison; world missions, Miss Kathryn Baker; church extension, Mrs. Sidney Carter; Christian education, Mrs. Tommy Hunt, Jr.; annuities and relief, Mrs. O. F. Summer; stewardship, Mrs. Elliot Caziare; assembly special causes, Mrs. C. J. Anderson.

## Wide Variety Of Hobbies Displayed At P. T. A. Meet

An unusual event of keen interest to many persons was the "Hobby Show" staged by the P. T. A. in the school lunch room in connection with its March meeting.

Mrs. Tom Harbison, chairman of the program committee, said that 10 reasons were listed for putting on the hobby show, chief among them being that "hobbies which are encouraged in children now may have a bearing on the livelihood of future citizens, and will tend to raise to above the average the tone of our town as a whole". Others on Mrs. Harbison's committee are Mrs. Robert E. Early, Mrs. Tudor N. Hall, and Mrs. Pearl Corbin. Mrs. Louis Edwards, although not a member of this committee, received grateful thanks from the chairman for assisting in gathering up the exhibits. All exhibitors also received the thanks of the chairman for their part in making the show a success.

Church decorating for all occasions, and especially for weddings, being Mrs. Louis Edwards' hobby, she reproduced in miniature Angela Anderson's wedding, complete with the entire wedding party, using a replica of the interior of the church made for her by Mr. Edwards, whose hobby is woodwork.

The collecting of rocks, minerals and old books is Mrs. Tom Harbison's hobby. A 219-year-old book printed in London, England, was among her collection. Mr. Harbison displayed a collection of pipes, among them a Chinese bamboo pipe. Miss Dorothea Harbison had on display a collection of rare coins.

Mrs. O. F. Summer's pitcher collection included a pitcher given as a wedding present to her parents by the late M. D. Billings, one-time Macon County superintendent of schools. The collecting of medicine bottles was Mary Summer's hobby exhibit.

The exhibits of Charles J. Anderson, Miss Peggy Potts and Miss Ann Rideout were old coins and currency. In Mr. Anderson's collection was an old German bill, worthless now, but in 1923 worth \$11,000 in American money. In Mrs. Anderson's collection was a blue-bordered plate of English design, more than 200 years old.

A flower lover and grower, Mrs. C. E. Mitchell presented as her hobby an array of African violets. Margaret Ann Mitchell's hobby was a collection of glass and china slippers. Mr. and Mrs. Sidney McCarty had

on display silver fox furs from their former fox farm operations.

In John Tucker Hall's boat collection was a boat made by his grandfather, the late T. T. Hall, more than 60 years ago. The hobby of Sid Carter, former highway patrolman, is the collecting of guns; among those on display was a particularly prized gun with a stock carved by himself. The hobbies of Tudor N. Hall and Dr. J. M. Valentine were Kodachrome slides which they showed after the business meeting.

In the arts and crafts hobbies were Willard Crisp's hand-carved violin, door chimes, and a picture he had taken with his home-made camera, enlarged with his own home-made enlarging outfit and framed with a hand-made frame. Riley Johnson's interesting hobby included a hand-carved floating drydock, and a hand-carved pistol.

The hobby of Barbara James was her life-like pencil sketches and paintings. The hobby of her brother, Tom James, was woodcarving of small animals. Ann Harbison's hobby was airplane models. Myrtle Talley's hobby is woodwork; in her display were an ironing board and a coffee table. The papercraft hobby of Mrs. Robert Reese, another Highlands flower grower, is the making of paper flowers. Mrs. Charlie Johnson displayed her handmade dolls. In the needlecraft department, Mrs. Arnold Nelson's hobby was embroidered boudoir pillow tops; Mrs. Dewey Hopper, luncheon sets in crochet; Mrs. Lou Crunkleton, sa crocheted tablecloth. Mrs. Paul Walden's hobby also was crochet; in her display were baby clothes, dolls and a crocheted bedspread. The hobby displayed by Mrs. J. M. Valentine was Brownie Scout craft and leather craft. Anne Stevens' hobby was leather craft and a homemade radio.

Mrs. J. M. Valentine, P. T. A. president, presided at the business meeting, when a nominating committee was elected to present at the April meeting a slate of officers for the next school year. This committee is composed of Mrs. Tom Harbison, Mrs. Sidney McCarty and Miss Ethel Calloway.

Hostesses at the March meeting were Mrs. Dewey Hopper, Mrs. "Rink" Baty, Mrs. Arthur Rogers, and Mrs. J. D. Burnette. The refreshment table was centered with an arrangement of gladioli and statice, the gift of Mrs. M. M. Hopper.

# Holy Week Services Planned By 4 Churches In Highlands Next Week

Following a custom of three years, the Protestant churches of Highlands this year again will unite for community Holy Week services.

Under the rotation program, the Methodists this year will play host to the services, with the Baptists selecting the preacher, and it has been announced that the Rev. W. N. Cook, of Franklin, retired Baptist minister, will be the guest speaker this year.

The services will be held each evening at 7:30 o'clock, Monday, April 7, through Friday, April 11. Musicians of all

Highlands churches are being asked to join in the musical programs.

In the three past years, the services were held, successively, in the old school auditorium and the Episcopal and Baptist churches, the preachers having been chosen by Episcopal, Methodist and Presbyterian groups.

Although the sanctuary of the Methodist church, still under construction, will not be completely finished, furnished, or lighted, the pastor, the Rev. Robert E. Early, said it will be quite comfortable.

## ATTENTION Highlands Township Republicans!

There will be a meeting of the party in the courthouse at Franklin April 1, 1952, time 7:30 p. m., to elect county officers.

Hugh Monteith, of Sylva, candidate for Congress, will be there as speaker.

To those who have been notified that this meeting was to be held March 28, please notice the change in date.

To those who do not have transportation: Come to Talley's Service Station by 7 p. m., April 1. Cars will be waiting there to make the trip.

H. S. TALLEY, Precinct Chairman.

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