

### Society and Personals of the Sandhills

#### Dancing Instruction For Children Starts at Highland Pines Inn

Over twenty children assembled in Highland Pines Inn ballroom Friday afternoon, Dec. 6, for introductory dancing instruction by Mrs. D. A. Sutherland, certified Arthur Murray teacher. They were divided into classes, the younger children receiving instruction from three to four o'clock, and the older group, from four to five.

The course of ten lessons is sponsored by the Moore County Historical Association, and the entire proceeds, through the courtesy of Mrs. Sutherland and the Highland Pines Inn management, will go to the Historical Society. Children will continue to be accepted for dancing classes through Friday, Dec. 13.

#### Entertain at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Atherton entertained at dinner Saturday evening in their Bethesda Road home. Star shaped candles of pastel shades lighted the dinner table which was decorated with evergreens.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carter, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sherman, Mrs. J. Elmer Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Matthews.

#### Civic Club Plans

Interesting plans for improvement of their club building were discussed and voted upon at the December meeting of the Civic Club last Monday afternoon. Mrs. L. D. McDonald, president, presided at the directors' business session at two-thirty and at the general meeting at three o'clock. She announced that an anonymous gift of \$200.00 had been made to the club. Building renovation will include the sanding and refinishing of floors suitably for dancing and parties; Venetian blinds and new shades for all

lights in the auditorium; and redecoration of the entrance halls. The Teen Age Club, which has had the use of the building for several months, was highly commended on their volunteer work in painting the walls of the directors' room and auditorium with paint furnished by the Chamber of Commerce.

John S. Ruggles, president of the Chamber of Commerce, was guest speaker for the afternoon meeting. He included in his talk an explanation of the Liability Insurance Policy taken out by the Chamber of Commerce for protection of that group in their use of the building and for the Civic Club. A new oil heating system has been installed by the joint contribution of the Chamber and Civic Clubs.

Mrs. N. L. Hodgkins, program chairman, reported that, with members' approval, the Duke Glee Club can be obtained for a March concert.

Civic Club memberships are open to both men and women, and are under the chairmanship of Mrs. Cecil Robinson.

#### Will Present Pageant

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Brownson Memorial Presbyterian Church will be held in the church Monday night at eight o'clock with the president, Mrs. R. P. Brown, presiding. The Joy Gift offering will be taken. Mrs. W. C. Hilderman, secretary of Christian Education and Ministerial Relief, assisted by Mrs. Joe C. Thomas will present a Christmas pageant, "On Earth, Peace."

A social hour will follow the program.

#### Mrs. Chappell Hostess

On last Monday evening Mrs. Fred Chappell was hostess to twenty-three members of the Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist Church at her home on Ridge Street. Mrs. Leon Talton gave the devotional in which she presented an original Christmas poem. After a short business

session an exchange of gifts was made in which were revealed the "secret friends" of the past year.

The Chappell home was attractively arranged with Christmas greens and colors. After the program the hostess served lunch with plates daintily decorated in keeping with the holiday season.

#### Leaves for California

Mrs. Verdie T. Wiley, Mrs. J. J. Spring and Mrs. E. Levis Prizer entertained at bridge Monday night in Mrs. Prizer's home, for Mrs. O. A. Dickinson and her sister, Mrs. Frank Wells. Mrs. Wells, who has been visiting Col. and Mrs. Dickinson at their Valley Road, residence for the past two months, left Wednesday to return to her home in San Diego, Calif.

#### Surprise Party

Delores Merrill was honored by a surprise party on her fourteenth birthday, at Caddell's Villa on North Broad Street where her friends gather each afternoon for riding and playing games. Bobby Fry and Mrs. Caddell prepared the table with birthday cake, ice cream, punch and cookies. The crowd sang Happy Birthday to Delores which surprised and pleased her. She received many nice gifts.

Delores is the daughter of Mrs. Earle Merrill and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moore.

#### Bridge Honors Two

On Thursday afternoon of last week Mrs. Paul P. Pelton, Broad Street, entertained at a dessert bridge in honor of Mrs. William E. Murchie of Warsaw, Ind., and Mrs. A. B. Williams of Nahant, Mass. Three tables were in play during the afternoon, and prizes were received by Mrs. Murchie, Mrs. H. A. Gould and Mrs. Frank B. Pottle. Mrs. Williams has leased Miss Susan Cutts' house on Orchard Road for the season, and Mrs. Murchie is spending the winter at the home of her cousin, H. A. Gage on Country Club drive.

#### Christmas Party

A Christmas party was given Tuesday afternoon of last week by Mrs. J. N. Steed at her Ridge Street home, for members of Circle Three of Brownson Memorial Church. Sixteen guests were present, and Bible Study was led by Mrs. Howard Butler. A holiday atmosphere with Christmas tree and room decorations, the singing of carols, and a gift exchange was enjoyed by the guests. Christmas vocal solos were given by Mrs. Harold Collins, circle chairman, and Mrs. Steed, with piano accompaniment by Miss Hilda Edwards. A buffet tea was served.

#### Open House

Twenty guests enjoyed an informal evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Reese, May Street, when they, Mr. and Mrs. James Kerrigan and B. C. Doyle entertained at an open house last Saturday night.

#### Bridge Tea

The first in a series of bridge teas throughout the winter season was held by the Thistle Club last Saturday afternoon at the Country Club. Forty members and their guests played, and at the conclusion of the game prizes for high scores were received by Mrs. W. D. Howard, Mrs. J. Watson Neal, Mrs. Thomas Barron, Mrs. Arthur Clark, Mrs. Virgil Johnston, Mrs. George M. Case, Mrs. Arthur Eakins, Miss Ursula Grosvenor, Mrs. Joseph deBerry and Mrs. L. T. Sutherland. Mrs. L. D. McDonald, president, presided at a short business meeting preceding the game, and tea was served in the late afternoon with Mrs. C. L. Worsham and Mrs. George Thompson pouring.

#### Mary Ann Downing

Mr. and Mrs. Jay H. Downing of Littleton, N. H., announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Ann, on Tuesday, Dec. 3. Mrs. Downing is the former Mary Grey of Southern Pines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Grey.

James Weaver, director of athletics at Wake Forest College, was the guest of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Weaver, Wednesday of last week. Mr. Weaver was principal speaker at the football team dinner at the Country Club.

#### Bridge Club Hostess

Mrs. Currie L. Smith will be hostess to the Even Dozen bridge club Friday evening, Dec. 13, in her home on West Illinois Avenue. Two new members have been added to the club, Mrs. Earle Merrill and Mrs. W. D. Howard.

#### Baptist Church Notes

ADELAIDE KING BIBLE CLASS will meet Friday evening, Dec. 13, at eight o'clock in the home of Mrs. C. C. Kennedy, Midland Road.

WILLING WORKERS CIRCLE of the W. M. S. will meet with Mrs. Currie Smith on West Illinois Avenue Avenue Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 17, at three o'clock.

DOROTHY RICHARDSON WONDERLY CIRCLE will meet Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 17, at three o'clock in the home of Mrs. W. E. Kivette, Ashe Street.

CHOIR PRACTICE every Wednesday evening at eight o'clock in the church.

#### Family Dinner

A family dinner at the Park View Hotel in the early afternoon was an important part of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hayes' fiftieth anniversary celebration last Saturday. Their guests were Mrs. Edna Carter Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Lennox Forsyth, Mrs. Millard Clark, all of Southern Pines; a daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. William Matchett and Mary Dell of Milwaukee, Wis.; and grandchildren, Sarah Katherine Hayes of Raleigh, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hayes of Chapel Hill, Capt. and Mrs. George Richardson and Miss Jeanne Sadler.

#### Karen Susette Nay

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nay of Aberdeen announce the birth of their second daughter, Karen Susette, at Moore County Hospital on Friday, Nov. 29. Their first child, Judith, is five years old.

#### Class Officer

Miss Jane Todd McCain, daughter of Mrs. P. P. McCain, and the late Dr. McCain, of Sanatorium, has been elected vice-president of the freshman class at Agnes Scott College in Decatur, Ga. Miss McCain was the senior class valedictorian of Southern Pines High School, where she was also awarded the American Legion Citizenship medal.

#### Baptist Reception

The congregation of the Baptist Church presented their new pastor, J. Lamar Jackson, and family, Mrs. Jackson and Mary Helen, at an informal reception in the church social hall last Friday evening between eight and ten o'clock. W. E. Kivette, superintendent of the Sunday School, headed the receiving line of the officers of the church, and Miss Mary Richardson presided at the coffee service. Guests included residents from Southern Pines and Aberdeen.

The chairman of the Board of Deacons, S. B. Richardson, gave the address of welcome in which he also paid tribute to Carl Bjork who had been supply pastor for the past 2 1/2 months, and to the ministers of fellow churches in Southern Pines. Miss Elinor Valentine read "The Gift of the Magi" by O. Henry, and Miss Jean Olive sang several vocal selections.

#### At Pine Needles

The mid-winter meeting of the Carolina Master Printer's Association was held at Pine Needles Dec. 6-8. At the business meeting on Saturday morning James Brackett of Washington, D. C., general manager of the Printing Industry of America, gave an address on planning printing for the future.

On Saturday evening there was a banquet for the members and their guests. After the banquet they were entertained by Art Thompson of Charlotte, magician, dances and comedy skits, and a Gay Nineties Revue. Bill Mitchell of Charlotte was master of ceremonies.

Mrs. Edward T. Cockeroff has returned to Pine Needles after a visit to her son and his family in Charlottesville, Va.

Recent arrivals include W. Alex Snead, Rockingham, and Hilton Smith of Raleigh; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Delle Donne, Wilmington, Del.; and Mr. and Mrs. Borné T. Johnson, Brooklyn, N. Y.

#### Hollywood Hotel

Miss Elinor Valentine entertained for four at the Hollywood for Sunday dinner. Her guests were Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Kennedy and son, Carlton, Jr., and Mrs. Virgil J. Lee.

Mrs. Arthur Ramsey entertained Mrs. Paul Barnum for lunch.

Arrivals at the Hollywood include Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Oakes, Middletown, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander, Rochester, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ramsey, Toronto, Can.; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark, Columbia, S. C.; Mrs. June Jones, Reno, Nev.; Paul McKnight and daughter, Miss Harriet McKnight, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. William F. Law, Yarmouthport, Mass.; Mrs. A. W. Comstock, Ivoryton, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. Howell G. Lord, Summit, and John Ormiston and sister, Mrs. W. Fisk, Newfoundland, N. J.

#### Personals

Mrs. Jane H. Towne has returned to her home on Morganton Road after a summer's visit in Illinois.

Mrs. H. A. Lewis and her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. M. Higgins, left last week for Safety Harbor, Fla., to join Mr. Lewis. They will remain for several weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Ruth M. Rockwell has returned from a summer's vacation in Thomaston, Me. Her daughter, Miss Marianna Rockwell, is technician at Moore County Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph K. Trix have returned from Lake Placid and New York City and have reopened their home on Highland Road.

Mrs. W. H. Barnum has returned to New York City after a visit with her daughter, Miss Harriet Barnum.

W. E. Flynn and his sister, Miss Annie Flynn have arrived to spend the winter in Southern Pines.

Miss Millie Montesanti left Monday of last week for a vacation at Miami Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Atherton and son, David, of Aberdeen spent the Thanksgiving holiday in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Eva Owen has returned from Eastport, Me. and will spend the winter season at the Park View Hotel.

Mrs. Lillian Miles spent last week visiting relatives in Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Faw left Tuesday for Charlotte where they are visiting Miss Jane Isenhour.

Sarah Harriss of Salisbury, guest at Skyline Thanksgiving week, and Jeanne Overton enjoyed taking part in the hunts of Moore County Hounds last Thursday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kraffert have returned from Titusville, Pa., and are at their home on Highland Road.

Mrs. Angelo Montesanti was the guest of her daughter, Miss Theresa, for ten days before Miss Montesanti returned to Southern Pines.

Mrs. Alfred Barto has returned to her home in Philadelphia after a ten day visit with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gordon-Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. Daryl Parshall have returned to their home on Morganton Road after spending the summer at Amenia, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Henne of Titusville will reopen their home on Highland Road for a short time.

Mrs. George M. Judkins of Boston, Mass., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. William White, and Mr. White this week.

Hugh Sicard has returned from Edgartown, Mass., and will be at his home on Youngs Road for the winter.

Mrs. Katherine N. McColl had as her guests on Thanksgiving day and through the weekend her daughters Miss Nancy McColl of Salem College, Winston-Salem, and Mrs. Charles Lynch of Bennettsville, S. C., and Mr. Lynch.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed recently were Miss Jane Wade and Mrs. Reed's brother, Rutledge H. Deas, Jr., of Washington, D. C.

Maj. and Mrs. William D. Campbell and daughter, Margot, have moved from Windlock on Highland Road to their newly remodeled home that they purchased from Mr. and Mrs. Jackson H. Boyd.

Miss Frances Campbell returned Sunday of last week from a visit with friends and relatives in Chester and Philadelphia, Pa.

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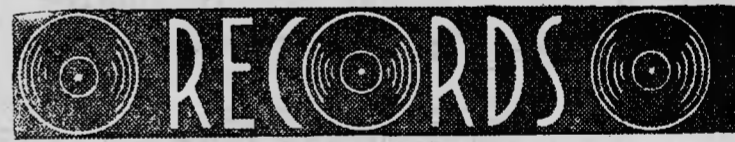
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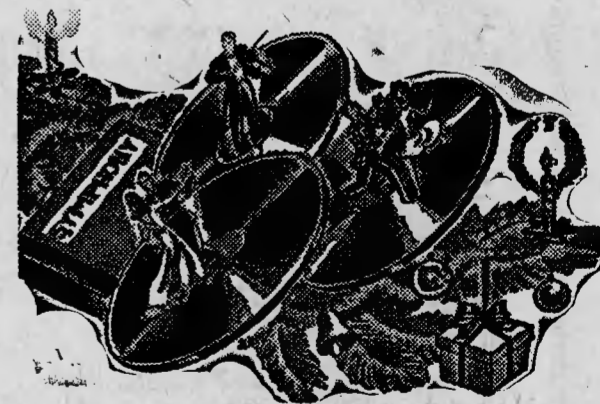
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Miss Margaret Cameron and Miss Margaret Woodson of Raleigh were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert N. Cameron last week-end. Miss Betty Johnston returned from Queens College, Charlotte, to spend last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Johnston.

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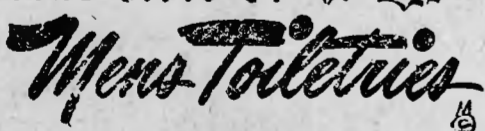
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