

## Local and Personal Items

Mrs. J. T. McGehee and daughters, Nida and Fannie, spent Monday in Asheville.

Mrs. Cos Paxton is spending a week in Greenville with friends.

Joe Clayton spent Monday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Clayton.

Mrs. W. O. Robbins of Baltimore, who is spending the summer in Asheville, was a Brevard visitor this past week-end.

Miss Louise Townsend, who has been visiting friends in the eastern part of the state, has returned to Brevard.

Misses Roberta Bryant, Elizabeth Ramsey and Rose Schachner were shopping in Asheville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patton and daughter, Charlotte, were Asheville visitors Monday.

Ruffin Wilkins has gone to Newport, Tenn., where he has accepted a position with the Georgia Art Supply Co.

Leen English spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. English.

Harry Clayton is recovering from a week's illness.

Miss Nancy Macfie, who has been in New York City for the past two months, is expected to arrive in Brevard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cray and daughter, Mary Harris, have returned to Charlotte after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hume Harris.

Mrs. Carl Whitmire has been visiting friends in Brevard for the past several days.

Arthur Lewis Jr., of Hamlet, N. C., spent several days in Brevard last week as the guest of Mrs. M. E. Lewis and Mrs. O. L. Erwin.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Lewis and daughter of Hamlet, N. C., have been visiting relatives in Brevard this past week.

J. A. Redley of the Geer Drug Co. was a business visitor in Brevard this week.

Misses LaVerne Weilt, Eliza Henry, and Eloise Lewis were shopping in Asheville Friday.

Miss Fannie Torre of Tampa, Fla., will arrive the last of this week to be a guest of Miss Roberta Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Moody left last week for Rochester, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Emerson will arrive Thursday to spend several days with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Clayton.

Dr. Charles Newland has been confined to his home for the last few days on account of illness.

Mrs. Tom Allen and son, Charles, spent last week in Hendersonville, visiting Mrs. Emma Shipman.

Mrs. Howard Elam and children of Columbia, Tenn., and Miss Shawnee Spear of Hendersonville are visiting Mrs. Tom Allen and Mrs. C. M. Kilpatrick this week.

Miss Mazie Shipman of Hendersonville, spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Edna Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mize of Charlotte, are spending the summer with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glad Whitmire. Mr. and Mrs. Mize toured the Northern States last winter and are planning to go west this winter. Mrs. Mize will be remembered as Miss Margie Whitmire.

Mr. J. T. McGehee, of Macon, Ga., is visiting his family at their summer home on Franklin Avenue.

Mr. John McGehee will leave next week for his home in Macon, Ga., after spending the past few weeks with his mother, Mrs. J. T. McGehee.

Mr. L. Bale of Ferdinand, Fla., is stopping at the Waltermire Hotel for the remainder of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Verdery are expected to arrive here Saturday to

## Selica News Notes

Mrs. J. M. Jones and children, of Cedar Mountain, are spending a few days in this section, visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Johnnie Lance and children of Haywood, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lance.

Miss Mary Mann spent Sunday with Miss Frances Bryson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie McKinna and Mrs. Ward Breedlove were Brevard visitors Saturday.

Rev. Nathan Chapman preached a wonderful sermon at Cathey's Creek church Sunday morning, to a large congregation.

Mrs. E. H. White and baby spent Saturday night with her brother, Ed Barton.

Mrs. Walter Blythe and daughter, Bessie, attended church services Saturday night.

Decorations day at Cathey's Creek church will be the first Sunday in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fenwick and children, Mack and Harry, of Brevard, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Harkless Barton.

Several people from this section have been attending court in Brevard for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Odd Bryson and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bryson.

Wesley Tinsley of the Conestee section, was a church visitor here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Press Galloway and family spent Sunday visiting in the Conestee section.

Crate Orr of South Carolina, has been visiting relatives and friends in and around Selica for the past week.

Joe Dunn of South Carolina, is spending some time with his sister, Mrs. J. P. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Osteen spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dunn.

## DR. MURCHISON TO SPEAK AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Dr. Hugh R. Murchison, professor of Religious Education at the University of South Carolina will preach at the Brevard Methodist church Sunday evening at the eight o'clock hour. Dr. Murchison is regarded as one of the outstanding speakers in the Palmetto State, and it is expected that many Brevard people will hear him Sunday evening. Dr. and Mrs. Murchison are spending the summer vacation with the Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Alexander.

### A SON

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Brown on August 18th, a son.

### CHARLES THOMAS HAMPTON

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hampton of North Brevard, announce the birth of a son, Charles Thomas, on Aug. 13.

spend the week-end with friends and relatives.

Mrs. W. C. Morris had as her guest Thursday night her brother, Carl Bryson, of Douglas, Wyoming. Mr. Bryson left Friday morning for a visit with his mother at Cashiers.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Peacock and Mrs. W. B. Byrd of Hendersonville, were guests of Mrs. James F. Barrett Monday night.

Mrs. Eva Bryson, of Enka, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Morris.

Prof. and Mrs. J. B. Jones attended the Baptist Assembly at Ridgecrest on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Boucher and small daughter left Tuesday for Rayburn, Ga., where Mr. Boucher will assume his new teaching duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Bauserman and daughter, Charlotte Anne, of Winston-Salem, are guests of Miss Earlene Poindexter, at Brevard Institute.

Mrs. T. S. Boylan and daughters, Misses Lucile and Margaret, of Charlotte, visited friends in Brevard Saturday. Mrs. Boylan was formerly connected with Brevard Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sprinkle returned to their home in Reidsville last week, after visiting their daughter, Mrs. Pat Kimzey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Black and family, of Beaufort, S. C., are occupying the Plummer cottage for the remainder of the month.

Rev. G. C. Brinkman returned last week from Lake Junaluska, where he attended the Methodist Assembly for two weeks.

Mrs. E. L. Oula and Mrs. Leroy Brown and family has returned to their homes in Florence, S. C., after visiting Mrs. J. C. King. Mrs. Oula and Mrs. Brown are daughters of Mrs. King.

Miss Dorothy King and friend, Miss Bessie Smith, of New York City, have returned after spending several weeks with Mrs. J. C. King.

Mrs. Julia Trowbridge and daughter, Miss Alma, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Trowbridge in Weaverville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Winton and children and Mrs. Winton's sister, Miss Annabel Gulick, of Oklahoma City, were week-end visitors at Wilmington Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. West and daughter, Miss Peggy, and son, Kipp, of Belle Haven, are spending two weeks with Mr. West's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. West.

Misses Eugenia and Betty Brunet of Pittsburgh, former residents of Brevard, are visiting at Chestnut Hill Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Galloway of Lake Toxaway spent Monday in Brevard. It was Mr. and Mrs. Galloway's first trip to town since last October.

Miss Edna Mason spent the past week visiting friends and relatives at Waynesville, N. C.

Prof. W. Ernest Merrill, of Tulane University, New Orleans, La., is spending several weeks with relatives here.

Miss Dixie Jones of Cedar Mountain spent last week-end with Rachel Williams of North Brevard.

## Society News and Club Activities

### MOCK TRIAL FEATURES B. Y. P. U. SOCIAL

Friday evening a social featured by a mock trial was pronounced by many to be the most successful entertainment the B. Y. P. U. has known in a long time. The social committee composed of Elizabeth Duckworth, Helen Allison and June Grogan planned the affair.

Several games were played early in the evening before the new and popular game "Murder" was introduced. It was a dark night and an atmosphere of impending tragedy hung over the group. Suddenly terrifying screams filled the air and Detective Leonard Simpson rushed to the scene. Lena Allison was the victim. After questioning several witnesses Detective Simpson arrested Randol Aiken. He was temporarily released without bond.

After playing another game to give the accused time to secure lawyers to defend his case all removed to the court room alias the church parlor, where the Superior Court of the State B. Y. P. U. convened with Judge Ralph H. Ramsey presiding. F. Brown Carr and Charles Morgan represented the accused, while Mack Grogan represented the state.

State's witnesses were Detective Simpson, Misses Geneva Neill and Elizabeth Duckworth. Witnesses for the defendant were: Messrs: Ansel Jones and John Reynolds, and Misses Ruth Cantrell and June Grogan.

The jury returned the verdict "guilty" and Judge Ramsey unmercifully pronounced the "chair" sentence.

The patient audience followed the condemned into the execution chamber. Pardon came just in time. His sentence was changed to a life of service. Mr. Aiken immediately began his service by serving all present with ice cream.

Another feature was the "party store." Everyone was given tickets to purchase refreshments from the "store" anytime during the party.

An humorous happening was the discovery of Miss Elizabeth Duckworth's stolen diamond ring upon Sheriff Dean Whitlock while the jury was deliberating over the verdict.

Members present were Mrs. Paul Hartsell, Ruth Cantrell, Geneva Neill, Beulah Garren, Vera Jones, Elizabeth Duckworth, Lena Allison, Helen Allison, June Grogan, Paul Hartsell, F. Brown Carr, Ralph Ramsey, Charles Morgan, Randol Aiken, Karl Bosse, Dean Whitlock, Roy Johnson, Hubert Batson, John Reynolds, Leonard Simpson, Ansel Jones and Mack Grogan.

### MRS. ORR ENTERTAINS CLUBS

Mrs. Oliver Orr was hostess last Thursday evening to the members of the Sarah Taylor Circle and the Girl's Auxiliary at her home. About twenty-five guests were present and a musical program given by Miss Edna Mae Saltz and Mr. Alvin Moore was delightful.

A short business session was held, after which Mrs. Orr served watermelon to those present.

### BAPTIST JUNIOR CHOIR VERY ACTIVE

The Junior Baptist choir gave a beautiful selection of songs at the evening service last Sunday, which was heard by a crowded auditorium.

Mr. Leonard Simpson is doing fine work with these young people. There were thirty-eight in the choir Sunday evening.

### ART EXHIBITION

An exhibition of portrait sketches by Mary Randolph Witmer, was held Saturday, August eighth, at the Franklin Hotel. All ages were portrayed in the collection and in each was life.

The profile of a man was peculiarly interesting. His face showed fine sensitiveness amounting to weakness, and a delusion of femininity was accentuated by a collar of fur, soft and glossy, under the hand of the artist.

Another profile, that of a young girl, her face uplifted with glowing eagerness, was particularly fine.

Miss Witmer's children are appealing and her strong simple technique is well adapted to portraying them.

Great interest and appreciation was expressed by those who saw the pictures, and Brevard is proud to claim Miss Witmer as her own.

### MISS BRYANT HONORS MISS WILKINS

Miss Mary Neal Wilkins of Dalla, N. C., was the honor guest at a lovely bridge party given last Thursday by Miss Roberta Bryant at the Franklin Hotel.

Miss Wilkins is the guest and former school mate of Miss Elizabeth Ramsey, having attended Salem college together.

A Brevard Souvenir was presented the honoree at the close of the games.

A dainty salad course with iced tea was served.

Guests who were invited to meet Miss Wilkins were: Misses Rose Schachner, Agnes Clayton, Ruth and Mertha Vaughn, Gladys English, Elizabeth Ramsey, Ruth and Almeta Waters, Mary Louise Coughorn, Mary Osborne Wilkins and Mrs. Lyday.

### LEAGUE TO HAVE PICNIC THURSDAY

All old members and prospective Epworth League members are asked to meet at the Methodist church Thursday, this evening at six o'clock to go on a picnic and swim at Davidson river.

A picnic lunch is to be spread following the swim, each member attending is asked to prepare a lunch.

### BETTY DUCLOS CELEBRATES FOURTH BIRTHDAY

Little Miss Betty Jean Duclos celebrated her fourth birthday with a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Duclos, Saturday afternoon. About twenty of her little friends were present and after playing games on the lawn they were invited into the dining room, which was attractively decorated with pink and white, and served with ice cream and cake.

Little Betty Jean received many attractive gifts and each child, in turn, was presented with dainty little baskets of mints.

### FAREWELL RECEPTION FOR MRS. BOUCHER

A farewell reception was tendered Mrs. H. E. Boucher Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. E. Waters on the eve of her departure to her new home in Rayburn, Ga. The hostesses were members of the Fort-nightly club, of which Mrs. Boucher was president.

The event was in the nature of a handkerchief shower, arranged in a novel manner to represent a corsage, in delicate and vari-colored shades. The parting gift was presented by Miss Alma Trowbridge, reading some original verses appropriate to the occasion.

Tea and sandwiches were served during the afternoon.

### PIANO RECITAL BY PUPILS OF ALVIN MOORE

A great treat is in store for the music lovers of Brevard this Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, when the summer piano class of Prof. Alvin Moore will give a recital at the Brevard Institute.

The program, made up principally with young pupils participating will prove to be highly entertaining, as is to be expected when classes coached by Professor Moore perform.

On the program, as announced, will be Prof. Moore, Rhemma Beddingfield, Rebecca Patton, Marcia Winton, Katherine Shuford, Mae Cunningham, Mary Olivia Fuller, Martha Kate Moore, Sarah Mae Bishop, Harriet Whitton, Dorothy Everett, and the Brevard Orchestra, conducted by Prof. Carter. No admission charge will be made.

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