

Local News

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Mrs. Cheever Ramsey accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Rector to Detroit, Mich., last week where they visited Mrs. Ramsey's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Eastman.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Deaver and son returned to their home in Orlando, Florida last Saturday after spending a week with his mother, Mrs. Will Deaver, and his brother, Bill, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Maco Wallin spent a few days last week at Atlantic Beach, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Sprinkle and two sons of Stanley spent the week-end in Marshall with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eads and Mrs. Cecil Sprinkle.

Mrs. Corbett Baker and three children, Danny, Sheila and Sandra Wray, left by train last week-end to join Mrs. Baker's husband and another son, Gary, in River Rouge, Mich. Mr. Baker holds a position with Whitehead & Kales steel plant there.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Ramsey and family, of Greenville, S. C., were in Marshall Saturday visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Vivian Rhea, of Canton, visited her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Sams, Tuesday.

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With The Sick

Mrs. Vena Davis, of Marshall, returned last Friday from Aston Park Hospital where she had undergone surgery. She was able to return to her duties at Roberts Pharmacy Saturday.

Mr. Fred O. Tilson is a patient in Memorial Mission Hospital where he is undergoing treatment and observation.

Mrs. John Neabitt, of Marshall, is undergoing treatment at Memorial Mission Hospital.

Mr. Fleet Nix, of Marshall, was admitted to Aston Park Hospital Wednesday for treatment.

Michael Bradley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Iverson Bradley, of Marshall, was admitted to St. Joseph's Hospital Wednesday, for observation. His condition is improved.

Mrs. Arthur Banks, of Asheville, who has been a patient in an Asheville hospital, is now recuperating at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ward, of Marshall.

Mrs. A. E. Cole, of Marshall, is a patient in Aston Park Hospital where she is undergoing treatment.

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MADISON DRIVE-IN THEATER

LOCATED BETWEEN MARSHALL AND WALNUT

Show Starts Each Evening At Dusk

Friday — Saturday
(Double Feature)

JOCK MAHONEY — LINDA CRISTAL
GILBERT ROLAND
"LAST OF THE FAST GUNS"

— and —

BARRY SULLIVAN — PETER GRAVES
"WOLF LARSEN"

Sunday — Monday — Tuesday
GREGORY PECK — HARRY GUARDINO
"PORK CHOP HILL"

Wednesday and Thursday
FESS PARKER — JOANNE DRU
"LIGHT IN THE FOREST"

FUN IN THE PRESS BOX

By JIM STORY

The average baseball fan has no idea what goes on in the press box at McCormick Field during a baseball game. It is actually a "double-feature" every time a person is perched high above the playing field back of home plate. The first feature, naturally, is the ball game and the second feature is the fun of listening to and knowing the personalities in the press box.

It has been my pleasure during the season to be a "member" of this august and select group of experts (?) and fine people. Although I've sat in numerous places throughout the grandstand and bleachers, for the majority of games, I've found myself up in the press box. The kind invitation by the personable sports cops of the Asheville Citizen and Times to join the "gang" has added greatly to my enjoyment of the baseball season.

First of all, there's the "working press," usually composed of Bob Terrell, Al Geremonte and Richard Morris. Those fine and expert sports writers stay busy most of the time, taking time-out occasionally for a bright saying or a soft drink (soft drinks are free to members of press box). One of these three is the official scorer, making split-second decisions of hits, errors, etc. Although we don't always "agree" with the official scorer, his word is final and as a rule, is right. It's not all work during the game, however. They're never too busy to make a humorous remark about the players, a particular play, an umpire or each other. I've never been associated with three nicer fellows than Bob, Al and Richard.

Other members of the "press box gang" include the witty and humorous Leo Willette, news director of WLOS-TV, who is an expert as public address "barker." Leo always a serious announcer when seen on television, is a bright, witty person with personality "to burn." His spontaneous remarks over the P. A. often bring laughter from the thousands of spectators. When Leo can't be there, Fred Brown, a more serious-minded TV personality, "pinch hits." He is also very good over the P. A.

Also aiding greatly is the wisdom of Dick Kaplan, a "walking encyclopedia" on sports. Dick is also a pretty fair "guesser" on how many spectators are present at a game. (We always have a little "pool" as to who can guess the number of paid admissions at the ball game). Other regular personalities are Emmette Goodman, who usually controls the large scoreboard lights. This is not an easy job but requires a knowledge of the game and the many gadgets which control the score board. Emmette has a "frog-voice" which can be heard at great distances, especially by the umpires and pitchers. His encouragement to Tourist players is usually "All right, boys, let's bat around". He certainly lends moral support regardless of the score — Emmette's never defeated until the last man is out. Don McCurry, one of the electricians who sees that the lights are in shape, is also an important member of the "press group". Also often in the box "up stairs" are Dr. Jack Kaplan, Dick's father; Mrs. Goodman; and also numerous other "celebrities", including the one and only "Yank" Young. "Yank" is a Linotype operator by trade but likes to join the sports writers occasionally.

Art Perkins, the genial business manager of the Asheville Tourists, visits the "box" often and is always an inspiration to the gang by adding information about the players, etc. I've thoroughly enjoyed watching the Asheville Tourists this season and am a 100% Tourist "becker". I've also enjoyed being in the press box this season and hope to join this same gang of fine fellows next season.

The Marshall Friendship Club held its annual picnic on the island here Thursday, August 26. Twelve members and twenty-two guests enjoyed the occasion.



Miss Emma Ruth Edwards

Among the 22 graduates of the School of Nursing of Memorial Mission Hospital, Asheville, receiving diplomas at exercises last Friday night was Miss Emma Ruth Edwards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Edwards, of Marshall.

Following the exercises, Miss Edwards accompanied her brother, Hubert Jr., to Ortonville, Michigan, where she will spend a week. Mr. Edwards came from Michigan to be present for the graduating exercises.

Miss Edwards was active in Dramatic Club, was on the annual staff and also on the basketball team.

Miss Edwards will remain on at the Memorial Mission Hospital as a staff nurse in the Emergency Room.

DDGM Makes Official Visit To OES Chapter Here

Mrs. Mildred J. McLean, of Weaverville, district deputy grand matron of the 20th District, Order of the Eastern Star, made her official visit to the Marshall Chapter on Monday evening. She was accompanied by W. Kelly Roberts, of Asheville, district deputy grand patron. Mr. Roberts is a native of Madison County.

Both Mrs. McLean and Mr. Roberts were presented gifts from the Marshall Chapter.

Mrs. Grace S. English was presented a 25-year certificate of membership in the Order. Mrs. Myrtle F. Rogers, also eligible for a 25-year membership certificate, was unable to be present at the meeting.

A social hour was held at the close of the meeting and refreshments were served.

Marshall OES Members Visiting Home In Greensboro

Mrs. J. J. Bailey, Mrs. Kate H. Reed, Mrs. Jim Story and Miss Aldeen Waldrup, members of the Marshall Eastern Star Chapter, along with other Eastern Stars in Western North Carolina, left Asheville this morning by chartered bus to spend the day at the Masonic and Eastern Star Home in Greensboro.

Each year members of the Eastern Star from all over the state gather at the Home on the last Thursday in August to celebrate the birthday of Rob Morris who founded the Order more than 100 years ago. A picnic is held on the lawn of the Home with residents of the Home as guests of the Eastern Stars.

WMS Met Tuesday In REA Building

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Marshall Baptist Church met Tuesday evening at the REA building. Mrs. Annie May White, president, presided. Mrs. Liston B. Ramsey presented the program which was entitled "Mexico — Songs In The Night."

A social hour was held at the close of the meeting.

Lions Picnic Is Enjoyed Monday

Approximately 75 members of the Marshall Lions Club and their families and other guests enjoyed a picnic on the island last Monday night.

Members of the club prepared the delicious barbecued chicken while wives of the Lions prepared all the "fixings."

Families Move

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wesley have moved into the W. W. Peak home, vacated last week when the Peaks moved to Moolesville.

Patrolman and Mrs. Charis Pearson and two children have moved into the Bernard Brigman home on the Walnut Creek Road. Mr. and Mrs. Brigman and son, Bernie, moved last week to Whiteville, N. C., where Mr. Brigman will teach in the Whiteville school.

HEARD AND SEEN

By "POP"

Weather Report

In response to Comrade Ivan Petrosky's comment to Comrade N. Kruschiev about discussing the weather, we hereby announce the present weather conditions here: Hotter 'n 'ell, man, real gone hot. Above comment written and signed by Jim Story—brave, man, brave!

Bernard S. Brigman Accepts School Post At Whiteville High

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard S. Brigman and son, Bernie, left last Saturday for Whiteville, N. C., where Mr. Brigman has accepted a position as history teacher and Driver Training Instructor at Whiteville High School.

Mr. Brigman served as principal of the Marshall school for the past nine years.

Mrs. Barnwell Will Again Conduct Kindergarten

It's about time to begin Kindergarten again this year. Have you a child, aged four or five, whom you'd like to enter? If so, please contact Mrs. Howard Barnwell.

Some of the activities enjoyed by last year's Kindergarten children are: frequent visits to the Madison County Bookmobile, weekly attendance at Sunbeam Band, several teacher-pupil planned parties for brothers and sisters and friends, rhythm band and marching activities, listening and dramatizing records, finger painting, water colors, folk dancing, singing, tumbling, building activities, sewing, various kinds of handwork story telling. Group work and play activities in which the children learned to work together were stressed. Records of height and weight, immunizations, and social adjustments were kept. Each child was encouraged to grow at his own rate and each was given every opportunity to learn about those things in which he was interested. More than 200 stories were read and over 50 songs learned.

Mrs. Barnwell plans to have Kindergarten in her home where she has access to a Hi-Fi record player, a piano, a special room of materials, and a nice fenced-in play yard. Interested parents may contact Mrs. Barnwell, so that registration may be completed and fall plans be made. For further information as to the benefits of the Kindergarten, you may contact Mrs. Ray Frisby or Mrs. Leonard Baker.

Some people seem to think they have to wear a stony face so they can be considered a pillar in their church.



Mrs. and Mrs. Clarence Liston Pegg

—Cut courtesy Asheville Citizen-Times

Miss Jenice Elizabeth Harris Weds Clarence Liston Pegg

Miss Jenice Elizabeth Harris daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Decatur Harris of 8 Crown St., Asheville, N. C., became the bride of Clarence Liston Pegg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Liston Pegg of Marshall, at a double ring ceremony conducted Sunday afternoon, August 23, 1959, in Trinity Methodist Church in Asheville, by the pastor, the Rev. A. J. Cox.

The bride's aunt, Mrs. William Harris, sang wedding music accompanied by Miss Viola Owenby, organist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and she wore a floor length gown of Chantilly lace over nylon tulle. Her bouffant skirt was fashioned of alternating tiers of lace and tulle and she wore a veil of imported illusion attached to a crown of lace trimmed with pearls.

Miss Joyce Williams of Durham, cousin of the bride, was her maid of honor, and Miss JoAnn Dalton, Miss Joy Cook, both of Asheville, and Mrs. Robert Hastings, a cousin from Columbia, S. C., were Miss Harris' bridesmaids. They wore pastel dresses of sheer daeron with taffeta cummerbunds, and carried sprays of yellow pom-pom mums.

William Caldwell of Marshall, was best man, and the bride's brother, Joseph Harris of Asheville and her cousin, Edward Harris of Forest City, and Lawrence Ponder of Asheville were ushers. A cake cutting in the reception room of the church followed the ceremony. Assisting were Mrs. J. L. Burgin of Columbia, S. C., aunt of the bride, Miss Patricia Owens of Asheville, Miss Sarah Edmondson of Oak Ridge, Tenn., Mrs. Walter Brank of Asheville, Mrs. E. F. Laughter of Asheville, Miss Martha Ann Fair of Asheville, and Mrs. William Laughter of Asheville.

For a wedding trip through the Smokies and Tennessee, the bride changed to a periwinkle blue cotton suit. Both bride and groom will make their home here where both are students at Blanton's Business College. The bridegroom is a bookkeeper at Sherwin Williams Company.

He is a graduate of Marshall High School and the bride graduated from Lee H. Edwards last year. She worked as secretary at Hajoca Corporation.

The bridal party was entertained in the bride's home following the rehearsal Saturday evening.

Members of the Madison County Medical Society and their families enjoyed a family picnic on the beautiful lawn of Dr. and Mrs. Otis Duck in Mars Hill Tuesday evening. Approximately 40 persons attended the occasion.

5th Sunday Meeting At Bradburn Chapel Church Of God Sun.

The regular Fifth Sunday Meeting will be held with the Bradburn Chapel Church of God, on Bailey Branch south of Marshall, on Sunday, August 30.

Services will start at 1:30 p. m., with all public speakers, special singers, and the public invited to attend.

Medical Society Enjoys Family Picnic Tuesday

Members of the Madison County Medical Society and their families enjoyed a family picnic on the beautiful lawn of Dr. and Mrs. Otis Duck in Mars Hill Tuesday evening.

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