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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis, of Marshall, spent Sunday in North Wilkesboro with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Wilson, and their son; and Mr. and Mrs. Davis' son, Ray.

John A. Corbett of Charlotte spent the week-end in Marshall with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Corbett.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson of Taylorsville, visited Mrs. William Worley and family and Mr. and Mrs. Guy White, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lance Swann, of Atlanta, Ga., spent Monday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Swann, of Marshall Rt. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Morgan spent the week-end in Raleigh as guests of Mrs. Morgan's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby H. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ottis Sprinkle spent the week-end in Kannapolis with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Sprinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry McElroy and daughter, Laura, of Fairfax, Virginia, returned home Tuesday after visiting Mr. McElroy's parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. McElroy.

*** With The Sick ***

Mr. Fred O. Tilson, of Marshall, entered Brentwood Nursing Home near Asheville Sunday where he is undergoing treatment. He expects to return to his home in a few days.

Mr. E. R. Tweed, of Marshall, is a patient at Brentwood Nursing Home near Asheville.

Mr. Brown Norton, of Marshall Rt. 6, who has been a patient in Memorial Mission Hospital for several months, expects to be able to return to his home in a few days.

Mr. Hubert Deal is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, where he is undergoing treatment.

Mr. Ralph Carver, of Marshall, is a patient in Aston Park Hospital where he is undergoing treatment.

Teddy Cody, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Cody, of Marshall, who has been a patient at Memorial Mission Hospital, returned to his home here Tuesday.

Mrs. C. J. Wild is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital where she is undergoing treatment.

Mrs. Lloyd Slagle has returned to her home from Memorial Mission Hospital where she has been a patient for several days following surgery.

Mrs. Lela Sams of Mars Hill is a patient in Aston Park Hospital where she is undergoing treatment. Mrs. Sams is the sister of Ron and J. H. Sprinkle of Marshall.

Special Program At Baptist Church On Sunday Night

The Marshall Baptist Church will present a special program on Missions Around the World this Sunday evening, February 28 at 7:30. Twenty-five young people will wear regional costumes to demonstrate the truly international scope of Christian Missions. National music will be displayed.

The program will be directed by Mr. and Mrs. William Mitchiner of Oxford, N. C. The Mitchiners own a small business in Oxford, but they spend much of their time visiting mission posts around the world and presenting missions programs in local churches. Mr. Mitchiner is a member of the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, and Mrs. Mitchiner is a member of the Foreign Mission Board.

The public is cordially invited to attend this special service.

World Day Of Prayer To Be Observed Here

The World Day of Prayer will be observed by all the churches of Marshall at the Marshall Methodist Church on Friday, March 5, at 2:00 p. m. Representatives from each church will take part on the program, and everyone is cordially invited to attend this prayer service.

The World Theme is "What Doth the Lord Require?"

Masonic Meeting Here Monday Night

The French Broad Masonic Lodge No. 232 AF&AM will hold its regular communication on Monday night, March 1, at 7:30 o'clock at the Masonic Temple here.

Returns To Marshall

Sp/4 Johnny B. Marlor, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Marlor, of Marshall, who has been stationed at Fort Rucker, Ga., has received his discharge after serving for the past three years. He received his basic training at Fort Gordon, Georgia.

He and his wife are now residing in Marshall.

Attend Dairy Conference

Those from Madison County attending the Dairy Conference in Raleigh last week were: Assistant Farm Agent Fred Boss, Gerald Young, E. Buckner and Jimmy Ramsey.

Lt. Governor Robert Scott gave the address at the luncheon on Thursday.

LOADED DOWN

Men who carry tomorrow's burdens don't have time enough to enjoy today's blessings.

HEARD AND SEEN

By "POP"

Last week was Tournament Week — once a year basketball fans and players go hog wild — they crowd into the gymnasium and for three nights, 12 games and about 18 hours they forget about their troubles — their debts — their aches and pains — and thoroughly enjoy watching the girls and boys play their hearts out — it's a fine time of the year and a fine event — I could write columns on the tourney thus far (and there are still two more nights) but won't attempt to cover it all — I've been highly pleased with caliber of play for the most part — especially am I impressed with both teams from Laurel and the Spring Creek boys — and, for the most part, the junior varsity outfits have played well and the future looks bright for basketball — Marshall has a small girls' JV team but they're scrappy — Laurel is going to have a big team in a few years and they play good ball already & Bill Deans is doing a fine job with the Mars Hill JV boys — they'll be ready next year — I thought I was seeing double Saturday night — I saw a Marshall player (girl) throw a ball from the sideline and the same girl caught it at center court — couldn't believe any girl was that fast — I grabbed my program to see what was going on and by that time was told that Emma Franklin threw in the ball and that Ima Franklin caught it — they're twins and look alike — size, hairdo, etc. — and they're both just as pretty as can be — Ima fouled out and Coach Cole substituted Emma — in a few seconds, Emma fouled out — they even foul alike — even the referee (Continue To Page Three)

JUST A WOMAN'S OBSERVATIONS

By DOROTHY B. SHUPE

I'm tired tonight (Tuesday) as I sit me down to write this great masterpiece of world wide and local happenings and observances. I'd like nothing better than to get into that seat and take me "and my sinuses" out to Arizona! But since that can not be, I'll just "carry on!"

How did you like my student's observations last week? I just think she has the makings of a great journalist! She may be the next Dorothy Thompson, Clare Luce Booth or Sylvia Porter! Let me apologize for — of all things — getting her name wrong! Her name is Phyllis L. Niles instead of the middle initial "N!" One of the first things I try to teach my students is to get names right, because people never forgive one for getting a letter in the wrong place, eh, Pop?

Oh, great news, the poll books have been found! Well, maybe not the ones you were thinking of, but while the old store was being torn down we found some for elections held in Walnut back in 1922, 1924, and 1926. The ones for '22 and (Continue To Page Three)

Mrs. Rudisill Is Hostess To Garden Club Last Thursday

Mrs. S. C. Rudisill was hostess to the Marshall Garden Club on Thursday of last week. Following the social hour Mrs. Clyde Roberts presided during the business session. A letter of appreciation from Miss Eloise Ward was read; Miss Ward was winner of the Christmas decoration 200r prize offered by the Garden Club in December. The club extended a vote of thanks to Mrs. Delmar Payne who designed and made the 1964-65 year book; District I of the North Carolina Garden Clubs awarded second prize to the Marshall Garden Club for its year book in the best hand-made year book competition.

Members attending expressed their approval of the Billboard Control act and have urged Mrs. R. R. Ramsey, Madison County Representative to the N. C. Legislature to vote for the bill when it is presented.

Mrs. W. A. Sams presented an interesting program on "Birds," placing emphasis on the role man can play in protecting this valuable friend of mankind. At the conclusion of the program, she played records of bird sounds and songs captured by Dr. Peter Paul Kellogg in more than 30 years of research.

Members attending were Mrs.

Mrs. George Fisher Joins OES Here

Mrs. George Fisher of Marshall was initiated into the Marshall Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star during a regular meeting held in the Masonic Temple Monday evening.

Mrs. R. J. Plemmons, worthy matron, presided; and Ralph T. Barnes, worthy patron, conferred degrees.

A social hour was held at the close of the meeting and refreshments served. Twenty members of the Chapter attended.

Recent Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Fowler Norton of Rt. 1, Marshall, a daughter, February 15, 1968.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Seymour, 200 Richmond Hill Dr., Asheville, a son, Farris Michael, February 20, 1966 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Mr. Seymour is well known in this county having visited it many times while State Editor of The Asheville Citizen. He is now managing editor of the Citizen.

J. L. Baker, Mrs. J. O. Corbett, Mrs. O. A. Gregory, Mrs. A. J. Ramsey, Mrs. C. M. Roberts, Mrs. S. C. Rudisill, Mrs. W. A. Sams, and Mrs. A. W. Whitehurst.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED



MISS ROBBIE JEAN MURRAY and Charles Gordon Payne will be married in July. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Murray of Weaverville, who announce the engagement, and is a senior at North Buncombe High School. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Payne of Weaverville, formerly of Marshall.

Ledfords Move

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ledford and family moved Saturday from Roberts Hill Road to the J. B. McDevitt homeplace on Brush Creek which they recently purchased.

The Ledford house on Roberts Hill Road has been bought by Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Chandler, who expect to move there soon.

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Keith Calloway Honored On 3rd Birthday Sat.

Mrs. Faye Calloway entertained at a party at her home Saturday afternoon in celebration of her son, Keith's third birthday. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Those attending were Gary and Sheila Ogle, Debbie Wilson, Samantha Thomas, Brian Martin, Kathy Calloway, David Martin, and the honoree, Keith Calloway. Adults in attendance were Mrs. Faye Calloway, Mrs. Herman Searcy, Mrs. Edith Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Martin, Mrs. Addie Martin and son, Donald Martin.