

MRS. WALLACE R. PONDER the former Miss Margaret Collins

Shower Honors Fisher, Caldwell

Caldwell, who will be married bride-to-be; Reva Hensley, Electric Co-op Building

Mrs. Orpha Ball, Mrs. Albert Bess Fisher, Billie Lynn Fisher and Mrs. Debra Norton. Roberts, Kathy McCormick, Gil

Mesdames Betty Bradley, Lee Suzanne DuVall; Michael Esty Anders, Pearl Caldwell, Fisher, Jerry Cody, and the Henrietta Rector, Zenna Parris, honorees.

The ladies of the Ladie's Aid Minnie McCormick, Ruby Fore, Society of the Marshall Free Debra Norton, Mary Cody, Will Baptist Church honored Orpha K. Ball, Bessie Fisher, Miss Patsy Fisher and Jerry Lela Fisher, mother of the June 4, with a household shower Hazel S. Reese, Valeria B. Friday night, May 19, in the FB Landreth, Sylvene Shelton, Lib DuVall; Miss Kathy Gahagan, Games were played and Linda DuVall, Becky Fore, prizes won by Miss Pat Fisher, Clara Fisher, Janie Fisher, Those attending were Fisher, Donna Mary Parris,



MEADOW FORK held on Investiture Ceremony May 15 for their first Girl Scout troop. Those installed were top row: Cadets Debbie Shelton, Sharon and Shiela Green second row: Juniors Kathy Woody, Debbie Trimble, Janis Roger Bottom row: Brownies Maxine Burns, Angela Pangle, Rhonda Rogers. Not shown are Connie Woody, Lynn Green, Darlene Payne. Leaders of troop 230 are Wilma Trimble and Joyce Burns.

Miss Russell Honored

Holcombe, Miss Mary Lee

Sonya Ammons, Miss Rebecca

Miss Nancy Russell of Win-ston-Salem, formerly of Mars Ronald Rich, Miss Laura Navy Hill, was honored Tuesday Mrs. Tom Ray, Ms. W. G. evening May 16, 1972, at the Russell, Mrs. Jay Edwards, Mars Hill Community Center Miss Kathy Edwards, Mrs. with a miscellaneous shower Eula Briggs, Mrs. Jay Payne, given by the Ladies of The Miss Renee Payne, Mrs. Ralph Calvary Baptist Church.

Miss Russell is a registered Grindstaff, Mrs. Paul Tugman, nurse and is the daughter of the Mrs. Gertrude Ball, Mrs. Ralph Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Russell of Hogan, Mrs. Hubert Rich, Asheville, formerly of Mars Mrs. Spurgeon Edmonds, Mrs. Hill. Russell was pastor of the Steve Ball, Mrs. Grace Riddle, Calvary Baptist Church until Mrs. Harold Ammons, Miss

She is the bride-elect of John Ammons and Miss Ronda Gail Whaley of Winston-Salem.

SINGING

The regular 4th Saturday Church this Saturday at 8 p.m. night singing will be held at the The public is invited. Hot Springs Free Will Baptist

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Miss Margaret Collins Becomes Bride Of Wallace R. Ponder

Miss Margaret Collins and Wallace Rustin Ponder, both of Route 2, Marshall, were married Saturday, May 20, 1972 at 7:30 p.m. in the Marshall Baptist Church. The Rev. Glenn Whitley, pastor, conducted the

double ring ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy R. Collins; and the bridegroom is the son of Mr and Mrs. Zeno Ponder, all of Route 2, Marshall.

The church was decorated with greenery, fern, baskets of yellow gladioli large yellow mums, yellow and white poms and candlabra holding lighted yellow tapers

A program of wedding music was presented by Charles Huey, organist. Mr. Huey played 'Choral, Suite Gothique'', Boellmann; "Psalm XX", Marcello; "Sanctus", Faure; "Truth Abideth from 'Xerxes'", Handel; "The Promises," Panchenko, "Thy Love Enfold Chase, Guidance", Mendelssohn; and were used for the processional and recessional

length gown of bridal satin with white carnations.

complete overlay of toulaise imported Galoon Alecon lace, long pointed sleeves and Victorian neckline. The skirt was accented with ruffles of her lace. Her mantilla of matching lace extended into a chapel train, and she carried a bouquet

of white and vellow roses. Miss Nancy Collins, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore an Empire gown of vellow taffeta with lace overlay and a matching headpiece. She carried a long-stemmed yellow

Miss Faye McGhee of Asheville, aunt of the bride; and were bridesmaids Delina Langford of Asheville, cousin of gowns, fashioned like that of the honor attendant.

David Allen of Marshall was best man. Ushers were Troy R. "Andante Collins, Jr., brother of the Calmato," Handel; "In Loving bride; and Ralph Ponder, brother of the bridegroom. "O Perfect Love," Barnby. The Stephen Ponder, cousin of the traditional wedding marches bridegroom, was ringbearer.

The mother of the bride wore dress of blue and the Given in marriage by her bridegroom's mother wore father, the bride wore a floor- pink. Each wore a corsage of

A reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church following the ceremony. The bride's table was covered with a white linen cloth and a color scheme of yellow and white was carried out. Mrs. Jack O. Barrett, aunt of the bride, cut the three-tiered wedding cake. She was assisted in serving by Miss Emagene Ponder, sister of the bridegroom; Mrs. Herbert Ponder, sister-in-law of the bridegroom, and Miss Delores Bradley.

The bride is a graduate of North Buncombe High School and was employed by Southern Miss Nancy Gentry of Marshall Bell Telephone and Telegraph

The bridegroom is a graduate the bride, was flower girl. They of Marshall High School and is were dressed in green taffeta attending N. C. State University, Raleigh, where he is nuclear majoring engineering

Mrs. David Trull of Candler directed the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Ponder will live

at Lake Boone Trail in Raleigh Among the out-of-town attendants at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ponder of Trenton, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howey and three children of Monroe; and Mrs. Herbert Maar of Cincinati,

Tilson Named V-P. Pres.-Elect

MHC Alumni

Saturday at the Mars Hill College Alumni Association business meeting Leonard C Tilson of Winston-Salem and a native of Mars Hill was elected evice president and presidentelect of the 1,600 member organization.

Tilson was a 1954 graduate and is currently vice president of L. A. Reynolds Co. and consultant with Leonard C. Tilson Associates. He was formerly superintendent of buildings and grounds for the City of Winston-Salem- a position similar to the one held by his father, Bryson H. Tilson, at Mars Hill College for many

D. T. Carowan of Morristown, Tenn., was named president and Mrs. Martina Snelson Carter of Asheville, secretary.

A genuine old time music including quilts, wood products,

festival and community et There will be no contests or gathering will be held on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, competition and musicians are June 2, 3, 4 at the Community urged to play with one another Ball Park on Sodom Laurel and not against one another The event is under the to-display and sell their wares,

MRS. MALCOLM WADE BLANKENSHIP

the former Miss Patricia Jeanne Hickey

Music Festival

June 2, 3, 4

At Sodom Laurel

direction of Mountain Music including quilts, wood products, Festivals of Ivydale, W.V. with etc the cooperation of the Madison County Old-Time

All Old Time fiddle, banjo, dulcimer players, buck and square dancers, ballad singers coholic beverages on grounds and old-time hymn singers and other traditional mountain evening program, 8 to 12; musicians are uged to come and Saturday. June 3, Workshops, play and sing and visit with 10 30-1, evening program, 7:30friends and neighbors.

There will be no contests or competition and musicians are and not against one another Craftsmen are also welcome to display and sell their wares, three-day event.

Craftsmen are also welcome

Workshop and jam sessions for Music all young people interested in learning to play instruments will be held Saturday morning from 10:30-1 o'clock

Absolutely no drinking of al Schedule Friday, June 2, 12, Sunday, June 4, 10:30 a. m. hymn sing

Square dances will be held uged to play with one another Friday and Saturday nights when people want them There is no admission to the

Miss Patricia Hickey Bride Of Malcolm Blankenship

Presbyterian Church, brides' mother.

The Rev. David L. Parks brother-in-law Burr Park, Asheville, and the of Asheville. granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cutshall of Marshall, Route 4. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Wade Blankenship and the late Wade Blankenship of Weaverville.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a fulllength gown of bridal satin overlaid with polyester illusion trimmed in lace and pearls. Her chapel-length train was of satin lace. Her mantilla was attached to a flat bow of satin and perals. Her gown and veil was designed carried yellow roses and white stephonias

Miss patty Ward of Weaveville was maid of honor. She wore a turquoise Empire gown and overskirt of darker chiffon and carried daisies and yellow carnations.

Mrs. James Turner of Mebane, sister of the Asheville. At present he is bridegroom, Miss Martha Blankenship of Norfolk, Va., twin sister of the bridegroom, and Mrs. J. L. Bain, III, of Asheville were bridesmaids, with Miss Mary Beth Hickey, sister of the bride, as junior

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs C A Tillery has returned to her home in Raleigh after spending several days in Marshall, Weaverville and vicinity where she visited relatives and friends.

Rick White of Orlando, Fla. is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. White, of Route 2, Marshall, and other relatives

Mr and Mrs John F. Kent and sons, Lonnie and Ronnie, spent last week end in Fayetteville where they attended the graduation of Mrs Kent's nephew, James Lee Ledford, at Methodist College.

The marriage of Miss bridesmaid. All wore gowns of Patricia Jeanne Hickey to turquoise trimmed with pearls Malcolm Wade Blankenship of and carried flowers like those of Weaverville, and Spartanburg, the maid of honor. All at-S. C., took place at 7 p. m. tendants gowns were also Saturday, May 20, at the First designed and made by the

James Turner of Mebane, performed the ceremony bridegroom, was best man. assisted by the Rev. Henry B. Ushers were Keith Rice of Dendy. The bride is the Asheville, Norman Blankenship daughter of Mr. and Mrs. of Hampton, Va., and Richard William Douglas Hickey of Pine Kohler and J. L. Bain, III both

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The bride attended St. Andrews Presbyterian College, Laurinburg, as a scholarship student and studied in the music department there for three years. After that she transferred to Mars Hill College where she received her Bachelor of Music degress in and illusion and trimmed in piano this year. She recently received a full assistantship to Converse College Graduate School of Music in Spartanburg, and made by her mother. She S. C., where she will continue her studies for a master's degree in piano

> Thebridegroom is a graduate of North Buncombe High School and has served with the Marine Corp in Vietnam. After his military service he attended the University of North Carolina in employed by Philips Fibers in Spartanburg, S. C.

The couple will live at 1265-A Asheville Highway, Spartanburg, while the bride is studying at Converse College Graduate School of Music

RUMMAGE SALE

The Ladies Aid of the Mashall Free Will Baptist Church will have a rummage sale at the courthouse on Saturday, June 3, beginning at 9 a.m. anyone having clothing or anything else of value that they would like to donate please call 649-3880 or 649-3685 and some one will come by and pick it up.

Even if you're traveling overseas, it's a good idea to carry your doctor's telephone number with you on a card A transatlantic call to him could save your life should a medical emergency arise on



MARS HILL COLLEGE commencement weekend was busy for the Sams Family. Emmett S. Sams, mathematics professor, was honored Saturday night for completing 25 years of service on the faculty; and his two daughters, Paula a sophomore, (left) and Rebecca a senior, (right) began duty as college marshal Sunday ushering participants in baccalaureate and commencement exercises. The two women were named marshalls recently in recognition of their academic standing. Sams, a native of Burnsville, graduated from Mars Hill when it was a junior college and holds degrees from Western Carolina University and Peabody College. (Mars Hill College photo by Walter Smith)

Garden Club Holds Meeting At Pearson Falls

Members of the Marshall Tryon Garden Club for the Garden Club went to Pearson Falls, near Tryon, for the club's

May meeting. Pearson Falls is owned by the enjoyment of the Public Mrs. Leonard Baker was in

charge of arrangements.



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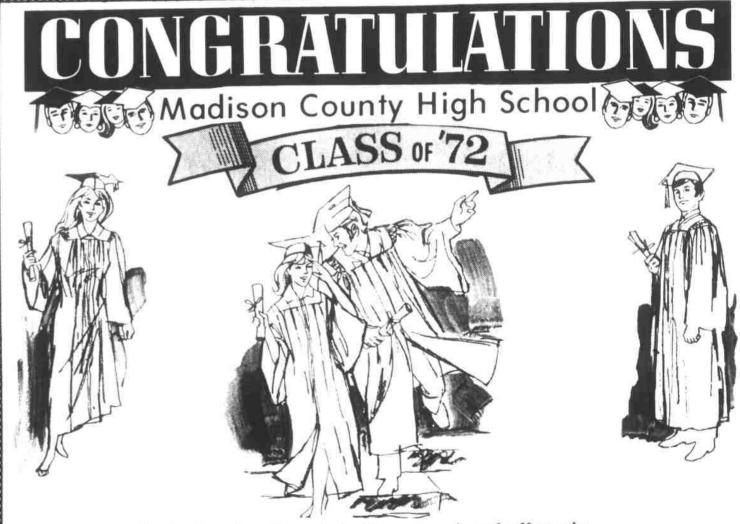
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