

SOCIETY NEWS

Just a woman's observation

By DOROTHY BRIGMAN SHUPE

Well, did I ever have the flu! My head ached, I was tired, I was feverish and just felt generally bad all the way! I hope you have escaped the misery of the flu and will not get it. I had just remarked to Shupe the day before how lucky I had been to not even have a cold, but woke up the next morning with a very bad case. Oh, well, you won't want the whole details - I'm now back at school and feeling pretty good, thank you!

I never did get my case of Campbell's Soup - I still think Craig Burnette had something to do with it - and so far, they haven't called me for the McDonald's jingle about what goes into one of their hamburgers! Think Mary and Lawrence should start some kind of contest so I could get a few of their hamburgers free! As far as I know they don't have a jingle, but they could do some promotion so I could win something free once in my life! I'm playing Gamarama every time I go to Ingles, but if I ever win, bet it would be probably in the one dollar slot.

I was very disappointed when Bobby Johnson stopped giving green stamps, but he's always so nice and friendly that it is a pleasure to trade with him. And it is fun to chat with Juanita Treadway and catch up on the doings at our church when I miss a Sunday or so. She tells me we have a new pastor, the Rev. Jimmy Buekner. He's going to have to come visit his sick member and get me back to church! I have really enjoyed hearing Dr. Cecil Sherman of the Asheville Baptist Church while I've been sick. That man sounds like a real southern hill billy, but he can certainly give the most thought provoking sermons I've ever heard!

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Coates of Rt. 6, Marshall announce the engagement of their daughter Miss Amelia Coates to John Scott MacNichol, son of Mr. and Mrs. Newton MacNichol of Westmont, N. J.

Miss Coates is a graduate of Mars Hill High School and Weaver Airline School of Kansas City, Mo. and is employed by Cherry Hill Travel Agency of Cherry Hill, N. J.

Mr. MacNichol is an alumnus of Syracuse University and is employed as assistant recreation director of the Department of Parks and Recreation of Moorestown, N. J.

An August wedding is planned.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. James O. Radford, of 45 Hilltop Drive, Weaverville, a son, Michael James, January 13, 1975 at Memorial Mission Hospital. Mrs. Radford is the former Miss Joy Buckner, of Mars Hill.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Samuel Rudisill, of Marshall, a son, January 25, 1975, in Memorial Mission Hospital.

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tweed, of Pontiac, Mich., left Saturday for their home after spending several days visiting friends and relatives in this section.



MRS. ROM WORLEY of Asheville announces the engagement of her daughter, Teresa Ann, to James Timothy Barnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barnett of Asheville. Miss Worley is the daughter of the late Sgt. Worley and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Worley and Mr. Moody Davis of Rt. 7, Marshall. She attended the University of North Carolina in Asheville and is now attending Asheville-Buncombe Technical Institute. She will graduate in May as a dental hygienist. Mr. Barnett attended Mars Hill College and is now attending the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. A June wedding is planned at Mount Carmel Baptist Church.

Shelton Laurel News

By GLENDORA CUTSHALL
Sympathy goes from the Laurel Community to the family of Roscoe King who attended church regularly and sang in the King Quartet for many years.

Also sympathy is extended to Leroy Shelton's family. He was a faithful worker in his community and church.

Shelton Laurel Best wishes, goes out to Col. Silas W. Purvis, Jr. of Arlington, Va. for comments and the gifts our community has received from him, for our churches and benefits to those who were in need of help. We want to thank you again for every good deed. They were greatly appreciated.

Mrs. Linda Mashburn has resigned her position as Project Director, for the three Clinics in Madison County. Burton Craige of the University of N. C. was hired to assume responsibilities for the Administration program.

The three clinics, I am sure will give him necessary support for directing the Health Program.

Lot of people on Laurel are unfortunately ailing this season with flu and sore throat and other ailments caused by viruses. We are lucky to have the three clinics and their well trained staff to assist us.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Ray from Church Street in Greenville were visiting on Laurel Sunday.

Mrs. Brenda (Franklin) Lowe, was honored with a shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Banks, Jan. 4. Mrs. Winda Dean Shelton and Mamie Banks were hostesses. Thirty six were present.

Shower Given Jesse Hunters Last Saturday

Saturday, Jan. 25, 1975 a household shower was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hunter. Mrs. Hunter is the former Miss Anna Lou Silver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allon Silver of Rt. 6 Marshall. Mr. Hunter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hunter, also of Marshall.

The shower was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allon Silver with Mrs. James Arrington, Mrs. Clarence Bartlett, Mrs. Bruce Buckner, Mrs. Joe Ogle, Mrs. Geneva Windsor and Mrs. Raymond Wyatt as hostesses.

Served was delicious refreshments to approximately 50 guests.

The honored guest was Mrs. Belva Freeman who recently celebrated her 50th wedding anniversary. This being the grandmother of the groom. Also a special friend and neighbor of the bride, Mrs. J. D. Gosnell of Grapevine.

The color scheme of yellow and white was carried out in decor.

The table was spread with a white lace cloth centered with a yellow flower arrangement.

During the social hour, games were played and prizes were won by Mrs. T. W. Corn Sr., Miss Audrey Hunter, Miss Connie Silver, Miss Silva Joyce Silver and Phillip Silver. The door prize was won by Mrs. Easter Corn Sr.

After which the bride and groom opened many useful and beautiful gifts.

The shower ended as Mrs. James Arrington read the comments that were made by the bride and groom as they opened their gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hunter will resume residency at their home at Walnut Creek.

Engagement

Dr. and Mrs. Sheldon Edward Domm of Knoxville announce the engagement of their daughter, Sylvia Glenn, to Weaver H. McCracken III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weaver H. McCracken Jr. of New Orleans, La., formerly of Western North Carolina.

The bride-elect attended North Central College in Naperville, Ill., and is presently teaching high school English in Knoxville.

Mr. McCracken is a graduate of the University of Tennessee with a degree in forestry and is now attending graduate school there in forest ecology. He is a member of Theta Xi social fraternity.

The wedding will take place at 7 p.m. March 22 at The Church of the Good Shepherd, Knoxville.

Mr. McCracken is the son of the former Frances Dodson of Marshall and the grandson of Mrs. F. A. Dodson and the late Mr. Dodson.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Rector, of Walnut, announce the engagement of their daughter, Rebecca Lynn, to Larry Russell Payne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Payne of Marshall.

Miss Rector is a student at Asheville-Buncombe Technical Institute and Mr. Payne is employed by Square D Company.



WORKING IDEAS

You may not be aware of it yet, but more and more American working people are changing their eating habits.

Today, a businesswoman's (and woman's) lunch is quite likely to come in a brown paper bag. And that's not such a bad idea. When the weather's frightful, it's delightful not to have to go out in it, and as some efficient business people know, lunch hour is a good time to get a lot of things done; finish the newspaper, figure your income tax or your grocery list, or just meditate, without having to waste time and money on going out to lunch.

While the weather is raging, you can warm your spirits



by adding some boiling water to a package of soup mix or a bouillon cube. It makes a great addition to a sandwich and it's a longer-lasting snack than coffee.

Inter-office lunches can be fun, even if you're "brown bagging it." Invite some friends to join you. Have a little party. Maybe even share a bottle of wine. You can equip a desk drawer especially for luncheon parties. Store some pretty Dixie paper cups, plates and bowls along with paper napkins, placemats, salt and pepper or anything else you particularly like to spice up your meals.

Try these easy suggestions and "eating in" may just become a favorite habit for your entire office.

Our country is so large that each state or region has its own seasonal pastimes and activities based on climate and cultural background.

Florida is known for its juicy citrus fruits and Key Lime Pie. For a delicious appetizer or light dessert try Creamy Sunshine Salad. This healthful salad combines fresh orange and grapefruit sections with avocado slices, a sweet 'n' creamy Concord grape dressing and chopped macadamia nuts. The dressing is quick and easy to prepare because it's made with convenient Concord grape jelly and sour cream.

An updated version of that specialty from the Florida Keys is Key Grape-Lime Pie. A layer of Concord grape preserves, spread over the bottom pie crust before adding lime filling and meringue gives a pleasant contrast of flavors and colors to this famous dessert.

So let the sun shine in at your house this winter with these flavor favorites from the sunny State of Florida.

- Creamy Sunshine Salad**
- 2 cups orange sections
 - 1 cup grapefruit sections
 - 1 medium avocado, sliced
 - 2 sliced Boston lettuce leaves
 - 1 cup dairy sour cream
 - 1/4 cup Concord grape jelly
 - 1/4 teaspoon salt
 - 1/4 cup chopped macadamia nuts
- Combine orange, grapefruit and avocado. Arrange on lettuce leaves. Blend sour cream and grape jelly. Add salt and macadamia nuts; stir to blend. Serve sauce over salad. Makes 4 servings.
- Key Lime-Grape Pie**
- 1-1/2 cups sugar
 - 1/3 cup cornstarch
 - 3 eggs, separated
 - 1-1/2 cups water
 - 2 teaspoons grated lime peel
 - 1/4 cup fresh lime juice
 - 2 drops green food coloring (optional)
 - 1/2 cup Concord grape preserves
 - 1 9-inch pie shell, baked and cooled
 - 1/4 teaspoon cream of tartar
 - 6 tablespoons sugar
 - 1/2 cup shredded coconut
- In a medium saucepan combine sugar and cornstarch. Blend egg yolks and water; gradually stir into sugar mixture. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, until mixture thickens and boils. Cook 1 minute longer. Remove from heat and stir in lime peel, lime juice and food coloring. Spread Concord grape preserves in bottom of prepared pie shell. Pour lime filling over preserves. Beat egg whites and cream of tartar in small deep mixing bowl at high speed until foamy. Gradually beat in sugar, continue beating until stiff and glossy. Heap meringue onto hot mixture and spread over filling, carefully sealing meringue to edge of crust. Bake at 400°F. for about 10 minutes until meringue is a delicate brown. Makes 6 to 8 servings.



CRAFTY IDEAS

SENTIMENTS RIGHT FROM THE HEART

You may not want to wear your heart upon your sleeve, but it's just possible that some of the people you care about on Valentine's Day might want to wear your heart on chains or pinned onto their collars. It's all a matter of making and molding "Creative Clay."

Here's how to do it. You'll need 1 cup Argo corn starch, 2 cups baking soda (1 pound package), and 1/4 cups cold water. Stir together corn starch and baking soda in saucepan, mixing thoroughly. Add water. Mix until smooth. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, until mixture reaches a slightly moist mashed potato consistency. (Mixture will come to a boil, then start to thicken first in lumps and then in a thick mass, it should hold its shape when piled.)

Turn out on plate; cover with a damp cloth and let stand. When cool enough to handle, knead as you would dough until smooth. Shape as desired. If not to be used immediately, store tightly covered; the clay stays pliable for many weeks in a cool place.

To form the flat heart shape, roll out on waxed paper to a 1/4 inch thickness and cut with cookie cutters. Either make a hole in which to thread a ribbon or plan



Do You Want To Bake Your Own Bread?

Do you like home baked bread? Would you like to learn to bake your own? If this appeals to your imagination, return the blank below to the County Extension Office or call 649-2411.

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