

SOCIETY.

Baptist Women Give Dinner For Nurses and Helpers

The Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist church entered into a dinner in the church dining room on Tuesday evening as a courtesy to the nurses and their helpers at the Haywood County Hospital. Mrs. Sam Jones, rearing president, served as toaststress.

Mrs. Earl Messer, newly elected president, welcomed the nurses and helpers in behalf of the hostess group. Mrs. W. L. Kirkpatrick, superintendent of the Haywood County Hospital, responded. The guest of the evening was introduced.

Other features of the program included the following: a duet by Mrs. L. E. Green and Mrs. H. G. Hammett; a devotional period led by Mrs. Carl Ratcliff; a solo by Mrs. H. G. Hammett, "Angels of Mercy," written especially for Red Cross nurses; and a prayer lead by Mrs. J. R. Morgan.

The patriotic motif was observed in all the table decorations and comments at the long tables at which the 78 members and their guests were seated.

Mrs. Campbell And Mrs. Ferguson Give Bridge Party

Mrs. R. R. Campbell and Mrs. Milas Ferguson were joint hostesses on Friday evening when they gave a contract party at the home of the former in Thomas Park in compliment to Miss Mary Willie Knight Rotha, whose marriage was solemnized this week.

Mrs. Ila Gallentine, of Daytona Beach, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harold Massie, was the winner of the high score prize and Mrs. Felix Stovall won the low score prize. The bride-elect was also presented a lovely gift.

Those making up the tables were: Miss Thomasine Stringfield, Miss Mary Willie Knight Rotha, Miss Tillie Rotha, Miss Jane White, Mrs. C. C. White, Mrs. Hugh Massie, Mrs. J. Wilford Ray, Mrs. Carleton E. Weatherby, Mrs. Harold Massie, Mrs. Johnny Cuddeback, Mrs. Felix Stovall and Mrs. Ila Gallentine.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stovall had as their guest the latter part of last week Mrs. D. W. Smith, of Candler, the latter's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hockstra, Hazel and Buddy Withers, of Florida, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Withers in Hazelwood.

Willie R. Tate, of Newton, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Joe M. Tate.

Mrs. Richard N. Barber, Jr., and young daughter, Elizabeth Barber, have returned from Griffin, Ga., where they visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Norman.

Harry Lee Limer, Jr., spent the week-end in Florence, S. C. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Limer and daughter, Betty, who had been visiting the latter's parents.

James Leatherwood, son of the Rev. and Mr. Frank Leatherwood, who volunteered for service in the U. S. Army Air Corps is now stationed at Wichita Falls, Tex.

L. T. New, Jr., former director of the Waynesville high school band who volunteered in the service this month and was sent to Fort Bragg, is now stationed at Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Mrs. Herbert Moore Platt and Miss Billie Carver spent the week-end in Fort Jackson, where they went to visit the former's husband, Sergeant Platt, and the latter's brother, Private First Class, Eugene Carver.

Miss Carmen Platt is leaving today for Washington, D. C., where she has accepted a position with the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics.

Chas. Turbyfill, of New York, who is connected with the Museum of The American Indian, arrived Thursday and will spend several days here with his mother, Mrs. P. L. Turbyfill.

Mrs. J. C. Turner, of Elmer, N. J., arrived on Sunday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. P. L. Turbyfill. Mrs. Turner is the former Miss Nora Turbyfill.

Bob McLean, who has spent the past several weeks with relatives in Tuscaloosa and Birmingham, Ala., has returned.

Mrs. Homer Justice has returned from a visit to her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Justice, Jr., in Wilmington. While there Mrs. Justice witnessed her first "blackout".

Wright Honored With Shower Tuesday

Mrs. Millard Fortner and Mrs. Ward Robinson were joint hostesses of a miscellaneous shower Tuesday evening at the home of Francis Wright, honoring Jack Wright, the former Miss Bryn Revis.

A shower of gifts were presented to the honoree, and games and contests were enjoyed by all.

Those present were: Miss Lucy Wright, Miss Willie Mae Cope, Miss Lucile Raines, Miss Quayney, Miss Mildred Rogers, Miss Ella Wright, Miss Wilma Hoyle, Miss Lucile Wright, Miss Bonnie E. Miss Pearl Watson, Miss Bernice Fortner, Miss Wilma Revis, Miss Irene Pruitt, and Miss Wright.

Mrs. Pink Compton, Mrs. Francis Wright, Mrs. Moody Farmer, Mrs. Peter Worsham, Jr., Mrs. M. E. Reiser, Mrs. Jesse Curtis, Mrs. Nell Clarke, Mrs. Howard Robinson, Mrs. Ralph Sease, Mrs. Bob Conway, and the bride's mother, Conway Revis.

Mrs. J. C. Madison is spending week visiting friends in High Point. Mrs. Madison with her husband, Rev. Madison, resided in High Point seven years before coming here last fall, when the Rev. became pastor of the First Methodist church.

Mrs. Kate Morris left Tuesday for Charlotte where she will visit sister, Mrs. Ed Isehour.

Mrs. George H. Ward, of Asheville, spent Tuesday in town as guest of friends.

Edwin Potate left Saturday for Port News, where he has accepted a position at the shipyards. Potate and two children to join him soon.

Mrs. Joe N. Tate left last week for Tampa, Florida, where she is to spend three weeks with her family.

Mrs. T. B. Allen, of Henderson, spent the week-end with her husband, Mr. P. E. Hyatt, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hyatt.

Mrs. R. Thomas has gone to Wilmington, where he has accepted a position with the shipbuilding industry there.

Mrs. S. H. Bushnell spent the week-end in Asheville as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Ward.

Navy Honors Kearny Officers



C. P. Phonograph

Here are four of the fourteen officers and sailors of the *Kearny* who were rewarded by the Navy for "heroism, gallantry, and devotion to duty." Lieut. Robert J. Eslinger (top left), Ypsilanti, Mich., engineer officer, and Lt. Com. Anthony L. Danis (bottom right) of Washington, D. C., commander of the *Kearny*, were awarded the Navy Cross. Ensign Reuben Perley, Jr. (top right), Riverside, Calif., and the destroyer's executive officer, Lieut. Eugene S. Sarfield (bottom left) of Brooklyn, N. Y., received official letters of commendation.

Local Man Given Special Work In Employment Office

Ernest McCracken, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McCracken, of this county with Frank I. Busbee, both located in Raleigh, with the United States Employment Service, have been borrowed by Washington officials and will be engaged for the next two or three months in work in and out of regional office, embracing North Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland and the District of Columbia.

Announcement was made of the "Loan" by R. Mayne Albright, director of the U. S. Employment Service for North Carolina, who said that the men are needed in the office in connection with the reorganization of employment Service work on a national basis.

Mr. McCracken has been acting recently as field supervisor for the employment service in the Raleigh area, and has been connected with the work since 1937. He is a graduate of Western Carolina Teachers College and formerly taught in the local schools.

He began his work with the employment service as senior interviewer in the Waynesville office, later was assistant manager of the Asheville office and then the manager of the Lenoir office. He is state president of the N. C. chapter of the International Association of Public Employment Service.

WILLING

Since the declaration of war, Jackson county farmers have indicated they are more than willing to do whatever is possible to insure a speedy victory, says Assistant Farm Agent C. H. Kirkman.

PROFITABLE

W. G. Morgan, of Wake Forest, Route 1, reports that during December he received \$205.14 above feed costs from a flock of 622 White Leghorn hens, says J. D. Thompson, assistant farm agent of Wake county.

DISCOVERY

B. W. Grady, Mt. Olive, said he had no idea his farm expenses were so large until he summarized his first set of farm records at the end of the year, reports L. F. Weeks, assistant farm agent of Duplin county.

GREATER

Despite record-breaking exports to her allies, chiefly the United Kingdom, stocks of important food in Canada are greater than for many years.

Home On Leave



ROBERT H. HAMILTON, electrician, U. S. Navy, who has spent the past week here with his mother, Mrs. J. T. Glenn.

Robert H. Hamilton Electrician U. S. Navy Visits Mother Here

Robert H. Hamilton, electrician, U. S. Navy, son of Mrs. J. T. Glenn, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cabe, has spent the past week here with his mother.

Young Hamilton enlisted last February and has since seen service on the U. S. S. Pocumoke in the Atlantic. Prior to his enlistment in the navy he held a position with the Middlemont Gardens in Asheville.

J. E. Massie Attends Meet of Motion Picture Theater Managers

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Massie and son, Joe Massie, spent a couple of days during the week in Charlotte, where the former attended a meeting of motion picture theater managers of the Southern States.

EQUIPMENT

United States military authorities say that to build an army, 250 pounds of cotton are required for each enlisted man, with frequent replacements of clothing articles necessary.

SACKS

While the 100-pound potato sack has become the most commonly used size, there is an increasing tendency to use 50-pound sacks which, eventually, may become the standard size.

Home Hygiene and Courses Under Red Cross Start Soon

Classes in home hygiene and nursing under the auspices of the local Red Cross chapter with Mrs. W. H. F. Millar serving as chairman of the committee in charge, will start sometime during the next ten days.

The courses offered will include first aid measures which are needed in case of disaster or calamity, and those wishing to take the work are asked to notify Mrs. Millar.

The following representatives from local groups will assist in the organization of the classes: Mrs. J. R. McCracken, health department; Mrs. Thad Howell, D. A. R.; Mrs. Chas. U. Miller, Woman's Club; Mrs. M. C. Green, Legion Auxiliary; Miss Nancy Killian, P. T. A.; Mrs. G. C. Davis, U. D. C.

Major J. H. Howell Returns From Tour Of Inspection

"The response to the short length of training they have received is simply remarkable," said Major J. Harden Howell, who is in command of five units of the North Carolina State Guard, upon his return from an inspection of the companies.

Major further stated that he had seen men with weeks of training in no finer shape than the guards he had in his command, which include units in Canton, Asheville, Morganton, Rutherfordton and Waynesville.

Edwin Fincher's Store At Clyde Entered, Robbed

Thieves entered the Clyde store owned and operated by Edwin Fincher some time Thursday night or early Friday morning and carried away a quantity of silver money estimated to be not more than \$15.

Mr. Fincher had left the safe unlocked. Entrance was gained by prying open the front door.

Sheriff's deputies obtained a bloodhound from the state prison camp at Hazelwood and trailed the thieves for a mile and a half into Medford Cove where the dog lost the scent.

Anyone who always has a kick coming finds it eventually arrives.

Joint Meeting Of Motor Club And Highway Officials

Coleman Roberts, president of the Carolina Motor Club, recently announced that he had called a special meeting of the club's board of directors for January 28th, at Columbia, S. C., and invited state highway and motor vehicle officials from both North and South Carolina to attend the session, for the express purpose of discussing ways and means to meet future highway needs and to study a long-time highway planning program for the Carolinas. He also announced that when the next session of the South Carolina state legislature convenes in January, the Carolina Motor Club will present a program of great interest to that state.

In addition to the general counsel and chief engineer from each state, the Carolina Motor Club has invited L. B. Prince, chairman of the North Carolina state highway commission; J. M. Williamson, chairman of the South Carolina state highway commission; and T. B. Ward and A. W. Bohlen, directors of the motor vehicle departments of North and South Carolina, respectively, to attend the meeting.

During the forthcoming joint conclave of the CMC directors and highway officials, visits will probably be made to certain projects in South Carolina, including Fort Jackson, in which highway officials of both states will be interested.

Anticipating a great increase in highway travel, Roberts declared, "Travel will play an important part in defense activities, as well as post-war activities. Manufacturers and executives of all kinds have found that help and labor are more efficient and more valuable when they take time off for recreation and travel."

"With this idea in mind, the Carolina Motor Club urges employers to provide at least two weeks vacation with pay for all employees every year, and we urge those who are entitled to such vacations to take trips, to visit new places and meet new people, and talk about things different from their everyday life. It is such a program of recreation that will lead to a better understanding among all our people. It will lead to a greater appreciation of our natural resources and opportunity; and it will promote better health among all."

The Cruso 4-H club had an interesting meeting last week, on the defense program, which was explained by Wayne Corpening, club leader.

Saving scrap metals, clothing and paper was discussed following a moving picture showing war scenes in Europe.

BETTY CLARK, Reporter.

Private Grover Robinson, of Fort Jackson, spent the week-end here with Mrs. Robinson.

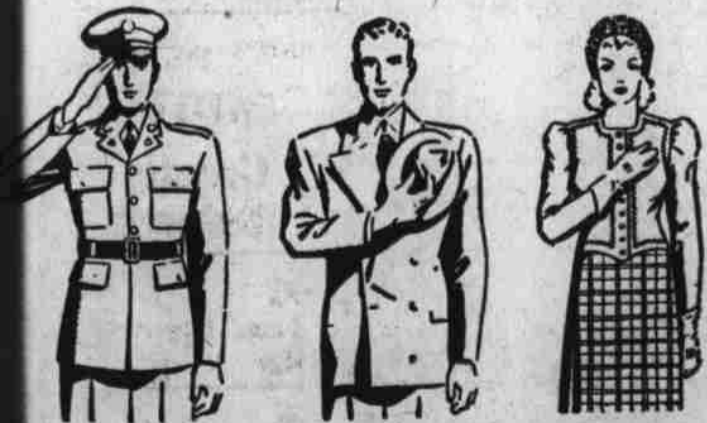
Prohibition is a national industrial blessing. The dry law improves home conditions of women and children.—Thomas Edison.

Local Scrap Materials May Be Left At Farmers Federation Near Depot

A Red Cross pile for the collection of scrap metal and old rubber will be maintained at the Waynesville warehouse of the Farmers Federation, according to manager Jule Noland.

The people of Waynesville and vicinity can leave their scrap metal and old rubber material at the Farmers Federation, Mr. Noland said, and when the accumulation is sold the proceeds will be turned over to the Red Cross.

Every Patriotic American Salutes His Nation's Flag



During the ceremony of hoisting or lowering the flag, or when the flag is passing in a parade or in a show, all persons present should salute the flag, stand at attention if in uniform.

Those present in uniform should render the right hand salute.

Those men not in uniform should remove their headgear with the right hand and hold it at the left shoulder, the hand being over the heart.

Women should salute by placing the right hand over the heart.

The salute to the flag in a moving column is rendered as the flag approaches the spectator and is held until it has passed.

Mr. Business Man.. Take Babson's Advice...

"Do More Advertising In 1942 If You Expect Good Business"

In his annual forecast, this internationally famous business commentator, said the war will help and hurt retail business, and "on the whole I do not expect retail trade to be so good in 1942 as it was in 1941.

"I recommend to retailers that they must increase their advertising appropriations if they expect good business in 1942. Selling in general has not been difficult in recent months. Stores have been filled with plenty of buyers. Fear of inflation and a belief on the part of many that goods might be worth more than money has boosted sales. . . From here on, what with real sacrifices in consumers goods, rationing, standardization, and limitations on prices, competition will increase. Stores must use every device at their command to bolster their gross business.

"ADVERTISING IS THE MOST NATURAL AND POWERFUL FORCE TO BREAK UP THE COMING BUYERS' 'SIT DOWN' STRIKE."

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