



MRS. R. J. FOWLER AND MISS MARGARET JOHNSTON chat at the tea table during a tea given yesterday afternoon by the Haywood Council of home demonstration clubs, in honor of Miss Johnston. Mrs. Fowler, left, is president of the

council. Seated at the table is Mrs. James Howell of the Jonathan Club, Miss Johnston, who recently resigned as county librarian, has worked closely with the home demonstration clubs in their reading programs. (Mountaineer Photo).

Haywood HD Clubs Honor Miss Margaret Johnston

Miss Margaret Johnston, who recently resigned as Haywood County librarian to accept a similar position in Rockingham County, was the guest of honor at a tea given by the Haywood County Council of Home Demonstration Clubs Wednesday afternoon in the dining room of the First Methodist Church.

The receiving line was composed of the guest of honor and the following council officers: Mrs. R. J. Fowler, president; Mrs. George Frady, 1st vice president; Mrs. Jimmie Williams, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Hugh Noland, secretary; and Mrs. V. E. Wilson, Jr., treasurer. Also receiving were Miss Mary Cornwell, county home demonstration agent, Miss Jean Childers, assistant agent; and Mrs. W. D. Ketter and Mrs. Henry Garner, district officers.

The tea table was covered with a lace cloth and had as a centerpiece an arrangement of larkspur, iris, gladioli, and pussy-willow, flanked by white candles in silver holders.

Presiding at the tea and coffee services were Mrs. H. O. Champion and Mrs. Mark Reno during the first hour, Mrs. Rankin Ferguson and Mrs. Harold Smathers during the second hour, and Mrs. Loranzo Smathers and Mrs. James Howell, the last hour.

Assisting in serving were Mrs. Haynes Henson, Mrs. Paul Clark, Jr., Mrs. Manson Medford, Mrs. Troy McCracken, Mrs. S. E. McCrary, Mrs. Homer West, Mrs. Steve Plemons, Mrs. Ernest Green, Mrs. Henry Francis, Mrs. Rudolph Corwell, Mrs. Roy Edwards, Mrs. Charles Penland, Mrs. A. L. Bramlett, Mrs. Bill Cooper, Mrs. Tom Rogers, Mrs. Edwin Russell, Mrs. Jack P. McCracken, Mrs. Phillip Chase, and Mrs. W. S. McElrath.

Alternating at the guest register were Mrs. Arthur Dills, Mrs. Lloyd Parham, and Mrs. Hugh Rogers.

Music during the afternoon was presented by Mrs. Joe Cathey, Miss Linda Boone, and Hugh K. Terrell, Jr., all pianists.

Others assisting were Mrs. Eldridge Caldwell, Mrs. Harold Hansen, Mrs. Hugh Early, Mrs. Hurst Burgin, Mrs. Bill Linder, Mrs. Hiram McCracken, Mrs. Troy Leath-

Action Blocked



SENATOR FRANCIS CASE (R-S. D.) is shown outside the Senate chambers in Washington after action was blocked on his proposal to investigate his claim that he was offered a \$2,500 political contribution by a lawyer who favored the natural gas bill. The measure would exempt natural gas producers from direct Federal control. (International)

from the branches, reducing next year's apple crop.

Deer Damage Orchards

CHELAN, Wash. (AP)—Farmers are shooting off fireworks to frighten deer out of apple orchards. Bob Hatch, one of the operators of the Hatch Ranch at Navarre Coulee, said he's been working up to 21 hours a day, shooting flares and herding deer into the hills.

The State Game Department has supplied very pistols, used for propelling parachute flares. The flares work well at night, but during the day the deer have to be herded out of the orchards. "I have counted at least 40 deer in the orchard at one time," Hatch said.

The food-hunting deer eat buds

erwood, Mrs. Luther Shaw, Mrs. Robert Rowe, and Mrs. Gudger Palmer.

In charge of decorations and arrangements were Mrs. J. B. Hurley, Mrs. Bramlette Stone, Mrs. Charles Isley, Mrs. Ralph Crawford, Mrs. R. O. Kelly, Mrs. Denton Browning, Mrs. Fred Allison, Mrs. Mark Galloway, Miss Kate Phillips, and Mrs. Carl Ratcliffe.

More than two hundred guests called. Miss Johnston, who has been librarian during the twelve years, since the establishment of county-wide library service, completed her work here February 1. She will assume her new duties March 15 and will make her home in Leaksville.

THE OLD HOME TOWN



Walls Should Be Prepared Properly Before Painting

About 95 per cent of all paint failures are caused by improper preparation of the surface to be painted.

According to Pauline Gordon, State College extension specialist in housing and house furnishings, the most important step in painting is preparing the walls so that the paint will have a solid foundation.

After you've thoroughly cleaned the walls and filled cracks, you'll need to prime and seal them. This insures you of an even penetration of the finish coat preventing light, dark or shiny spots.

Miss Gordon explains that primers and sealers may be clear or pigmented. To determine the proper undercoating for a wall finish,

use the undercoat recommended by the manufacturer and follow the directions for applying it.

The undercoat can not be touched up by applying a second coat to spots. The entire surface must be covered from one natural break to another (from corner to corner and from baseboard to ceiling).

Actually there are three types of wall primers: clear type varnish, a pigmented primer and shellac.

There are also three tools for applying paint: A spray gun, roller and brush. The spray gun is least used by home owners because it requires special skill to operate it. A roller puts on a uniform film of paint, does it rapidly and easily.

Singing Convention Set Sunday At Antioch

The fourth Sunday singing will be held at the Antioch Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock.

The Deacon Quartet and Bannock family of Sylva will be among the visiting groups. Also the Joy Quartet of Iron Duff, and others.

As for brushes, the best are made of imported hogs hair. However, the nylon brushes have been improved and will now do a good job.

Parking Problem

CHAMPAIGN - URBANA, Ill. (AP) — Prof Charles H. Bowman, chairman of the University of Illinois Traffic and Parking Board, says the campus needs 2,000 more parking spaces.

He figures that cost per space is about \$750 which would amount to \$1 1/2 millions and no such funds are available, he says.

Among suggestions are: charge for parking, prohibit students from operating cars, or impose a partial ban whereby student cars would be prohibited from parking on University-owned streets.

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Looking Sharp

CINCINNATI (AP) — One manufacturer is using television to determine the sharpness of knife. The TV set inspects chrome-scraper blades used in lithography coating machines. It magnifies the blades' thin edges 288 times so that inspectors can check for tiny imperfections. Previously inspectors looked at the blades through an ordinary microscope.

Frank Connelly, machine shop manager and originator of this TV usage, said inspectors get the job done twice as fast and with more accuracy.

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