

Social and Personals

Edward Harris, State College student, is at home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunfee were Greenville visitors, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holston visited Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Lang during the week end.

Mrs. John A. Moore, of Fayetteville, is the guest of Mrs. Louise D. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Pollard and Mrs. E. Jones were Greensboro visitors, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Holmes and Miss Frances Winstead were Raleigh visitors, Wednesday.

Mrs. H. H. Simon, of Tarboro, was the guest of Mrs. J. M. Whiteless during the week end.

Mrs. G. A. Jones and Miss Pauline Stroud were Goldsboro and Kinston visitors, Thursday.

Mrs. Ted L. Albritton and Miss Vernice Lang Jones were Rocky Mt. visitors, Wednesday.

Miss Nancy Lewis, teacher in the Ayden schools, is spending the week end at her home here.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Watson Keffer and small son, Bobby, spent Sunday with friends in Kinston.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Walston and Mrs. J. Y. Monk were Durham and Raleigh visitors, Monday.

Miss Rachel Lewis, of Washington, is spending the week end with her mother, Mrs. Nannie Lewis.

Mrs. Lula Forbes and Miss Lula Forbes spent the week end with relatives in Newport News, Va.

Miss Eva Mae Hardy, of Kinston, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hardy.

Mrs. Flave Darden, Miss Nancy and Albert Sidney Darden were Goldsboro visitors, Wednesday.

Miss Mary Ellen Yelverton, of the Snow Hill school faculty, is spending the week end at her home here.

Mrs. J. Y. Monk and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Watson were Fayetteville and Fort Bragg visitors, Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Davis, Jr., Mrs. Agnes Blount and Mrs. L. E. Walston were Rocky Mount visitors, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parker and children moved this week into the home of Arch Flanagan on East Church street.

Mrs. Marie Benson, Miss Martha Lewis, Mrs. Reddin and Mrs. Nannie Lewis were Smithfield and Selma visitors, Sunday.

Friends will be glad to learn that W. A. McAdams, who has been undergoing treatment in a Rocky Mount hospital this week, is reported as improving steadily.

Mrs. A. C. Monk, Jr., Mrs. R. O. Lang, Mrs. Irvin Morgan, Jr., Mrs. Edison Moore and Mrs. Tommy Ryan spent Wednesday in Raleigh.

Mrs. Paul E. Jones, Miss Vernice Lang Jones, Mrs. Ted L. Albritton and Mrs. John B. Joyner were Richmond, Va., visitors, Monday.

Miss Sarah Carr leaves Sunday for Raleigh, where she has accepted a temporary position with the State Department of Revenue.

Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. W. T. Twiford, who has been ill for several days is recuperating rapidly and is able to be up again.

Sept. 1, H. Moore has been attending the annual meeting of the Southern Association of Schools and Colleges, held in Memphis this week.

A large number of Farmville people attended the Garden Club exhibit put on by the Greenville Garden Club on Friday and Saturday, in Greenville.

Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. T. C. Turnage has returned from a Wilson hospital, where she has been receiving treatment, and is recuperating.

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BIRD CLUB

The Bird Club held its regular meeting with the program subject of "Birds" before members and guests of the members. An interesting and unusual feature was the project show presented by Mr. Rogers, in which the sparing of birds for the destruction of insects was featured. Special mention was made of how the project is being carried on.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Monday, December 18

3:00 P. M.—Episcopal Auxiliary meets with Mrs. J. H. Dawson.

4:00 P. M.—Executive meeting of P. T. A. at home of Mrs. E. Leroy Rollins, president.

7:00 P. M.—Red Men.

7:30 P. M.—Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary gives Christmas program in the church. Public invited.

Tuesday, 19

3:00 P. M.—Contract Club meets with Mrs. Z. M. Whitburn.

6:30 P. M.—Rotary Club.

8:00 P. M.—Junior Order.

Wednesday, 20

2:00 P. M.—Fine Arts Department meets at the home of Mrs. J. W. Holmes with Mrs. John D. Holmes as joint hostess.

Thursday, 21

3:00 P. M.—American Legion Auxiliary meets in the hall with Mrs. E. Leroy Rollins, Mrs. Haywood Smith and Mrs. O. G. Spell as hostesses.

7:30 P. M.—Parent-Teacher. Public invited.

Friday, 22

7:30 P. M.—Boy Scouts.

8:00 P. M.—Woodmen of the World.

AMERICAN LEGION

A turkey dinner and a full attendance characterized the American Legion meeting of this week. J. H. Paylor, district commander, presided and made a talk to the Legionnaires. The local Post voted to assist in the Christmas relief work now underway here.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM MONDAY AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Woman's Auxiliary, of the Presbyterian Church, will sponsor a Christmas program at the church Monday evening, December 18, at 7:30 o'clock, to which the community is cordially invited. The Sunday School children who are to take part in the program are in the midst of rehearsals at this time, and the entertainment promises to be one of splendid merit.

FARMVILLE COOK BOOK IS USEFUL CHRISTMAS GIFT

The Farmville Cook Book, of tested, favorite recipes, obtained from Farmville housekeepers and compiled by the women of the Episcopal Auxiliary, is now on sale and in their beautiful red covers will make attractive Christmas gifts that will be useful to the recipient every day in the year and for many years to come.

See or call any member of the Episcopal Auxiliary for a prompt response in the providing of an opportunity for viewing or purchasing this useful Christmas gift, a boon to the housewife and a joy to those at her board. —(adv.)

MRS. E. Y. BEARDSLEY

Mrs. E. Y. Beardsley, 63, died at her home near Farmville on Wednesday afternoon following an illness of two weeks.

The former Miss Lizzie Jones, she was a native of Wake County, born on August 21, 1877, a daughter of the late William Berry and Sophia Barber Jones. She had been a member of First Memorial Baptist Church, Raleigh, for a number of years.

Funeral services were held at the home on Thursday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. E. B. Fordham and the Rev. Key Taylor. Burial was in Hollywood cemetery here.

Survivors are her husband and two nieces, Mrs. Alice Parham and Mrs. C. V. Ward, both of Garner. She was a cousin of W. B. Jones of Raleigh and Ernest Jones of Durham.

LUNCH ROOM MENU

Farmville School, Dec. 18-20

Monday—Cottage boiled potatoe, pork, baked beans, steamed green beans, 10c; chocolate pie, 5c.

Tuesday—Hamburg in roll, sandwich, baked beans, 10c; lemon pie, 5c.

Wednesday—Spaghetti, stew, cucumber greens, pickles, corn bread, baked apples, 10c; chocolate pie, 5c.

Thursday—Salmon croquette, potatoe salad, creamed potatoe, green beans, biscuit, 10c; caramel pie, 5c.

Friday—Baked beans with pork, stew, sweet potato, steamed tomatoes, 10c; raisin pie, 5c.

C. S. Whittelsey, Sr., Killed In Accident

Mr. C. S. Whittelsey, Sr., 60, of Morganton, N.C., left Thursday morning in a result of a massive stroke, died this morning, Nov. 20, 1948. He was buried in an accident near Opelika, Okla., of the accident, and funeral details of the accident and funeral arrangements have not been made as yet.

Join the Farmville Club members

Spirit of Festivities Permeates Homes Here

Approaching Holiday Season Emphasized by Hostesses of the Week

Hostesses of the week have observed the approaching holiday season with decorations of holly berries, Christmas trees, potted plants and candlesticks in artistic arrangements which have lent an atmosphere of general festivity and cheerfulness to their homes.

Mrs. John T. Thorne delightedly entertained the Merry Matrons, on Tuesday, at their semi-monthly meeting at which one of the most interesting programs of the entire year was developed by Mrs. George Monk, who gave a splendid talk and showed movie films of scenes in China and in Honolulu. Mrs. Monk, a resident of Shanghai, China, returned to the United States recently. Mrs. A. W. Babbitt was leader of the program for the afternoon, and Mrs. M. V. Jones presented the guest speaker.

Bringing the meeting to a delightful conclusion were vocal solos, by Mrs. J. Sterling Gates, who rendered "God Bless America" and "I Am An American," with Mrs. M. V. Jones at the piano.

A delicious marshmallow salad with coffee and salted nuts was served by the hostess during a pleasant social hour.

An enjoyable meeting of the Couple Club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Subert Joyce, at which Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Jones were awarded the high score prizes of handkerchiefs and a novel ash tray set. Delicious egg nog and cake were served after play.

Mrs. S. A. Roebuck compiled high score at the New Deal Club meeting held at the home of Mrs. D. R. Morgan, and was awarded a beautiful piece of costume jewelry. A delicate sweet course was served after the games.

Mrs. Robert Lee Smith scored high for club members at the Wednesday Afternoon Club meeting this week and Mrs. Wesley E. Willis was awarded the guest prize. The hostess, Mrs. George Moore, Jr., presented the winners with beauty packets. Delicious fruit cake, topped with cream, was served, followed by coffee, mint and nuts. The plates carried tiny lighting tapers.

The first December meeting of the Junior Woman's Club was featured with an interesting discussion of the opera by Miss Elizabeth Davis, who often attends in New York. Miss Davis concluded her talk with the story of "La Boheme" by Puccini.

Mrs. Jesse Moye presented the president of the group, Mrs. J. Roy Parker, with a club pin in behalf of the members.

During a delightful social period, the hostess, Mrs. C. S. Hotchkiss and Mrs. Charles Meyer, served ice cream from simulated flower pots bearing sprigs of holly, and Christmas cakes and nuts. Special guests were Miss Elizabeth Davis, Mrs. Edgar Barrett and Mrs. H. M. Stilley, of Washington.

The U. D. C. Rebecca Winbourne Chapter met with Mrs. T. W. Lang as hostess and Mrs. G. M. Holden presiding. In a short business session the president read letters from the divisional president outlining the objectives of the organization for the new year and giving the names of the new officers.

After adjournment the hostess served ambrosia and fruit cake, followed by black coffee, rosettes and salted nuts.

The New Deal Club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Henrietta M. Williamson with Mrs. Paul E. Jones winning the club prize, a bath mat, and Mrs. Irvin Morgan, Jr., the guest award, a lovely handkerchief. A delicious grape fruit salad with ham and lettuce, date bars, cheese straws and cookies were served.

The Mayfair Club To Hold Annual Christmas Dance

The Mayfair Club of Farmville will have its annual Christmas Dance on Thursday, December 20th, in the High School Gymnasium. The dance committee has been fortunate in securing the music of Jimmie Eversley and his orchestra for this occasion. Eversley has an eleven piece outfit of talented musicians. A lovely girl singer adds much to this band with her renditions of the popular melodies in their repertoire.

The Christmas dance, which is the second of the fall season, will be the only formal dance of the year for the Mayfair Club. The dance will begin at 10:30 P. M. and will end at 2:00 A. M. with a 30 minute intermission sometime during the midnight hour.

The Club Secretary, George Allen, requests the members to pay their dues promptly and get their bids early and mail or send them to their friends in Eastern Carolina. The bids may be submitted before paying dues if it is more convenient. Donations from individuals, friends and all of whom should be mailed by December 1st.

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Conservation Notes From The Garden Club

"America belongs to us and America will be what we want it to be," is slogan every citizen would do well to keep in mind. We can go in the woods—often not our own—and damage it in its beauty. We can stand before a beautiful doorway or holly or cedar and think, "Isn't nature wonderful?" We can strip these trees of their loneliness and taste we should think, "Aren't some people destructive?"

Garden Clubs have taken up the initiative to conserve the beauty and the glory in nature to the utmost. Everywhere homes are being made more attractive. Home grounds are filled with trees, shrubs and blooming flowers. Roadsides are being stripped of ugly weeds and planted with lovely trees. The song of birds is being preserved in bird sanctuaries and all nature has found a just appeal in the hearts of men.

We are concerned about choice plants, whose range have been so depleted in numerous ways that continued existence in many regions is seriously threatened. By the enforcement of laws, by education and warning, and by publicity campaigns, aimed to lessen mankind's tendency to vandalism, large volumes of effort and money have been spent in building up the "Don't Touch" idea. All this is not enough, however, for the time has come to supplement our prohibitive efforts by creative ones. Instead of taking away we should restore or create, so let us set out to produce more plants of the threatened species, not just for our own enjoyment, but for the reestablishment in other suitable areas from which they have disappeared.

Let us become creative in addition to conserving. For unless we do this, there is cause for alarm at the rate our berry bearing hollies are being cut down or badly mutilated. There is a wealth of material besides holly, which may be used in Christmas decorations; wreaths and sprays may be made of ivy, boxwood, magnolia and ligustrum leaves with seed pods, sweetgum balls, pine cones and ligustrum and privet berries dipped in red paint and mandarin berries. We can grow all these in our yards.

Conservation means perpetuation through wise use. It involves utilization without waste and regeneration without diminution. The post generation, in its dealings with our natural resources, has been noted for

devotion. The government, the conservation department, the state and county and must be guided by sound advice. If we do not do this, we will lose our forests and farms.

From Gerard Harvey we have

bit of advice: "All of us on this earth are bound to do something for the good of our home and country."

It is good to be patriotic and buy our own land and sell it, but after all, no one can have more than the use of the land. A private tree and bushes, the earth and houses on them, are the same as ours. It is the same with God's earth and the people who stay here, we merely His tenants. We should show our gratitude for the privilege of being in the beautiful world, not abusing it and by not making it worse for our having been here. We should damage it as little as possible.

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