

Social Events

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Engagements Announced



Julia Lee Gibson

Gibson - Spring

Mr. Robert Legrand Gibson, of Red Springs, announces the engagement of his daughter, Julia Lee, to Keith Mitchell Spring, son of Jack Carl Spring of Durham. A wedding has been planned for May 19 to take place at Antioch Presbyterian Church.



Rose Mary McGregor

McGregor-Braxton

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McGregor, of Raeford, announce the engagement of their daughter, Rose Mary, to Walter Leroy Braxton, of Aberdeen. A wedding has been planned for April 28 in Southern Pines. The couple is employed at Faberge.



Phoebe Renee Lee

Lee - Tucker

Mr. and Mrs. Roger A. Lee of Summerfield, NC, announce the engagement of their daughter, Phoebe Renee to Charles Pittman Tucker, both of Raeford. Charles is the son of Mrs. Hazel Tucker of Raeford and Mr. Melvin Tucker of Hamlet. He is also the grandson of Mrs. A.W. Pittman, of Raeford. The bride-elect is a graduate of Northwest Guilford High School and Mars Hill College. She is employed as a music teacher at J.W. Turlington School in Raeford.

UDC Holds February Meet

Mrs. Treva Koonce and Mrs. Walta Bostic were hostesses for the February meeting of the Raeford United Daughters of the Confederacy Chapter at the Koonce home. Mrs. Koonce, the President, presided and led the Ritual and Salutes to the flags. The devotional was led by Mrs. Pauline Pittman.

Mrs. Aline Wright, the treasurer, read her annual report. The president announced that the State meeting will be in Greensboro in October and the district meeting will be in Fayetteville on April 5. She also reminded members that a list of all N.C. Chapters, giving the name of the ancestor under which each member qualified for membership in the U.D.C. organization is being made. This will be filed with the State Archives.

Plans were made to purchase a series of books on the Civil War for the Hoke County Library. These books are being published now.

Mrs. Marie Lee, program leader of the month, presented interesting facts on the flags of the Confederacy. Each flag was displayed.

Refreshments were served during the social hour. A Valentine motif was used by the hostesses.



Births

Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt McLean Jr., of Raeford, announce the birth of a daughter, Stephanie Renise, born January 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond G. Parks of Fayetteville, announce the birth of a daughter, Jennifer Martha, born February 1. Mrs. Parks is the former Martha Reynolds of Rockfish.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Faaaligi Matagi announce the birth of a daughter, Michele Faisealofa, born February 2. Mrs. Matagi is the former Ginger Teal of Raeford.

Personals

Steven Lentz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lentz, visited in the home of Keith Cook of Trinity. Keith was a guest of Steven's last weekend.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Harris on Sunday were their children, Tom, of Fayetteville, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harris, of Durham.

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Tracy Parker, Michael Lovette Pledge Nuptials Here Sunday

Tracy Lynne Parker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas Parker of 439 College Drive in Raeford and Michael Lee Lovette, son of Mr. and Mrs. Colin Lee Lovette of Raeford were united in marriage Sunday, February 12 at 3 p.m. in the Evangelical Methodist Church. The Reverend Tex Deaton officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The church was decorated with two spiral candelabras and two candelabras intertwined with greenery and satin bows. Ferns and palms were also used to decorate the church. Two wedding baskets, filled with white glads, white snaps, pink roses, white daisies and baby's breath, also adorned the sanctuary. The kneeling bench and church pews were accented with satin bows.

A program of wedding music was provided by organist Miriam Ropp McNeill and soloist Lester Southern. Songs included "The Gift of Love," "It Seems I Always Loved You," "That's The Way" and "The Wedding Prayer."

The church candles were lit by Steven Lovette, brother of the bride and David Daniels, cousin of the groom.

The bride, escorted by her father, wore a white gown of organza that featured a Queen Anne neckline and a bodice of Chantilly lace and pearls. The gown had full sleeves with fitted cuffs of Chantilly lace. The A-line skirt flowed into a semi-cathedral train trimmed in Chantilly lace. She wore a headpiece of Chantilly lace and pearls that featured a blusher and fingertip veil edged with Chantilly lace.

She carried a bouquet of pink and white roses and baby's breath adorned with bridal lace and satin streamers tied with love knots.

Kimberly Parker, sister of the bride, attended as maid of honor.

She wore a light pink gown with a full skirt made of taffeta material. The gown featured puffed sleeves, a sweetheart neckline and a pink satin bow that tied at the waist.

She carried a bouquet of pink orchids and white daisies with a mixture of forget-me-nots and baby's breath.

Wendy Parker of Raeford, sister of the bride, Julie Lovette of Raeford, sister of the groom, Stephanie Parker of Raeford, cousin of the bride, Donna Pittman of Raeford, cousin of the groom, Shelia Brooks of Hamptonville and Karon Edwards of Fayetteville served as bridesmaids during the ceremony.

They wore gowns identical to the maid of honor's with white satin bows tied around the waist. They also carried identical bouquets.

Gerrian Daniels, cousin of the groom, attended as flower girl.

She wore a white-laced gown of chiffon material with ruffled sleeves and a full skirt. The gown also featured a round neckline. Bows adorned the sleeves.



Mrs. Michael Lee Lovette

Colin Lee Lovette served as his son's best man. Steven Lovette of Raeford, brother of the groom, David Daniels of Raeford, cousin of the groom, Jamie Posey of Raeford, Roger Seaford, Rueben Pate and Jerry Harris served as ushers.

Robert Christopher Lovette, brother of the groom, served as ringbearer. He wore a tuxedo identical to the groom's.

The bride's mother wore a pink gown of taffeta with puffed sleeves and a sweetheart neckline.

The groom's mother wore a maize gown of polyester chiffon with a matching shoulder cape. The gown featured a sweetheart neckline and a gathered skirt.

Mrs. Claudyn Brock directed the wedding ceremony.

Following the ceremony, the bride's parents hosted a reception for the couple in the church fellowship hall.

The wedding party received guests as they entered the reception.

The reception table held a white candelabra with a mixture of pink and white spring flowers. Greenery entwined the punch bowl.

Mrs. Lillian Oliver of Raeford poured the punch while Miss Lisa Locklear of Lumberton attended the bride's book.

Mrs. Kathy Daniels, aunt of the bride, served the wedding cake to the guests.

Betty DePalmer of Hampstead, Maryland, aunt of the bride, Miss Suzie DePalmer of Hampstead, Maryland, cousin of the bride and Mrs. Peggy Harris of Raeford also assisted with the reception.

Out-of-town guests were Miss Shelia Brooks of Hamptonville, Mike Weathers of Raleigh, Miss Karon Edwards of Fayetteville, Betty DePalmer of Hampstead, Maryland, Miss Suzie DePalmer of Hampstead, Maryland, Mrs.

Grace Benton of Portage, Indiana, Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison of Orlando, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Ertel Edwards of Fayetteville and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Grice of Hope Mills.

The guests were greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thames of Raeford and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Steadman of Raeford.

Goodbyes were said by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Davis of Raeford.

The bride chose a white ruffled satin blouse with ruffled sleeves and a red wrap-around skirt with a white lace hem made of cotton and polyester material for her traveling costume.

The bride is a graduate of Hoke County High School and is a sophomore at Pembroke State University. She is employed with Food Lion in Raeford.

The groom is a graduate of Hoke County High School and is presently employed with Pride and Trimble of Southern Pines.

Following a wedding trip to Orlando, Florida, the couple will reside in Raeford.

REHEARSAL DINNER

The groom's parents hosted a buffet dinner on February 11 at 7:30 p.m. at the Hillcrest Baptist Church fellowship hall. A meal of ham, chicken and dumplings, potato salad, green bean casserole and candied yams was served with strawberry cake for dessert. Approximately 40 members of the wedding party and friends were served during the dinner.

BRIDESMAIDS' DINNER

Tracy Parker of Raeford hosted a bridesmaids' dinner at her home on February 10 at 7:00 p.m.

A meal of lasagna, tossed salad, garlic bread and iced tea was served to the bride and her attendants. Chocolate cake and salad were served for dessert.

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Horne, of Raeford, announce the engagement of their daughter, Cynthia Kaye, to James Douglas Wellington. He is the son of John Thomas Wellington and Mrs. Nell Boone Crofton, both of Lumberton.

A wedding date of April 21 has been selected. The couple will wed at Flora Macdonald Academy.

Bridge

Mrs. Martin Webb was hostess for her bridge club on Thursday night, February 9.

A salad supper was served to members and guest, Faye Jordan. Three progressions of bridge were played.

Mrs. John Pecora was high scorer for the evening and Mrs. Neill McFadyen won the low score. Floating prize went to Mrs. Jean Johnson and Mrs. Bobby Gibson won the bingo award.

Hospital News

CAPE FEAR
Mrs. Vernon Russell
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MOORE MEMORIAL
Tracy Bullock

Old Fashioned Prayer Service

SON-LIGHT FELLOWSHIP CHURCH

Sunday - 11:00 a.m.

TEMPORARY LOCATION
Camp Rockfish

Betsy Ann McNeill cordially invites the public to a tea

at the Hoke County Public Library

from 3:30 - 5:00 p.m. Tuesday, February 21

honoring her sister Sarah Jordan

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