

SOCIETY.

Miss Myers Is Hostess to Class Friday

Miss Madeline Myers entertained members of the Queen Esther class of the Sunday school of the First Baptist church at her home on Gwyn avenue Friday evening. Miss Camela Burcham, class president, was in charge of the business session, which featured routine reports.

Games were enjoyed during a social hour with Anne Maguire winning a prize for her skill. Delicious refreshments were served at the conclusion of the games.

Methodist Mission Group Meets Monday

The monthly group meeting of the circles of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church met in the church parlor

Monday afternoon with a splendid attendance. Mrs. J. L. Hall, president, presided over the meeting, which featured routine business and reports.

Circle number one presented the program for the afternoon on "The New Year." Mrs. F. W. Graham, circle chairman, directed the program, assisted by Mrs. Mason Lillard and Mrs. J. Mark McAdams.

Mrs. Ashby Is Hostess Thursday at Luncheon

Having as guests members of her bridge club, Mrs. Charles G. Ashby entertained at an enjoyable bridge-luncheon Thursday at her home on Bridge street. Play began at 10 o'clock. At the conclusion of the progressions the high score award went to Mrs. A.

B. Somers. Luncheon was served at one o'clock. Forsythia was used throughout the home.

Club members playing were: Mesdames A. B. Somers, Errol Hayes, J. R. Poindexter, R. C. Freeman, Richard G. Chatham, Paul Gwyn, Raymond Chatham and Marion Allen.

Miss Phillips Is Hostess To Playmakers' Club

Miss Lucille Phillips entertained members of the Playmakers Club and several visitors at a delightful party at her home in Arlington Tuesday evening. Bridge was played at three tables. At the final count of scores Miss Agnes Gray was awarded a double deck of cards for the highest score. The floating prize, linen handkerchiefs, went to Mrs. Hugh Royall.

A salad course was served during the evening. Guests in addition to the club members were Mesdames Ruth Roland, Wayne Phillips, Dixie Graham and Hugh Royall.

Misses Hayes Entertain Class Friday

Misses Opal and Helen Hayes entertained the Sunshine Philanthropy class of the Elkin Valley Baptist church at their home Friday evening, with 13 members and one visitor present.

Miss Louise Tulbert, class president, presided over the business session and Miss Alice McCoin conducted the devotionals. An interesting program dealing with the need for trained Sunday school workers was presented by Miss Grace Lawrence, assisted by Misses Helen Hayes, Louise Tulbert, Ruth Martin, Marie Collins, Mildred Lawrence and Ruby McCoin. A trio, composed of Misses Alice McCoin, Mildred Lawrence and Frances Martin, sang several selections. Refreshments were served during a pleasant social hour.

Mrs. Lawrence Is Honored At Shower Tuesday

Honoring Mrs. Orville Lawrence, who before her marriage in December was Miss Iris Collins, Mrs. Paul Fletcher and Miss Beulah Lawrence entertained at a lovely party and miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Fletcher, aunt of the bride, Tuesday evening.

Chinese checkers and other games and contests were enjoyed during the evening. In the bride's telegram contest prizes went to Mrs. Luther Darnell and Miss Anne Newman. The bride was presented a lovely array of gifts.

A beautifully appointed salad course, with numerous accessories, was served during the evening.

Twenty-five guests enjoyed the hospitality of the hostesses.

Barbara Ann Benson Is Feted on Birthday Anniversary

Miss Barbara Ann Benson was honored on her tenth birthday anniversary Friday afternoon when her mother, Mrs. J. W. L. Benson, entertained at a delightful party at their home on Hospital Road.

Heart dice were played during the afternoon. Prizes went to Julie Bryan and Charles Haywood, III. At the close of the play the guests were invited into the dining room where a festive scene was arranged. The table was covered with a handsome lace cloth and centered with a beautifully decorated cake surrounded by pink candles in silver holders. Cake, ices and punch were served. The girls were presented favors of small brass candlesticks and the boys were given kites. Each of the guests was also presented a small basket of mints.

The guest list included: Alice Blake Dobson, Mary Vance McAdams, Beulah Yates, Anne Harris, Cynthia Allen, Gene Click, Lucy Brewer, Sally Haywood, Mable Cathey Leeper, Sarah Holcomb, Betty Chatham, Errol Hayes, Jr., Tommy Chatham, Charles Haywood, III, Charles Brewer, Jr., Owen Gwyn, Charles Dockery, Peyton Smith, Jimmy Lillard and John Jones, Jr.

Mrs. Rhyne, District President, Talks to P.-T. A.

Members of the Parent-Teacher Association were privileged to hear at their meeting Tuesday afternoon the third district president, Mrs. E. P. Rhyne, of Hickory, in a talk on the work of the association. Mrs. Rhyne told of the aims, ideals and purposes of the organization and told of the amazing growth of the membership since its organization 42 years ago. She also gave many interesting illustrations of the service as an individual and an organization. Mrs. Rhyne was accompanied by Mrs. Harry L. Johnson, of Newton, a former resident of Elkin.

Mrs. W. W. Whitaker conducted the devotionals. The mother singers gave a song, accompanied at the piano by Miss Ola Angell, and Mrs. J. H. Beeson, soloist, gave two selections, "Homing" and "Be the Best of Whatever You Are." She was accompanied at the piano by Mrs.

NEWS FROM THE COUNTY CAPITAL

The Methodist Missionary society, Circle No. 2, met Tuesday evening with Miss Emma Comer. Fifteen members and one visitor were present. Mrs. J. W. Crawford, circle leader, had charge of the following program:

Song, "Softly Now the Light of Day;" scripture and prayer by Mrs. C. W. Russell; song, "Something for Jesus;" monthly topic, "Widening Horizons Through Service;" talk, "The Poor She Has With Her Always," by Mrs. Jennie Stanley; talk, "Whoever Shall Lose His Life for My Sake," by Mrs. J. W. Comer; solo, "Somebody," Miss Jennie Martin; talk, "The Cost of Conviction," Mrs. Frank Freeman; song, "I'll Go Where You Want Me to Go."

The roll was called and minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. F. F. Riggs. Standing committees for the current year were appointed and pledges made for the year. The following new members were welcomed and added to the roll: Mrs. W. T. Evans, Mrs. Kermit Lawrence, Mrs. V. J. Myrick and Miss Jennie Martin. Miss Emma Comer gave a historical sketch of the Vashti school for girls in Thomasville, Ga., which is sponsored by the Methodist Missionary society. The hostess was assisted in serving refreshments by Mrs. Carl Folger and Mrs. John Comer. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. John Comer.

The Baptist Missionary society met Thursday evening with Mrs. W. L. Reece. Opening song, "Come Women Wide Proclaim;" scripture lesson, Mrs. Emma Hampton; devotional prayer, Rev. Richard West, pastor Baptist church; mission song, "Ready to Go, Ready to Speak;" topic for month, "The Great Commission—Our Mission."

Miss Elizabeth Norman presided and introduced the program with a discussion on the "New Year's Theme," the Great Commission, W. M. U. Watchword for year, "The Love of Christ Constrains Us;" song for year, "I Love to Tell the Story." The society was honored and happy to have as visitors for their New Year's program, three outstanding missionary workers of the Surry association, Mrs. C. N. Myers, superintendent W. M. U., Surry, Mrs. Eph Whisenhunt and Mrs. E. C. James, of Elkin, also Rev. Richard West, of Yadkinville.

Mrs. E. C. James made a most inspiring talk on "The Great Commission." Mrs. Eph Whisenhunt made an interesting talk on the customs of China and the missionary work there, having been reared in China. Mrs. Whisenhunt always brings messages to any assembly that one feels the reality of the struggle of our missionaries there.

Mrs. C. N. Myers, the capable superintendent, spoke of the work and the achievements of mission service throughout her territory. She also brought to our society a message from Dr. and Mrs. Johnson, Surry W. M. U.'s adopted missionaries down in Mexico. These good women with their genial personality and gift of speech left a stimulating influence over the Dobson society.

Rev. Richard West discussed the broadening effect of missions. A pageant was given by

complicated at the piano by Mrs. Franklin Folger.

Miss Lucille Young's room won the elementary school attendance award and Misses Mary Holland's and Elizabeth Anderson's rooms tied for the award in the high school. Each group was awarded \$1.00.

At the close of the business session an informal tea was enjoyed in the library. Sandwiches, mints and hot tea were served.

Mrs. Wellborn Is Hostess at Luncheon Thursday

Mrs. W. R. Wellborn entertained at a beautiful luncheon at her home on Bridge street Thursday, having as guests members of her Book Club and three special guests. Bowls of calandula were used in the living room and dining room where the small luncheon tables were placed for the guests.

Covers were laid for the following members: Mesdames E. Carl Boyles, G. P. Dockery, F. W. Graham, J. L. Hall, Edwirth Harris, George Royall, H. C. Salmans, J. P. Ippock, T. A. Leeper, J. Mark McAdams and W. W. Whitaker. Additional guests were: Mesdames R. L. Mills, Hoke Henderson and O. V. Caudill.

In drawing for gifts Mrs. H. C. Salmans was fortunate among the club members and Mrs. Hoke Henderson among the visitors.

Miss Norman, leader, Mrs. R. A. Freeman, Mrs. W. E. Reid, Mrs. Howard Snow, Mrs. D. T. Sparger, Mrs. Emma Hampton and Mrs. W. L. Reece. During the business session a report of Personal Service was read by Mrs. Fowler. Twenty-three members answered to roll call. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Next meeting will be held with Mrs. Hampton.

Rev. C. W. Russell filled his appointment at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Collins, of Westfield, spent Sunday with the family of R. E. Collins.

Miss Price Cornelius and little Lou Ann Cornelius, of Winston-Salem, were guests several days last week of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hancock.

Misses Minnie Chandler and Bertha Byrd, of Mt. Airy, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Comer.

Little Miss Marianne Mock attended a birthday dance at the Mt. Airy country club Friday evening, given by Jack Folger and Billy Hollingsworth.

Mrs. Blanche McKinney and Miss Victoria Hampton, of Mt. Airy, spent Thursday with Mrs. Emma Hampton.

Joe Comer, of Lousburg College, spent the week-end here at his home.

Mr. Fred Hill has put in a new line of groceries in the store building owned by Mrs. Holyfield on Main street.

W. E. Reid and W. B. Norman are vacationing in the sunny land of Florida at Miami.

Ernest Smith has been added to the service roll in the W. E. Reid stores.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kiser and Miss Pauline Bingham, of King and Rural Hall, spent Sunday afternoon at the Reece home.

TOM THUMB CIRCUS AT NORTH ELKIN SCHOOL

Friday night, January 27, a Tom Thumb Circus will be given at North Elkin school. An interesting program consisting of trained animals, wild animals,

freaks of nature including fat lady, tall man, etc., bareback riders, organ grinder, toy orchestra, hill-billy band, and numerous attractions usually seen in a circus. Over sixty children will be included in the circus. Refreshments will be offered from booths. The program will begin at 7:45. A small admission will be charged and the proceeds will be used for buying window shades. The public is cordially invited.

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