

# SOCIETY.

## Mission Circle to Meet This Evening

Circle number four of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church will meet this evening (Thursday) at 7:45 at the home of Mrs. Carl Young on Elk Spur street, with Mrs. T. H. Shugart associate hostess. All members are cordially invited to attend.

## Misses Pardue and Freeman Are Hostesses

Misses Barbara Pardue and Elizabeth Freeman were hostesses at a delightful party Saturday evening at the home of Miss Pardue in East Elkin.

A number of games and contests furnished entertainment for the guests. Refreshments were served during the evening.

## Miss Grace Laffoon Celebrates Birthday Anniversary

Miss Grace Laffoon entertained with a theatre and drug store party Thursday in celebration of her fourteenth birthday anniversary. The guest list included Misses Dorothy Mae Walker, Glenda Norman, Dorothy Jean Salmons, Anne Ipock, Beulah Yates, Virginia Graham, Mary Ellen Harrell, Maxine Aldridge and Mable Cathey Leeper.

## Presbyterian Circle Meets Monday Evening

The circle of the Presbyterian church met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. O. D. Causey, with 10 members present. Mrs. W. R. Wellborn conducted the devotionals and Mrs. O. T. Blackburn, circle chairman, presided over the business session and directed the program.

## Miss Johnson Honors Visitor at Party Wednesday

Complimenting Miss Sarah Froeber, of Winston-Salem, guest of Misses Jo and Jerry Barker, Miss Nan Johnson entertained at an informal party Wednesday morning at her home on West Main street. The guest list included twelve members of the high school set. Sandwiches, cookies and iced drinks were served.

## Legion Auxiliary to Resume Meetings

Regular monthly meetings of the Woman's Auxiliary of the George Gray Post of the American Legion will be resumed this

month, with the first meeting Monday evening, September 9, at 8 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. George Royall on Church street, with Mrs. L. E. Aldridge associate hostess.

All members are cordially invited to attend.

## Marshall-Blackburn

Miss Erlene Marshall, of State Road, and Immanuel Blackburn, of Elkin, were married July 30 at Independence, Va., with Rev. F. L. Punk officiating.

Mrs. Blackburn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Marshall, of State Road. Mr. Blackburn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blackburn, of this city, and is employed with Chatham Manufacturing company.

They are making their home here.

## Mrs. Parks Is Feted at Party Friday by Mrs. Ashby

Complimenting Mrs. Ralph Parks, of Raleigh, who was the guest last week of Mrs. E. C. Grier, Mrs. Charles B. Ashby entertained at a delightful bridge-luncheon Friday at her home on Bridge street.

Luncheon was served at one o'clock from small tables adorned with bouquets of early autumn flowers. Covers were placed for twelve. During the afternoon bridge was enjoyed. In the progressions the high score award went to Mrs. H. C. Graham. Mrs. Parks was presented a lovely gift as guest of honor.

## Miss Harrell Is Hostess at Party Monday Evening

Miss Dorothy Harrell was hostess at a delightful dinner party at her home on West Main street Monday evening in celebration of her seventeenth birthday anniversary. Covers were placed for eight at the dining room table, which was centered with a bouquet of lavender asters. Laven-der candles were used on either end of the table.

The guest list included: Miss Aileen Shamel, Miss Jo Barker and her guest, Miss Sarah Froeber, of Winston-Salem, Miss Eleanor Hayes, Miss Jerry Barker, Miss Nan Johnson and Miss Mary Ellen Harrell.

## Billy Shugart Is Honored on Seventh Birthday

Mrs. W. I. Shugart entertained at an afternoon party Tuesday at her home in Jonesville, honoring her little grandson, Billy Shugart, on his seventh birthday an-

niversary. The guest list included twelve little boys, school friends of the honor guest.

A number of outdoor games were enjoyed during the afternoon.

In the dining room, where the little guests were invited for refreshments, a gala birthday setting was arranged. Ice cream, cake and mints were served and the little guests were given boxes of crayons as favors.

## Mr. Greenwood Is Host at Squirrel Stew

Jim Greenwood entertained a number of friends at a squirrel stew Monday evening. A delicious supper was served. String music by the Jenkins band was enjoyed.

The guest list included: Misses Lucille Marion, Opal Doss, Lucille Johnson, Angel Hampton, Bessie Hampton, Dorothy Chappell, Mary Greenwood, Jean Chappell, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Robey Sprinkle, Mrs. Jim Groce, Mr. and Mrs. H. Groce, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Greenwood, Mrs. C. E. Chappell, Wade Greenwood, Gene Hampton, Brady Osborne, Gilbert Felts, Lonnie Gentry and Curtis Groce.

## Mrs. George Royall Honors Mrs. Parks Thursday

Mrs. George Royall was hostess at a delightful afternoon bridge party at her home on Church street Thursday to honor Mrs. Ralph Parks, of Raleigh, guest of Mrs. E. C. Grier. Zinnias and marigolds were used in an attractive arrangement in the living room and library, where four tables were placed for bridge. In the progressions the high score award went to Mrs. C. A. Crews, of Hendersonville. Mrs. Parks was presented a gift as guest of honor and Mrs. Crews was also presented a remembrance.

A beautifully appointed salad course and sweet course was served at the conclusion of the play.

## Miss Greenwood Entertains at Dinner Wednesday

Another of the pretty courtesies for Mrs. Ralph Parks, of Raleigh, who was the guest last week of Mrs. E. C. Grier, was the dinner party given Wednesday evening by Miss Maude Greenwood at her home on Bridge street. The guests were invited for dinner at seven o'clock. Covers were placed for sixteen at small tables which were centered with colorful bouquets of zinnias.

Following the dinner bridge was played. The high score award went to Mrs. Jones Holcomb at the conclusion of the play. Mrs. Parks was given a gift as guest of honor. Mrs. Van D. Dillon, Sr., a bride of the summer, and Mrs. C. A. Crews, of Hendersonville, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. E. Paul, were also presented gifts.

## Elkin Valley Y. W. A. Meets Monday Evening

The Elkin Valley Y. W. A. met Monday evening at the home of Miss Ruth Martin, with ten members present. The meeting opened with the hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers." The devotionals were in charge of Miss Helen Hayes. During the business session officers were elected for the year as follows: president, Miss Grace Lawrence; vice-president, Miss Frances Martin; secretary-treasurer, Miss Helen Hayes, and assistant secretary-treasurer, Miss Jean Martin. Mrs. Roy Collins was elected as leader of the group.

An interesting program on "Living Upright," was presented by Misses Kathleen Snow, Helen Hayes, Frances and Jean Martin, Bertice Bates, Grace Lawrence, Ruth Martin and Mrs. Roy Collins.

## State Mission Program Is Enjoyed By Baptist Circles

Members of the Emma Leechman, Neal Young and Naomi Shell circles of the Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist church met at the church Monday afternoon for a special program on State Missions.

The program was in charge of the Emma Leechman circle, with Mrs. L. C. Couch presiding. Mrs. Couch presented Mrs. Stephen Morrisett, who made a most interesting and inspiring talk.

At the conclusion of the program the circles met in separate groups for the regular business meetings.

The Pearl Johnson circle met at the church Monday evening, with Miss Madge Russell as hostess. The program was in charge of Mrs. Noah Darnell, assisted by Mrs. Jake Jones, Mrs. George Adams, Mrs. Leslie Reinhardt and Mrs. Freer Adams.

The Rosalee Appleby circle met Monday evening with Mrs. Fred Eldon, with 11 members present. Miss Lee Mae Lowery conducted the devotionals and the program was in charge of Mrs. Ora Wells Vanhoy, assisted by Miss Roxie Bowen, Mrs. Gaither Sprinkle and Mrs. Herbert Madison.

The Pauline Moore circle met Tuesday morning at 10:30 with Mrs. Clyde McBride, with 10 members present. Mrs. Junior Kennedy conducted the devotionals and the program was presented by Miss Etta Mathis, assisted

by Mrs. Woodrow Weatherman, Mrs. Burrus Gray, Mrs. Dallas Gilliam, Mrs. Herman Royall and Mrs. Guy Stinson.

The Edith Adair circle met Tuesday evening with Miss Lucy Gray, with 13 members present. One new member, Mrs. Raymond Vestal, was enrolled.

The devotionals were in charge of Miss Emma Cooke and Mrs. Jack Terrell, assisted by Mrs. Lawrence Walls, Miss Minnie Ruth McNeill, Miss Hazel Byrd and Mrs. W. O. Hooper presented an interesting program.

Miss Lucy Gray, circle chairman, presided over the business session.

## Methodist Circles Meet Monday Afternoon

The circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon in the following homes:

Circle number one met with Mrs. Fletcher Harris, with 12 members and one visitor present. Mrs. J. G. Abernethy, circle chairman, presided over the meeting and conducted the devotionals. Mrs. Joe Bivins taught the Bible lesson, assisted by Mrs. Marion Allen, Mrs. J. S. Atkinson and Mrs. R. B. Harrell. A vocal solo by Mrs. H. P. Graham concluded the program.

Circle number two met with Mrs. J. L. Hall, with 15 members present. Mrs. W. W. Whitaker conducted the devotionals, using as her subject, "Faith." Mrs. D. G. Smith, circle chairman, presided over the meeting. The Bible lesson was taught by Mrs. H. C. Salmons.

Circle number three met with Mrs. Harold Click, with 16 members and one visitor present. Two new members, Mrs. E. T. Shamel and Mrs. Charles Dixon, were enrolled. Mrs. Charles G. Ashby, circle chairman, presided over the meeting and Mrs. Errol Hayes conducted the devotionals. The Bible lesson was taught by Mrs. Harold Click.

During a pleasant social hour each hostess served a delicious refreshment course.

Three out of every four bicyclists injured last year were violating some traffic law.

## Leaf Averages In East Range 15 to 20 Cents

Raleigh — Price averages that ranged from an estimated 15 to 20 cents a pound were realized yesterday on the opening of the 14 markets of the North Carolina new bright tobacco belt.

Offerings were generally of poor quality and some grower dissatisfaction was heard. First sales brought low returns but prices began to mount on better quality leaf and later were said to have brought satisfaction.

United States grades sold during morning hours at higher average prices than on opening day last year, the State Department of Agriculture reported.

For the last several days, tobacco experts had advised farmers to grade their crop and separate their green leaf, which was reported in abundance throughout the belt.

Unseasonable weather also had hurt the crop, expected to total 216,270,000 pounds, 49 per cent. under last year. The 1939 crop averaged \$15.94 a hundred.

More than 600,000 pounds of the flue cured weed was sold at Rocky Mount at an unofficial average of between 18 and 19 cents. Quality was not very good but Sales Supervisor E. G. Johnston, Jr., said that most farmers were pleased. Common type predominated. Few tags were turned in to indicate grower dissatisfaction with the price offered.

Official figures were not available on the Kinston market but a reliable estimate placed sales at 1,300,000 pounds, for \$17.75 or \$18 a hundred.

Tarboro reported 100,180 pounds sold for \$20.36 a hundred. Quality was good, no tags were turned and there was little damaged tobacco on the floors. All companies had buyers on the market.

Wilson, considered the largest market in the world, sold 1,397,960 pounds for \$25.29, a 54 an official average of \$18.33 a hun-

dred. Quality was medium and no tags were turned.

Sales at Wendell totaled 256,086 pounds for \$52,497.63, for an average of \$20.51. Quality was fair.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express to our many friends our sincere appreciation for the sympathy and kindness shown us during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father. Also for the beautiful flowers sent us.

MRS. ARCH D. MCCOIN AND FAMILY

## JOINT REUNION TO BE HELD SEPT. 8th

Members of the Flincham and Ashburn families will meet in reunion Sunday, September 8, at the H. T. Flincham homeplace near Pilot Mountain. Several speakers and ministers have been invited to participate in the interesting program which has been planned for the day.

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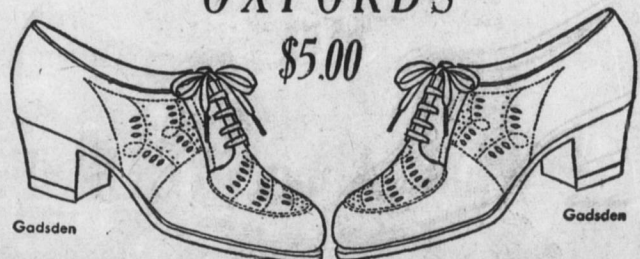
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