

House Speaker At Men Of Church

The Men of the Presbyterian Churches of Mt. Zion in Rose Hill, Oak Plain, Teachey, and Willard met on February 4th at the Teachey Presbyterian Church. The Women of the church served a bountiful supper of chicken and pastry. C.R. Dillard of Willard, president conducted the meeting. Program chairman, E.L. English, Jr. of Willard presented Byron House, custodian of Camp Kirkwood, Mr. Rouse reported on the Program, Means, and Finances of the camp. This was the best attended meeting of the group in several years.

Home From Viet Nam

Kenyon W. Casteen, recently of the U.S.S. Benewah in Vietnam, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Maggie Anderson of Rt. 2, Rose Hill. The Benewah's duty was to travel the Mekong River and its tributaries in support of the Infantry. It was a part of the Mobile Riverine Force and was attached to the 2nd Brigade Infantry Division, K.W. was one of the ships engineers and has had some interesting experiences while on this dangerous assignment. After his leave is completed Casteen has orders to report for duty on the U.S.S. Chilton, LPA 38th which is now based at Norfolk, Virginia.

Presbyterian Circles

The Circles of Mt. Zion Presbyterian Church met on February 3rd with a Bible Study entitled "The Miracles of Jesus". CIRCLE ONE met in the home of Mrs. D.B. Waller. Mrs. Virginia Herring, co-chairman conducted the meeting. Mrs. Clark Porter led in the opening prayer. The Bible Study was presented by Mrs. George Carr, and Mrs. David Sanderson gave the Emphasis. The hostess served carrot cake and tea to ten members and two visitors present. CIRCLE TWO met with Mrs. Harvey Braddy. Mrs. Alvin Bass, chairman called the me-

eting to order. Mrs. George Carr gave the Bible Study, and Mrs. Eugene Hall presented the Emphasis. Cherry delight and Russian tea was served to ten members.

CIRCLE THREE met with Mrs. Adelle Carr and Miss Dollie Sue Carr hostesses. Mrs. Horace Fussell, Jr., chairman presided. Mrs. Ethel Johnson gave the Bible Study and Mrs. Robert Ward had the Emphasis. The hostesses served pound cake, strawberries, whipped cream and coffee to eight members.

CIRCLE FOUR met in the home of Mrs. Lee Souder. Mrs. Curtis Robinson, chairman, opened the meeting with prayer. Mrs. Robert Frederick presented the Bible Study, and Mrs. C.L. Faircloth gave the Emphasis. The hostess served Cherry Delight and coffee to eight members.

CIRCLE FIVE met in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Robinson. Mrs. Clay Herring presided. The Bible Study was given by Mrs. Richard Burroughs, and Mrs. Sam Carr presented the Emphasis. The hostess served ham biscuits, California tarts, and Russian tea to the ten members present.

United Methodist Attend Rally

Seven laymen and two ministers from Rose Hill attended the Wilmington District Lay Rally of the United Methodist Church on Thursday, February 6th. The theme for the meeting, which was held in Sunset Methodist Church, Wilmington, was "A New Church For A New World." The meeting was preceded by a dinner which was well attended. Mr. Wade H. Pierce, District Lay Leader presided at the meeting and Reverend C.G. McCarver, Superintendent of the District gave a devotional talk. An offering was taken for a ministerial scholarship for the District. Reverend Mr. McCarver introduced Bishop William R. Cannon as the speaker of the evening. Bishop Cannon is a world renowned historical theologian and the former Dean of the Candler School of Theology at Emory University. He was elected to the Episcopacy of the United Methodist Church in 1968 and presides over the Raleigh area of the church.

He brought in inspiring challenges for Christian action in the church.

Mr. Walter F. Anderson was introduced and spoke for the Funds for Reconciliation. Mr. Anderson is chairman of the Commission on Stewardship and Finance for the Board of Laity of the North Carolina Conference.

Attending this important meeting from the Rose Hill United Methodist Church were Reverend Charles Sparks, Reverend D. A. Petty, Messrs. C.T. Fussell Jr., B.L. Harrell, D. W. Ramsey, C. W. Surratt, Bernard Petty, Loney Lanier and Rhodes Young.

Bridge Club Meets

Mrs. Earl Teachey was hostess last week to her bridge club. The group enjoyed drinks with assorted snacks while playing.

Members of the club present were Messdames Don Fussell, Jr., Keith Hinson, M.L. Caswell, Tommy Edwards, Tommy Carter, Johnny Brown, and David Geddie Fussell. Club guest was Mrs. Charlie Blanchard of Wallace.

High score prize was won by Mrs. Caswell and Mrs. Carter. A fruit dessert course and coffee were served.

Mrs. Ramsey Entertains

Mrs. Dennis Ramsey entertained at a dinner party on Friday evening, February 7th honoring her husband on the occasion of his birthday.

Enjoying the hospitality of the Ramseys were Mrs. Etta Black, mother of Mrs. Ramsey, Mrs. Laura Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Buckthal of Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Blanchard and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper of Rose Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Preston B. Raloff of Warsaw.

We extend congratulations to Mr. Ramsey on his 39th (?) birthday.

Mrs. Fields Hostess

Mrs. Thurman Fields entertained her bridge club at her home on Dogwood Road on Thursday evening.

Playing were Messdames Charles Teachey III, Leo Lanier, Elwyn Murray Jr., Charles Hall, George Carr, Sr., Tom Giddings, Ben Harrell, and Marvin Johnson. During the play the hostess served drinks and snacks.

When scores were tallied it was announced that winner of

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. James A. Ward, of Rose Hill announces the engagement of his daughter, Miss Nancy Rose Ward to Ward William Dunn, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ward William Dunn of Rhode-St. Genese, Belgium. Miss Ward is a senior at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Her fiance is a graduate of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, and is employed by Wachovia Bank and Trust Co. in Winston-Salem. A summer wedding is planned.

high score was Mrs. Charles Teachey III, who also won the traveling prize. Mrs. Tom Giddings was awarded low score prize and Bingo prize was won by Mrs. George Carr. A dessert course of lemon pie and coffee was served the guests.

With The Sick

The Rose Hill Community continues to be afflicted with much illness, both minor ailments and serious illness. Among others, the following have been brought to our attention this week.

Mr. Leo Lanier is suffering from flu and is in bed at his home.

Mrs. S.O. Johnson returned to Duke Hospital on Tuesday of last week for tests and examination following her recent serious illness and received assurance that her condition is greatly improved. Her many friends are grateful that she is recovering so splendidly. Joe Thomas Knowles is a patient at Duke University Hos-

pital and has had surgery. We hear that he is doing well. Erchey L. Lanier, Sr. has been at home much of last week suffering with a back ailment. Mrs. E.G. Murray is up after

Advance Payment Authorized

Advance payments under the 1969 Feed Grain and Wheat and Cotton Programs have been authorized as follows:
A--Fifty percent of the feed grain diversion payment.
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Drafts will be mailed to producers, who have already signed up, as soon as they can be prepared.

a relapse of flu that confined her to the bed for a second bout of the disease.

Willie E. Fussell was a little better last weekend. He has been a patient in Sampson Memorial Hospital for a week or two.

Mrs. Shirley Wilson Boatman has been returned from Duke Hospital to her home in Kinston, but is under orders to remain in bed for two more weeks before returning to teaching position. She is suffering with spinal trembles.

Thurman Fields has been ill with "Strep throat, which afflicted him after the flu, but is some better now.

Murphy Carr is getting along very well now, we hear. He has been sick for several years and in the late fall had surgery, but is now improved.

Mrs. Earl Fussell was on the sick list last week, but is now slowly improving.

Mrs. A.C. Floyd is in New Hanover Memorial Hospital in Wilmington for tests and diagnosis.

Mrs. Gerald Carr has returned to her home here after having been a patient in Wayne Memorial Hospital in Goldsboro. We hear that she is doing well.

Advise County ASC Office When Farmlands Change Hands

Farmers participating in programs administered by the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service should report to the County ASCS Office any sale, purchase, lease, or rental of farmland.

Those who have added to or reduced the size of their farms should report this information to the county office.

When the size of a farm is changed, the ASCS records must be changed, including recalculation of farm allotments and bases. This is called farm reconstruction and if the reconstructions have been made and approved by the county committee before sign-up time, it saves time and effort for everybody.

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Cleve Fussell And Lizzie Jerome

By Tina F. Wilson
Young people about town in Rose Hill around the 1905-1910 period included the very popular couple pictured above--"Cleve" (David Cleveland) Fussell and "Lizzie" (Elizabeth) Jerome. As children they grew up in the same neighborhood, a mile or two south-west of Rose Hill, and were always friends. In her late teens, Lizzie's folks moved to Rose Hill and lived next door to the Methodist Church, where her father led the singing and was Superintendent of Sunday school for many years. The Jeromes were a musical family and at their home all the young people gathered around the piano and sang with great enjoyment. Songs of the day. They sang hymns too, and many happy hours were spent around the piano with one of the boys holding the lamp for light to see the music. Her brothers, Frank, Geddie, Marvin and J.D. and sister Myrtle (Mrs. Oscar Fussell) all joined in. Cleve Fussell played the violin and so did Lizzie's brother, Geddie, so the neighborhood was full of music much of the time. One of the town girls, Melva Carr (now Mrs. Horace Pearsall of Wilmington) was an excellent pianist and often accompanied them. In this picture Lizzie and Cleve are sitting on the step at the Railroad depot--a place which was popular with the young set. Here they gathered to see the train come in, to see who was coming to Rose Hill and who was leaving. The conductors, baggage men and mail clerks were all their friends and all were glad to see the pretty Rose-Hill girls. This custom lasted until the "mail" at 4:30 p.m. and "Shoddy" which came up from Wilmington at 5:00 p.m. were discontinued.

The depot was one of the two social centers of the downtown area. The other was the drug store where they all sat around the little round tables in the little French chairs and ate the wonderful sherberts concocted of shaved ice, pineapple, (or other fruits) nuts and syrup by Charlie Newton. Lizzie is now Mrs. Stacey E. Butler of Springfield, Virginia where she lives with her daughter Myra and husband, Major Tom Hughes, U.S. Army Ret. Her son, Jerome Butler and family live in Claxton, Ga. We hope she will not be too shocked to see herself when she opens her Duplin Times next week. She had no warning of this. Cleve Fussell was a handsome young man with the family dimple in his chin and blue-grey eyes of the well known color. His pince-nez glasses are hard to see in this picture, but are there. He wore them for many years. He married a Virginia belle and was the father of three daughters. Until the depression closed the banks during the 1929-1931 years he was a successful banker. Afterwards he moved to Raleigh and worked with the planning division of the N.C. Highway Commission until his retirement, soon followed by his death, about 3 years ago. His brother, known as "Cousin Willie" to most of the town, is a resident of Rose Hill. See you next week. In the past twenty years more than \$45 million have been channeled into heart research as a result of the Heart Fund.

Warsaw News

First Baptist Circles

GROUP 6 met with Mrs. S.T. Joyner on Monday evening. Mrs. Jerry Nelson, leader, presided. Mrs. Joyner gave the call to prayer, and Mrs. Nathan Costin gave the program. Mrs. Joyner served cherry yum-yums, salted nuts, and coffee to the 7 members present.

United Methodist Circles

CIRCLE 1 met on Monday evening with Mrs. Adin Powell. Mrs. Frank Moore chairman, presided. Mrs. Moore also presented a devotional and program on Elizabeth. Mrs. Powell served cherry-ops, toasted pecans, and coffee to the 8 members present.

CIRCLE 2 met on Monday evening with Mrs. B. Franklin Hobbs. Mrs. J.H. Wahab, chairman, presided. The program was given by Mrs. Emmons Garner. Mrs. Hobbs served cherry cream cheese pie with hot spiced tea to the 10 members present.

CIRCLE 3 met on Monday evening with Mrs. William Costin. Mrs. Josh Jones, Jr., chairman, presided. Mrs. Costin presented a program and devotional. She served cherry-pineapple cobbler with whipped cream, nuts, and coffee to the 8 members present.

CIRCLE 4 met Monday evening with Mrs. M.A. Smith. Mrs. W.V. Owenby, Jr., chairman, presided. Mrs. Herman Hollingsworth gave the program. Mrs. Smith served pineapple-whipped cream dessert and Russian tea to the 9 members present.

CIRCLE 5 met Thursday morning with Mrs. Roy Barwick. Mrs. Turner Holland, chairman, presided. Mrs. Holland also presented the program. Mrs. Barwick served coffee, banana nut bread, cinnamon rolls, and coffee to the 7 members present.

CIRCLE 6 met Monday afternoon with Mrs. D.J. Middleton. Mrs. Robert L. West presided in the absence of the chairman, Mrs. Robert Lewis. The program was given by Mrs. Q.J. Sutton. Mrs. Middleton served heavenly hash, fruit cake cookies, and hot spiced tea to the 5 members present.

Mrs. Flowers Hostess To Garden Club

Mrs. Norman Flowers was hostess to the Warsaw Garden Club at her home on Plank Street at three o'clock Wednesday afternoon, February 5.

Mrs. Avon Sharpe presided in the absence of Mrs. Henry L. Stevens, Jr. The meeting was opened with the club collect. Mrs. Oscar Redwine of Kenansville, Mrs. P.B. Raloff and Mrs. Edgar Pollock were appointed to the nominating committee to obtain officers for 1969-1970.

Mrs. Graham Phillips, Sr. presented the program on Flowers from the Bible. A plant rack was presented to Mrs. Phillips by Mrs. B.F. Hobbs as a token of appreciation from the club. Mrs. Flowers was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Lanier of Alexandria, Virginia in serving refreshments which consisted of a salad plate, crackers, and spiced tea or coffee.

Others present were Mrs. J.W. Farrior, Mrs. A.J. Jenkins, Sr., Mrs. Robert West, Mrs. Allen Porter, Miss Sallie Bowden, and Mrs. J. Don Skinner.

Study On Book Of John Scheduled

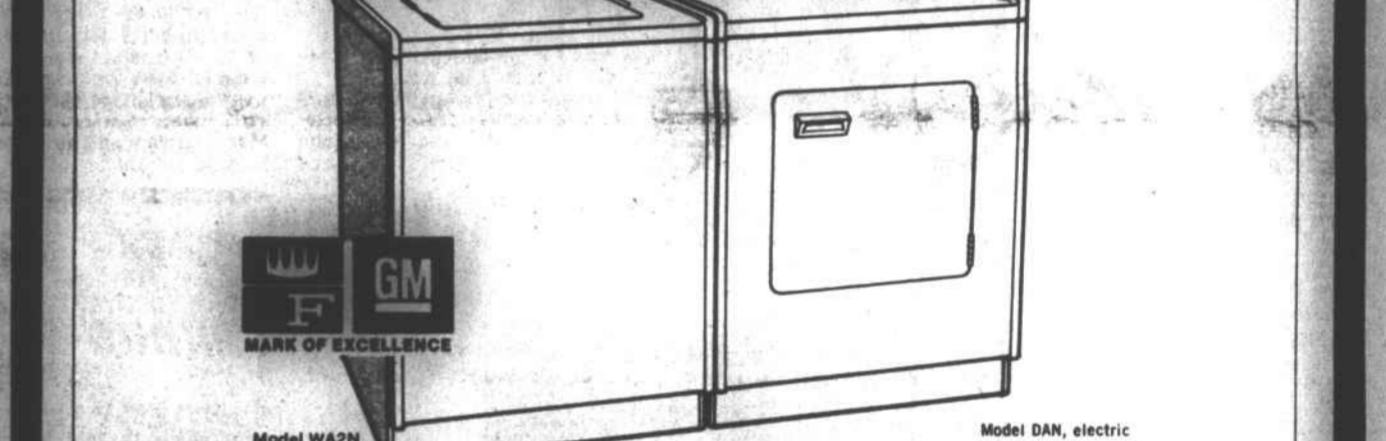
A study of the Book of John will begin on Sunday evening February 16 in the Fireside Room of the Warsaw United Methodist Church. Two sessions will be held in February and others later. The session this Sunday night will begin at six o'clock with a covered dish supper. The study will be taught by the pastor, Rev. Charles Owens. The discussion will begin about seven o'clock. The discussion will be on a level for youth and adults. A baby sitter will be provided for the younger children. Those interested are urged to attend this very interesting and informative study.

With Our Boys PFC Jerry Weaver

U.S. ARMY, VIETNAM (AHTNC) -- Army Private-First Class Jerry Weaver, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Weaver, Route 4, Mount Olive, was assigned Jan. 5 to the 937th Engineer Group in Vietnam as a combat engineer.

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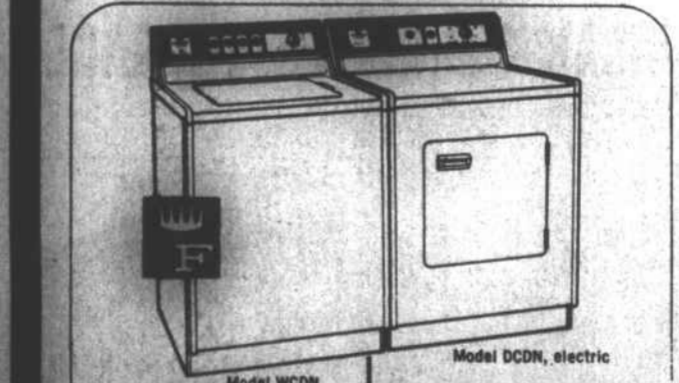
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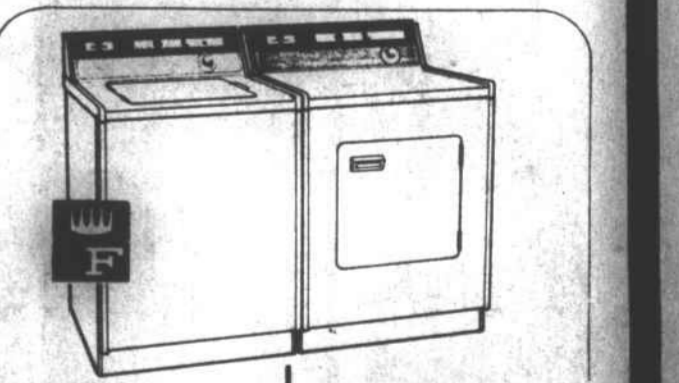
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