

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL HAPPENINGS

of INTEREST to WOMEN

PHONES 10-R AND 88 MRS. A. H. PATTERSON.

Bride Honored

Miss Margaret Ford delightfully entertained members of her Sunday School class on last Saturday evening at a lovely six o'clock dinner honoring one of the members, Mrs. Harold Collins, a recent bride.

Covers were laid for Miss Ford, Mrs. Coggins, the honoree, Mrs. W. J. Crawford, mother of Mrs. Coggins, Misses Annie Roberts, Mary McGill, Fanny Carpenter, Mitchell Williams, Daisy Lovelace, Nina Cole, Helen Logan and Mrs. George Womack, teacher of the class.

The table had a beautiful bowl of colorful mixed flowers for a centerpiece and at either end were crystal candlesticks holding lighted tapers. Appropriate placecards marked the place of each guest and a miniature bride and groom stood at the honoree's place.

The tempting three-course dinner was served by Miss Georgia Nantz of Mt. Holly, Mrs. D. G. Littlejohn and Miss Fanny Littlejohn.

Mrs. Coggins was presented a pyrex double boiler by the class. Carrom was played throughout the evening.

Meeting Of Junior Womans Club

Mrs. Billy Mauney and Mrs. Jacob Cooper were hostesses at the regular meeting of the Junior Womans Club held in the lounge of the Club Monday evening.

The room was arranged with spring flowers. Miss Fay Mauney, the president, presided over the business session after which bridge was played. Mrs. John Caveny scored high, receiving an attractive trophy. Delicious strawberry short cake and ice tea was served.

MOTHERS DAY Without Flowers Is Not Mothers' Day

Children, send her choicest blooms, There's a time for Mops and brooms, Sweepers, rugs, Refrigerators, Dresses, hats and Fleece-lined gaiters; Radios, and stoves With gauges Guaranteed to last For ages — These are fine, Dear girl and boy, But remember, There's the joy Of a lifetime In a flower! That may fade Within an hour

Walters Flowers Phone 95

Methodist Circles Meet

The Circles of the Missionary Society of Central Methodist Church met with the following hostesses: Circle No. 1, Mrs. C. A. Goforth, leader, at the home of Mrs. Wray Williams on Monday afternoon; Circle No. 2, Mrs. J. O. Plunk, leader, at the home of Mrs. Y. F. Thronson on Monday evening; Circle No. 3, Mrs. E. W. Griffin, leader, at the home of Mrs. H. R. Parton, on Monday evening; Circle No. 4, Mrs. George F. Lathmore, leader, at the home of Mrs. O. O. Jackson on Monday.

Modern lighting for the church auditorium, which was the major project, sponsored by the Circles for the year, has about been completed.

Hostess At Buffet Supper

Miss Doris Phifer entertained a number of her friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Phifer on Gold street at a buffet supper recently.

Guests present included Sara Starnes, Jeanne Griffin, Carolyn McDaniel, Frances Hoffman, Mary Anne Crouse, Avis Mae Warlick, Frances White, B. T. Wright, David Neill, Harry and Charles Neisler, Charles Warlick, Jr., Jimmie Black, Otis Falls, Jr., and Smyre Williams, Jr.

Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Gaffney of Kings Mountain announce the marriage of their daughter Rosalee Beatrice to Samuel Liscaandro of Paltimore, Md., on Nov. 24, 1940. The couple are now at home at 3615 Woodbine Ave., Baltimore, Md.

Birth Announcement

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mitchem, a daughter, Linda Ellen, Friday, May 2, 1941.

Personals

Mrs. Billy Mauney visited her mother in Hickory this week.

Mrs. Jiles Cornwell and baby have arrived home from City Hospital, Gastonia.

Mrs. Glenn Freeman, nee Miss Ozelle Kiser, spent the week-end with Mr. Freeman in Salisbury.

Miss Jean Ware, hostess on the "Southerner" has been on a visit at her home in Kings Mountain.

Miss Martha Frances McGill was a guest of friends at Cleveland during the past week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. Jacob Mauney of Asheville spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Mauney.

Mrs. John Mitchem has been confined to her bed for the past week by sickness.

Mr. Hilton Ruth, manager of Belk's, was a business visitor in

Charlotte Tuesday

Mrs. H. R. Parton and Miss Sara Parton are business visitors in High Point this week.

Mrs. E. L. Campbell, who accompanied her husband to Richmond this week will be a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McDaniel.

Misses G. A. Bridges and W. K. Mauney left yesterday morning to attend the band contest in Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Lloyd Watson and daughter, Shirley, of Boone, are spending the week with relatives in Kings Mountain.

B. S. Neill, Cashier of the First National Bank, left yesterday for Pinehurst to attend the State Bankers Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayne Blackmer, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neisler and friends of the latter couple from New York City are spending the week at Myrtle Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Bright Ratterree and James and Jean Ratterree, visited Margaret Ratterree, student at W. C. U. N. C. in Greensboro Sunday.

Mr. Fred Plunk on a business trip to Detroit, Mich., enroute he attended the Kentucky Derby. Mrs. Plunk is visiting her sister in Forest City.

Misses Aubrey Mauney, E. W. Griffin and L. L. Benson left yesterday morning to attend the State Convention of Woman's Clubs in Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Ford, Mary Peth and Joe Ford, and Betty Lynch, left Wednesday morning for Richmond to attend the Band Contest. The return trip will be made through the Shenandoah Valley.

Miss Virgie Blackwell and son, Eddy, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Montgomery of Grover. Mrs. Montgomery before marriage was Miss Maizie Blackwell.

Little Miss Joan Wright suffered a bad cut on her leg as the result of being struck by a car, near her home Monday evening. Her many little friends wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Joe Neisler, Mrs. F. E. Finger and Mrs. C. E. Neisler were among those going to Richmond this week. They will also visit the parents of Mrs. Neisler and Mrs. Finger while away.

Those visiting at the home of Mrs. Lee Harmon Sunday afternoon were Mrs. R. R. Howser, Mrs. Daisie Garris, Mr. Ward Howser and two daughters, Evelyn and Maybell, all of Charlotte, Mrs. Emma Austell of Belmont and Mrs. W. H. Harmon of Shelby.

1,900 Car Loads Surplus Foods Distributed In North Carolina

Distribution of surplus food products in North Carolina totaled 1900 carloads or 63,030,316 pounds during the 12 month period from April 1940 through March of this year, according to A. E. Langston, State director of commodity distribution for the State welfare department. Langston compared the North Carolina figures with an estimated 95,000 carloads or 3,151,515,800 pounds distributed in the same period throughout the nation and valued the state

receipts at a retail price of \$3,753,134 against the nation estimated value of \$187,656,700 distributed in food supplies to needy persons.

An average of 43,640 cases representing 282,498 persons were served. The individuals being undernourished graded school pupils. The school lunch recipients received the highest value of food per person per meal, slightly in excess of five cents. General relief families got nearly 18 cents worth of food each day on the average of the year's distribution.

Not intended to expand a limited local food supply, the surplus products are distributed to needy persons to fill in between their regular food purchases. Items produced in excess quantity.

Distributions are made in several North Carolina communities solely under the stamp plan whereby recipients trade their stamps at local stores for certain designated articles when making their regular purchases. Lunch rooms and most counties of the state are served from warehouses in the community supplied from area storerooms twice each month.

Carload quantities of various classes of food distributed were as follows:

Eggs 114; milk products 62; fresh fruits, 682; dried and canned fruits 91; grain products 383; vegetables 386; meat products 180; nuts 2; total 1900 cars.

Distribution was made to a monthly average of 197,556 persons on general relief; 77,981 in school lunch rooms; 2818 in institutions; 2338 on housekeeping and demonstration projects; 133 in children's camps; and 1,672 in NYA resident training centers.

Reduction Made In Hog Numbers

RALEIGH. — North Carolina farmers slaughtered 840,000 hogs last year, or 10,000 less than in 1939, W. T. Wesson, junior statistician of the State Department of Agriculture reported recently.

The Federal-State Crop Reporting Service credited the State with a total hog production of 248,300,000 pounds live weight in 1940, or 8.8 per cent under 1939.

The 1940 hog production returned farmers an average price of \$5.80 per 200 pounds or \$1 under the previous year, Wesson said. A similar total production coupled with a 14.8 per cent decline in price resulted in 19 per cent less gross income from hogs in 1940 compared with 1939.

Total gross income from North Carolina hogs last year was estimated at \$15,262,000 compared with \$18,825,000 in 1939, and of the total gross income \$7,670,000 represented cash income from sales with \$7,592,000 representing the value of home consumption.

Wesson reported that 200,000 sows were farrowed in North Carolina last year compared with 233,000 in 1939, adding that, from the 1940 farrowings, 1,277,000 pigs were saved or an average of 6.1 pigs per litter.

Farmers reported 1,097,000 hogs on hand in January compared with 1,167,000 on the same date in 1940. Hogs are grown in every North Carolina county, Wesson added, but the main producing area is found in the eastern part of the State. In 1940, the three coastal districts accounted for 71.3 per cent of the State's total number of hogs on farms.

A total of 274 persons were killed in traffic accidents in this state the first three months of 1941.

STREET TALK

"Hey, Bill, did the election results please you?"

"Well, John, that is a hard question, but I'll tell you what does always please me, and that's the Quality Shoe Repairing at The Kings Mountain Shoe Shop."

"Yes, that's right. They have been fixing my shoes too, and they always win when Quality and Service is in the race."

Showing at Imperial Monday and Tuesday



Joan Blondell and Dick Powell in "MODEL WIFE," showing at Imperial Theatre next Monday and Tuesday.

FOR Mother's Day

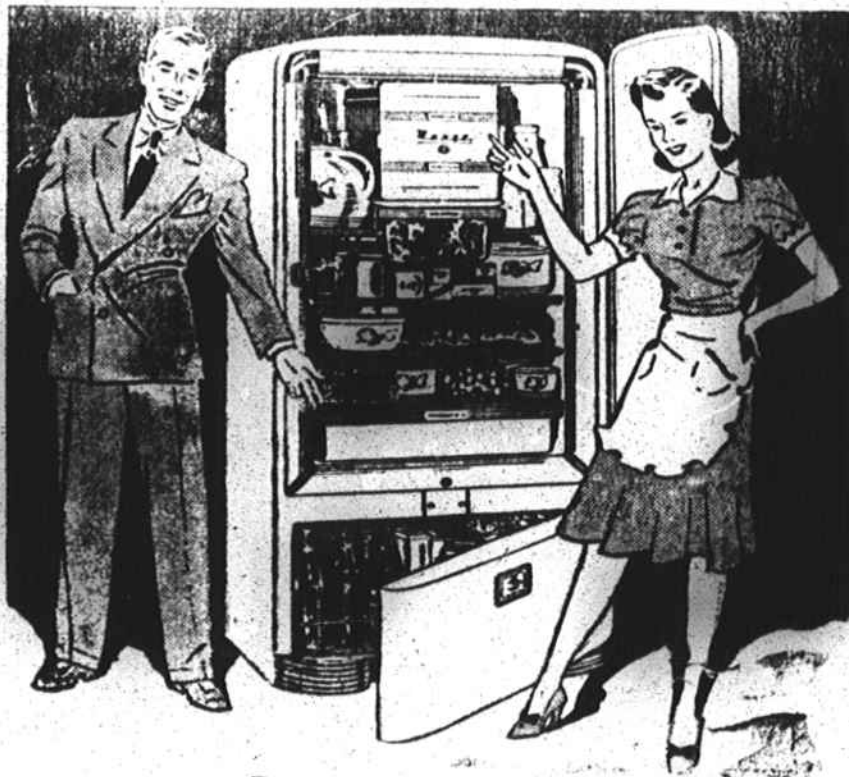
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