

Society

Elizabeth Stewart, Editor

Presbyterian Circle 5 Held Meeting On Monday

Members of Circle No. 5 of First Presbyterian church held their regular monthly meeting Monday afternoon with Mrs. P. D. Patrick as hostess.

Mrs. H. N. Moss, circle chairman, called the meeting to order and presided over the business session. Mrs. E. A. Harrill had arranged a program on "World Missions" and Mrs. Patrick, Bible leader, gave the Bible study for the month.

During the social hour, refreshments were served.

Margrare Woman's Club Held Regular Meeting

Mrs. John Cloninger, Mrs. Wright Falls, Mrs. Shirley Costner, and Mrs. Joe Foster were hostesses for the Margrare Woman's club's regular meeting at the club house Friday evening.

Mrs. Falls, club president, presided over the meeting. Members prayed in unison, "The Lord's Prayer."

Reports were heard from the secretary and treasurer and Mrs. Falls appointed Mrs. Forrest Weaver and Mrs. Roy Spake as group captains of teams made up of club members to head a club fund-raising project.

Object of the project, Mrs. Falls told the group, was to "See which team could earn the most money for the club fund in a certain length of time." The losing side will be hostess to the winning side at a dinner party, she said.

A social hour was enjoyed after the meeting, and party plates of fruit salad, cheese-ham biscuits, deviled eggs, pickles, and coffee were served.

Methodist Church Class Held Meeting On Monday

Members of Circle No. III of Central Methodist church held their regular meeting Monday afternoon with Mrs. B. C. Gantt as hostess at her home on Waco road.

Mrs. Wray Williams had charge of the devotional at the beginning of the meeting and led the group in prayer. A program entitled, "Progress of Negro Education in the South" was presented by Mrs. M. L. Houser, Mrs. E. B. Olive, Mrs. M. H. Biser, and Mrs. L. A. Hoke.

Mrs. E. B. Olive, circle chairman, conducted the business session. Ten members attended the meeting and one visitor, Mrs. J. C. Gantt, of Wilmington, Del., who is visiting in the home of Mrs. Gantt.

During the social hour, the hostess, assisted by her daughter-in-law served trays of assorted sandwiches with pickles, olives, carrot strips, and coffee.

February Bride-Elect Feted At Bridal Party

Miss Doris Yates, Miss Peggy Yates, Miss Sarah Faye Dixon, and Mrs. Jack Lall entertained Saturday evening at the Bethlehem Fellowship Center at a bridal shower paying compliment to Miss Phyllis Lail, bride-elect, whose wedding to Benny Gene Carpenter will take place Sunday, February 14.

Miss Lail wore a rose-pink silk shantung dress with navy accessories and a white shoulder corsage of carnations, gift of the hostesses.

The club house was decorated in green and white with the gift table, decorated in green and white. Places were marked with paper - shaped hearts with the names of the bride-elect and bridegroom - elect inscribed in the center of each.

Bridal games were played throughout the evening with prizes presented to Mrs. Carl McGinnis, Mrs. Ralph Arrowood, and Mrs. J. S. McSwain.

Refreshment plates consisting of assorted sandwiches, individual cakes iced in green with candied wedding bell decorations on the top, salted nuts, and cold drinks were served by the hostesses.

A shower of miscellaneous gifts was presented to the honoree from the 39 guests attending the party. Gifts were opened and displayed.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Bobby Huffstetler of Gastonia, Mrs. James Childers, Grover, Mrs. H. T. Phaegin, Mrs. Alberta Fraizer, and Mrs. Annie McDaniel, all of Shelby.

Methodist Circle III Held Meeting On Monday

Members of the Philathia Class of Grace Methodist church held their regular meeting Monday night at the home of Mrs. Margaret Huffstetler with Mrs. Iva Mae Huffstetler as co-hostess.

Mrs. D. C. Payseur, Jr., program chairman for the month, had arranged a program for the meeting. The meeting was opened with group hymns, "He Is Mine" and "It Is Well With My Soul."

Mrs. Elvia Peterson, class president, called the business part of the meeting to order and conducted the business session. During the social hour, refreshments were served by the hostess, and games were directed.

Mrs. P. M. Neisler Circle Hostess Monday

Members of Circle No. 4 of First Presbyterian church held their regular meeting Monday night with Mrs. P. M. Neisler as hostess. Fifteen circle members attended the meeting.

Mrs. Paul Mauney, Bible leader, conducted the Bible study from the Book of Acts, and Mrs. T. L. Kesler, program chairman for the month, presented the program on "World Missions."

Miss Helen Hay, circle chairman, conducted the business session, and a social hour followed the meeting.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Bird and children, Jimmy and Nancy, of Columbia, S. C., were guests Sunday of Mrs. Will Bird and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis and children, Billie, Mikie, and Jennifer, spent the day Sunday with Mr. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davis. They returned to their home in Albany, Ga., by plane Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence C. Davis and son, Pat, of Earle, were visitors over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davis.

Mrs. Paul Abernathy has returned to her home in Augusta, Ga., after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchem.

Sheriff and Mrs. H. E. Allen of Shelby were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Stewart.

Mrs. Clyde Bridges was a visitor in Charlotte last Thursday afternoon.

Miss Nell McGill of Charlotte spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. J. Boyce McGill.

Miss Jeanene Hallman, student at Queen's College, Charlotte, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hallman.

Mrs. J. L. Counts, Miss Annie Hunter, both of Prosperity, S. C., and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Foster, of Eau Claire, S. C., were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster.

Joe D. Roberts, student at The Citadel, Charleston, S. C., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roberts.

Henry Smith left Monday by train for New York City, where he will leave the latter part of the week by plane for India. He has been visiting his wife and family and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Smith, here.

Mrs. H. R. Parton returned home last Wednesday from a visit with relatives in Howey-In-The-Hills, Florida. Mrs. Parton's sisters, Mrs. V. R. Davis of Waynesville and Mrs. L. G. Welch of Monroeville, N. J., returned to Kings Mountain with Mrs. Parton for an over-night visit here before returning to their respective homes.

Junior Woman's Club Elected Club Officers

Members of the Junior Woman's club heard a program on "International Relations" and elected club officers for the year at their meeting Monday night at the Woman's club house.

Mrs. James Draper, president of the Gastonia Junior Woman's club, was guest speaker for the meeting and spoke on "International Relations." She was introduced by Mrs. Denver King, club president.

Mrs. Aubrey Mauney showed slides and pictures to the group on "A European Trip" and discussed "European Conditions."

A report from the nominating committee was heard, and officers for the year were elected. Mrs. W. R. Hudspeth was elected president of the club with Mrs. Charles Alexander, vice-president, Miss Margaret Goforth, recording secretary, Mrs. Clyde Bridges, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. J. W. Webster, chairman.

Mrs. G. C. Yelton, chairman of the "Children's Clothing Closet Drive," an annual club project, announced that old clothes should be turned in next week for distribution by the local Red Cross chapter.

During the social hour, Mrs. James White, Mrs. F. A. McDaniel, Jr., and Miss May Sue Goforth served refreshments.

Members of Circle No. II of the First Presbyterian church held their regular meeting Monday night at the home of Mrs. O. P. Lewis with Mrs. W. D. Bennett as co-hostess.

Mrs. P. D. Patrick, Bible leader, brought the Bible study from the Book of Acts, and Mrs. Herman Campbell, program chairman, presented the program on "World Missions."

Mrs. George Moss, circle chairman, conducted the business session. After the meeting, a social hour was enjoyed. The hostesses served a tea course with dessert.

Mrs. E. T. Plott, president of the Women-of-the-Church, was a guest of the circle.

Monday Birthday Party Honored Steve Sanders

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Sanders entertained at their home Monday afternoon complimenting their son, Steve, on his seventh birthday anniversary.

Games were directed throughout the afternoon by Mrs. Sanders and her mother, Mrs. Whitney Wells, and the hostesses were assisted in passing party refreshments by Mrs. Morris Timms.

Valentine decorations were used throughout the home. Guests attending the party included Kay McDaniel, Gary Dean Stewart, Ann Sanders, Jimmy Cloninger, Ronnie Timms, Chris and Jimmy Pressley, and Sheila Graham.

Royal Ambassadors To Meet in Shelby

BESSEMER CITY — February 27 will mark a redletter day in the life of more than 1,000 boys as they meet at Shelby First Baptist church. It will be a day of Royal Ambassadors demonstrations.

Missionary Rev. W. H. McGinnis, at home on furlough from Gold Coast, Africa, will be present, and a mile long parade will be a feature of the program.

Rev. Fred Forrester, Bessemer City pastor and Royal Ambassador leader for nine Baptist As-

sociations, says that reports show that one of the largest religious boys assemblies ever assembled in the Piedmont section of our state for a mile long parade will invade Shelby.

Some 14,000 Baptist boys live in the nine Baptist Associations that makes up the Hickory Division. This throng of boys come from homes of Baptist parents or prefer the church. Some 424 co-operating Baptist churches make untold plans and open their doors to these boys.

The W. M. U. with Mrs. Terry Smart, Forest City, as president

has a youth leader in each association to help plan for Ambassador life for the boys. They are Mrs. Lock Tate, Marion; Mrs. John Beam, Morganton; Mrs. Luther Hawkins, Belmont; Mrs. Charles Bailey, Rutherfordton; Mr. Lansford Jolley, Bolling Springs; Mrs. James Edwards, Forest City; Mrs. Roy Beals, Newton; Mrs. B. R. Holbrook, Hilderbran; Mrs. C. W. Applewhite, Statesville; with Miss Erleen Gaskin of First Baptist church, Hickory, as youth leader over all this talented group. Each of these district Associations have boys leaders for Royal Ambassa-

ters every six months. Mayor King of Shelby says they will be ready for more than 1000 boys in Shelby for the first Hickory Division R. A. Congress on February 27. Mayor King also hopes that other town mayors will come along with their boys for this history making day.

Fire was almost universally believed to be an element during the Middle Ages, although studies disprove such theories had been made as early as the Fourth Century B. C.

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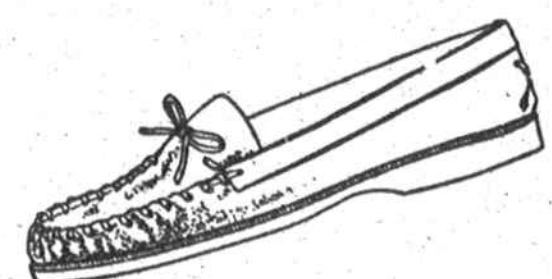
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