

Bridal Parties Continue, Kings Mountain Folk Visit Japan, Vacation Time

Terry Bumgardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bumgardner, celebrated her third birthday at a party Saturday afternoon at her home.



The birthday cake was decorated with pink roses and ballerina girls. Individual cakes were served with ice cream, punch and other refreshments.

Young Miss Bumgardner is granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wray Plonk, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bumgardner. Her great-grandmother is Mrs. A. Benton Putnam. Mrs. Plonk and Mrs. Putnam assisted in serving refreshments.

Children present for party fun were Jerry Valentine, Lynn Valentine, Bruce Valentine, Deanna Valentine, Timmy Plonk, Shannon Bean, Dawn Champion, Carla Bridges, Kim Bridges, Jody Plonk, Janice Plonk, Carol Bennett, Kristal Huffstetler, Cindy Castor, Mike Blalock, Mark Black, Jenifer Pruette Jill Guyton, Lanny Guyton, and Kim Gladden.

Brides-Elect Honored

August bride-elect Diane Roberts was honor-guest Saturday afternoon when Mrs. Coman Falls and Mrs. Kenneth Davis entertained at the latter's home at bridge and roof.

Tables were laid for refreshments on arrival of guests. The hostesses served a dessert course in pink and white.

Tables were decorated in pink and white with arrangements of Queen Anne's lace used as centerpieces. Daisies, carnations, and baby's breath were used decoratively throughout party rooms.

High scores were awarded Mrs. Fred Paschal and Miss Mary Ann McCurdy.

Miss Roberts was remembered with a corsage by the hostesses and a gift of china in her bridal pattern.

Mrs. Robert Osborne, Sr., Mrs. Robert Osborne, Jr., Misses Linda and Judy Collins, all of Gastonia, and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson of Kings Mountain entertained together Monday night at the former's home in Suburban Heights, Gastonia, honoring Miss Joe Carole Sigmon, Gastonia bride-elect.

The wedding of Miss Sigmon and Vernon Carson of Kings Mountain takes place August 28th.

Forty-five guests called from 7 until 9 o'clock and showered the bride-to-be with miscellaneous household gifts. The hostesses also gave the bride-to-be a corsage of white carnations.

Overlaid with ivory lace over green, the refreshment table was highlight of decoration. Runners of English ivy connected the central arrangement of yellow mums and daisies with the punch bowl. Green punch was served from one end of the table with fancy sandwiches, nuts, and green and yellow mints.

Comings And Goings

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blanton and children, Lori Jean and Tim, will arrive July 30th from Pensacola, Fla. for a 10-day vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiley Blanton and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gamble.

They will return to Charleston, S. C. where Yeoman Blanton will report for duty aboard the submarine, USS Amberjack. Mr. Blanton recently reenlisted in the Navy for six more years.

Sherrill Spears is here from New York City for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Goldman Spears, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. McDaniel, Jr., their daughter, Miss Rita Bell, and Miss Mary Ethel Dixon returned Sunday after a week in Silver Springs, Fla.

While in Florida the McDaniels explored the mysteries of the underwater world through the magic of the famous Glass Bottom Boats. Silver Springs comprises the largest group of natural springs in the world and has for years been known as the underwater film capital and home of such famous television subjects as Sea Hunt, the Aquanauts and other feature pictures.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Parker returned home Saturday after visiting for several days with friends in Mount Airy, Ga. and Marion.

The Parkers were joined by Rev. and Mrs. Harold Sprinkle of Marion and they were all guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Marlowe Stroupe in Blairsville, Ga. for several days.

Rev. Mr. Parker is pastor of Piedmont Baptist church.

Mrs. J. B. Wilbanks and Clara and Mr. and Mrs. George Williams of Greenville, S. C. spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Black.

Also spending the weekend with the Blacks were their son and daughter-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Black, of Southern Pines.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Moss were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rhodes and daughter, Judy, of West Palm Beach, Fla. Mrs. Rhodes is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moss.

Gene Douglas Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Harris, has returned home after a several week's vacation with relatives in Allenton, Cedar Grove and Keewaskum, Wisconsin.

Mrs. H. Carl Mayes is spending the summer at her cottage at Blowing Rock. Mrs. Mayes' daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Moffatt Ware, Jr. of Charlotte, spent part

of last week here with Mr. Mayes.

Mrs. W. B. Garrison of Gastonia came from her summer home at Blowing Rock Saturday to attend a luncheon meeting of Women of Kings Mountain Presbytery at First Presbyterian church here. Mrs. Garrison is council treasurer.

Weekend guests of Miss Louise Harry of Grover at the Harry home at Blowing Rock were Mrs. Inez Davis, Mrs. Bill McCarter, Mrs. Bubba Rountree, Mrs. Cecil Fort, Mrs. Marvin Curry, Mrs. Lionel Barnes and Mrs. Ronald Queen.

Mrs. Charles Hartman has returned to her home in Severna Park, Md. after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Herndon, in Grover. Mrs. Hartman is the former Mary Anne Herndon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Herndon and daughter, Patty, spent Wednesday in Greenville where they visited Miss Martha Herndon, summer school student at East Carolina college.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haga, Jr. returned Tuesday to Anandale, Va. after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hicks, Sr. Jimmy Haga remained for a longer visit with his grandparents.

Mrs. George Royster of Grover underwent surgery Monday morning at Kings Mountain hospital.

Molded Salad Combines Tuna And Cucumbers

A molded, appetizing salad is good any time of the year but particularly on hot midsummer days.

Today's recipe for tuna-cucumber salad combines tuna, cucumbers, celery and olives with gelatin.

- 1 package (3-ounce) celery-mixed vegetable or Italian flavor salad gelatin.
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- 1 cup boiling water
- ½ cup cold water
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- ½ cup mayonnaise
- 1 teaspoon grated onion
- 1 can (7 ounce) tuna, drained and flaked
- 1 cup finely diced, unpeeled cucumber
- ½ cup each diced celery and sliced, stuffed olives
- Dissolve gelatin and salt in

Class Party Held Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Humphries entertained members of Mrs. Humphries' Primary Sunday School class of Dixon Presbyterian church at a cookout Tuesday evening at their home on Brice street.

Hamburgers with all the trimmings were served from tables in the backyard. Ice cream was served for dessert.

Young people enjoying the party were Kathy Stewart Gale Faris, Trudy Childers, Danny Goforth and Charlie Berry. Frank Styers, brother of Mrs. Humphries, assisted the hosts in entertaining.

boiling water; blend in cold water, lemon juice, mayonnaise and onion. Chill until thickened. Fold in remaining ingredients. Spoon into a 1-quart mold or individual molds. Chill until firm. Unmold on salad greens and serve with mayonnaise, if desired. Yield: 4 to 6 servings.

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The three ladies pictured here met John Wayne, movie hero of two generations, at a chance meeting in the snack bar at Yokota Air Base near Tokyo, Japan recently.

From left to right are Mrs. Ed Muche of Wisconsin, Mrs. T. J. Shytle of Kings Mountain, and Mrs. Roger Quinn of California.

Mrs. Shytle's husband, S/Sgt. T. J. Shytle is in the Air Force stationed at Yokota. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Shytle who live on the Shelby Road. Mrs. Shytle is the former Mildred Roper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Roper of 2nd Street Ext. in Kings Mountain.

The Shytles are expected home sometime in December.

Grover Roysters Have Visitor

Miss Jane Abercrombie of Jacksonville, Fla. spent from Friday until Sunday as guest of Mike Royster and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Royster and Steve, in Grover.

Miss Abercrombie is a student at Salem college in Winston-Salem where Mike Royster is a student at Wake Forest college.

Council Meeting, Luncheon Saturday

Officers of Women of Kings Mountain Presbytery held a summer council meeting and luncheon Saturday at 12:30 at First Presbyterian church.

Women of First Presbyterian church were hostesses for the luncheon and Mrs. T. P. Seism, Mrs. F. O. Morris, Mrs. W. C. Ballew and Mrs. Charles Neisler were members of the hostess committee.

The 12 officers found their places at small tables set up in the ladies Bible classroom of the church. White damask cloths overlaid three tables and centerpieces were bud vases of summer flowers. For an appetizer, the guests were served cantaloupe topped with fresh, green grapes. Fried chicken, congealed salad, and green beans were served with hot rolls and iced tea. Parfait and coffee were served for dessert.

Mrs. Charles Blanton, Council president, presided.

Miss Gerry Humphries, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Humphries, spent last week in Florida. She returned home Saturday.

Mrs. O. E. Hawkins is here from Macon, Ga. for a visit with her father, A. H. Cornwell and Mrs. Cornwell.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Brewer and family have returned from a two-week's vacation with relatives in Morehead City.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Saturday:
7:00—Rehearsal for the Goforth-Stinnett wedding in East Side Baptist church.

8:00—Mrs. Warren Goforth, Mrs. Kenneth Cash and Miss Peggy Stinnett are entertaining at Kings Mountain Woman's club at an after-rehearsal party honoring Miss Geraldine Goforth and Bill Stinnett.

Sunday:
4:00—The wedding of Miss Geraldine Goforth and William Stinnett in East Side Baptist church.

Monday:
3:00 p.m.—Circle No. 1 of First Methodist church will meet at the church.

3:30—Circle 5 of First Presbyterian church at the home of Mrs. Paul Mauney, 3600 Margrace road.

5:30—Circle 1 of First Presbyterian church, covered dish supper at Lake Montonia Picnic Shelter. Miss Nancy Nickels, hostess.

6:45—Circle 4 of First Presbyterian church, covered dish supper, cottage of Mrs. C. F. Thomasson, Lake Montonia. Mrs. Thomasson and Mrs. Harry Page, hostesses.

7:00—Circle 2 of First Presbyterian church, covered dish supper, cottage of Mrs. C. D. Blanton, Lake Montonia.

Tuesday:
8:00—Home Arts club at the home of Mrs. Tolly Shiford on Fulton road.

Tuesday:
9:30 a.m.—Circle No. 2 of Central Methodist church will meet with Mrs. Paul H. Briggs.

Wednesday:
11 a.m.—Circles 3 and 6 of First Presbyterian church, covered dish luncheon, cottage of Mrs. C. D. Blanton, Lake Montonia.

Party Honors Judy Watterson

Miss Judy Watterson, whose wedding to John Woody, Jr. of Durham takes place August 7th, was honor guest at a bridal shower given Saturday night by Mrs. Bruce Boyles, Mrs. Jerry Webster and Miss Sherry Bell in the fellowship hall of Oak Grove Baptist church.

The 30 guests showered the bride-elect with miscellaneous household gifts.

Overlaid with linen cutwork cloth, the refreshment table was decorated in green and yellow. A centerpiece of yellow mums and greenery was arranged with candelabrum holding yellow tapers. Green punch was served from one end of table with mints, fancy cookies, and nuts.

The gift table, covered with white linen cloth, held a central arrangement of yellow candles with mixed blossoms.

Miss Watterson wore a yellow and white party dress and received a green gladiolus corsage from the hostess.

Dawn Hambricht Has Birthday

Dawn Hambricht, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. (Bob) Hambricht, Jr. of Grover, celebrated her birthday at a party Monday at her home.

Six young friends were invited for party fun which featured the cutting of Dawn's blue decorated birthday cake topped with two pink candles.

Dawn's grandmother, Mrs. W. R. Wylie of Blacksburg, S. C., and her aunt, Mrs. A. L. Feuer of Gastonia, assisted in entertaining.

Young Miss Hambricht is granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wylie of Blacksburg, S. C. and Mrs. R. E. Hambricht, Sr. of Grover.

Pattersons First Couple Wed In Present Sanctuary

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Patterson were the first couple married in the present Central Methodist church sanctuary.

Mrs. Patterson, church historian, was the subject of considerable teasing from her friends this week following a feature story on the 61-year-old church in the Herald last week.

Several paragraphs of type were garbled and the story appeared in print with the note of the first wedding appearing after the statement that the church was organized in 1874 by the Rev. J. W. North who was then pastor of Shelby Circuit, 1873-76.

From the one-room frame building Central church grew and the cornerstone for the present plant was laid in 1905. The present plant was dedicated in 1914. Mrs. Patterson, the former Fairy Long, was not historian in 1905.

The 61-year-old church, a landmark across from the U. S. post-office on East Mountain street, is being razed soon and a new plant is to be built at estimated cost of \$250,000.

Roberts-Houston Invitations Issued

Invitations reading as follows have been issued in Kings Mountain:

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ross Roberts request the honour of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Mayble Diane to Mr. Samuel Humes Houston, junior on Sunday, the fourteenth of August Nineteen hundred and sixty-six at four o'clock First Baptist Church Kings Mountain, North Carolina and afterwards for the reception Church Parlor

Miss Goforth Gives Plans

Miss Geraldine Goforth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Goforth, has completed plans for her marriage to William (Bill) Stinnett, son of Mrs. Gay Stinnett and the late Mr. Stinnett, and announces them today.

The wedding will take place Sunday, July 31, at 4 p.m. in East Side Baptist church. Rev. Darrell Coble will officiate at the double-ring ceremony.

Jimmy Busby will be organist for the program of nuptial music and B. S. Peeler will be vocal soloist.

The bride-elect will be given in marriage by her father. Best man for the prospective bridegroom will be Bill Queen.

Mrs. Kenneth Cash will attend her sister as matron of honor and bridesmaids will include Miss Brenda Goforth sister of the bride-elect; Miss Roxie Sellers, Miss Carolyn Heavner, Miss Anne Trott, and Misses Vickie Stinnett and Gaynelle Stinnett, sisters of the bridegroom-to-be.

The list of ushers will include Ronnie and Gay Stinnett, brothers of the prospective bridegroom; Mack Jenkins and Dennis Goforth, Jr., brothers of the bride-elect; Carl Bell and John Owens.

Miss Susan Oates will keep a register in the vestibule of the church.

Following rehearsal for their wedding Miss Goforth and Mr. Stinnett will be honored Saturday night at a cake cutting at Kings Mountain Woman's club. Hostesses will be Mrs. Warren Goforth, Mrs. Kenneth Cash and Miss Peggy Stinnett.

Mrs. W. O. Holmes and daughter, Janice, returned Tuesday to their home in Melbourne, Fla. after a three-week visit in Grover with Mrs. Will Moss and Mrs. L. R. Hollifield. They also visited Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Powell in Gastonia.



MR. AND MRS. MACK CONNER
...note golden wedding day

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Conner celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Thursday.

Members of the family and a few close friends visited during the day at the Conner home at 941 Grace street.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Conner are natives of Cleveland County. Mrs. Conner is the former Ethel Davis of Kings Mountain. Wed July 21, 1916, the Conners are parents of two sons and a daughter.

They are Yates Conner and Rochel Conner, both of Kings Mountain, and Mrs. Sam Dover of Gastonia. There are seven grandchildren.

Family members cut a gold and white two-tier anniversary cake and the cake was served at the noon meal. The luncheon table was spread with white cutwork cloth and was decorated in gold and white.