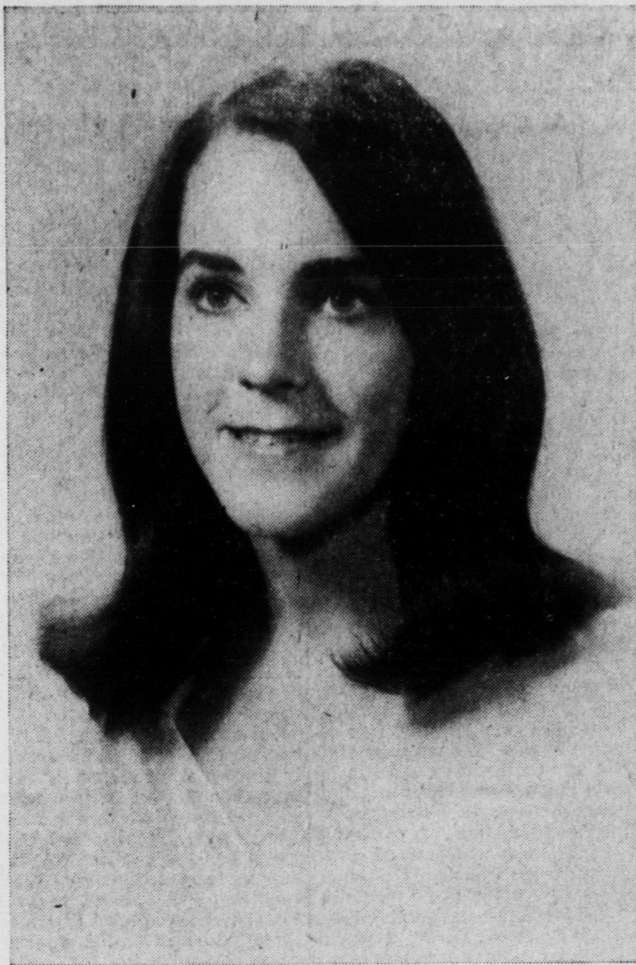




MRS. ERNEST GENE ADAMS
(Donna Lee Lowe)



MISS MARGARET JULETTA PLONK
(Bride-Elect of First Lt. Kenneth Joseph Pollack)



MISS ETHEL LEE AYERS
(Bride-Elect of Larry Hayden Crocker)



MISS VICKIE LYNN TURNER
(Bride-Elect of William Wayne Gibson)

Church Rites Unite Adams; Three Kings Mountain Couples Set Their Wedding Dates

The marriage of Miss Donna Lee Lowe to Ernest Gene Adams took place on Saturday afternoon March 13th, at three o'clock at Central United Methodist church The Rev. D. B. Alderman officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Lowe of Kings Mountain, former residents of Bessemer City. She is a graduate of Bessemer City high school and Kings Business college of Charlotte. In high school, she was a member of the Junior Civitan club, Junior Heart Board and FHA. She is now employed by Citizen's National Bank of Gastonia.

The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Joe C. Adams Sr. of 1235 Fern Forest Drive, Gastonia, and the late Mr. Adams. He graduated from Ashley high school of Gastonia and Evans Business college, Gastonia and is employed as counselor with Gaston Memorial Cemetery Park Association.

Mrs. J. N. McClure was organist and B. S. Peeler was vocalist. Mr. and Mrs. James William Beatty of Charlotte were registrars.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of silk organza and Venise lace styled with an empire silhouette with a high neckline finished with an Edwardian collar applied with Venise lace florets. A bias fold trimmed in lace defined the raised waist and the bodice, sprinkled with lace medallions, featured full bishop sleeves accented with lace motifs. The A-line skirt was enhanced with garlands of Venise lace and had a detachable train trimmed in lace which was caught to a chapel length. She carried a cascade bouquet of white feathered carnations with a touch of heather, centered with a white orchid and accented with streamers of orchid peacock satin. Her three-tier bouffant veil of imported silk illusion was caught to a spray of Venise florets.

Mrs. Everette Talbot of Charlotte, sister of the bride, served as honor attendant. She wore a floor-length dress of lilac silk organza and Venise lace styled with a jeweled neckline, a raised waist circled by white Venise lace and short sleeves featuring balloon extensions banded with

white lace and closed with a self cuff. The column skirt was softly gathered at the waist. She carried a cascade bouquet of white French carnations with heather and baker's fern, accented with orchids and white peacock satin streamers.

Bridesmaids were Miss Cathy Adams of Gastonia, sister of the bridegroom, Miss Priscilla Kendrick of Gastonia and Miss Cheryl Mauney of Bessemer City. Their dresses and bouquets were similar to the honor attendant.

Joe C. Adams, Jr. of Gastonia served his brother as best man. Ushers were Tommy Honeycutt, William M. Puett Jr., David Johnson and Johnny Beatty of Gastonia and Eddie Dickson of Charlotte.

Following a wedding trip to the late Mr. Adams, the couple will be at home at Fern Forest Apartment E, 1036 Ashwood Court, Gastonia.

CAKE-CUTTING
Following rehearsal Friday night for the wedding of Miss Donna Lee Lowe to Ernest Gene Adams, the parents of the bride entertained at a cake-cutting social held in the fellowship hall of Central United Methodist church.

The refreshment table was covered in a yellow linen cloth overlaid with white rosepointe lace. It was caught at the corners with clusters of glittered wedding bells, flowers, and fern sprays accented with floor-length yellow satin streamers. A five-branched candelabra formed the centerpiece that was set with yellow tapers and mixed yellow and white flowers with plumroses fern. A four-tier wedding cake in white with yellow and green trimming and topped with an original designed bride and bridegroom arrangement, was placed at one end of the table. A silver punch service was placed at the opposite end with its base encircled with flowers and greenery.

Pick-ups on silver trays were served with cake and punch.

Mrs. David Garner cut the cake and Mrs. Joe C. Adams Jr. poured punch. Mrs. Harold Adams and Mrs. Marvin Morrow assisted in serving.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Lowe kept the register and the good-byes were said to Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Lowe.

Dr. and Mrs. George Webb Plonk of Kings Mountain announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Juletta (Peggy) Plonk, to First Lieutenant Kenneth Joseph Pollack, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Pollack of Richmond, Virginia.

The bride-elect attended Lenoir Rhyne college at Hickory and earned her Bachelor of Science degree in nursing from the Medical College of Virginia. She is now an instructor in the College of Nursing at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte.

The prospective bridegroom earned his bachelor of arts degree in history from the University of Virginia at Charlottesville. A First Lieutenant in the U. S. Army, he is stationed in Vietnam.

A summer wedding is planned in King's Mountain's Resurrection Lutheran church.

Miss Plonk is granddaughter of Mrs. Clarence S. Plonk of Kings Mountain and the late Mr. Plonk and Mrs. Edgar C. Cooper of Kings Mountain and the late Dr. Cooper.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1970 graduate of Kings Mountain high school and attends Gaston college. He is employed by Kinder Manufacturing Com-

pany. The wedding will be an event of June 5th in Mount Paran Baptist church of Blacksburg, South Carolina.

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Mr. and Mrs. James E. Turner school and is a sophomore student at Limestone college in Gaffney, South Carolina.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Gaffney, S. C. high school and is employed by Deering-Milliken of Gaffney.

The wedding will be an event of June 20th in Kings Mountain's First Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Williams spent the weekend in Raleigh where they attended the N. C. S. C. basketball game.

They were joined in Raleigh by Mrs. Williams' sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Pride Ratterree, of Charleston, S. C.

PERSONALS

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Birthday Party Time; Bride-Elect Feted

Michael Henderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Henderson, was eight years old March 18th. A birthday party was held in his honor. Tuesday afternoon at his home on Landing Street.

The decorated birthday-cake topped with basketball players was served with party refreshments.

Sixteen guests were present for the party.

Michael is grandson of Mrs. Lonnie Henderson and Mrs. Lander Short, both of Kings Mountain.



BT/1 Richard L. Croker and Mrs. Croker and their three children, Terry, Vicki, and Patrick, have moved from Long Beach, California where Croker served aboard the USS Ozborn to North Augusta, S. C., where Croker will be in the Navy's Recruit program.

The Crokers spent the week of March 8th with Croker's mother, Mrs. Ellen Petrosino, Vicki Croker, age five, spent a week in Cherryville with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edwards and Pat Croker, age four, visited with his grandmother here while Terry, age 9, and his parents moved to North Augusta and Terry enrolled in school.

Mrs. Petrosino and her son-in-law, A. G. Huffstetler, took the children to North Augusta, S. C. to visit her parents.

IT'S A BOY

SP/4 Gene Payne and Mrs. Payne of Fort Ryder, Kansas, announce the arrival of a son, Randy Scott Payne, February 26th, Joliet, Illinois. The baby weighed eight pounds.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Payne of Kings Mountain and Mr. and Mrs. John Houser of Joliet, Illinois, formerly of Kings Mountain.

Miss Sarah Smith, whose wedding to Scott Falls takes place Easter Sunday April 11th in Bethlehem Baptist church, was honored Friday evening at a bridal shower held at the home of Mrs. Robert Scism.

Entertaining together were Mrs. Sonny Wright, Mrs. Hal Falls, Mrs. Gilbert Patterson and Miss Rita Falls.

A color note of yellow was featured in decorative details and in party refreshments.

The 40 guests showered the bride-to-be with miscellaneous household gifts.

The bride-elect was also presented a yellow shoulder corsage which she pinned to the shoulder of her knit party dress.

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SECTION B

Club Members Take Tour Of Civic Center

Forty members of the Woman's club toured Kings Mountain's new community facilities building Monday night.

Mayor John H. Moss and Recreation Director Roy Pearson conducted tour. Members saw basketball being played and a cake decorating class in session. Largest program now being planned, according to Director Pearson, is a projected Day Care Center which will be a non-profit facility to accommodate 200 children ages two to five.

Mrs. Grady Howard, program chairman for the club's regular meeting, presented Mayor Moss and Mr. Pearson who pointed out features of each department of the facility.

The club recently installed a new cooking range in the kitchen.

Mrs. W. T. Weir presiding over business of the meeting, Mrs. Ben F. Beam gave the devotional, using two poems, "The Earth" and "Springtime." Mrs. Paul Hendricks presented the treasurer's report.

Mrs. Weir, Mrs. C. D. Blanton, Mrs. Donald Blanton and Mrs. F. S. Pritchard were named delegates to the NCFWC state convention to be held in Wilmington April 10-23.

Mrs. Gene Austin, member of the planning committee for "Telephone Counseling" was introduced. Mrs. Austin invited members to participate as counselors for the program.

At refreshment time the hostesses served cupcakes, cheese straws, nuts and coffee.

Bride-Elect, Patti Steffy Is Honored

Miss Patti Steffy, whose wedding to Norman Smith takes place April 18th, was honored at two parties in Charlotte recently.

Mrs. Lib Farrell entertained at a lingerie shower at her home at 1812 Nassau Boulevard. Bridal bingo featured the entertainment.

A color theme of yellow was featured in decorations and refreshments. The refreshment table, overlaid with lace tablecloth, held two candelabras with white tapers as central decoration. Yellow and green petit fours were served with yellow and white mints, sandwiches and yellow punch.

The bride-to-be was presented a wedding bell corsage from the hostesses and gifts from the guests, including 16 co-workers; Mrs. J. D. Smith, mother of the bridegroom-elect, Mrs. Eugene Steffy, mother of the bride-elect, and Miss Susie Smith, and Mrs. Wade Spauch and daughter, Sonja, of Winston-Salem. Mrs. Spauch and Miss Smith are sisters of the bridegroom-elect.

Mrs. Chris Cannon entertained at a linen shower at her home at 708 Bilmark Avenue.

A pink theme was featured in decorative details. The refreshment table, overlaid with white cloth, held a candelabrum of pink tapers as central highlight. Petit fours of pink and white wedding bells were served with ice cream bells and punch.

The bride-to-be was presented a shoulder corsage and linen gifts from the 11 guests.

Birth Announcements

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Moore, 4400 Margrace Rd., announce the birth of a son Wednesday, March 17, 1971, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Chitwood, 110 Lackey Street, announce the birth of a son, Wednesday, March 17, 1971, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Minor Melton, Route 5, Parker Bros. Trailer Court, announce the birth of a daughter, Thursday, March 19, 1971, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Robinson, Route 3, Shelby, announce the birth of a daughter, Friday, March 19, 1971, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Smith, Box 264 Bessemer City, announce the birth of a daughter, Sunday, March 21, 1971, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Odell Watson, Box 25, Dalls, announce the birth of a daughter, Tuesday, March 23, 1971, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dean Brock, 1913 Hemlock Ave., Gastonia, announce the birth of a daughter, Tuesday, March 23, 1971, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Michael Heath, Route 1 Box 3, Grover, announce the birth of a daughter, Tuesday, March 23, 1971, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wayne Ross, 618 Meadowbrook Rd., announce the birth of a daughter, Tuesday, March 23, 1971, Kings Mountain hospital.

LUTHERAN TOPIC
"What Do The Sacraments Mean?" will be the sermon to be given by Rev. Charles Easley at Sunday morning worship service at 11 o'clock at St. Matthew's Lutheran church.

Mrs. Kincaid Is Hostess To Garden Club

The Open Gate Garden Club held its March meeting, at the home of Mrs. A. W. Kincaid.

After delicious refreshments, Mrs. Humes Houston conducted our business meeting. Mrs. W. M. Gantt judged Mrs. Kincaid's beautiful arrangement entitled, "March Winds."

Mrs. M. C. Amos, program chairman, introduced Mrs. Gantt who spoke to us on "Arbor Day." She announced that our club was donating a Dogwood tree to East School to be planted on Arbor Day.

After Mrs. Gantt's informative talk, Mrs. Kincaid invited us to tour the hothouse cared for by her brother, Mr. W. B. Dobb. All the members thoroughly enjoyed the added feature of our meeting.

A bulging waistline is when the under-privileged get over-privileged.

Wanda Gregory, Lonnie Butler, Jr. To Wed April 3

Miss Wanda Gregory, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gregory, and Lonnie C. Butler, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie C. Butler of Shelby, will be married Saturday, April 3rd, at 6 p.m. in First Church of the Nazarene.

Rev. C. A. Bost, minister of the church, will officiate, using the double-ring ceremony.

No formal wedding invitations are being issued but all friends and relatives are invited to attend.

SOCIAL CALENDAR
Monday:
7:00-9:00 — Bridal Shower at Tiara Hair Designs, 706 W. King street, honoring Miss Wanda Gregory, bride-elect. Hostesses: Mrs. Joy Brown, Mrs. Shirley Hudson, Mrs. Ann McDaniel and Mrs. Arlene Smith.