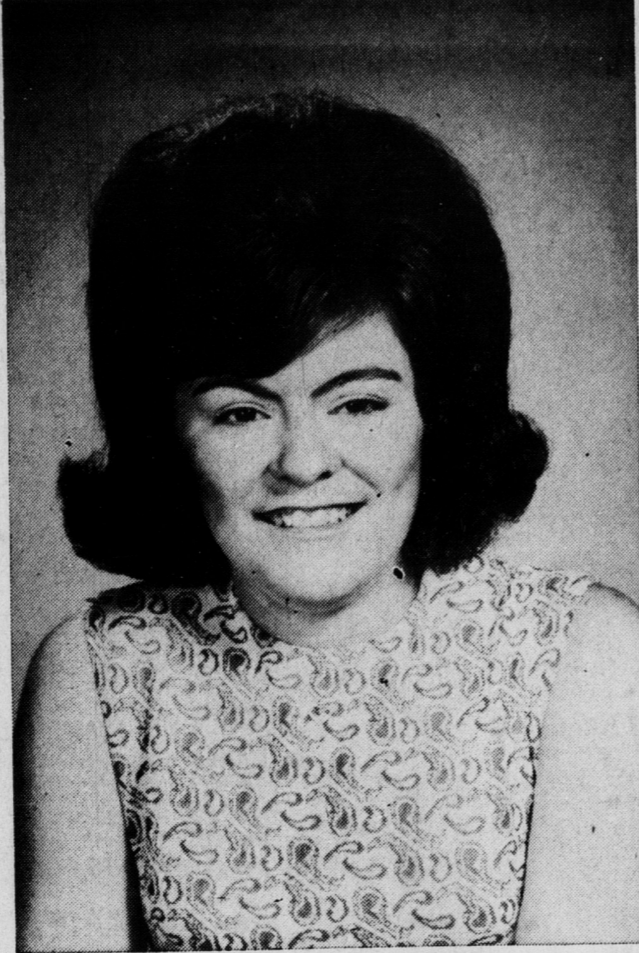


MISS KATHY NELENE HEAVNER (Bride-Elect of Thomas Dwight Dixon)



MISS PEGGY DENISE COSTNER (Bride-Elect of John James Huckabee)

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Tate of Kings Mountain were honored on their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception Sunday afternoon in the fellowship hall of Second Baptist church.

Hosts for the event were the couple's sons and daughters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Oliver Tate, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tate, all of Kings Mountain and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Tate of Portland, Oregon.

Mrs. Jimmy Reynolds was at the door to greet guests and present them to the honored couple. Mrs. Tate was given a corsage of yellow roses to wear with her baby-blue polyester dress and her husband a yellow rose to wear in the lapel of his coat.

The refreshment table was covered with a gold cloth and centered with an arrangement of fall flowers. A crystal punch bowl was placed at one end of the table and at the opposite end a five-tiered wedding cake topped with miniature wedding bells, and the numerals 50, both in gold. Nuts and mints, with punch, were served.

Assisting in serving were Mrs. J. H. Robbs, Mrs. Gilie Falls, Mrs. M. C. Wood, Miss Nancy Reynolds and Miss Lynn Tate.

Mrs. Gene Hardin was at the register. Mrs. Cecil Owens, Mrs. T. F. Ware and Mrs. Wesley Kiser opened and displayed the gifts on a table holding a five-branched, gold candelabra entwined with English ivy.

The room was decorated with magnolia leaves and yellow chrysanthemums.

The 100 guests who called between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock were relatives and close friends of Mr. and Mrs. Tate.



MR. AND MRS. B. R. TATE ...note Golden Wedding Day

Thursday: 7:30—American Legion Auxiliary at the American Legion building. Mrs. Hubert Aderholdt, Mrs. Paul Mauney and Mrs. Ida Long, hostesses.

Friday: 7:00—Dinner party at Inn, Gastonia, honoring Libby Trott, bride-elect. Hostesses: Miss Frances Goforth of New York City, Mrs. William Goforth and Mrs. Eugene Goforth of Kings Mountain and Mrs. Mrs. Mildred Goforth Fulton and Mrs. Joe Palmer of Gastonia.

Saturday: 12:30—Mrs. Wilson Crawford is entertaining at her home on Sherwood Lane at a luncheon honoring Miss Libby Trott and Miss Diane Hauser, brides-elect.

7:30—Bride's drop-in shower in the fellowship hall of Oak Grove Baptist church honoring Miss Libby Trott, bride-elect. Hostesses: Mrs. Carl Davis, Mrs. Steven Swager and Mrs. Norman Blanton.

Sunday: 4:00—Scotch Foursome at the Country club to be followed by supper for golfers.

Monday: 10 a. m.—Circle 1 of First Presbyterian church at the home of Mrs. J. C. Nickle, 305 West Mountain street.

3:00—Circle 5 of First Presbyterian church in the Ladies Bible Classroom. Hostess, Mrs. Charles Ballard.

7:30—Circle 2 of First Presbyterian church in the Ladies Bible Classroom.

Tuesday: 7:30—Circle 4 of First Presbyterian church in the Ladies Bible Classroom, hostess, Mrs. H. A. Goforth.

Two Kings Mountain Couples Set Wedding Dates

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Heavner announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathy Neleene, to Thomas Dwight Dixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Dixon. Both families are of Kings Mountain. The bride-to-be is a 1971 graduate of Kings Mountain high school and is a sophomore student at Gaston college.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Costner of Kings Mountain announce the engagement of their daughter, Peggy Denise, to John James Huckabee, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. John James Huckabee, Sr. of Winter Garden, Florida. Miss Costner is a 1971 graduate of Kings Mountain high school and is employed at Kings Mountain Knit Fabrics. Mr. Huckabee is employed at Kings Mountain Knitting Mills, Bessemer City.

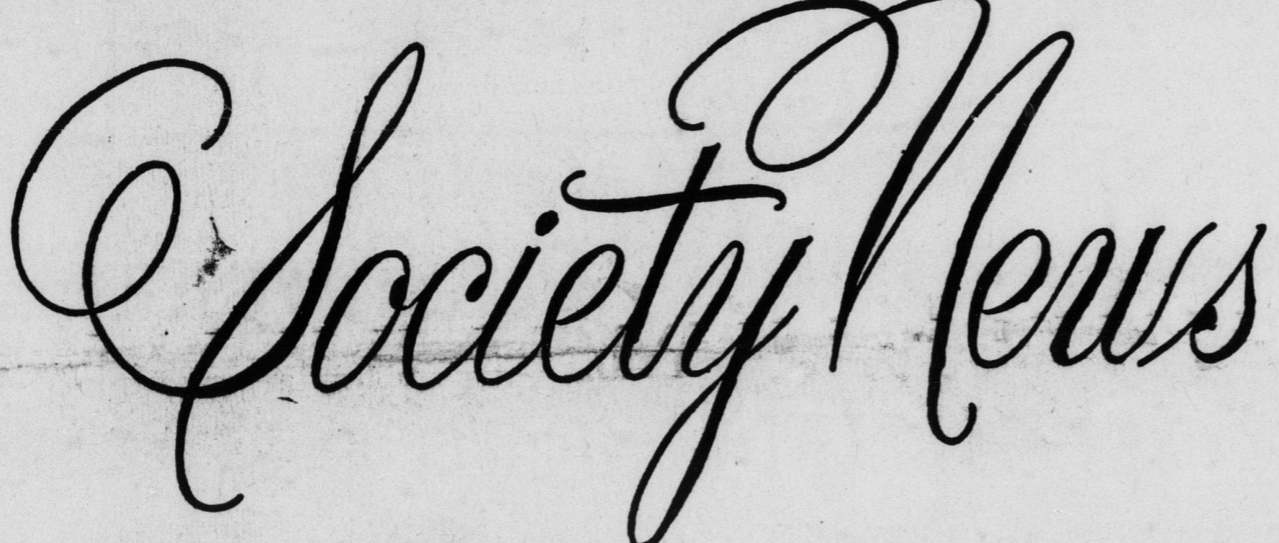
Bride-Elect Is Honored At Luncheon

Miss Brenda Garmon and her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Garmon, entertained together Saturday at a 1 p. m. bridesmaids luncheon at their home in Mooresville honoring Miss Libby Trott, bride-elect.

Covers were laid for eight guests from a table appointed in fall colors of yellow and gold. Place cards were handmade mushrooms and favors were yellow net rice bags holding hand-painted wishbones.

Miss Trott was presented a shoulder corsage and a gift of silver in her pattern.

The bride-to-be wore a white skirt and black blazer. Miss Trott and Jerry Blanton will be married Nov. 11th in St. Matthew's Lutheran church.



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Holiday House Thursday; Gold Star Event Set

The Shelby Junior Charity League's eighth annual "Holiday House" is scheduled for Thursday, November 9, at the Elks Club, East Marion street, Shelby. Hours will be from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m.

Work shops being manned by league members are turning out a variety of unique gift items, including tote wine buckets, children's Christmas pinafores, smocks, hand-painted ornaments, home-baked goodies, greenery and centerpieces, crewel, original art pieces and house plants. Especially designed for sale are bridge tallies and score pads sketched with a picture of the Cleveland County Courthouse.

Tickets are being sold for \$1.00 and may be purchased from league members or at the door. Refreshments will be served.

Proceeds from the Holiday House will be used for the league's many year-round charitable projects.

Anita Gail Wright, daughter of CW3 and Mrs. Charles B. Wright of Willingboro, N. J., celebrates her first birthday October 30.

A family party was held at the Wright home at 32 Mullshin Lane and Anita's Baby Doll birthday cake and other refreshments were served.

Anita is granddaughter of Mrs. Rosa Wright of Kings Mountain and Mr. and Mrs. Gethin Daniels of Bedfordshire, England.

Other member of the Wright family is David, who'll be three in December.



Drop-In Fetes Libby Trott, Bride-Elect

Miss Libby Trott, November bride-elect, was honored Friday evening at an informal drop-in at the home of Miss Mary Bryant on Crescent Circle.

Entertaining with Miss Bryant was her mother, Mrs. Howard Bryant.

The refreshment table, highlight of decoration, was overlaid with a white cloth and centered by a bride doll arranged with yellow candles and flowers. Punch and party pick-ups were served with Russian tea.

Miss Trott received a yellow shoulder corsage from the hostesses and a wooden magazine rack and green hand-decorated wastepaper basket.

Miss Bryant will be an honorary bridesmaid in Miss Trott's wedding to Jerry Blanton November 11th.

Magnolia Club Inducts Members

Mrs. John C. McGill was hostess to Tuesday's meeting of the Magnolia Garden Club.

The club welcomed as new members Mrs. Roy Duncan, Mrs. Marvin Teer, Mrs. Robert E. Alken and Mrs. Doyle Campbell.

Program for the meeting featured "Bulbs" and was presented by Mrs. John McGinnis. Party arrangements were displayed by Mrs. D. F. Ford and Mrs. Dorus Bennett.

Twelve members attended. Mrs. Howard Lutz, president, conducted business of the meeting.

Mrs. Kirby Visits In California

Mrs. S. O. Kirby enjoyed her first trip via air last week, flying to California to visit friends. Mrs. Kirby took the trip as a birthday present and said it was the "best trip I ever took in my life."

Doris Elaine Wilson, a sophomore student at North Carolina Central University in Durham, was recently elected to one of the nine student congress positions of the Student Government Association of her class. She was also appointed on the Homecoming Committee and Cultured Reading Program Committee.



INVITATIONS ISSUED

Mrs. Edwin Robert Goter has issued wedding invitations to friends and relatives to attend the November 24th wedding of her daughter, Carol Jean, and William Edward Robinson, Jr.

The wedding will take place at 4 p. m. in Resurrection Lutheran church with a reception following at Kings Mountain Country club.

AUXILIARY MEETING

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary will hold their regular meeting Thursday (tonight) at 7:30 at the American Legion building.

Mrs. O. O. Walker is program chairman for the meeting and hostesses will be Mrs. Hubert Aderholdt, Mrs. Paul Mauney and Mrs. Ida Long.

Howard Bryant, school administrator and former North school principal, will be the speaker and will discuss the upcoming school bond issue.

Members will make plans for the annual Cleveland County Gold Star Mothers luncheon to be held at Hotel Charles in Shelby on November 12th. Co-chairmen of the event from Unit 155 are Mrs. Orangrel Jolly, Mrs. Ruth Gamble and Mrs. Robert Ruff.

IT'S A GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Carver of Greenville, S. C. announce the arrival of their first child, a daughter, Angela, October 20th, Greenville hospital.

The baby is great-granddaughter of Mrs. Quinn Wells of Gastonia, formerly of Kings Mountain. The baby's father is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Carver of Greenville.

Vickie Sims Has Birthday

Vickie Sims celebrated her sixth birthday Thursday and a birthday party was held in her honor Saturday in the fellowship hall of Temple Baptist church.

Entertaining together were Vickie's mother, Mrs. Kathy Sims, and Vickie's grandmother, Mrs. Charlie Sims.

Vickie's birthday cake was decorated with Snow White & the Seven Dwarfs and this theme was featured in decorative details. The cake was cut and served with ice cream and party favors were given to the eight children who attended.

Little Theatre Launches Member Drive; Plan To Improve Park Grace Theatre

The Kings Mountain Little theatre, prior to the first production of the new 1972-1973 season, announces plans for improvement of its current facilities at Park Grace school. Extension of the stage to make more ambitious shows feasible and improvements for the benefits of patrons are being drawn up.

Park Grace was formerly an elementary school but because of its small size and its age became uneconomical for that use and it is now used as the schools maintenance workshop and a storage building. The auditorium was not used and the school board decided to allow the Little Theatre to stage its productions there.

The front door, which had been boarded up to form a small office in the entrance hall, has now been opened up so that members of the audience will be able to enter there rather than using a side door. The theatre hopes to provide indoor rest rooms for the public some time in the future and with enlargement of the stage and an improved lighting system, the theatre hopes to embark upon some musical shows within the next year or two.

In order to finance these improvements the theatre is seeking the support of local citizens, especially those who are regular play-goers. The public is being offered several ways in which to support these enthusiastic but amateur thespians.

The least expensive way to support the theatre is to buy a \$200 regular membership. This entitles the holder to attend all general meetings and vote for officers and play directors.

\$500 will purchase a supporting membership that also entitles the holder to three tickets—one for each production. The theatre schedules three shows per year (one in November, one in February and one in April or May).

\$15.00 will purchase a sponsorship and a listing in each of the year's play bills. \$20.00 will purchase a sponsorship which includes a listing in each of three playbills and three tickets (one per production).

\$25.00 will purchase a patronage. Patrons will be listed in each of the three playbills and will also receive nine tickets (three per production). Anyone wishing to purchase any of the above memberships is asked to contact Joe Smith at Kings Mountain Savings and Loan. He will answer any questions. Mr. Smith serves as the finance committee of the theatre together with treasurer Stan Galtney and board member Hetty Cox. The memberships will also be on sale at Park Grace during



GOLD STAR FAMILIES — The area's Gold Star Families (above) were recognized during recent Veteran's Day ceremonies held in Memorial Park of Mountain Rest cemetery. American Legion Post 155 Auxiliary and Warren F. Hoyle Unit 82 will host the annual Cleveland County Gold Star Mothers Luncheon November 12th at noon at Hotel Charles in Shelby when this group will be special guests. Pictured in back of the group are officials of the sponsoring organizations, American Legion and VFW and auxiliaries, National Guardsmen and members of the High School Girls Choir. Local Gold Star families can make their reservations for the luncheon by telephoning Mrs. Orangrel Jolly, co-chairman of the arrangements committee. (Photo by I. G. Alexander)