

People, Spots In The News



CERAMIC THERAPY — One of world's oldest building products, ceramic tile has new role in keeping hospitalized children happy. Renee Pearlman decorates a tile as gift for her mother. Mrs. Ivy McCormick of Brooklyn Red Cross Gray Ladies, sponsors of project, supervises.



WHOOOPS—Lynn Williams took this unpredicted plunge into the swimming pool while modeling a mink coat in Chicago and leaned too heavily against the guy ropes. (INP)



DEATH came a split second after this picture was taken at nation's worst hotel fire at Atlanta, Ga. This unidentified woman crashed to marquee from an upper story. More than 110 lost their lives.

Frank M. Parker Chapter Meeting

Enfield — The Frank M. Parker U. D. C. met in the home of Mrs. M. E. Herman on Sherrod Heights Thursday afternoon of last week at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Frank Branch, Mrs. B. R. Kimball and Mrs. A. W. Andleton serving as hostesses. The home was lovely with Christmas decorations of greenery and red candles burning. The dining table was centered with a very attractive miniature Christmas tree around which the packages for shut-ins of the community were placed. A shower of gifts were also brought in to be sent the Chapter's adopted grandmother in the Confederate Home, Fayetteville, for Christmas.

Mrs. William Dickens presided and called for a salute to the flags. The chaplain, Miss Katie

Riddick, presented the guest speaker, Mrs. W. H. Twisdale, who told a very interesting Christmas story—being closed with prayer by the chaplain.

In the absence of the secretary, Mrs. L. C. Marshall, Mrs. G. C. Howell served in that capacity, and Mrs. C. F. Musselman gave a splendid treasurer's report. It was announced that Miss Katie Riddick had donated a set of "The Rise and Fall of the Confederacy" to the Enfield Library in memory of her grandparents, Lieut. and Mrs. T. Lucian Whitaker. It was also announced that the subject of the prize essay to be offered by the Chapter through the N. C. Division U. D. C. in 1947 will be "The Southerner," in memory of Mrs. Daisy Crump Whitehead, a charter member. Another essay subject will be "Local Schools and Colleges Before and During 1861-1865" by Miss Katie Riddick in

memory of her aunt, Mrs. Mary Whitaker Hunter, a former president of the local chapter.

Mrs. E. D. Barnhill, leader of the Enfield Blues C. of C., gave a report and announced that the children had been invited to a Tea to be given by Mrs. Gregg Cherry at the Governor's mansion.

Lynette Rives, a member of the Enfield Blues, who was winner in The Good Health program held in Roanoke Rapids high school on December 6, gave her essay on "North Carolina's No. 1 Need—Good Health," after which the meeting was adjourned with prayer.

During the social hour a dessert course was served to 16 members and the following visitors: Mrs. Sam W. Briggs and Mrs. J. D. Woodley of Tarboro, Mrs. I. D. Wood, Jr., and Lynette Rives of Enfield.

Deaths

HENRY J. WEAVER

Enfield — Funeral services were conducted from the Whitakers Funeral Home Monday, December 9, at 3 p. m., for Henry J. Weaver, 93, of Whitakers, who died Sunday at 10:30 a. m., following a lingering illness. Rev. C. B. Peacock conducted the funeral rites, and interment was made in the Whitakers cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Molly Boone Weaver; three sons, R. F. Weaver, H. O. Weaver and W. E. Weaver, all of Whitakers; four daughters, Mrs. G. L. Bullock of Battleboro, Mrs. N. C. Watkins of Raleigh, Mrs. J. A. Vick of Enfield and Mrs. G. C. Martin of Whitakers; several grandchildren and great grandchildren.

More than 100,000 patent applications are reported awaiting act-

ion by the U. S. Patent Office. A mining city in the Ural

Mountains area has been named Molotov in honor of the Foreign Minister.

Christmas Gifts

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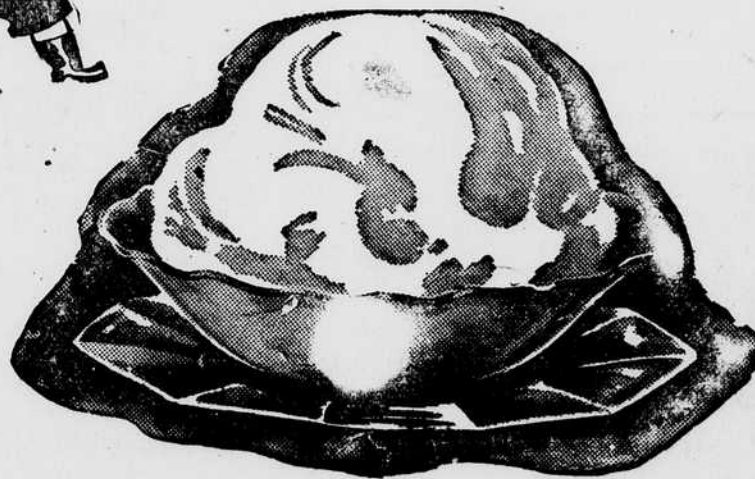
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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

A Grand American Tradition

The Cuppers had a grand old family reunion last week—for the first time since the war.

Big and little Cuppers came, by car and train, from as far west as Nebraska and as far east as Vermont. They crowded Dee and Jane's house, set up quarters in the barns, or stopped with neighbors—and a jollier gathering you couldn't have imagined!

I was asked to their final Saturday night supper, when they sang old songs, drank beer and cider, reminisced. Dark Cuppers and

blonde ones—Vermont accents and Alabama draws—doctors and farmers . . . all with their differences of taste and politics, yet as close and harmonious in spirit as a group could be.

From where I sit, it's a great American tradition—not just family reunions, but the ability to get along as one harmonious family, regardless of differences of taste—whether it's taste for politics or farming, beer or cider.

Joe Marsh
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