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Smith-Farley Invitations Are Issued

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Ruth Adelle Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norvin C. Smith, of this city, to Thomas Julian Farley, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Farley, of Arlington, N. J.

The couple will be married at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, December 21 at the First Presbyterian church of Passaic, N. J.

A reception for members of the families will follow at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Kent, of Passaic, with whom she resides.

Mrs. Robert B. Kent, of Passaic, will be her only attendant.

The bridegroom will be attended by Herbert Braun, of Union City.

The couple will spend Christmas with the bride's parents in Wilmington, and will live in Passaic.

Miss Smith is a graduate of New Hanover High school and is associated with the Passaic Public Library.

Mr. Farley is a graduate of Stevens Institute of Technology, class of '38, and is with the United States Rubber company.

CORNELIUS HARNETT SCHOOL WILL GIVE PROGRAM TONIGHT

This evening at 7:30 in the school auditorium, the pupils of Cornelius Harnett school will present a Christmas program. There will be no charge for admission. The public is cordially invited.

The first part of the program will be the "First Noel," presented by the grammar grade pupils. The following characters will take part:

John: the son of the innkeeper of Bethlehem, Thomas McKee; Abram: a young boy of Bethlehem, a friend of John, John Milliner; Timeus: a shepherd boy, Martin Rabunsky; Ruben: a shepherd, father of Timeus, Sonny Blalock; shepherds: Junior Gaydos, James Jackson, Emory Holden, Linwood Batson; Mary: Eloise Lewis; Joseph: Joseph Johnson; Wise Men: Ivan Phelps, Donovan Wells, Brooks Bowen; Angels: Virginia Corbett, Vivian Sikes, Minnie Sandy; Members of the Glee club.

The second part of the program will be a play, "Santa's Recovery," by pupils of the first, second, third and fourth grades. The following are the characters: Alene Merritt, Donald Sellers, Audrey Nichols, James Harris; Santa's Elves: Marvin Moss, David Guyton, Russell Clark, Malcolm Hewett, Victor Batson, Bernard Rabunsky; North Wind: Bruce Sandy; Jack Frost: Horace Chinnis; Santa Claus: Freddie Lee Hamilton; French Dolls: Dottie Bagwell, Joan Krochman, Carolyn Wallace, Pat Carney, Rose Marie Hatchell, Shirley Sikes; Snow Sprites: Barbara Ann Ezelle, Connie Sures, Inez Bryant, Jackie Cowan, Peggy Ann Grimsley, Carolyn Mosar; Wooden Soldiers: Elwood Barnes, Jerry Lee Justice, Charles Merritt, Ronald Potter, Bobby Jackson, Donald Overby; Topsy: David Benson, Florence Bagwell, Mary Eraner, James Gaydos, Carl Mitchell; Radio announcer: C. J. Barnes.

Modes Of The Moment

BY AMY PORTER



Excellent reproductions of hand-wrought sterling Mexican jewelry are available now in this country. The pieces modeled here by Vicki Vola, radio actress, are from originals by William Sprating, translated into inexpensive alloys by Victor Silver, American jewelry designer.

Miss Campbell, Bride-Elect, And Mrs. Cantwell, Honored

Miss Nancy Campbell, whose wedding is to take place Saturday evening, and Mrs. Robert C. Cantwell, III, who before her marriage this fall was Miss Betty Garrabrant, were honored yesterday afternoon when Mrs. S. L. Marbury entertained at tea at her home in Forest Hills.

During the calling hours guests were greeted in the hall by Mrs. James L. Wells and Mrs. J. B. Brantly. Receiving in the living room were the hostess, Mrs. Marbury, Miss Campbell and Mrs. Cantwell.

The home was decorated throughout with arrangements of

People Like This Tarnish The Bright Spirit Of Christmas

By RUTH MILLETT

The spirit of Christmas can't mean much to these people:

The girl who talks of "exchanging" gifts with another person.

The man who has his secretary do all his Christmas shopping.

The woman who hauls out the harassed sales clerk at a Christmas gift counter.

The woman who sends three persons subscriptions to some one magazine, without being sure they will all enjoy it, because she can get three subscriptions at a bargain rate.

The woman who mails her gifts early, not in deference to the mail carrier, but to give the recipients plenty of time to shop for return presents for her.

ANYONE CAN GIVE SOMETHING

The person, not flat broke, who says, "I'm not giving Christmas presents this year." Almost anyone can give something.

The person who sends Christmas cards purely as a business proposition.

The person who gives a check rather than a gift because it's less bother.

The person who can dig up a dollar and yet doesn't have some kind of Christmas tree.

DO NOT FORGET THE NEEDY

The person who says, "I had a wonderful Christmas, so-and-so gave me this and so-and-so gave me that."

The person who isn't warmed by the singing of Christmas carols.

The person who doesn't contribute something to a Christmas charity or to an individual family in need.

CHRISTMAS PAGEANT IS PRESENTED AT HEMENWAY P-T. A.

At the December meeting of Hemenway Parent Teachers' association Tuesday, December 10, Pollock Irwin presented a Christmas pageant, "The Nativity." Miss Mamie Lee Kimball directed the singing of carols by the Glee club accompanying the scenes. J. F. Herbert, pastor of Grace church, read the scriptures appropriate to the scenes.

The program was as follows: Professional—By the Glee club—"O Come All Ye Faithful."

Invocation—Posed by Virginia Shaw. By the Glee club—"It Came Upon A Midnight Clear."

The Annunciation—Posed by Phyllis Haar. By the Glee club—"Ave Maria." (Shubert).

While Shepherds Watched—Posed by Emory Sneed, James Harvell, Jr., and David Blanchard. Music—"O Little Town of Bethlehem," sung by David Wood, Eugenia Batson, Virginia Lee, Frances Casteen and Helen Jones.

The Magi—Posed by Cecil Butler, Walter Goldberg and Herbert Balkum. Glee club—"Carol of the Shepherds." (Bohemian Folk Song).

The Manger—Posed by Virginia Shaw, Shepherds and Magi. Music—"Bethlehem Lullaby," solo by David Wood. "Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming," Glee club.

The Adoration—Posed by Frances Thompson, Shepherds and Magi. Music—"Joy to the World," Glee club.

Following the program refreshments were served. The first grade won the prize for having most faithful.

JUVENILE AND JUNIOR MUSIC CLUBS TO MEET

The Junior and Juvenile Music clubs will hold a joint meeting Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in the parish house at St. James' Episcopal church.

A special business session and program has been arranged for this time. All members are requested to attend.

JOHANNA BOET RECEIVES HONOR

GREENSBORO, Dec. 12. — Included in "Who's Who in American colleges and universities" for 1946 are nineteen students from the Woman's college of the University of North Carolina.

Nine seniors and ten juniors have been chosen for this yearly publication which gives the biographies and lists of college accomplishments of prominent college students in the United States. Miss Johanna Boet, of Castle Haynes, a member of the Senior class, is included in this list.

V. F. W. AUXILIARY HOLDS REGULAR MEET

The usual monthly meeting of the Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary was held Tuesday, December 10, at 8 p. m. in the dug-out at the court-house. Mrs. Caroline Sutton, president, presiding. The meeting was opened with salute to the flag, prayer by the chaplain, Mrs. Emma Hansley and singing of one verse of America.

Miss Vera Smith, secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting which were approved and filed.

Mrs. Harry Watters made report as to the financial standing of the auxiliary. Mrs. Fay Goodman, hospital chairman, read several letters of thanks from the boys at Oteen, Augusta and Columbia, also a very interesting letter from the Ward Daddy of the V. F. W. auxiliary ward at Oteen thanking the auxiliary for the kind thoughts and gifts sent to sick members of the auxiliary and post, also to veterans in hospitals. Card of sympathy was sent to the members of Mrs. Augusta Flick's family expressing sorrow at the death of this dear friend.

Mrs. Caroline Sutton, president, read several letters of interest for the benefit of the auxiliary and its welfare.

Mrs. Lucile Bank Edwards, chairman of welfare and rehabilitation, gave a tentative report as to Thanksgiving baskets, clothes, fuel and rent given to veterans and their families during Thanksgiving. During the month of November, groceries were sent 17 families, consisting of 39 persons. Mrs. Estelle Blanchard and Mrs. S. Miller reported having visited several veterans and their families, also two visits to hospital.

Mrs. Ida Belle Wylie, chairman of national defense and her co-chairman, Mrs. Nell Dicksey, read several articles on this topic which was enjoyed by those present.

Plans were made for the showing of a movie at the New Hanover High school December 30 for the benefit of the welfare fund.

Authorily was given Mrs. Goodman, hospital chairman, to spend \$25 to \$30 for Christmas cheer for the veterans in hospitals, Oteen, Augusta and Columbia. Plans were also made to bring Christmas cheer to veterans and their families.

No further business the meeting adjourned with prayer by the chaplain and singing of two verses of God Bless America.

HONOR MAIDS TO BE PRESENTED TO CADET CORPS

The New Hanover High school ROTC will hold a dress parade this morning at 8:45 o'clock at the regular parade grounds at 13th and Ann streets.

At this time the maids of honor will be presented to the cadet corps. They are: Battalion, Louise Davis; Company A, Anne Burr; Company B, Katherine Goodman; Company C, Alice Sprunt; Company D, Jean Brown.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

MUSICAL SERVICE PLANNED SUNDAY AT GRACE CHURCH

A musical service devoted to familiar Christmas music will be presented Sunday night at 8 o'clock at Grace Methodist church.

An organ recital of Christmas selections at the beginning of the service will be played by Miss Agnes Chasten, church organist.

The regular choir will be assisted by Mrs. S. W. Brinson, soprano, and Mrs. J. D. Edwards, violinist. The public is cordially invited.

MIND YOUR MANNERS

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. Does it show a knowledge of correct English to say "between you and I"?
2. Is it correct to say, "I don't like those kind of automobiles?"
3. When verbally expressing your thanks, is it better to say, "I thank you" or "Thank you?"
4. Do you say, "It was I" or "It was me?"
5. Is it better to say, "I think I'll retire" or "I think I'll go to bed?"

What would you do if—

You are talking to a person who mispronounces a word—

(a) Use it after him, pronouncing it correctly?

(b) Avoid using the word in that conversation?

PERSONALS

T. T. Hamilton, Jr., principal of the New Hanover High school, is attending a meeting of the Southern Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges in Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. A. H. Bishop and daughter, of Newport News, Va., are visiting Mrs. Bishop's mother, Mrs. K. L. Davis, at her home on Orange street.

Friends of J. W. Liles, of 1720 Orange street, will be glad to learn that he has returned to his home after being a patient at James Walker Memorial hospital for the past ten days.

D. A. R. CHAPTER TO HOLD MEETING

The regular meeting of the Stamp Defiance chapter D. A. R. will be held tonight at 8 o'clock at the Sorosis clubhouse on North Third street.

An interesting program has been arranged for this meeting.

The annual Ellis Island shower will be held at this time and members are asked to bring their donations.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

THE TRAIL BLAZERS IS featured at Bijou Republic utilizes a colorful but not widely exploited phase of American history "The Trail Blazers," its latest Three Lesqueeters starring western which opens today at the Bijou theatre.

Bob Livingston, Bob Steele and Rufe Davis are cast in the triple-starring roles, and they again demonstrate their abilities to capture the interest of their audiences from the star, and maintain it at a high pitch until the final fade-out.

The three portray the frontier riders who are intent on aiding their friend, Chapman (played most effectively by Carroll Nye) to put through telegraphic communications between the Army posts of the western frontier. In this effort they are opposed not only by the bandits, but by local politicians who profit by the lawlessness which flourishes as a direct result of lack of adequate communication facilities.

Chapter seven of "The Green

Annual Christmas Luncheon Given By Thursday Morning Music Club

The Great Hall of St. James' parish house was the scene yesterday at 12:30 o'clock of the Thursday Morning Music club's annual Christmas luncheon.

Mrs. William G. Robertson, president, presided over the affair and introduced the Rev. Walter B. Freed, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, who gave the invocation. Lovely old Christmas carols were sung by a mixed quartet composed of Mrs. Florence Porter Avery, Mrs. George L. Walker, Glenwood Blomme and George L. Walker. They sang: "Angels We Have Heard on High," "The Snow Lay on the Ground," "What Child is This?" "Deck the Hall" and "Good King Wenceslas." The latter part of the musical program was as usual, carol singing by the entire group led by William G.

ROBERTSON, and among the familiar old Christmas songs sung by the group were: "O Come All Ye faithful," "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," and "Silent Night, Holy Night."

The highlight of the program was the rendition of Rubenstein's Concerto No. 4 D Minor by Miss Emma Gade Hutaff and Mrs. Mary Eunice Troy at the two pianos.

Mrs. Robertson announced that the educational meeting would be held on Thursday morning December 19, and would be a program on Wagner, place of the meeting to be announced later.

The luncheon was served by the Rector's Reserve guild of the parish. The decorations were in charge of Mrs. Louise Hanson, Mrs. E. H. Munson, Mrs. Lewis Ormond and Mrs. E. Reid Tom. 4

Hornet Strikes Again' and an Andy Clyde comedy complete this program.

"CITY FOR CONQUEST" OFFERED AT CAROLINA

"City For Conquest," the new Warner Bros. drama starring James Cagney and Ann Sheridan, which opened yesterday at the Carolina theatre has received much favorable comment from newspaper critics and local audiences alike, all of whom agree that this is the type of vital human interest drama which makes the best possible screen fare.

A dynamic story of the world's greatest city and what it does to the young people who go out with high hearts to conquer it, "City For Conquest" is based on Aben Kandel's novel.

Appearing in support of the two stars is a superb cast headed by Frank Craven, Donald Crisp, Frank McHugh and Edgar Kennedy.

A Merrie Melody cartoon and latest News of the Day complete the highly entertaining program.

"GIRLS UNDER 21" IS OFFERED AT THE ROYAL

"Girls Under 21" . . . hungry for dates . . . gay clothes . . . anything but school! "Girls Under 21" . . . too old for love! "Girls Under 21" . . . headed straight for the under-18 right from the Big Town's teeming streets!

Lusty action and blazing emotion highlight "Girls Under 21," thrilling new melodrama, which opens today at the Royal theatre. Bruce Cabot, Rochelle Hudson and Paul Kelly head the fine cast, while a group of talented youngsters portray six tough "teen-age kids-of-the-slums" with Kelly appearing as a popular school teacher and Miss Hudson portraying a former slum-girl, the film depicts the efforts of these two in regenerating the hard-boiled "Girls Under 21," who never had a chance.

Dead End Kids and Little Tough Guys bring another C-Man special, "Hurl'd Through Space" as an added feature. Royal Varieties include Movietone News and a comedy.

ADVERTISING

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MovieReviews

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HEY! WHAT TH' HECK IS GOIN' ON HERE?

CORA! LOOK! GOSH! IS STARRING AS IF HE ACTUALLY SEES SOMETHING!!

By Edgar Martin

November Report Made By Red Cross Nurse

Miss Zou Mercer, Red Cross nurse, reported to local headquarters yesterday that during the past month she spent 127 hours in the field.

Two cases of chickenpox were treated. Three cases of infant hygiene were admitted to nursing service, and 31 visits made. Five cases of pre-school hygiene were admitted, and 10 field nursing visits made.

Twenty inspections and examinations in school hygiene were given. Cases admitted totaled 30, and 33 field nursing visits were made. Treatments done in school numbered 25.

In infant, pre-school and school child visits, 14 children were referred to medical care, and three children had teeth defects corrected.

Twenty morbidity cases were admitted to nursing service, and 50 field nursing visits were made. Eight maternity cases were admitted to nursing service, and 26 field nursing visits made.

BOUNDARY APPROVED

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—The boundary between Germany and the Soviet union, fixed by a mixed commission in 10 months of negotiation, has been approved by both governments, D.N.B. official German news agency, announced today. Germany and Russia have a common frontier in Poland and along Russian-incorporated Lithuania.

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