

# The Raleigh SCENE



# My Lady's Doings In And Out Of Town

## PERSONALS

### CELEBRATES SECOND BIRTHDAY

Sam helping Anthony (Ricky) Rogers celebrate his second birthday on Sunday, June 7th, at the home of his aunt, Mrs. James O. Moore, 752 Bunch Drive, were: Sam and Tony Matthews, Lonnie Campbell, Jr., Chester Jones, Jr., Larry and Preston Hill, Jr., Lucy Harris, Jr., Janice, Jerry, Wanda, and Daniel Chavis. The Fuller girls, Earlene, Shariene, Veronica, David, and Lavene. Ricky received many nice and useful gifts.

### RALEIGH CHAPTER OF SHAW ALUMNI MEETS

The Raleigh Chapter of the Shaw Alumni Club held its final meeting for the year in the library of the Deaf and Blind School on the Garner Road recently.

The following officers were elected for the 1936-37 year: president, Johnny Barker; vice-president, P. U. Watson; secretary, Mrs. M. M. Barber; assistant secretary, Mrs. E. V. Williams; and treasurer, Mrs. Vivian Brown.

The major financial effort for the year grossed a excess of \$5,500.00.

### ATTORNEY GREENE, FAMILY RETURN

Atty. and Mrs. George R. Greene, George Jr., and Ava D., have returned home after attending Mrs. Greene's 10th class reunion and commencement exercises at Talladega College, Talladega, Alabama. Mrs. Jeanette H. Jenkins, a classmate of Mrs. Greene's and daughter, Vita Joyce, from New York, accompanied them on the trip.

### MRS. GRAY HONORED AT PARTY

A surprise birthday party was given for Mrs. Maggie Gray, 909 S. Wilmington Street, by her daughter and granddaughters recently.

She received many wonderful gifts. A delicious repast was served. Those present were: Mesdames Ralph Whitaker, Sr., Nora Haywood, Jeanie Jones, Rebecca Bennett, Nora Pope, Arthella Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Raines, Mr. Joseph Whitaker, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown, Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Richberg. Everyone had a wonderful time.

### RECEIVE M.E. DEGREES

Among those receiving the Master of Education degree at North Carolina College at Durham's Commencement Sunday, May 31, were Mrs. Elizabeth Mitchell Wilson and Mrs. Edith McClain Trice. Both are teachers at the Garner Consolidated School, Garner.

### HAMPTON, VA. VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Otis Smith of Hampton, Virginia visited in Raleigh and attended the Commencement at North Carolina College at Durham to see Mrs.

Smith's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson receive the Master of Education degree. Mrs. Smith is the former Miss Valeria Wilson of Raleigh. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were accompanied by their three sons, Lee Otis, Jr., David and Kevin.

### MRS. MILDRED RAND VISITS

Mrs. Mildred Rand, formerly of Raleigh, now living in Mountain Side, New Jersey, has been the house guest of her cousin, Mrs. Juanita Young, of 202 N. State Street.

Mrs. Rand entertained a few friends Sunday, at a luncheon at The Cellar.

### MRS. MCKAY CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Jessie McKay celebrated her 64th birthday on June 9, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Martha Birdsall. Many friends stopped in to wish her a happy birthday.

Serving punch and cookies were her twins, Annie and Andrew, who are rising sophomores at North Carolina College, Durham.

### LAGRANGE VISITOR IN CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Tabron of Chatham Terrace had as their guest over the weekend, Mrs. Tabron's mother, Mrs. Mary Coleman of La Grange.

### MOTOR TO ST. PAUL

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adkinson and family of Chavis Way motor-ed to St. Paul over the weekend to visit Mrs. Adkin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Currie. They reported a safe and most enjoyable trip.

### MATRICULATING AT DUKE U.

Mrs. Margaret R. Swain and Mrs. Justine E. Davis, both teachers at Crosby-Garfield Elementary School here, will matriculate at Duke University where they will pursue study in a short course, beginning Thursday, June 11.

## Clubs

### N. A. P. E. MEMBERS WORSHIP AT FIRST BAPTIST

The Raleigh Branch of the National Alliance of Postal Employees recently held its Memorial day observance at the First Baptist Church, corner of S. Wilmington and Morgan Streets. The Rev. C. W. Ward is pastor.

Members of the N. A. P. E., with their families and auxiliary, held their Memorial worship service with members of First Baptist and heard a very inspiring message delivered by the Rev. M. E. F. Daniels a student in the School of Religion at Shaw University. The topic of Rev. Daniels' message was "Through an open door," a door through which all our needs may be met: the doorway to heaven.

The audience received the message with rapt attention. The future plans of N. A. P. E. are to make this Memorial Service an annual observance to worship at a different church in the city. Wilbert M. Sanders is reporter for the organization.

### THE ZETALITES IN SESSION

The Zetalites held their last regular meeting for this season at the home of Mrs. Mae Delany, 508 Doby Circle, on Saturday, May 30. Five new members were welcomed and initiated at this time.

After the meeting, the members and guests participated in a cook-out on the lawn. All enjoyed the delicious hot dogs, potato salad, cookies, and soda. There was plenty of music for listening.

Those in attendance were as follows: Misses Constance Winters, Ella Mitchner, Nathalia Deaver, Floystyne Williams, Senora Harris, Chylie Scott, Burna Paige, Jeanette Richardson, Joan Keffern, Agate Hilliard, Edna McKimble, Dolie Sutton, Eugenia Moore, Janie Lindsay, Mary Collins, Alice Dunn, Margo King, Chastice Morgan, Brenda Farrell, Aletia Adeock, Freddie Bridges, Martha Peebles, Jackie Foster, Donna Kay, and Mesdames Mildred Chavis, Mary Barber, and Mae DeLaney.

More to come

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# Come to Church

BY MRS. MAY L. BROADIE

"Dear Father, we need healing of heart, mind, and spirit. We know Thou canst heal us. We believe in Thee and in Thy power. Look with compassion upon us and save us, for we trust in Thee."

ST. MATTHEW AME—Church School opened at 9:30 a.m. with the supt., Mr. Robert Lasane, in charge. Morning worship began at 11 o'clock with the senior choir in charge of music, under the direction of Mrs. Marie Riddick; organist, Mrs. Rosemary Walton. Morning lesson was led by the pastor, the Rev. J. F. Epp, who also delivered the morning message to the congregation. Morning prayer was led by Mrs. Florence Sanders. The service was followed by communion.

WILLIAMS GROVE BAPTIST—Sunday School opened at 9:30 a.m. with the supt., Mr. Phillip Alston, in charge. Morning worship began at 11 o'clock with the senior choir in charge of music, under the direction of Miss Jacqueline Mitchell. The pastor, the Rev. J. H. Bryant, brought a wonderful sermon to the members, visitors and friends of the church. The message was followed by communion.

LINCOLN PARK HOLINESS—Sunday School began at 10:00 with Superintendent Arthur Williams in charge. Morning worship followed immediately. The pastor, the Rev. Eli Ratcliff, delivered a wonderful sermon from the Book of St. Luke, 16. He spoke from the subject, "Time Changes Things." Music was by the senior choir, under the direction of Mrs. Ann Wilson, and accompanied by Mrs. Margaret Ratcliff. Bible School will begin Monday at 10 o'clock a.m. All children are welcome to come.

SMITH TEMPLE FREEWILL BAPTIST—Church School began at 10:00 with the supt., Mr. Elbert Sanders, in charge. At 11:00 Rev. Ray made the call to worship with the senior choir in charge of music, under the direction of Mesdames Williams and Holder. Scripture lesson was taken from St. John, 12:20-21. His subject was, "Have You Seen Jesus Lately?" The church wishes to congratulate all of its graduates.

RUSH METROPOLITAN AME ZION—Sunday School opened at 9:45 a.m. with the supt., Mr. Leslie Campbell, in charge. The regular morning worship services were

conducted by the pastor, the Rev. T. H. Harris. He was very ably assisted by the Rev. John D. Lockley. The music was furnished by the senior choir with Mrs. Ethel Jeffries at the organ. Rev. Harris gave us a very soul-stirring message. He chose his discourse from the following passage of scripture, Psalms, 17:15—Theme: "David put his own dependency upon God as his only support and happiness."

At 3:30 p.m., the Rev. Isaac Lee, his choir, and congregation, of Watts Chapel Baptist Church, worshipped with us. Rev. Lee delivered a most timely message using as a theme, "The Church." We were indeed grateful to them for this very fine service. Mrs. Annie H. Thorpe is church reporter.

MOUNT SIANI HOLINESS—Bishop Maude Pope, founder; Weekly service: 8:00 p.m., Wednesday night, prayer meeting; 9:45 a.m., Sunday School; 11:00 a.m., Morning worship; 7:00 p.m., Y. P. W. W.

SPECIAL NOTICE: 1:30 Revival hour over WLEB Broadcasting Station each Sunday. Bishop M. M. Pope and Bishop E. A. Alston in charge.

Vacation Bible School began June 8, at 10:00 a.m., and will continue each morning at the same time until June 13th. Friday night at 8:00 p.m. the Vacation Bible School will begin a program at the greater Mount Sinai Church, 301 S. Swain Street. After the program there will be a banquet on the patio. The public is cordially invited to attend.

St. PAUL AME—Church School opened with Mrs. Hattie Mitchell in charge. Mrs. Geneva Brown and Miss J. R. Mebane were in charge of music. Rev. L. S. Penn gave the review of the lesson and the closing remarks. The morning service began with the senior choir leading the processional. Mrs. Stredwick at the piano and Mr. Toole at the organ. The opening prayer was given by the Rev. Miss Laura Edwards and the sermon by the pastor, whose text was taken from the Book of Acts, 11:15. The theme was, "Channels for the Holy Spirit." The sermon was very uplifting. Communion was administered to a large number.

St. ANNAH FREEWILL BAPTIST—Sunday School opened at 10 o'clock with the supt., Mr. W. H. Lyons, in charge. Morning worship began at 11:30 a.m. with the junior choir in charge of music, under the direction of Mrs. Elizabeth Partin; organist, Mrs. Topsy McCullers. Morning lesson was read by the Rev. G. W. Walker. Morning prayer was led by the Rev. Theodore McAllister. A very interesting message was delivered by the Rev. Odell Young, from the Book of Psalm. His subject was "Stay In The House."

FIRST BAPTIST—Church School opened at 9:30 a.m. with the supt., Mr. W. H. Taylor, Sr., in charge. Morning worship began

## GABBING About Town

BY MRS. A. H. THORPE

"Don't be afraid of opposition. Remember, a kite rises against, not with, the wind."

### PATIENT AT WAKE MEMORIAL

Mrs. Jennie Johnson of 540 East Cabbarrus Street, is a patient at Wake Memorial Hospital. We pray that God will sustain her and restore her health.

### HOME FOR THE SUMMER

Mrs. Lucile J. Smith a teacher of Vocational Counsel and guidance in the school of Warren, Ga., is home for the summer. She lives at Newcombe and Hadley Roads in Biltmore Hills.

### ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Degraffent of 724 Bunch Drive left the city Sunday to attend a funeral in Pittsboro.

### ATTENDS FUNERAL OF BROTHER

Miss Lilla Brooks of E. Lenoir Street, was out of the city last week on account of the death of her brother. The funeral was held on Sunday at Mitchell Chapel Church in Pittsboro.

### REV. R. T. HUNTER PASSES

News reached us on Sunday of the death of the Rev. R. T. Hunter, a former pastor of Rush Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion Church. Rev. Hunter pastored this church from 1925 to 1930. He was funeralized at Evans Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion Church, Fayetteville, on Monday, June 8th. He is the uncle of the Rev. L. P. Perry, the pastor of Grace Chapel A. M. E. Zion Church. We extend to the family our heartfelt sympathy with the hope that God will sustain them in this hour of trial.



MR. AND MRS. LONNIE A. NORCUTT ... shown cutting wedding cake.

## Catholic Rites Unite Mr. Norcutt, Miss Saunders

At St. Monica's Catholic Church Saturday afternoon, Miss Ernestine Rebecca Saunders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Saunders, became the bride of Mr. Lonnie Alexander Norcutt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Norcutt of Greenville, North Carolina.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. William Tefft, O. P. A. reception was given at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride, escorted by her father, wore a gown of white silk organza over satin with Alencon lace applique. Her tulle veil was fastened to a coronet of white lace with seed pearls. She carried a prayer book, topped with an orchid.

Maid of honor was Miss Geraldine Mouring of Elizabeth City. Bridesmaids were Miss Geraldine Perry and Miss Loree Hall, of Raleigh and Miss Joyce Walker of Wilson.

Best man was Mr. Willie Mouring of Greenville. Ushers were Messrs. Larry Langley, Julius Jones and Edmond Johnson.

The attendants wore powder blue dresses. Matching blue bows, held by blue tulle, adorned their hair. They carried bouquets of pink carnations.

Little Miss Cyretha Charlene Irving, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Irving, Jr., was flower girl. Master William Langley, nephew of the bridegroom was

and a corsage of white Carnations.

A reception immediately followed the wedding ceremony. Mrs. Eldridge attended St. Augustine's College and Mr. Eldridge is employed in Plainfield, N. J. as an Electronics technician. The couple will reside in Plainfield, N. J.

One out of eight Americans will at some time become so menally ill as to be unable to function normally, the Catholic Digest states.

ring bearer. The bride is a graduate of Fisk University. The bridegroom has studied at the Kerpel School of Dental Technology in Washington. The couple will live in Greenville.

A TEXAS TYCOON caught his seven-year-old son lighting a cigarette with a \$1,000 bill.

"How many times," the enraged father shouted, "have I told you you're too young to smoke." Catholic Digest—June.

SIGN on a small birdhouse: "For Wren." Catholic Digest—June.

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## RAMBLING IN CHATHAM

BY DORSETT W. HEADEN

GOLDSTON—The Sw: Jubilee Gospel Singers of Gold will celebrate their anniversary: day at 2:30 p. m., and 7:30 p. m. The Roberts Chapel Church here: Jack Emerson is in charge of the group.

### MOORING STAR 348 CHAPTER OBSERVES ANNIVERSARY

The members of the Morning Star Chapter No. 594, Order of Eastern Star, affiliated with the most worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina celebrated their ninth anniversary last Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. at the Thompson Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church, with the pastor, the Rev. Ray Coleman, delivering the annual sermon, which inspired all who heard him. Music for the occasion was furnished by the Masonic Chorus. The scripture was read by Mrs. Mae T. Turner; invocation, Bro. Charles Lambert; Conductress, Miss Elizabeth Palmer; Response, Mrs. Eliza Palmer; History, Mrs. Lula M. Tyson; Solo, "I Can't Make It By Myself," Mrs. Bertha B. Dowdy; and Introduction of the speaker, the Rev. Mr. Coleman, was made by Bro. Herman Dark.

### OFFICERS

Officers of the chapter included: Worthy Matron, Sister I. T. Wick; Worth Patron, Bro. Hermon Darr; associate Matron, Sister Magdeline Lambert; associate Patron, Charles Lambert; Conductress, Sister Eliza Palmer; Associate Conductress, Sister Lular Edwards; Secretary, Sister T. G. Turner; Recording Secretary, Sister M. E. Jones; Treasurer, Sister Oppie Jones; Warden, Sister Flora Bynum; Ada, Sister Jewel Headen; Ruth Sister Lular Wick; Ester, Sister Lula Tyson; Martha, Sister Amanda Reeves; and Electa, Sister Jewel Dark.

Those on this week's sick list include Mr. Henry Palmer, at Lee Hospital; Mr. John M. Headen, of Bear Creek, at Chatham Hospital; other hospital patients include ward Dark, Hampton Headen, Jennie L. Paige, Vernell Tyson, and Miss Classie Lane.

We truly hope for them a speedy recovery.

### VISITORS

Mrs. Carlin Byrum of Bear Creek was visited by two of her sons over the weekend, Raymond, of Peakskill, New York, and Mildard, of Phoenix, Arizona.

Mrs. Percilla Waddell, her daughter, Miss Eurlie Waddell, and friends all of Greensboro were weekend visitors.

Pvt. William McInosh accompanied by Pvt. Ronnie Moore and Pvt. Robert Moore, all of Fort Bragg, were weekend guests of the Edwards in Goldsboro.

J. S. WATERS' HIGH SCHOOL HAS COMMENCEMENT

Thirty-one seniors at J. S. Waters High School received high school diplomas this week at commencement exercises.

Rev. Raymond Worsley, instructor of Religious Education at Johnson C. Smith University, Charlotte, delivered the annual sermon. Music was furnished by the school's glee club. The class motto is, "Look Forward, Never Behind"; colors, green and gold. Miss Frances Harris was salutatorian, while Miss Denise Undine Wicker was valedictorian.

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## Cogdell-Eldridge Vows Spoken In Home Rites

Miss Gloria Kay Cogdell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Cogdell, Route 1, Newton Grove, and Mr. Sherrid Ray Eldridge, Plainfield, N. J., son of Mr. and Mrs. Booker T. Eldridge of Rt. 1 Four Oaks, pledged nuptial vows here Saturday, May 30, at the home of Mrs. Jennie Charles, 716 Calloway Drive. The Rev. Joseph Dempsey officiated.

Given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Larry Cogdell of Greensboro, the bride wore a street length dress of lace. Her veil was attached to a crown of seeded pearls. She carried a bridal bouquet of white roses. Her matron of honor was her

sister, Mrs. Parthena C. Sander of Raleigh who wore a blue dress with matching head piece. Her bridesmaid was another sister, Mrs. Estene C. Redding of Colorado, who wore a pink dress with matching head piece.

The bestman was Mr. James Eldridge of Plainfield, N. J., brother of the bridegroom.

Mr. Archie Cogdell of Newton Grove, uncle of the bride and Sp 5 Joe Moore of Fort Bragg, were ushers. The bride's mother wore a pink dress with white accessories and a corsage of white Carnations. The bridegroom's mother wore a blue dress with white accessories

## MR. AND SHERRID RAY ELDRIDGE ... plight troths in home ceremony