week with his parents. Johnny

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Clubine

of Washington, D. C. spent sev-

eral days last week with Mrs.

Clubine's mother, Mrs. Emma

Greene. They left on the week

Mrs. Earl Gragg has returned

from a three weeks visit to her

husband in Cleveland, Ohio, Mr.

Mr. Howard Holshouser, Jr.

Mrs. Alma Miller has been a

Charlotte for several days. She

was expected to go to the home

of her daughter Mrs. Bernard

Frink, in Charlotte, on Sunday.

of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Banner,

spent the past week end with her

Miss Suzanne Coffey of the

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cof-

Mr. Benjamin Brittan and Mr.

Ernest Estes of Washington, D.

C. were recent visitors in Blow-

Miss Francis Snyder of the

Blowing Rock high school facul-

until Monday, her fiance, Mr.

Austin of Winston-Salem visited

with Miss Garvey's mother, Mrs.

R. R. Garvey, the past week end.

returned from a weeks vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Henson

and children, Brenda and Ken-

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ington.

parents.

and Hickory.

is improving.

from Greensboro.

J. D. Jones Is Mayor Of Blowing Rock

Rotary Names Officers. *

By MRS. LUCILE LETT

J. D. Jones has been appointed to fill the unexpired term of Glen Dale as Mayor of the gratefulness of the people office until May of 1953.

Dale has been missing from his home here some weeks.

Mr. Jones is a native of Gaf- pathetic. . fney, S. C., but has made his home in Blowing Rock for some years. He is married and has one Mrs. Jones are owners of Skyway Lodge which is open during the tourist season.
Rotary Meets. Officers Elected

President, Bill Fulton; vicepresident, Howard Holshouser; secretary-treasurer, John Lyon.

The new Board of Directors consists of Mr. Fulton, Mr. Holshouser, Mr. Lyon, Mr. John Goodwin, and Mr. Marvin Cul-

Mr. R. B. Hardin will be outgoing president and will automatically revert to the Board of Directors when the new officers take over in July.

Native Of Blowing Rock Abroad Miss Mary Holshouser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Holshouser, has recently written her parents of a two-months tour now being made by her and two other American girls. The tour is being made via automobile and will include the following cities and countries abroad: Leaving Berlin, Germany they will first reach Geneva, Switzerland, going from there to Nice and Cannes, France; Barcelona, Madrid. Cordova, Sevilla, and Gibralta, Spain. From here the girls will cross the Strait of Gibraltar into Tangier, Africa.

The return trip will touch France again and Genoa, Pisa, Florence, Rome, Naples, Isle of Capri, Venice, Bologna, and other mteresting points in Italy. From there the itinerary includes Innsbruck, Austria on back into Berlin by April 26.

Miss Holshouser has been a student at the University of Berlin during the winter having gone on a Fellowship under the sponsorship of the Southern Presbyterian Church through the World Council of Churches. While there she worked as Director of Young people in addition to her studies. In this capacity she was in the homes of many of the German families and saw the need and privation of these people since the war.

In another letter from Miss Holshouser she told of the attitude of these people toward the world situation; how they went on from day to day as though things were normal, yet there was an under-current of uneasiness always present of the possi-

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Council Acts to Fill Un-expired Term of Glen Dale; munists. Many ways have been devised by the people there, especially the Americans, for reaching safety in the event this happens

Miss Holshouser also told of Blowing Rock. He will fill this for the foods which have been sent to her by her family which she distributed among the most needy. Their appreciation was

this previous letter was the description given by Mary of the daughter, Linda, age 8. He and celebration of Christmas there in Germany. The various festivities begin the first of December and in the army for 14 months, is beare quite numerous and colorful all during the period preceding Regular meeting of the Blow- Christmas. Many gifts are given ing Rock Rotary club was held on different occasions, which on Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock should make we Americans fell at Springhaven Inn. Main busi- most grateful for being here in ness at hand was the election of America where only one day for officers which are as follows: the giving of Christmas gifts is

Miss Holshouser was graduated from Montreat High school Mrs. Thomas directs the Senior and has completed three years at the Women's College of the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. She will said from South Hampton, England, abroad a Dutch ship on May 28, and will arrive in New York on June 4, coming on to her home here in Blowing Rock.

New W. M. S. Circle Organized

The newly organized night circle of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church will hold its first official meeting on Thursday night, March 27, at 7:30 o'clock

at the home of Mrs. J. D. Jones. Officers for this circle will be elected at this meeting. All ladies of the church who are not already

in W. M. S. are invited to attend. The program for this month is is missions and missions is vital to Christian lvng.

Primary Choir To Be Organized

On Friday afternoon, March 28. all primary Sunday school pupils of the First Baptist church are asked to meet at the church at 3:15 o'clock.

Purpose for this meeting is the organizing of a primary choir. Boys as well as the girls are urged to attend.

Mrs. J. L. Thomas, Jr., wife of the pastor of the church, will meet with the group for the or- the hostesses. ganizing and will be their direc-



Another interesting feature of PFC. "ROBERT ATKINS, left last week for Pittsburg, Calif., after spending ten days with his mother,. Mrs. Sam Atkins of Boone. Pfc. Atkins, who has been ing sent to Japan or possibly Korea, Mrs. Atkins says.

> Already in existance are the carol choir consisting of Junior aged girls and boys and the Senior choir made up of the teenagers and adults.

> Miss Selma Lee Foster is director of the carol choir while

R. A. Organization Has Dinner Meeting

An extra called meeting of the R. A.'s of the First Baptist church was held on Saturday, March 22, at the church at 11:00 o'clock.

Lunch was served to the group during intermission by their Counselor, Mrs. R. R. Garvey. The Blowing Rock group will

the Three-Forks' Association on Saturday evening, March 29, beginning with a covered dish supper at 6:30 p. m. ower Is Given For Bride Elect

Mrs. H. P. Holshouser and Mrs. Duke Custer were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower on Friday night in honor bride-elect, at the home of Mrs. Holshouser.

The home was attractively decorated with spring flowers and white wedding bells.

Games and a contest were en joyed, the prize being won by Mrs. Charles Martin who presented it to the honoree. A letter to the bride-to-be was written each guest contributing a para-

graph. Following the game period a dessert course was served by

Many lovely gifts were received by the guest of honor.

Attending the occasion were Hickory. the guest of honor, her mother, Mr. Johnny Holshouser, son of Mrs. G. C. Robbins, and Mes- Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Holshouser, dames Larry Harris, Harry Rob- left Sunday after spending a Cessna, Charles Martin, Bill Williams, William White, Omer Cof-ville before returning to school fey, John Reineking, Max Moody, in Rome, Ga. Richard Gragg, and Thomas Cof-

fey, Jr. Engagement Announced

Mrs. Blanche Ward announce the engagement of her daughter, Greene. They left on the week Reba, to Mr. John Ernest Estes end for the return trip to Washof Collettsville, N. C. and Washington, D. C.

Miss Ward is a graduate Blowing Rock high school and of Carolina Business College in Charlotte. She was employed for several years by the Department of Justice in Washington.

Mr. Estes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Estes of Collettsville, was graduated from Collettsville high school and from the University of North Carolina. He is currently employed by the Evening Star, Washington newspaper.

The wedding will take place in the near future in Washington.

College students home for spring holidays and for the week end include the following: Norma and Ernest Banner, Jr. of Mars the past week end with her par-Hill, Virginia Moody of Crossnore, Dot and Billy Greene and Russel Tate of Lees McRae, Johnny Holshouser of Darlington School in Rome, Ga., Martha Lee, and Miss Bernita Greene, Herring, Patsey Bolick and Merritt Coffey of ASTC.

Mr. Granville Hartley was week end visitor at his home here from Marion, N. C. where he is doing practice teaching in one of the high schools.

Lewis Lentz is back in his familiar surroundings after trybe hosts to the R. A. Conclave of ing to convince Uncle Sam that ty had as her guest from Friday he was needed in the Navy. It seems Uncle felt differently and Neal Vaughn of Carson-Newman people in Blowing Rock are so College in Tennessee. They athappy to see Lewis back in tended the Junior-Senior Ban-Berryman's grocery.

Corpal and Mrs. Larry Moretz. recent newly-weds, and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Moretz, parents of Corporal Moretz, spent several of Miss Peggy Robbins, recent days last week in Norfolk where they visited their sister and daughter, Mrs. Harold McMahon and Mr. McMahon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Puitt of Hickory were week end visitors in town and were accompanied me by Mr. Puitts grandmother, Mrs. Emma Greene, who will spend this week visiting in

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of Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Ward were: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hackworth, Mr. Gene Hackworth, Mr. Avery County.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hicks of Rock Hold, Ky., have bought a home here and are planning to move to it at any control of the best presentations for parents with school children in the childr move to it at once.

Gragg has been critically ill but Mr. and Mrs. Jones Harmon have returned home after spending several days in Charleston was home for the past week end

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harmon and son, Barton, of Johnson City, patient at Memorial Hospital in Tenn., were visiting home folks

here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredric Jones and children visited Mrs. Jones' mother, Mrs. Vergie Trivett, last Miss Martha Banner, daughter Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Harmon,

Miss Ruby Harmon, Miss Marie Harmon and Miss Marie Tester spent last Sunday visiting Mr. and Newton school faculty was home Mrs. Dewey Swift of Mabel. Mr. and Mrs. Arval Millsaps of

Reece and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Trivett of Beech Creek were Sun-Mr. and Mrs. Randall Foster, day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Sr., their daughter, Miss Selma Presnell. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Reece and spent the day shopping on Tues-

Mrs. Carl Edmisten of Beech day of last week in Statesville Creek were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harmon.

Miss Marion Ward of Sugar Grove and Miss Mildred Edmisten of Beech Creek were last week visitors of Miss Mary Ann Hagaman.

Church membership in this country totaled 85,319,274 in 1950, 59.8 per cent rise over 1926.

neth, have returned to Wilmington, N. C. after spending the week end with Mr. Hemson's Mrs. Spense Greene, Mrs. Fred Young and daughter, Miss mother, Mrs. M. Henson in Boone. Myrtle Young, spent the day in Hickory on Tuesday of last week. Mr. Henson is connected with the Atlantic Coast Line Rail-Misses Helen Garvey and Sarah road. Ernest Banner, Jr., and Joe

Merritt Coffey spent the week end in Chapel Hill.

"Preface to a Life," a thirtyminute motion picture with sound, will be given Monday night at the March meeting of ne Hackworth, Mr. Carol Lee Miss Madeline McCain of the Wa-Hackworth, Miss Bonny Sue Miss Madeline McCain of the Wa-Hackworth of Williamson, W. Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Don Greene of Williamson, W. Va., directing a discipling a discipl directing a discussion at the end of the film. "Preface to a Life" children, in that it deals with everyday behavior of children, pointing out the folly of placing too great importance on the little

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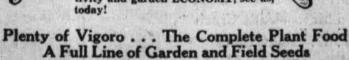




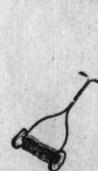


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