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# Local Affairs

lously injured in a fall at her home last Friday, was admitted to Watauga Hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Winkler, Jr., are spending two weeks in Miami, Florida, with Mrs. W. R. Winkler, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Rogers and Mrs. Paul Edmisten were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Shaffer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gragg and daughter, Margaret, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Rogers Monday evening.

Mrs. C. C. Farthing returned home last Wednesday after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. U. B. Jones in Raleigh. Mrs. T. L. Mast of Lovill, who

was seriously injured in a fall at her home last Wednesday, is a patient at Watauga Hospital. Mrs. J. D. Councill is on an ex

tended visit with her daughter, Mrs. R. H. DeVault, and Mr. De-Vault in Bristol, Tennessee. W. R. Winkler returned

month with Mrs. Winkler in Miami, Florida. Mr. Robert Perry of Silverstone

is spending the week with his daughter, Mrs. Vance Calloway and family Mrs. R. B. Porter, who is teach

ing school in Cherryville, spent

the week end with Mr. Porter end Mrs. E. S. Coffey. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jenkins, Jr. of North Wilkesboro were

week end guests of Major and Mrs. John H. Thomas. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. McCracken and son, Jerry, spent the week end in Forest City with Mr. and

Mrs. James Blanton. Mr. Leonard Eury spent the week end in Bessemer City with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W.

Vee Fulbright and Paul Shook of Stony Point and Taylorsville were week end guests of Mrs. J.

A. Idol of Boone, RFD 2. Mr. Vilas Moody of Sherwood Hospital, much improved in

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ward and daughter, Mary, of Cleveland, Ohio, recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adams at Sherwood.

Miss Peggy Lou Watson of Deep Gap spent Monday night Truly," with her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Idol, of Miss Gladys Julia Brown has

returned home from Providence, Rhode Island, after completing post graduate work in obstetrics at the Lying In Hospital. Mrs. L. L. Bingham is recover-

ing satisfactorily at her home in Boone after a minor operation and weekly treatments at a Johnson City, Tenn., hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Byron Farthing

accompanied Mrs. Farthing's unele, Mr. Tom Hermon, of Valle Crucis to Duke Hospital last Wednesday for examinations. Mr. Edgar Cooke, who under

went surgery at Watauga Hospital last week, is now recuperat ing at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Cooke.

Miss Ruth Farthing, teacher in the Shelby Junior High School in Shelby, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Stewart Cannon was the Floyd Roseborough, Kamiah; tion of Native Shrubs and Trees."

Cecil Graham, Kamiah; Mrs. Al He pointed out how important it C. C. Farthing.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul DuPre and

Dan, Virginia were week end sage of pink rosebuds. visitors with Mrs. Carroll's par- Following the ceremony a re ents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McGuire ception was held at the home of

Miss Louise Taylor and Miss The bride's table was covered Marie Hart of Gaston Memorial with a white linen cloth, over-Hospital in Gastonia spent the laid with white lace. A four tired week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. wedding cake was the central

Bynum Taylor and Mrs. J. W. decoration. Whitehead. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Cook and Wiles was wearing a three peice children, Patricia and Mike, of suit of royal blue with gray ac-

Bristol and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle cessories, and a corsage of white Cook of Linoir were week end orchids. visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Earl The bride is a graduate of D. Cook.

Born to Rev. and Mrs. S. B. Steed College.

Moss of Fletcher, N. C., Sunday, a son, Walter Samuel Moss. Rev. East Tennessee State College and and Mrs. Moss formerly lived in is now a student at the Univer-Boone, where he was pastor of sity of Tennessee School of Denthe Methodist Church.

Sgt. Claude H. Ragan, son of Out of town guests attending Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ragan, is now the wedding included Mr. and stationed at the air force base, Mrs. Stewart Cannon of Knox-West Palm Beach, Fla. He reen- ville, Bob Hughes, Greenville, listed, after having been discharg- Mr. and Mrs. Austin Bird, Mr.

Ann Hodges were in Gastonia Boone, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sunday for the funeral of Mrs. A. Christian, and Miss Frances Agle's grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Louise Douglas, who died 
Priday at the home of Mr. and 
Mrs. J. W. Eury in Beasemer City.

M. T. Culbreth, director of Wesley Fellowship of ASTC, and Bob Nelson, student president of the group, attended a committee meeting of the state Methodist student movement in Greens boro Sunday. Purpose of the meeting was to complete plans for the state Methodist Student Conference to be held February 13-15.

Mr. Ed Sherwood, who has been critically ill at Watauga Hospital for three weeks, is improving and he returned to his home Vilas Tuesday. Mr. Glenn Sherwood of Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. John Yount and son, John,

of Columbia, Tennessee, Homer Stalcup of Mountain City, Tennessee, and Mrs. Sherwood's sister, Mrs. Vera Bingham of Abingdon, Virginia, were called here because of his illness

Sgt. 1-c James V. Hall, Mrs. Hall, and their daughter, Lynn, who have been located at Macon, Ga., left Tuesday, after spending a week visiting with Mrs. Lillian Hopkins. From Boone, they went to Detroit, Mich., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hall, Mrs. Roy Johnson, and Mr. Virgil Hall. Sgt. home Sunday after spending a Hall will leave for Europe February 10. Mrs. Hall and Lynn plan to join him in the near fu-

# Miss Jones Wed To S. M. Wiles, Jr. In Johnson City

In a candlelight ceremony performed at 7:00 p. m., December ding anniversary. 27, at the First Methodist Church. Johnson City, Tenn., by Dr. M. S. Kincheloe, Miss Joan Jones became the bride of Samuel M. Wiles, Jr.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Jones, 1220 Powell street, and a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones their golden wedding anniversand Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Christian ary of Boone.

has returned home from Duke S. M. Wiles, 711 Hamilton street. was presented by Mrs. Clarence vocalist. Mrs. Ring played "Al-ways," "Intermezzo," "Clair de Lune" and "Liebestraum." Vocal selections used were "I Love You "Because" and "The

Lord's Prayer." Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a bridal December 28, 1902, the veremony gown of white satin and nylon taking place on a Sunday even-The satin bodice was designed with a sweetheart neckline. Her veil of French illusion a Sunday extended from a sweetheart cap of lace.

She carried a white Prayer chid.

Mrs. Russell Grubbs was the head dress. She carried a nosematch her dress.

Bridesmaids were Misses Jean Johnson and Frances Jones. Their Mr. and Mrs. Graham. Their six during February. dresses were fashioned like that living children are Bruce Graof the honor attendant in melon ham, Craigmont; Mrs. Wallace lings, introduced Dr. Ray Dernylon tulle.

son, John, of North Wilkesboro attired in a dress of dusty rose Mrs. Graham also have 22 grand- and propagate the beautiful spent Sunday with Mrs. M. P. crepe with navy accessories and children and two great-grand- Catawba or purple rhododendron, Critcher and Mrs. M. B. Black- a corsage of white rosebuds. Mrs. children. burn.

Mrs. Dean Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. George Browning of Rapid Wiles, mother of the groom, was attired in a dress of light crepe were present for the golden wedwith black accessories and a cording celebration of their parents.

Mrs. George Browning of Rapid Wiles, mother of the groom, was attired in a dress of light crepe were present for the golden wedwith extinction. The carolinium which, except for a few traces in

the bride's parents.

For her wedding trip Mrs.

Science Hill High School and

The groom was graduated from tistry, Memphis.

ed last October.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Agle and Libby and Carol of Bristol, Mr. children, Mollie, Bobby, Jimmy, and Mrs. W. K. Christian of Bristol, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Christian,



MR. AND MRS. W. R. GRAHAM

# Mr. And Mrs. W. R. Graham Honored At Golden Wedding Anniversary

W. R. Graham, long-time resi- joined in extending best wishes dents of the Westlake community and congratulations to the jubi-enjoyed an event Sunday, Dec. larians, and expressed the hope 28, that comes to few people, the that they may enjoy many more occasion being their fiftieth wed- years of married life together.

Members of their family hon ored Mr. and Mrs. Graham with Garden Club an open-house reception conduct ed at the Graham home at West lake. Many relatives and friends were present for the occosion and the honored couple received many lovely gifts and remembrances of

Mr. and Mrs. Graham are both hale and hearty and few people A program of nuptial music 50 years of married life together -many of these years in a fron-Ring, organist and Frank Lee, Jr., tier home without modern conveniences that are deemed necesities today.

Commentin on their 50th anniversary the jubilarians reported that Miss Lela McGuire and W. R. Graham were united in marriage at Todd, North Carolina on ing. Incidentally their 50th anniversary also was celebrated on

Mr. and Mrs. Graham came to Idaho in the spring of 1913 and settled on a homestead on the Book topped with a white or- banks of Salmon river where they made their home for several bride's maid of honor. She wore ceived their mail through the a ballerina length dress of prom Keuterville post office. Later the blue, nylon tulle and a matching family moved to a farm near Westlake, which has been their time.

Dearing, Clarkston, Wash.; Mrs. rick who spoke on "The Conserva-Robert Hughes and Robert Fields. Johnston, Ferdinand; and Glenn is from both an economic and The mother of the bride was Graham, of Grangeville. Mr. and esthetic standpoint to preserve

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Westlake, Idaho-Mr. and Mrs. at the Graham home Sunday

# Hears Dr. Derrick

The Blue Ridge Garden Club held a luncheon meeting at the Daniel Boone Hotel January 14th. The club collect and "Trees" were read by Mrs. R. W Watkins. The club voted to offer would guess that they have spent a \$100 prize this year to the person doing the most attractive planting, emphasizing the use of dogwood, along the model mile. On account of its spectacular beauty in the spring and its red berries and varicolored leaves in the fall, dogwood is very popular, so much so that the General Assembly of 1941 adopted it as the 'official flower of the state of North Carolina." Small trees are much more likely to live than larger ones. They grow faster and adapt themselves to the site more readily. Planting should be done when the soil is fairly dry and friable, so that it will sift down among the roots. It is quite important to make sure your tree is no deeper or shallower in the years. During that time they remulch of partly rotted forest leaves should be placed around

Mrs. Frank Payne was appointgay bouquet of mixed flowers to home continuously since that ed chairman of a committee to Seven children were born to the hospital trays on Sundays

> The president, Mrs. B. W. Stalthe carolinium or punktatum and The many friends who visited Tennessee, is native only to North

## Carolina should have special care and protection. The white pine, which has been called the 'Queen of the Mountains," should be preserved and cultivated as a thing of beauty and a protection to our water sheds and soil. Dr. Derrick quoted the following of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Kennedy North Carolina: "No person, firm or corporation shall dig up, pull Bingham and the late Mr. Bing-up or take from the land of ham of Vilas. another or from any public domain, the whole or any part of blue dress with navy shoes and any trailing arbutus, American bag and white hat with a white holly, white pine, red cedar, hem- orchid corsage. lock or other coniferous trees, or flowering dogwood, any mountain laurel, any rhododen- Ashmore Business College and is dron, or any ground pine, or any Christmas greens, or any Judas tree, or any leucothea, or any agalea, without having in his

lars for each offense. This problem may be approached in the following ways: Through the influence of clubs and organizations, by propogation and cultivation, by legislation and by education through press and public schools. White pine seedlings may be secured through the T. V. A.

possession a permit to dig up,

pull up or take such plants, sign-

ed by the owner of such land or

by his duly authorized agent

Any person convicted of violat-

ing the promisions of this section

shall be fined not less than ten

dollars nor more than fifty dol-

In conclusion Mr. Howard Williams, Watauga County Soil Conservation Supervisor, made some additional remarks in regard to soil conservation.

Mr. and Mrs. Reece Arledge of Mill Spring spent the week end with Mrs. Arledge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Lynn Cook, who have been ill with flu. Miss Mildred Tunnell of Winston-Salem, also visited with them.

# Miss Kennedy Is Bride Mr. Bingham

Kennedy became the bride of Mr. Sherman A. Bingham in a candlelight ceremony at the First Methodist church parsonage on December 24 at 7:00 o'clock p. m. The Rev. H. Glenn Lanier officiated using the double ring cere-

The bride is the only daughter the general statutes of of Thomasville and the bride-

The bride was attired in a pale

Mrs. Bingham is a graduate of Thomasville High School and

employed by Southern Oil Co., of High Point.

Cove Creek High School and is yield of 126.2 bushels now with the U. S. Army stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Yellow fever kills 41 in two Brazilian states.

An Eastern North Carolina farmer was the State's official

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