Social Events of the Past Week In the Old North State

GASTONIA.

Gastonia, Dec. St.-Last Thursday Gastonia, Dec. at last afternoon, a lovely bridge party was given by Mrs. E. T. Seirtner at her home in Choster Place. Christmas decerations added to the charm of the attractive home. Bridge was played at five tables, after which an elegant five tables, after which an elegant collation consisting of fruit cocktail, chicken salad, coffee and accessories

Wednesday evening Mr. John Dur Wednesday evening Mr. John Dur-ham was host at a lovely dinner party at the country club. Pink carnations and ferns made a heautiful center dec-bration for the table. Places were set for the following: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Julian, Mr. Steve Barnwell and Miss Rankin, Mr. John Durham and Anne Rankin Miss Iva Battle,

The woman's auxiliary of the American legion was entertained by Mrs. W. Y. Ahoeseh last Tuesday afternoon. Important business was disposed of and new officers elected for the comand new officers elected for the com-ing year as follows: Commander, Miss Marle Torrence; vice commander, Miss Maud Rankin; adjutant, Mrs. Minnie Costner Abernethy; publicity officer, Mrs. John W. Kirby; music officer, Miss Margaret Morris; sergeant-at-srms. Miss Frances Atkinson; his-torian, Miss Elizabeth Hall. arms. Miss Frances Atk Sorian, Miss Elizabeth Hall.

Miss Snow Bradley was the honores at a surprise party last Friday eve-hing, given by Miss Elva Lee Gibbon. About 25 young people accompanied hiss Gibbon to Miss Bradley's home West Franklin avenue, where a de lightful evening full of fun was spent After games were played fruits and candles were served. Miss Bradley is a student at Flora Macdonald colis a student at a lege this year.

The home economics class, "B" sec-tion of eighth grade at the Central school entertained their mothers and the high school faculty last Friday afternoon at a tea in the laboratory of the school. Decorations of holly, cedar, poinsetta and bowls of blooming narcissus made the room most attractive. Miss Sue Hamsey Johnston, teacher of home economics, received the guests. The members of the class, attired it spotless white aprons over their school freezes, served a course of refresh-mients they had previously prepared.

The latest organization in the city was formed Tuesday afternoon at the country club. It is composed of 12 members and is called the "Queen of Cluba." Bridge is their game. It will meet twice a month in the homes of the members. Pink and white are their colors. The following persons. the members: Mrs. Lester Bagare the members: Mrs. Lester Bag-gett, Miss Gayvelle Boone, Mrs. Ra-leigh Armstrong, Miss Burney Boyce. Miss Margaret LaFar, Mrs. Arthur Fuller, Mrs. Plato Durham, Mrs. George Mervin, Mrs. John M. Miller, Mrs. Henry Rankin, Mrs. Lawrence Mrs. Henry Rankin, airs. -Rankin and Mrs. Earl McLean.

A party of Cantonia ladies were in vited guests lant Tuesday afternoon at a most beautiful reception given by Mrs. J. L. Lincherger and Mrs. L. M. Coffee in Lincolnton at the home of the Coffee in Lincolnton at the home of the former. The Gastonia party was composed of Meadames S. N. Boyce, P. R. Falls, M. H. Curry, E. C. Wilson, Frank Wilson, J. C. Latham, W. T. Love, R. M. Reld, and Misses Lowry Shuford. Salenale Latham, Bertie Duff and Salile Summer, Mrs. Thos. W. Wilson and Mrs. J. H. Henderlite.

Mrs. Fred L. Smyre and children. Mary Sexton, Frederick, Jr. and Maud Kelly, are spending the holidays with Mrs. Merlin Schenck, Mrs. Smyre's sister, in Greensboro. From there they go to Salem, Va., to visit her mother. Mrs. Frank Kelly.

WILMINGTON

Wilmington, Dec. 24.—One of the delightful entertainments of the past week was a bridge party which took place last Thursday afternoon, when Mrs. John Winder Hughes entertained the members of her club. Prizes were awarded to the fortunate contestants. delicious refreshments

Last Friday afternoon Miss Ruth Ficasants entertained at her home on Sixth street, in honor of Miss Caroline Holmes, whose marriage to Dr. Byrd Hopkins, of Bel Aire, Md., will take place December 27. Bridge was played at 10 lables and the top score was made by Miss blisle Jordan, while the booby price fell to Miss Laura Pars-ley. The guest of bener was presented with a lovely besided bag, and a cor-rage of awecheart roses, while Miss Virginia Milion, another bride-elect, whose marriage to Dr. Finney, of Bal-timore, will take place in the near fu-

simore, will lake place in the near itture, was also presented with a corsage of sweetheart roses.

At the conclusion of the game a delicious saisd course, followed by an
ice course, consisting of pineappie teand cakes, was served, and the aftersoon was most pleasantly spent by al the guests.

A marriage of much interest to large circle of friends was solemnized in this city Monday, when Miss Dur-nide Larkins became the bride of Lynn It. Tiliers. The ceremony took place at the home of the brides sister, and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gil-christ McCormick, on North Fifth

The ceremony was performed by Dr. J. M. Weils, the former paster of the First Presbyterian church, of this city, but now president of the Union The elogical seminary, of Columbia, S. C. The first is enter were the brides two little nieces, Miss Sarah McCormick wearing a dainty frock of time ruf-fled organdy, and little Miss Elizabeth Whitehead, also in ruffled organity both carrying lovely brakets of awest

Mrs. William G. Whitehead, a sister of the bride, was the dame of hone and was most attractively gowned peaceds blue valvet, and wearing corange of Russei roses.

The bride was given away by he brother-in-law. Mr. Gilchrist mick, and was charming in a becoming sult of navy blue, with hat and acces-sories to match. She carried a shower

the city on January 1, they will be at home at 113 South Seventh street, Mrs. George Tillery, of Philadelphia, was a guest at the wedding.

Complimentary to Miss Caroline P. Hopkins will take place next week. Va. to spend the holidays with another Miss Florence LeGrand delightfully stater. stater and the factorial last Saturday afternoon, at three tables of bridge. At the con-

Miss Esther Exum Harriss were the charming hostssess at a tea, at the home of their mother, Mrs. George N. Harriss, at Carolina Helghts.

A most delightful card party wa given last Saturday evening, when all the state of this week, of the state of the s Cronly, to whom was presented a silver pencil. The guests were: Misses Meta Rountree, Ruth Pleasants, Sophic Northrop, Frances Jewett, Kate Fuison, May Wright Taylor, Julia Falson, Gladys Taylor, Mrs. Frederick Willetts, and Messrs. Emple Latimer. John Dickson Cronly, Grey Hicks, Louis Latimore, of Savannah, a guest of Mr. Hicks, Meares Harriss, Boyce Hicks, Tom Payne, George N. Harriss, Fred-

Mrs. Jessie Kenan Wise was the in home at Caro-ian heights when she entertained the members of her card club at a bridge luncheon.

was the hostess at a most enjoyable this cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honor of Miss Caroline Holmes, bridge-elect. The or flowers sent by the Junior Chapter guest-of-honor was presented with a of the Daughters of the Confederacy that piece of lingerie, while the prize for the highest score, a lovely blue powder bag, was won by Miss Ruth Pleasants. The guests were:
Misses Caroline Holmes. Nasield Ruth Pleasants. The guests were: Misses Caroline Holmes, Nesfield Holmes, Lucile Sternberger, Ruth Pleasants, Mrs. Douglas Taylor, Mrs. Pleasants, Mrs. Douglas Taylor, Mrs. tobert Slocum, and Mrs. Robert

Miss May Latta Moore was the hos

Mrs. Charles S. Grainger, Jr., was he charming hostess Tuesday after-oon to the members of her bridge The Christmas spirit was caried out in the decorations and re-reshments, and the afternoon proved most delightful. The top score was nade by Mrs. Charles Parmele, presented with a silver cheese knife. Miss Katherine Elliott, a bride-elect was presented with a silver bell.

HICKORY.

Hickory, Dec. 24.—Of Saturday afternoon Miss Aline West was hostess to the Up To Date clpb with several visitors present in additional to the regular club members. An interesting contest was engaged in and Miss Elizabeth Morets entertained with a cading. Christmas gifts were dis-ributed after which a luncheon was arved.

Among the young people returns home from the different colleges for the holidays are Misses Alice Lyerly and Louise Ciliey from Salem college, Jessis Patrick and Vera Gibbs, Converse college, Janie Menzies, Clarissa Abernethy, Lucy Locke, Marita Frye and Gertrude Fox, North Carolina Colege for Women, Dorothy Ivey and dward Clement, Greensboro college, Katherine Menzies, Elizabeth Council and Ellen Stuart Menzies, Fassifern chool, Clem Geltner, Georgia school of Technology, Charles Heary Geitner, Miles Sherrill and James Boyd, Mer-corsburg college, George Johnson, North Carolina State college, Albert Hewitt, university, Jake Geitner, North Carolina State college and Robert Boatright, Wake Forest.

Miss Katherine Seizer was boste o the Virginia Dare Book clu Wednesday afternoon with all men bers present and Misses Nancy Hall, Frances Tocker, Elizabeth Barkley and Mrs. Willie Shell as guests.

There was a delightful meeting of he Hickory Book club Wednesday aft-

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Wednesday afternoon Miss Frances eld was hostess at a delightful meet of the Fortnightly Book club for the Profringntly Book club-ler the program the guests grouped bund small tables which were ar-used about the living room and en-red a delightful luncheon. Each tive was marked by a small card on hich were written original verses by Bost. Hickory's charming octess. The cards were hand-decor-ted by Miss Frank Martin. Mrs. R. S. Brown and Mrs. R. C. Buchanan were uests for the afternoon.

Mrs. James C. Shuford entertained Wednesday Afternoon Bridge club several extra guests at the regu-meeting of the club last Wednes-Mrs. W. J. Shuford made high and received a prize, a handker hief holder containing two lovely andkerchiefs. A delicious collation as served after the game.

The members of the Embroidery club together with a number of invited guests were entertained Saturday afternoon by Mrs. A. A. Whitener, Pwelve members answered, roll call with jokes and current events.

The senior members of the Etude fusic club held a most interesting secting Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Elizabeth Sherrili, Bertha Deaton, street. This

The meeting of the O. Henry Book hab held Saturday afternoon with Mra. ohn Bohannon in Kenworth was one especial enjoyment. In keeping with the season the house was attractively decorated in holly and red Friday man at Mrs. (ch

bouquet of bride's roses and liles of the valley.

Mr. Tillery had as his best man W Beasley Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Tillery left on the Southern train for Cubia and points in Florida, where they will spend lithery orchestra. The chapterons ifful peem by the will be war furnished by the flag motto and real America, a beauthern train for Cubia and points in Florida, where they will spend lithery orchestra. The chapterons ifful peem by the well known North their honeymoon. On their return to were Mr. and Mrs. John Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lutz, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Shuford and Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Shuford.

entertained last Saturday afternoon, at three tables of bridge. At the continuous clusion of the game, attractive prizes tables of bridge Tuesday afternoon at the form on Johnson street on Friday tables of bridge Tuesday afternoon at the form on Johnson street on Friday afternoon at 3 club and a number of outside guests. Norwood Bass made top score and received the prize, a deck of cards. A delightful luncheon was served after this was a dainty table cover. Mrs. Last Saturday afternoon from too the game.

Graham, Dec. 24.—Col. and Mrs. Ja ob A. Long, of Graham, two of Ala nance bounty's most loved citizens, or luesday of this week, celebrated the Soft or golden weedling anniversary at their home. Owing to the health of Col. Long it was not possible to have a big celebration and they decided to have simply a dinner with their sons

and daughters present.

To this union were born seven chilidren, five girls and two boys. These
seven were present, as follows; Mra.

E. Everett, Suffolk, Va.; Mrs. Hersey
Woodward, Suffolk, Va.; Mrs. J. Elmer Long, Durham, N. C.; Mrs. R. J. Me-nane, Greensboro, N. C.; Mr. Halph Long, Winston-Salem, N. C.; and Mrs A. H. Graham, Hillsboro, N. C.

Quite a number of telegrams and etters and messages came from friend il over this state and Virginia extend ing congratulations to this estimable ouple on having passed through fifty years of married life and having reared a family that is so much credit to them, and of so much honor and ser rice to this state and the state of Vir

ginia.

The dinner table had a large cake one of the delightful entertainments in the center, with fifty little candles of the past week occurred Monday afternoon when Miss Lillian Solomon was a small bride and groom. Around was the hosicss at a most enjoyable bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers that had been bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers and the bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers and the bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers and the bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers and the bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers and the bridge party given in honey of Miss cake were flowers and the bridge party given in honey

Ruth or so to spend the Christmas holidays
Mrs. are the following: Misses France and Margaret Harden, Elon college Misses Mattle Long, Mary Phillips an Lila Bell, North Carolina College fo Women, Greensboro; Miss Mary Hunt Miss May Latta Moore was the hostess Tuesday when she entertained the
members of her card club. Miss Marguerite Bellamy and Miss Lola Taylor
nut for the prize, the latter being to
lucky winner of a most attractive
mealing-wax set.

William Menetee, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Va.; Haywood
Henderson, School of Fine Arts, Chinienteraon, senooi et Fine Arts, Chro cago, Ill.; Robert Holmes, Carolin, Military Academy, Hendersonville John Phillips, Eilis Pickard, Lovici Kernodle, Willard C, Golay, Willian DeR. Scott and Garland Henderson from the University of N. C.; and R. Harden, A. and E. college, Raleigh.

Miss Martha Holt who has been pending some time in Asheville ar ived home on Wednesday afterno o spend several weeks at her home Miss Fannie D. Moore of Greens ore came home Thursday afternoon re came home Thur spend the holidays. Mrs. J. D. Kernodle and Miss Loren

ernodle spent Tuesday afternoon i

Miss Mary Weeks left Wednesda; norning for Scotland Neck where shi till spend the holidays, Miss Josephine Thomas left Wed esday for Lenoir to spend the holl

bristmas holidays with her parent Burgaw. Mins Estelle Brown left Wednesda

Miss Rachael Haynes left on Satur my for her home in Mount Airy end the holidays. spend the holidays.

Miss Margaret Hunter arrived hom
on Friday evening from Atlanta who;
she has been spending several month
and will spend several weeks with
her grandmother. Mrs. C. S. Hunter.

Rev. and Mrs. S. L. Beougher an laughter, Miss Alma Beougher of Tampa, Fla. arrived here on Saturda; and will make their home here. Rev. Mr. Beougher will be peater of the here, and will live in the Christian and Providence churche here, and will live in the Christian parsonaige on Albright avenue, He will the pulpit at the Christian church or the first time on Sunday morning

t the Christmas service. Mrs. Raiph Long and son, George left on Wednesday for Stonewall to spend the holidays with the former parent's, Dr. and Mrs. Atwater.

Rev. F. C. Lester, former pastor of the Christian church here, spent Sun day and Monday here, on his way fro university to his home in Rock

HIGH POINT.

High Point, Dec. 24,-The Bota lub was delightfully entertained Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock Mrs. G. A. Pollock at the residence Mrs. G. A. Pollock at the residence of Mrs. W. E. Price on Parkway. Six tables of bridge were arranged in the reception hall and living room where fine cedar and poinsettias were used :

Score cards were of Christmas spirit nainty red baskets of nuts were given such guest. Mrs. O. C. Harris, gues of the club, won high acore prize. This
was a box of Coty's powder.
An elaborate fruit salad course was

erved by the hostess, assisted by Mr. 1). W. Welborn and Mrs. W. E. Price.
Playing were Misses Thelma Win
iskie, Ressis Tate. Sellic Muse, Violo
Johnson, Valette Jones, Mesda
Wade Marsh, Walter Thomas. Warner, Robert Cotton, warner, Robert Cotton, Ben Moore, Ferrest Murray, Oliver Causey, Irwin Groome, Charles Kephart, Clyde Cox, Charles Helton, Lawrence Matron, Hal Ingram, Robert Siceleff, T. V. Rochelle, I. T. Mann, C. H. Ellis, O. C. Harrin, John Dyer, C. C. Prince, D. N. Welborn

and W. E. Price. J. H. Hatcher. Those taking part on
the program were Misses Helen
Springs, Irene Holick, Nita Mosteller,
Clara Ballew, Elizabeth Wolff, Jeanette
Bowman, Mary McCarley, Katherine
Honoring Mrs. Levi Hayworth, a recent bride, Mrs. Gurnsy Kearns and
Mrs. Oscar Moffitt gave an elaborate
rock party on Thursday afternoon at
liatcher, Christine Shell, Lella Bolick,
Elizabeth Sherrill, Bertha Deaton,
Elizabeth Sherrill, Bertha Deaton,
Elizabeth Absenctive and Nalle White,
where bud, vases of red carnations vases of red carnations were given at each table to the holder

in colors.

The Philomathean Book club met on Friday afternoon with Mrs. Ed Kirk-man at her home on Washington street Mrs. Chase Idel directing an interest-

read by Mrs. Ed Parker.

In the daining room at 5 o'clock guests were served an elaborate course luncheon. Covers were laid for 14. A at the wedding.

Mrs. E. B. Jones and guest, Mrs. S. beautiful silver basket of red carnamentary to Miss Caroline B. Withers, of Abingdon, Va., left tions formed the centerpiece, and whose marriage to Dr. Byrd Wednesday night for Fredericksburg. Christmas place cards marked the cards based to be will take place next week. Va. to spend the holidays with another harme of each guest.

Mrs. Carter Dalton was hostess

A number of out of town guests were present and the music was immensely good. A prize contest was a feature of the evening, all of which were boobys." The second Christmas dance will be a tea dance on Monday afternoon the 30th from 5 to 7 p. m.

ROCKINGHAM

Rockingham, Dec. 24-Friday morn ing at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cole on Washington airest Miss Elizabeth entertained most delightfully in honor of her house visitor, Miss Douglas Sweeney, of Paris, Tenn. at a bridge luncheon. The ome was very attractive with decora-ions of blooming narcissus and geran-ums of various hues, besides winter treens. Two tables were arranged in living room for the game which was enthusiastically enjoyed for an our or more, when the tables were sleared and the hostess served a decious luncheon in four courses, graperul cock-tail, cold sliced country am, creamed potatoes, green peas of buttered rells, pickles, cheese oufle, hot coffee, fruit saiad, fellow with fig pudding with cream sauce bose invited were: Misses Douglas weeney, Mary Entwistle, Janet Fair-ey, Laura Page Steele, Berta West, tuth Harrison, and Kathryn McDonald

Mr. and Mrs. Minor T. Hinson arrived n Rockingham Saturday morning, at-er spending their honeymoon in New fork and Washington city. They are it the Hotel Rockingham.

Monday afternoon at the suburbar me of the Fairleys, Miss Janet Fair on tertained at bridge, in honor of frs. Minor Hinson, a bride of the conth. The home was luxuriant in dec-rations suggestive of Christmas, the olor scheme being red and green. At ructive score cards attached to minta ure Santa Clauses, filled with red andles were given out directing en-uest to her place at one of the table granged for bridge, which was enterinto with intense interest for mor inin an nour. Alss Ruth Harrison cu-lightest, thereby winning the princ, erry pretty vanity case. The honores-zecived a beautifully embroidered owel. The hostess assisted by her siz-ers Missies Dorothy and Elsie Fairles, cerved creamed chicken, points balls ceaten blocuit, red cheese ruses am-tot tes, salted nuts. ot ten, salted nuts.

Miss Concord Leak arrived in Rock orgham Saturday morning to spend to she holidays with relatives and friends effore returning to New York to reune her studies at the Finch achout that city.

Miss Helen Long arrived in the city attribute the saturday arrived in the city.

aturday morning from Columbia Uni-ersity, New York, where she is study-ing this her second year, to spend the bristmas holidays with relatives and

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wall, accompanies Misses Cathrine, Jen and Elsie Fair-Misses Cathrine, Jen and Elsie Fair-motored to Durham to be present the opening of the New club, and with guests of Mrs. Howard A maker. They remained over to the new to be given as the grand finale f the opening.

ALBEMARLE.

Albemarie, Dec. 24.—Tuesday after-con, December 13, the Odd Pleasure ub met with Mrs. John S. Smith as ostess. As the guests entered were ushered into the dining room where they were served hot punch by dra. A. C. Lentz. Here it looked as if ed Santa might arrive at any minute ild Santa might arrive at any minute. From the dining room the guests receeded to the drawing room where delightful hour was spent in handi-wark. Here again we found the Christnas note expressed in the decorations. (Iter this Mrs. Smith assisted by Mrs. entz, served a saind course followed y coffee and divinity fudge.

The Yadkin River Patriots chapter. A. R. met at the home of Mrs. A. C. ents on Friday afternoon with Mrs. eynolds and Mrs. G. D. Blaicek hospuses with Mrs. Lentz. The regent, rs. M. J. Harris, presided, and much ntine business was transacted. It was decided that a box be sent the tanly county people who are at Sana The election of officers was

a follows: Regent, Mrs. M. J. Harris: vice-egent, Mrs. W. H. Whitley; recording ceretary, Miss Mary Mabry; correponding secretary, Mrs. G. D. B.
cymolds; trensurer, Mrs. G. Pauline
Vhitley; registrar, Mrs. Wilcox Brightcell; historian, Mrs. J. M. Brown; tell; historian, Mrs. J. M. haplain, Miss Pattle McCain, M. Brown;

After the meeting was adjourned a stad course was served followed by sints. Mrs. Mary Lentz Effrd, of forwood, was present to enjoy the neeting and assisted the hostess in ntertaining the members.

Woman's club met Thursday afteron in the club room with Mrs. A. C. Huneyoutt, chairman, presiding, Huneyoutt, chairman, presiding. Several matters pertaining to the welfare of the department were discussed, after which Mrs. Bennett took up the study of candy making. Mrs. H. C. Patterson told how to make mints. Mrs. Bennett, St. Nicolas candy and Mrs. McLar research.

Mrs. McIver, seaforam.

The refreshments consisted of these three candles and they were served by the hostesses, Mrs. H. C. Patterson, Mrs. McIver, Mrs. F. N. Patterson and Mrs. Bivins.

Mrs. Oscar Phillips was hostess on Tuesday afternoon to the Pive Hundred club, and a number of invited guests, Holly, mistletce and branches of lovely longical pine, were used as decorations throughout the house. The guests enjoyed 500 at five tables. After three interesting progressions the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Frank Patterson and issisted by Mrs. Frank Patterson ar Mrs. Dunlap, served a salad course fol

lewed by coffee and fruit cake.
Besides the club members enjoying
Mrs. Phillips hospitality were Mrs. C.
J. Mauney, Mrs. Frank Patterson, Mrs. sennett, Mrs. Cranford, Mrs. luneycutt, Mrs. Hubert Patterson disses Emmio Brown, Pauline Whitley and Maude Bailey.

Around the British Isles there ace Misses Margarete Ritenie and Misses Margarete Ritenie and North than 1,000 vessels, of from 200 Belle Cannon are home from Queen's college for the holidays.

Online in 20 fathoms: college for the holidays. to 10,000 tons each, lying in 20 fathoms salud (120 feet) or less of water.

Miss Violet Johnson was hostess to the Friday Bridge club at her home of the bridge and party where present at the lovely party where present at the lovely party where prises as played, as is the custom, at two tables.

At the conclusion of the games Miss dots to the control of the bridge mother, Mrs. John N. Barringer, on Marsh avenue, and was played, as is the custom, at two tables.

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At the conclusion of the games Miss dots and relatives. Rev. W. A. Jos. P. Dayvault on South Union Statuted dates and must. Favors were an of the bridge mother, Mrs. John N. Barringer, on Marsh avenue, and was witnessed by only a few invited friends and relatives. Rev. W. A. Jos. P. Dayvault on South Union, of Atlanta, astatute reasted turkeys.

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played the wedding march and reces

Catherine Archibald and Charles Mets, ribbon bearers, entered first tak-ing places on either side of altar. They were followed by Charles Sloop, who carried the ring in a pink rose. The maid of honor, Miss Virginia Wilkin-son, entered with Mr. Hipping. She The wore a gown of jurquoise taffets and tulle, and carried a handsome bouquet of pink carnations. The bride and bridegroom entered together, and were parried with the Methodist ritual. The bride wore a lovely brown suit with accessories to match, and carried an exquisite banquet of lilies of the

Following the ceremony, the guests ere invited into the dining room, lisses Elizabeth and Mary Dayvault.
Mr. and Mrs. Teague left immediately ney will make their home here fo to present with Mrs. Barringer. The bride is the only daughter o

The bride is the only daughter of Mrs. Barringer, and is popular with a wide circle of friends. The bridegroom is the linetype operator of the Stonewall Jackson Training school, and during his stay here has made many last. Miss Emily Smoot has returned to er home in Greensboro after attending be Teague-Harringer wedding Thurs-

y evening. Miss Andelaide Harris has returned om Sweetbrier college, Va., to spend holidays with her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. C. J. Harris.

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Mrs. Amos Davis and daughter returned Thursday to their home in Winnsboro. S. C., after spending several lays here with Mrs. M. L. Brown.

Miss Agnes Effrd, who is a student Queens college, Charlotte, spent veral, days here this week on her by to Norwood.

Mrs. E. T. Cannon is spending sev-ral days in Richmond, the guest of b er brother, Les Finlayson. Frank Pounds has returned from

ays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Pounds. Miss Kathleeen Wilson, county home lemonstration agent, left last Thurs-iay for her home in Chester, S. C., to end the holidays with relatives Miss May Stockton, county health urse, is spending some time in Greens ore, with her mother, Mrs. Martha

Miss Jenn Cultrane was hostess t Miss Jein Cottain was nostess to in interesting meeting of the Study tub Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock ther home on North Union street. During the afternoon the follow-ing papers were read: "Oliver Wen-

ing papers were read; "Oliver Wen-dell Holmes," prepared by Mrs. E. T. Cannon, and read by Mrs. C. A. Can-non! "James Russell Lowell," by Mrs. C. B. Wagoner; "Henry Wadsworth Longfellow," and "John Greenleaf Whittier," by Mrs. W. M. Sherrill, At the conclusion of the literary program refreshments were served.

Miss Janle Kestler bas arrived from alem college to spend the holidays at

Allan Gibson, of Waynesbore, Ga, ives and friends.

Miss Ruth Crowell who has been at-ending Salem College, is spending ome time here with her parents, Mr. nd Mrs. J. L. Crowell. Miss frene Brown, who has been in Vinston for several mouths, is spendng the bolidays with her parents, dr. and Mrs. J. L. Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Teague have re-

urned from Jacksonville, Fla., and making their home with Mrs. J. K. Earringer on Marsh street.

Mrs. H. E. Gibson and little daugher, of Pelham, Ga. have arrived to
pend the holidays with Mrs. Gibn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E.

Mrs. Hazel Witherspoon and children of Lancaster S. C. are spending the Christmas holidays here with rela-

Nr. and Mrs. Frank Dusche, of Nor-folk, Va., are here at the home of D. B. Coltrane to spend Christmas. Mrs. H. G. Black and son and Mis-lancy Miller, of Maxton, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Raiford. Miss Elizabeth Gibson is spending some time in Durham with Mrs. Julian S. Care, L.

S. Carr. Jr. Mrs. S. W. Prestar and children are

teaching in the graded school in Albe-marie is here visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Growell. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Propst, of Pam-lico, S. C., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Kimmons on N. Union street.

Rutherford MacFadyen, of the uni-

versity, is spending the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. MacFadyen on Grove street. Jones York, of State college, Raleigh. is visiting his mother. Mrs. Alex Howard on N. Union street. Misses Hel'n Marsh and Frances Ridenhour will teave next Sunday night for New Yerk city, Miss Rid-suhour will return the first of the

car, but Miss Marsh will spend some ime in she metropolis. John Leslie, manager of the Can-ton mills office in New York, attendod the funeral of J. W. Cannon.
Mrs. T. L. Hemphill, of Morganton. the guest of her daughter, Mra.
A. Moss, on Spring street.
Miss Ruth Blackwelder has arrived

on Wittenberg college Springfield, onto, to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Blackwelder, on Spring Street. Misses Emily Weddington, Alberta him, Massis Barrier and Pearl Widenouse, of Greensboro college, are here spend the holidays with home folks

cinesday night for Texas to spend everal weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brower and lit-de son, of Rocky Mount, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brower. Raymond Sayder, of the University f Virginia, is spending Christmas with is parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. A. nyder.

and Mrs. L. L. Maulden will leave

Halbert Webb, Osborn Miller, Tom

into the dining room, which was beau-tifully decorated with evergreens. The conterpiece on the table was a minia-ture Christmas tree with "Old Santa" standing near. The place cards were toasts to the club members cleverly written by Miss Rebecca Dayvault. Mrs. H. S. Williams toasted the hostess in an original poem. The guests were served a delicious salad course and mints.

ROXBORO.

Roxboro, Dec. 24.—A very daintily ap Roxboro, Dec. 24.—A very daintily appointed party was that given last Saturday afternoon by Misses Bertha and Annie Clayton, when they entertained at four tables of Boston rook for Mrs. Bryan Barnette, a recent bride. The hours were from 2 to 5 o'clock. The hours were from 2 to 5 o'clock. Bryan Barnette, a recent bride. The hours were from 3 to 5 cclock. The guests were greeted by the hostesses and shown into the parlor, finding and shown into the parior, inding their places by tiny cupids as mark-ers. After enjoying the game, a de-licious menu of chicken salad, peach panfoit, clive sandwiches, pickles, beaten biscuit, potato chips, followed with coffee and whipped cream served. As favors they baskets filed with salted almonds were given. To the honer guest was presented a levely hand-embroidered guest towel. Tower enjoying this delightful affair were Mesdames P. K. Miles, Frank Wilson, W. S. Clary, Jr., Wheeler Newell, Arch Jones, B. G. Clayton, T. C. Bradsher, Misses Evic Long, Sue Merritt, Annie d Mary Harris, Kate, Ruth and Ethel

The Music club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Preston Satterfield.

After a short program the time was devoted to chrous work.

The Friday Afternoon club was delightfully entertained last week with Mrs. J. A. Long, a charming hostess. As a guest of honor, she had her sister, Mrs. Z. V. Gwynn, of Richmond, Va. The elegant home throughout was beautifully decorated with the Christons suggestions, mistletoe, holly and oinsettlas predominating in arrangenent. The guests were welcomed by he hostess, shown into the living room, where they greeted the guest of honor, seven tables of Boston rook furnished pleasant two hours, after which Mrs. long assisted by Miss Evic Long served salad course, coffee and whipped cam, followed by mints and salted monds. Adding a pretty touch was miniature Santa Claus perched on the chicken salad. At the close of the fternoon the books were exchanged, nd announcement made as to the next ecting, which will be held with Mrs.

M. R. Long.

Mrs. E. G. Thompson, has returned from a visit to Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Baynes, at Gordonton. J. S. Critcher and son, Clem, of Peeraburg, Va., and Ira Smith, of Oxford, spent several days here last week with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Thompson.

NORTH WILKESBORO.

North Wilkesboro, Dec. 24.-Mrs. W. North Wilkesboro, Dec. 24—378, W.,
P. Blair was charming hostess to the
Wednesday Sewing club and a number
of other guests at her attractive home
on Fifth street Wednesday afternoon,
The guests, with true Christmas spirit. ewed and chatted merrily, Mrs. Blair assisted by Mesdames L. Vyne, C. C. Smoot III, F. P. Blair, and Misses Grace Finley and Margaret Gwyn, served an elegant salad course, hot rolls, coffee and mints.

On Friday afternoon at "Riverview" Mrs. Arthur Finley entertained the Fri-lay Afternoon Book club very delight-ully. After the business session rook ras played at four tables. Tally cards, ed flowers and mistletoe were sugrestive of the festive season and fa-prom were small silk poinsettias. The alum hostess served an elaborate chicken Worn salad course, cranberry sauce, hot rolls and coffee, followed by mints.

Mrs. A. R. Sherman was hostess at ness man. delightful party Saturday afternoon her home in Wilkesboro, Rook was e game of the afternoon, and was ntered into with enthusiasm, Mrs. Parence Call making the top score. drs. Lila Rousseau, with a few emarks, presented the prize to Mrs. [all. At the conclusion of the game, Mrs. Sherman served an elaborate salad course and candies.

Prof. E. P. Mayberry of Wilson is spending some time here with friends. Mrs. Lida Tise is in Winston the guest of her 'daughter, Mrs. Luther

McKaughan. Mix and Mrs. D. B. Stafford of Greens-sero are spending the holidays on the Ridge with relatives. Among those home from college are:

Miss Lillian Benbow, North Carolina College for Women; Miss Lloyd Merri-man and Benbow Merriman, Gullford college; Amos Cummings, V. M. I. Mr. and Mrs. Wade H. Dunbar will leave Tuesday for a stay of several days with Mr. and Mrs. Wade S. Dun-bar of Laurinburg and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rivers of Mt. Croghan, S. C.

B. Rivers of Mt. Croghan, S. C. Prof. T. E. Whitaker has returnend from a business trip to Raleigh.
D. L. Nance is spending a formight
in Virginia with friends.
Mrs. Bascum Whitaker is at home
after a week's visit to her parents
fley, and Mrs. T. J. Ogburn of Greens-

Mrs. D. L. Donnell spent Wednesday Mrs. C. Z. Whitaker was among those the spent Tuesday in the Gate City.

Badin, Dec. 24.—One of the most en-oyable affair of last week was the ance given at the club house in honor f the teachers who were leaving for their homes to spend the Christmas holidays. Music for the dancing which was enjoyed throughout the evening was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Richards. Pu the evening. Punch was served during

BADIN.

Mrs. F. E. Street and children left will remain during the Christmas holf-days with Mrs. Street's parents. Mrs. Theodore Thompson, of Green-ville, S. C., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. H. T. Sawyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lilly, of Falls Road, spent the week-end in Mount Road, spent the week-end in Mount Gilead with Mrs. Lilly's mother. Mr. and Mrs. W. White and chil-dren will spend the Christmas holi-days in Raleigh with relatives. Miss Lillian Cornish left Saturday to spend Christmas with her parents in Winston-Salem.

Miss Caroline Walk, of Greensboro. spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. E. S. Liles at her home on Henderson

Mrs. T. D. Creswell and daughter. liss Margaret Creswell, spent this

Miss Marguret Creswell, spent this week in Norfolk with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Early and children will leave Sunday to spend Christmas in Winston-Salem.

Miss Ruth Valentine who is teaching in China Grove, arrived Friday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Valentine. Rev. and Mrs. W. N. Johnson spent last Wednesday in Charlotte,

Misses Fay and Gladys Johnson arrived Thursday to spend Christmas with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. N.

with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. N. Johnson. They are attending Mars. Hill college this year. Mrs. Earl Morgan and children left this week for Pageland, S. C., where they will spend the Christmas holl-

Mrs. H. C. Nash and Mrs. Endries

MISS EPSIE CLENA RIKE AND AMBROSE WILSON TO MARRY

Randleman, Dec. 24.—Mr. and amuei M. Rike or Randleman, Samuel M. Rike or Randleman, N. C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Epsie Clena, to Ambrose Wilson of East Radford, Va. Wedding to take place in early spring."

The above announcement is of wide interest both in North Carolina and Virginia, Both artises Virginia. Both partles are of very prominent families. Miss Rike is an alumna of North Carolina College for Women, and has stores of friends who will read the above announcement with much interest. Mr. Wilson is a very prominent and successful busi-

The Absorbing Ozark Topic, "I had a long talk with Cousin Jurd Lopp in town today," related Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge, Ark. /

"How did he say his folks was?" inquired Mrs. Johnson. he was telling me all about a dog he's got."-Kansas City Star.

Merry Christmas

Happy New Year

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