

DURHAM SOCIETY



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ATTENDS FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Felder, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. White, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ray, Sr. motored to Keystone, Virginia Thursday to attend funeral rites for their cousin, Harrison Spencer.

VISITS SON

Mrs. Elizabeth Butts of Petersburg, Virginia is visiting her son, J. R. Butts on Chautauqua Street.

MRS. ISADORE MICHAUX HOSTESS TO BRIDGE CLUB AND GUESTS

Mrs. Isadore Michaux entertained her bridge club and guest players Saturday evening at her home on Formosa Avenue.

Beautiful spring flowers were arranged throughout the home. Tables were set up with china, silver, and stem glassware, with center pieces of pansies from which a beautiful service of chicken salad sandwiches, punch and brownies was enjoyed before play.

Tables were cleared tallies drawn and partners selected for four progressions of bridge. When scores were collected and tallied, guest first prize was awarded Mrs. Olivia Thompson with Mrs. Nola Cox receiving second.

Other guest players were: Mesdames Eula Harris, Janice King, Bess Whitted, Julia Garrett, Nell Hunter, Mollie Lee, Martha Donnel.

Club first prize went to Mrs. Minnie Turner with second to Mrs. Gertrude Taylor.

Other club members playing were: Mesdames Owen Cook, Margaret Shearin, Ethel Marshall, Elma Spaulding and florice Holmes.

WEEK-END GUEST

Mrs. Janice King of New York City was the charming week-end house guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cooke on Otis Street.

CARNATION CLUB MEETS WITH JULE DAVIS

The Carnation Club met Saturday evening April 29th at the home of Jule Davis, 901 Walton Avenue.

The home was beautifully decorated with pink and white carnations.

After a brief business session, a most delectable repast was served to the following members: Mesdames Rosa Williams, Mary Johnson, Anne Morrison, Laura White, Florence Boyd, Constance Davis, Rachel Drake, Messrs. John Williams, Frank Morrison and Jule Davis.

The club members thanked Mr. Davis for being such a wonderful host to the club.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Mary Johnson, 319 Willard Street.

SICK AND SHUT-INS

Don't forget our sick and shut-ins: Mrs. Sallie Whitted, Mrs. Willie Ingram Ketchum, Owen Green, James C. Harris, Mrs. Louise Elder, Miss Edrice Williams, Miss Pattie Carter, Mrs. Mariah Oglesby, Tom Charleston, Mrs. Mary Evans, Mrs. Eliza Riveria, James Bailey, Mrs. Rosa Cleland.

Bunny Atwater, Dr. I. E. Turner, Mrs. Nannie Sears, Mrs. Julia Moore, Mrs. Elizabeth McCall, Mrs. Alice Goer, John Moore, Mrs. Mary Sims, Mrs. Ila Evans, Mrs. Mary Alston, Conway Burton.

Mrs. Mary Whitley, John Burton, Mrs. Althea Collins, W. M. Rich and Mrs. Elizabeth Chapman.

MRS. JOSEPHINE CLEMENT HOSTESS TO MERRY WIVES BRIDGE CLUB

Saturday evening the Merry Wives Bridge Club met with Mrs. Josephine Clement in her beautiful ranch type home on Pekoe Avenue. Really the Clement home is a thing beauty.

The interior decorations and furnishing are most restful and relaxing and eye catchers here and there.

Alexine, Billy and Wesley Joe Clement children received at the door for mommy and rested wraps.

From the dining room table centered with a basket of assorted spring flowers a most delectable menu was served buffet style.

You selected your plate and filled it according to your hunger of curried chicken and rice, congealed salad ring of tomato puree and cream cheese, hot tea, rolls, condiments of shredded coconut, almonds and pickled onions, and fruit punch.

MRS. DOROTHY SMITH ENTERTAINS HER BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Dorothy Smith entertained her bridge club at her home on the college campus.

The home was beautifully decorated with spring flowers.

Four tables were attractively set. Upon the arrival of club members and guests, the hostess brought in a very appetizing service which was enjoyed by all. After the service the tables were cleared and tallies drawn for bridge. Four rounds were played. When scores were added the prizes were awarded to Mrs. Cleora Handy, guest prize, first club prize went to Mrs. V. J. Davis and second to Mrs. Mabel Watson.

Club members present were: Mesdames Ruth Betts, Mabel Davis, Virgie J. Davis, Carlotta Holmes, Candis Pemberton, Isabella Harden, Anelle Roberson, Maudelle Scarlet, Mabel Watson, Georgia Whitted and Miss Lucille Baines.

Guess were: Mesdames Alma Bennett, Sadie Hughley, Cleora Handy, Ann Duncan and E. J. Jones.

MRS. J. D. GAMBLE ENTERTAINS CLUB NUMBER EIGHT

Club Number Eight of White Rock Baptist Church held its regular monthly meeting last Wednesday evening with Mrs. J. D. Gamble at her home on Pine Street.

The members enjoyed playing games the first part of the evening. A business session followed, then the hostess served a most delicious repast.

Members present at the meeting were: Mesdames V. Pindie, V. Davis, N. Greene, M. Wilson, E. Michaux, J. Wheeler, A. Nichols and J. T. Taylor, teacher.

MOTOR TO SOUTH BOSTON, VIRGINIA

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Harden, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Betts motored to South Boston, Va. Sunday and spent the day with Dr. and Mrs. Jessie Betts and little Sandra. Mrs. Betts is the daughter of Mr. Harden.

MRS. MINNIE W. GILMER ENTERTAINS FUN LOVERS CLUB

Mrs. Minnie W. Gilmer entertained the Fun Lovers Club at her home on Dunbar Street. The home was attractive with flower arrangement of lilacs and narcissus. The club discussed the probability of accepting the invitation extended to it have its August meeting in New Jersey City.

The club will discuss it further at its next meeting, because all members were not present. After the business, everyone relaxed and engaged in general conversation which was very enjoyable.

Mrs. Gilmer had as her guests Mrs. Effie C. Daye and Mrs. Sarah Felder.

The hostess served a delicious menu of fried chicken, tea rolls, pine apple salad with cream cheese, sliced tomatoes, potato chips, pickles, ice cream and coffee. She was assisted in serving by Mrs. Marie Cardwell and Mrs. Esther Thompson.

Members present were: Mrs. Sue Bullock, Mrs. Mary Ray, Mrs. Ruth Bibby, Mrs. B. E. McLaurin, and Mrs. Roxie Davis, who came in for a few minutes as her husband is ill. The club hopes for him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Hattie B. Nunn entertained the Hobbyette Club in the April meeting at her home on Moreland Avenue.

Mrs. L. Shelly, president presided over the business session. Mrs. Alene Davis was absent due to illness and we hope for her a speedy recovery.

At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Nunn served a delicious plate lunch consisting of baked ham with horse radish, pickles, Waldorf salad, assorted sandwiches, hi ho crackers, speed tea, pound cake, ice cream, salted peanuts and mints.

The following members were present: Mesdames L. Shelly, Martha Ross, Elizabeth Fogg, Mary Singleton and Pearl Barnes, Buttons Shelly.

Mrs. Nunn's niece Miss Virginia Barnes assisted her in serving the members.

Mrs. Martha Ross thanked the hostess for her splendid hospitality. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Martha Ross on Rosedale Avenue.

PEARSONTOWN NEWS

By Mrs. Mable Powell

To the new families that moved in the Pearsonstown section a few weeks ago, we extend a cordial welcome and hope that you will enjoy our community. The Pearsonstown reporter would appreciate your news.

Miss A. Mason of Lincoln Hospital spent last Sunday in Raleigh visiting her niece who is a student at St. Augustine College.

The Le Fleur Garden Club members met Monday May 1st with Mrs. Nellie Toole on Pekoe Street. The home throughout carried beautiful arrangements of gladioli, snapdragons, verbenas and pansies, which were very pretty. Mrs. Beatrice White opened the Garden Gate by reading a poem entitled "The Garden", after which Mrs. Virginia Alston accompanied the group in singing "I Come To The Garden Alone".

Quotations were said by each member. Mrs. Virginia Alston presided over the Business session. Minutes and reports were given by the secretary, Mrs. Elma Paddy. The membership committee, Mrs. Hazeline Wilson chairman made a report and two new members were accepted in the club. Mrs. Luna Justice and Mrs. Lucy Norwood. The members were glad to have them join the club.

Mrs. Evelyn Dudley and Mrs. R. C. Foreman our Program Planning Committees gave us interesting and inspiring thoughts on "Insects and Diseases" and What to Plant in our Gardens now. Mrs. Foreman brought to us "How To Keep Roses in Our Gardens from May to December" and a very practical solution to kill insects. Mrs. Paddy read a thank you card coming from Mrs. Mary Smith and a list of useful gifts that were showered her on last meeting night at her home at a Kitchen Shower.

At the close of the business session our president, Mrs. Lydia Wray introduced Mrs. Dorothy Manley and Mrs. Lil Farrington of the Year Round Garden Club. Mrs. Manley gave us highlights on her recent trip to Miami, Fla., which was very interesting. She also brought to the club pictures of the lovely scenery that is now a reality in Miami. We also enjoyed remarks coming from Mrs. Farrington. We are always happy to have our old gardeners come in and be with us.

Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Wray brought plants and seeds to the club where they were distributed to our guests and members. At this point the hostess took charge serving a refreshing repast of ice cream and assorted cookies. Miss Helen Boone assisted the hostess in serving. Members present were: Mesdames Lydia Wray, Emma Cox, Gladys McKinnie, Beatrice White, Elma Paddy, Geneva Dillard, Marion Henry, Virginia Alston, Mozella McLaughlin, Hazeline Wilson, R. C. Foreman, Evelyn Dudley, Mary L. Smith, Jaunita Page, Marie Pittman, Nelli Toole and Mable Powell. Mrs. Wray thanked the hostess for such fine hospitality. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Hazeline Wilson in Forrest Wood Park out on Fayetteville Road.

Mrs. Chester A. Thiecklin of Detroit, Mich and her sister

Miss Louise Fitzpatrick of Ashland, Ky., were guests on last weekend of their daughter and niece, Miss M. L. Thiecklin, RN of Lincoln Hospital.

Several social courtesies were extended Mrs. Thiecklin and Miss Fitzpatrick. On Wednesday evening, Bill Jones entertained at his apartment on Fayetteville Street where a steak dinner with all the trimmings was enjoyed at 8:00 p. m. with Mr. Jones as host. Those enjoying were Mrs. Thiecklin and daughter Miss M. L. Thiecklin and Miss Fitzpatrick.

On Thursday afternoon at 1:00 p. m. Miss A. Mason and Mrs. Beatrice White were joint hostesses to a three course luncheon given at the Nurses Home. The meal was really delicious. Those enjoying the occasion with the hostesses and special guests were Mrs. Josie Rich, Mrs. Eleanor Lyod and Mrs. Mable Powell. After lunch Mrs. Lloyd and Mrs. Powell entertained the guests with touring the beautiful flower gardens of Mrs. Iavinia Eaton, Mrs. Wilma Milum and Mrs. Alpha Pamplin. The gardens were really beautiful.

At 7:00 p. m. Thursday, Mrs. Gladys McKinnie entertained the group with a delectable snack at her home on Dunstan Street. Those enjoying the McKinnie hospitality were Mrs. Cester A. Thiecklin, Miss Louise Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Beatrice White and Mrs. Mable Powell.

At 9:00 the group enjoyed the hospitality of Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Norris at their home on Fayetteville Road. The home was really lovely and the garden more than beautiful. At this time the group was really tired so they joined the Powell's chattering. The day was well spent at their home for a cocktail and and really enjoyable for the group.

On Friday afternoon Mrs. Leroy Swift and Mrs. I. Z. Williams entertained Mrs. Chester A. Thiecklin and Miss Louise Fitzpatrick with a sight seeing tour of Chapel Hill. After the tour, refreshments were served. On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Bob Clay of Dunbar Street entertained the guests with a sight seeing tour over the city, after which refreshments of ice cream and cake was served.

They left Sunday afternoon for Ashland, Ky. where Mrs. Thiecklin will spend a few days with her sister, Miss Fitzpatrick.

Local Lass Wins Trip To Calif. In Delta Contest

Miss Edith Lavonia Ingram daughter of Mrs. Bernice I. Williamson of this city, a junior at Hampton Institute was this week announced the winner of the Delta Sigma Theta (Hampton Chapter) prize of a trip to California to the Sorority's national convention during the summer.

Miss Ingram sold the highest number of tickets for the Chapter's annual Jabberwock.

Mother's Day Essay Contest Closes Friday

The Housewives League of the Durham Business and Professional Chain this week announces the close of the Mother's Day Contest which began April 24. Contestants from all schools in the city, with the exception of Hickstown School, members of the sixth, seventh and eighth grades, are participating.

Entries received through May 5, which conform to all of the rules of the contest will be eligible to receive an award.

The writer of the winning essay will be awarded a prize and the Mother of that student will be honored at her chereh on Mothers' Day, May 14.

All essays are to be entitled, "Why I Think My Mother Is The Ideal Mother". They must be an original product of the contestant, not to exceed 200 words, and must be based on true facts of the Mother's contribution to the home, church, community and city. Neatness of the essay, as well as content, will be considered important in reaching a final decision.

Mrs. Ray N. Moore Librarian at the Stanford L. Warren Library on Fayetteville St., will receive the three best essays from each class submitted by the schools. Mrs. Moore is also one of the judges of the contest, along with Mrs. Litha Brewer and N. E. White.

NCC Sorority To Hold Bathing Beauty Contest

As plans for Delta Sigma Theta's May Week celebration neared completion this week, the Alpha Lambda sorors at North Carolina College announced a bathing beauty contest and aquacade for later in the month.

The aquacade, which will be held in the college's regulation size AAU swimming pool in the Men's gymnasium, is expected to attract several of the college's most attractive co-eds whose swimming prowess is said to match their pulchritude.

Among the participants in the May Week celebration will be Mary Hennessie, Midway Park, junior; Josephine Jervay, Raleigh, junior; Jessica Moore, Washington, junior and Sadie Rice, Winston-Salem, junior.

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Mount Gilead Baptist Church DOWD STREET

Rev. Harold Roland, Pastor SUNDAY, MAY 7th, 1950 9:30 A. M. SUNDAY SCHOOL LEVI MITCHELL, Supt. 11:00 A. M.—SERMON Pastor 6:00 P. M.—B. T. U. Hilliary Holloway and Miss Helen Morrison, Co-Leaders 7:30 P. M.—SERMON Pastor

White Rock Baptist Church MILES MARK FISHER, Pastor

SUNDAY, MAY 7th, 1950 8:45 A. M.—Call to Worship Schulnerich Electronics Mr. John H. Gattis 9:30 A. M.—Church School: "Hosea, The Man and His Message," Hosea 4:1-9; 6:1-3; 10:12, 13. DR. J. M. HUBBARD, SUPERINTENDENT 11:00 A. M.—The Sermon: "I Heard From Heaven Today" by the Pastor Senior Choir, Mrs. S. V. Norfleet, Directress 3:00 P. M.—Prayer Band Led by Rev. Mr. Nicholson 6:30 P. M.—B. T. U. Mesdames Leathers and Singleton, Co-leaders 7:30 P. M.—The Sermon: "The Winter Is Over" by the Pastor

Brookstown News

The Ideal Industrial Club, a branch of the Y. W. C. A., met Monday night May 1 at the home of Miss Annie L. Daye, 927 Ferral Street, with the president in charge. Regular business of the club was discussed and a well planned social program was carried out to provide entertainment for the members.

Those present were Mesdames Josie Powell, Eleanor Brown, Pattie Stroud, Misses Zelma Jones, Ruby Bowling and Anni Lee Daye. A delightful repast was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held on May 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. John Farrington and infant son motored to Goldston and Pittsboro for the weekend.

Supervised recreation is held each night in the Sunday School building of the West Durham Baptist Church. Everyone is cordially invited.

On the sick list: Mrs. Betty Ross—911 Ferrell Street; Miss Josephine Mebane—Lincoln Hospital and Elijah Hedgepeth 911 Thaxton Avenue.

West Durham News

Missionary Group Entertained On Sunday April 23, at 4 p. m. Miss E. Ruth Stephens of 402 Powe Street entertained the Missionary Circle of Mt. Olive A. M. E. Zion Church. The meeting was opened with devotions led by the president Mrs. Willie Rogers, after which a short program was enjoyed. The program was composed of a reading entitled "Clean Up Your Own Back Yard" by Mrs. Maggie Siler; a solo, "I'd Like To Be A Child On Mother's Knee" by Miss Margaret Stephens and short talk on "The Bond of Friendship" by Miss Mary Louise Stephens.

After the program the members were invited into the dining room, which was beautifully decorated with spring flowers where a delectable menu, served buffet style and composed of chicken salad and country ham sandwiches, punch, chocolate and plain sheet cake, peanuts and candy was served the following. Mesdames Cora Womack, Henrietta Dockery, E. Gains, Lethia Jackson, Hannah Ray, Maggie Siler, Lillie McAdams, Katie McDaniel, Mary Taylor, Willie Rogers and Miss Lula Boldware.

West Durham Blossom Garden Club Meets The West Durham Blossom Garden Club held its regular meeting Monday evening April 24th at the home of Mrs. Maggie Siler on Thaxton Avenue.

The meeting was opened by singing the Garden Song and reciting the club motto and pledge. Miss Margaret Stephens presiding. During the evening the club president, Mrs. Maggie Siler, presented the speaker of the evening, Robert Long, the Florist, who gave a very inspiring talk on "How To Plant

On Sunday, April 30, a group of Safety Patrols from Lyon Park worshipped at the Mt. Olive A. M. E. Zion Church. A representative made an earnest appeal to the audience to help them in their education trip to Washington, D. C. The audience responded by donating six dollars toward the trip. Twenty-three dollars was taken up at First Calvary for the patrol.

On Sunday May 7th revival will begin at Mt. Olive A. M. E. Zion Church, corner of Powe and Thaxton Sts., Rev. Thornton of Henderson will conduct the services.

Drop a card to our sick and shut-ins: Miss Josie Mebane—Lincoln Hospital; Miss Corina Bailey and Mrs. Lula Howerton—Powe Street; Mrs. Isabelle Howard—Page Street and Little Virginia Stephens—312 Powe Street.

Mount Vernon Baptist Church Rev. E. T. Browne Minister SUNDAY, MAY 7th, 1950 9:30 A. M. SUNDAY SCHOOL CLYDE RICHARDSON, Supt. 11:00 A. M.—SERMON Pastor 6:00 P. M.—Training Union Subject: "The Christian Standard Of Marriage." Text: John 15:1-15. MISS LYDA VANHOOK, Directress 7:30 P. M.—"The Lord's Supper" By Senior Choir II MRS. E. B. FOGLE, Organist

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