

# Women's Church, Civic And Social Activities

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## BUY WAR BONDS

### Mr. and Mrs. Emmett C. Johnson Hosts At An Outdoor Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett C. Johnson were hosts at an outdoor supper at their home in Finley Park Tuesday evening. The supper was served buffet style with the steaks being cooked on the dutch oven in the yard. Later in the evening the guests were invited into the living room where bridge was played at three tables in a beautiful setting of red and white snapdragons. The high score prize for the evening went to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Deans.

### Mrs. C. G. Poindexter Entertains Her Club

The members of the Current Topic club and a few extra guests were delightfully entertained by Mrs. C. G. Poindexter at her home on E Street Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. E. E. Eller, the club president, presided for current events, after which rook was played at four tables. Mrs. R. T. McNeil won the top score prize, Mrs. J. B. Snipes low score, while the traveler's award went to Mrs. F. C. Forester. In serving refreshments in two courses at the close of play, the hostess was aided by her daughter and sister, Miss Wilma Rose Call and Mrs. Frank Tomlinson. Irises and roses made colorful decorations for the home.

### Mrs. Joe E. Johnson Entertains Book Club

Mrs. Joe E. Johnson was hostess to the members of the Friday Book club at her new home in Finley Park Friday afternoon. Mrs. James C. McDiarmid presided while roll call was made by Mrs. J. C. Reins with members responding with interesting news items. At the close of the afternoon the guests were invited into the dining room where they found their positions at the dining table. Mrs. Johnson was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Reginald Chaplin, of Ridgewood, N. J., in serving tempting refreshments. Mrs. E. N. Phillips was a visitor of the club.

### Union Elementary P. T. A. Entertained By Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Eller

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Eller were hosts to members of the P. T. A. of Union Elementary school on Tuesday evening. The dining room, living room and sun parlor were attractively decorated with potted plants and cut flowers. Many games and contests were enjoyed throughout the evening. Those winning prizes were Mrs. R. V. Day, Mrs. Lucile Forester, Mr. A. V. Nolan. Interesting talks were made by members of the faculty: Mr. R. V. Day and Mr. A. V. Nolan.

Mr. Eller and R. G. Call entertained the guests with parlor stunts and magic. At the close of the evening the hostess, assisted by Mrs. R. G. Call, served delicious refreshments.

# MADELEINE GETS HER MAN



After all the hullab'oo he's been raising on his radio program about Madeleine Carroll being his favorite blonde it's hard to figure just why Bob Hope should play hard to get. But he does, anybody can see his antic in "My Favorite Blonde," Paramount's laugh-laden spy comedy opening Thursday and Friday at the Liberty Theatre.

Movie fans, you're in for quite a shock when you see Paramount's newest spy comedy, "My Favorite Blonde," opening on Thursday at the Liberty Theatre.

Here's why! Right smack in the middle of a tense scene, when the stars, Bob Hope and Madeleine Carroll, are attempting to elude the police and a gang of German spies, a street loungeur ambles up to Bob with the query:

"Got a match, Bud?" Bob stops, produces a match, and then gapes. He gazes plenty and so will you for the loungeur is none other than Bing Crosby, playing a bit part so small that any self respecting extra from Central Casting would turn up his nose at it.

Bing, one of the highest paid figures in the entertainment world, didn't get into the picture

by accident. His appearance was cooked up as a gag to get the laugh on the director, Sidney Lanfield. As planned by Bob and Bing, the latter was to have mingled with the extras and mugged a bit at the camera when Lanfield wasn't looking.

Eagle Eye Lanfield, however, spotted Bing right off the bat and put a bit for Bing into the script right then and there.

"My Favorite Blonde" has been hailed as the funniest and fastest film in the long list of Hope hits. In this one, teamed with Miss Carroll, a beautiful British secret agent, Bob plays hide and seek with the Gestapo and turns in the most uproarious comedy of his career.

Others in the cast are Gale Sondergaard, George Zucco, Lionel Royce, Walter Kingsford, Victor Varconi and Otto Reichow.

### Mr. and Mrs. Chal McNeil Hosts To Idlewise Club

With Mr. and Mrs. Chal McNeil as hosts the members of the Idlewise club and their husbands and a few additional guests were entertained at a picnic supper at their home on D Street Saturday evening. Following the supper the group played bridge at six tables with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gibson winning the high score award, while the low score prize went to Mr. Vernon Deal and Mrs. Hoyle Hutchens.

### Tea And Topics Club Met With Mrs. Murphy Hunt

Mrs. Murphy Hunt was hostess to the members of the Tea and Topics club and a few other friends at her new home north of the city Thursday evening. Rook was played at five tables, after which an ice course was served. The winners of the high and low score awards were Mrs. Joe Pearson and Mrs. I. E. Pearson.

## Farmers Asked To Save Bags

Burlap bags, once plentiful about the farm, are now in about the same position as automobile tires, says Dr. I. O. Schaub, director of the North Carolina State College Extension Service.

War in the Pacific has cut off normal supply of the material used in making these bags, causing the Government to announce a bag conservation program.

Secretary of Agriculture Wickard has sent out an appeal to all agricultural agencies, asking them to encourage farmers to conserve the bags they receive supplies in and hasten them back into trade channels.

Dr. Schaub pointed out suggestions on bag conservation that would further the program. They include:

Open bags by untying strings. Don't cut the bag.

Protect filled bags from rodents. Rats and mice are the Number 1 enemy of bags.

Store filled bags in dry, ventilated places. This will protect both the bags and their contents.

Remove acid-containing chemicals (fertilizers, etc.) from bags as soon as possible. Do not place bags near oil, manure, or objectionable chemicals.

Empty all bags as soon as possible. They will last longer if emptied, beaten, and hung over a wire.

If bags get wet, dry them in the sun to prevent mildew and rot.

Sell the bags not needed, so that they may do double duty.

Sort bags by fabric (cotton or burlap) and by size.

During the emergency, Dr. Schaub said, it is important that no bag be wasted, that no bag be carelessly damaged, and that all bags be used promptly.

The Government has ordered tea supplies to wholesalers limited to 50 percent of the amounts handled in the same period in 1941 because of difficulties of getting this product from tea-producing countries.

## War Making Drive On Timber Supply

The few farmers realize fully the importance of agriculture upon the national resources in the maintenance and development of the great industry, says R. W. Coates, Assistant Forester of the State College.

Today agriculture is seeking to increase the food and feed supply for the nation and our allies engaged in war. In this vast program, the timber problem is standing shoulder to shoulder with the farmer.

Transportation facilities, translated into more trucks, more railroad cars, and more ships, call for more wood. For instance, a half million board feet of lumber go into an armored steel battleship, Graeber explained.

The lease-lend program, too, is increasing the demand for lumber. In the 1936-40 period, this country used an average of 8,100,000,000 feet of box and crate lumber. In 1941, the figure jumped to 4,500,000,000 feet, and the estimated minimum requirement for 1942 is 5,000,000,000 feet.

A good example of what the shipment of food means in terms of lumber and other forest products is seen in requirements for one year's shipment to allies.

Fresh fruits, vegetables, and melons require 1,333,000,000 feet of lumber for boxes and crates 3,000,000,000 square feet of veneer, 46,000,000 slack staves, and 90,000 tons of paper and fiber board.

Dairy products used 74,000,000 feet of lumber, 667,000,000 square feet of veneer; 60,000,000 slack and tight barrel staves, 5,000,000 butter tubs, and 400,000 tons of paper and fiber board. Packing dried fruits calls for 30,000,000 board feet of lumber and 30,000 tons of paper and paper board.

Despite having to pay the highest wages in years, farmers are reported to be hiring more help this spring than last, reports the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

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## Social Calendar

The Fidelis class of the First Baptist church will meet Tuesday evening at eight o'clock at the home of Mrs. Edd Caudill with Mrs. John Hall, Mrs. H. H. Dotson, and Miss Lunda Hendren as associate hostesses.

The Spiritual Life Group of the North Wilkesboro Methodist church meets Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. R. Hix.

The Parent-Teacher Association of the North Wilkesboro school meets in the school auditorium Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Ila Holman Bible class of Wilkesboro Baptist church will meet Thursday, 2:30, at the home of Mrs. Edward Tedder, with Mrs. J. J. Nichols as co-hostess.

Keep dish cloths and towels sweet and clean with frequent washing and airing.

## NOTICE OF RE-SALE

Pursuant to an order of the Clerk of the Superior Court made May 2, 1942, in the special proceeding wherein Johnson Sanders is the Administrator of the estate of Mrs. James P. (Ina) Davis, deceased, and wherein the lands of the deceased were on the 19th of March, 1942, sold at the Court House door to make assets and wherein the bidder on that occasion has refused to pay the sum he bid, the Commissioner will offer for RE-SALE at the Court House Door on May 23rd, 1942, at 12:00 o'clock Noon to the highest bidder for cash that certain tract of land lying and being in Brushy Mountain Township, Wilkes County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of H. F. Fletcher and others and more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Bounded on the north by the lands of H. F. Fletcher; bounded on the east by the lands of W. H. Davis; bounded on the south by the lands of C. D. Coffey, Jr.; bounded on the west by the lands of Edgar Childers.

This land is known as the Mrs. D. R. Davis home tract and contains 250 acres less 90 acres sold to W. H. Davis. See Register of Deeds Office, book 46 at page 97, and also book 176 at page 587. This 2nd day of May, 1942.

T. E. STORY, Commissioner.

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