

SOCIETY

Lottes-Lawing Invitations Issued

Invitations reading as follows have been issued here: "Mrs. Frederick William Lottes requests the honour of your presence at the marriage of her daughter, Helen Christine, to Mr. Lindsay Martin Lawing on Saturday, the seventeenth of April at seven o'clock in the evening First Baptist church, North Wilkesboro, North Carolina."

Ragan-Hayes Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ragan, of Boone, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Jo, to R. V. Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hayes, of Halls Mills. Miss Ragan is a graduate of Appalachian State Teachers College, and is now teaching in the public schools in North Wilkesboro. The wedding will be an event of June.

Mrs. Ira Payne Is Club Hostess

The members of the Current Topic club and a few extra guests were delightfully entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Ira Payne at her home on Fifth Street. Mrs. Chal McNeil presided for a short business session after which rook was played at three tables. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. McNeil for high score to Mrs. R. J. Hinshaw for low score, and the traveler's prize to Mrs. R. T. McNeil. At the close of play the hostess was aided by her two young daughters, Bettie Chloe and Sarah Jane, in serving a salad course with sweets. Guests of the club were Mesdames R. T. McNeil, Forrest Jones, C. D. Coffey, Sr., and S. L. Pardue.

Mrs. I. E. Pearson Entertains Her Club

A delightful club party of the week was the one given by Mrs. I. E. Pearson at her home on Sixth Street Thursday evening entertaining for the members of the Tea and Topics club and a few extra guests. Rook was played at three tables and was followed by a salad course with sweets. High and low score prizes went to Mrs. Edd F. Gardner and Mrs. J. D. Moore, Sr., and Mrs. J. Q. Adams held the traveler's prize.

Mrs. C. D. Coffey, Sr., Book Club Hostess

Mrs. C. Don Coffey, Jr., entertained the members of the Friday Book club and a few additional guests for Mrs. C. D. Coffey, Sr., at her home on Ninth Street Thursday afternoon. Miss Blanche Ferguson presided for roll call made by Mrs. Joe E. Johnson, members responding with interesting news items. Mrs. J. C. Reins gave some lovely April thoughts in poetry form. The guests, seated at the dining table and two small tables, were served a salad course with sweets. Visitors of the club were Mesdames W. K. Sturdivant, Russell G. Hodges, and Eugene Trivette. Books were exchanged during the afternoon.

Lewis Fork Club In Monthly Meet

The Lewis Fork Home Demonstration club met Friday, March 26, in a regular monthly session at the home of Mrs. Vernon Dyer. Sixteen members and two visitors were present. The club welcomed one new member, Mrs. L. G. Blackburn, Jr..

The meeting opened with the club singing "My Wild Irish Rose," and repeating the collect of the club women of America. The president, Mrs. Cyrus Whittington, presided during the business hour. Minutes were read and the roll was called by the secretary, Mrs. J. R. Triplett.

In the absence of our leader, Mrs. Annie H. Greene, Mrs. Vernon Dyer, who is our clothing leader, lead an interesting discussion on "New Fabrics and Fashions for Spring Wardrobes."

During the social hour Mrs. Dyer, our hostess, assisted by Mrs. L. G. Blackburn, Jr., and Mrs. Addis Triplett served delicious refreshments.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. V. D. Foster on April 30. All are invited to attend.—Reported.

MASONIC NOTICE

Special Communication North Wilkesboro Lodge 407 A. F. & A. M. Wednesday, April 14, at 8:00. Work in Third Degree. All members requested to be present. Visitors welcome. QUINCY B. HUFFMAN, Master, TROY L. PERRY, Secretary.

Growers of lettuce in North Carolina will plant about 1,300 acres this year, compared with 1,200 acres harvested in 1947.

Support the April Cancer Campaign

Dear Friends All:

I write to appeal to every citizen of our good county to support the current Cancer Campaign. This month has been designated throughout our Nation as the particular time to make extra effort to combat the increasing Cancer Scourge. Last year 188,000 Americans died of cancer. Yes, every time the clock ticks off three minutes, one American dies of cancer. Or, to express it another way, one out of every eight people dying in America, has cancer. During World War II we had 280,000 of our young men killed in the conflict, but during the same period of time 607,000 Americans died of cancer. The cost of the War was more than one million dollars for each American killed, but we spent less than two million to combat cancer which was less than \$3.00 for each person who perished in the throes of cancer.

Our county has been asked to raise the sum of \$2,000 by the American Cancer Society as our part of the fund this year to assist in the research, service and educational program now in operation through the Nation. This will be easily done if every producing citizen will make some sort of a contribution. I urge you to do just that.

May I ask also that you take a minute to read the literature that is being distributed through the schools, the Home Demonstration Clubs and other means of distribution, that you may further know the worthiness of the request that is here made.

The committees in charge of the Campaign decided some days ago that the solicitations would begin on Thursday, April 15. Between that day and the last day of April it is our hope that every citizen will be offered the opportunity to make his contribution to this cause. Won't you make it easy by giving your donation with a smile.

Thanking you for your cooperation and with best wishes for a successful Cancer Campaign, I am,

Very sincerely yours,
T. E. STORY,
Chairman Wilkes County Cancer Campaign, American Cancer Society.

Milk production per cow in the United States during February was the second highest on record, but total production was down 3 per cent because there were fewer cows.

PHILLIPS ELECTRIC APPLIANCE CO. DOES MONTGOMERY WARD SERVICE

Phillips Electric Appliance Company, of North Wilkesboro, has been appointed an Authorized Appliance Service Dealer for Montgomery Ward and Company. Now the many residents of the Wilkesboro and vicinity, who are owners of Ward's refrigerators, radios and other home appliances, will be provided with prompt and efficient repair service.

Phillips Electric Appliance Company has been in business for a number of years; and is one of North Wilkesboro's established, reliable service agencies. In a statement to The Journal-Patriot, Mr. F. L. Fuson, Repair Service Department Manager for

Wards at Baltimore, stated, "Wards is pleased to offer prompt service to their many customers in this area, and is delighted to announce the connection with Phillips Electric Appliance Co. I am sure that this arrangement will be a welcome convenience for Ward's customers and friends here."

This appointment is a part of Ward's recently adopted plan for making service facilities available for all areas by providing local service agencies with repair parts and service information and by encouraging local repairs rather than shipment of appliances to the Mail Order House.



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