

Adams, Gardners Entertain At Party On Friday Night

Mr. and Mrs. David Adams and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Gardner entertained at five tables of bridge at the Adams home on West Harnett Street Friday night.

Lovely arrangements of narcissus and other spring flowers were used to beautify the Adams home for the enjoyable affair.

During play divinity fudge and soft drinks were passed. After three progressive scores were tallied and Mrs. J. V. Bass received high score for the ladies. Mrs. L. C. Durren, Jr. was awarded consolation.

Wade received high score for the men and Mangum Butler was awarded consolation.

Members of the Canasta Club included Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Durren, Jr., who are moving to Plymouth with an electric hair dryer.

After the game delicious chocolate cake and coffee was served to the following members present for the occasion: Mr. and Mrs. Wall Knott, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wade, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bracey, Mr. and Mrs. James Britt, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Durren, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Frankgruber, Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. White, Mrs. J. V. Bass, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Gardner and Mr. and Mrs. David Adams.

Bridge Party Given In Honor Of Couple Moving Away

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cunningham who have moved to Charlotte were honored at a delightful bridge party last Tuesday night. The party was given in their honor by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan at their home on West Cumberland Street.

Gay potted plants and greenery was used throughout the Bryan home for the enjoyable occasion. During play toasted pecans and soft drinks were passed. After scores were compiled a dessert of delicious fruit cake and coffee was served.

Recipient of high score for the men for the evening's play was Paul Walker who received a novelty shower set. Mrs. Cunningham received high score among the ladies and received a cosmetic set. The Cunninghams were remembered with a box of candy from the Bryans.

Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Locke Muse, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Laughinghouse, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Belote, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cunningham and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan.

Joint Birthday Party Held By Lillington Youths

Miss Sharon Turlington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Turlington, and Douglas Schafran, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schafran, whose birthday anniversaries coincide on January 5, were honored with a joint birthday party given Saturday night by their parents at the Lillington home.

Miss Turlington was eighteen years old and Mr. Schafran celebrated his seventeenth birthday.

The Turlington residence was decorated throughout with red and white. On the living room mantel was placed an original decoration of red gladioli, fern and ivy, while red candles burned about the house.

In the dining room the table, covered with lace over a red cloth, was decorated with red candles and fern. Miss Turlington had a corsage of red carnations, while the other honored guest had the same flower as a boutonniere.

After guests enjoyed charades, yarn-spinning and other games, refreshments consisting of Castilian cake, buttered pecans, ice cream in cupid designs, and lime punch were served. Miss Turlington cut and served the cake while Douglas Schafran served the ice cream. Miss Beanie Strickland of Dunn presided at the punch bowl.

Gifts for both honored guests were then opened and afterwards a color motion picture film of the Ice Capades made by R. M. Turlington, father of Miss Turlington, was shown.

Guests attending included: Misses Jean Hamilton, Sara Hatley, Jane Cranford, Reba White, Pat Garrell, Laura Mae Edwards, Shirley Cameron, Suzanne McKinney, Fay Matthews, Doris Manning, Beanie Strickland, Sara Kelly and Henrietta O'Quinn; and Bobby Sessions, Rudolph Brown, Darrell Kelly, Hill Murchison Jr., Leo Kelly, Jr., C. H. Brock, Jr., Joe P. Smith, Jr., Kenneth Watkins, T. D. O'Quinn, Jr., McKay Salmen and Pat Sutton.

Coats Seniors To Give Play Thursday Night

"Comin' Round the Mountain" is the title of the three-act hillbilly comedy to be presented by the Senior class of Coats High School January 10, 1952 in the High School auditorium at 8 o'clock.

"Comin' Round the Mountain" is a truly novel comedy of funny doings in the backwoods of the mountain country down south.

Maw and Paw Skitter and their family are typical hillbilly characters who have arranged a marriage for their beautiful daughter, Corney Bell, to a bachelor neighbor, Sammy Fester. Sammy is giving the Skitters as a dowry a beautiful "hawa" by the name of Fanny Sue.

But Corney Bell has different ideas. She has fallen love with a handsome resorter from the "outside" and the family decide to "git" him, even if they have to use a shotgun! These are only a few of the many, many uproarious and sometimes almost ridiculous situations in "Comin' Round the Mountain."

Members taking part in the cast are: Maw Jean Hawley
Paw D. C. Ryals
Curly Marvin McLean
Corney Bell Melvia Williams
"Dixey" Mae Laura Grace Ennis
Zeke Jimmie Vaughn
Ellie Lou D'Funny Becky Upchurch
Samson Fester Dennis Pope
Robert Bruce Frederick Byrd
Edward Small Mynard Moran
Carol Hughes Sue Langdon
Doris Dean Lela Ruth Cobb
Tickets are 40c for adults and 25c for children. The play will begin promptly at 8 o'clock. Don't be late. You won't want to miss a single one of the hilarious situations that arise in the hysterically funny comedy, "Comin' Round the Mountain."

Miss Edith Allen is the director.

South River Group Meets

The South River Garden Club held its December meeting with Mrs. Isabell Cain of Falcon. There was one new member, Mrs. D. M. Williams of Godwin and one visitor, Mrs. H. E. Randall of Falcon and eleven old members present.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Ella S. Page. After singing the club song and reading the collect a brief business session was held.

Mrs. Harris had charge of the program. She introduced Mrs. Jimmy Wallace who read the origin and history of some of our best loved Christmas carols. Mrs. Randall in turn played a record of each.

During the social hour games were played and Christmas gifts were exchanged by the members. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Randall, served ambrosia, pound cake, nuts and coffee.

PHILLIPS-HUDSON
Mrs. Norma Turnage Hudson and Howard Phillips, both of Benson, were united in marriage December 20 in Dillon, S. C.

JR. WOMEN TO MEET

The Junior Woman's Club will meet tomorrow night at 8:00 in the Dunn Armory. All members are urged to be present and to bring their talent money. Mrs. Grace Swain, local Red Cross head will address the group.

LEAVES FOR NAVY

Robert B. (Bobby) Wright, Jr., left December 27th for the Navy. Bobby, who was a member of the Junior Class of the Dunn High School, and secretary of the Future Farmers of America, will finish his schooling in the Navy. Bobby, who is now stationed in San Diego, Calif., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wright of Dunn R. 1.

PARTIN-DARNELL

Mrs. Creola Darnell of Coats has announced the marriage of her daughter, Miss Marie Darnell to Pfc. Jimmie Partin of Angier. The marriage took place December 21 at the home of Mrs. Darnell in Coats.

MOORE-EASON

Mrs. Jennie Eason of Roanoke Rapids has announced the marriage of her daughter, Miss Mary Eason to Sgt. Willie Eugene Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Moore of Coats. The marriage took place December 24 in Erwin.

PHILLIPS-HEARNE

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Hearne of Fayetteville have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Joanne Gigson Hearne to Cephus Jonathan Phillips of Godwin. The marriage occurred December 22.

FLOWERS-WARREN

Mr. and Mrs. John Calvin Warren of Newton Grove have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mary Lee Warren to Glenn Flowers. Mr. Flowers is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Lorman Flowers of Bentonville. The marriage took place December 23 in the Pleasant Union Christian Church of Newton Grove.

RETURNS TO BASE

Pfc. Clarence Edward Tripp, who has just completed a six months' course in aircraft mechanics at Shephard Air Force Base, Texas, spent a Christmas furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Tripp of Dunn. He has now returned to Shantue Air Force Base, Illinois for specialized training on some of the world's fastest bombers.

VISIT NEW YORK

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ciccone and Mr. and Mrs. Vic Anderson have returned from New York City where they stayed throughout the New Year's holidays.

RETURN FROM MARYLAND

Miss Mabel Pope has just returned from Leonardtown, Maryland, where she visited her sisters, Mrs. Clifford Cox and Mrs. Thelma Goodman.

HOBSON-FUNDERBURK

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Funderburk of Jonesboro Heights, Sanford, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Sara Funderburk to David Hobson, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hobson of Jonesboro.

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Tax Collections Show Increase

Harnett County Tax Collector D. P. Ray, Jr., in a report made today to the county commissioners submitted proof that many Harnett citizens did not wait for the New Year to make good resolutions.

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Rev. A. M. Long To Hold Services At Tabernacle

The Gospel Tabernacle will begin a series of Revival Services starting tonight at 7:45. Rev. A. M. Long of Salem, Va., will be the Evangelist for the services which will continue throughout the next two weeks.

Rev. Long is the former director of youth work for the state of Virginia and is presently pastor of the Salem PH Church in Salem where he is doing a grand job and developing a fast growing church.

Miss Elaine Vaughn of Roanoke Va., and Mrs. Juanita Russell of Clinton will be special musicians for the meetings.

Rev. Bane Underwood, newly installed pastor of the church extends a cordial invitation to the public to attend the services which will continue through January 29.

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