MISS RUSSELL, MR. CREWS GIVE PLANS FOR MARRIAGE SATURDAY

Miss Helen Russell and Gibbon Crews of Lillington have announced plans for their wedding which will take place on Saturday, December 27, at 5:30 p. m. at the First Presbyterian Church of Kinston.

The bride-elect, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Swann Russell of Kinston, is the teacher of home economics in the Lillington School. Mr. Crews is the son of Mrs. M. P. Crews of Lillington and the late Mr. Crews.

Mrs. Quinton Avery of Greenville will serve the bride as matron of honor and there will be six honorary bridesmaids, including Miss Mildred Bradsher of Lillington, cousin of the bridegroom.

The bridegroom will have his brother, Thomas Crews of Lillington as best man and ushers will be George M. Carroll Jr., and Freddie T. Brown, Jr., of Lillington, John Russell of Greensboro, brother of the bride, and C. W. Hughes Jr., of Chadbourn.

Immediately following the ceremony the parents of the bride will have an open house at their home.

On Friday, December 26, the day before the wedding, the out-of-town guests and members of the bridal party will be honored at a buffet supper to be given jointly by four Kinston hostesses. Following the rehearsal that night the same group will be complimented at a cake-cutting to be given by Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bullock at their home in Kinston.

There will be a wedding breakfast on Saturday, December 27 with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Johnson as host and hostess. A luncheon the same day will fete the bride's attendants. Hostesses will be Mrs. E. H. Morton, the former Miss Mary Douglas Smith, a one-time resident of Lillington, and Mrs. Harry Sutton.

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Erwin Club Has Yule Bazaar

Members of the Erwin Womans Club held their annual bazaar Monday evening in the club building.

Each year the club members make an assortment of articles and sell them among themselves at one of their December meetings.

The ladies also held a "white elephant" sale Monday evening. They brought their "white elephants" neatly wrapped as Christmas packages and they were auctioned off to the highest bidder by Miss Ruby Sewell.

Following the sale Mrs. Ludie Fowler, chairman of the bazaar invited the group into the kitchen where she had hot chocolate and ritz crackers for sale.

Mrs. Louis Dearborn, presided over a short business session during which time the clubs Christmas party and supper was planned for Monday evening, December the 22, at 6 o'clock in the club building.

Those present included: Mrs. Dearborn, Mrs. E. G. Purcell, Mrs. Ludie Fowler, Mrs. D. C. Parrish, Mrs. Helen Carr, Mrs. Johnnie Whitman, Mrs. Pink Leonard, Mrs. Erwin Brantley, Mrs. Vester McKee, Mrs. Harvey Williams, Mrs. Waymon Byrd, Miss Ruby Sewell, Mrs. Novella Holland and Mrs. Bernie Simmons.

SPEND WEEKEND

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Brantley and Patsy spent theweekend in Wynnsboro, S. C. with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hollingsworth.

SUNDAY VISITOR

Mrs. Dorothy Stancil spent Sunday in Sanford with relatives.

VISIT IN DURHAM

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Purcell visited in Durham Sunday.

SPENDS FRIDAY

Mrs. Ludie Fowler spent Friday in Raeford with her daughter Mrs. Broadus Avery.

OF DURHAM

Mrs. Jimmy O'Neill of Durham spent Sunday with her mother Mrs. R. H. Crawford.

FROM KINSTON

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Bizzell Sr. of Kinston visited Mrs. Novella Holland Sunday.

Dunn Receives Safety Award

For the second year in succession Dunn received the National Safety Council award for the year of 1951. The award is presented annually to towns which have no automobile fatalities during a calender year. Dr. Glenn L. Hooper, member of the club and county safety chairman, arranged the program.

The presentation was made at the meeting of the Dunn Rotary Club Friday night by H. D. (Tarvia) Jones, Public Safety Director of the North Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles.

On behalf of the town, Mayor Ralph E. Hanna accepted the award, Rotary President, Dr. Charles W. Byrd presided and City Manager A. B. Uzzle, Jr., was present at the meeting.

After dinner an address on traffic safety was presented by Mr. Jones.

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MR. AND MRS. CAROL EDGAR WOOD of Spring Lake who celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Sunday November 30th with open house at their home. Among those present for the occasion were their eleven children. Mrs. Pat Tippett of Durham; Mrs. Elbert Canaday of Bunnlevel; Mrs. Herman Stone; Mrs. Carl McDonald; Mrs. Northie Raynor and Mr. Carol Wood of Spring Lake; Mrs. George Raynor of Linden; Mrs. Rudyard Young; Mrs. Ray Ferrell and Mr. Paul Wood of Fayetteville, and Mrs. Alvin Norman of Newport News, Va.

Godwin Youth Held For Fighting Brother

A Godwin youth was found stumbling on a highway with a bullet in the back of his head late last night and county officers subsequently overpowered and arrested his brother on a charge of felonious assault.

Highway patrolmen discovered Elijah Jernigan, 18, of Godwin, Rt. 1, on the highway near his house late Sunday night. He was incoherent and they first thought he was drunk until they found he had been wounded in the back of the head with a .22 calibre bullet.

They rushed him to Highsmith hospital where he told them his brother, Jessie Allen Jernigan, 27, had shot him after first discharging a .22 calibre revolver three times into the ground for no apparent reason.

Three patrolmen and three deputy sheriffs secured a warrant, went to the residence and ordered Jessie Jernigan to come out of a bedroom in which he allegedly had barricaded himself. When he failed to obey their orders they broke down a door and came through a window and handcuffed him after a struggle.

They said when they entered the room Jernigan was in bed, cradling a .22 calibre pistol. The weapon was not discharged in the scuffle.

Participating in the arrest were Patrolmen N. O. Dickens, G. M. Hargrove and Dan Bass, and Deputy Sheriffs J. A. West, C. D. Carter and Roy Wolf.

Highsmith hospital authorities said Elijah Jernigan's condition was not critical.

This Blonde Does Not Show Curves

HOLLYWOOD, — (AP) — Lucille Knochs, that beautiful blonde on Red Skelton's television show, decided today she was all in favor of censoring curves out of TV.

Lucille's have been, and she's not complaining.

She started on the program in a tight turtle-neck sweater and shorts. But now she usually wears necklines up to her chin and skirts that cover most of her legs.

"It was Red's idea," she explained. "His show goes on at seven, and a lot of children see it. Now I only wear a bathing suit if the plot of the show calls for one.

"Red thinks a girl looks as good in clothes and gets as many whistles as in a bathing suit, and I agree."

"You should show something, certainly, but let them guess the rest. It's better to look like you're not selling that certain thing, and that you have some other reason besides sex for being on the show."

Recently Corinne Calvet sizzled TV sets in a revealing gown. The next day the network was swamped with complaints. Marie Wilson's sponsor has forbidden her to wear sweaters on her television show. And even Faye Emerson and Dagmar don't go in for plunging necklines so often any more.

Lucille thinks this is uplifting the culture of television.

"When TV first started all you saw was curves," she sighed. "But I think a girl should have a touch of sweetness.

"Now that fad for sexy girls on television has died out. I certainly don't want to be one. I want to do more character parts on the show. You last longer. I can't do cheesecake 20 years from now."

Skelton even changed her name from Lucy to Lucille "to make me more dignified."

SHOP IN BENSON

Mrs. W. H. Laughinghouse and Mrs. Woodrow Hill shopped in Benson Monday.

Painter Gives Up In Contest

MIDLAND, Tex. (AP) — A 30-year-old house painter gave up and went to bed today after going 97 hours and 41 minutes without sleep, losing a $1,000 bet to another painter, who was still awake.

The two painters, Jess Hensley, 30, and Robert Cook, 32, made a $1,000 bet last Friday because they wanted to have more money to spend for Christmas.

Hensley announced at 8:14 a. m. he was conceding and went to the home of his brother, L. L. Hensley, and went to bed. He fell asleep at 8:55.

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