

**Mr. and Mrs. Matthews Celebrate Their Tenth Wedding Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Matthews of Lillington celebrated their tenth wedding anniversary with an informal reception given Saturday night, Feb. 2 at the home of Mrs. Matthews' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Byrd of Bunnlevel.

Mrs. Matthews is the former Miss Mary Lou Byrd. They are the parents of a five-year-old daughter, Debbie, and a young son of a few months, Daniel Ray Matthews. In honor of the anniversary occasion, the home was decorated throughout with pink and white.

Potted pink begonias were used in the den and living room. The refreshment table was arranged in the dining room. A floral centerpiece of pink gladioli and white snapdragons was bordered with pink candles in silver holders. On the buffet, the pink and white theme was reserved with white candles circled at the base with pink flowers. A white cut work cloth covered the table.

Fruit punch in a pink color was served with chicken salad sandwiches, assorted ribbon sandwiches, ham biscuits, and hors d'oeuvres. Mrs. Paul McDonald served punch and center of interest on the table was a decorated white wedding cake, baked by Mrs. Norman Gossett for the occasion. The honored couple cut the first slice with a silver server decorated with pink flowers. The two tiered cake was then cut and served to the guests.

The fifteen couples who called to extend anniversary congratulations were greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Matthews. Anniversary gifts were opened by the honored couple during the evening.

**WEDDING INVITATION**

The following wedding invitations have been issued: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tew request the honour of your presence at the marriage of their daughter

Dona Lynette

to Mr. Huey Ralph Kennedy on Saturday the ninth of February at six o'clock in the evening Mt. Carmel Church Dunn, North Carolina.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL ORGANIZED**

The Church Of God Missions on E. Broad Street organized a Sunday School Sunday, February 3 under the leadership of Rev. Lewis Turnage. 71 were present for the first meeting. Sunday School will be held regularly every Sunday afternoon at 2:30 in the newly organized mission. The public is invited to attend.

**REVIVAL MEETING**

Revival will begin at the newly organized mission of The Church Of God on E. Broad Street, Saturday, February 8th at 7:30 p.m. and will continue for a week. Rev. B. G. Byrd of Coats will conduct the revival. The public is invited to attend.

**BETSY JOHNSON MEMORIAL**

**HOSPITAL PATIENTS**

Following is a list of patients recently admitted to Dunn Hospital: Mrs. Mattie Belle Allen, Anna Ferguson, Mrs. Oma L. Barefoot, Mrs. Bessie Godwin, Mrs. Maggie Ennis, Susanna Campbell, Mr. John Spell, Mrs. Brownie McArtan, Mrs. Kirby Manning, Mrs. Mattie B. House, Mrs. Maxine Byrd, Master Bruce Tart, Mr. Edward Whittington and Mrs. Ora Lee Norris.



**Couple Honored With Party At Chapel Hill**

Miss Lynette Tew and Ralph Kennedy were entertained by Dr. and Mrs. Edward Kennedy at their home at 71 Dogwood Acres, Chapel Hill on Saturday evening. Miss Tew will marry Mr. Kennedy on February 9, 1957.

Miss Tew was presented a corsage of white carnations on her arrival. The home was beautifully decorated for the occasion in a color scheme of green and white. A miniature bride and groom and white tapers centered the table where refreshments of coffee, bridal cakes and nuts were served.

Several games were enjoyed throughout the evening by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kennedy and Miss Marjorie Williams.

The honored couple were presented a silver water pitcher.

**Kennedy-Tew Wedding Plans Announced**

Miss Lynette Tew announces the plans of her wedding to Ralph Kennedy on Saturday, February 9th. The wedding will be at six o'clock at the Mt. Carmel Church with the Rev. R. M. Brown of Garland officiating with the double ring ceremony.

Miss Marjorie Williams, room-mate of the bride, from Raleigh, will attend as maid of honor. Bridesmaids will be Mrs. Louis Strickland, Mrs. Bobby Bailey and Mrs. Joyce Duvall, college roommates of the bride. Miss Sandra Jackson, cousin of the bride will attend as flower girl. Honorary bridesmaids will be Misses Mary Ann Tew, Sarah Fiequet, Betty Jean Sills, Martha Lee Barefoot and Mrs. Paul Britt, cousin of the bride. Carroll Kennedy, brother of the groom-elect will attend as best man. Ushers will be Freddie Tew, brother of the bride, D. S. McCullen, Donald Kennedy of Apex, brother of the groom and McGee Creech of Goldsboro. Music will be presented by Mrs. Alton Carroll, pianist and Lesly Wilkins of Wilson, soloist.

**ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED:** — Miss Delores West is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. West of South Erwin, her engagement to Mr. Arthur James Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Johnson of Lillington is announced by her parents. The wedding will take place on February 17 at 5:00 P.M. in the South Erwin Baptist Church. All relatives and friends are invited.

**Miss Lynette Tew Honored At Bridal Shower**

Miss Marjorie Williams and Mrs. Billy Middleton honored Miss Lynette Tew, February bride-elect, at a bridal shower on Wednesday evening, at 405 Polk Street, Raleigh N. C.

A Valentine motif was used throughout the apartment, the dining table was decorated with red tapers and berries flanked with greenery. On arrival the honoree was presented a corsage of carnations.

Bridal games were enjoyed during the evening after which Miss Tew was presented many lovely gifts.

Those attending were: Miss Suzie Anderson; Miss Polly Dunn, Miss Ann Anderson, Miss Carolyn Murphy, Miss Rochell Wood, Miss Doris Ragland, Miss Dorinda Berry, Miss Betty Jane Ashburn, Miss Jerry Woodall, Miss Edna Matthews, Miss Eleanor McKenzie, Mrs. Bob Bundy, Mrs. E.B. Smith, Mrs. Bill Melton, Mrs. Millard Johnson, Mrs. Bobby Underwood, Mrs. Bobby Coats, Mrs. Charles Hunt and the hostesses.

**Christian Circle No. 1 Met With Mrs. S. N. Butt**

Circle No. 1 of Hood Memorial Christian Church held its monthly meeting Monday afternoon at 3:30 at the home of Mrs. S. N. Butt.

Mrs. Butt assistant circle leader presided in the absence of Mrs. Williford, circle leader.

Mrs. D. Rema Turnage gave the devotional taken from Isaiah; 2: 5. verse and John 1:1-7 verse after which she led in prayer.

Mrs. Turnage gave pertinent facts concerning being a true Christian, she pointed out that so many of us are stumbling around in darkness when we should be letting our light shine out. We should keep in step by using the keys that God gives us through the Bible, the keys of, forgiveness, faith and love.

Mrs. Butt conducted a short business session when the minutes were read and approved. The meeting was adjourned by repeating the National Benediction in unison.

The hostess served cheese canapés, pickles, chocolate cake and hot tea to the following members: Mrs. W. H. Laughinghouse, Mrs. Hugh Williford, Mrs. Herman Godwin, Mrs. Fletcher Jernigan, Mrs. Lena Ingraham, Mrs. De Rema Turnage and Mrs. Pat Lynch Jr.

**Christian Circle No. 2 Had Afternoon Meeting Monday**

Circle No. 2 of Hood Memorial Christian Church met Monday afternoon at 3:30 with Mrs. Freeman Wood at her home.

During the business session it was announced that Circle No. 2 would put flowers in the church this month also that they would have the program for the C.W.F. meeting and that they had secured Mr. Faulk as guest speaker for the meeting.

Mrs. Woodrow Hill gave the devotional taken from 2nd Timothy 1-10-, followed by prayer by Mrs. Gladys Dupree.

Mrs. Paul Barefoot presented an article, "Missionaries Our Best Export" taken from "World Call". Mrs. Hill read a most interesting poem, "Best Things" after which the meeting adjourned with the "National Benediction".

The hostess served chiffon Pie with iced drinks to the following members attending; Mrs. Lucile West, Mrs. Gladys Maynard, Mrs. Gladys Dupree, Mrs. Paul Barefoot, Mrs. John Riley, Mrs. R. F. Jernigan, Miss Mary Phillips and Mrs. Woodrow Hill.

**New Member Welcomed To Church Circle**

Mrs. C. D. Bain was newest to the Mary Ellen Dozier Circle of the First Baptist Church when it met Monday afternoon at 3:30 at her home.

The devotional taken from the 28 chapter of Matthew was given by Mrs. J. A. McLeod followed by a hymn "He Leadeth Me"

Mrs. Allen H. A. Lee, leader heard reports from the chairman of committees and welcomed a new member, Mrs. Dewey Whittenton. She also stressed the importance of visiting newcomers and the sick and shut-ins. The W.M.U. supper to be held in the near future was discussed also the Golden Age which will honor those who have been members for 50 years.

Mrs. Durham Taylor gave a talk on tithing after which Miss Jane Williams gave an interesting talk on "Stewardship".

During the social hour which followed the hostess served hot tea, cookies and nuts to the members attending; Mrs. C. T. McGugan, Mrs. J. A. McLeod, Mrs. Dewey Whittenton, Mrs. Leslie Parker, Mrs. C. T. Conner, Mrs. Durham Taylor, Mrs. W. E. Cobb, Miss Jane Williams and Mrs. Charles Story.

**HOSPITAL BIRTHS**

Mr. and Mrs. Corbett Melvin Stewart of Route 2, Dunn announce the birth of a son on February 4. Mrs. Stewart is the former Ruby Ann Lee.

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**Baptists Organize New Circle On Monday Night**

The Virginia Highfill Circle held its first meeting Monday night at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Miss Fannie Sue Turnage.

Mrs. Charles Skinner, President of the W.M.U. of the church had charge of the program. She explained in detail the purpose and function of a circle and the duties of each officer.

Mrs. Kathryn Oakley is Chairman of the Circle and the other officers are as follows: Co-Chairman, Miss Fannie Sue Turnage; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Faye Jackson; Community Missions Chairman, Mrs. Carol Barefoot; Prayer Chairman, Mrs. Dorothy Thomas; Literature Chairman, Miss Melrose Tart; Stewardship Chairman, Mrs. Shirley Hinson; Mission Study Chairman, Miss Mary Louise Strickland; Social Chairman, Mrs. Glenda Skinner; Youth Chairman, Mrs. Pat Coats; Publicity Chairman, Miss Carolyn Watkins and Program Chairman, Miss Barbara Harrell.

This was an organization meeting of the newest Circle in the church which is made up of young women who have not previously been members of a circle.

Following the program, refreshments were served by the hostess, Miss Turnage.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Parker of Raleigh announce the birth of twins, a boy and a girl on February 4. Mrs. Parker is the former Estene Wood.

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