

NEW BAPTIST PASTOR COMES TO CAROLEEN

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Brock Take
Up Their Residence At
Caroleen

Caroleen, July 23.—Rev and Mrs. J. A. Brock have moved to Caroleen and are now residing in the Baptist parsonage. Mr. Brock is the new pastor of the Henrietta and Caroleen Baptist churches.

Mr. Brock was formerly of Spartanburg. He was educated at Furman University, and has held pastorates in some of the large, strong churches in South Carolina. He is especially gifted in evangelistic work and has had a very wide experience along this line of work, which has been very successful.

Mr. Brock began a series of revival meetings at the Henrietta Baptist church Sunday, which will continue through two weeks. Mr. Brock will do the preaching himself. Services are being held each night at eight o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

In a letter to The Courier Mr. Brock makes the following statement:

"Please allow me to say just a word through your good paper about the splendid welcome accorded me by the good people of Henrietta and Caroleen Baptist churches and by the communities.

"The dear people have received us with open arms and with warm hearts on our arrival at the Pastorage on the 8th of July, they greeted us with a gracious greeting. They came on the very first night to our home in great numbers. With them they brought many good things to eat. They literally filled our pantry with the necessities of life, and almost every day since then has been some one to come and bring something to our home.

"We are so happy to be the pastor of this noble hearted people, with the fine spirit of fellowship and loving cooperation that we find here, we feel sure that the Lord is going to give us good success in this part of His vineyard."

LATE CLIFFSIDE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Fiddlers' Convention Saturday
Evening—Virginia Visitors
—Local Items of Interest

Cliffside, July 24.—Mrs. Bessie Gregg and children accompanied by her nephew, Mr. Randolph Martin of near Shelby, have returned from a two weeks visit to friends and relatives in Illinois.

Mr. Clyde Edwards and family, Miss Ruth Edwards and Mr. Mack Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duncan of Norfolk, Va., and Mr. W. F. Duncan, of Harris, spent last Wednesday sight-seeing in the mountains.

The Tennis Club is having the second court made this summer. There are several here getting interested in the game.

Every day, especially at evening several men and boys gather back of the R. R. Haynes Memorial Building to "pitch horse shoes" and there are several who are getting to be very proficient in the game.

A large crowd is expected to assemble here next Saturday evening from "all over" when a type of entertainment that used to be very popular here is to be staged. It is to be called "A Fiddler's Convention," and many are expected to participate in the program. All kinds of music and orchestras are to be featured and prizes will be awarded after the program. Remember the date, Saturday, July 27, at Cliffside Hall. Program starts at 7:45 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ingram moved last week to Spindale. We regret to lose them.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Blanton and children, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Hamrick and children attended the funeral Wednesday of last week of Mrs. E. B. Spangler at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church above Rutherfordton. Mrs. Spangler was a sister of Mrs. Blanton. Several years ago Mr. and

Caroleen Baptist Pastor and Wife



The above pictures show Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Brock, of Caroleen. Mr. Brock is now pastor of the Caroleen and Henrietta Baptist churches, succeeding Rev. R. N. Childress, now pastor of the Arlington Street Baptist church, of Rocky Mount.

Knights of Pythias Orphans To Give Program Here July 30th

Legion to Observe Armistice Day

At the next meeting of the local American Legion Post, Aug. 8th plans will be made for a big celebration for November 11th.

Be sure and come, for our program will include a negro quartette.

NEED FOOT BRIDGE ACROSS SOUTHERN

Present Underpass on King Street Dangerous To Pedestrians

Mr. John Hamrick, operator and manager of the Hamrick bus lines, requests The Courier to call attention to the necessity of building a foot bridge at the Southern Railway underpass on Route 207, corner of Powell and King streets.

That there is an urgent need for such foot bridge is clear. The bridge over the railway is so constructed as to cut off a clear view all the way across, and a motorist going onto the bridge from either end does not have a clear view of more than one-third of the length of the bridge. When two cars pass on the bridge very little space is left for the pedestrian. Dozens of times each day near-accidents occur, especially when cars attempt to pass while a number of pedestrians are on the bridge. A foot bridge will furnish a means of passage for the heavy pedestrian travel, and at the same time eliminate the great danger of accidents.

Mrs. Spangler and children lived here where they have many friends who deeply sympathize with the bereft ones.

Mr. Ernest Taylor of Charlotte is spending several days here with relatives.

Misses Una and Ruth Edwards accompanied by their sisters, Mesdames B. B. Higgins and Iva Lovelace, of Rutherfordton, spent from Friday to Sunday at Wrightsville Beach.

Miss Pamela Pruett is spending this week at Kings Mountain.

Dr. H. L. Robertson had his tonsils removed last Saturday morning and is getting on fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Myles Haynes and little son, Myles, Jr., spent part of last week visiting at Chestnut Hills and Asheville.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Hord, Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Myles Haynes and Miss Alice Carpenter attended a bridge party given by Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Jenkins at their home at Avondale last Friday evening honoring Mrs. Jenkins' guest, Miss Millard of New Bern, N. C.

Messrs. Charles H. Haynes and M. Hendrick were in New Orleans, La., last week on business.

Excellent Musical and Novelty Numbers Will Be Given By Singing Class

The children of the Knights of Pythias Orphanage, of Clayton, will appear in a splendid program at Cool Springs school auditorium on Tuesday evening, July 30, at 8:00 o'clock.

The concert is being sponsored by the local K. of P. The following is the program for the evening; which will be under the direction of Mary Traynham Wyche, director:

Opening Songs: (a) Greetings; (b) Welcome Sweet Springtime—Rubenstein—Entire Class.

Recitations: (a) William Speaks Next Friday, Brooks Harris; (b) Getting to Be a Man, James Harris.

Specialty Skit: (a) Scotch Folk Dance; (b) National Air; Shirley Boyte, Mary Harris, Martha Boyte, Ruby Elks.

Recitations (a) The Hero, Geo. Draughton; (b) Telling Tales, John Hutchens.

Song, Woman Is Fickle, The Boys. Recitations: (a) Little Girl—Two Little Girls, Shirley Boyte; (b) Jemina, Mary Harris.

Songs: (a) The Blackbird; (b) Spring's Messenger, by Selected Group.

Recitation, Our Play, Mary Alford. Stunts, The Boys.

Specialty Skit, Our Flower Friends—The Girls.

Recitations: (a) It Can Be Done, Ollie Gillespie; (b) Short'hin' Bread Song, Granville Draughton.

Humorous Skit, The Gossips, The Girls.

Songs: (a) The Fairy Crew, (b) Land of Spain, by The Girls.

Playlet, The Wishing Shop.

Cast, Daddy Doe, Granville Draughton; Three Little Girls, Shirley, Mary, Frances; Three Little Boys, John, James, Haywood; A Goblin, George Draughton; A Policeman, Ollie Gillespie.

LADIES', ATTENTION

Special reduction on American Beauty Batiste, fast colors, 35c value. Horn's Cash Store.

Methodist Church Services Sunday

This is to advise that the pastor is finishing his vacation with this week, and will be in his pulpit next Sunday morning. He has had a good rest and has enjoyed it, but is anxious to worship with you again. He only hopes that you are as anxious to be back in your places as he is. A cordial welcome to all who desire to worship with us.

M. F. MOORES, Pastor.

Hon. Josephus Daniels Secured As Sesqui-Centennial Speaker

ELLENBORO MAY SELL ELECTRIC LIGHT EQUIPMENT

Sale of Lines To Public Utilities Co., Subject Approval of Citizens

Ellenboro, July 23.—The town of Ellenboro will in all probability sell its electric light system to the Public Utilities Company, according to a report made this week. All property, including the electric lines, the transmission and distributing lines and accessories from Ellenboro to Mooresboro, has been sold to them, subject to the approval of the voters of the Town of Ellenboro, at a special election to be called for that purpose. It is reported that an election will be held about August 24, to determine the will of the people of Ellenboro regarding the matter. The town of Ellenboro values its property at approximately \$14,000.

LATE NEWS FROM FLORENCE MILLS

Infant of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Haynes Dead—Miss Thelma Jones Injured

Forest City, July 23.—The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Haynes, born dead, July 2 was buried at the family cemetery the following day.

Mr. Britt Hardin left here last Wednesday for Los Angeles, California, where he will be employed for an indefinite period. Mrs. Hardin and the children will probably join him later.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Flack, last week a fine boy.

Miss Thelma Jones, came very near having a serious accident here recently, when she was knocked down on the paved gangway, at the mill switch, by a protruding timber had been struck by a moving freight train. Her friends will be glad to know she was not seriously hurt and will probably resume her work at the mill next week.

Mr. J. B. Hardin visited relatives in Shelby last Sunday. He was accompanied home by his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. V. Hardin, who are spending the week here.

Mr. G. Sane, of Hamilton, Ind., and mother, Mrs. Sallie Sane, of Campobello, S. C., were recent visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shytle of Kings Mountain, spent one day last week in the home of Mr. G. W. Shytle and family.

Rev. John Clement and son Joseph, of Colfax, N. C., spent last Tuesday night with Mr. D. S. Hardin and family.

BETHANY NEWS

Forest City, R-2, July 23.—Rev. Epley filled his regular appointment at Bethany Sunday. There was a large crowd present.

The farmers of this section are almost through laying by, and their crops are looking fine.

Misses Alda and Velma Reed of Spindale visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Morrow's Saturday night, and attended the party at Mr. Grover Morrow's.

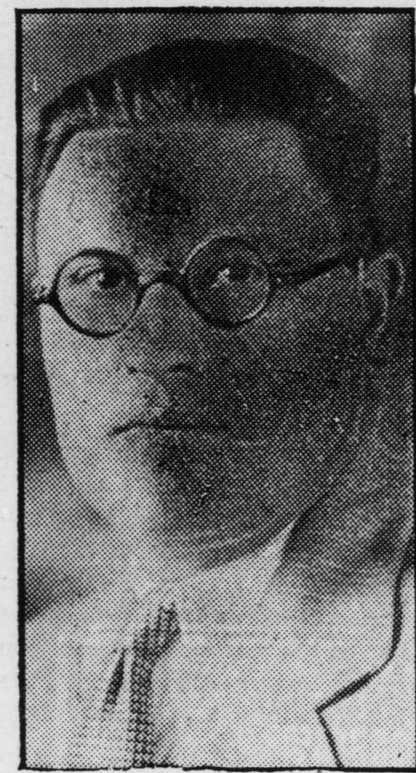
Mr. Virgil Morrow entertained a number of his friends with a party Saturday night. There were a large crowd present. Music was furnished by the Victrola which was enjoyed by all. Many interesting games were played.

Miss Lucy Morrow of Forest City, accompanied by Mr. Charles Shehan, visited her parents Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Morrow.

Miss Esther Morrow who has been in the hospital at Winston-Salem, has returned home much improved, to the delight of her many friends.

Program For County-Wide Celebration Is Outlined

Wins Renown



A. B. Bushong, teacher of vocational agriculture, Ellenboro high school, selected by the state department of vocational education as having done the best piece of work during the year in the Charlotte district.

BIRTHDAY OF MISS SMART OBSERVED

Cliffside Shut-In Is Given Surprise Birthday Party At Home of Mr. Shuford

Cliffside, July 23.—(Special)—Last Saturday was the birthday of Miss Pantha Smart, better known to members of the Wayside Gang as "Pansy." Miss Smart is a "shut-in" though when the weather is good and her health permits she enjoys getting out doors for a ride. A number of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. G. C. Shuford Saturday afternoon at four o'clock to give Miss Smart a surprise party. Everything had been planned carefully in order that she might not have any idea of what was coming. B. E. Roach was asked to bring her over and he called at Mr. P. R. Greene's where Miss Smart is located now and told her that since it was her birthday he would like to take her for a drive to celebrate. She consented to go for the drive and when they reached the Shuford home and was met by Mrs. Shuford she saw the large and spacious porch filled with ladies and was informed that this was the end of the "buggy ride" for the present; it was only then that she realized what it was all about. She was the recipient of many splendid gifts including a large cake with all the decorations including candles. When her escort called at six o'clock it was a happy group that was bidding "Pansy" goodbye and wishing for her many more happy returns of the day. But none were happier than Miss Smart who said that it was really a great surprise to her, and a happy one.

The County Club luncheon will be held at one o'clock. In addition to the regular members of the Club, the guests of the day will be invited and a limited number of others.

Mr. J. E. Berry will have charge of a unique athletic program in the afternoon. Cash prizes will be offered in some of the athletic events, which are expected to feature games of a period gone by.

The bands of the county are tentatively scheduled for the day, and will help to enliven the occasion very much. Concerts on the court house lawn will be part of the afternoon's program.

Anyone having old relics of historical interest are requested to loan them to the general committee for display that day. These relics will be displayed in the windows of the various stores and business houses of the town. Old agricultural implements will be placed in hardware stores; jewelry, coins, clocks and guns, etc., in jewelry stores; clothing, handicraft and related items in dry goods stores; papers, letters, books, documents and the like will be shown from drug stores and newspaper offices. Cash prizes will be awarded for old newspapers, documents, handicraft, old firearms, old furniture, clocks, kitchen utensils, wearing apparel, farm implements and other relics.

Prizes will also be awarded for the best floats in the parade and in athletic events.

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Street Parade to Feature One Hundred and Fifty Years of Rutherford's History

Rutherfordton, July 22.—A meeting of the county sesquicentennial celebration committee was held here Friday afternoon in the Methodist church, at which time further plans for the celebration were made. The matter of street decorations and preparations of floats will be handled by Mr. Fred Reh, of the Washington Decorating Company, of Rocky Mount, N. C. New arrangements regarding the exhibits of antiques and historical relics were discussed and David Lindsay was appointed chairman of the finance committee and Clarence Griffin was appointed treasurer of the general committee.

Approximately 20,000 people are expected for the celebration according to present indications. The celebration will be held Friday, August 16, in Rutherfordton, and the program will open in the morning with an address of welcome, followed by a short address by Dr. Zeno Wall, of Shelby, who will introduce the speaker of the day, Hon. Josephus Daniels, of Raleigh, Editor of the News and Observer and former secretary of the U. S. Navy Department.

The street parade will be a feature of the program, and will follow the address of Mr. Daniels. The parade will cover the principal streets of Rutherfordton, and the floats will be so arranged that a panorama of the county's history will pass before the spectators in chronological sequence from the day of travel by ox cart and horseback on the dim mountain trails to the present. Floats featuring every epoch of the county's history will be shown. The building of the historic floats will be in charge of Mr. Reh, who has had a number of years experience in the work. His grandfather established the present firm in 1856, and they have had seventy-five years successful experience in catering to historical celebrations. The parade will be about two miles long, and will be a veritable panorama of a century and a half of progress in all lines of endeavor familiar to the county.

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Local Man Grows Fine Tomatoes

Mr. R. W. Carswell brought to The Courier office Monday two fine tomatoes, grown by him, which weighing two and one half pounds. The largest tomato weighed one and one half pounds while the smaller weighed one pound. These are undoubtedly the finest and largest tomatoes grown in Rutherford county. Mr. Carswell has a fine garden, and these two specimen were only samples of others grown by him.