

# SOCIETY NEWS

## "WINTER'S FLOW"

There is no silence like the soundless snow.  
The feather crystals flutter to vaud the ground  
then skyward swirl—sealed sea gulls, startled by a sudden sound.  
The frost's cold fingers film the torpid stream.  
All movement now is stilled in icy muteness.  
Deep, deep the stillness,  
deep the silence spreads.  
Now sunshine sparkles. From the laden bough drops fall,  
in cadence. Mantling snow with gentle sigh, scarce heard,  
subsides and leaves brown grasses free.  
The stream shakes off its torper, moves again,  
and icicles with tiny shivers crash.  
Wide flow the waves of sound,  
wide the vibrations spread.  
Silence is broken, nature moves again in sound and rhythm.  
E. V. R.

### Choir Practice.

The choir of the First Presbyterian church will practice at 8:30 o'clock, tonight at the church.

### Return to Morrisville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Briggs have returned to their home in Morrisville, Pa. after spending the Christmas here with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Briggs.

### Returns to Peace.

Miss Lou Robinon has returned to Peace college, Raleigh, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Robinson, near Epsom.

### To Durham.

Mrs. Ralph Burrows was called to Durham today to be at the bedside of her son, Wallace Edwards, who underwent a head operation at McPherson hospital.

### Civic Club Meets.

The Junior Civic club will meet tonight at 8 o'clock with Miss Alma Dixon, with Miss Mary Frances Williams as assistant hostess. All members are urged to attend.

### To Chapel Hill.

Gene Robinson has returned to the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Robinson, near Epsom.

### Alma Club Postponed.

The meeting of the Alma club, scheduled for this week, has been postponed until next week, it was said today. The date and place of meeting will be announced later.

### Jr. Meeting at HHS.

The Junior Red Cross countywide meeting, to be held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, will be in the Henderson high school, room 101, rather than in the Perry Memorial library as has been announced. It is hoped that everyone connected with this work will attend.

## Philathea Meeting With Misses Legg

The Ruth Gardner Philathea Bible class of the First Baptist church met at the home of Misses Maria and Katherine Legg on Granite street, Monday evening.  
After a short business session Miss Maria Legg led in the game, "Take It or Leave It". The hostesses served delicious refreshments at the conclusion of the program.

## Miss Williams Wed To Douglas Wilkon

The following announcement has been made and will be of much interest to friends here:  
"Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Williams announce the marriage of their daughter  
Hazel Marshall  
to  
Douglas L. Wilkon,  
on December 26, 1941,  
in Clarksville, Virginia."  
The wedding was performed in the home of Rev. Mr. Allen, Presbyterian minister, in Clarksville. After a wedding trip the couple will make their home in Clarksville.  
Mr. Wilkon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Wilkon, of Clarksville.



**CONGRATULATIONS TO THESE HAPPY PARENTS**

**CHILDREN'S COLDS**

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## MARRIED SUNDAY



Mrs. Fred Stovall Royster, who prior to her marriage of January 4 in the First Methodist church was Miss Launah Parker, daughter of Mrs. Chalmers Radford Parker and the late Mrs. Parker, of Mooresville. Mr. Royster is the son of Mrs. John S. Royster and the late Mr. Royster, of Henderson.

## Ruth Class Holds Meeting Tuesday

The Ruth class of the South Henderson Baptist church held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday night at the community house. The meeting was opened with the Lord's prayer and a hymn, after which Mrs. Sam Wilson read the scripture.  
Following a short business session the hostesses, Mrs. Bessie Ayscue, Mrs. Sam Wilson, and Mrs. Ruby Duke, served hot chocolate and cakes.

## Barbara Ann Raines Is Birthday Hostess

Little Miss Barbara Ann Raines celebrated her eighth birthday with a party at her home on Wiggins street Saturday, January 3.  
Those attending were: Jeanette Jenkins, Sarah Hunt, Ferebee Jarrell, Ferebee Turner, Florence Elizabeth Gupton, Jean Carter, Ginger Lee Williams, Frances Faulkner, Edith Edwards, and the hostess, Barbara Ann Raines, Thomas Wilkerson, Robert Raines, and Billy Raines.  
Many delightful games were enjoyed by the little guests, after which refreshments were served by Mrs. Valerie Raines, assisted by Mrs. Landon Faulkner and Miss Lucille Raines. Barbara Ann received many lovely gifts.

## Mrs. Woodlief Has Meeting of W. S. C. S.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of White Memorial Methodist church met recently with Mrs. R. C. Woodlief at her home on Maple street, with a very good attendance.  
This being the first meeting of the new year, plans for new achievements were discussed. It was decided to organize the children's work January 11, and have ten monthly meetings with the children during the year. The budget for the adult society was raised, and it was also decided to hold prayer services in homes once each month.  
Mrs. J. K. Worthington called attention to a letter in a recent missionary publication addressed to each society urging a year of great service. This was read by Mrs. C. S. Catlett.  
An impressive installation service was held, and after brief remarks by the president, Mrs. Mattie Cox, the pastor, Rev. J. K. Worthington, offered the closing prayer.

## MEREDITH COLLEGE TALENT ON RADIO

Meredith College and Station WPTF will inaugurate a series of college activity programs to be given on Thursday afternoons at 4:45 o'clock. The first broadcast Thursday afternoon, January 9, is to be a duo-violin recital by Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Alden, with Miss Dorothy Phelps at the piano. Mr. Alden teaches violin, and Miss Phelps, piano at Meredith. The programs will be arranged by Harry Dorsett of the department of Education, and the series will continue over a period of three months.

### Undergoing Treatment.

J. C. Champion has entered Watts' hospital, Durham, where he is undergoing treatment under Dr. Cooperidge.

## Officers Installed At Class Meeting

The first meeting of the new year of the Whitmore-Wesley class of the First Methodist church was held last evening in the ladies parlor of the church.

Mrs. G. R. Allen, re-elected president, presided over the meeting, which opened with the singing of "America," later when a period of silent meditation was closed with a prayer by Mrs. A. B. Deans. Mrs. Deans, reading the devotions, used as her subject "Faith of Our Fathers." "Home in a New Beginning," a New Year's poem, was read and scripture reference, Psalm 32 and 41-9 were used, following the theme of the song.

The business session followed, with plans for the new year being presented by Mrs. Allen. An attractive booklet, given to each member, listed the officers, the committee chairman, members, and the hostesses for the coming term.

Officers are as follows: Mrs. George R. Allen, president; Mrs. F. C. Roberts, vice-president; Mrs. Claude Harris, first vice-president; Mrs. Kenneth Hawkins, class room secretary; Mrs. Hilda Smith, assisting class room secretary; Mrs. B. A. Scott, class meeting secretary; Mrs. J. M. Baily, assistant class meeting secretary; Mrs. Della Hayes, treasurer; the teachers are Mrs. E. C. Roberts, superintendent; Mrs. S. T. Peace, Mrs. A. B. Deans, Mrs. J. C. Cooper, and Mrs. E. W. Rowland. Committee chairman are: program, Mrs. T. O. Rice; devotions, Mrs. Bessie Ayscue; hospitality, Mrs. D. D. Hockett; social service, Mrs. S. S. Fowler; music, Mrs. M. W. Adams; orphan, Mrs. R. H. Wilson; class room, Mrs. F. O. Aubrey; hospital, Mrs. G. W. Furquerson; finance, Mrs. Della Hayes; transportation, Mrs. L. E. Baily; visiting, Mrs. Sallie Garlick.

Mrs. Ayscue arranged in charge of the program, conducted a quiz with Mrs. A. B. Deans as prize winner.  
Hostesses for the evening were: Mrs. Alma Curran, Mrs. Sue Mabry, Mrs. R. C. Gory, Mrs. H. J. Whitmore, Mrs. J. M. Baily, Mrs. H. W. Whitmore, Mrs. R. D. Starkey, and Miss Agnes Moore. They served hot tea, sandwiches, and salted nuts.

## MARRIAGE PAPERS GIVEN TWO COUPLES

Two marriage papers were issued Tuesday at the Vance Registry office, records there showed today.  
Zollie Newman, Jr., of Nolma and Helen Gray Hershman, of Henderson, and William Bland Stovall, 28, of Ft. Jackson, S. C., and Annie Lucille Harris, 30, of Henderson, secured the papers issued.

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### Visits Huffmans.

Mrs. R. S. Hunt, Jr., of Baltimore, Md., is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Huffman, at their home on the Raleigh road.

### To Tarboro.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Weldon were in Tarboro last evening where Mrs. Weldon attended the Eastern Star chapter meeting. It was the official visit of the Worthy Grand Matron. Mrs. Weldon was given honorary membership in the Tarboro chapter.

### Study Class Meets.

The New Bethel Mission Study class met with Mrs. Walter Bowen on a recent evening. Mrs. Clyde Murphy and Mrs. T. H. Weldon and Miss Mary Ayscue very interestingly taught the book "These Things Remain". The hostess served fruit, assisted by Miss Mary Bowen.

### EXPRESSION OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Robertson and family wish to express their thanks and appreciation for the kindness shown them during the illness, death, and burial of their mother, and particularly want to thank Dr. W. H. Furman. The kind deeds will always be remembered.

## RAN FITCH'S "VICTORY JAMBOREE" ON STAGE

For variety and beauty of production, Dan Fitch's great new "Victory Jamboree", coming to the Stevenson stage for a one day engagement Sunday, January 11, is heralded as eclipsing even its widely acclaimed predecessor, "Dixiana", of 1941.

From its lavish and brilliant new array of beautiful dance ensembles introduced by the pulchritudinous and curvaceous all-American beauties, down to the last turn by its fast-moving revue of headline vaudeville acts, charm and variety has been its keynote, according to veteran showman Dan Fitch who brings his brand new stage attraction to the Stevenson as the crowning theatrical achievement of his twenty years producing and presenting his own pleasing stage productions.

With a tuneful theme of victory, "Dixie's Favorite Funster Son", introduces his big revue as the merriest musical stage jamboree of the new year.

As fresh and new as 1942, the production brings together vaudeville headliners from very nearly every corner of the nation. Among these are Bee Ho Gray and Company from Los Angeles and Senorita Cubanola from Havana. These acts came directly from their home cities to join the new Fitch Victory Jamboree show entour in the east.

Others which will brighten the stage are Richmond, Bane and Heisler, members of the Keynote harmony trio, and stars of recent Broadway musicals; The Bronlee Brothers, comedy acrobatic artists.



BILL BANE who heads the Keynote harmony trio and former Broadway musical stage star who comes to the Stevenson stage Sunday.

and topflight comedian, Carl Mason with his timely parody borrowed from an army camp enlistment office.

Music is furnished by the Victory Jamboreers who bring the latest tunes of the day cleverly woven into this well-knit and eye-filling Dan Fitch hit parade of 1942.

The screen will offer "Dressed to Kill" with Lloyd Nolan and Mary Beth Hughes, as a companion attraction.

## Downs Loses Child Bride

Shelby, Jan. 7.—(AP)—The law stepped in and separated 62-year-old Joe Downs from his child bride, but not before the walls of the Cleveland county courthouse had echoed the loud protests.

Meek and a bit afraid of all that went on about her, Estelle Pruitt Downs was led last night to a juvenile detention home, there to await her transfer to state-supervised quarters.

Superior Court Judge Felix Alley appointed Gerald Goforth, Shelby attorney, as her guardian and ordered Juvenile Judge Everett Houser to take her into custody.

The girl, who told a court attache that she was "11 or 12" but I don't rightly know," was brought here from Downs' cabin at Casar, 20 miles away.

Close on her heels came the elderly husband. He retained no lawyer, didn't get a chance to talk to the judge, but he moved through the corridors of the courthouse freely voicing his opinion of those who had separated him from his wife of little more than two months.

Each new insight into freedom and economic welfare sooner or later becomes embodied in some institution of family, church, school, state or business world.

## Federal Road Fund Allocated

Raleigh, Jan. 7.—Federal aid highway funds apportioned to the various state highway departments for the fiscal year beginning next July 1 must be spent on projects essential to national defense.

In announcing the allocations today, Baird Snyder, III, assistant federal works administrator, emphasized that it will be the policy of the Federal Works Agency to restrict approval of projects to those essential to national defense as certified by the appropriate federal defense agency. Allocated were \$100,000,000 for improvement of the Federal-aid highway system, \$17,500,000 for secondary roads, and \$20,000,000 for elimination of hazards at railroad grade crossings.

North Carolina's share will be as follows: Regular federal aid, \$2,387,356; secondary or feeder roads, \$417,787; elimination of hazards at railroad grade crossings, \$514,993. This is approximately the same allocation apportioned to the state for the 1942 fiscal year.

All work will be done in cooperation with the State Highway and Public Works Commission according to the usual Federal-Aid procedure except that projects will be limited to those having a definite defense significance.

## CALEDONIA PRISON FARM REORGANIZED

Raleigh, Jan. 7.—(AP)—Prison Director Oscar Pitts today announced completion of a reorganization of Caledonia prison farm to convert the 6,000-acre tract into a great State cattle pasture.

Personnel shake-ups involved every major position at the camp except one, and total salaries will be reduced by almost \$50,000 annually.

Cattle will be bought from western North Carolina farmers, grazed at Caledonia and sold in the east.

To make room for the new herds, farming operations at the century-old prison camp will be reduced to a minimum. The plan is expected to boost the State's cattle and dairy industries and to eliminate the usual deficit in operations at Caledonia.

### HOW TRUE, BROTHER!

Jones: "The mail is terrible lately and I'll have to complain about it."  
Smith: "Why, I got mine all right."  
Jones: "Well, mine is terrible; you know that check you promised to send last week? It hasn't come yet!"

### WHAT CAUSES EPILEPSY?

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