

Social and Personal News Of FAIRMONT

Methodist Circle Holds Meeting

Circle No. 1 of the Methodist church met Monday with Mrs. V. P. Deal with Mrs. Wade Ashley as joint hostesses.

Sally Jones Circle Meets

The Sally Jones circle met Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Giles Floyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Webster of Columbia were week end guests here and Mrs. Webster stayed over until after the Easter holidays.

Miss Lola Ashley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ashley, recently began work in Washington, D. C. with the Bureau of Standards.

Mrs. V. F. Teal and Mrs. W. H. Nelson were Florence visitors Tues. day.

Mrs. Dewitt Johnson of Raleigh arrived Saturday to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Belle Baker.

A. A. Fowler returned home Saturday from Winston-Salem, where he has been a patient at Bowman Gray hospital.

Grace Stone, young son of Mrs. Edna Stone, is confined to his home with a case of measles.

James Mears is confined with chicken pox to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwood Mears.

Miss Annie Lee McDaniel of Lumberton is visiting her sister Mrs. Sam J. Smith.

Mrs. J. B. Ashley, Mrs. C. D. Webster, Mrs. Paul Oliver and Chester Ashley spent Tuesday in Columbia.



See whilkens, so many things have been happening lately, and I have had so many headaches, that this poor feeble head hurts even more when I begin to think of all the things I could say. Sorry to have missed you last week, but such things happen in the best of families.

Needless to say, I am worse than the poor mother hen at the present time. Here I have been harboring two celebrities under the theatre roof and have been acting toward them as a slave driver—shame on me.

At the same time, Christine has the honor of being May Queen for the annual May Day program at the Fairmont school.

While I am on this line of popular people, don't let's get Jimmie Byrne. Jimmie is an alumnae of the theatre so I can well afford to brag on him.

The fashion show at the school gymnasium Thursday night should really be worth seeing. Surely hope that I can go, those dresses are worth the effort.

It seems that the biggest gossip gets around the most, the biggest crooks have the largest bank rolls or billfolds, and you and I poor us, have a terrible time even

Bride-Elect Is Honored

Mrs. Lester Mitchell and Mrs. Paul Scott of Fair Bluff entertained at the home of Mrs. Mitchell Saturday from 10:30 a. m. until noon in honor of Miss Mary Cathleen Ashley, bride-elect of May.

Mrs. Scott greeted the guests at the door and presented them to the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Frank Ashley.

Mrs. Mitchell invited the guests into the dining room where Mrs. Elmer Hedgpeth, aunt of the bride, presided at the coffee service, assisted by Mrs. Armon Jenkins and Mrs. Tarry Cernugel.

The home was decorated throughout with spring flowers, and guests were served refreshments consisting of chicken salad and sandwiches, canapies, macaroons, cheese wafers, mints and nutty fingers.

High School Music Club Has Meeting

The high school music club met March 21 at the home of Mary Frances Britt with Fannie Neil Britt as co-hostess.

The program was "Religious Music" and those taking part were Janet Faye Huggins, Jerry Floyd, Corin Mitchell. The meeting was closed by saying the pledge.

Refreshments were then served by the hostess.

More Lumberton Social News

This and That

By FRED BROWN

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We learn by the grapevine route that the political waters in Robeson are beginning to simmer, though it is more than a year before we have another primary. Madam Rumor says that Senator H. A. McKinnon will not seek reelection but that O. L. Henry, well known Lumberton attorney, may be a candidate.

Continuing something about Red Springs, its first boom came when W. F. and Jas. G. Williams moved from Culpepper, Va., and established "The Red Springs Lumber Company." As we said last week, they built a railroad from Red Springs to Bowmore, later going on to Wagram. They employed many men and what was in those days long leaf virgin forests are today large productive farms.

Among these we remember A. B. Peasall and family, Maj. G. H. Hall (father of Miss Alice Hall of Red Springs and Lumberton). They were soon followed by W. J. Johnson and W. H. Skyes, who owned the Harnett county lumber company but made Red Springs their home.

Other Scots who came to Red Springs were the families of "Judge" D. P. McEachern, W. J. Council, R. F. Currie, A. T. McCallum, Peter McQueen, "Cross Roads" Daniel McLeod, Dr. McN. Graham, Lucius McRae, W. J. McLeod, D. P. McLeod, Dr. B. F. McMillan, R. F. Campen (who for many years was postmaster)—his sister was Nellie J. Shooter, who was Red Springs first milliner; John G. Brown, who too was postmaster for many years; his daughter, Miss Katie Brown was,

Hesbah Britt Circle Observes 5th Anniv.

The Hesbah Jeanette Britt circle of the First Baptist church celebrated their fifth anniversary at their regular meeting Monday night held at the home of Mrs. John Ayers, with Mrs. Neil Rozier and Mrs. Durham Prevatte as associate hostesses. Mrs. E. A. Welsh, president, presided.

A special birthday offering was taken, netting \$7.39.

Following the opening of the meeting with song by the group and prayer by Mrs. Empie Wisnart, Mrs. H. B. Cranfill gave an interesting talk on stewardship.

During the social hour, guests were invited into the dining room. A beautiful birthday cake with five candles was placed on one end of the table and the punch bowl on the other. An attractive arrangement of spring flowers formed the centerpiece.

The circle's next meeting will be with Mrs. B. C. Britt at her home on South Walnut street, with Mrs. David Kelly and Mrs. Velma Drone as assisting hostesses.

we believe, Red Springs' second milliner. Like Mrs. Shooter, she was popular with all the folks and her customers included many from Robeson and adjoining counties. Miss Katie is still living at Red Springs. She is a sister of Miss Polly Brown, of Red Springs and Lumberton; Douglas McCormick and his daughter and her family, Mrs. E. L. Cox. They are the grandfather and grandmother of our Big Boss, Douglas Cox. Mr. McCormick was a Scotch Presbyterian, both in theory and practice. His word was his bond. He hated littleness and in his life stood foursquare to the world. The Cox family is one of Robeson's most highly educated, cultured and refined families. All of the girls and boys are college trained.

Hey, Kids!

"Play it safe!" That's the advice of L. C. Rosser, Commissioner of Motor Vehicles to all children of North Carolina.

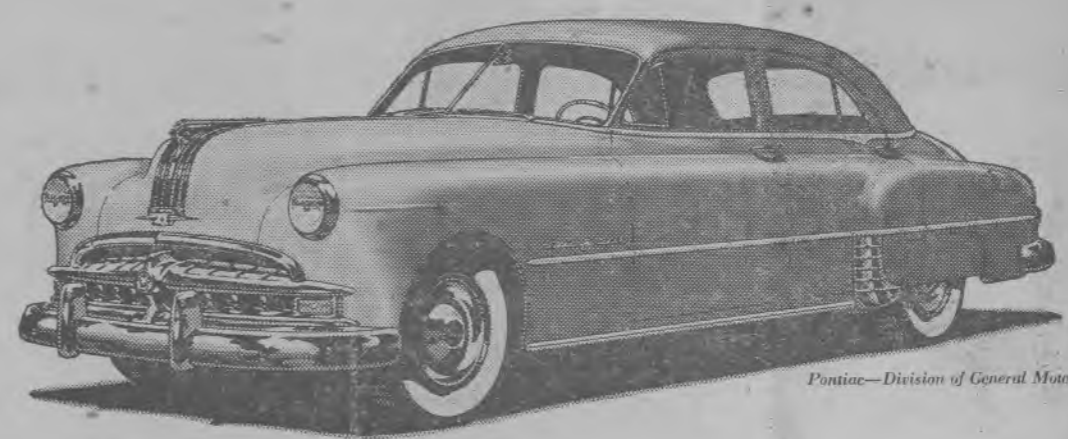
Three-fourths of the boys and girls five to 14 years of age who were killed or injured in United States traffic in 1948 were doing one of three dangerous things at the time, according to the National Safety Council. They were either crossing the street between intersections, coming from behind parked cars or playing in the roadway.

I guess I don't have to remind you to be careful," Commissioner Rosser said. "But all of you kids should play it safe—so you can keep on playing."

The streets. Stay away from alleys, driveways and parked cars. You kids are mighty quick, you know, and a driver just can't see you beside or behind his car or truck. So keep well away from cars, driveways and alleys. Play it safe!

The fuselage volume of the Navy's 190-passenger plane, Constitution, is larger than the largest pullman car, biggest box car, largest flat car and passenger bus combined. The Navy subsidizes general education courses at accredited colleges for Nav. personnel.

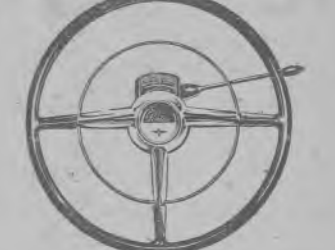
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