

Society Items

News and Events of Interest to Women

Fashion Facts

FIREPLACE strange that the flame leaping on the birch should sound like wind rushing; the flame dying into brittle embers should sound like fingers of rain and sleet...

Mrs. H. P. Reid and Mrs. Timothy Thompson were visitors in Durham on Wednesday.

Mr. Bill Reid is expected to leave Saturday night to spend Christmas at Athens, Ga., with his sister, Miss Ellen Reid.

Mr. Butler Brown and son, Billy, and Mrs. Lee Wheeden of Roanoke Rapids were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cawthorne one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cawthorne and Mr. Randolph Allen were visitors in Roanoke Rapids this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cawthorne were visitors in Kittrell on Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Alston, Mrs. Katherine Arrington and Mr. W. J. Arrington spent several days in Raleigh this week.

Mr. W. R. Hedgepeth and son, Willie, spent Tuesday in Norfolk on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Therman Adkins have taken an apartment in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bell.

Mrs. W. R. Hedgepeth and Mrs. Therman Adkins shopped in Henderson on Wednesday.

Mrs. H. P. Reid, R. R. West, Dorman Blalock, Timothy Thompson were visitors in Henderson on Friday morning.

Dr. Anton A. Phillips spent several days this week in Atlanta, Ga., where he stood an examination for the National Dental Board.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Boyd were visitors in Blackstone Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meade of Lynchburg accompanied their home for the week end. The Meades will spend the holidays in New Orleans.

Mrs. John A. Tipton of Roaring Springs, Pa., is spending several days this week with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Hester, at Warren Plains.

Mr. Gid Macon Jr., a student at T. N. C., is expected to arrive this afternoon for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. William Ward, who is attending Fishburn Military School, Waynesboro, is expected to arrive today for the holidays.

Miss Olivia Burwell is visiting in Portsmouth, Va., this week.

Miss Nancy Ellis, who is attending college in Greensboro, is expected home today for the holidays.

Mrs. Duke Jones is expected to leave tomorrow to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Carty, in Belhaven.

Mr. Jones is expected to join her in Wednesday.

Miss Ann Scoggin, who is attending school in Boston, Mass., is expected to arrive today to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Scoggin.

Mrs. W. H. Dameron and Mrs. E. A. Thorne spent several days this week in Raleigh.

Mr. Graham Boyd, who has been stationed on the Oxford Tobacco market since the Farmville market closed recently, arrived this week to spend the holidays here with his mother, Mrs. R. B. Boyd.

Mr. B. K. Grier of Statesville was a week end guest of Mr. William Taylor.

Mr. Wallace Jones and Mr. Edwin Wallace of Washington, D. C., were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Jones.

MRS. WATKINS HOSTESS Mrs. Robert Watkins was hostess to the members of the Warren Plains Baptist Young People's Union at her home in Warrenton on Friday evening.

A Christmas program, entitled "The Prince of Peace" was conducted by Miss Mabel Carroll. Those taking part were Mesdames Edward Hicks, Watkins and Misses Dorothy Weaver and Christine Felts. Christmas carols were sung. Fruit cake topped with whipped cream and cherries were served the guests. Mrs. Burnett Frazier, a recent bride, and Mrs. Timothy Thompson were special guests.

ENTERTAINS D. A. R. Mrs. C. T. Bowers entertained the members of the Daughters of the American Revolution at her home in Ridgeway Heights on Friday afternoon. The meeting was conducted by Mrs. C. R. Rodwell,

vice-president in the absence of the regent, Mrs. W. R. Baskerville. Each member present took Christmas packages for the Ellis Island emigrants. Mrs. Tempe Boyd read an article entitled "Christmas in Foreign Lands." Mrs. Charles Ray Rodwell gave the English carol. Fruit cake and other refreshments were served at the conclusion of the business session.

MRS. POLK HOSTESS

Mrs. William Tannahill Polk entertained the Warrenton Reading club at her home on Main Street Friday afternoon. The program pertained to the Christmas season. Mrs. Frank H. Gibbs gave several selections from Ben Hur. A reading was given on the Christmas of today and yesterday by Miss Lilly Bell Dameron. Fruit cake and punch were served at the conclusion of business to the following guests: Mesdames Gibbs, John Mitchell, J. E. Adams, Alpheus Jones, J. G. Ellis, C. E. Rodwell and Misses Olivia Burwell and Lilly Belle Dameron.

BETA CLUB MEETS

The Beta Club of the John Graham High School met on Wednesday night in the home of Miss Lois Reid with Miss Dorothy Burroughs as joint hostess. Games and contests were enjoyed after which the fifteen members and two sponsors present drew gifts from a Christmas tree. A sweet course was served in the dining room which, with the rest of the home, was appropriately decorated for the yuletide season. The sponsors present were Miss Mariam Boyd and Miss Elba McGowan.

WINS IN CONTEST

Little Miss Elizabeth Hedgepeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hedgepeth, won second prize in an amateur contest held at the Macon High School on Friday night under the auspices of the Macon Parent-Teacher Association.

T. V. ALLEN OUT

Friends were welcoming T. V. Allen back to the streets of Warrenton yesterday. Mr. Allen was seriously ill at his home for several weeks and his absence from the town's activities has been missed.

DAUGHTER BORN

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Van Pelt of Richmond on Wednesday, December 16, a daughter. Mrs. Van Pelt before marriage was Miss Lucy Baskerville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baskerville of Warrenton.

GOES TO RALEIGH

Miss Margaret Blalock, who for several years has held a position in the office of County Agent Bob Bright, left on Sunday for Raleigh where she will do similar work with the government.

HOSTESS TO CLUB

Mrs. Howard F. Jones was hostess to her card club yesterday afternoon. Other than regular guests, those present were Mesdames W. N. Boyd, J. P. Scoggin, Duke Jones, T. J. Holt and Joe Ellis. High score prize for the club members was won by Mrs. A. A. Williams. Both the floating prize and the visitor's prize were won by Mrs. Joe Ellis.

OLD HOMES OF WARRENTON

A Reprint of V. L. Pendleton Articles

MR. EDWARD PRICE'S HOUSE

The house owned by Mr. Edward Price is not as old as it seems to be, for it was built for Mr. Mills by Mr. Holt who did not come here until 1840. Mr. Mills was a splendid cabinet maker, and made for my sister and for Mrs. Jennie Fleming mahogany bureaus which are equal in workmanship to any imported furniture. They moved in the country and the house during the war was rented to refugees. Mrs. Mills was extremely kind to us school girls who visited her pretty daughters. She was an aunt of Dr. George Foote who purchased the house after the War Between the States ended.

Dr. George Foote married Miss Sallie McDowell of Edenton and no man ever had a better helpmate. He was a good physician and had a fine practice. They reared four children. The three boys are all married and are good business men. Helen, the daughter, is a young widow with one child. She lives in Portsmouth, Va., and her mother lives with her. Two of the boys are doing a good business in Norfolk, Va., and Manson, the eldest, has a responsible position in the railroad service, and lives in Washington, D. C.

After Dr. Foote's death, Mrs. Foote sold her home to Mr. Edward Price. He married Miss Lula McCraw and they are living there now with their fine children. He has six, but the eldest daughter is married, but she spends her summers with her mother and father in her old home.

(Next week the Polk Home)

Ridgeway Items

Christmas morning services are to be held at 9 o'clock, December 25, at Good Shepherd church.

Mrs. Emma Scott has returned from a visit to her niece, Mrs. Zena Courtney, at Sandston, Va.

Mrs. W. C. Mabry is visiting her son, Dr. W. A. Mabry, and Mrs. Mabry at Durham.

The regular services were held at the Methodist church Sunday night at 7:30.

Mrs. Mark Wyckoff of Lillydale, N. Y., called to see Mrs. J. Amos and Miss Alice Wyckoff one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Banzet and Mr. W. C. Mabry visited Mrs. Rebecca Watkins at Middleburg Sunday.

Mrs. R. D. Scott attended services at Good Shepherd church on Sunday afternoon.

POUND PASTOR

Members of the Baptist congregation honored their pastor, Rev. Robert E. Brickhouse with a pound party on Friday evening at the parsonage.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

by Charles E. Dunn

The Supreme Gift of Love. Lesson for December 20th. 1 John 4:7-19.

Golden Text: Luke 2:14.

The words from the first letter of John chosen for our lesson, and especially the glorious angelic song set aside as the Golden Text, have a serene quality reminding one of that striking phrase of the prophet Isaiah, "Your strength is quiet faith."

But some one asks, "How can we be calm and steadfast this Christmas when the world is in such a dreadful condition?" First of all, let us act serenely. We pay too much attention to our feelings, and not nearly enough to action. As Prof. James reminds us, we must "sit up cheerfully, look around cheerfully, and act and speak as if cheerfulness were already there."

In the second place, we need to get close to nature, to look often at the stars and the hills. The Christmas narrative breathes the spirit of God's out-of-doors. And we must never forget that Jesus was a country boy and man. He knew intimately, as his teachings make so clear, the birds, beasts and flowers.

I would also recommend listening to music, and making music ourselves. Christmas is of immense help here, for it is the season of hearty and triumphant song. Some one has said, "There is no great art without serenity." Well, one finds a tranquil composure in the familiar strains of "Holy Night" and other Christmas carols.

Then again we can find peace of mind if we learn to walk in the quiet path of patience. Consider the extremely critical issue of peace. Because peace comes so slowly we say it is never going to come. How absurd! It took two centuries to establish the King's peace in mediaeval England, but it was done! It will take many decades of the hardest kind of work to achieve world peace, but it, too, will come to pass!

And let us ever remember that the final decision is in God's hands. "Rest in the Lord, and wait patiently for Him."

GIVE COURT FINES

(Continued from Page 4) my acquaintance who died several years ago and left her property to her husband. The husband was illiterate and not very intelligent, so she named a friend to serve as administrator. As time went on and the husband found that his inheritance did not improve his condition, he claimed that he could not get enough cash from the administrator to furnish shells for his squirrel hunting and one day he was heard

to remark: "My wife made a big mistake; she should have made me administrator and left the property to Mr. Jones."

Now can't we interest our legislators, and even our Governor and all who wish to see the Sales Tax repealed. Get our Dispensers of Justice to accept the fines and give to the schools the costs. Mr. Hoey says he wants ideas; how about this one?

Respectfully yours, H. EVANS COLEMAN.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our deep appreciation for the acts of kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our dear husband and father, Horace P. Frazier.

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Wednesday

John Boles - Rosalind Russell

-in-

"Craig's Wife"

Thursday - Friday

Dionne Quintuplets - Jean Hersholt

-in-

"Reunion"

Saturday

William Boyd - Evelyn Brent

-in-

Hopalong Cassidy Returns

Added: "Phantom Rider"