

Local Items

Mr and Mrs John Van Pelt of Sharps, Va., and daughter, Sallie Spotswood, of Charlottesville, Va., Mr and Mrs Hatcher Crenshaw and children, Hatcher, III, Bill and Susan of Richmond, Va., Mr and Mrs Robert Baskerville and daughter Jane of New Bern, and Mr and Mrs W R Baskerville and daughters, Elizabeth and Evelyn of South Hill, Va., were holiday guests of Mrs W R Baskerville.

Mr and Mrs Buck Baskerville of Wilson were Sunday guests of Mrs Baskerville.

Holiday guests of Mrs Roy V Shearin were Mr and Mrs Frederick Benton and children Alan and Sara of Aiken, S. C., Dr Charles Shearin and son, Jeffrey of Springfield, Va., Larry Shearin of Phoenix, Ariz., Ronald Shearin of Charlotte and Carolyn Shearin of Chapel Hill.

Christmas dinner guests of Mrs Erma Rideout included Mr and Mrs Dick Lewis and Victor of Fayetteville, Mr and Mrs Luther Perkins, Matthew and Mark of Paschall, Mr and Mrs Bob Rideout of Warren Plains, Mr and Mrs E B Rideout Jr, Amie, Kristie, E B, III, and Mr and Mrs O M Limer of Atton.

Mr and Mrs Melville Hicks, Jr., Scott and Brandon of Zebulon were holiday guests of Mr and Mrs Melville Hicks. Mrs Cecil Powell and Linda Powell of Hayes, Va., and Mrs M P Powell were their Thursday guests.

Dinner guests of Mrs B L Reavis on Christmas Eve were Mr and Mrs Lewis Reavis and Ben Reavis, Mr and Mrs Melville Hicks, Jr., Scott and Brandon, and Mr and Mrs Melville Hicks.

Mrs. Mamie Winston spent the holidays with her children Mr. and Mrs. Mac Crews in Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Mullen in Oxford.

Mrs. Katie Creech spent the holidays with her son and family in Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Nettie Hasty has returned from Spartanburg, S. C. where she spent sometime with her daughter and family.

Mrs. S. M. Benton spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Benton and sons in Tarboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Oakley spent Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mitchiner and family in Annandale, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Beamon and children, Jason, Stacey and Timothy, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shearin, Beth and Chris were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Davis and Todd over the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis and Matthew and Mrs. Mamie Harmon were Christmas Day guests.

Miss Mary Bunch of UNC was a guest of Mrs. Charles Bunch and Linda for the holidays.

Wayne Moseley has been a Christmas visitor of Mrs. Grady Moseley.

Last week Dr. and Mrs.



MRS. JERRY WAYNE SMITH

## Miss Koontz Weds Jerry Wayne Smith

Miss Cynthia Elizabeth Koontz of Burlington became the bride of Jerry Wayne Smith on Saturday at 3 p. m. at Front Street United Methodist Church in Burlington. The Rev. Robert McKenzie officiated.

Mrs. Smith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David R. Koontz of Burlington and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. George William Davis, Sr., of Inez. Mr. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin B. Smith of Burlington.

Margaret Ann Fambrough served as organist and Ms. Faith Baldwin was soloist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Miss Deborah Reynolds Koontz served as her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Joseph Barry Lee, Miss Barbara Louise McNeely and Mrs. Rodney David Smith.

Mr. Smith served as his son's best man. Ushers were Terry Lane Smith, Tony Groydon Cozart and Bobby Warren Smith.

Sam Massey flew to Orlando, Fla., to attend the Tangerine Bowl.

Mrs. F. M. Drake spent Christmas in Richmond, Va., with Mr. and Mrs. George Scott and children.

Canon and Mrs. G. R. Selby of England have been visitors for the past week. Canon Selby was the minister of Emmanuel Church two years ago and was the guest preacher on Sunday. They return to England Thursday.

Mr and Mrs. G. M. Flavel of Florida visited Mrs. W. F. Neal during the holidays.

The wedding was directed by Mrs. J. Hoyt Roberson and the guest registrar was kept by Mrs. Bobby Warren Smith.

The bride, a part time cashier at Food Town, graduated from Cummings High School and attended the Technical College of Alamance. The groom is a sergeant in the U. S. Air Force. The couple will make their home in Myrtle Beach, S. C.

### Reception

A reception was held at the church immediately following the wedding. Given by the bride's parents, the reception drew assistance from Mrs. Steve Balog, Mrs. Wallace Shearin, Mrs. John De Marra, Mrs. Bill Price, Mrs. Frank Gentry and Miss Nancy Allen.

### Births Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Harmon of Battleboro announce the birth of a son, Claiborne Arrington, born Dec. 23 in Nash General Hospital. Mrs. Harmon is the former Lisa Coleman of Rt. 3, Warrenton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shields, III, of New Bern announce the birth of a daughter, Melissa Rae, on Dec. 23 in Craven County Memorial Hospital. The infant weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces. Mrs. Shields is the former Annette Rivers of Macon.

### Indolent Infidel

Percy Bysshe Shelley reportedly wrote his wife informing her of his elopement with Mary Godwin. In addition, he asked her to join them, adding, "Please bring my flute."

Mr. and Mrs. Charles (Dick) Fugitt, Sr. and daughter, Miss Patricia Fugitt, have returned from a trip to Decatur, Ill. visiting his parents for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Greg Wilson and son, Timothy, visited Mrs. Wilson's mother, Mrs. Martha Page in Warrenton Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Whitt Patterson of Henderson were visitors of Mrs. Dora Philip during the holidays.

Mrs. Mamie Barnes of Oxford and son, Lee Roy Barnes of Durham, spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. L. E. Morris. The three of them visited Roanoke Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hammerick of Roanoke Rapids were Sunday visitors of her mother, Mrs. L. E. Morris.

Graham King of Lumberton visited Mr. and Mrs. Sol B. Bobbitt during Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Sol B. Bobbitt were Thursday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hawkins and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hux, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sykes were Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Cheek, Jr. in Warrenton. They were Tuesday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore Copley in Warrenton Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Forest Cheek, Jr. and children Alan, Denise and Larry, Iris Bolton and daughter of Warrenton were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sykes.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Young, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Young and guests Lloyd N. Young, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Datsie Clark in Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. Macon Jones and children Ray and Alan of Columbia, S. C. spent several days during the holidays with Mrs. Willie Sykes and Mr. Sykes. Mr. and Mrs. Forest Cheek, Jr. and children, Alan, Denise and Larry of Warrenton were Sunday dinner guests of her mother, Mrs. Sykes and Mr. Sykes.

Mr. and Mrs. Marson Sykes and children, Melanie and Alan, of Cary were visitors of his father, Mr. Willie Sykes and Mrs. Sykes during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Holsapple of Cheraw, S. C. were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. Robert C. Brizendine on Tuesday.

Among holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart West were Miss Nancy Winstead of Elm City, Mr. and Mrs. Danny West and son, Jeffrey of Newport News, Va. Mr. and Mrs. Henry West and children, Reggie and Pamela, of Williamsburg, Va. Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Stokes of Smithfield, Va. Mrs. and Mrs. Stokes visited their mother, Mrs. Viola Etheridge, in Guardian Care Rest Home in Louisburg and accompanied her here to have Christmas dinner with the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Riggan were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Riggan in Henderson. His sister, Mrs. Mario Rossell of Henderson also joined them for Christmas dinner. Mrs. Riggan's brother Charlie Clopton, returned thanks.

Mrs. John Calhoun of Kernersville recently visited her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy F. Williams.

Mrs. Bernice Aycock Jr. has been transferred from Halifax Memorial Hospital to Duke Hospital in Durham.

Miss Pattie Holoway and Mr. and Mrs. Randy Pike of Roanoke Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. David Pike, Mr. and Mrs. George Hodges and son, George, Jr., and Terry Pike of Rocky Mount were weekend visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond G. Pike and family.

Mr. Lloyd N. Young of Annandale, Va. who spent

last week with his relatives returned to his home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Shearin of Norlina and Mrs. Billy Clark and Mrs. Earlie W. Shearin of Warrenton were visitors of Mrs. Gladys Stansbury during last week.

Mrs. Thomas Edward Shearin and daughter, Joyce of Whitakers were Friday visitors of Misses Mamie and Josephine Stansbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Whit Neville, Jr. and children, Robert and Nelson and Cathryn Faye of Cary spent the weekend with Mrs. Neville's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert West. Miss Mary Lois West of Charlotte was also a visitor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. West, during last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Salmon Jr., and children, Lloyd, III, Kevin and Stacey Leigh of Roanoke Rapids were Sunday visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Salmon, Sr. and grandmother, Mrs. J. A. Myrick.

Clinton W. Egerton, Jr. and Jimmy King attended the Gator Bowl in Jacksonville, Fla. Friday night.

John Walter Harris of Richmond, Va. spent some time with his mother, Mrs. John T. Harris, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Brizendine and daughter, Elizabeth of King William, Va. spent the weekend with Dr. and Mrs. Robert C. Brizendine and attended worship services in Littleton Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Paynter and daughter, Amy, of Wise were Sunday dinner guests of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Salmon, Sr.

Mrs. Edith Cannon of Colonial Heights, Va. spent some time with her sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. George McMahan and also visited her brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Bernard P. Bobbitt.

Mrs. Henry A. House has

returned to her home after having visited Mrs. Claude J. Nicholson for a week in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Moore, Jr. and son, Roger Vincent, of Texas spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Moore.

Miss Dora Clark visited Mr. and Mrs. David Clark over the weekend in Roanoke Rapids.

Mrs. Anthony Johnston and son, Clyde, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Norfleet Johnston in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Keeter were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Lou King at Arcola and en route home they visited Mrs. Raymond G. Harris and Misses Mamie and Josephine Stansbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Boiling of Wake Forest were Sunday afternoon visitors of her sister, Mrs. Raymond G. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sharpe and son, Greg, of Newport News, Va., spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Delbridge, during the holidays.

During the holiday, visitors of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Stainback were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stainback and daughters, Kimberly, of Raleigh and Karen of ACC in Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Stainback and daughters, Melissa, of Raleigh and Mrs. Timothy Briggs and son, Brian, of Wendell, Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Baker and children, Daryl, David and Darlene and Scott Spivey of Creedmoor, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Spivey and son, Jason of Roanoke Rapids, Donald Spivey and friend, Miss Lynn Westburg of Hudson, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Lorn McIntyre and children, Judy, Mike, Mathew and Bruce Spivey of Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Stainback and son, John, of Roanoke Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Tromans of Jackson, Mrs. Joe Stainback and children,

Angela Jo and Joshua, of Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Earl Baird and children, Julie and Jeffrey, of Pleasant Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stainback of Goldsboro and daughter, Mrs. Danford Price, and children, Christopher and Jennifer of Jacksonville, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Wilner Heuay of Ayden, Mr. and Mrs. Heuay also visited his sisters.

Miss Jacqueline Moore of Goldsboro spent Thursday night with her mother, Mrs. C. Macon Moore, Sr., and Miss Fannie Moore. Mrs. Moore returned with her Friday to spend several days. Before returning home Miss Moore accompanied her mother to visit Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Powell and family and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Elmore in Hampton, Va., and Mr. J. B. Powell in Newport News, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphey Carter of Richmond, Va.,

were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bernice West.

During the holidays, visitors of Mrs. Gladys Stansbury were Mrs. Gordon Allen, of Henderson, Mrs. Bruce Camp of Roanoke Rapids, Mrs. Robert H. Bright, Grover L. Shearin, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur D. Shearin, Mrs. Robert Grady Moseley of Warrenton, Mrs. Peggy O. Stansbury and son, Joseph E. Stansbury, III, of Raleigh, Mrs. Ben U. Allen, Mrs. William W. McWilliam of Henderson; Mrs. Margaret W. Edwards of Durham, Mrs. Edith W. Haskin of Stem, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Stansbury of Danville, Va., Wayne Moseley of Raleigh, Mrs. William Lawrence, Mrs. Richard Davey and Mrs. Albert Wilford of Wildwood Point Area.

Mrs. Joseph Delbridge, Mrs. Alfred Salmon and Mrs. Selma Abram were Thursday visitors of Mrs. Jimmy Sammons in Wise.

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