

**Franklin Social News**

Charles Marcus Hunter, of Atlanta, spent a night and day during the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Hunter.

Miss Bonnie Parrish, who is operating a beauty shop in Robbinsville, spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Parrish, at their home at West's Mill.

Miss Bessie Melichar has returned to her home in Chicago, Ill., after a visit with her brother, Charles Melichar and Mrs. Melichar, at their home on Harrison avenue.

James Wurst, a patient in Angel hospital, was reported Tuesday to be somewhat improved.

Earl and Harry Bryson returned to their work in Boise, Idaho, Tuesday morning after spending a month with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bryson, at their home at West's Mill.

Billie Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams, of Atlanta, who spent the past week with his grandmother, Mrs. R. C. Sutton at her home on Franklin Route 2, returned to his home Sunday.

W. R. Johnston came up from Sylvester, Ga., Sunday for a short visit with his sister, Mrs. Mary Allman, returning to his home Tuesday.

Mrs. Jack Stribling, of Andrews, is spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Holt and Mr. Holt at their home in Highlands.

Mrs. J. D. Porter left Sunday for Asheville to spend a couple of days with her husband at the home of Mr. Porter's sister, Mrs. Worth McKinney and Mr. McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Lee Howard and daughter, of Dillard, Ga., Route 1, left Tuesday for Jacksonville and other points in Florida where they plan to spend a couple of months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ray, of Hayesville, spent the week-end with Mrs. Ray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Cunningham, at their home on Franklin Route 1.

Frank Shope has returned to his work in Nashville, Tenn., after spending a couple of weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zeb V. Shope, at their home at Prentiss.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holt and daughter, Martha, of Highlands, spent Tuesday here with friends.

Miss Ruth Slagle, who is teaching school at Burgaw, has returned to her work after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Slagle.

Mrs. Wade Moody and daughter, Marian, of Asheville, spent several days with Mrs. Moody's mother, Mrs. John Ramsey, at her home on Iotla street.

Joseph Fouts, who is working in Katonah, N. Y., came in to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Fouts, at their home on Iotla.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rockfield, of Alcoa, Tenn., were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Tompkins.

Mrs. Reba Tessier has returned to her home in East Franklin, after spending the week-end in Asheville with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Weimer Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. John Archer and two children left Thursday morning for New Smyrna, Fla., where Mrs. Archer and children will spend the remainder of the winter. Mr. Archer plans to return to Franklin within a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy L. Houk and son, Frederick Johnston Houk, returned to their home here Monday, after spending a couple of weeks in Tampa, Fla., with Mrs. Houk's mother, Mrs. F. S. Johnston, and other relatives in Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Porter and son, Charles, of Hendersonville, spent the latter part of the week with Mr. Porter's mother, Mrs. J. A. Porter at her home on West Main street and Mrs. C. C. Cunningham on Main street.

Mrs. J. Lamb Johnston, of Gainesville, Ga., is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Thomas J. Johnston, who is a patient in Angel hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Johnston returned to their home in Decatur, Ga., Monday after spending several days with Mr. Johnston's mother, Mrs. T. J. Johnston, who is quite ill at Angel hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Russell and son, Austin, of Aquone, were among the business visitors here Wednesday.

Mrs. R. M. Waldroop has returned to her home at Bryson City, after a visit here with her nephew, J. S. Conley and Mrs. Conley, at their home on Harrison avenue.

Fred Gray has returned to Clemson College in Clemson, S. C., after spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gray, at their home on Route 1.

Miss Eddis Holbrook, of Winston-Salem, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Holbrook, at their home at West's Mill. On her return she was accompanied by her sister, Miss Orpha Holbrook, who will enter Marshalls School of Beauty Culture.

Carl Tysinger, Jr., left Sunday for Lexington, where he will spend a week visiting his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Penn returned to their home on West Main street Monday, after spending several days in Key West and other cities in Florida. They were joined in Atlanta by their son, James E. Penn, who is a student at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, N. Y.

Sgt. and Mrs. K. R. Helton have returned to their home in Clemson, S. C., after a visit here with Mrs. Helton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Ledford, at their home on Iotla street.

**Births**

Mr. and Mrs. William Steel Smith, Jr., of Greensboro, announce the birth of a son, William Steel,

**SKEET CHAMP**



Phil Miller, French Lick Springs, Ind., skeet and trapshoot expert, is three-way national champ. He missed only 31 out of 3,050 targets in 1938 to win high average honors. He is also Class AA champ and head of the Class A dot-b'cs group.

III, at the Mission hospital in Asheville on Sunday morning, January 1. Mrs. Smith was the former Miss Georgianna Tessier, of Franklin.

A daughter, Patsy Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cantrell at their home at West's Mill, on Tuesday, December 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ellis announce the birth of a daughter, Carolyn Sue, at the home of Mrs. Ellis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sutton, on Franks street, Sunday morning.

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- 5¢ net per KWH for next 25 KWH per month**
- 3¢ net per KWH for next 60 KWH per month**
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