

Highlands Highlights

MRS. H. G. STORY

CHURCH NOTES

Highlands Presbyterian Church
 Rev. R. B. DuPree, Pastor
 10 a. m.—Church school.
 11 a. m.—Worship.
 7:30 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.

Highlands Methodist Church
 Rev. W. F. Beadle, Pastor
Highlands:
 10 a. m.—Church school.
 11 a. m.—Worship.

Clear Creek:
 3 p. m.—Worship.
Highlands:
 5 p. m.—Junior League.

Highlands Baptist Church
 Rev. J. G. Benfield, Pastor
 10 a. m.—Sunday school.
 11 a. m.—Sermon.
 6:45 p. m.—B. T. U.
 7:45 p. m.—Sermon.

Church of the Incarnation
 Rev. Frank Bloxham, Rector
 11 a. m.—Morning prayer and sermon.
 Thursday, March 16—Lenten service and study class at 3 p. m.

ANNUAL MEETING OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The annual meeting of the Highlands Chamber of Commerce will be held in the School Theatre on Thursday, March 16 at 7:30 p. m. Reports of the past year's work will be given and officers elected for the coming year. A full discussion of the work will take place and it is hoped that all interested citizens will make an effort to attend the meeting.

BOND ISSUE APPROVED BY COMMISSION

The bond issue for the improvement of the town's present water system, which carried practically a unanimous vote at the recent citizens' meeting, has received the approval of the local government commission at Raleigh on condition that the town find a purchaser for the bonds when issued. This the town has done and the money will be forthcoming as soon as the election is declared in favor of the bonds. This election will be called in the very near future, as soon as legal proceedings will permit.

MANY ATTEND ROGERS FUNERAL SERVICES

Among those from this section attending the funeral services for Tom Rogers in Dillard, Ga., on Friday, March 3, were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crunkleton, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crunkleton, Ralph Crunkleton, Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Rogers and family, Ed Rogers, T. M. Keener and Ed Vinson, of Highlands; Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Picklesimer, and Turley Picklesimer of Clear Creek; Mrs. Mary Zachary of Cashiers, and Ben and Dock Rogers of Buck Creek.

MRS. GILBERT ENTERTAINS WEDNESDAY CARD CLUB

Mrs. E. R. Gilbert was hostess to the Wednesday Afternoon Card club on March 1. In addition to the usual two tables was a third table of players composed of Miss Rebecca Nall, Mrs. Tudor Hall, Mrs. J. E. Root and her guest, Mrs. W. P. Bullock. Miss Nall was holder of high score and was awarded a pot of beautiful Chinese primroses. Mrs. J. E. Root was final winner of the traveling prize, another pot of the same lovely primroses. At the conclusion of the game each table was served with an attractive tray of mixed canapes.

P. T. A. TO ELECT OFFICERS AT NEXT MEETING

At the regular meeting of the Parent - Teacher Association on Tuesday, it was decided to hold the annual election of officers at the next meeting, on April 4, rather than the usual method of waiting till school opens in the fall. Mrs. W. F. Beadle, Miss Ethel Calloway and Mr. Hentz were appointed to act as a nominating committee. The excerpts read by Mr. Beadle from letters written to him by his brother in Rome, Italy, on present-day conditions were very interesting as well as instructive. Mrs. J. A. Hines and Mrs. W. H. Cobb volunteered as hostesses for the tea at the next meeting.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR CELEBRATES CLOSE OF CONTEST

Members of the Christian Endeavor celebrated the close of the February contest with a party at the manse on Monday evening, Sidney McCarty's side being the winners in the contest. Games were played and Mrs. DuPree took several pictures of the guests, who numbered approximately 25. The refreshments were a salad course and tea.

TEARLEY PICKLESIMER KILLS LARGE RATTLER

While cutting dogwood in Horse Cove recently, Tearley Picklesimer, of Clear Creek, killed a yellow rattle snake, on Rich Mountain, which measured three feet in length and sported six rattles and a button. The snake was ready to strike when discovered by Tearley.

Harry T. Hall, of Raleigh, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Meta Hall, and her family. Mrs. Hall's other guest is her sister, Mrs. E. A. Taylor, of Cullowhee, who expects to remain for several weeks.

Mrs. Harrison Talley has returned to her home in Clear Creek after an extended visit with her daughter in West Palm Beach, Fla. Mrs. Talley's son, Jack, will remain in West Palm Beach, where he was successful in finding work.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Root and Mrs. W. P. Bullock were week-end guests of Mrs. Root's sister, Mrs. M. C. Richardson, in Charlotte, who returned to Highlands with them for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mauney had as their week-end guests Mr. Mauney's father and mother of Murphy.

Mrs. Jack Wilcox has returned from Cincinnati. She was accompanied on the return trip by her sister, Mrs. Max Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Edwards have returned from a month's vacation in Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards visited St. Petersburg, Miami Beach, Daytona Beach, St. Augustine, and Jacksonville, returning by way of Savannah and Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Burt, Jr., spent two days in Asheville last week, where Mr. Burt attended the National Livestock and Meat Board demonstrations.

The friends of Mrs. Floyd Wiley are pleased to know that she is expected to return home from the Brevard hospital early next week.

Miss Margaret Moore, of Dillard, Ga., spent the week-end here with her aunt, Mrs. A. F. Knight and Mr. Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Anderson and family are prolonging their stay in Hollywood, Fla., and are not expected home for another three weeks.

A number of people from Charlotte enjoyed a house party the past week-end at the Highlands home of Mrs. Clark Howell.

Mrs. F. A. Edwards and her father, D. C. Picklesimer, have returned from Mars Hill where they visited Wilbur Picklesimer, at Mars Hill college, who is now convalescing from an attack of measles.

Miss Daisy Burt, of Sarasota, Fla., who has been the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Burt, Jr., has gone to Shreveport, La., where she has accepted a position in Charity hospital, as charity ward supervisor. Miss Burt graduated from the Tampa hospital in Tampa, Fla., in December, and expects to take a post-graduate course in X-ray and anaesthesia while keeping up with her duties in the hospital.

Mrs. Arthur J. Kelsey and her two children, Elizabeth and David, left Monday to join Mr. Kelsey in Columbus, Ohio, where they are to make their home. She was accompanied on the trip by Miss Jessie Keener, who expects to be with the Kelseys for some time and continue her high school work in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Stephens, of Atlanta, spent the week-end with Mrs. Stephen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Potts, at Fairview Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hall spent the past week-end in Savannah, Ga., going by way of Charleston and Aiken, S. C., Mr. and Mrs. Hall were away from Thursday till Sunday.

HUNGRY BARONET



When Andrew Ashton Waller Hill of London, five-year-old son of the late John Waller Hills, privy councillor, was informed that King George VI had conferred a baronetcy on him he thought it was something to eat. His father would have been honored by the king at New Year's ceremonies but for his death Christmas eve.

Ralph Reese has returned to school after an absence of several days due to an attack of influenza. Ralph is staying with Mrs. Mack Hopper while his mother is in Florida.

Those building new houses in the Clear Creek section are: Ed Chastain, Wiley McCall, John Wilson, Huber Wilson, and Mark Burrell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Davis and Mrs. W. R. Harper spent last Wednesday in Pendleton, S. C., the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hunter.

W. O. Flowers has returned from Durham where he and Mrs. Flowers were called last week because of the illness of his father, whose condition is improved. Mrs. Flowers will remain in Durham for several days.

SLIPPING

A lowering of the general level of local market prices for farm products by two points has been reported by the U. S. bureau of agricultural economics for the month ending February 15.

Farm Income Gains Under FSA Program

Macon county farmers under the rural rehabilitation program of the farm security administration increased their net worth \$425.16 per family during 1938, William G. Davis, FSA supervisor, said today.

Mr. Davis reported that 145 families comprising 726 individuals had increased their home use crops, livestock, poultry, dairy products, and canned goods about 9 per cent over 1937.

The average Macon county family co-operating with the FSA has 275 pounds of meat on hand while in the pantry will be found at least 275 quarts of canned goods to-

gether with 13 bushels of stored food.

Each family has an average of 1.48 cows. The average poultry flock is 46 per family.

FSA supervisors help the farmers plan their farming operations as well as extend needed credit. Living at home is stressed.

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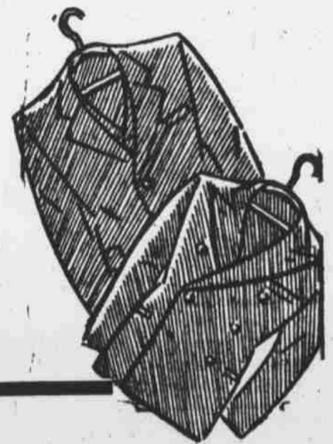


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