

Highlands Highlights

MRS. H. G. STORY

CHURCH NOTES

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

Church of the Incarnation
Rev. Frank Bloxham, Rector
4 p. m.—Evening prayer and sermon.

Highlands Presbyterian Church
Rev. R. B. DuPree, Pastor
10:15 a. m.—Church school.
11 a. m.—Worship.
7:30 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.

Highlands Methodist Church
Rev. J. S. Higgins, Pastor
Highlands:
10 a. m.—Church school.
11 a. m.—Worship.

Clear Creek:
3 p. m.—Worship.

Highlands:
7:30 p. m.—Worship.

WEATHER NOTES

The long dry spell was broken on Sunday by a gentle rain which has continued through Monday and Tuesday, accompanied by chilly, cloudy weather. This was the first precipitation for November, with the exception of a snow flurry on the night of November 3. October was extremely dry with a rainfall of .30, six inches below normal. The rainfall for September was also below normal, and consequently the water supply of Highlands and the vicinity has been failing steadily for some weeks. Vegetation has been suffering and there has been much danger of forest fires. It is safe to say that the rain was welcomed by all.

Unusually delightful weather has prevailed throughout the fall with many bright, bracing days and no unseasonable low temperatures. The month of September was mild with a number of days of summer heat. A maximum temperature of 90 degrees was recorded on September 9 at the U. S. weather station located three miles south of Highlands, where owing to the lower altitude and southern exposure the temperature is approximately four degrees higher than that of Highlands. There were some exceptionally warm days in October, as well, with the temperature rising to 86 degrees on the 7th and 9th, 85 degrees on the

8th and 93 degrees on October 24. Interspersed with the mild weather were several periods of cooler weather with frosty mornings. The minimum temperature recorded at the weather station during October was 28 degrees on the 10th, while the lowest temperature of November to date was 20 degrees on the 6th. As low as 20 degrees has been reported in the higher altitude of Highlands during the fall.

The rainy weather will probably be followed by a drop in temperature along with clearing skies. We may still expect some "calm, mild days" between now and Christmas, but the beautiful autumn weather has drawn to a close, and winter is just around the corner.

SAMUEL NESBITT EVINS DIES IN ATLANTA

Samuel Nesbitt Evins, prominent attorney and civic leader of Atlanta, died in a private hospital in that city last Monday morning after a week's illness. Mr. Evins had owned a summer home in Highlands for more than 15 years. He was an ardent believer in the future of the town, and a promoter of all things pertaining to its advancement. The people here feel a distinct loss in his passing.

RED CROSS DRIVE SHOWS GREAT PROGRESS

The first week of the Red Cross membership drive shows the following enrollment:

Miss M. A. Ravenel, membership and donation \$15; Miss Clara Ravenel, membership and donation \$15; Miss Lilla Nourse and Miss Mary Hanckle, membership and donation \$5; H. M. Bascom, Mrs. H. M. Bascom, P. T. Farnsworth; J. E. Potts, Mrs. J. E. Potts; F. H. Potts, Mrs. F. H. Potts; A. B. Potts; W. R. Potts; Steve Potts; Rev. R. B. DuPree; O. F. Sumner; F. C. Hentz; Miss Veva Howard; Miss Nina Howard; Miss Cynthia Moretz; Miss Whiteside; Mrs. M. A. Pierson; Miss Ethel Calloway; Miss Lois Keener; Miss Maurine Davis; Miss Mattie Wilkes; S. P. Pierson; Miss Albertina Staub; Miss Ruth Carter; Miss Rebecca Nall; Miss Gertrude Harbison; Tudor N. Hall; Mrs. Tudor N. Hall; Mrs. G. D. Edwards; Colonel J. S. Sewell; Mrs. J. S. Sewell; Mrs. Carl H. Zoell-

ner; Talley & Burnette; C. C. Potts; Richard C. Holt; Dr. Jessie Z. Moreland; A. R. Moreland; Mrs. J. G. Benfield; Helen's Barn; Mrs. A. C. Holt; Mrs. J. E. Root; J. E. Root; Miss Sara Gilder; J. C. Mell; W. H. Cobb; Mrs. W. H. Cobb; Doyle Burgess; C. J. Anderson; Mrs. C. J. Anderson; Mrs. O. F. Sumner; W. W. Edwards; Mrs. W. W. Edwards; F. B. Cook; Miss M. D. Warren; Miss Maud Crain; W. S. Davis; Mrs. W. S. Davis; Mrs. Guy Paul; Clarence Mitchell.

EDWARDS-GREEN

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Edwards of Highlands announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Margie Nell Edwards, to Lamar Green of Clayton, Ga. The ceremony was performed in the home of the groom's friend, Judge Candler, in Blairsville, Ga., at high noon Sunday, November 19. Only members of Judge Candler's immediate family attended the wedding.

Following the impressive ceremony, the bride and groom were entertained with a lovely wedding dinner given in their honor by Judge and Mrs. Candler.

The bride was attired in a dress of black crepe with red fox collar, and matching black and gold accessories. After finishing school in Brevard and Knoxville, Tenn., Mrs. Green was employed in the business world until she returned to help her parents on the Edwards farm in Horse Cove two miles from Highlands.

Mr. Green is the son of the late Dr. and Mrs. J. Green of Clayton, and is at present holding a prominent position with the state.

The couple left for a short wedding trip to Chattanooga, Tenn. After their return they will be at home to their friends in Clayton.

ZACHARY-WILSON

A recently announced marriage is that of Miss Mildred Zachary and Curt Wilson, which took place in Clayton, Ga., on Easter Sunday, April 9. Mrs. Wilson is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Zachary of Shortoff and granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Aylor C. Chastain of Highlands. She was graduated from Highlands high school in 1938, ranking third in her class.

Mr. Wilson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wilson, and is now employed by the Town of Highlands as water and light superintendent.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson are occupying the Jeter Buchanan cottage in the Indian Hills subdivision on the Walhalla Road, and have the good wishes of their many friends.

LIBRARY DISPLAYS NEW BOOKS FOR CHILDREN

In observance of National Book Week the library featured an attractive display of new books for children last Saturday. The new books are: Bozo the Woodchuck, Brown and Butterfield; The Wizard of Oz, L. Frank Baum; Understood Betsy, Dorothy Canfield; Colonial Twins of Virginia, Lucy Fitch Perkins; Killa of Ingleside, L. M. Montgomery; Tangle Garden, Elizabeth Janet Gray; Lone Bull's Mistake, James Schultz; Smoky the Cowhorse, Will James.

MANY NEW RESIDENCES UNDER CONSTRUCTION

A number of residences are under construction here, and quite a few smaller cottages and additions to residences are being built. Among them an addition to the Frank E. Jennings house on Satulah Mountain, by Jack M. Hall; a double apartment by Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Marett on Church street, this work being done by the Messrs. John and Gus Baty, and an attractive guest cottage just completed by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Root. The Boy Scout cabin on Main street has also been completed, including a stone chimney and fireplace, and the boys are holding their meetings in the new quarters.

CARD CLUB ENTERTAINED BY MRS. E. R. GILBERT

Mrs. E. R. Gilbert entertained the Wednesday Card Club last week. Ivy and other evergreens were used as artistic decorations. The three tables of players enjoyed a delightful game, and Mrs. J. C. Blanchard won high score prize. Mrs. C. C. Potts was final winner of the traveling prize. The Thanksgiving idea was carried out in the dainty score cards, and miniature turkeys were used as favors. Tea was enjoyed after the game with Mrs. Tudor Hall and Mrs. Wilton Cobb assisting the hostess in serving.

METHODIST W. S. C. S. MEETS WITH MRS. GOTTWALS

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met in a called session last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Z. Gottwals and elected the following officers: president, Miss Susan Rice; vice-president, Mrs. F. H. Potts; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. George W. Shep-

pard, and corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. A. Bryson. Other appointive offices in this Society are yet to be filled.

NEIGHBORS HELP TO REBUILD CALLOWAY HOME

The commendable community spirit that usually manifests itself when the need arises was again evidenced here last week when 11 men gathered at the former home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Calloway in the Shortoff section on Thursday and eight men on Friday to help rebuild their home that was recently destroyed by fire. After two days of splendid work by these men, the building was far enough advanced so that it could be finished in a very short while. A bountiful dinner was served to the workmen by the Calloways on each of the two days.

W. S. DAVIS HOST AT 'POSSUM DINNER'

Former Mayor W. S. Davis was host at a delicious "possum dinner" with all the trimmings, last Friday evening. Those enjoying the Davis hospitality were Rev. J. G. Benfield, Rev. J. S. Higgins, Thad D. Smith, S. T. Marett, G. W. Marett, Charles J. Anderson and W. H. Cobb.

Mrs. Davis was assisted in serving the dinner by Mrs. J. G. Benfield and Mrs. J. W. Reese, Jr.

LARZALERE-WHITTLE

The November 11th issue of The Jacksonville-Times Union carried a lengthy account of the marriage of Miss Helen Larzalere and Reed Whittle at the Riverside Presbyterian church in Jacksonville on November 10. This wedding is of particular interest to a number of Highlands people, since Reed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Whittle, of Sarasota, Fla., have been property owners and summer residents here for the past 15 years, and Reed himself a very popular member of the summer younger set. The following is a condensed account of the wedding:

The church was illuminated with a pyramid of lighted tapers. The chancel and altar were banked with tropical plants and shaggy white chrysanthemums, forming a garden scene, with bouquets of chrysanthemums and ferns designating the pews for the families of the couple. The approach of the bridal party was heralded with the "Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin", play-

ed by Dr. Ben J. Potter, organist of the church. The "Wedding March" from "Midsummer Night's Dream" was used as the recessional. The bride was given in marriage by her father, L. J. Larzalere, and was attended by her sister, Mrs. George W. Thorpe of Miami, as matron of honor, and three bridesmaids, Elmer Whittle acted as best man for his son.

The bridal attendants were gowned alike in Lelong models of Infanta purple faille taffeta, with wide panels of antique rose extending from the low heart-shaped necklines to the hems of the skirts, the waistlines encircled by sashes that tied in the back. They carried informal round bouquets of shaded orchid chrysanthemums with leatherleaf fern foliage.

The beautiful bride wore an Aliz model of blush candlelight satin fashioned on empire lines, with tiny white beads and seed pearls intricately worked into a floral design outlining the neck and high waistline. The veil which extended beyond the train of the gown was caught with a halo of orange blossoms from which fell petals of illusion cascading from fingertip to hip length. She carried a cluster of old-fashioned nosegays composed of white carnations, sweetheart roses and purple violets.

The bride's mother wore a Chanel formal model of autumn brown net, embroidered with gold threads. Her corsage was of talisman roses and cuphorbia. The mother of the bridegroom chose a becoming gown of printed chiffon over black with a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Following a reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Whittle left for a wedding trip to Cuba and Mexico. They will reside in Sarasota after December 15.

The bride is a graduate of Duke University, and the Simmon's College School of Social Work in Boston, Mass., where she received her B. S. degree. Mr. Whittle attended the Marion Military Institute for his undergraduate work, and received a B. A. degree from the University of Florida in 1936.

Mrs. R. B. DuPree and small son, Bobby, are visiting the former's sister in Charlotte. From there they go for a visit with Mrs. DuPree's mother in Ellenboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Bliss returned to their home in Washington, D. C., last week. Mr. and

Mrs. Bliss expect to be in Highlands again in December en route to Winter Park, Fla., where they are planning to spend the Christmas holidays.

Friends of Colonel John Stephen Sewell have been delighted to see him out riding on several occasions during the unusually nice weather the past couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Edwards and Frank B. Cook spent last Wednesday in Columbia, S. C., going down on business.

Miss Rebecca Nall left Sunday for a visit with her nephew, Dr. T. N. E. Greville and Mrs. Greville, in Ann Arbor, Mich. Miss Nall expects to return to Highlands in December to spend the Christmas holidays here.

After a few days' visit last week with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney McCarty, Jr., Mrs. S. L. McCarty has returned to Florence, S. C., where she was called recently from her Florida home because of the death of her brother in that city.

Mrs. Annie Westbrook held a very successful opening class in Current Events at the Library Annex last Friday. These classes are to be held each Friday at 2 o'clock and the younger people—boys and girls—who are interested, as well as the older people are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. J. W. Reese and two children, Lewis and Martha, are spending this week with Mrs. Reese's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moore, in Franklin and her sister, Mrs. F. F. Merrill, in Bryson City.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Davis were Mrs. B. F. Brown, Decatur, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kagsdale, College Park, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bolton and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bolton, of Commerce, Ga. Rev. J. S. Higgins and district Superintendent, W. L. Hutchins were also week-end guests of the Davises.

Mrs. Martha Gottwals, Miss Susan Rice, Mack D. Edwards and W. S. Davis attended the first quarterly conference of the Methodist church in Cashiers last Saturday.

Mrs. Ed F. Edwards and her daughter, Miss Lucille Edwards, of Douglas, Wyo., arrived last week for an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Edwards in Horse Cove and with other relatives here.

Friends of Mrs. Lawrence Hicks will regret to learn that she is in a hospital at Winston-Salem.

DIXIE STORE

- Cranberry Sauce Two Cans 25c
- Swansdown Cake Flour 25c
- Sauer's Assorted Spices, 3 for 25c
- Pet Milk 3 Large or 6 Small 20c
- Duke's Mayonnaise Qt. 39c
- Two-Pound Can Cocoa 17c
- Sugar 10 lbs. 55c
- 25 lbs. \$1.37
- Fancy Blue Rose Rice, 6 pounds 25c
- Raisins, 3 1-lb. pkgs. 25c
- Cranberries, lb. 15c Celery, 2 for 15c
- Cocoanuts, each 5c
- Baby Emerald Walnuts, lb. 17c
- Brazil Nuts, lb. 15c
- Papershell Pecans, lb. 20c

- Pork Chops, lb. 21c
- Breakfast Bacon, lb. 21c
- Round Steak, lb. 25c
- Oysters, qt. 45c
- FRESH FISH



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