

# SOCIAL ACTIVITIES and COMINGS AND GOINGS

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### MACON U. D. C. MEETS

The Macon County Chapter of the United Daughters of Confederacy met on Monday afternoon at the Moody farm with Mrs. C. F. Moody as hostess.

Mrs. Herbert E. Church, president, presided, and following the reports from the different communities, appointed Mrs. E. L. Veasey, Miss Elizabeth Slagle and Mrs. Lester S. Conley to assist in selling tickets to the De Soto pageant. The pageant is to be presented in the Macon Theatre on Wednesday, June 20.

The names of Miss Myrtle Bolick, of Franklin and Mrs. Frank Faye, of Bryson City, were presented to the chapter for membership. Also the name of Mrs. John Orr, of Bryson City to be transferred to the Macon County Chapter. These were unanimously accepted.

A very interesting article was read by Mrs. E. L. Veasey on the "Birthdays of Jefferson Davis."

The next meeting is expected to be held with Miss Nora Leach in July.

The hostess served a sweet course at the conclusion of the meeting.

### ELIZABETH ROCHESTER IS BRIDE OF LOUIE GOSS

The Franklin Baptist church was a lovely setting on last Saturday afternoon for the marriage of Miss Margie Elizabeth Rochester, of Franklin, to Louie J. Goss, of Atlanta, Ga., and Asheville. The Rev. J. A. Flanagan, pastor of the Franklin Presbyterian church, officiated, in the absence of the bride's pastor, the Rev. C. F. Rogers, using the ever impressive ring ceremony.

The improvised altar was banked with blooming ivy and pine boughs, interspersed with candelabra holding white tapers. White floor baskets, and vases of larkspur, sweet peas and roses enhanced the beauty of the setting.

Mrs. H. T. Horsley, church organist, presented a program of nuptial music, including "I Love You Truly" and "O Promise Me", sung by Miss Dorothy Sloan. "To a Wild Rose" was softly played during the taking of the vows.

Ushers for the occasion were Lyman Higdon, Jr., and Bobby Porter.

The bride, who entered with the bridegroom, wore a lace dress of blue heaven, with a large picture hat of white straw and matching accessories. Her shoulder corsage was pink rose buds and baby's breath.

The bride's mother wore a Copenhagen blue crepe dress, with a large leghorn hat trimmed in pink and blue gro-grain ribbon. Her corsage was of talisman roses and baby's breath.

Mrs. Goss, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Dewey Rochester, is a graduate of the Franklin high school, class of 1939, and attended Cecil's Business college in Asheville.

Mr. Goss is the son of Mrs. Lula Goss and the late Robert J. Goss, of Atlanta. He is a graduate of Tech high school in Atlanta and of Rhinehart college, in Waleska, Ga. He is now employed as manager of the Linen Supply company in Asheville.

Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Goss left on a short wedding trip to Atlanta and other points in Georgia. Upon their return they will reside in Asheville.

The bride chose a two-piece suit of black with white accessories for traveling.

### F. S. JOHNSTON BIBLE CLASS MEETS JUNE 27

The F. S. Johnston Bible Class of the Franklin Methodist church will hold its regular monthly business and social meeting on Thursday afternoon, June 27, at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. B. McCollum on Palmer street.

Assisting in entertaining will be Mrs. Henry W. Cabe and Mrs. Gordon Moore. All members are asked to be present.

### DEATH OF CLOER INFANT

Betty-Ann Cloer, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cloer, of Franklin Route 1, on Wayah road, departed this life on Monday, June 17. This little one was born on June 2, being only 15 days old.

Funeral services were conducted at Patton's Methodist church, by Rev. J. C. Swain, pastor. Aunts of the baby were the flower girls and uncles acted as pall bearers.

### SURPRISE SHOWER FOR MRS. BILL BRYSON

The Young Women's Auxiliary of the Franklin Baptist church entertained with a miscellaneous surprise shower for Mrs. Bill Bryson Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. C. F. Rogers. Miss Arietta Bolick was co-hostess.

At the conclusion of the regular program and business session, a large empty basket with a string attached was brought in and given to the honoree. On the basket was a note directing her to follow the string, which led through the living room, down the hall, into a candle-light room where numerous lovely gifts had been placed. Each gift also contained a favorite recipe for the donor.

After opening the gifts, Mrs. Bryson was presented a corsage of mixed early summer flowers tied with a white satin ribbon, then led into the dining room. In the center of the lace-covered table was a large white cake topped with a miniature bride and surrounded by four long white tapers.

In the cake was a ring for the next person to be married, a thimble for the old maid and a dime for luck. After the cake was cut and delicious punch served, the guests were entertained by Mrs. K. R. Helton of Clemson, S. C., at the piano.

H. H. Plemmons attended the Plemmons family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Astor Plemmons in Sylva Sunday.

George E. West, of Washington, D. C., is spending several days in Franklin with his brother, Charlie C. West.

Mrs. J. H. Ramsey and granddaughter, Jean Drye, of Nashville, Tenn., arrived Saturday for a visit to Mrs. Ramey's daughter Mrs. Herbert E. Church and Mr. Church, in the Orlando apartments.

Benny Leichenstein, of Asheville, came over Saturday to attend the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Rochester to Louie J. Goss.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Straine and family of Sacramento, Calif., came in last week for a visit with Mr. Straine's father, Monroe Straine and Mrs. Straine at their home at Gneiss and Mrs. Straine's father, W. L. Higdon in Asheville and relatives in Macon county. Mrs. Straine was the former Miss Maude Higdon, of Higdonville.

Miss Lane Porter returned Saturday from a visit to her brother, James Porter and Mrs. Porter, in Dayton Ohio. She was accompanied by Mrs. Katherine Porter Allen of Dayton, who spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Porter, at their home, "The Porter."

Mrs. Wesley Smith, of Haynes City, Fla., is spending several days with Mrs. R. M. Waldrup and Mrs. Emma Huskin on Harrison avenue.

Mrs. Frank Gougler, of Akron, Ohio, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Savannah, Ga., is expected to arrive in Franklin for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Palmer and Mr. Palmer.

Miss Fannie Mae Sherrell left last week for Athens, Ga., to complete her business course at the Athens Business college.

Miss Lynette Martin, of Asheville, came in Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Martin, at their home on Oak Grove.

Miss Ethel Daugherty, of Greensboro is spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. R. R. Porter and Mr. Porter.

Miss Julia Lakey, who is making her home in Waynesville, is spending several days with her mother, Mrs. W. J. Lakey, at her home in the Etna community.

Mrs. Charles Bradley and Mrs. Frank I. Murray went to Waynesville Saturday to see Mrs. Grace Scroggs who is a patient in the Waynesville community hospital. Mrs. Scroggs was the former Miss Grace Bryson, of West's Mill.

Mrs. Troy Potts has gone to Waynesville to nurse in the Waynesville Community hospital.

The Rev. R. P. McCracken, of Crabtree, Haywood county, was

here Saturday to visit his cousin, Mrs. Lura McCracken who is a patient at Angel clinic.

Willard Pendergrass left last week for Raleigh, where he will attend North Carolina State college.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Dunbar and daughter, Peggy, have returned from Bellaire, L. I., where they spent several days with Mrs. Dunbar's brother, D. N. Blaine and Mrs. Blaine. Mr. Dunbar also attended a class reunion at Union college in Schenectady, N. Y.

Mrs. J. B. Justice and son, Butler, spent Sunday with Mrs. Justice's sister, Mrs. James M. Morrison, at her home on Oak Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Brown, Jr., of Summerville, Ga., spent the week-end here with their mothers, Mrs. C. S. Brown, Sr., and Mrs. H. O. Cozad.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene C. Bullock and young daughter, Margaret, of Hamlet, are visiting Mrs. Bullock's mother, Mrs. W. B. McGuire. Mrs. Bullock will remain several weeks and Mr. Bullock will return in a few days.

Miss Marie Gougler, of Akron, Ohio, is spending several days visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Palmer and Mr. Palmer, at their home in Franklin township.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Watkins and young son, have returned to their home in Albany, Ga., after spending a week with their aunt, Mrs. H. O. Cozad.

Mrs. Eva Mumpower, of Asheville, spent the week-end with her brother, Charlie C. West.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Howard have moved in Dr. Rogers' apartment.

Mrs. D. S. Richardson and daughter, Miss Vivian Richardson, of Rutherford College, are spending several days here with their daughters and sisters, Mrs. Cecil L. Pendergrass and Mrs. Henry W. Cabe.

### Plemmons Leaves Board Of Health For New Job

H. H. Plemmons who has been connected with the state board of health as sanitary engineer for Macon and Swain counties for the past several years has resigned to accept a position in the engineering department of Nantahala Power and Light company on the construction of Glenville and Nantahala dams.

### Auxiliary Honors Gold Star Mothers

On Monday evening, June 24, at 7:30 o'clock the American Legion Auxiliary will hold their regular meeting. The program has been planned to honor the Gold Star Mothers of Macon county.

### James E. Penn Receives Degree

James E. Penn, of Franklin, N. C., today received the degree of bachelor of architecture at the annual commencement exercises at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, N. Y.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Penn, of Franklin, and a graduate of Staunton Military Academy, Staunton, Va.

At the Institute Penn held the office of corresponding secretary of Rensselaer Society of Engineers, and was a member of the Glee club.

### United States Civil Service Examinations

The United States Civil Service Commission invites attention to the demand for qualified applicants for the positions listed below.

Applications for the following positions may be filed with the Recorder, Labor Board, Norfolk Navy Yard, Portsmouth, Va., until further notice: Applications will be rated as received according to the needs of the service. Coppersmith, \$7,872, \$8,352, \$8,832 a day; driller pneumatic, \$5.70, \$6.24, \$6.72 a day; ironworker, \$7,392, \$7,872, \$8,352 a day; loftsmen, \$7,808, \$8,448, \$8,928 a day; shipfitter, \$7,392, \$7,872, \$8,352 a day; shipwright, \$7,488, \$7,968, \$8,448 a day; welder electric (specially skilled), \$7,296, \$7,766, \$8,256 a day.

Applications for the following positions may be filed with the Recorder, Labor Board, United States Navy Yard, Washington, D. C., until further notice. Applications will be rated as received according to the needs of the service. Machinist, \$7,488, \$7,968, \$8,448 a day; precision lens, prism and test plate maker, \$7,872, \$8,352, \$8,832 a day. A helper, machinist examination is also open for the Washington, D. C. Navy Yard. The salary for the position is \$4,512, \$4,992 and \$5,472 a day. Applications may be filed with the Recorder of the Labor Board until the close of business on July 9, 1940.

Persons experienced in these positions are urged to file applications. Competitors in any of these examinations will not be required to report for a written test but will be rated on their training and experience as described in their applications and corroborated by the references given therein. Full information and appropriate application blank may be obtained from the Secretary, United States Civil Service Board, at the local post office.

A carpenter bee, when boring through wood, detours around nails before it actually reaches them.

### Sunday School Convention

The Macon county Baptist Sunday School convention will be held at Coweeta Baptist church this Sunday afternoon, June 23, Paul Swafford, county president, announced here yesterday. The Coweeta church is seven miles south of Franklin off the Georgia road.

Beginning at 2:30 p.m., the program will open with a devotional led by Miss Areta Bolick of Franklin. Reports from the various Sunday schools in the county will follow.

"Daily Vacation Bible School" will be demonstrated by members of the Coweeta Sunday school.

Miss Hare of Raleigh will make the principal address of the afternoon. She is spending from two to six weeks in Macon county, guiding the work in the various Daily Vacation Bible schools over the county.

The public is cordially invited to attend and all churches are urged to send a large representation.

### Annual W. M. U. Meeting At Iotla Next Thursday

The annual associational meeting of the Macon county Woman's Missionary Union will be held at the Iotla Baptist church on Thursday, June 27.

Mrs. W. H. Briggs of Raleigh, W. M. U. executive secretary, will be the principal speaker of the day. Members of the various churches composing the Union will take part in the program.

A picnic lunch will be served on the grounds. Every member is cordially urged to be present and bring a friend.

### Iotla

Revival service which has been carried on for the past two weeks will continue through Sunday. Much interest is being shown.

Mrs. Clara Roper, who has been ill for the past few months is improving now.

Miss Edith Rice, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Murphy is expected to return home soon.

Drew Willis, who has been visiting relatives in Franklin, returned to his home in Winston-Salem Sunday.

Misses Allie and Delma Edwards spent a part of last week with friends and relatives in Atlanta.

Italy's entrance into the war endangers not only an important market for U. S. farm products but the source of many farm specialties for which there has always been a good market here.

### Births

Mr. and Mrs. William Lyle Bradley announce the birth of a son, at their home on Oak Grove, on Monday, June 10.

A daughter, Edna Lee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill McConnell, on Sunday, June 9, at their home in the Franklin township.

Charles Eugene, a son, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Preofeau Shope, at their home in the Prentiss community, on Saturday, June 8.

On Saturday, June 8, a daughter, Betty Lou, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gowart, at their home at Prentiss.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Carpenter announce the birth of a son, James William, on Tuesday, June 4, at their home in the Prentiss community.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Swain announce the birth of a daughter, Betty Jane, born June 15, at their home, Franklin Route 2.

### SINGING CONVENTION AT FLATS BAPTIST CHURCH

The southern division of the Macon county singing convention will meet at the Flats Baptist church Sunday, June 23, 1940, at 1:30 p. m. All singers are invited to attend by O. C. Corbin, president.

### LIGHT

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### Flag Raising Celebrated By Country Club Sunday

In keeping with the spirit of Flag day, a flag raising was celebrated last Sunday afternoon at the Country Club under the direction of Major and Mrs. Carnack. The ceremony was postponed until Sunday in order that more people might have the opportunity of attending.

Reverend J. A. Flanagan, pastor of the Presbyterian church, made a short patriotic address, after which Old Glory was hoisted to the top of the pole by Sallie Lou Moore of the Girl Scouts, and Vic Perry of the Boy Scouts. The ceremony was completed with the salute to the flag.

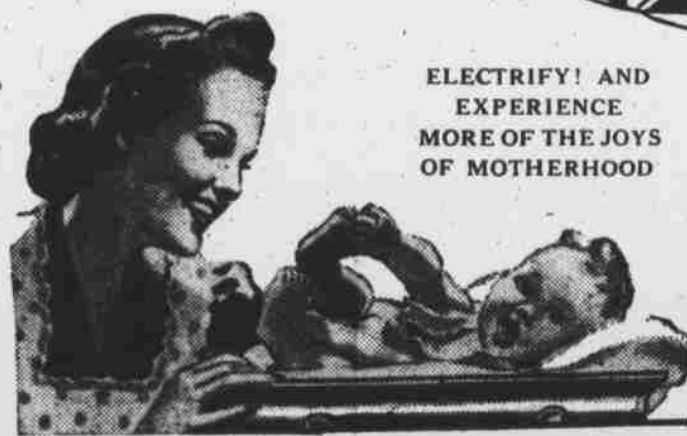
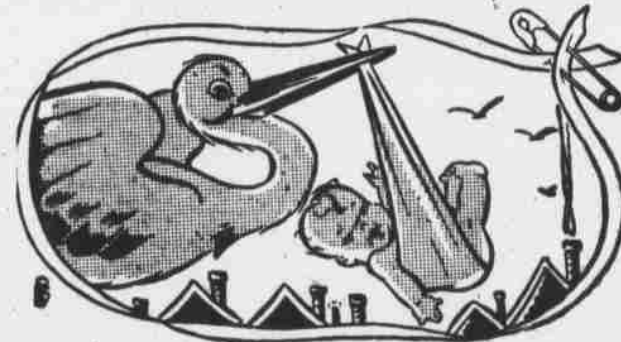
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