

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.

Highlands Presbyterian Church
 Rev. H. T. Bridgman, Minister
 10 a. m.—Sunday school and Bible classes.
 11 a. m.—Morning worship and sermon.
 3 p. m.—Sunday school, Shortoff.
 7 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.
 4 p. m.—Wednesday, Junior Christian Endeavor at the Manse.
 7:30 p. m.—Wednesday prayer meeting.

Highlands Methodist Church
 Rev. J. S. Higgins, Pastor
 (No service.)

Church of the Incarnation
 Rev. A. Rufus Morgan, Rector
 10 a. m.—Church school.
 11 a. m.—Morning prayer and sermon.

HIGHLANDS COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE

Highlands again has a large Christmas tree with vari-colored lights, at the intersection of Main and Fourth streets. A lovely outside Christmas tree decorates the lawn in front of the school theatre, and all the business houses have gayly decorated windows, with small brightly lighted trees in many of them. The stores displaying window trees are Talley & Burnette, Cash Grocery Store, Potts Brothers, the Frances Shop, and Highlands Drug Store.

BAPTIST BRING CHRISTMAS GIFTS

An innovation in the way of Christmas giving was put into effect by the Rev. J. G. Benfield, pastor of Highlands Baptist church, at the annual Christmas tree Friday night when all members of the Sunday School were asked to bring a Christmas gift to the Lord in addition to their usual exchange of gifts. The response was very gratifying, and this silver offering will be used

for general missionary work.

The program put on by the Sunday School was one of the most impressive in many years. The prelude, "Silent Night," with chimes, was played by Mrs. O. F. Summer. Two poems, "World Hope" and "Why Do Bells For Christmas Ring" were recited by Mary Gibson and Mattie Potts. The Christmas story was told by Mr. Benefield, and "Away In A Manger" was sung by the primary department. Guy Paul and Marie Neely sang a duet, "The Infant Light." "A Christmas Carol" was sung as duet by Lois Potts and Joan Hicks. The choir sang a number of beautiful Christmas hymns, and the congregation joined in singing "Joy To The World." Mary and Joseph were portrayed by Barbara Zoellner and Harold Rogers.

CHILDREN'S STORY HOUR AT LIBRARY SATURDAY

The Christmas tree and story hour, sponsored by Mrs. Arthur L. Bliss, in the children's room at the library on Saturday afternoon was attended by approximately twenty children. Miss Sarah Thompson, fourth grade teacher at Highlands school, had charge of the story hour, and the children were delighted with her original story "Bobby and Betty Visit Santa Claus Land." The second story told by Miss Thompson was "Little Jack's Christmas." After the stories the children sang, Jingle Bells, Jolly Old St. Nicholas, and a verse of Silent Night, Holy Night. Eleanor Bridgman and Marna Cobb sang "Jesus Loves Me" in Chinese. An abundance of popcorn, cookies, oranges and candy for the children, was daintily arranged on a table decorated with holly.

Assisting Mrs. Bliss with the party were Mrs. Frank H. Potts, Miss Nancy Potts and the Misses Gertrude and Dorothea Harbison.

MARETT'S 56th ANNIVERSARY ANNOUNCED OVER RADIO

A radio announcement of the fifty-sixth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Marett, former Atlantians, was made over WSB on the morning of December 17th. Mr. and Mrs. Marett celebrated the occasion very quietly at their home here, receiving congratulations and calls from many of their friends.

Mrs. Marett is the former Miss Leila Lewis, of Calhoun, Ga. She and Mr. Marett were married at the home of her parents at Calhoun in 1885. Mr. Marett was in business in Atlanta for a great many years. They came to Highlands in 1923, and for a number of years Mr. Marett was connected with the bank before going into his present real estate and insurance business.

Mr. and Mrs. Marett spent the day following their anniversary visiting scenes of Mr. Marett's childhood in and around Westminster, S. C. They have the good wishes of their friends here and elsewhere for many more happy anniversaries.

MRS. GILBERT HOSTESS TO CARD CLUB

Mrs. E. R. Gilbert was hostess to the Wednesday Card Club last week at dessert bridge with four tables in play. Guest players were Dr. Jessie Z. Moreland and Miss Rebecca Nall. The living room was gay with red and green Christmas decorations and a manger scene centered the mantel-piece.

Miss Sara Gilder won high score club prize and Mrs. John C. Blanchard was final winner of the traveling prize. Miss Nall won high score guest prize.

The hostess was assisted in serving dessert by Mrs. Tudor Hall, Mrs. Jack Hall and Mrs. Thomas Harbison.

ANGELA AND MARY D. ANDERSON'S BIRTHDAYS CELEBRATED

Mrs. Charles J. Anderson entertained on Friday afternoon at a joint birthday party for two of her daughters, Angela, who celebrated her fourteenth birthday anniversary on that day, and Mary Deas, whose tenth birthday came on the following day.

A Christmas color scheme of red and green was carried out in the decoration. The table was centered with a lighted Christmas tree, around which were placed smaller Christmas trees, Santas, sleighs and reindeer. A birthday cake for each of the honorees was placed at the ends of the table.

In the treasure hunt, Tudor Hall won the prize. Other games and prize winners were, ball and ring game, Stewart Bridgman; Santa Claus game, Eileen Waller; Scrambled word contest, Eleanor Bridgman. Sarah Hall won the prize in the hunt for articles in plain view. Ice cream, candy and mints were served. Mrs. Anderson was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. O. F. Summer, Mrs. Doyle Burgess and Mrs. W. S. Davis.

Included in Angela's and Mary Deas' party guest list were their two sisters, Anne and Jane Anderson, Albert, Eleanor, Jack, David and Stewart Bridgman; Sarah, Isabel and Tudor Hall; Peggy Potts, Mary Bascom Cook, Marna Cobb, Patsy Hays, Eileen Waller, Barbara Zoellner, Nancy Potts, Mary Summer, Kathleen Potts, Kathleen Crisp, Louise Crisp, Dora Hedden, and Margaret McDowell.

CAZIARCS ENTERTAIN AT TEA SUNDAY

Col. and Mrs. Elliot Caziarc were hosts at an informal tea Sunday afternoon at their home on Chestnut Street. Guests enjoying the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. John C. Blanchard, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Marett, Rev. and Mrs. H. T. Bridgman, Mrs. J. A. Hines, Mrs. E. R. Gilbert and Mrs. H. G. Story. The home was lovely with Christmas decorations and candlelight.

NATIVITY PLAY EXCELLENT PERFORMANCE

An excellent performance was given by the Highlands high school dramatic club and the glee club in their presentation of the Nativity play, Venite Adoremus, at the school theatre before a large audience on December 17. The stage cast included approximately twenty players. The announcements were made by Nancy Potts and the prelude given by Martha Richardson. The musical program began with a piano duet, "The Arrival of Santa Claus," played by Barbara Zoellner and Marie Neely. Mrs. Abbott, director of the glee club, was pianist for the remainder of the evening. "O, Come All Ye Faithful," was sung by the vested choir

who carried lighted candles, as they marched single file down the two theatre aisles to their places at the right and left of the piano. The glee club also sang "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," "O, Little Town of Bethlehem," and "Silent Night, Holy Night." The glee club boys' quartet sang "We Three Kings of the Orient Are." A chorus of Children from the second grade very sweetly sang "Away In A Manger."

The school is to be congratulated on the success of such a long play, and much praise is due the singers, the players and the two directors, Mrs. Doris Abbott and Mrs. O. A. Reschke for the splendid manner in which the program was carried to the impressive climax in the manger scene, with Marie Neely and Malcolm Zoellner as Mary and Joseph.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dana Clarkson of Homosassa Springs, Fla., and Highlands, N. C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Jolliffe Clarkson, to Mr. George Anderson Mitchell of Chattanooga, Tenn. The wedding formerly planned to take place at Highlands, will be solemnized in the Episcopal church at Vero Beach, Fla., December 27th, at four o'clock in the afternoon.

MRS. B. H. NEELY ELECTED PRESIDENT W. M. U.

Mrs. B. H. Neely was elected president of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Baptist church at the December meeting held at the church on Wednesday, the 17th. Other officers elected at this meeting are, first vice president, Mrs. Floyd Rogers; second vice president and program chairman, Mrs. Marvin Baty; third vice president and young people's director, Mrs. O. F. Summer; recording secretary, Mrs. Doyle Burgess; treasurer, Mrs. Lawrence Hicks; Mission Study

chairman, Mrs. Guy Paul; program service chairman, Mrs. Zoellner.

The new officers will be installed at the January meeting, which will be held at the home of Mrs. S. T. Marett.

Personal Mention

Prof. and Mrs. O. F. Summer and daughter, Mary Frances, are spending the first half of the holidays in Franklin with Mrs. Summer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dalrymple. On Monday they expect to go to Pomaria, S. C., for a short visit with Mr. Summer's mother.

Miss Jennie Burlingame left Sunday to spend the holidays in Brantford with her sisters.

Miss Peggy Thompson of Charlotte and Miss June Thompson, student at Cullowhee college, are spending the holidays here with their mother, Mrs. H. P. P. Thompson and family.

Claude Zachary will return to Camp Jackson, S. C., on Friday after spending several days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Zachary.

Dr. and Mrs. Ralph M. Sargent of Hareford College, Hareford, Penn., and their two children, Hugh and Lydia arrived Monday to spend the holidays here.

Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Higgins and baby son, are visiting at their former homes, Guilford College, and Shelby. They expect to be away until after the New Year.

Miss Estelle Edwards, University of Georgia Student, arrived Saturday to spend the holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Edwards.

Mrs. Jamie Wotten, University of Georgia Librarian, spent the weekend here with the Misses C. B. and Esther Elliott. Mrs. Wotten plans to visit Mrs. Duncan Doughall and Miss Valerie Dougall in St. Augustine, Fla., the latter part of the holidays.



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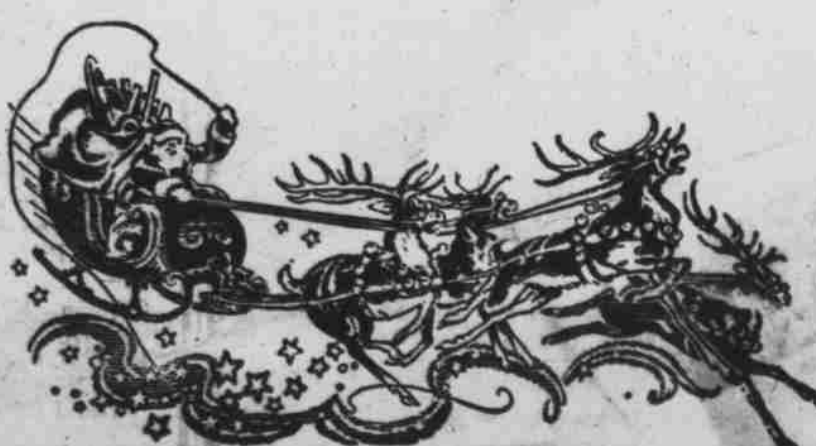
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