

**Highlands****Highlights**

MRS. H. G. STORY

**MISS HARRIS HOSTESS AT CHURCH SUPPER**

Miss Rebecca Harris was hostess to approximately 20 members of the Episcopal church at a fellowship supper and business meeting Thursday night at her home on East Main street. Composing the supper committee were Miss Rebecca Nall, Miss Caroline Hall and Mrs. Tudor N. Hall, who acted as associate hostess and served the delicious supper.

Affairs of the church were discussed and another supper meeting planned for December 9th, which will feature the annual election of officers.

Colonel and Mrs. G. S. Brownell, who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Kenyan Zahner, were among the supper guests.

**HOME ECONOMICS CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS**

The new home economics club organized by Mrs. Gus Baldwin, high school teacher, has been divided into two groups because of the large membership.

Officers elected for grades seven and eight are Betty Potts, president; Maxine Talley, vice-president; Fay Reese, chaplain; Doris Keener, secretary; Douglas Picklesimer, treasurer; Annie Nix, news reporter; and Mary Phillips, program chairman.

Ninth, eleventh and twelfth grade officers are Awa Nix, president; Mary Lou Hedden, vice-president; Christine Jenkins, secretary; Jean Keener, treasurer; Clara Nix, chaplain; Kate Penland, news reporter; and Betty Speed, program chairman.

**Personal Mention**

Mrs. Julian Zoellner, the former Miss Gracia Hicks, has accepted a position as welder with a Savannah, Ga., shipbuilding corporation, where a brother and sister were already employed. Her husband, Julian Zoellner, is with the overseas air force.

Mrs. Tom Potts and Mrs. John Reese left the past weekend for a visit with Mrs. Ernest Crunkleton and family in Newport News, Va.

Pfc. Kendall Pierson, instructor in instrument flying at the army air base in Arcadia, Fla., has received an honorable discharge from service because of a recent nervous breakdown. He is spending several weeks here with his father, S. P. Pierson, before taking up defense work in Atlanta.

Jane Anderson was elected president of the sunbeam club recently organized in the second grade at Highlands school. Mary Jo Newton is vice-president of the club and Clyde Gibson is secretary.

A beautiful tribute has been paid to the memory of Pvt. Albert Rogers, former assistant editor of The Mountain Trail, by Bud Thompson in his editorial in the November issue of the paper.

Mrs. Lex Penland of Macon, Ga., and Mrs. Leonard Jacobs of Akron, Ohio, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zoellner and Mrs. B. A. Cleveland and family. They also visited Mrs. Penland's son, George Penland and family at Cullasaja. Mrs. Penland's husband fought in World War I, and five of their sons are in today's armed forces.

Rev. H. M. Alley is attending the Baptist Convention in Winston-Salem this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCauley of Cuthbert, Ga., who were called here Sunday for the funeral of their brother-in-law, H. H. Bailey, returned home Wednesday.

Lieut. and Mrs. James Jarrett of Anniston, Ala., are spending this week here with their aunt, Mrs. H. H. Bailey, at her home on Satulah road.

Mrs. Hattie Porter Waldrop of Franklin was the weekend guest of Mrs. F. F. Merrill and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Davis.

Mrs. Charles C. Potts and Mrs. O. E. Young left Tuesday for a trip to New York City. While there they will visit Mrs. Young's daughter, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Young.

Mrs. Charles Smith has returned from a visit with her husband at Scottsfield, Ind. Pvt. Smith is in training as an anti-air gunner.

**Foreign Property****Owners Must File Reports To Government**

Citizens of Highlands who own any property in foreign countries were notified by Postmaster Charles C. Potts today that they must file reports of their foreign holdings with the Treasury Department before December 1. The notice was given by means of a poster placed on display in the postoffice.

Postmaster Potts points out that it is necessary for the Government to have as complete information as possible on the American stake abroad to assist the military authorities and the civilian governments on the fighting fronts and to bring about sound solutions of the post-war problems.

Report forms, known as TFR-500, may be obtained through commercial banks, or from the nearest Federal Reserve Bank, the postmaster states. Penalties are provided for those who wilfully fail to file reports.

**Dramatic Club****Promises 2 Hours' Laughs With Play in December**

With rehearsals under way, the high school dramatic club expects to present "A Ready Made Family," early in December.

The play is under the direction of Mrs. Marion Durham and included in the cast of characters are: Agnes Martyn, Nancy Potts; Bob, her son, Wayne Hicks; Marilee, her daughter, Maxie Wright; Gracie, her youngest, Marna Cobb; Lydia Martyn, Margaret Wiley; Henry Turner, Roy McDowell; Sammie Turner, his son, Bud Thompson; Doris Turner, Ann Anderson; two colored servants, Begonia, Frances Crunkleton and Nicodemus, Kenyan Zahner.

Two hours of laughs are promised in the presentation of the three-act farce.

**Funeral Services For John Picklesimer, 73**

Funeral services for Mr. John Picklesimer, 73, were held Monday afternoon at five o'clock at the Clear Creek Methodist church, with the Rev. H. O. Nix officiating. Burial was in Clear Creek cemetery. Mr. Picklesimer died Sunday night following a several months' illness. He was a farmer and a member

of the Clear Creek Methodist church.

Surviving are his wife, four sons, Luther, Edward and Sherwood, all in the armed forces, and Coolidge. The three surviving daughters are Mrs. Will Crane, and Mrs. Charlotte Moore of West Palm Beach, Fla., and Mrs. Harry Owens of Highlands. He leaves one brother, E. P. Picklesimer, and three sisters, Mrs. Dilly Talley, Mrs. Henry Talley and Mrs. Alba McCall.

**Church Services****BAPTIST CHURCH**

Rev. H. M. Alley, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.  
11:00 a.m.—Sermon  
7:00 p. m.—B. T. U.  
8:00 p. m.—Sermon

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Carl Phillips, Student Supply  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11:00 a.m.—Service 1st and 3rd Sunday.

7:00 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
(No Minister at present.)

10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.

**EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION**

Rev. A. Rufus Morgan, Rector  
10 a. m.—Sunday School.  
11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon—2nd Sunday.  
4:00 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon—4th Sunday.

**Ellijay**

By SARAH AMMONS

Mrs. Lillie Ammons Mincey of Monroe, Washington, is visiting friends and relatives on Ellijay. This is her first visit here in 24 years.

Rev. Wade Nicholson, filled his regular appointment at the Ellijay Baptist church Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

Miss Novella Woodard has returned to her home after spending

three months in the Eastern part of the state.

Mrs. Melvyn Bowman and Mrs. Henry Peek are visiting Mrs. Bowman's brother, Gundey Stiwinters, at Oak Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Edison Ammons and children of Mountain Grove visited Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ammons, Sunday.

Jim Keener is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Coggins at Franklin.

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HARMON GARY.

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