

## Highlands Highlights

MRS. H. G. STORY

### MISS BRYSON BECOMES BRIDE OF D. B. PASTELL

Miss Mavis Mozelle Bryson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Bryson, became the bride of Daniel Bright Pastell, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Pastell, of Robbinsville, in a candlelight ceremony Sunday evening at 6 o'clock at the Highlands Methodist church. The Rev. W. T. Medlin, Jr., of Robbinsville, former pastor of the Highlands church, performed the ceremony.

The church was decorated with white gladioli and winter greenery. Seven-branched candelabra holding white tapers were placed back of the altar rail, with tall baskets of white gladioli at each side. Five-branched candelabra and greenery were used in the windows. The pews were marked with white satin bows and the same white flowers. Acting as ushers were Neville Bryson, brother of

the bride, and Richard Thompson.

Mrs. A. C. Holt presented a program of wedding music. Prior to the ceremony, Mrs. Holt played "Clair de Lune", and during the ceremony "Liebestraum" was played softly. The traditional wedding marches were used.

There were no attendants and the couple entered the church together. The bride wore a dress of white slipper satin, fashioned along princess lines, with sweetheart neckline and three-quarter length puffed sleeves. Her finger-tip veil of illusion was caught with a coronet of orange blossoms and she carried a white nole topped with a purple orchid and white satin streamers.

Mrs. Pastell is a graduate of Brevard Junior college, where she was a member of the Sigma Pi Alpha, Concert choir, Euterpean Literary society, and the Dramatic club. She also attended Western Carolina Teachers college. At present she is a member of the faculty of Robbinsville grammar school.

Mr. Pastell was recently discharged, after three years' service in the navy, and is a student at Western Carolina Teachers college.

The couple left for a wedding trip through the Southern states. For traveling, the bride wore a gray costume with black accessories.

## Yule Program At Highlands Draws Crowd

A large crowd attended the Christmas program given at the Highlands Baptist church Sunday night. On the general program, songs, recitations and music were presented by Kathleen Rogers, Elinor Harris, Buddy Beals, Tommy Waller, Lila Reese, Gordon Johnson, Harold Reese, Emily Gibson, Clyde Gibson, Junior Baldwin, Joanne Burnette, Ella Mae Lowe, Margaret Crane, Thelma Beals, Emily Potts, Joanne Raines, Joanne Hicks, Patsy Penland, Gordon Reese, Sandra Baty, Lina Potts, Ann Hays, Kathleen Potts, McCoy Crane, Patsy Littleton, Lois Potts and Audrey Hays.

In the candle-lighting service, candle-bearers were Frances Crunkleton, Hazel Crane, Louise Wilson and Corinne Nix.

The play, "They That Sit In Darkness", was directed by Mrs. J. L. Hicks and Mrs. Richard C. Holt, with Miss Anne Carter as pianist.

The cast of characters included Manila Krug, Sue Hicks, Jean Bright, Ray Reese, Dick Potts, Earl Baty, Barbara Dills, Faye Reese, Mattie Potts, Patsy Hays, Joyce Burnette, Bobby Potts, Charlie Gibson, Gene Johnson, Wayne Dills, Johnny Crunkleton, Gordon Reese, James Reese, and Kathleen Potts. The play closed with the song, "Joy to the World".

### Personal Mention

Miss Ethel Calloway, of Atlanta, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Calloway, at their home at the Country club.

Spending the holidays with Mrs. H. P. Thompson are her children, Miss Peggy Thompson of Charlotte, Mrs. D. B. McNamee, of Atlanta, the Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Medlin, Jr., and Richard Thompson of Robbinsville, and M. S. (Buddy) Thompson, of the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.

Miss P. J. Carlin of Miami, Fla., her two sons and daughter, Bobby, Jimmy, and Martha Sue, and their two young friends arrived Saturday to spend the holidays at the Carlin cottage in the Mirror lake section.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenyon B. Zahner, of Greenville and Atlanta, are spending the Christmas holidays at their cottage here and have with them their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Ager, students at the University of North Carolina, Kenyon Zahner, Jr., of Lawrenceville school, New Jersey, and Mr. Zahner's sister, Miss Cleveland Zahner, of Atlanta.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Smith at their new home in the Mirror lake section were Mrs. Smith's brothers-in-law, Elias and George Stanfield, of Alma and Siloam Springs, Ark. The Stanfields were en route to Florida to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Russell left Saturday to spend Christmas in Birmingham, Ala., with Mrs. Russell's sister, Mrs. R. R. Randolph, Jr., and family.

As the first of the season's activities, the adult Baptist Training union and the Adult Bible classes entertained with

## Mrs. Hopper Turns Flower Hobby Into Business

In opening a greenhouse at her cottage on the Dillard road, Mrs. M. M. Hopper has begun a new venture for this section. Always a grower and lover of flowers, Mrs. Hopper decided last summer that it would be much easier to grow them inside than outside, and has had a regulation glassed-in greenhouse room built on to her dwelling. Up to now she has heated the green-house with a wood stove and two circulating electric heaters, but is this week installing furnace heat for the home and the greenhouse.

Mrs. Hopper, whose husband died several years ago and whose children have been married many years, lives alone and finds her flowers not only a source of great pleasure, but a source of income as well. Although possessing a natural gift for growing and arranging flowers, she has recently returned from Atlanta, where she took a study course in greenhouse care and flower arrangements.

This year's orders for cemetery wreaths of Highlands native greenery and ornamental Christmas wreaths for the home were almost more than she could handle alone.

Mrs. Hopper plans to continue her outside spring and summer gardens for such flowers as dahlias, gladioli and the more hardy plants, and as a sideline to her flower growing she also plans to open a gift shop in the spring, handling only hand-made articles.

a social and Christmas dinner at the church recreation room Wednesday night of last week, when approximately 60 persons were present.

Major and Mrs. William Way, Jr., of Knoxville, Tenn., arrived last week to spend the holiday season at their home on the Buck Creek road.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. S. Clarkson left Saturday for a several weeks' visit in Vero Beach, Fla., with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill P. Barber.

Among Highlands students home for the holidays are Sarah Hall, Marna Cobb, Barbara Zoellner, M. S. (Lud) Thompson, Frances Crunkleton, Angela Anderson, Mary and Peggy Apple, Maxie Wright, Jessie Potts, and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Coward.

## Regulation Traffic Light Installed In Highlands

A regulation traffic light was installed Monday at the intersection of Main and Fourth streets by the Town of Highlands, replacing the former "caution light" in use at this intersection for the past several years.

## 8th Annual Meeting Held By 'Four-Club'

The exclusive "Four-Club" held its eighth annual Christmas Eve meeting Tuesday morning at Bill Holt's Soda shop. Following the business session, refreshments were served. Composing the club are Ed M. Rogers, Bill Holt, H. E. Mays and Frank H. Potts. Neither of the four members has missed a meeting in the entire eight years.

## Legion At Highlands Hears District Head

With a membership numbering 75, the American Legion Highlands Memorial Post No. 370 held its December meeting and social at the School Center on the evening of December 18. John Conyngton of Bryson City, district commander, was the principal speaker. Coffee and doughnuts were served.

## Highlands Rotarians Meet At Mrs. Thompson's Home

The Highlands Rotary club held its Tuesday night supper meeting at the home of Mrs. H. P. P. Thompson last week. The Rotarians were warm in

their praise of the delicious supper served by Mrs. Thompson, and plans were made to continue the Tuesday meetings at this home until further notice.



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