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WSCS Meets

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of Vass Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. T. Frank Cameron on Tuesday evening of last week, with the president, Mrs. H. A. Borst, presiding.

Mrs. W. A. Muse was leader of a program on Puerto Rico. Mrs. Borst gave the call to worship, the Rev. T. J. Whitehead led the prayer, and Mrs. C. P. McMillan and Miss Louise Leslie gave readings. Miss Bessie Cameron conducted the mission study from the textbook, "Sommitted Unto Us."

Mrs. Colin G. Spencer of Carthage, chairman of the Moore-Montgomery zone, spoke to the group, using as her subject, "We Are the Lights of the World."

Plans were made for holding the fall zone meeting on October 15 at 2 p. m. at the Vass Methodist church.

Mrs. George W. Carter of Carthage and Mrs. Whitehead of Aberdeen were additional visitors.

The hostess served ice cream and cake.

A Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Gilliland of Missoula, Mont., are the parents of a daughter born August 5, according to news received last week by Franklin's mother, Mrs. Annie B. Gilliland. The baby has been named Linda Darrell.

Mrs. Buchanan Dies

Mrs. John A. Buchanan, 76, of Broadway, mother of Mrs. A. D. McLaughlin of Vass Route 2, died in Lee County hospital Friday morning after an extended period of ill health.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Sunday from Broadway Presbyterian church, of which she was a member.

Among the friends from this section who attended the funeral were Mrs. R. G. Rosser, Mrs. W. H. Keith, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, Dan McNeill and Mrs. Alex McFadyen.

Unusual Accident

Barry and Loftin Grant, aged about seven and five, respectively, were pulling weeds in the garden of their home Friday afternoon. Barry picked up a hoe that was in the way and tossed it aside, and it struck Grant, cutting through the top of his left ear. Two badly frightened little boys sent out an alarm that brought their mother running from the house. Dr. Rosser was called, but he advised taking the child to Moore County hospital to have the wound dressed. Grant was able to return home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Loftin.

Woman's Club

The Vass Woman's Club will meet at 7:45 p. m. today, Friday, in the home of Mrs. E. L. Finch, with Mrs. R. E. Beasley as associate hostess. The Public Welfare department, of which Mrs. H. A. Borst is chairman, will have charge of the program.

Mrs. West Is Hostess

Mrs. W. H. West was hostess to the Vass Baptist Women's Missionary Union at her home in Lakeview Thursday evening. Mrs. R. L. King, vice president, presided in the absence of Mrs. H. L. Hendrick. Mrs. King was leader of a foreign mission program, which she was assisted in presenting by Mrs. L. M. Dixon, Mrs. F. L. Taylor, Mrs. Ben Cooper and Mrs. G. W. Brooks.

Mrs. A. G. Crissman, who is in charge of collecting clothing for foreign relief in the organization, requested members to take their clothing donations to the Baptist church Sunday night.

Mrs. West served block ice cream and chifon cake.

After 35 Years

Will Byrd, a former resident of Vass who now lives in Biloxi, Miss., arrived Monday for his first visit in 35 years. He is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. D. Wilson, and other relatives. Mr. Byrd is a brother of the late John Byrd of Vass.

Guest Speaker

W. E. Horner of Sanford, editor of The Sanford Herald and lay leader for the Fayetteville district of the Methodist church, will be guest speaker at the 11 o'clock service at the Vass Methodist church next Sunday morning. His subject will be "The Layman's Opportunity and Responsibility." Mr. Horner is a successful speaker and his message will be of interest to all laymen, regardless of denomination. The public is cordially invited to hear him.

Youthful Visitor

Danny McGill of Lakeview, 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McGill, was the weekend guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Wilson, while his parents attended the wedding of a niece at Spencer.

Attend Shower

Mrs. A. V. Autrey and Mrs. G.

M. McDermott attended a shower given by Mrs. J. M. Kelly and daughter, Miss Flora Mae Kelly, at their home Saturday evening honoring Mrs. Jack Pope of Raeford, who before her recent marriage was Miss Clara Byrd of Burlington.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. McMillan of Vass and the former's sister, Mrs. I. P. Ray, of Buie, plan to leave Sunday morning on a week's trip to Austin, Tex., where they will visit Mrs. McMillan's sister, Mrs. E. L. Buie, and Mr. Buie.

Mrs. Redga Thomas went to Durham Friday to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Riley B. Reece. Mack Thomas motored to Durham with his mother, and was accompanied on the return trip by his grandmother, Mrs. R. L. Oldham, who had been with her daughter since the death of Mr. Reece on July 31.

Mrs. A. V. Autrey and Mrs. G. M. McDermott spent Thursday of last week in Asheboro, visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Autrey, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Alexander. They had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tyson and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Griffin returned Saturday from a week's vacation at Fontana Dam. They took trips to several other places of interest while there, including Knoxville, Tenn.

Misses Lucille Frye and Lula Belle Boggs, James Hudson and Charles Cameron spent Sunday at White Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Thomas, their son, Tommy, and daughter, Doris, of Durham visited Mr. and Mrs. Thurlow Evans Sunday afternoon.

Miss Glennie Keith of Raleigh and Bob Perry of Wake Forest were weekend guests of the former's mother, Mrs. W. H. Keith, and Linwood Keith. Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Keith and children and Miss Mary Lynn Fields, of Sanford, joined them Sunday afternoon and the entire group had supper together.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Reynolds, Miss Ruth Reynolds, and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Campbell and baby, Brenda, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Reynolds on Cameron Route 3 Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mary Rebecca Beasley spent last week visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Page McAulay, and friends in Candor.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dolin of Lakeland, Fla., spent a night last week with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Autrey. They were on their way home from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Keith and family visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crouse of Carthage Sunday afternoon.

Miss Leslie Katherine Taylor is spending some time at Myrtle Beach, S. C., with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Taylor.

Julian Leslie, who works in Reaves' Pharmacy in Asheboro, is spending a week's vacation with his mother, Mrs. W. C. Leslie, and sister, Miss Louise Leslie.

Miss Margaret Cameron of Robbins was the weekend guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Crabtree.

Miss Blanche Sturdivant, bookkeeper for Futrell Lumber company, is back after a week's vacation spent visiting relatives.

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Mrs. T. J. Smith returned to her home on Thursday of last week after undergoing an operation at Lee County hospital in Sanford. She is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Joe Thompson, who had been visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thurlow Evans, for a month, left Friday night for Baltimore, Md., where she planned to spend the weekend with another daughter, Mrs. Raymond Abbey (Eunice Thompson), before returning to her home at Hancock's Bridge, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson and family have moved from Hotel Charmella to their home at Thomasville. While in Vass Mr. Johnson was superintendent of Vass Industries, Inc. He has accepted a position in South Carolina.

Mrs. R. D. Braddy of Fayetteville Route 3 and Mr. and Mrs. Thompson Braddy of Wilmington visited Misses Sallie and Bessie Cameron a day last week.

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