

SOCIAL ITEMS

PERSONAL and OTHERWISE

DIAL 3261

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rice spent last Sunday in Kingsport, Tennessee...

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis F. Bryan, of Winston-Salem, N. C., have returned to their home after spending a few days with their parents...

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Brooks, of South Norfolk, Va., came last week and are guests of her mother, Mrs. James Roberts of Marshall Route 1.

Cpl. Thomas C. Caldwell, of Fort Bragg, spent the weekend here with his wife and other relatives.

Mrs. Claude Stafford and son, Claude Jr., of Norfolk, Va., were visiting her grandmother, Mrs. James Roberts, over the weekend...

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bell and daughter, Miss Polly, of Sylacauga, Alabama, formerly of Mars Hill, were in Marshall Monday...

Mrs. R. G. Franklin returned Tuesday from Fort Jackson, S. C., where she spent the weekend with her husband who is stationed there.

Mrs. Mark Brooks of Norfolk, Va., spent the weekend with Mrs. James Roberts of Marshall RFD 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Sprinkle of Stanley, returned home Wednesday after spending several days visiting their families and friends.

Miss Peggy Holland has returned home from ASTC, Boone, where she will spend the summer.

Mrs. E. B. Mathis, Jr., and son of Sumter, S. C., are spending several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard C. Rector.

Mr. Albert Shelton and son, Earl, of Norfolk, Va., were visiting Mrs. James Roberts over the week end and attended the decoration at the Freeman Cemetery May 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stines and infant son and Miss Mildred Stines, of Glen Alpine, spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Stines...

Mr. and Mrs. J. Moody Chandler and Mr. and Mrs. J. Pain Sprinkle spent Sunday in Jonesboro, Tenn., where they attended the 92nd birthday celebration of Mrs. Chandler's mother, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Ramsey.

Vota Vita Class Met With Mrs. John Corbett Tuesday

Members of the Vota Vita Sunday School Class of the Marshall Baptist Church held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. John Corbett.

Mrs. Donald L. Colvin, second vice president, presided in the absence of the president. Devotions were conducted by Mrs. Wade Huey.

Mrs. Bernard Brigman had charge of the program and led the group in several interesting games and contests. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Ron Sprinkle and Mrs. Wade Huey.

At the close of the meeting the hostess served delicious refreshments. Class members present were Mrs. Bernard Brigman, Mrs. Walter Ramsey, Mrs. P. H. Dinwiddie, Mrs. W. F. Holland, Mrs. Lyman Martin, Mrs. Calvin Edney, Mrs. Charlie Sawyer, Mrs. Ron Sprinkle, Mrs. Donald Colvin, Mrs. Liston Ramsey, Mrs. Wade Huey, Mrs. Hettie R. Blankenship, Mrs. J. M. Baley, Jr., and Mrs. Corbett, and one visitor, Mrs. A. W. Whitehurst.

Today's Meditation From The World's Most Widely Used Devotional Guide



The Upper Room

Read Titus 3:1-8 Blessed are the meek; for they shall inherit the earth. (Matthew 5:5)

When Christ lives in us, we are able, through the power of the Holy Spirit, to bear with meekness attacks of hate, malice, and envy.

We need not be afraid to suffer wrong and to be misunderstood. With God's help, we can possess our souls with patience, keep untroubled and composed through a storm of unkindness, and shut our mouths when wicked men are before us.

Those who are gentle under provocation are strong in the fight and are heroes, for meekness is really an attribute of might.

Our Father, grant us that we may live a life of meekness and patience, that we may win our fight against evil. Grant us courage to obey the Master's command, "Be still and know that I am God."

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY The Holy Spirit dwelling in me teaches meekness and love.

Una Kok Tway (Malaya)

Advertisement for newspaper subscription: O MAMA, I WILL NOT TAKE THE HOME PAPER DOWN TO THE POST OFFICE AND BUY A WRAPPER AND MAIL IT TO OUR SON, JIMMY...

HERSE AND EN By "POP"

Everything has been relatively quiet around here during the past week - except Wednesday morning - news reached here that the bank at Hot Springs had been robbed and everybody went this way and that way - I've never seen a patrol car go through town so fast - also heard that Don Cox and Frank Moore didn't lose any time either - account of robbery appears elsewhere in paper - I went up to Mars Hill, Tuesday afternoon and, as usual, enjoyed my visit there - saw Mayor Tilson, Jim Cox, Bob Holt, Don Sprinkle, Paul Tugman, Carl Eller and many other friends - while there, Mrs. Kitty Robinson invited me in to The Little Shop "just around the corner" - it is a most attractive little place with beautiful dresses and ladies' wear - while in there, several college girls stopped by to admire the fine selection of Kabro dresses - Mars Hill should feel justly proud to have such a modern shop - Cox Florist is always attractive, too - beautiful cut flowers, potted plants and arrangements - Mars Hill is a progressive town and is growing - the people are friendly and things are "looking up" in our college town - picked up two very nice college students en route to Asheville - they had high praise for the college - "Bill" has been in the hospital this week and I've had very little time to see and hear anything for going to Asheville - she's okay now and is at home - my brother, Lank, was also in hospital but I'm glad to say, he's able to be at his home again, too - glad Louise Teague is getting on well - sorry that Edgar "Skeeter" Henderson must go under the knife today (Thursday) - he's at Mission - hope he soon recovers - the Baccalaureate sermon will be delivered here at 2:30 p. m., Sunday - I hope "Bill" will feel well enough to go to the Walnut Alumni Banquet Saturday night.

Schedule Of Home Demonstration Clubs in County

- Monday, May 23 - 2:30 p. m. Elks Chapel - School Luncheon. Tuesday, May 24 - 2:00 p. m. Spring Creek - School Luncheon. Wednesday, May 25 - 2:00 p. m. - Walnut - Mrs. T. A. Woody, Hostess. Thursday, May 26 - 1:30 p. m. - Freezing School at French Broad Electric Membership Corporation. It is hoped that all club members will avail themselves of this demonstration. Friday, May 27 - 2:00 p. m. - Forks of Ivy - Mrs. Stanley Marshbanks, hostess. Attention, all home demonstration club members! The Craft Camp will be held at Camp Schaub on Tuesday, May 31, June 1 and 2. If you haven't placed your application and would like to attend, please contact the home agent's office so that reservations can be made.

LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT

St. Louis - Robbie, a tan cocker spaniel, fell in love with James Morris, postman, the first time he went on the route past the home of Robbie's owners, Mr. and Mrs. George Blammer. The dog trailed Morris all over his route and any other place he went. Finally, the Blammers locked Robbie up in the backyard, but he put up such a howl every time Morris passed that the Blammers could find only one solution - they gave Robbie to the postman.

"Big As Life"

nice! As far as Barbara is concerned, that is jumping out of the frying pan into the fire - and - oh, well - you can't miss - it is as "Big As Life."

- CAST OF CHARACTERS Professor Hopkins - Floyd Davis Mrs. Hopkins - Betty Metcalf Elaine Hopkins - Betty Hunter Eddie Hopkins - Greenwood Edney Barbara Fleming - Freda Davis Flossie Allen - Lorraine White Mrs. Reese - Joan Ibsen Eunice Reese - Jackie Payne Harry Blaine - Carl Reeves Van Miller - Frank Morgan Policeman - Bailey Payne Producing Staff Prompter - Naomi Wilde Sound Effects - Evelyn Ramsey, Bill Nix, Barbara Davis Stage Crew - Fred Shelton, Dale Metcalf. Director - Jessie Mae Ramsey

BETWEEN WOMEN

THE FARMER'S WIFE

Everybody is counting the days for one reason or other - some to graduate, others to get others graduated and the little ones just to get out of school - am looking forward to the band recital the 24th - have you inherited anything lately? - have just finished thinking some thoughts about this inheritance business and am not much for it - started counting on my fingers the children who inherited money and property which caused rifts and clashes among the children themselves - pretty soon had used all my fingers and toes and still counting - after all, poverty might have its compensations - so many parents spend a lifetime of self-imposed poverty so they can leave their children better fixed than they were, only to have it paid to lawyers and courts to settle the small differences in the parts - wonder if this would be considered "blood money" which in Hebrew times could not be offered in the temple - after all, it is all too often the price of a life, that is, a life of doing without and hard work and sometimes of medical care - one thing we can be sure, the poor we'll have with us always - if our vegetables would grow as fast as the morning glories in it, we'd have a chance for a good garden - dreamed of pulling beets last night - remember when lots of families had a dream book? - something like a dictionary in which they looked up their dreams to see the meaning of them - got the meaning of this one, and am going to weed the beet row today.

With The Sick

Mr. Edgar Henderson, of Walnut, was taken to the Memorial Mission Hospital in Asheville Sunday, following an attack.

Mr. Henderson underwent surgery this (Thursday) morning.

Mrs. J. N. Fisher, of Marshall, RFD 2, who has been undergoing treatment at Aston Park Hospital, returned to her home Wednesday.

Mrs. Jim Story returned Wednesday from the Memorial Mission Hospital, where she underwent an operation Monday.

Mr. H. V. Hunter, who was injured a few weeks ago in a stock car accident at the Asheville-Weaver-ville Speedway, is able to be out and about town again.

Recent Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thomas, Marshall RFD 3, a daughter May 12, 1955, in St. Joseph's Hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Nantz, Marshall RFD 3, a son May 12, 1955, in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Friends Of Library To Meet Thursday In Courthouse

Mrs. Walter Ramsey, president of the Madison County Friends of the Library, has called a meeting of the organization for next Thursday, May 26, at 2:30 p. m. in the Courthouse auditorium.

Mrs. E. O. Barnette, chairman of the drive for funds, will give a report of its progress and request many of her chairmen as can attend this meeting.

To Introduce Beauty Queen

Mrs. Bernard Brigman, a former professional model, fashion coordinator, and student at Mars Hill College, will introduce "Miss Laurel of 1954-55," whom she selected, at the assembly at Mars Hill College, Thursday morning. Miss Laurel's picture, along with Mrs. Brigman's, will appear in the annual yearbook, The Laurel, this year.

The National Forests in North Carolina make up the largest area under one management east of the Mississippi. It has more Ranger Districts (11) than any other National Forest.

ENGAGED



THE RETROTHAL of Miss Marie De Basio to Airman First Class Edward C. Reeves has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Blosky Jr., Newburgh, N. Y. Airman Reeves is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reeves of Hot Springs. A summer wedding is planned.

Marshall Book Club Met With Mrs. Roberts

The Marshall Book Club met at the home of Mrs. Wiley Roberts Monday evening, May 16 at eight o'clock.

Mrs. Lawrence McElroy gave an interesting program on Nehru and Madame Pandit by Krishna Nehru Hutcheson.

Ten members and two guests, Mrs. Bill Roberts and Miss Gayle Isensee, were present.

In 1927 Marine pilots operating against the bandits in Nicaragua carried out the first recorded attack directed by ground troops.

McElroy Named On Committee At UNC

Two Western North Carolina students, Larry McElroy of Marshall and B. H. Thomas of Asheville have been named executive committee members of the Young Democrats Club at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

W. E. Graham Jr., University of North Carolina law student from Jackson Springs, was elected president of the club.

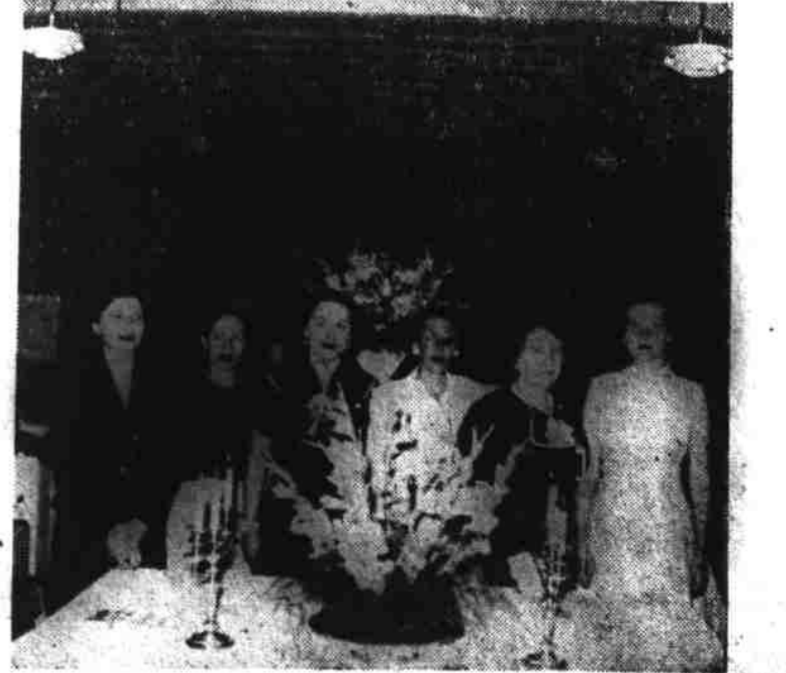
McElroy, a graduate of Marshall High School, is the son of Dr. and Mrs. J. L. McElroy of Marshall.

PTA PAST PRESIDENTS ARE RECOGNIZED



Pictured above are seven of the past presidents of the Marshall Parent-Teacher Association who were recognized at the installation service held here last week. From left to right: Mrs. Wade Huey, Mrs. Walter Ramsey, Mrs. Jerry Rice, Mrs. John Corbett, Mrs. R. S. Ramsey, Mrs. J. L. McElroy, and Mrs. S. B. Roberts.

MARSHALL PTA OFFICERS INSTALLED HERE



Pictured above are the newly-installed officers of the Marshall Parent-Teacher Association. From left to right: Mrs. J. M. Baley Jr., secretary; Mrs. Clyde M. Roberts, second vice president; Mrs. Wade Huey, president; Mrs. Walter Ramsey, first vice president; Mrs. Jerry Rice, program chairman; and Mrs. Cleophus Ward, treasurer.

CANCER'S DANGER SIGNALS. 1 Any sore that does not heal. 2 A lump or thickening in the breast or elsewhere. 3 Unusual bleeding or discharge. 4 Any change in a wart or mole. 5 Persistent indigestion or difficulty in swallowing. 6 Persistent hoarseness or cough. 7 Any change in normal bowel habits.

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