SOCIAL ITEMS

ERSONAL and OTHERWISE

Miss Barbara Ann Sexton, of Hendersonville, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Hubert Candler for several

Landon Davis, who is stationed at Camp Lejeune, is spending several days here with his wife and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Lumpkin, of Oxford, N. C., visited Mr. and Mrs. Fed Tweed last week-end. umpkin is formerly of Marshall.

Marilyn Ramsey of River Rouge, Mich., spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cheever Ramsey.

Mrs. Dora Oakley of Roxboro, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. L. W. Ed-

Mrs. J. L. McElroy, is spending Bradley of Marshall. this week at Lake Junaluska at the Senior Assembly. He expects to return home Saturday.

Mrs. Ruth H. Tweed and granddaughter, Lynn, of Gastonia, are visiting relatives here and at White

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Clay, of Portsmouth, Va., left Tuesday after spending a week with Mrs. Clay's of Mars Hill, and friends in Marfather, Mr. Ed Ramsey, and other shall. friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ramsey and son, Douglas, returned Saturday from Texas where they visited Mrs. Ramsey's daughters, Mrs. Dodson a few days in Marshall as guests and Mrs. Ashmead.

Mrs. Luther Randall and son, Mr. Brank Randall and wife, and Miss Myrtle Randall, of Wayne, Mich., left Saturday after visiting friends and reltives in the county for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher and family returned Friday from Savannah Beach, Ga., where they spent several days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sprinkle of Charlotte spent the week-end here as guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fain

Miss Elberta Revis of Weaverville is visiting Mrs. Kate Reed this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wallin returned Sunday afternoon to their home in Winston-Salem after spending the week-end here as guests of Mrs. Wallin's mother, Mrs. Eva

a teacher in the elementary school as guests of Mr. Rector's parents, Arlington, Va., last year, has arrived in Marshall to spend sometime with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chandler.

Miss Joyce McKinney of Charlotte spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T.

spent the week-end with her parents, Colvin are former residents of Marthe Rev. and Mrs. Frank Morgan, shall.

The Rev. L. Richard Mellin, pastor of the Marshall Presbyterian Church, is a patient at the Memorial Mission Hospital where he is undergoing treatment. His condition is much improved and he expects to return home in a few days.

Edd Candler, who lost one of his legs in a train accident several weeks ago, is a patient in the Memorial Mission Hospital where his condition is improved.

The condition of the Rev. W. T. Bradley of Route 2, Marion, who wards and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ed- suffered a stroke a few weeks ago, is reported to be fair. Mr. Bradley is a brother of Mrs. J. N. White, Pender McElroy, son of Dr. and and the father of J. C. and Sankey

> Mrs. H. K. Ramsey has returned to her home in Marshall from St. Joseph's Hospital where she was a patient for several days.

> Mr. O. C. Rector, who underwent an operation in Memorial Mission Hospital recently, is improving.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. Ray Howland and daughter, Miss Eva Claire Howland, have returned to their home in Clifton, Va., after spending of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bowman and other friends. Mr. Howland is a former pastor of the Marshall Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. J. N. White is spending the week in Asheville as the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Sprinkle and daughter, Miss Olga Sprinkle, will leave Sunday for two weeks' vacation at Elinor Village, Daytona Beach, Fla .

Mrs. John McElroy, Mrs. Wayne Bryan and her mother, Mrs. Lee Ramsey, have returned from San Diego, Calif., where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnny McElroy.

Mrs. Willard Rector Jr., will return tonight (Thursday) from New Orleans, La., after a trip through the Gulf ports with her husband. Mr. Rector will go to the Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Rector and Mrs. Sue Crowmarty of Colum-Miss Geraldine Chandler, who was bus, Ga., spent last week-end here Mr. and Mrs. W .C. Rector.

> Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ramsey, Mrs. C. D. Bowman and Rocky Bowman are attending the Synod and Synodical in Maryivlle, Tenn., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Colvin and son, Lloyd, of Ethel, La., were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Miss Marie Morgan of Charlotte Wade Huey and sons. Mr. and Mrs.

Next Wednesday -- will be celebrated in gala style at Hot Springs - barbecue dinner, contests, speakers, singing, and free fireworks - - so far, I haven't heard of any sort of celebration in Marshall - - being on Wednesday, however, guess we fellows at The News-Record will celebrate by working - anyway, I hope the program at Hot Springs will be successful and I'm sure it will be - - it's a shame that Marshall doesn't have 4th of July celebrations like we used to have double-header baseball games - one in the morning and the other in the afternoon with the Island crowded with excited spectators oh, well, times change, don't they? - - the wedding of Clara Elizabeth Ramsey and Horace Bennett Sunday afternoon at the Presbyterian Church was beautiful -- the decorations, the music, the singing, the bridal party, the ceremony and the reception were "tops" - hope Horace didn't mind my kissing the bride while going through the receiving line at the reception - Clara has always been one of my "favorites" and when she gave me "permission" I took advantage - wouldn't you have done the same thing? — Peggy, Gerry and Edyth surely did look pretty, too didn't they? - - hope the greenery in the baskets didn't tickle Peggy's back too much - although the afternoon was very hot the beauty and solemnity of the wedding made me forget the heat - was glad to again see the Rev. and Mrs. A. Ray Howland and Eva Claire - they all look fine and Mr. and Mrs. Howland didn't look a day older than they did when they lived here - - sorry to hear that Mr. Mellin has had to be in the hospital for a few days - hope he soon gets well and is again able to play ping pong, pitch horseshoes, and work around the yard and garden - also sorry that Frank Fisher had such a painful experience at Savannah Beach, Ga., last week-end - he swallowed a fish bone - said bone lodged in his throat and it took an operation to get the blamed thing out thanks to Ted McKingey and Delmer Payne for "salting" our road Monday night - - the dust is terrific up there - glad to see Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Clay - Mrs. Clay is the former Miss Evelyn Ramsey, who was employed at the office here - she came in with her husband Monday and showed him the "shop" - - they now reside at Portsmouth, Va., where he is on the USS Forrestal which is dry-Bob Seymour is really enjoying his new car - it was a most generous gesture on the part of the membership of his church to present him with the car - especially just before he was married - guess Pearl will also enjoy driving it the big question now is: Will Mickey Mantle beat Ruth's homerun record? - - John Corbett told me Sunday that he and Tom really had a fine time at Fontana - - wonder how Lyman is getting on in Miami this week at the Lions Conven-

Birthday Party Held For Johnny Gross In **Burlington Thursday**

bumper-deep for awhile - -

tion - bet he's also having a

fine time - - hope so, at least -

Johnny Gross, son of the Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Gross of Marchall, colsbrated his sixth birthday Thursday morning, June 21, with a party at the home of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Michaels, in Burlington. After a period of informal play, the guests were served lunch with birthday cake for demert. Those present included: Jimmy, Sammy and Judy Ann Abner, Billy and Mabel Ruth Michaels, Barbara and David Warren, Jerry and Larry King, Robert Hudson, Diana Alexander, and Carolyn Smith all of Burlington, and Linda Sue St. John of Roanoke, Virginia.

Mrs. Gross was assisted by Mrs.

How does your garden grow' - et any new taters this year? -- the store bought new taters just ain't new taters — — had you noiced that the popularity of the Sequoia potato didn't last long? - most of us objected to the dark streaks at the root end - - they were a dependable cropper, though - - one man I know calls them souaw potatoes - - somehow that name suited them - another expression I like is "sody cook" an old lady awhile back said so and so was a good "sody cook" - meaning she could use soda and buttermilk or sour milk instead of baking powder - we know what she meant because soda is as temperamental as a movie star when it is good it is very good, and when it is bad it is horrible - am going to pass on this recipe for the old fashioned ginger cookies that every grandmother knows how to make by guess and by gosh but can't give you a recipe:

- 1 cup sugar
- 1 cup shortening 1 cup molasses
- 2 eggs
- 3 tbsp. vinegar 114 tbsp. baking soda
- 1 tbsp. ginger
- 1/2 cup hot water

6 cups sifted bread flour. Mix sugar, shortening, molasses and eggs; add molasses and last the hot water mixed with the vinegar, soda and ginger. Add the flour till stiff enough to make into long rolls. Wrap in wax paper and place in refrigerator overnight. These can be sliced off and baked as needed. This recipe makes about 85 cookies and can be kept in the refrigerator for 2 or 3 weeks - - that is, if you're one of those lucky women who can keep cookies.

Vota Vita Class Met With Mrs. Huey On Tuesday Night

The Vota Vita Sunday School Class of the Marshall Baptist Church held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Wade Huey.

Mrs. Eva Sams, class president. presided. During the business session, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Lyman Martin, president; Mrs. Earl Mrs. Kermit Cody, secretary; Mrs. Ron Sprinkle, treasurer; and Mrs. H. E. Bolinger, program chairman. Mrs. Hettie R. Blankenship was re-Guy White was named assistant teacher.

Mrs. E. Y. Ponder had charge of the devotions and program. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Guy White and off-shoulder neckline and cap sleeves Mrs. Walter Ramsey as winners in outlined with pearls in a Roman a contest, and one group prize was presented.

Mrs. E. C. Teague showed the group a book entitled "Minnie Belle" which was written by Loulie Lati-- the heavy rain last Friday aftermer Owens, wife of the Rev. Ollin noon made Main Street look like a Owens, a former pastor of the Marriver - - especially in front of shall Baptist Church. The book the REA Building - - water got deals with humorous incidents an the lives of ministers' wives. Mrs. Owens has also written a booklet entitled "Baptists Abroad" in which she tells of their two months spent traveling in Europe in 1955 when they attended the Baptist World Al-

> Following the meeting, the hostess served refreshments.

Class members present were Mrs. E. C. Teague, Mrs. Lyman Martin, Mrs. W. F. Holland, Mrs. Guy White, Mrs. E. Y. Ponder, Mrs. organdy over taffeta, featuring a W. B. Ramsey, Mrs. Eva Sams, Mrs. Jim Story, Mrs. H. E. Bolinger, Mrs. Walter Ramsey, Mrs. J. M. Baley Jr., Mrs. Liston Ramsey, Mrs. Ron Sprinkle, Mrs. Kermit Cody, Mrs. S. L. Nix, Mrs. Earl Robinson, and Mrs. Huey; and one visitor, Mrs. Bob Miller.



Clara Elizabeth Ramsey Becomes **Bride Of Horace Leroy Bennett**

Ceremony Is Performed In The Marshall Presbyterian Church

The wedding of Miss Clara Elizaeth Ramsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jackson Ramsey of Her corsage was a pink orchid. Marshall and Horace LeRoy Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lurier Jefferson Bennett of 26 Maple Cresent St., Asheville was solemnized n a candlelight ceremony at 4:30 on Sunday afternoon, June 24, 1956 n the Marshall Presbyterian Church.

The Reverend A. Ray Howland, former pastor of the bride, officiated. The double ring ceremony

The altar, in front of which was the kneeling bench, was banked with palms and emerald fern interspersed with arrangements of white gladioli, asters, daisies, and seven branched candelabra with lighted

Prior to the ceremony a program Mrs. J. H. Eads, organist, of Mar-Robinson, 1st vice president; Mrs. Leave Thee" by Gounod. At the Mrs. Hilliard Teague of Marshall. E. Y. Ponder, 2nd vice president; conclusion of the ceremony when the Mrs. A. Ray Howland and Mrs. prayer and benediction, Miss Anderson sang "The Wedding Prayer." During the ceremony Mrs. Eads Bible Class of the church. elected teacher of the class, and Mrs. played "To A Wild Rose" by Mc-Dowell. The traditional wedding Mrs. Bennett wore a navy cotton marches were used.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of candlelight from her Bible. satin and tulle fashioned with an Key design. The cathedral train extended from a deep peplum which formed panels of satin and tulle. Her fingertip veil of illusion was attached to a satin half-hat outlined with pearls and orange blossoms in the same design of the gown. She carried a white bridal Bible topped with a white orchid and net stream-

She wore a pearl necklace, a gift of the groom, and a 125-year-old imported jet bracelet which was inherited by her cousin, Mrs. Clara J. Keith, of Asheville. Mrs. Bennett was the 27th bride to wear the bracelet during the past few years.

Miss Anne Bristol, of Andrews and Arlington, Virginia, and former college roommate of the bride, attended as maid of honor. Miss Bristol wore a dress of turquoise cummerbund of taffeta, scooped neckline and bouffant skirt. Her head piece was of turquoise taffeta and net. Her cascade bouquet was of white summer flowers centered with Shasta daisies and English ivy.

The bridesmaids: Miss Geraldine Chandler of Marshall and Arlington Mrs. Clayton Wallin of Wi Salem, and Miss Peggy Holland of

termoon dress of blue lace and taffeta with hat of matching shade. Her corsage was a purple orchid. Mrs. Bennett, the groom's mother, wore a dress of white lace over pink taffeta with matching accessories

Mrs. Bennett is a graduate of Marshall High School, and Woman's College in Greensboro. She received a B.A. degree in elementary education, and for the past year was a member of the faculty of Ray Street School in High Point.

Mr. Bennett is a graduate of Asheville City Schools, Mars Hill College, and Wake Forest College, where he was a member of the Alpha Sigma Phi social fraternity. He is a Navy veteran of World War II. Mr. Bennett is employed as the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company in Greensboro.

After the ceremony, the bride's parents entertained with a reception of wedding music was presented by in the church fellowship hall. Mrs. Fred O. Tilson had charge of arshall and Miss Carolyn Anderson of rangements. Guests were greeted Mars Hill, soloist. Miss Ander- at the door by Mr. and Mrs. Henry son sang "Through the Years" by Clay Edwards of Mars Hill, Mr. Youmans, and "Entreat Me Not To and Mrs. J. J. Ramsey and Mr. and Richard Mellin punch bowls and were assisted in serving by members of the Ladies

> For travel later in the evening, dress trimmed in summer velvet. white accessories and the orchid

> After a wedding trip to St. Simons Island, Georgia, and Charleston, South Carolina, the couple will he at home in Greensboro

Among the out-of-town guests

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ramsey, brother of the bride, and their children, Scott and Brenda Jane: Misses Nancy and Jeannie Houchin of Dewitt, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. J. Scott McFadyen, Mrs. Reginald Barton, Miss Linda Barton and Reginald, Jr., Mr. John F. McFadyen, Miss Mary Scott McFadyen of Fayetteville, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McKeithan, Mrs. J. A. Baucom, Mrs. Preston Kelly, Miss Gail Kelly, of Raeford; Mrs. J. W. Lindsay, of High Point, N. C.; Miss Alice Craig, of Charlotte, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Spainhour, of Kernersville, N. C., Mrs. Lloyd Stinchcomb, of Black Mountain, N. C., the Rev. and Mrs. A. Ray Howland and Miss Eve Claire Howland, of Clifton, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Livere Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett and sons, Michael and Gary; Mrs. Clare J. Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard In gie, Mrs. Irvin Chester, Mrs. Ben

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