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MRS. BEN SLOAN, Society Editor—

Mrs. B. F. Smathers Is Honored On 95th Birthday

Mrs. B. F. Smathers, who celebrated her ninety-fifth birthday anniversary on Sunday, was honored at a tea given Sunday afternoon by her daughter, Mrs. Adora Rayne. Mrs. Rayne was entertained for her mother on each birthday anniversary for the past thirty-five years.

The occasion was arranged throughout with summer flowers and the tea table, which was covered with a lace cloth, was garnished with an old-fashioned bouquet of mixed flowers. A decorated birthday cake was at one end of the table and white candles in silver holders completed the arrangement.

Partying at the tea table were Mrs. J. C. Holtzclaw and Mrs. J. C. Rice, daughters of Mrs. Smathers, and assisting in serving were granddaughters, Mrs. Aaron Peck, Mrs. James L. Kilpatrick, Mrs. Francis Massie and Mrs. Elmer Edwards.

The invited guests were Mrs. John Smathers, Mrs. Nora Swift Allen, Mrs. John Smathers, Jr., Mrs. J. W. Killian, Mrs. Nan Sogard, Mrs. J. L. Elwood, Mrs. F. M. Edman, Sr., Dr. Irma Henderson Smathers of Asheville, Mrs. Will Smathers, Mrs. J. K. Boone, Mrs. J. Howell Way, Mrs. John N. Goodfriend, Mrs. R. L. Prevost, Mr. W. E. Shelton, Mrs. T. N. Moore, Misses Annie and Corrie Key, Mrs. B. H. Mitchell, Mrs.

Harry Rotha, Mrs. Charles E. Quilan, Mrs. O. H. Shelton, Mrs. E. L. Withers, Mrs. T. Lenoir Gwyn, Miss Margaret Stringfield, Mrs. H. G. West, Miss Jean West, Miss Minnie Mitchell of Asheville, Mrs. Jennie MacFadyen, Mrs. H. B. Fox, Mrs. J. Harden Howell, Sr., Mrs. W. F. Swift and Miss Nancy Killian.

The honor guest was the recipient of many gifts and messages of congratulations. Friends also expressed the desire to grow old as gracefully as Mrs. Smathers, who still enjoys working in her house and yard and spends her leisure time reading.

Mrs. Smathers is the former Miss Laura Howell, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. D. Howell of the Jonathan Creek section and widow of Dr. B. F. Smathers, who practiced dentistry here for many years.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Senne at their apartment on Boyd Avenue this week are Mr. Donald Williams, brother of Mrs. Senne, and Mrs. Williams with their daughter, 2½-year-old Dona Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. James Snedden, all of Akron, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Senne's guests arrived here Saturday for a visit of about a week.

Haywood Sponsor



Miss Mary Ann Massie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Massie, has been chosen to represent Haywood County in the 17th annual Coronation Ball of the Rhododendron Royal Brigade of Guards, at the Asheville City Auditorium on Saturday, June 11.

Mary Ann Massie Is Chosen County Sponsor For Ball

Miss Mary Ann Massie has been chosen to represent Haywood county at the 17th annual Coronation Ball of the Rhododendron Royal Brigade of Guards, at the Asheville City Auditorium on Saturday, June 11.

She will have as marshals Charles Way and Wingate Hannah. Miss Massie was graduated last week from the Waynesville High School where she was an honor student. This spring she was chosen to represent her school and the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution in the State Good Citizenship Contest sponsored by the D. A. R. and was awarded second place in the state.

An outstanding student during her school years, she was also flutist in the High School Band and accompanist for the chorus. She was named in her class superlatives as the sweetest and best personality.

Miss Massie also takes an active part in affairs of the First Methodist church of which she is a member and is a Senior Girl Scout.

MRS. ATKINS ATTENDS CLASS REUNION

Mrs. James Atkins, Jr., left Thursday for Spartanburg, S. C., where she attended a reunion of her class at Converse College. She went from Spartanburg to Atlanta where she is spending this week as the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Atkins, and will attend the commencement exercises of Atlanta Law School, at which Mr. and Mrs. Atkins will receive diplomas.

Wilson Owen, who is stationed at Fort Bragg, is here for a visit to his mother, Mrs. Cinda Owen.

Mrs. Troy Wyche left Sunday to attend the graduation of her daughter, Miss Jane Wyche, who received a Bachelor of Arts Degree at Woman's College in Greensboro this morning.

Miss Gladys Mae Brown of Clyde was among the graduates at Woman's College in Greensboro this morning. She received a Bachelor of Science Degree.

At Strand Tomorrow



Action and adventure fill the screen in the thrilling new Twentieth Century-Fox film, "Down to the Sea in Ships," which stars Richard Widmark, Lionel Barrymore and Dean Stockwell opening at the Strand Theatre tomorrow.

Presbyterians To Honor Pastor At Hazelwood

The women of the Hazelwood Presbyterian church will entertain at a reception in honor of Rev. Paul P. Thrower, pastor of the church, and Mrs. Thrower and their son, Bobby Thrower, in the Fellowship Hall of the church, Saturday evening, June 4, from eight to nine-thirty o'clock.

The event will mark the first anniversary of the Rev. Mr. Thrower's pastorate at Hazelwood. Members and friends of the church are invited to attend.

Miss Frances Williams, who is a student at Meredith College in Raleigh, has arrived to spend a week at home before attending summer school at the University of North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Walker, and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Arndfield, all of Brevard, were guests last week of Mrs. Frank Jenkins and Mrs. W. A. Hyatt.

Mrs. Gordon Hatchell and daughter, Rebecca, who have been visiting the former's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Stringfield, left this morning for their home in Portsmouth, Va. They were accompanied by Mr. Hatchell, who came up for the week end.

UDC To Have Picnic Meeting

The Haywood Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy will have a picnic supper at the June meeting, to be held at the home of Mrs. Sam Queen, Friday, June 3, at 6:30 o'clock. Each member is expected to bring a guest.

Special guests will be Mrs. Dan Thompkins, District president, and Mr. Thompkins and Mrs. Weiner Jones, district secretary, and Mr. Jones, all of Sylva.

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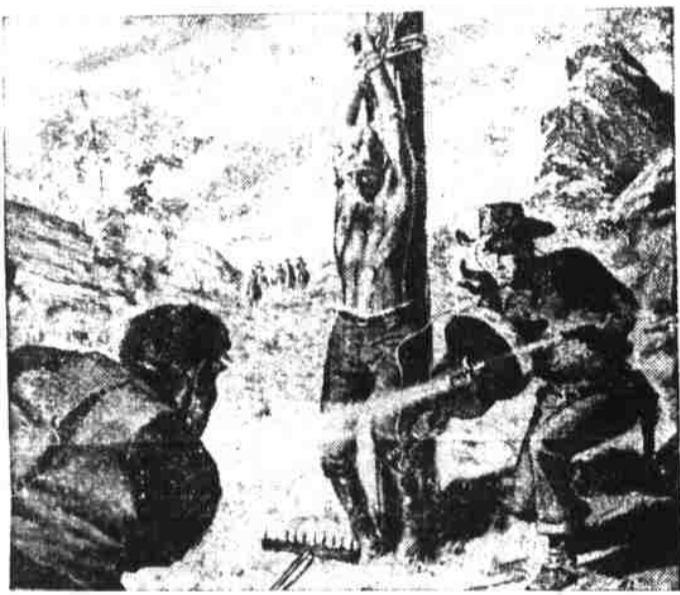
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