

Social and Personals

Bill Duke Gay is visiting his grandparents near Fountain.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Beaman were Snow Hill visitors, Sunday.

Taylor Barrow, of Burlington, is at home for the holidays.

George Holston and son, Billy, of Clinton, were here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Fields and sons were Raleigh visitors, Tuesday.

Roscoe Jefferson, of Chicago, Ill., is visiting his uncle, George Windham.

Mrs. Louis Alex left this week for Rome, Ga., where she will visit relatives.

Miss Lucy Barrow, teacher in the Gritton school, is at home for the holidays.

Jean Thomas, a member of the Warsaw faculty, is at home for the holiday.

Miss Hazel and James Monk are leaving Monday for a motor trip to Florida.

Mrs. Minnie S. Warren will visit relatives in Battleboro during the holidays.

Billy Willis, student at Randolph-Macon Academy, is at home for the holidays.

Mrs. J. M. Ward, Sr., and Mrs. Lola Dickens, will spend Sunday in Columbia.

Nick Otte, a former citizen here, was in town speaking to friends, Wednesday.

Mrs. W. M. Kittrell has returned to Robersonville after a visit to Mrs. Lath Morriss.

Mrs. J. W. Raspberry returned Tuesday from a visit to relatives in Cary and Raleigh.

Mrs. J. S. Whittelsey, of Opelika, Ala., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Knott.

Carl Joyner, student at the University of Carolina, is at home for the holidays.

Friends will regret to learn that Mrs. T. M. Dail is ill at her home on Church street.

Miss Mary Ellen Yelverton, teacher in the Aberdeen school, is at home for the holidays.

Mrs. L. P. Thomas and son, "Boots," have returned from a visit to Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. Alfred M. Moore and Mrs. John B. Joyner were Goldsboro visitors, Monday.

Miss Nancy Lewis, a member of the Ayden faculty, is at home for the holidays.

Miss Rachel Lewis, a member of the Aurora faculty, has arrived for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Branch Bobbitt and small son are visiting relatives in Warrenton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lilley and children will spend the week end with relatives in Eure.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Martin are spending the holidays with relatives in Blackstone, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Horton and Mrs. Robert Lee Smith were Wilson visitors, Monday.

John B. Lewis left Thursday to spend Christmas with his family at Beech Island, S. C.

Miss Elizabeth Lang, teacher in the LaGrange school, has arrived for the holiday season.

Mrs. John A. Moore, of Fayetteville, is spending the holidays with Mrs. Louise D. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Vought, Miss Natalie and Grandin Vought spent Sunday in Spring Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Rollins and children will visit friends in Scotland Neck during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Watson, of Wilson, will spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Monk.

Charles Ray Townsend, student at Salem Military School, is at home for the holidays.

Miss Helen Willis and Robert Monk, students at Duke, have arrived for the holiday season.

Mrs. Ruth Fowler Stokes, has returned to Falkland after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Arthur Gay.

Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. T. C. Turnage is recuperating from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Scott left Thursday to spend the holidays with relatives in Richmond, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Rollins and son will spend a portion of the holidays with relatives in Sunbury.

Miss Gene Horton, student at Majorie Webster, in Washington, D. C., is at home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Day, of Raleigh, are spending the week end with Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Mashburn.

Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. C. C. Joyner continues to improve, following a recent illness.

Mrs. C. R. Townsend, Mrs. B. S. Smith and Mrs. C. B. Mashburn, Sr. were Salemburg visitors, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Herring, of Kinston, will spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Smith.

Mrs. B. R. Fields, Mrs. W. J. Rollins and son, Rufus, have returned from a visit to Plymouth relatives.

Mrs. G. S. Gardner and daughter, Sigman, of Pinetops, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Joyner this week.

Mrs. G. T. Dugger, Mrs. John Hewerton and Mrs. E. E. Pollard were Rocky Mount visitors, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nash Warren and son will spend Christmas Day with their father, T. E. Barrow, in Greene county.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. H. Turnage, of Quantico, Va., is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. W. J. Turnage.

Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. R. C. Thornton and son Dickey, are recuperating from an attack of influenza.

Mrs. Denver Shackelford, of Atlanta, Ga., is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dupree, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Turnage and children, of Silver Springs, Md., are spending the holidays with Mrs. W. J. Turnage.

Mrs. I. E. Satterfield, Mrs. Arthur F. Joyner, Mrs. John B. Joyner and Mrs. Alfred B. Moore were Kinston visitors, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Walker and small daughter will visit friends and relatives in Wilson and Columbia during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Paylor and sons, Jack and Bob, are leaving Sunday to spend several days with relatives in Laurinburg.

Mrs. W. M. Willis, Mrs. S. A. Garis, Mrs. M. V. Horton and Mrs. Robert Lee Smith were Rocky Mount visitors, Friday.

Friends will regret to learn that Billy McCullum has had a recurrence of trouble with his ear and is ill again.

Miss Eva Mae Turnage, of Raleigh, is spending the week end with her parents, Postmaster and Mrs. B. O. Turnage.

Miss Elizabeth Coppedge and Bob Wheelless, students at Mars Hill, are at home for the holidays.

Miss Verona Lee Joyner and Miss Margaret Walter, teachers in the Washington school, are at home for the holidays.

Misses Louise and Virginia Harris and Frances Joyner, students at W. C. N. N. C., Greensboro, have returned for the holidays.

Mrs. Frank Brown, of Pinetops, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pittman, of Rocky Mount, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Treathan.

Members of the Farmville graded school faculty left during the past week end for their respective homes to spend the Christmas holidays.

Lieutenant Ben O. Turnage, of Fort Moultrie, S. C., is spending the holidays with his parents, Postmaster and Mrs. B. O. Turnage, Sr.

Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. Arthur Gay has returned from a Wilson hospital where she had been receiving treatment for sinus.

Mrs. Maynard G. Thorne and sons, Maynard, Jr., and James, left Thursday for a trip to Lincolnton, Ga., and Sanford and Vero Beach, Fla.

Miss Alice Taylor, Miss Mavis Leggett, Miss Frances Greene and Bill Pollard attended a party given friends in Walstonburg on Monday.

Mrs. Louise Dixon Harris, Mrs. David T. Harris, Mrs. Henrietta M. Williamson and Mrs. Mary Moye Patterson were Raleigh visitors, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Modlin, of Norfolk, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Modlin, of Murfreesboro, will spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Modlin.

Mrs. Frank Capps and daughter, Novella Horton, and Mrs. Madeline H. Rountree, of Washington, D. C., are spending the holidays with Mrs. Dora H. Keel.

Miss Evelyn Horton, who has been attending a secretarial school in Washington, D. C., for several months, will spend the holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Manning and children, of Williamston, will be guests of Mrs. Mary M. Patterson and Mrs. Henrietta M. Williamson, on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Satterfield, of Richmond, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Simpson, of Norfolk, Va., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Gates.

C. L. Whittelsey, of Opelika, Ala., arrived this week to spend the holidays with his daughter, Mrs. J. I. Morgan, Sr., he was accompanied by C. L. Whittelsey, III, who lives also in Opelika.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Dixon and daughter, Miss Daisy Barnhart, Mr. and Mrs. Knott Proctor and children, of Greenville, and John D. Dixon, of Kinston, were guests of Mrs. Louise D. Harris, Sunday.

Lowell Liles and Graham McG. Adams, students at Wake Forest, have arrived for the holiday season.

Mrs. Eddie Fulghum and children, of Wilson, were guests of Mrs. Herbert Kemp, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Jones were hosts at dinner on Wednesday evening. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Glass, of Greenville, and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Monk, Sr.

J. Y. Monk, who has been receiving treatment in a Baltimore hospital for several days, returned to his home here Wednesday evening. We are glad to report that he is recuperating rapidly.

Mrs. Albert Horton and Mrs. Kathleen Moore are leaving today, Friday, to spend the holidays with relatives in Richmond, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dixon, of Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harrington, of Greenville, will spend Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. George Windham.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Swinson and children, of Richmond, Va., Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Sikes and children, and Mrs. J. D. Cooper, of Columbia, and Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Coops and daughter, of Greensboro, will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Oglesby during the week end.

Mrs. Clarence Edwards and small daughter, Mary Jo, left this week for their home in Jacksonville, Fla., after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wheelless. Mrs. Edwards was called home on account of the illness of her husband. Late reports state that he is improving.

I. E. Satterfield, who has been buying on the Horse Cave, Ky., tobacco market again this season arrived Thursday to be with his family for the holiday season. Bill Satterfield, a student in the Durham schools, has also arrived.

A CHRISTMAS WISH
(By C. B. Mashburn)

"Tis not the Gift," so people say,
That cheers us on our homeward way,
But just the thought of being loved—
That makes it Christmas Day.

If this be true—I pray it is—
Of this, then, please be sure—
No "Gift" I have, but love like His,
I send this Christmas Day.

Successor of those Pioneers,
Whose "Gifts" were Life and Way,
I wish for you, the whole year thru—
A blessed Christmas Day.

REHEARSAL PARTY

The members of the Joyner-Smith wedding party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Tyson on Monday evening immediately following the rehearsal in the Fountain Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Tyson received at the front door and introduced the guests to Miss Mattie Ruth Smith, bride-elect and Mr. Carey Joyner, bridegroom-elect, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith, parents of the bride-elect.

Mrs. Kelly Rayls received at the hall door and directed the guests to the den where Mrs. Earl Forbes and Miss Margaret Tyson presided over the register.

Miss Carrie T. Smith invited the guests into the dining room. The dining room was decorated to carry out the bridal motif and lighted by white tapers in silver holders. The table was covered with a lace cloth and a beautiful brides cake formed the centerpiece. An ice course with individual cakes was served by Miss Huldah Smith, Miss Clara Brown and Mrs. J. C. Parker. Misses Emily Smith, Marjorie Smith and Joyce Tyson served mints and nuts.

Music for the evening was rendered by Misses Mary Adams and Mary Thorne Tyson at the piano and Mrs. Daisy Holmes Smith and Dr. Arthur Wooten entertained with vocal solos.

AGAIN, CHRISTMAS IS HERE
(By Rev. D. A. Clarke)

The dawn of Christmas day thrills the heart of a weary world. Many have been disturbed by grief and sorrow while others have faced disappointment and failure. There rises in the human heart a common spirit of cheer and confidence. All earth takes on a new glow. Defeat is transformed into victory. Why this new experience? Christmas is here. But what is the meaning of all this? It means that God has come to earth; that Hope shines upon a dark world; that heaven loves lost men; that men will yet learn to love each other; that this Babe will not relinquish His right upon the earth, until He has bound up the broken hearted, proclaimed liberty to the captives, offered beauty for ashes, the oil of joy for mourning, and the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness.

Indeed, the message of Christmas is a message of eternal Hope from the Son of God and the Savior of men. There is a great need in the hearts of men for this message of Christ. Sin has a strong hold on the world, bringing unhappiness and ruin. As much as ever, should we realize the emptiness of our desires, for we need to be saved from ourselves as well as from our sins. Christ came, not only as a great prophet, but as a messenger that God is with us. He is our light. He is our Hope. He is our Peace.

"Above the deep and dreamless sleep,
The silent stars go by,
Yet, in the dark street shineth,
The everlasting Light,
The hopes and fears of all the years
Are met in Thee tonight."

GAS KILLS WILD ANIMALS

New York—Gas, seeping from a defective stove, ended the lives of fifty-three wild animals, an assortment of monkeys, gibbons, birds, a deer and a tiger cat, while they slept in their cages in a New York animal importing house. They were valued at about \$4,000, as some of them were rare specimens.

In the last hog sale at Fayetteville, Cumberland farmers sold 300 animals weighing 9,455 pounds for \$4,500.

Holiday Festivities Center Around Bride-Elect

Christmas Colors And Motifs Predominate In Decorations of Week's Activities

The favored colors and motifs associated with the Yuletide have predominated in home and plate decorations, with evergreens, chrysanthemums and poinsettias also being effectively used by hostesses during the week, the festivities of which have centered about Miss Edna Lurline Bass, whose marriage to Mr. James Monroe Wheelless, Jr., will take place on the last day of December.

On Monday, Miss Sally Lovelace, of Crisp, was hostess at a luncheon honoring Miss Bass. Following the course luncheon bridge was played at six tables with the high score award of costume jewelry being won by Miss Margaret Barnes and the consolation prize, figurines, by Miss Sadie Belle Brown. The honoree was presented with a silver tray and guests received individual gifts from a miniature Christmas tree. Guests from Farmville included Miss Bass, her mother, Mrs. J. W. Bass, and sister, Miss Hazel, Mrs. J. M. Wheelless, Sr., Miss Rebecca Wheelless, Miss Mary Alice Beaman and Miss Elizabeth Lang.

Miss Koma Lee Owens, of Fountain, entertained at dinner on Monday evening in compliment to Miss Bass and Mr. Wheelless. Covers were laid for six, and a three course dinner was served at six o'clock. Favors were theatre tickets. Guests were: Miss Bass, Mr. Wheelless, Miss Arlene Parker, William Davis and William Walker, of Washington.

Miss Mary Alice Beaman was gracious hostess at bridge on Tuesday, honoring Miss Bass, with players at six tables and additional friends including Mrs. J. W. Bass and Mrs. J. M. Wheelless, Sr., invited to tea. Miss Janie Davis compiled high score and received companion picture. The honor guest was given silver candlesticks and Mrs. David T. Harris, a recent bride, was remembered with figurines. A salad course and a variety of dainty sandwiches were served after play.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harrell, of Greenville, were hosts at dinner, Tuesday evening, honoring this popular young couple. The table was centered with a silver bowl of Christmas tree ornaments and illuminated with red candles in silver candleholders, and further decorated with an overhead arrangement of silver wedding bells. Covers were laid for eight and a four course dinner was served at seven o'clock. In the bridge games, which followed, Mebane Lea was awarded the top score award, cards, and Miss Bass was presented with a vase of rose tinted glass. Guests were; the bride and groom-elect, Misses Mae Joyner and Mary Alice Beaman, Carl Joyner and Mebane Lea, all of Farmville.

mas season was the luncheon on Wednesday, at which Mrs. E. C. Beaman and Mrs. W. E. Joyner were joint hostesses at the home of the former. Bridge was played at twelve tables with additional friends invited for the luncheon feature. Mrs. R. O. Lang topped all scores and won a lovely towel set; sheer handkerchiefs were presented to out-of-town guests; Mrs. J. B. Cutchina, Washington; Mrs. C. T. Dixon, Wilson; Mrs. W. M. Kittrell, Robersonville; Mrs. W. Marlon, Kinston; and Mrs. D. E. Jones, Greenville, and Miss Edna Lurline Bass, bride-elect, and Mr. David T. Harris, a recent bride, also received attractive gifts.

The Literary Club was entertained on Wednesday by Mrs. J. Y. Monk, with Mrs. Alfred B. Moore as leader of the program, which was presented in the form of a discussion of the Lees of Virginia, and was concluded with selected Christmas poems, read by ravenous members. The chairman of the local Tuberculosis Seal Sale, Miss Tabitha DeVisconti, reported a sale of more than ten thousand, and the responsibility of providing meals for a local tubercular patient was undertaken by the club. The members exchanged gifts from Santa's pack during the social hour, and while a delicious sweet course was being served.

RETRIBUTION

I have reached my goal at last—
Teaching again—a very fine class
Kindergartners twenty two;
Yes, they give me plenty to do
But I wouldn't change places with
anyone.

I wouldn't give up the wholesome
fun
That we enjoy every day
In our work that we call play.

Sometimes with admiration I gaze
Upon their beautiful childish ways
And think: You're twinkling stars
so bright
Sent to brighten my cloudy night,
Sent to roll the clouds away,
And let me live in my wanted way.
—Mrs. Florence Thorne.

Halifax farmers are cooperating with those of Edgecombe to use the facilities of the Edgecombe Livestock Association in marketing surplus hogs grown in Halifax County.

When You Need a Laxative

Thousands of men and women know how wise it is to take Black-Draught at the first sign of constipation. They like the refreshing relief it brings. They know its timely use may save them from feeling badly and possibly losing time at work from sickness brought on by constipation.

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PARAMOUNT THEATRE
FARMVILLE, N. C.

WEEK OF DECEMBER 27
MONDAY & TUESDAY
Lily Pons and John Howard
—in—
"HITTING A NEW HIGH"
Also—Mickey Mouse

WEDNESDAY
Leo Carrillo and Jean Parker
—in—
"THE BARRIER"


THURSDAY
Frances Farmer and Oscar Homolka
—in—
"EBB TIDE"

FRIDAY
John Barrymore and Lynne Overman
—in—
"NIGHT CLUB SCANDAL"

FRIDAY
MID-NIGHT SHOW
Leslie Howard and Joan Blondell
—in—
"STAND-IN"

SATURDAY
Buck Jones and Helen Twelvetrees
—in—
"HOLLYWOOD ROUND-UP"

SUNDAY ONLY
Bert Wheeler and Robert Woolsey
—in—
"THE HIGH FLIERS"



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— AND —
A PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR
OUR SINCERE WISH
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NOTICE OF SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE


Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by J. R. Dupree and Mattie Porter Dupree, to John B. Lewis, Trustee, on the 22nd day of June 1937, and recorded in Book Y-21 at page 630 of the Pitt County Registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured as therein provided, and due demand having been made upon the trustee to sell the same, the undersigned trustee will on Monday, January 17th, 1938, at 12:00 o'clock NOON, before the Courthouse in Greenville, N. C., will sell, for cash to the highest bidder, the following described lot or parcel of land:

Beginning on the west side of Main Street in the Town of Farmville, at the intersection of Main Street and Acton (or Division) Street, running along Acton (or Division) Street westerly seventy (70) yards to the Erwin Hines (now Will Dickens) lot; thence northward fifty-five feet to Dennis Dupree's line; thence eastward along the Dupree line seventy (70) yards to Main Street; thence along Main Street in a southerly direction fifty-five (55) feet to the point of beginning, being the remainder of that certain lot conveyed by Bettie Joyner to Sallie Hopkins, July 10th, 1910, part of said lot having been conveyed to Dennis Dupree; and being the identical lot conveyed by Sallie Hopkins, unmarried, to Mattie Porter Dupree by deed dated June 12th, 1933 and of record in the Pitt County Public Registry.

This the 18th day of December, 1937.

JOHN B. LEWIS,
Trustee.

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey Milk Cow Good Milker. See Mrs. Alice Flanagan, Farmville, Route 1, 1 mile of Langs X Roads. 2t-pd.



New Christmas

To You And Yours
May Prosperity Accompany
You Throughout
-1938-

Farmville BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION
FARMVILLE, N. C.