

# Social Items - Personals

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## PRESBYTERIAN WOMAN'S AUXILIARY BIRTHDAY PARTY.

The annual birthday party of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church was held Monday evening in the Sunday school auditorium of the church. Mrs. J. W. McLaughlin was leader of the program. Mrs. Hubert McLean conducted the devotional. The following members of the Auxiliary took part in the birthday review, giving facts about each year's gift since the first birthday party in 1922: Miss Flora Boyce, Mrs. David Smith, Mrs. Kate Covington, Miss Ella Chappell, Mrs. Herbert McKeithan, Mrs. A. C. Gillis, Mrs. Robert Cox, Mrs. Marcus Smith, Mrs. Mary McDiarmid, Mrs. H. R. McLean, Mrs. Luke Bethune, Miss Sarah Lytch, Miss Sarah Ella Conoly, Miss Louise Blue, Miss Jessie Bright Ferguson, Mrs. Leonard Grant, Mrs. Herbert McLean, Mrs. J. H. Blue, Mrs. Marjorie Townsend, and Mrs. Neill McFadyen.

The 1942 gift is to be used to help train Christian leaders in the negro race. Mrs. H. K. Holland gave an interesting account of the work being done at Stillman Institute, the center of our church's work for the negro, and to which a major part of the birthday offering will go.

Mrs. McLaughlin told of some outstanding things done by W. M. Sheppard, a graduate of Stillman Institute, and other negro leaders.

The birthday offering was taken and, after prayer by Rev. H. K. Holland, a social hour was enjoyed in the undercroft of the church.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Mrs. Arthur D. Gore entertained with a treasure hunt Saturday evening from 7:30-9:30 in honor of Gwen and Anne's birthday anniversaries. When the guests arrived on the lawn, they were served punch and cookies. After going through the Virginia reel and singing a while they started on the treasure hunt which ended at the drug store where they were served ice cream.

## CHAMINADE MUSIC CLUB ENTERTAINED IN UPCHURCH HOME.

The last meeting of the Chaminade Music Club until fall was held Tuesday afternoon in the Upchurch home with Mrs. Lewis Upchurch and Mrs. Alfred Cole, hostesses.

Mrs. R. L. Murray, retiring president, was in the chair. Important business transacted was a vote to give victrola records to Raeford's Soldiers Center, a contribution to the Crosby Adams anniversary.

A short musical program was rendered with the following appearing on the program. March of Peace, by Mrs. Walter Baker, composed by Mrs. H. R. Poole, of Antioch. Harold Thomas was a guest of the club. He gave a piano solo that was enthusiastically received, Poet and Peasant, by Schumann.

During the social hour which followed an ice course was served.

## GREEN-BANCROFT.

James Worthy Green and Miss Frances Bancroft were married May 15, 1942, in Bennettsville, South Carolina. Mr. Green (Jimmie) is the son of Harry Green and the grandson of Mrs. J. A. Green of Raeford, and the late Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson. Since he graduated from high school, Jimmie has made his home with his mother, Mrs. Melvin Vann, in Berkeley, California. For the past few months he has been at Chantue Field, Rantoul, Illinois, and returned there Tuesday. Mrs. Green went to Detroit, Michigan, where she will work. Mr. and Mrs. Green visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Upchurch while they were here. Harry Green and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Upchurch went with the young couple to be married.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McNeill and Rev. and Mrs. H. K. Holland spent several days last week in Williamsburg, Va.

Miss Mary Jean Lentz, of Durham, is spending this week with Mrs. J. C. Thomas.

## LARKSPUR

By Glenn Ward Dresbach

The larkspur may remind someone of fragile spires that caught the sun in some far legendary town. . . . Though many spires are battered down

They glisten in the dreams of men— And must climb toward the sky again! To someone else the larkspur came With urgency of lean blue flame. That lifts its valiant light today Where mists had crept and walls were gray . . .

Though many flames have left no more Than ashes on a storied shore, From drifting ashes must arise New lights for all the watching eyes.

And Larkspur may but bring to you Faith in old gardens, lasting through Dissensions of the years, where climb The spires and flames that brighten Time— And lift the heart and mind to trust Things not apparent in the dust!

## MRS. MACDONALD BRIDGE CLUB HOSTESS.

Mrs. K. A. MacDonald entertained the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge club Wednesday afternoon at her home on the Fayetteville road. After several interesting progressions high score prize was given to Mrs. M. T. Poovey, visitor's high went to Mrs. Neill McFadyen.

The hostess assisted by her daughter, Katherine, served an ice course.

Miss Floye Lee, of Erwin, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Roy Brown.

Miss Lucille David, of Salters, S. C., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. S. McLean.

Miss Agnes Mae Johnson, a senior at Salem college, Winston-Salem, spent the past weekend with her mother, Mrs. J. S. Johnson.

Mrs. E. C. Murray of Charlotte, is visiting her son, Dr. R. L. Murray. She came to Raeford with him when he returned from the medical convention.

Miss Billie McIntyre spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brooks in Marion, S. C.

Mrs. A. P. Dickson, of High Point, spent last week with Mrs. Paul Dickson. She is now visiting her daughter, Mrs. William Elliott, in 71st township.

Miss Mary Elizabeth McBryde and Miss Frances McBryde, of Raleigh, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ryan McBryde.

Miss Florence Anita Lester, a member of the school faculty of Fairmont, came home last week for the summer holidays.

Pvt. Dempsey Herring, of Fort Blanding, Fla., is spending a few days this week with his wife.

Miss Peggy Bethune, of Wilmington, spent the past week-end with her mother, Mrs. Ina Bethune.

Miss Dot Secrest, of Fayetteville, was the weekend guest of Miss Patricia Stuart.

Boz Bethune, of Wilmington, spent the past weekend at home.

Miss Eleanor Brown, member of the Stantonsburg grammar school faculty, returned home Thursday for a visit. Miss Brown is leaving Friday for Portsmouth, Va., where she will take a business course. She will stay with her sister, Miss Rosa Brown, who is working in Portsmouth.

## Ashmont News

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Smith, of Montrose, have moved to Victoria, Va. Mr. Smith is engaged in defense work at Blackstone, Va.

The condition of Mrs. George Vanhoy, of Sanatorium, continues very critical.

Miss Margaret Graham, of Montrose, entered Moore county hospital Tuesday for treatment.

## NOTE OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for the many kindnesses shown us during our recent bereavement.  
THE FAMILY OF MRS. D. B. MCFADYEN.

Obviously the war has put the brakes on politics, and there is little interest, in the Bailey-Fountain senatorial battle and in the five races for congressional nominations, except for the one in the First District.

## With The Army People

(Contributed)

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McGoogan have just received a card from Mrs. W. M. Curtis stating that she had received a cable from her husband, Lt. Curtis, on May 5th stating that he was taken prisoner in the fall of Corrigedor. Mrs. Curtis and son are living with her parents in Einid, Oklahoma. She sends best wishes to her friends in Raeford. Lt. Curtis reached Manila about a week before war was declared and has been on Corrigedor ever since.

Raymond Maness of the Tank Destroyer Bn., now wears two silver bars. He is Captain Maness.

Correction: It is "Captain" Scarborough who has taken the Tom Cameron apartment—not "Lieutenant."

An expression of appreciation to Mrs. R. L. Murray, who is today serving the luncheon to the officers' wives. This is the second time within two months that Mrs. Murray has graciously entertained the army wives in her home.

Capt. and Mrs. J. H. Speckman had as their guests, Mrs. Speckman's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Graham, of Columbus, Ohio. The Grahams returned to Ohio yesterday.

Mrs. Giles Ellis, mother of Mrs. Milton Roth, arrived in Raeford last Thursday from Tuscaloosa, Ala., to spend two weeks with her daughter and son-in-law.

Major and Mrs. E. Chellev and daughter, Val, left last Wednesday for a short visit to their home in Indianapolis, Ind. Mrs. Alfred Lim-

ing also accompanied the Chellevs to Indiana where she will visit her family.

Chaplain and Mrs. E. E. Smedley and their three children, of Shawnee, Okla., have taken Miss Kate King's apartment in the McDiarmid home. Chaplain Smedley was recently transferred from Camp Davis to the 5th Regiment of the FARC, Ft. Bragg.

Mrs. Randolph Chance and two children, accompanied by Miss Mazie Norton, left Raeford Monday morning, to motor to Blackstone, Va., which is their new home.

Col. and Mrs. Walter Anderson, who have had a room at The Pines, have taken a house at 807 Cape Fear, in Fayetteville, until the first of July. The Andersons will move Saturday but hope to locate in Raeford in the near future.

Lt. and Mrs. Hargey have taken an apartment with Mrs. Ina Lentz.

Lt.-Col. and Mrs. Ralph Patterson, of Davenport, Iowa, have rented the home of Clyde Upchurch, Jr. They, their two sons of high school age and daughter will move in June 5th. Captain Patterson, Jr., a son of the Colonel, has been living in Raeford for about a month.

## Negro Slashed By His Wife

Lewis Hunter, colored, is in a Fayetteville hospital as the result of a family argument. His wife, Flora Hunter, carved up his body and stabbed him deeply on both shoulders Saturday night. The Hunter woman is being held in the county jail pending his recovery.

Deputy J. C. Wright and Patrolman Barnes investigated the fight and arrested the woman.

## A Good Pupil

(Contributed)

Mildred Boyle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Boyle of Raeford has completed her 8th year in school and has received eight certificates for perfect attendance. She hopes to continue this record through high school.

## RENEW YOUR SUBSCRIPTION

## WANT ADS

WANTED—To buy pulp wood—either on the stump or by the cord delivered to nearest railroad shipping point. See W. H. Grover and E. C. Stanton or write P. O. Box, 181, Raeford, N. C. 45-12t

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