

Socials-Personal Items . . .

COUPLES CLUB MEETS AT GIBSON HOME

The members of the couples club were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gibson on Thursday evening of last week. Only members of the club were present and at the end of several interesting progressions high score prize went to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Upchurch, Jr. A delicious dessert course was served after the game.

B & PW CLUB MEETS

The Raeford Business & Professional Women's club held its regular monthly meeting at the high school lunchroom on Tuesday evening of this week at 6:30.

Mrs. C. H. Giles, president, presided. Mrs. Ed Willis gave the club collect after which the minutes of the last meeting and of the inspirational breakfast were read by the secretary, Mrs. W. P. Barrington, and the treasurer's report was given by Mrs. Marguerite Pearson.

Mrs. Ruria Shelton had charge of the program for the evening and after Mrs. Barrington, accompanied by Miss Jessie Bright Ferguson at the piano, sang "The Bells of St. Mary's." Mrs. Shelton introduced Miss Fannie Mottinger, district director, of Whiteville. Miss Mottinger told the members about the mid-year council to be held at the Hollywood Hotel in Southern Pines November 12-13 and asked for a large representation. She then introduced Miss Elizabeth McMurray, Bible teacher of the Whiteville schools, who was the speaker of the evening and who in a very interesting manner enlightened the members on their emblem and its meaning.

W. L. Alexander and son, James spent the week end in Franklin with Mr. Alexander's mother, Mrs. A. A. Gregg. They went to attend a family reunion Sunday.

SENIOR BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mrs. W. L. Poole was hostess to the senior bridge club on Monday evening. There were two tables in play with Mrs. J. H. Blue and Mrs. Alfred Cole guests other than club members.

Mrs. Paul Dickson, Sr. won the club prize and Mrs. Alfred Cole the visitor's prize. Mrs. Poole served an ice course after the game.

SHIEL-WOOD

The engagement of Miss Jeanne Craik Shiel, daughter of Mrs. R. V. Page and the late R. J. Shiel of Wilmington, to Allen Wilton Wood, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wood of Rockfish, has been announced by her mother. The wedding will take place December 26.

KIMBALL-BLUE

Mrs. Anna Patch Blue of Southern Pines announces the marriage of her daughter, Clara Anne to Joe Riley Kimball, March 5, 1949, at Chesterfield, South Carolina.

Mrs. Kimball is the daughter of the late Daniel Blue of Raeford and Timberland and Mrs. Blue of Southern Pines.

Mr. Kimball is the son of Mrs. N. S. Kimball and the late Mr. Kimball of Southern Pines.

WRIGHT-TILLMAN

The wedding of Miss Bessie Lee Wright and Mr. Joseph Harold Tillman of Rockfish will be solemnized Sunday evening, October 30, at Tabernacle Baptist church, Rockfish. Rev. E. B. Booker, former pastor of the bride, will officiate. The public is invited to attend.

FREEMAN REUNION

Carl Freeman's brothers and sisters and their families met at the home of Mr. Freeman for a family reunion. Picnic tables were placed in the yard and a delicious dinner was served. There were about fifty people present for this occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walters and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Mitchell spent Friday in Raleigh where they visited relatives and attended the State Fair.

Miss Billie Mae Aldred, daughter of Mrs. Alice Aldred and a junior at the Cabarrus School of Nursing at Concord, with the superintendent of the school, attended the N. C. State Student Nurse meeting held at the Sheraton Hotel in High Point last Monday, as a representative from the school.

Mrs. J. K. McNeill, Mrs. J. K. McNeill, Jr., Mrs. Ed McNeill, Mrs. Crawford Thomas and Miss Iris Thomas were guests at a luncheon given for Mrs. McNeill Sr.'s niece, Miss Mary Jean Lentz, bride-elect of November 18, at the home of Mrs. John G. Hughes in Parkton Saturday at 1 o'clock. Miss Lentz is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Lentz of Durham.

Mrs. A. C. Keith underwent a major operation at the Charlotte Memorial hospital last Wednesday. She is reported to be recuperating nicely but will be there for some time.

Earle Wilfong of Gastonia spent the week end here visiting friends.

ATTEND DAVIDSON HOMECOMING

Raeford people who attended Homecoming at Davidson the past week end and heard Margaret Truman sing Friday night were: Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Murray, Miss Mary Stewart Covington, Miss Alice Walker, Tom McLaughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Macdonald, William and Robert Covington, now of Charlotte, Hugh McLaughlin of Gastonia and Miss Bettie Davis of Greensboro were among the former Raeford people there.

HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

The Hoke-Raeford PTA, is sponsoring a Halloween carnival to be held in high school auditorium next Monday evening. Beginning at 5:30, hot dogs, drinks, and ice cream will be sold by home economics department.

After eating there will be bingo, fishing, hall of horrors, turkey raffle, chances on boxes of candy, cake walks, costume parade, popularity contest, and other attractions for both old and young.

Make your plans to meet your friends at the carnival and enjoy an evening of fun, and thereby aid in supporting your school.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Currie announce the birth of a son, George Wells, Thursday, October 20, at Highsmith hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Edison McGirt announce the birth of a girl, Mary Donna, Friday, October 21, at Pittman hospital.

Charles Murray of Wagram and E. C. Smith, Jr. attended the automobile races at the State Fair Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baker visited Mr. and Mrs. Riley Jordan in Winston-Salem last Friday. While there they attended the wedding of Mrs. Baker's cousin, Walt Godwin, at the First Christian church at 6 o'clock.

Mrs. Fred Giles will take her mother, Mrs. J. M. Christman, to Henderson this week end to spend awhile with her daughter, Mrs. C. L. Finch.

Eddie Morden of Canada is spending some time with his family at Hotel Raeford.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Mann and family of Elizabethtown were guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. Mann Sunday.

Mrs. Lillian McEachern of Fasifern School at Hendersonville was a week end guest of her mother, Mrs. W. M. Blue.

David Harrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Harrell, was injured Sunday afternoon when he fell from the back of a pickup truck and was taken to Moore County hospital where he is still a patient.

Miss Mary Raye Freeman of Flora Macdonald college and Miss Carlene Freeman of Greensboro College spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Floyd and children of Lumberton were guests in the home of Mr and Mrs. E. M. Smith Sunday.

Kenneth Clark spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Clark in Lumberton.

George Wood of ECTC, Greenville, was a week end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gullede.

Misses Mary Sue and Bettie Upchurch were guests of Miss Marian Lewis at Salem College over the week end.

Ark Holland of ECTC, Greenville was a week end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Poole.

Mrs. T. B. Lester, Sr. of Newberry, S. C. arrived Monday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lester and daughter, Andrea.



MR. AND MRS. JAMES RICHARD CONOLY cut their wedding cake after their marriage at the Methodist parsonage in Raeford Sunday afternoon October 16.—Photo by Harold Gillis.

Mr. and Mrs. Randle Matheson returned to their home in New Jersey Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCleskey of Gainesville, Ga. were guests of Mrs. McCleskey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Upchurch from Friday till Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dickson were week end guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Dickson at Chevy Chase, Md.

Mrs. Marshall Thomas, Mrs. R. L. Carter, Mrs. A. R. Morris and Mrs. Jesse Gibson had a most interesting trip this week end to the mountains of North Carolina. They went by Roaring Gap, to the Parkway and on to the Blowing Rock country and back by Lenoir.

Miss Kacky Blue of Peace college was at home the past week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blue.

Miss Leonora Currie of Dunn spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Currie.

James Hampton of Washington, D. C. spent last week in Raeford with his father.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hampton had as their week end guest, Mrs. Hampton's sister, Mrs. B. J. McGoogan of Norven.

Angus McFadyen underwent a nose operation at Highsmith hospital last Wednesday. He returned home Saturday and is recuperating nicely.

Mrs. Elva McMillan of Maxton is visiting friends in town this week.

Mrs. Roland Andrews and daughter and Mrs. Kate McPhaul returned to Raeford Monday after spending the week end in Waynesboro, Virginia, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry McArthur and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McBryde.

Mrs. John Walker has been quite sick for the past few days.

Mrs. W. T. Covington is a patient at Scotland County Memorial hospital at Maxton Airbase, having entered the hospital last Friday. Robert Covington visited his mother and was also in Raeford for a short while the past week end.

Mrs. Alf Walters entered Scotland County Memorial hospital near Maxton, Sunday night for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Epstein, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Epstein and Harry Epstein have visited their father, Sam Epstein, often in Latta, S. C. during the past week. Mr. Epstein, who is with another son, Nathan, had the misfortune to fall and break his hip.

Mrs. Lee Maulsby and Mrs. L. E. Reaves of Fayetteville have been away from home for the past week on a trip to Boston and other interesting places in the New England States as well as the cities en route.

Sgt. and Mrs. Robert Barker have taken an apartment with Mrs. Nelda Baucom.

Mrs. C. W. Seate of Fayetteville was the guest of friends the past week end and remained until after the meeting of the Robeson Association at the Baptist church yesterday.

Mrs. Neill A. McDonald and son, Neill, visited in Goldsboro Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Josephine Hall, Home Demonstration agent, attended the meeting of the Executive Board of the State and District Officers of the Home Demonstration Agents Association in Raleigh Friday evening and Saturday.

Miss Mary Peele returned home Sunday after spending the past several months visiting her brother in San Rafael, California, and her sister, in Helena, Mont.

Mrs. Walter Maxwell and her sister, Mrs. B. F. Shaw of St. Pauls, spent several days last week in Edenton with Mrs. Shaw's daughter, Mrs. Logan Elliott, and at Greenville visiting Joe Maxwell.

Mrs. W. M. Thomas and Miss Lizzie Niven visited Mrs. E. C. Griggs in Wadesboro Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Griggs is a patient at a Wadesboro hospital.

Miss Vysta Markham of Fayetteville was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jep Peele of Greensboro spent the week end in the home of Mr. Peele's father, E. L. Peele. Mrs. Francis Wyle returned to her home in Montreat Wednesday after spending the past ten days with her father, Mr. Peele.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Amos and Mrs. Marguerite Pearson visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Amos in Asheboro Sunday.

Mrs. Pete Sawyer attended the Harnett-Johnson Beauty Guild in Dunn Monday. She saw a demonstration of modern hair styling and cutting given by Vincent Colletti of New York.

A large number of Raeford people attended the concert at Flora Masdonald Monday evening.

Mrs. A. R. Morris received word Tuesday that her sister, Mrs. L. M. Russell, was seriously ill at her home in Troy. Mrs. Morris went up to Troy Tuesday night to see her.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Niven spent the week end in Roxboro in the home of Mrs. M. D. Gentry.

Miss Alice Walker attended the Synod's Meeting for Directors of Religious Education in North Carolina, held at Sunny Acres near Winston-Salem the first of the week.

Miss Alma Ferguson, who teaches in Sanford, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Potter of Lumberton were guests of T. D. Potter Sunday.

Miss Maude Poole and Miss Evelyn Holliday of Belmont spent the week end in the home of D. S. Poole and Mrs. Luke Betune.

Mrs. W. B. Crumpton of Belmont spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. E. R. Gatlin.

Miss Jane McKeithan was the guest of her sister, Miss Lydia McKeithan, at WCUNC, Greensboro from Friday till Saturday.

Mrs. Lucy Smith spent the week end in Raleigh with her daughters, Misses Elaine and Allene Smith. They attended the Burch-Barrett wedding in Roxboro Saturday afternoon after which they visited in the home of Mrs. M. D. Gentry for a short while.

CULTURE OF CAMELLIAS & AZELIAS

Mrs. J. B. McIntyre, who has had wide experience and success with azelias and camellias, having gained her knowledge by visits to the South's leading nurseries, has contributed the timely article published below:

Camellias and azelias require an acid soil condition. In cases where the soil is not acid enough, it may be improved to meet requirements by the addition of sulphur or aluminum sulphate.

Leaf mold from oak and pine is always safe to mix with the soil as humus to lighten the soil and help of hold water. When leaf mold is not available use commercial peat moss.

PLANTING
Dig a hole several inches wider all around than the diameter of the ball to be planted. Place the ball in the center and at a level that will allow the top of the ball to be a little higher than the surrounding ground. Fill in around the ball to a depth of 2 or 3 inches from the top with the same earth that was removed from the hole, and pack firmly with a blount stick or shovel handle, being careful not to jab into the ball. Then fill the remaining portion with a mixture consisting of good acid type soil and humus, in the form of leaf mold, peat moss or the like.

Camellias and azelias are shallow rooted plants, and therefore feed from the surface, so be careful not to plant too deep, but high enough to be slightly above ground level when plant has settled. Proper packing at time of planting will minimize amount of settling.

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