

# Socials-Personal Items . . .

## DEPARTMENT OF LITERATURE MEETS

Mrs. Lawrence McNeill, Miss Miriam Watson and Mrs. J. C. McLean were hostesses at the January meeting of the Department of Literature of the Woman's Club at the home of Mrs. McNeill on Tuesday evening. Camellias, jonquils, and other early spring flowers were the decorative note for the occasion.

After a business session, with the chairman, Mrs. Marcus Smith, presiding, a program on Twelfth Night was presented. Mrs. N. A. McDonald, Jr. ably discussed the origin and traditions of Twelfth Night, and Mrs. E. H. Robinson told in a most interesting manner of the modern celebration of the holiday. According to ancient custom a queen of the occasion was crowned, and by general consent Mrs. H. W. B. Whitley was accorded the honor. Mrs. Tommie Upchurch, president of the Woman's Club, was a special guest. During the social hour the hostesses served ice cream, cake and coffee.

## OPEN HOUSE AT BAKER HOME

Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. Riley Jordan and Miss Phyllis Baker were at home to a small group of friends. Guests gathered in the living room and den and were later invited into the dining room where they served themselves dainty sandwiches, toasted nuts, candies and cookies. Miss Mildred Oliver of Pine Level served punch from the attractively decorated table. Christmas decorations were used throughout. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Parnell of Parkton, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gardner of Wake Forest, Miss Lou Waddell of Fair Bluff, Miss Catherine Campbell and Coy Lanier of Buies Creek and Mrs. Robert McCleskey of Gainesville, Ga.

## GARDEN CLUB MEETS

The Garden club met Tuesday afternoon at the High School. Mrs. W. T. Covington, chairman, presided. Mrs. J. S. Johnson was leader of the program. Two moving pictures, "A Million Azaleas" and "How Does Your Garden Grow," were shown by W. C. Phillips. The pictures were in color and were very beautiful as well as helpful in planning and caring for a garden.

The hostesses, Mrs. Lacy McFadyen, Mrs. Aganora Andrews and Mrs. J. A. Baucom, served delicious refreshments during the social hour.

Guests in the home of Mrs. J. P. Smith during the holidays were: Mrs. Smith's son, Robert Looper of New York City, her daughter, Mrs. Herman King and son of Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Surles of Raleigh and Pfc. Ted Clark of Chanute Field, Ill.

## COUPLES CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mr. and Mrs. Neill Senter entertained the couples club on Thursday evening. All club members were present except Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gibson, who were out of town. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gatlin were guests of the club, making up the three tables that were in play. Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lester made the highest combined score, thereby winning the club prize. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gatlin received a gift and Clyde Upchurch, Jr. won the bingo prize. A dessert course with coffee was served after the game.

## NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Epstein entertained their many friends on New Year's Eve at McDonald's cabin near Timberland. They served a very delicious turkey dinner with all accessories.

## PRESBYTERIAN CIRCLES TO MEET

Circles of the Raeford Presbyterian Church will meet Monday, January 9, as follows: No. 1 with Mrs. W. L. Alexander at 3 o'clock; No. 2 with Mrs. H. S. Willis at 3:30 o'clock; No. 3 with Mrs. Kerr Stevens at 3 o'clock; No. 4 with Mrs. William Lamont, Jr. at 3:30 o'clock; No. 5 with Mrs. J. H. Blue at 3:15 o'clock; No. 6 with Mrs. Robert Gatlin at 3:30 o'clock; and No. 7 with Mrs. A. A. Graham at 3 o'clock.

## CHRISTMAS PARTY

One of the prettiest parties of the gay holiday season was that given by Mrs. Marshall Thomas last Thursday evening when she entertained with dinner followed by bridge.

An atmosphere of Christmas hospitality was in evidence from the lighted tree in the yard throughout the house with its cheerful open fire and pretty mantel and table arrangements.

Covers were laid at seven tables for twenty-eight. Each table was centered with a lighted red candle in an epernette with holly berries and hemlock. Place cards and tallies were Christmas bells. A delicious dinner was served.

In the game of bridge that followed Mrs. Crawford Thomas made highest score and Mrs. Paul Dickson, Sr. next high. Both were given prizes.

## LONG-ENGLISH

A. L. Long of Rockfish announces the engagement of his daughter, Mary Grace to David Grady English of Rockfish.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bethune spent Monday in Raeford with Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Currie. Mr. Bethune came especially to go hunting.

## MRS. SALLIE MCGILVARY HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

The Mildouson Home Demonstration Club gave a Tea on December 23rd honoring Mrs. Sallie McGilvary on her 88th birthday.

The club house was beautifully decorated with Christmas greens and red light. Soft music was played during the afternoon. The table was covered with a linen cloth and held the beautiful two tiered birthday cake decorated with 88 white candles, red berries and holly.

The guests were met and introduced to receiving line by Mrs. Jesse Gibson. Those receiving were her daughter, Mrs. L. A. McInnis and Mrs. N. A. McInnis of Dundarrach and Mrs. Rod Cameron of Jonesboro Heights, Sanford, N. C.

Punch, cookies, nuts and mints were served by Mesdames B. F. McGregor, Bob McBryde, John Glisson, J. T. Dean and M. D. Yates. Mrs. W. J. McBryde presided at the gift table and good byes were said to Mrs. Jesse Gibson.

Friends came from Red Springs, St. Pauls, Lumber Bridge, Raeford, Jonesboro and Antioch. The honoree received many nice gifts.

## BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Parks of Route 1, Aberdeen, announce the birth of a daughter, Sunday, December 25, at Moore County hospital.

Mrs. J. P. Smith spent the week end in Sanford in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Herman King.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Black of New Britain, Conn. have rented Mrs. Julian Johnson's apartment and have moved in. Mr. Black is connected with Hoke Auto company.

Mrs. H. A. Cameron and Donald took Marie Cameron and Marian Lewis back to Salem Wednesday. Mrs. Cameron and Donald spent the night with Mrs. Alan McGee and will return to Raeford today.

Charles Avera of Winston-Salem was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lewis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Furman Clark, who have an apartment with Mrs. Aganora Andrews, have rented the Covington Cottage now occupied by Cpl. and Mrs. Walters. Cpl. Walters has been transferred from Ft. Bragg.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Parker and J. A. Black during the holidays were Mrs. Mack Ray and daughter, Barbara Ann, Herbert Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Rogers and grandson, Bart, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ray, T. C. Ray, Mrs. Christine Cook and Mrs. Howard Morgan, all of Durham; Rev. Tom Ray of Birmingham, Alabama, and Miss Jean Faircloth of Elizabethtown.

Mrs. Ben Bennett entertained the young people of Wayside Community and Galatia Church at a New Year's Eve party at the Wayside Community house. Games and dancing were enjoyed throughout the evening. The hostess served delicious refreshments of punch and cookies.

The home that Mr. and Mrs. Dan Campbell are building on East Prospect Avenue is nearing completion. This house is on the lot just back of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gibson facing the Leach's.

Neill Senter returned to Springfield, Kentucky, Monday where he is buying tobacco for Reynolds. He had spent the past ten days here with his family.

Mrs. I. H. Shankle is spending a few days in Fayetteville with her daughter, Mrs. J. D. McCall.

Friends of Miss Mary McInnis of Red Springs are distressed to know that the home of Miss McInnis and her mother burned down Sunday night. Miss McInnis, who was formerly science teacher in the local high school is now teaching in High Point and had left Sunday to resume her work.

Mrs. Fred P. Giles, who was the manager of Morgan's Jewelry Store, and her husband are giving up their apartment at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thomas and leaving Raeford. The jewelry store has closed.

Mrs. Chester Wade and children spent several days last week in Oxford with relatives.

John McPhaul of Norfolk, Va. and Ernest McPhaul of Parkton were here Sunday to attend the funeral of their cousin, John H. Currie.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Christopher and children left Friday morning for Florida. They will return next summer for the crop dusting season.

Mrs. Berder Niven left Tuesday to spend several days with relatives in Langley Field and Portsmouth, Va.

Mrs. A. B. Manry and son, Johnny Brinkley, left Tuesday for their home in Norfolk after spending several days with Mrs. Manry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McDuffie. Gloria and Millie Brinkley spent the holidays in New York.

Mrs. Juanita Cameron Hewitt of Martinsville, Va. and Miss Lura Cameron of Wilson spent Christmas holidays with Mrs. J. A. Cameron.

Mrs. M. A. Ray and Miss Charlotte Ray visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Ray in Lexington during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Cameron spent the week end in Greenville, S. C. with relatives.

Miss Peggy Bethune returned Tuesday night after visiting friends in Washington, D. C. since Friday.

Mrs. Neill A. McDonald and son spent Friday night and Saturday in Goldsboro with Mrs. McDonald's mother.

Robert Mott of Pompano Beach, Florida, spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. James E. Shewbridge. Robert and John Parker have been in Pompano Beach since the first of December working.

Lt. and Mrs. Herbert Lockett and daughter, who have had an apartment with Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Niven for the past several months, have left for their home in Mobile, Alabama. Mrs. Lockett and daughter will remain there while Lt. Lockett is on maneuvers for the next four months.

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Junious Culbreth of Butler spent the holidays in Raeford with his brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dezerne left Tuesday night for Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. They will return to Raeford with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Caulk and two children, Tommy and Candy, returned to their home near Fall's Church, Va., Tuesday. Tommy Jr. was quite sick the first of the week.

Mrs. L. B. Brandon returned Monday night after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Durham in Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. Will McFadyen had as her guests for the New Year week end her three sisters, Mrs. R. L. Rogers of Bradenton, Florida, and Misses Jean and Janie Blue of Raleigh.

Mrs. Sarah McEachern McNeill is back at home after having spent the holidays in Raleigh with Mr. and Mrs. Laurie McEachern and Mr. and Mrs. Cy Tompson.

Mrs. Colon Scarborough and daughters, Lillian and Linda, attended a birthday party given for Mrs. Aulay McAulay in Mt. Gilead during the holidays. Mrs. Pressley Robinson Rankin entertained at tea in honor of her mother, who was 80 years old on that day.

Mrs. A. G. Swanson and two children have returned to their home in Eatonville, Washington, after spending the month of December here with Mrs. Swanson's mother, Mrs. I. H. Shankle.

Mr. and Mrs. Neill McFadyen and children spent several days last week in Winston-Salem with Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McLean. They returned to Raeford Thursday night.

Bobby Gentry, Joe Burch and James Ramsey of Roxboro were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Niven Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. W. B. Crumpton returned to Belmont, and Mrs. Guy Taylor and daughter, Mabel Gatlin, returned to Kinston Sunday after spending the holidays with Mrs. B. R. Gatlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Jordan returned to Winston-Salem Sunday.

Mrs. Jane Helliard of Charlotte, who was a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lytch during the holidays, fell last Thursday and broke her hip. She was taken to the Charlotte Memorial hospital by ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Stuart and children of Charlotte were week end visitors in the home of W. A. McLean.

Friends of J. C. McLean, who has been confined to his bed for the past eight weeks, will be glad to know that he is able to be up a little while each day.

Miss Katie Blue of Parkton visited her sister, Mrs. J. R. Hampton, the first of the week.

Miss Myra Mott and Davis Parker visited friends and relatives in Florida last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blythe and Sandra, returned last Wednesday after visiting relatives in Huntersville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jep Peele of Greensboro were visitors in town over the week end and the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cardwell and children have returned to Madison after spending the holidays with Mrs. Cardwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster McBryde.

Miss Mildred Oliver of Pine Level spent several days last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Walter Baker.

Miss Ellen Currie left Tuesday for Richmond after spending the week end here with her aunt, Miss Florence Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Warner returned last week after spending Christmas in Easley, S. C. with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Riddle and children. They were accompanied home by the Riddles for several days.

Miss Christine McPhaul of Washington, D. C. was a guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. W. J. Coates, last week. Little Allice Hunter and P. H. Suggs of Leaksville were also guests of their aunt for the week.

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