

Beaufort Social News

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Monroe and son, Bennett, of Boston, Mass., and St. Johns, Newfoundland, arrived Sunday to visit Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Hamm.

Mrs. Charles Davis will entertain her couples club at bridge this evening at her home on Ann St.

Mr. W. W. Rudder of Brookfield, Va., spent the weekend with Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Rudder.

Mrs. E. L. Davis spent Monday in New Bern.

Frank Morning of Washington, D. C., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Morning.

Mrs. Hattie Parkin and Mrs. George P. Her spent yesterday in New Bern.

Miss Ruth Gaskill returned to Greensboro Sunday after spending the past week with her parents.

Mrs. Bessie Nicholson of Maxton arrived Sunday to visit her daughter, Mrs. James D. Rumley, and to attend the christening of

her great granddaughter, Mary Elizabeth Reese.

Sgt. Shelby Willis left Monday for Japan where he will serve for the next two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Paul returned to Portsmouth, Va., Sunday after attending the Merrick Paul wedding.

Horace Seeley of Raleigh visited his father, Fred Seeley, last week.

Mrs. T. R. Jenkins, Miss Lena Duncan and Miss Gladys Chadwick were in Rocky Mount over the weekend attending a Wesleyan Guild meeting.

The Misses Martha Chadwick Gibbs and Jean Jenkins spent the weekend in Washington, N. C., visiting Nancy and Harriet Ratcliffe.

Professor and Mrs. N. A. Hill of Chapel Hill spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Sadie Hill. Mrs. Hill returned with them to Chapel Hill for a visit.

Mr. John Rumley, father of Mr. James D. Rumley, is in the Marine hospital, Norfolk, suffering with

two broken legs he received when struck by a car.

Mrs. William Wells of Burlington spent the weekend here.

Miss Bessie Jones of Richmond, Va., spent the weekend with her family, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Jones.

Mr. Forrest Simmons was taken to the Goldsboro hospital Sunday for treatment.

Mrs. Ralph Eudy, Mrs. Earl Taylor, Mrs. Martin Willis, Mrs. John Chapman and Mrs. Ellsworth spent Wednesday in New Bern.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark, Jr. and Bobby Clark, all of Elkton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James D. Rumley and attended the christening of Mary Elizabeth Reese.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Paul left for Washington, N. C., Friday evening, where they were called by the death of Mrs. Paul's father, C. C. Williams.

Mrs. C. O. Pitts returned to Norfolk last night after spending the weekend with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Skarren, and attending the wedding of her niece, Margaret Anne Paul, to Dr. Curtiss Merrick.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Simmons and baby of Bennettsville, S. C., with Mrs. Simmons mother, aunt and two uncles, all of Wisconsin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Simmons for a short while Saturday.

Mrs. F. S. Dickinson and Mrs. L. Chapman of Rutherford, N. J., spent the weekend at Inlet Inn.

Miss Margaret Anne Paul Becomes Bride of Dr. Curtiss Merrick Jr.

The marriage of Miss Margaret Anne Paul, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Halsey D. Paul of Beaufort, to Dr. H. Curtiss Merrick, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Merrick of Chariton, Iowa, was solemnized Sunday afternoon, April 10, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, at the First Baptist church in Beaufort. The Rev. Winfrey Davis, pastor of the church, performed the single ring ceremony.

White gladioli, stock and palms were banked around the altar, and seven and nine branched candelabra gave the only illumination to the ceremony.

Prior to the ceremony Mrs. Charles Hassell, organist, played I Love Thee and Meditation, and during the wedding ceremony she played To A Wild Rose. M. Leslie Davis, soloist, sang Constancy and Because.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a wedding gown of white bridal satin fashioned with a sheer marquisette yoke and lace edged satin bertha. The long sleeves tapered to leaf points over the hands. The basque bodice was accented by a full pick up skirt exposing a lace tiered underskirt and formed a graceful train. Her full length veil of bridal illusion was arranged from a sweetheart bonnet with pearlized orange blossoms and lace medallions adorned the illusion. She carried white carnations centered with a purple orchid.

Miss Helen Paul, sister of the bride, as maid of honor, wore a gown of green marquisette fashioned with an off-shoulder bertha edged in lace. The full pick up skirt exposing a lace ruffled underskirt extended from the snug bodice. She wore matching lace gloves and carried an arm bouquet of yellow iris.

Miss Mary Frazier Paul of Beaufort, cousin of the bride, Miss Marjorie Waters of Norfolk, Mrs. Harry Allen Paul of Portsmouth and Mrs. Norma Edwards of Norfolk, as bridesmaids, wore gowns styled like the maid of honor's in mauve, and carried yellow iris. The honor attendants all wore matching hairbraided half bonnets.

Miss Jennifer Rose, flower girl, wore a white satin dress identical to the bride's.

Best man for Dr. Merrick was his father, Mr. H. C. Merrick of Chariton, and ushers were Dr. Malcolm S. Byers of Fremont, Neb., and Philadelphia, Dr. Hal E. Harvey of Lincoln, Neb., and Philadelphia, Dr. Irvin S. Knight of Richmond and Dr. Douglas O. Hill of Waynesboro, Va.

Immediately after the ceremony the bride's parents entertained at a reception at the American Legion Hut to honor the bridal couple.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mr. and Mrs. Grayden Paul. The receiving line was composed of the bride and groom, Mrs. C. O. Pitts of Norfolk and Miss Daphne Paul of Beaufort, aunts of the bride, presided over the punch bowl, and Mrs. E. L. Davis cut the cake.

Mrs. Holden Ballou, Mrs. Frank Jordan, Mrs. Russell Klemm, Miss Carrie Lee Jones, Miss Esther

Mrs. Salter Entertains Bridge Club Thursday

Mrs. Jimmy Wallace of Morehead City was special guest last Thursday afternoon when Mrs. Theodore Salter entertained her bridge club.

High score prize for the afternoon was won by Mrs. Russell Dorrler. Blackberry pie ala mode and coffee was served during the afternoon.

Mrs. Smith Hostess To Club Friday

Mrs. W. L. Rudder won high score Friday evening when Mrs. Robert Smith entertained the members of her bridge club at her home in West Beaufort.

A frozen fruit salad and coffee was served to the guests at the end of the evening.

Garden-Civics Department Will Meet Tomorrow

The Garden and Civics department of the Woman's club will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. D. G. Gramble will have charge of the program and will show wild flower slides. Members are asked to bring garden plants for exchange.

The hostesses for the afternoon will be Mrs. Lena Jarvis, Mrs. J. C. Guthrie, and Mrs. J. R. Morrill.

Bridal Party Entertained at Breakfast Sunday

Mrs. Grayden M. Paul and Miss Daphne Paul entertained at a breakfast Sunday noon to honor their niece, Miss Margaret Anne Paul, who was married that afternoon to Dr. H. Curtiss Merrick.

Guests at the breakfast were the bridal party and out of town guests.

During the breakfast musical numbers were given by Miss Lois Webb and Guy Smith, who sang solos, Helen Paul and Guy Smith, who sang a duet, and Mary Frazier Paul, soloist.

Mrs. Horace Loftin Entertains At Party

Mrs. Horace Loftin entertained four tables at bridge last Thursday afternoon at home.

Spring flowers were used throughout the house, and the refreshments were Easter plates. Each plate had an Easter bunny on it, with sandwiches cut in calli lily form, the pear salad dressed as an Easter egg, and ham, deviled eggs, hot biscuits and hot coffee.

Mrs. James Steed received high score prize, stationery, and Mrs. J. C. Keel second high, a set of ashtrays.

Mrs. Rumley Entertains Bridge Club Thursday

Mrs. Forrest Simmons, Mrs. Calvin Jones and Mrs. Shirley Reese were special guests last Thursday evening when Mrs. James D. Rumley entertained her bridge club.

Fruit salad and russian tea were served during the four progressions of play. Mrs. Calvin Jones, winner of high score prize was presented with a scarf, and Mrs. G. W. Duncan, winner of low score prize received a picnic basket.

The club members and guests received Easter bonnets as favors from the hostess.

Mrs. Davidson Honored By Mrs. Shirley Reese

Mrs. Shirley Reese entertained three tables at bridge at her mother's home Saturday afternoon to honor Mrs. Ed Davidson who will move this week to Charlotte.

Spring flowers were used throughout the house, and refreshments of fruit salad and russian tea were served following three progressions of play.

High score for the afternoon was won by Mrs. Osborne Davis, who received a pottery pitcher, and low score prize, a picnic basket, was won by Mrs. Joseph House, Jr. Mrs. Davidson, guest of honor, was presented with a pottery vase.

Mrs. Darden Eure Speaks To PTA Tonight

Mrs. Darden Eure of Morehead City will speak at the PTA meeting tonight on "Our Responsibility of Making Children Good Citizens."

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Dudley-Willis

Mr. and Mrs. Alonso Willis announce the marriage of their daughter, Ruth, on April 5, to Bruce Dudley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steven Dudley, of Beaufort.

The young couple will make their home in Gibsonville where Mr. Dudley is manager of the Gay Theatre.

Charles Diekens visited the United States in 1842.

15 Children Christened Sunday

Donna Daniels, Mary Elizabeth Reese, Julia Iona Dallou, Leslie Guon Moore, Dianna Kay Paulford, Theresa James, James Paul Steelbinder, John Robert Huddall, Martha Anne Wade, Allen Henley Woodard, Linda Elizabeth Carrow, Betty Roosevelt Whitehurst, Nancy Howard Nelson and Charlene Ethelyn Moore were christened Sunday in Ann St. Methodist church by the Rev. T. R. Jenkins.

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