

The Woman's Page

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CHURCH NOTES

The Wesleyan Service Guild The Suzanne Wesley Guild and the W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church held a joint meeting on Monday evening, February 26 in the Men's Bible class room. Mrs. C. L. Alverson, Mrs. James Howase and Mrs. Pauline Brittain was hostesses.

The Rev. Thornton Hawkins gave part 2 of "Changing Theological Concepts". During the social hour the hostesses served refreshments to approximately 30 attending.

The Rebecca Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met Monday evening, February 26 in the home of Mrs. W. T. Brown with Mrs. J. J. Jeffries as co-hostess. Mrs. Gene Farmer, president presided over the business. Mrs. John Dickey gave the program on your favorite scripture.

During the social hour the hostesses served refreshments to the following: Mrs. Doyle C. Burch, Mrs. Gene Farmer, Mrs. Leon Kinsey, Mrs. Harry Lovingood, Mrs. Charles White, Mrs. Lee Adams, Mrs. Richard Hicks, Mrs. John Dickey, Mrs. Lowen Dockery and Mrs. Hay Bryson.

The Esther Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met Monday evening February 26 at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. James B. Hall, with Mrs. Arden Davis and Mrs. Winona Hughes as co-hostesses.

Mrs. James B. Hall, president presided over the business. Mrs. Lewis King opened the meeting with prayer and the group sang "Where we Walk with the Lord", and quoted their favorite scripture verse. Mrs. Maida Dockery gave the devotional. Mrs. R. E. Minor closed the meeting with prayer.

During the social hour the hostesses served refreshments to the following: Mrs. Walter Puett, Mrs. Robert Bruce, Mrs. Lewis King, Mrs. R. E. Minor, Mrs. Dewey Garrett, Mrs. Maida Dockery and one visitor, Mrs. Archie Jenkins.

The Women of the Presbyterian Church met Monday evening, Feb. 26 in the Westminster Building with Mrs. James Sprung as hostess.

Mrs. Holland McSwain, president, presided over the business. Mrs. Harvey Wilson gave the program on "The Cure of the Concepts".

During the social hour the hostesses served refreshments to the following: Mrs. Vernie Ayers, Mrs. Harvey Wilson, Mrs. W.A. Singleton, Mrs.

Ann Phillips, Mrs. Lewis Hodges, Mrs. Marcella Smith and Mrs. Holland McSwain.

The Home Mission study course book entitled "Trumpets in Dixie" will be taught Friday at 7:00 p. m. in the Friendship Baptist Church, Rt. 4, Murphy.

Various members from West Liberty Associational W. M. U.'s will be in charge of the teaching. A social period is planned.

Circle No 2 at the First Methodist Church met Tuesday afternoon February 20 in the home of Miss Hattie Palmer.

Mrs. W.P. Odom, president in the absence of the chairman. Miss Hattie Palmer was elected to chairman to fill the unexpired time of Mrs. Sykes who moved to Elizabethton, Tenn. Miss Adella Meroney gave the program on "God's Plans in our Plans."

During the social hour the hostess served refreshments to the following: Mrs. R. A. Akin, Mrs. S.M. Benton, Mrs. Atwood, Mrs. Harry Bishop, Mrs. W.P. Odom, Mrs. Vance Wilson, Mrs. W.E. Howell and Miss Adelle Meroney.

Mrs. Harold Wells has returned home after attending the annual meeting of the Southeastern Jurisdiction Women's Society of Christian Services, Feb. 21-23 which was held at Forest Methodist Church, Birmingham, Ala.

This year's theme was "Blow Wind of God"; This is the first year that a local woman was able to attend and Mrs. Wells represented Waynesville District Western North Carolina conference.

A Girl's Auxiliary Coronation Service is planned for Sunday at 7:00 p. m. at the Friendship Baptist Church, Rt. 4, Murphy.

Those receiving recognition will be: Maiden - Cheryl Williams, Ladies-in-Waiting - Gail Taylor, Peggy Stiles Queens: Sharon Bagley, Sue Picklesimer, Susie Watts, Devonna Picklesimer, Debbie Watts.

Friends and relatives of these young ladies are invited to attend. A reception will follow the service.



Ann Arrant

Places Third

Miss Ann Arrant, a D. E. student at Murphy High School, placed third as Student of the Year in the annual Western North Carolina Distributive Education contest held at Pisgah High School in Canton.

The purpose of the Student of the Year contest is to encourage the highest degree of individual student achievement in all D. E. program activities and in the total school program; and to give special recognition to those students who attain this degree of achievement.

Standards for selecting a Student of the Year are based on (1) Local and District activities, (2) Overall School Record, (3) Scholastic Standing, (4) Vocational Standing, and (5) Interview by judges on attitude, outside interests, future plans, and understanding of a free enterprise.

Ann is employed by Fambro's, where she has been working for the past year. She is being trained on the job in sales related occupation. Cecil Mashburn is Distributive Education Coordinator at Murphy High School.

Mrs. Emily Davidson, Mrs. John Bayless and Mrs. Robert Easley, DAR regent attended a DAR meeting held in Charlotte on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Donna Wilkins of Sylva, Ala., was the week-end guest of Miss Peggy Hyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bowling of Albuquerque, Mexico has returned to their home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Dockery and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barnett spent Saturday in Oteen and Asheville.

The Senior Citizens will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 p.m. in the Murphy Power Board Bldg.



WINNERS OF THE DAR ESSAY CONTEST include, sitting, Peggy Smart, Steve Radford, Greg Kinney and Chris McConnell; Standing, Rusty Hughes, David Fowler, Tim Ramsey, Vicki Hall, Mike Kinney, David Alexander, Lisa Warner, Bill McKeever, Betts Edwards, Catherine Hawkins, Patrice Hawkins and Myrtle Fain. (Photo by Weaver Carringer)

DAR Honors History Essay Winners

The Archibald D. Murphy Chapter of DAR met on Tuesday evening February 20 at the Murphy Power Board building.

Mrs. H. A. Mattox and Mrs. Hobart McKeever were hostesses for the meeting.

The Regent, Mrs. Robert Easley, presided over the business session.

After the Ritual and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, the meeting was turned over to the program chairman.

In observance of American History month, the program was given by pupils who were prize winners in the American History Essay Contest sponsored by the DAR a total of 225 pupils participated in the contest.

Prize-winners who read the Essays were:

8th Grade: Patrice Hawkins, Bill McKeever, Wiley Kenny and David Fowler

7th Grade: Myrtle Fain,

Betts Edwards, David Alexander and Tim Ramsey

6th Grade: Catherine Hawkins, Lisa Warner, Rusty Hughes and Vicki Hall.

5th Grade: Chris McConnell, Greg Kinney, Steve Radford and Peggy Smart.

During the social hour refreshments were served to the parents of the pupil and their teachers who were also special guests of the DAR.

Mrs. Judy Norris and daughter, Lynn of Savannah, Ga., and Miss Jane Cook of Atlanta, spent the week-end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davidson spent the week-end with their daughter and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. S.M. Simmons and children of Cleveland, Tenn.

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