

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

The Black Mountain News urges our readers to either mail, phone or bring in all news for this column you may have. We want all social events and visitors to your home published in this column.

Mrs. Clarence Frady and young son, Bryan, and Mrs. Addis Ferguson and sons, Johnnie and Tommy of Black Mountain, visited Mr. and Mrs. Grady Shopeat at their home on Haw Creek last Thursday.

Dr. J. A. Reed of Biltmore, has been very ill at his home on Fairview Road. Dr. Reed is a well known veterinarian and has many friends in Black Mountain.

Finch—Bryan

Miss Mary Frances Finch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald E. Finch of Black Mountain, was married to Ludd J. Bryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bryan of Apex, in a ceremony Sunday morning, December 6, at 9:30 o'clock at the home of her parents.

The Rev. H. W. Baucom, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Black Mountain, officiated. The house was decorated with arrangements of white roses, carnations, snapdragons and chrysanthemums interspersed with fern.

A program of wedding music was presented by Miss Josephine B. Finch, sister of the bride, and Miss Mary B. Pruitt of Anderson, S. C. Selections prior to the ceremony included "Ave Maria" by Schubert. The bridal chorus from "Lohengrin" by Wagner was played as the processional, and "Clair de Lune" by Debussy was played during the ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a brown twill gabardine suit with brown accessories and a corsage of white orchids.

Mrs. Dorothy Mackney, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a gray wool suit with matching hat and a corsage of red roses.

Raymond L. Bryan, brother of the bridegroom, of Raleigh, served as best man.

After a wedding trip through Virginia, the couple will reside in Apex.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding included J. D. Baker of Asheville, uncle of the bride, Mrs. Hazel Gragg of Knoxville, aunt of the bride, Miss Mary B. Pruitt of Anderson, S. C., Misses Emily Hamilton, Mae Duncan and Rhoda Ann Gardner of Winston-Salem, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Yates, Jr., brother-in-law and sister of the bridegroom, of Apex, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bryan, brother and sister-in-law of the bridegroom, of Reidsville, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond L. Bryan, brother and sister-in-law of the bridegroom, of Apex, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bryan, brother and sister-in-law of the bridegroom, of Reidsville, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond L. Bryan, brother and sister-in-law of the bridegroom, of Raleigh.

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MONTREAT NEWS

On Monday, January 7th, Mrs. Nelson Bell, Mrs. S. C. Farrior and Mrs. William Graham were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower for Miss Margaret Nisbet, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Bell, in Montreat.

The gifts were hidden in the house and each guest read a rhyme which gave a clue to the hiding place of a gift. The bride had to find and open the packages. She received lovely gifts.

A beautiful wedding took place in Gaither Chapel on Saturday afternoon, January 12th, at four-fifteen. Miss Margaret Nisbet, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Nisbet, was united in marriage to Lt. Keith Ellsworth Townsend, of Davenport, Iowa. The chapel was beautifully decorated with white gladioli, evergreens and white candles. Music was played by Miss Mary Patterson Lord.

The bride's dress was white satin, made with a train, and her veil was beautifully arranged with a Dutch cap effect. Both the dress and the veil were trimmed with Duchess lace that belonged to Mrs. Nisbet's mother. Her flowers were white roses and a lavender orchid.

The bride had only one attendant—Miss Joyce Clark, of Baden, North Carolina, who was Miss Nisbet's room-mate at Queen's College last year. Miss Clark wore a dress of blue net and carried pink flowers—carnations, roses and sweet peas.

The ushers were Mr. John Dosier, the research chemist at the Enka Mills, and Roger Townsend, a brother of the groom. The best man was Jack Townsend, another brother, who has just gotten his discharge from the Army.

Rev. Robert Knox, D.D., who performed the marriage of Dr. and Mrs. Nisbet, in Korea, assisted in this service. The bride came in with her father, and after he

had given her away, Dr. Nisbet continued the service, which was a double ring ceremony.

After the wedding there was a reception in the Webbwood Apartments, where Dr. and Mrs. Nisbet make their home.

Lt. and Mrs. Townsend will live in Davenport, Iowa, where Lt. Townsend will be in business as soon as he is discharged from the Army.

Womens Club

Wednesday, January 9, the Black Mountain Woman's club held their regular meeting at the Monte Vista Hotel. Tea was served by the hostesses before the club was called to order by the vice president, Mrs. Roy Taylor. After the business meeting, the program was in charge of Mrs. H. W. Baucom, who spoke on the responsibility of parents and citizens for the future good citizenship of the children of the community.

The club is again indebted to Mrs. Phillips for her hospitality at Monte Vista.

Moore Patients Donate To March Of Dimes

Three Moore General Hospital patients who fought in the second World War to make the world a better place in which to live for coming generation have found a fitting way in which to spend some Christmas money, the gift of school children of Central Primary School in Concord. They have donated it to the March of Dimes in behalf of the children.

Pupils of the school are sponsoring three beds in Moore General with the money they invested in bonds and stamps during the last Victory Loan Drive. They thought it would be nice to send the three soldiers occupying their

Fake Drawstring Skirt in Gray Wool Will Help Girl Buy Victory Bonds



Simplicity is the keynote of fashion now, and slightly released fullness from the match-slim silhouette. Sleeves are wide, straight, cuffed, the neckline is high and round. Soft gathers in the skirt give an easy look and the self-bow seems to pull in the skirt, drawingstring style. Make your own clothes from smart patterns to be found at local stores. Buy Victory Bonds with your savings. U. S. Treasury Department

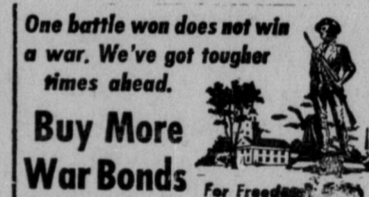
beds—T-Sgt. Lloyd Hobert of St. Louis, Mo.; T-5 Adrien F. Robicheud of Pawtucket, R. I.; and T-5 Henry Sobolewski of New Britain, Conn.—a Yule gift—a money order for fifteen dollars.

In their letter of thanks the three soldiers wrote:

"You know, we older boys and girls fought this terrible war to make certain a bright future for boys and girls just like you, not only in America, but all over the world. You children are sound in body; unfortunately there are others who have fallen victims to infantile paralysis and as a result they have crippled arms and legs and thus face life with a terrible handicap.

"For that reason, will you not give us permission to donate to the March of Dimes and the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis the money you sent us? We want to make this gift in your name, and the good it will do in helping crippled and maimed

youngsters will be the most wonderful present we shall ever hope to receive." Saturday, the boys mailed a cashier's check for the amount of the gift, payable to the March of Dimes, back to the school to help it meet its quota.



GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL AND CHURCH SUNDAY



* By promising no Christmas deliveries on portraits made prior to November 10th we were able to catch up with our work and are now in a position to deliver high grade portraits within two weeks. * We expect the film situation to be better soon. We have lots of Cameras ordered and expect some of the cheaper Cameras by the middle of February. Others according to quality, will follow. The highest priced Cameras are not expected before June. Our Cameras will all be good, we ordered no toys or junk.

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At the close of business on the 30th day of December, 1945.

Table with columns for ASSETS, LIABILITIES, CAPITAL ACCOUNTS, and TOTAL ASSETS/LIABILITIES & CAPITAL ACCOUNTS. Values include \$126,380.59, \$613,000.00, \$400,543.92, etc.

Table with columns for Pledged assets, Secured and preferred liabilities, and Subordinated obligations. Values include \$100,000.00, \$47,648.49, etc.

I, Roy W. Alexander, Cashier, of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief. ROY W. ALEXANDER, Cashier.

Correct—Attest: D. H. HARRISON, E. E. LAYCOCK, J. H. SMITH, Directors. State of North Carolina, County of Buncombe. Sworn to and subscribed before me this ... day of SEAL January, 1946, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. VIVIAN P. NICHOLS, Notary Public. My commission expires July 24, 1946.



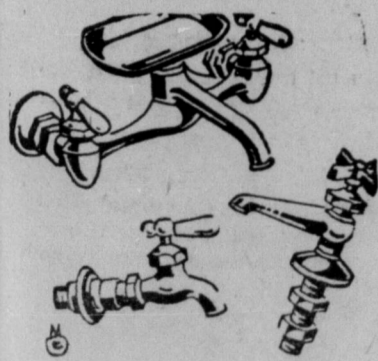
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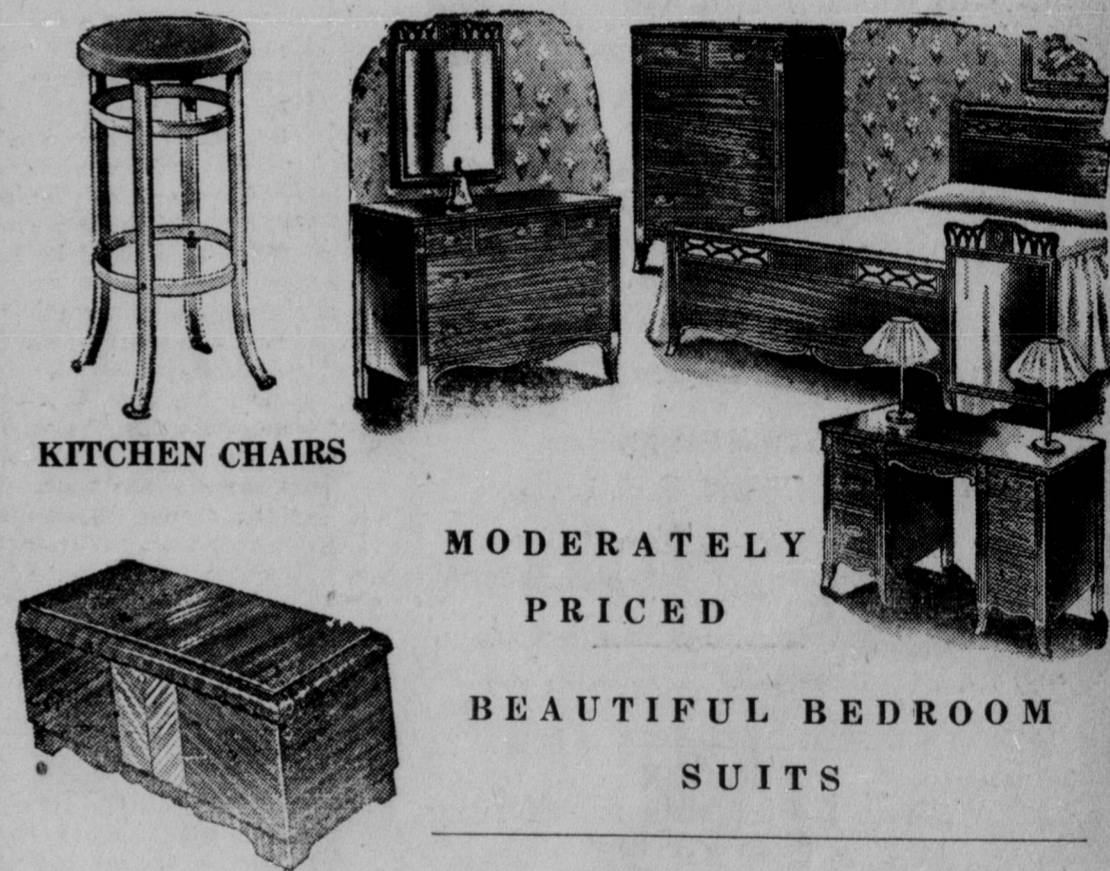
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