

**MONTREAT**

The Rev. John R. Williams, pastor, preached at the morning worship service in the Presbyterian church on Sunday, March 30. He began a series of four sermons on the same text, Matt. 27, the 50th and 51st verses. This Sunday the subject was "God Revealed in The Cross."

Next Sunday is Palm Sunday. Holy Communion will be observed at the morning worship service.

Wednesday prayer meetings were at 4:00 p.m. in the sun parlor of Assembly Inn and at 7:15 in Gaither chapel. The pastor was in charge of both meetings.

The executive board of the Women of the Church met Tuesday, April 1, at 4 p.m. in the home of the president, Mrs. J. P. Williams, on Assembly drive.

Circle No. 1, Mrs. J. Rupert McGregor, chairman, will meet at the home of Mrs. McGregor on Thursday, April 10, at 4:00 p.m. Mrs. Ira Holt is co-chairman of this circle.

Circle No. 2, Miss Alice Hardie, chairman, will meet with Miss Hardie at her home on Virginia road on Tuesday, April 8, at 4:00 p.m. Mrs. Keith Townsend is co-chairman of this circle.

The Business Women's Circle, Miss Betty Maxwell, president, will meet Monday night, April 7, at Assembly Inn for a short business session and then adjourn to attend "Ladies Night" with the Men of Montreat.

The Men of Montreat will hold "Ladies Night" at Assembly Inn on Monday, April 7, at 8 p. m. All women in Montreat are invited.

The Women of the Montreat church gathered at 6:30 for a dinner meeting and program on March 25 in Assembly Inn dining room. Husbands and friends were present also. The large T-shaped table was beautifully decorated by Mrs. Keith Townsend and Mrs. Thomas Spence and their committee. Hundreds of jonquills were used on the table. A color scheme of yellow and shades of purple and lavender were beautifully carried out. Little butterflies, indicative of spring, fluttered on candles and down the center of the tables. Mrs. Geza Soos was the principal after-dinner speaker. The new of-

ficers for the coming year, with Mrs. John Payne Williams, president, were installed by Dr. Rupert McGregor. Mrs. W. J. Gammon, the retiring president, presided at the dinner until she handed the gavel to the new president. Mrs. Williams then announced the circle chairmen as: Mrs. J. Rupert McGregor, Circle 1, and Miss Alice Hardie, Circle 2. Miss Betty Maxwell was elected by the Business Women's Circle as president. Mrs. McGregor and Miss Hardie announced the members of their circles.

The annual business session, Mrs. Gammon, presiding, was held before the dinner at 5:00 p.m. in the sun parlor of the Inn. Those present at the dinner were: the Rev. and Mrs. E. S. Currie, Mrs. Mellinger Henry, Mrs. Charles Wait, Mrs. C. E. Dorsey, Mrs. W. E. White, Miss Elizabeth Cole, Miss Elizabeth Hoyt, Dr. and Mrs. Spence, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams, Mrs. Charles Brinkerhoff, Miss Elizabeth Wilson, Miss Julia Stokes, Mrs. Bertha Bentley, Dr. Nettie Grier, Miss Lucy Grier, Mrs. U. J. L. Peoples, Dr. F. Kennedy, Miss Virginia St. Clair, the Rev. O. F. Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wyly, Mrs. Pearl Jones, Mrs. William Griffin, Miss Sallie Liddell, Mrs. Joseph Hopper, the Rev. and Mrs. Gammon, Mrs. Samuel Woods, the Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Linton, Mrs. Robert Coit, Miss Annie Webb, Mrs. W. R. Potter, Miss Lila Peck Walker, Miss Maxwell, Miss Zoulean Anderson, Mrs. Woodhouse, Miss Elizabeth Woodhouse, Miss Florence Illidge, Mrs. Robert Kelly, Dr. and Mrs. Coppedge, Dr. and Mrs. L. Nelson Bell, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Ross, Dr. and Mrs. McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. Townsend, Mrs. John Nesbitt, Miss Helen Miles, Miss Hardie and her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Hardie of Baltimore and Paris, France, C. Rice, Miss Leila Kirtland, Mrs. Andrew Dale, and Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd and others.

A group of friends of Mrs. Crosby Adams made a pilgrimage to her grave in Piney Grove cemetery and took flowers there from her home garden for her birthday, March 25.

Mrs. John Payne Williams represented her alma mater, Lake Erie college, Pinesville, Ohio, in the academic procession and inauguration of the new president of Queens college, Charlotte, Dr.

Charlton C. Jernigan, Saturday morning, March 29. Those who accompanied Mrs. Williams to Charlotte for the exercises were J. P. Williams, Mrs. Townsend, a graduate of Queens college, and the Rev. O. F. Yates. Mr. Yates visited Mrs. Robson of Davidson, a sister of the late Mrs. Yates.

The Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Linton, missionaries under the Presbyterian Church, U. S., board of world missions to Korea and recently returned to this country, are in Montreat for a furlough and are in their home on Kentucky road.

Miss Alice Hardie of Virginia road had as her guests this past week her nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Hardie, of Baltimore, Md. They have been living in Paris, France, for the past three years but expect to make their home in New Jersey.

Ray Francis Fernandez of New York City joined his family last week in a visit with Mrs. Fernandez' parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. J. Coppedge, at their home on Greybeard road.

Dr. Redhead, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Greensboro, and Mrs. Redhead spent a short time in Montreat last week to arrange for the building of their summer home on Virginia road.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Rupert McGregor have moved into their new home on Assembly drive. They are now busy landscaping their grounds.

Mrs. Andrew Dale of Columbia, Tenn., spent a few days in Montreat this past week. Mrs. Dale has a summer home on Greybeard road.

Miss Lila Peck Walker of the Woman's College, Greensboro, was the recent guest of Miss Betty Maxwell at Assembly Inn.

Miss Julia Stokes and Mrs. Ira Holt represented Montreat work-

**TAKE PART IN WEDDING**

The Rev. and Mrs. Thad McDonald and Thad III left Monday morning for Cullman, Ala., where they will participate in the wedding of the Rev. Mr. McDonald's sister, Miss Peggy McDonald, to Dolph Ormond in the First Methodist church, Wednesday night. Mrs. McDonald will serve as matron-of-honor and Mr. McDonald will give his sister away. The Rev. T. L. McDonald Sr. will perform the ceremony.

ing with the Red Cross in the blood bank held at Morgan Mfg. Co. last week.

—New Year's Day is a legal holiday in all states except Kansas and Massachusetts.

**VISITS SON AND FAMILY**

Mrs. Morris Gardner left Monday for a week's visit with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gardner and Ethel Mae, in Gainesville, Fla.

**VISIT FAMILY HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Watkins Jr. of Raleigh and Miss Ruth Watkins, student nurse at Watts hospital, Durham, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Watkins Sr.

**SUNDAY VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin McDougale and family of Elizabethton, Tenn., visited members of Mr. McDougale's family here last Sunday.

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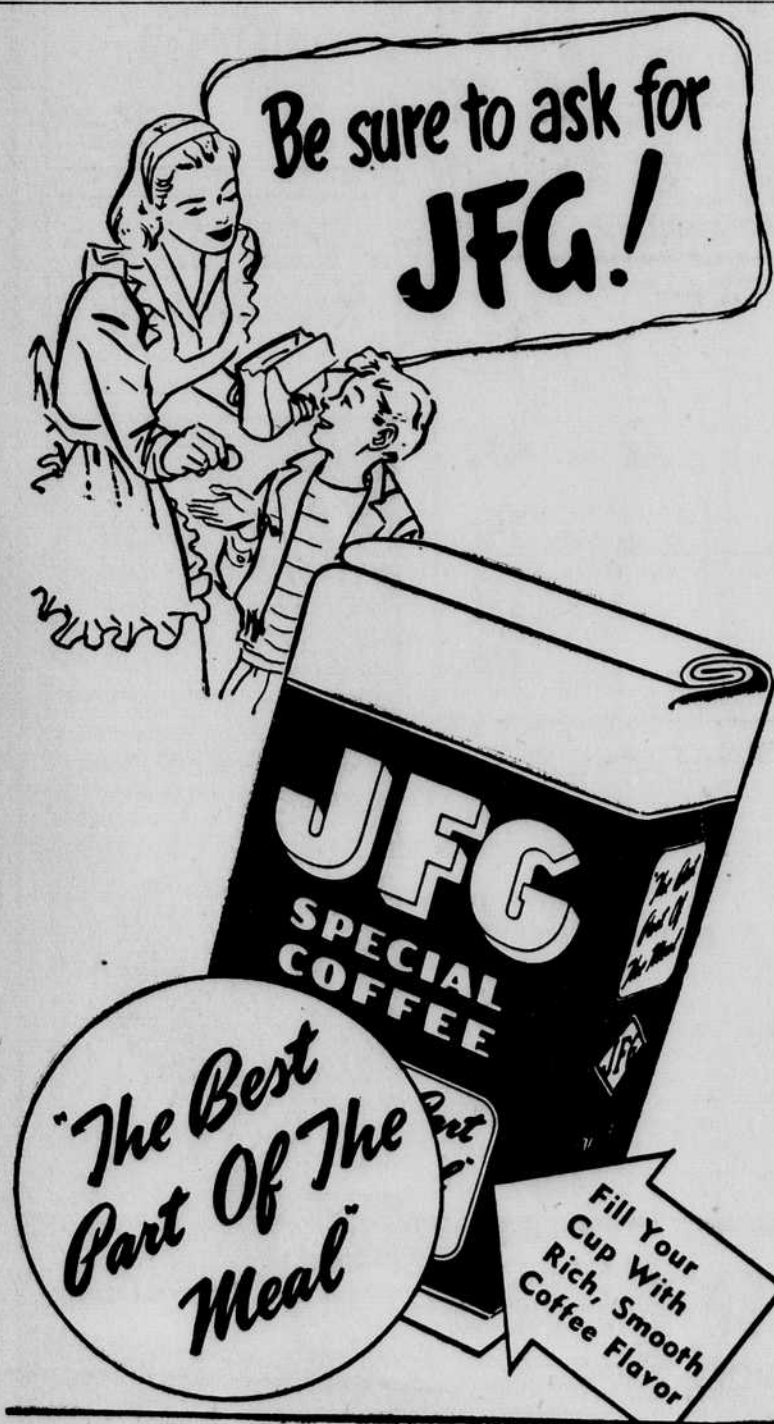
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