



Peekin' Through The KEYHOLE

With LIB

By Elizabeth Dinwiddie

Steve Uzzell was elected vice president of the Western North Carolina Drug club last Friday night at a meeting held in the George Vanderbilt hotel, Asheville.

Last Thursday night the Swannanoa OES Chapter No. 132 held friendship night. The following from Black Mountain attended as special guests: Mrs. Robert Hawthorn; Mrs. J. L. Potter, guest of Electa; Mrs. A. L. Simmons, guest of the Conductress, and Leroy Mashburn, a guest of the secretary. Others attending were: Mrs.

Leroy Mashburn, Mrs. Cecil Ham, and Mrs. Enna Bieber.

Captain and Mrs. Robert W. Patterson and son Bobby of Denver, Colo., spent the week-end with Mrs. Robert McDougle and sons.

Mrs. Dwight Bailey has gone to Seattle, Wash., to join her husband, who is in the navy.

Miss Mildred L. Turpin and Miss Sara Wheelock of Chicago, Ill., have purchased the late Mrs. George Read's home on Laurel avenue at 8th street.

Mrs. Bea Glover, Mrs. Peggy Parker, and Mrs. Kathie Watson attended the North Carolina State convention of Hair Dressers at the George Vanderbilt hotel, Asheville, from Sunday through Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. J. V. Grant left last Saturday for a three weeks' visit with her sons, U. S. and Jessie of Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. O. C. Leiter spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Coldren in Hendersonville.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Harold Bailey are now residing in Charlotte where S/Sgt. Bailey is stationed with the air force.

Mrs. Irene Plemmons has returned from a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Arlie Allen, in Arlington, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Soots of Rhodhiss, N. C., visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watkins and family last week. Mrs. Soots is a niece of Mrs. Watkins. They were recently married and were on their honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Buchanan visited Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Edwards in Spartanburg last week-end.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. H. B. Sabiston, Jr., and son have been transferred from Palm Beach Air Force base, Palm Beach, Fla., to the Air Force base in Miami.

Mrs. R. H. Heiser returned to Thomasville Sunday after spending several days with her mother and father, A. W. McDougle, who is ill in Memorial Mission hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Godfrey of Candler, former residents of Black



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Mountain, visited Mr. Godfrey's brother, Harvie Godfrey and Mrs. Godfrey in Marion over the week-end.

S/Sgt. Bill Reynolds left Sunday for Camp Kilmer, N. J., from where he will go to Germany for 18 months.

Glenn Melton and Bill Davis enlisted in the army and are now stationed at Fort Jackson, S. C.

A/3C Stanley E. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Davis, has been transferred from Lackland Air Force base, San Antonio, Tex., to Francis E. Warren Air Force base, Wyo. Stanley visited his parents before going to Wyoming.

Miss Ruby M. Jolliffe is expected to return to her home here this week-end after spending several months at Daytona Beach, Fla.

P. D. Glenn and Herbert Melton returned Sunday from a few days' stay in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lucas are now residing in the Fleetwood apartments.

Bill Gudger, Dick Westbrook, and L. O. Potat have returned from a week's vacation at Bradenton Beach, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Sawyer spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Anders in Lafayette, Tenn.

Robert Godson, who has been attending Berea college, has transferred to the University of Kentucky, Lexington. He is practicing teaching and project supervising.

Among those attending the district meeting of Red Cross Chapters of Western North Carolina held in the Community building at Morganton Tuesday were: Mrs. Bessie Carr, Mrs. Frank Buckner, Mrs. H. A. Kerlee, Miss Caroline Hall, Mrs. B. G. Byron, Mrs. A. B. Whitt, Mrs. Dick Talbert, Mrs. Mary E. Aleshire, and Mrs. W. E. Vernon. Dr. Frank P. Graham spoke on "Red Cross In The World Today." At the meeting a discussion on general Red Cross activities was held.

Mr. and Mrs. George Culler moved last week to the Fleetwood Annex, Montreat road. They visited members of their families in High Point over the week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. C. D. Thomas will leave Sunday to attend the graduating exercises of their son, Charles, from Jet Pilot school, Greenville, Miss., on Feb. 24. Lt. Thomas will return with his parents for a few days' visit before reporting for advance training at Del Rio, Tex.

AUXILIARY WILL MEET

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Monday, Feb. 21, at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. H. E. Stinchcomb, with Mrs. Clarence Joyner serving as co-hostess.

As We See Ourselves

Before the consolidation of Black Mountain-Swannanoa High schools, many people speculated much rivalry, competition, and perhaps disagreements among students from the two schools. To everyone's surprise and relief, the two long rivals are really as one. There is unity in all the classes, the organization of cooperation is excellent. Under the capable guidance of our beloved principal, N. C. Shuford, everything is running quite smoothly. Parents and friends are always welcome to visit the school at anytime and view first hand this workshop of cooperation.

The four senior homerooms have elected presidents. They are: Nancy Jones, president of Mrs. Josephine McCoy's homeroom; Dottie Burnett, president of Mrs. Martha Perley's homeroom; Grace Simons, president of Y. L. Medlin's homeroom, and Johnny Fox, president of Mrs. Ralph Humphries' homeroom.

Vernon Johnson, director of pub-



Mrs. Mary Propst is convalescing at home after several weeks in the Mission hospital. This column wishes her a speedy recovery.

Ben Morris has a new television. Our grandchildren, Charlie and Pamela Taylor, were confined to their home all of last week with the flu.

It seems that the fat editor and I better shut up about the weather, or old Mother Nature is going to slap a cold wave on us that will burst everybody's water pipes, but this week I don't seem to have anything else to talk about. Last night (Saturday night) was one of the ones when it was dangerous to be in the woods for fear of getting hit with splinters from freezing timber. I had very intimate communion with the weather when I was nightwatchman at Blue Ridge. I guess that Ed Bartlett is having the same experience right now. It is no joke that timber freezes and sometimes cracks with a loud report. I've had the daylight lights scared out of me when a noise like a high powered rifle would go off near me in the wee hours of the morning. You've probably noticed how the rhododendron leaves curl when it is cold. If one is in the woods in the quiet of the night when the temperature is going down, one can hear them curl, it sounds like hundreds of fairies are rolling them up like scrolls.

One night while I was night-watching it snowed heavily all night long, I had to break a new trail each round. I had so many clothes on that I nearly rocked myself to sleep trying to get up when I fell down in the laurel thickets. Charlie Dawkin, the head cook for Lee School, made the rounds with me until long after midnight, the main power line broke down before daylight, it was a tough night.

Dogs came from all over the country to look for garbage, some of them would go the rounds with me, we had many good races during the nights. One night the dogs flushed a stray cat, he ran between my legs spitting fire as he went. I could feel the hair raising on the back of my neck. Another time I heard a great commotion in the kitchen as I passed, upon investigation I found two civet cats in a barrel with a few empty cans having a hard fight. I cautiously turned the barrel over and the lovely little animals scurried away. These little cats used to be a great deal of company to me, they would nuzzle around the kitchen as I waited between rounds, sometimes in a fit of arrogance they would come at me with their hindparts hoisted into the air, beating the floor with their forepaws.

The worst fright that I had while nightwatching was one night while the moon was full and the only light that I carried was a small flashlight. I was going through one of the thick rhododendron patches browsing along in the dark, suddenly I felt someone's presence close at hand. I switched on my light and there within inches of my face was another face. Needless to say, I "retched" for my weapon, but before I done anything rash, I recognized him as one of the Lee School boys that had slipped out and was knocking around in the woods. I was jumpy all the rest of the night.

Delmar Williams has finished pulling a hitch in the navy and has come home. I didn't think to ask her if she is home for good or not.

Our Lottie Moon circle met at the church last Tuesday night. Mrs. Eugene Byrd and Mrs. Earl Jolly served delicious refreshments. It was a very good meeting. Well, happy Valentine Day folks. We surely do love you everyone.

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lic relations at Cecil's Business college and director of recreation for schools and churches, led the student body in singing during an assembly program Thursday, Feb. 10. He was accompanied on the piano by Ina Smith. The students all enjoy these weekly assembly programs very much.

Thanks to the home economics department, the girls now have a full length mirror in their rest room.

The combined annual staffs have met and are beginning work on Saturday night, Feb. 12, the

cheerleaders sponsored a Valentine dance at the Swannanoa Club house. The cheerleaders have worked very diligently supporting our teams and cheering them to many victories during the football and basketball seasons. These girls are: Phyllis Pyatt, chief, Mary Frances Kelly, Sara Dickens, Reba Lewis, Sara Dillingham, Pauline Vanover, Glenda Miller, and Peggy Edmonds.

Until next week, this is the news!

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that examinations are open for Technical Editor and Writer for filling positions in the fields of physical sciences, engineering, and medical sciences and for Pharmacy Resident for filling positions paying \$2,000 a year.

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