



**Peekin' Through The KEYHOLE**  
... With LIB  
by Elizabeth Dinwiddie Keith

Miss Connie Dougherty went to Detroit, Mich., last Sunday to spend a week with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Carusa, Michael, Susan and Phillip. She made the trip by plane.

Miss Essie Taylor spent the week end in Hendersonville. She went especially to be with her brother, Clyde Taylor, who had suffered a heart attack and was quite ill in the Hendersonville hospital.

Mrs. O. G. McKinney and family, Robert, Mike, Sue and Leah, spent last Saturday and Sunday in Greenville, S. C., with Mr. and Mrs. Olen McKinney.

Mrs. M. J. Clarke has returned to her home in Fayetteville, after spending several weeks at her home on Briarbrook road.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Simons of Detroit, Mich., former residents of Black Mountain, have returned home after spending eight days as the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Begley and family. While they were here they were entertained with several parties and dinners. Mr. and Mrs. Simons made the trip to and from Detroit by jet.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Uzzell and children, Kim, Drew and Thomas, spent from Thursday to Sunday of last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Edwards of Durham, while attending the State Fair in Raleigh. On Saturday, Jim attended the Duke-Clemson football game.

Mrs. John G. Reading, Briarbrook road, had as weekend guests her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Woodard of Roanoke and her daughter, Mrs. Albert Moosbrugger of Winston-Salem. Mrs. Reading honored her guests Saturday afternoon from four to six o'clock by asking close friends to call.

Mrs. Reading's brother, L. M. Gould of Smithfield, who has been here for quite some time visiting his sister was also one of the honorees.

Through error it was reported that Mrs. Grace Neal had been moved to Spruce Pine following an automobile accident in Pennsylvania while visiting her sister, who was killed in the accident. Mrs. Neal is still in Pennsylvania at Columbia Hospital in Wilkingsburg. Word received here is that Mrs. Neal is recovering nicely from serious injuries received in the accident.

Mrs. Paul E. Hendley has returned to her home at 106 Entophor road, after being a patient at St. Joseph's hospital for a few days.

Mrs. C. R. Longcoy Sr. left last Wednesday to visit relatives and friends in New York, before returning to her home in Cypress, Calif. She made the trip by plane. She spent several months here visiting her son, C. R. Longcoy and family, before going to New York.

Mrs. Horace Simmons spent a week's vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gula and daughter, Margaret Jean of Alexandria, Va.

Mrs. Blane Gilliam visited her sister, Mrs. Jim Beech and son, Eddie, in Morganton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Byron and children, Claire and Kevin, of Gaffney, S. C., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Byron.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Seagle had as week end guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Huffman of Brookfield, Mo., and Mrs. Effie Workman of St. Louis.

The Louis Ronquillo family has returned to New Orleans, La., after making their home here for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Flickinger were called to Wooster, Ohio, because of the death of Mr. Flickinger's brother-

in-law, Harry Landow. While they were away they visited Mr. Flickinger's brother and family in Cleveland. They were away 10 days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hilfiker spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waldmann on Lake Hosea, Saluda.

Mrs. Harry Stanbridge is at home now after being a patient at Memorial Mission hospital for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Sol-esbee spent the week end in Salisbury and Raleigh, where they attended the State Fair.

Mrs. Charles Mertle, who has been spending some time

in Conneaut, Ohio, is spending an indefinite time with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Young, Blue Ridge road, before going to Florida for the winter. Mrs. Mertle is a former resident of Black Mountain.

Mrs. H. D. Crawford attended the wedding of her niece, Miss Lou Anne Bettis, at the Third Presbyterian Church in Greenville, S. C., Sept. 28. From there she went to Walterboro to attend the eighty-third birthday anniversary observance held for her mother, Mrs. I. E. Mims, on Oct. 6.

Jimmy Cunningham, student at Clemson College, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Ruth Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Boger and children, Sherry and Jeff, of Marion, S. C., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pittman and Ken. Mrs. J. T. McCoy has returned to her home in Center, Mo., after an extended visit here with her son, Ashby McCoy and Mrs. McCoy. Mrs. Lee Seagle accompanied her sister to Center.

than a week. She was slightly better at this writing.

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas McCullough (nee Mary Lee Rankin) of Duke University, Durham, have a new son, named Theron Rankin for his illustrious grandfather.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Weeks got home early last week from a delightful ten-day trip in Wisconsin and Michigan. The main objective was Green Lake, Wisconsin where Mr. Weeks attended a five-day Camp Managers' conference, with fifteen camps or assemblies represented. They found this famed conference grounds of the American Baptists truly a wonderful place to visit, but were not at all envious because their (our) own Ridgcrest compares most favorably since the recent addition of buildings and equipment.

In Madison, they visited University of Wisconsin to see a former staffer, and attended a Southern Baptist church in that northern city.

In Cassopolis, Mich., they visited a nephew of Mrs. Weeks, and were joined there for the week end by her sister from Detroit. Since they traveled by bus and train, they didn't stop in as many places as they usually do on a car trip, but did take time out for a brief visit on the campus of Notre Dame in South Bend, Ind.

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Brother Dave Jones was able to be out on Sunday morning and to teach a class in the intermediate department, but had to miss the morning worship service due to not being up to "par" as yet.

The Homecoming day at A. & T. College in Greensboro is always a "big affair", and drew to their homes for several years, and others are now in Nursing homes. Have you found time to call, send a card, or to visit one of these lately? Friends, let's not forget them, it will mean a lot to them to know that the folks on the "outside" are thinking about them. Here is the list of our long time shut-in friends—find time to show that you care.

Mrs. Lizzie Wells, Mrs. Cora Stepp, Mrs. Agnes Sanders, Mrs. Nan Lytle, Mrs. Mary Stepp, Mrs. Delia Warren, Rev. Mark Hooper, Mrs. Stella Copening, Mrs. Minnie Kate Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. George Carson, and Winslow Lytle. Christ neighbor as thyself, so we thought if we love these, we will be concerned about them.

**With The Sick**

Mrs. Susan Harbat has not been well for several days. Little Bryon Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hamilton, is much improved after a severe sick spell several days ago. Jack Moore is on the "not so well" list this week. Lafayette Daugherty has been ill for several days.

**Birthday Greetings To:**

Miss Beatrice Daugherty, Sharon Burris, Mrs. Mary Fortune, Mrs. Betty Burris Jackson, and Mrs. Minnie Burris.

**Knights of Daniel**

An all day Turkey and Ham shoot is being sponsored this Saturday, Oct. 26, by the Knights of Daniel at the Cragmont recreation grounds. The recreation area is located on Cragmont road, and is directly behind the Mills Chapel Church.

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of bumper-to-bumper traffic on the way home. I don't know what was wrong in the other towns up that way but it was a wonderful relief to get through Black Mountain so easily.

"Thanks to the person or persons responsible for the men directing traffic through Black Mountain."

Under direction of Horace Simmons, chief, the police department turned off the signposts and directed traffic in person on Sunday afternoon, Oct. 13 and 20.

State Police reported that west of Asheville the cars were lined up from West Gate to Canton, but here the local police and volunteer firemen kept the traffic moving at a rapid rate. There was little congestion.

Volunteer firemen helping on Sunday, Oct. 20, included Johnny Rice, Donald Burgin,

Childers of Statesville. Youth and adults from the area are invited to attend these revival services at 7:30 P.M. on Saturday, and 11:00 A.M. and 7:30 P.M. on Sunday.

After the service on Saturday night, the visiting students will direct a program of fun and fellowship for youth and refreshments will be served.

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**Church Extras:**

Donald Fortson of Asheville represented the Gideons with a brief, but most interesting message on Sunday morning. After the glowing account of some of the things Gideons are doing, the congregation welcomed the opportunity to contribute to that worthy organization.

A lovely Coronation Service for Intermediate Girls' Auxiliary took place at the worship hour on Sunday evening.

Linda Snydes and Janice Watson were crowned as Queens and Linda Allison was presented with a golden scepter, giving her the title of Queen-with-a-Scepter.

G.A. Counselor, directed the service, presenting the candidates and conducting the review of their qualifications.

Mrs. Leonard Biddix bestowed the awards, and Pastor Hocutt delivered the challenge and offered the dedicatory prayer.

Others taking part in the service were: Judy Bradley and Ruth Orr, ushers; Karen Turner, Debbie McMahan and Thelma Allison, flower girls; Henry Snydes and Stanley Turner, crown bearers; and Tommy Turner, scepter bearer. Escorts for the Queens were Jerry Biddix, Jimmy Gray, and James Lakey.

Other features of the program included a film strip about the Golden Anniversary of Girls' Auxiliary, and a benediction solo by Mrs. Miller Jackson.

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spent the night with Mrs. T. E. Walters. On Sunday morning Mrs. Walters accompanied them home for an extended visit with them and other friends and relatives in the eastern part of the state.

Rev. and Mrs. Oswald Smith of Columbia, S. C., came up Wednesday to spend the rest of the week closing up their cottage here for the winter. They brought with them the little grandson Elbert N. Johnson. The little boy's parents, Dr. Elbert N. Johnson, Jr., and Dr. Ruth Smith Johnson joined the family for the week end. Both of these are practicing physicians in Columbia.

Herman Stepp spent October 5-14 in Clearwater Beach, and Tampa, Fla., visiting his brother and his uncle.

Mr. Craven is at home! In fact, he has been here for a week. Except for that little thing of not yet walking, one would never know he had suffered a broken hip and its attendant ills. Smiling, cheerful and enthusiastic, and shows him how active he still can be in bed or wheel chair. Though still under the watchful care of nurses in addition to his daughter-in-law, Mrs. James Craven, he is daily improving.

On Sunday, Oct. 13, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Smith of Kanapolis, N. C., brought her mother, Mrs. M. N. Petrie, to Ridgcrest to spend the week with the latter's sister, Mrs. C. V. Gray and Mr. Gray. Mrs. Petrie's grandson, Wayne Petrie, and his wife and three small children, on this past Sunday afternoon visited the Grays and took their grandmother home again.

Misses Bea and Margaret Austin of Charlotte, were spend-the-day guests of Rev. and Mrs. George L. Hocutt on Sunday.

Sympathy from the entire community is extended to Mrs. S. C. Gill and Mrs. Mayme Gough in the death of their brother, Alfred J. Creaman, in Asheville on October 16.

Also to Mrs. E. E. Brown, because of the death of her brother, S. H. Helme, in Savannah, Ga., on Friday, October 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Carter and family of Kingstree, S. C., spent the week end here in his sister's cottage, Wee-pic-a-Dilly. On Sunday after Pic-a-Dilly, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Carter, Jr., of Prosperity, S. C., came to stay a few days in the same house.

On October 12-13 when Little People of America held a meeting in Gastonia, Dan Turner and Miss Kathryn Denny attended. Twenty-three of these wee folks were present for their conference, which was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Hawkins. On Sunday A.M. they attended Loray Baptist Church in a body and after the service were entertained at dinner in the church dining hall.

When the E. E. Browns were visiting the Bultman family in Florence, S. C., last week, they attended the annual Atlantic Coastline banquet for Retired Railway Employees. About one hundred guests were present at the gala affair, held in the Y. M. C. A. building in the evening of Oct. 10. Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Browns home for a little visit, returning to Florence on Wednesday with Everett Wise, who had joined this group of friends a bit earlier.

Mrs. William Green and her brother, T. E. Brown of Salisbury, spent a couple of days here last week, closing up the Green-Rankin cottage for the winter and enjoying the glorious autumn beauty of our hills.

Miss Grace Meeks has been quite ill in her home for more

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