

RIDGECREST RAMBLINGS

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At the Church R. N., who is a member of Rev. and Mrs. George Ho-the Staff of Baptist Hospital, cutt leave Wednesday, July in New Orleans, La. They will visit their daug- Mrs. Hocutt, Counselor of Jun- ter, Miss Margaret Hocutt, ior Girls' Auxiliary, took

Telephone Talk

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THE NEW TELEPHONE DIRECTORY will soon be delivered throughout Asheville and surrounding communities. Delivery will start on July 27 and should be completed by July 30. It may take longer than this in some of the out-lying sections. Don't be alarmed if some of your friends receive their copy before you do. However, if you know that the directory has been delivered to the homes around you but your copy was omitted, please call our business office at 252-9011 and we will see that you get one.

THE FIRST TELEPHONE CALL IN HISTORY BETWEEN DEAF PERSONS took place on January 27, 1964. The call, placed in Washington, D. C., was carried to Northridge, California, by Electrowriter and Data-Phone. This equipment changes handwriting into tones in order to transmit it from one location to another. When the message reached its destination, it was changed back into handwriting to be read by a group of students studying under a special grant from the Vocational Rehabilitation Administration. This is another in a series of developments which help make it easier for handicapped people to communicate and to participate in a full and normal life.

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50 YEARS AGO A TELEPHONE REPAIR SUPERINTENDENT drew up a set of rules to guide his men in their work. This was part of his advice: "Treat everyone as you like to be treated, but don't forget your horse. If you want to know the horse's side of it, just take off your coat and hat some zero day, hitch yourself to the same post with your belt and stand there about two hours. Be courteous and polite, and don't be afraid to hand out a little jolly occasionally. It doesn't hurt anybody's feelings to be jollied a little."

While the advice about the horse is now a little out-of-date, the second part still applies. Guiding principles for telephone people today still include "a little jolly", only we refer to it as courtesy, politeness and friendliness.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF Swannanoa Bank & Trust Co.

Table with financial data for Swannanoa Bank & Trust Co. including assets, liabilities, and capital accounts.

seven of these little girls to Old Fort picnic grounds where they climbed hills, roamed the woods, played games, and enjoyed a picnic feast in this favorite spot for outings. On Tuesday evening of last week seventeen members of the faculty for the recent Vacation Bible School, went together to Lake Tahoma for a steak supper. This enjoyable affair was made possible by a gift from a friend of the group who appreciated the sacrificial labor of the teachers and helpers.

The Olive Lawton Circle of W.M.S. met on Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Howard Wright. Mrs. Miller Jackson presented in a fine way the Royal Service program on "Our Baptist Heritage." Special guests were Mrs. Ralph Pearson, Mrs. Joseph Moore, Mrs. Ray Elmore and Miss Gloria Martin. During the social hour the hostess served a most delectable sweet course to these and the six circle members present.

In the absence of Pastor Hocutt, Dr. J. Wash Watts will be guest minister at the morning service next Sunday, and Mrs. Charles P. Cowherd, missionary to Hong Kong will speak at the evening service. Rev. W. L. Snypes has charge of the midweek prayer service on Wednesday evening, July 22.

In the Community Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Hatcher moved last week from Brentwood Manor in Asheville, to Dogwood Manor in Black Mountain, where they can be nearer home. He is improving somewhat slowly, but steadily and surely.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morris and little daughter, Rachel, of Fort Benning, Ga., spent last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Moore. On Thursday, July 16, all of her children and grand children were present to help Mrs. Moore celebrate her birthday. Mrs. Ralph Pearson and daughter, Carol, were already here for the week. Then Joe and his family arrived Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Moore, Jr., and young Stanley, III, came over from Swannanoa for the day, as did Miss Ann Moore of Asheville. And, of course, the Howard Wrights came from next door. Also, Mrs. Ray Elmore (nee Sandra Wright) and baby, Kathy, drove down from Jefferson City, Tenn., for an overnight visit with her parents and to help observe her grandmother's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alfred, of Norfolk, Va., visited from Thursday to Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Elsie Alfred. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Stultz and children, Carl and Lisa, from Jacksonville, Fla., are spending a couple of weeks here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stultz. This Florida man is Minister of Education in Lake Forest Baptist Church of Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Keen and young son, Kayo, came from their home in Arcadia, Fla., to spend the weekend with their two older children, Miss Effie Lou Keen and Buddy Keen, both of whom are serving on the Assembly staff. Beth and Anne Jackson are enjoying a two-week's camping experience at Camp Crest-ridge.

Guests of Mrs. Charles P. Cowherd are Mr. and Mrs. John de Nijs and children, Julia, Richard and Eddie. Some years ago while Mr. and Mrs. Cowherd were missionaries in Bandung, Indonesia, this couple were members of their church. They later studied at Southern Baptist Seminary in Ruschlikon, Zurich, Switzerland. Now the little family lives in Wake Forest, N. C., where Mr. de Nijs is both a minister and an electrician.

On Sunday afternoon Mrs. Cowherd took her guests to Camp Caanan, beyond Lake Toxaway, for a picnic supper with Miss Virginia Cowherd, whose birthday it was. Last week Mrs. Cowherd and her daughter, Eugenia, attended the Girls' Auxiliary encampment for the Three Forks Association, at Camp Joy, near Boone, N. C. Mrs. Cowherd was missionary speaker and teacher.

On Monday she and Eugenia went to Camp Retreat near Winston-Salem for similar duties for Royal Ambassadors of the Pilot Mountain Association. Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Stevens were a niece, Mrs. G. E. Jones, and children, Robert Thomsen, Laura, from New Orleans, La. At the same time, Mrs. Barbara Frazer (daughter of the Stevens) with her children, Tom, John and Ellen, came from Charlotte to visit her parents.

After undergoing major surgery at St. Joseph's Hospital, Asheville, early last week, Mr. Stevens' sister, Mrs. J. E. Davis, of Brass-town, N. C., is still a very sick patient there. Ed. Starzonek is resting at home for a few days before returning to St. Joseph's Hospital for further treatment and possible surgery.

A letter to Mrs. W. L. Hatcher from Nilo Dominguez in San Cristobal, Cuba, says that the Lord's work goes on, despite government opposition. Mr. Dominguez, who signs himself "your Cuban son," is pastor of a small church in the interior of the island and has himself baptized a number of people in recent months.

Misses Kathy and Gail Johnson are spending a couple of weeks in Kernersville with one of their married sisters. Sunday afternoon callers in the home of Mrs. Miller Jackson were two different families she had known in Italy. Mrs. Robert Brabant, her daughter, Jean, and her niece, Mrs. Amy Burroughs, of England, had been on a trip to the Smokies and were en-

route to Ft. Bragg, and stopped here early in the afternoon. A bit later, C. W. O. Duane Bouza, Mrs. Bouza, and their children, Delton and Lenora, arrived from Ft. Benning, Ga. These were all mutual friends during terms of military service overseas, and neither knew the other was in Ridgecrest.

Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Hardin went to Morganton on Tuesday, where Mr. Hardin took part in the funeral service for Mr. V. C. Waters in Calvary Baptist Church. Mrs. W. R. White, of Union, S. C., is visiting her sisters here. Her daughter, Mrs. Miss Lora Clement and Mrs. R. E. White. Mrs. Jack B. Turner, of Spartanburg and Mrs. Harris C. Drake, of Inman, S. C., were Monday visitors in Hills of Home.

Mrs. S. C. Gill's birthday fell on Tuesday, July 21, but her family celebrated the occasion on Sunday before. In total surprise to Mrs. Gill, about 20 friends dropped in to greet her during the afternoon. Her daughter, Mrs. Thelma Griffin, and her sister, Mrs. Mayme Gough, served delicious birthday cake and ice cream to the guests. Rev. Elbert F. Hardin has accepted work as interim pastor of Westwood Baptist Church in Asheville. Rev. and Mrs. Richard T. Moore and little son, Stephen, of Chesapeake, Va., visited Mrs. T. F. Walters Saturday afternoon. Mr. Moore is pastor of Centerville Baptist Church in Chesapeake, and Mrs. Moore is the daughter of Mrs. R. T. Teague, whom many here will remember as a beloved aunt of Mrs. Walters.

BROAD RIVER

by Mrs. M. M. Elliott

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Owens and daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Britton of Morganton, visited Mrs. Owens' aunt, Mrs. Savannah Floyd, and her cousins, Ralph and Alice Ownbey, in this community last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ownbey had a family reunion one Sunday recently at their home on Lower Flat Creek. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. McFheatson and son Jimmy, Mrs. Ownbey's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Chatman of Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Connor and children, Mr. and

Fate, and Fact," a class she studied at State College when she represented the Swannanoa club recently.

Family Reunion and Birthday Celebration at Club House The following members of the Peek family met at the Club House in Swannanoa, Sunday, July 12, for their annual reunion. This was also to honor Mrs. Annie Mae Holbert as a surprise to her on her birthday.

The following members of the family were present: Mr. and Mrs. Cleland Peek and son, Steve, of Long Beach, California; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Peek, Edith Faye and Lena, of Lexington, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Peek, Debbie and Ronnie, of Columbia, S. C.; Mrs. Wade Brown, Tatesville, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Holbert, Kyle Jr., and Joe, Fountain City Tennessee; Mr. and Mrs. William Holbert, Tommy, Jimmy and Billy, of Oak Ridge, Tennessee; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Teague, Debbie and Anne, Leicester; Mr. and Mrs. Millard Shook West Asheville; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Holbert, Debbie and Dianne, of Asheville; Mr. and Mrs. Carol Peek, Ray and Tommy, Black Mountain; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holbert and Glenn of Swannanoa, and Mrs. Ila Mae Jones, Bobby and Ray, and Mrs. Holbert. Mrs. Holbert's birthday cake was beautiful in lavender and white with "to the grandest person in the world" written on it.

S.S.C.S. Meeting The Woman's Society of Christian Service held their July meeting in the Fellowship Hall of the church last Tuesday evening. Mrs. Herb Coman presided over the business.

Mrs. Coman, who was the delegate from the Woman's Society to attend the Annual Conference at Lake Junaluska in June gave a detailed report of the Conference. This was most informative and interesting. Mrs. Bill Nolan was also a delegate.

Mrs. Annie Mae Holbert and Mrs. Ernest Holbert served refreshments at the conclusion of the program.

Home Demonstration Club The monthly meeting of the Home Demonstration Club was held with Mrs. Bill Nolan Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Mary Ray gave the program on "Proper Ways of Canning and Freezing." She also showed slides on canning methods.

The members decided to have a workshop on cane weaving for chairs at a date to be announced in September. Mrs. Nolan will give the program in August on "Food,

Mrs. Ray Ownbey and sons, Frederick and Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Freeman, and others. They all enjoyed a wonderful picnic dinner.

The boys at Elliott YMCA camp have returned to their homes and a large number of girls have come to spend their vacation at the camp.

Rev. Michael Ledbetter, a missionary who was called home on account of the death of his father, Horace Ledbetter, left by plane for his station in Guatemala last Tuesday.

Mrs. Reed Murphy and little daughter and Mrs. Daisy Elliott visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Murphy on Lower Cedar Creek last Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. David Robinson and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor and daughters last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Murphy of Old Fort, visited Hardy's father, Mont Murphy, on Lower Cedar Creek last Sunday afternoon.

A stork shower was given for Mrs. Jerry Morris at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morris last Saturday evening. Mrs. Morris received many lovely and useful gifts. Delicious refreshments were served.

A Upperware party was given in the home of Mrs. Gragg Sawyer of Black Mountain Saturday evening, July 18. Mrs. Floyd Morris, Sr. and daughter Ann attended. Also several others in Black Mountain attended.

Sickness Rev. Paul Dotson of Bostic, is a patient in Oteen hospital. Paul is a veteran of World War II.

Miss Barbara Ledbetter is a patient in Mission hospital. Clinton Ownbey of Broad River had a severe heart attack last Monday and is a

patient in Hendersonville hospital. Mr. Tarvin, who has been staying with Rev. and Mrs. James Bryant, has been called home on account of the illness of his brother in California. Birth Born to Mr. and Mrs. Randy Morris of West Palm Beach, Fla., last Saturday, July 18, a daughter, Randy is the son of Heiman Morris of West Palm Beach, and Eula Mae Morris of Upper Broad River. Mrs. Randy Morris is the daughter of Mrs. Katherine Worley and the late McKinley Worley of Black Mountain.

BLACK MOUNTAIN BRIDGE WINNERS Winners for the Black Mountain Duplicate Bridge Club Thursday night, July 16, in the club room of the Asheville Federal Savings and Loan were: North-South, Mrs.

Legal Notice NOTICE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE

The undersigned, having qualified as administrator of the estate of GEORGE BRANDON, deceased, late of Buncombe County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 16th day of January, 1965 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

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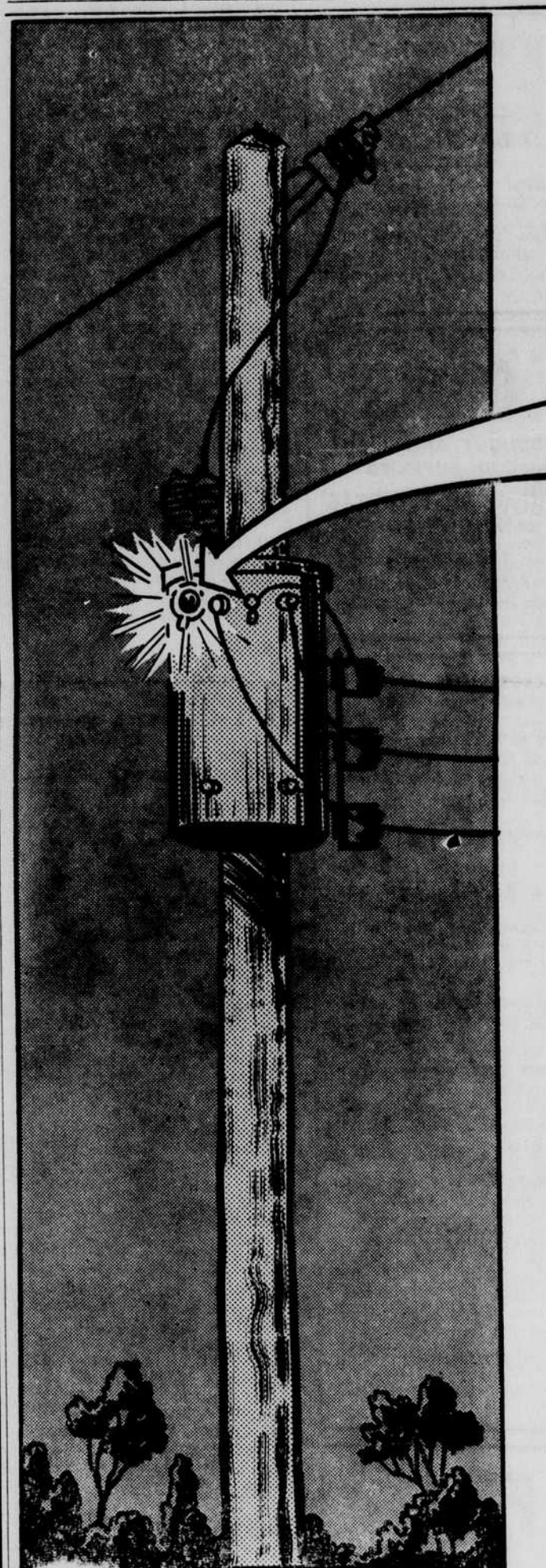
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