

# SOCIETY

## News

MISS MAYME ROBERTS—Social Editor—Phone 256.  
News Items Telephoned Miss Roberts Will Be Appreciated.

**Play Postponed.**  
The Graham street P. T. A. play scheduled for Tuesday night has been postponed to Thursday night of next week.

**Home Department Will Hold Meeting.**  
Monday at 4 p. m. the American homes department of the Women's club will hold the last meeting of the year at the club room. Mesdames Oliver Anthony and Chas. Young will have charge of the program.

**Sunday School Class Picnic.**  
The Sunday school class of Miss Olive Singleton of the Central Methodist church enjoyed a picnic at Cleveland Springs, yesterday afternoon. After many games and swimming a picnic lunch was served. The chaperones were Mesdames M. F. Coley and Will Arey.

**Miss Wells Entertains.**  
Miss Lucy Wells charmingly entertained a number of her friends at her home in Lawndale with a house party over the week-end. Those attending were Misses Hazel Heffner, Louise Weaver, Mr. Herbert Brandon and Mr. Hambricht of Kings Mountain.

**Mrs. McMurry Hostess To Club.**  
The Thursday afternoon club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. A. W. McMurry yesterday afternoon at her home on W. Marion street. The large living room was arranged with a profusion of mixed summer flowers. At the close of the game the hostess was assisted by Mesdames Tom Moore, D. W. Royster and Miss Amos Willis in serving a delicious frozen salad course with punch and homemade candies. Visiting guests were Mesdames Ab Eskridge, O. C. Joseph and John Schenck.

**Dinner Party.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Miles Beam were cordial hosts at a delightful dinner party at their home on Beaumont Terrace Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A delightful five course dinner was served and covers were laid for the following: Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Clary of Kings Mountain, Misses Marie Beam and Gwindolin Dellinger, Mr. and Mrs. Carver Wood, Bill Beam and Mr. and Mrs. Beam.  
After the dinner the party enjoyed the picture at the Princess Theatre.

**Davis-Andrews Wedding.**  
The following announcements have been received in the city: Mr. and Mrs. William Luther Andrews announce the marriage of their daughter Orie Summerfield to Mr. Henry Madison Davis Saturday, the eighth of June, Roanoke, Va.  
Mrs. Davis has frequently visited Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Coley here, while Mr. Davis was a former teacher in the city schools. Mr. and Mrs. Davis will arrive today to spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Coley and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Baber.

**Fannie Heck Circle Meet.**  
Mesdames J. A. Liles and Carl Putnam were joint hostesses to the members of the Fannie Heck circle of the First Baptist church, Monday afternoon, entertaining at the home of Mrs. Liles on S. DeKalb street. This was the last meeting for the year, the circle suspending until September.  
The devotional was led by Mrs. J. D. Eskridge after which an examination on two study books were taken, by twelve of the members present.  
A social half hour was spent and the hostesses served ice cream, cake and punch.

**Mrs. Richard Branton Entertains.**  
Mrs. Richard Branton entertained with a handkerchief shower at her home on the Fallston road Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, honoring Miss Iva Sperling, who is to be married next week.  
The living room and dining room was beautifully decorated with Queen Ann's lace and larkspur. The honoree received many pretty handkerchiefs, among which was a bridal handkerchief and the hostess presented her with a lovely vase. After many contests and games were enjoyed a salad and ice course was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. L. H. Ledford, Miss Lalene Grigg, Mrs. D. L. Houser and Miss Clara Sperling. About thirty guests were present.

**Hasty-Higgins Wedding.**  
Caroleen, June 6—Miss Ruth Higgins of Caroleen, and C. A. Hasty, of Maxton, were quietly married at high noon Wednesday,

June 5, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Higgins. The ceremony was performed by Dr. C. B. Wood of Maxton, pastor of the bride.  
The bride is a graduate of North Carolina College for Women at Greensboro. During the past year she was a popular teacher in the Laurinburg high school.  
The groom attended Oak Ridge and N. C. State college and is now a prominent business man of Maxton.

**Miss LeGrand Honors House Guest.**  
Miss Minna LeGrand honored her cousin, Miss Julia Slaughter, of Athens, Ga., with a lovely bridge party, Tuesday evening at eight o'clock, entertaining at her home on South Washington street. The large living room and music room were arranged with quantities of beautiful summer flowers. Miss LeGrand received her guests in a yellow taffeta evening gown, while Miss Slaughter wore a white and green chiffon.  
The high score prizes were won by Mrs. Hugh Miller and Barney Brackett and the low score prize went to Steve Woodson. Miss Slaughter was presented with an honor gift. The hostess was assisted by her mother, Mrs. R. T. LeGrand, Miss Carobel Lever and Mrs. Hugh Miller in serving a delicious frozen salad course with accessories and stuffed cookies, a color scheme of green was emphasized in the decorations and refreshments.  
The guests included: Misses Slaughter, Margaret Blanton, Mary Suttle, Kathleen Hord, Nancy Suttle, Katherine Dover, Mary Brandt, Switzer and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Miller, Preston Stroupe, Norris Lackey, Dwight Houser, Jim Grigg, Steve Woodson, Dude Ligon, Barney Brackett, Bill Pendleton, Joe Johnson, James Corbett and Chas. Alexander.

**Miss Morrison Honors Miss Putnam.**  
Miss Louise Morrison entertained a few friends at her home on S. Lafayette street yesterday afternoon honoring Miss Murrel Putnam who is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burgin Putnam. Miss Morrison was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Chas. Morrison and Miss Elizabeth Morrison in serving ice cream and cake. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lynch, Ralph Putnam, Misses Iva Watterson, Lena and Lizzie Daniel, Bernice Shytle, Ray Ellis, Ruth Waldrop, Margaret Costner and Miss Putnam.

**McKinney-Putnam Wedding.**  
A wedding of much interest to Cleveland county was that of Miss Oveda Putnam of near Shelby to Mr. Guy McKinney of Ellenboro which took place in the presence of a few close relatives at the bride's home Saturday June 8, at sundown. The home was beautifully decorated with daisies and ever-greens lighted with candles. The bride was very beautifully dressed in white georgette. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Cecil Baber of Shelby, and "The Melody of love" was very softly played during the ceremony which was conducted by Rev. R. H. Weaver of Sanford.  
The bride is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Putnam and the groom is the promising son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McKinney. They both graduated from Boiling Springs high school in '25. Mrs. McKinney has been taking junior college work at Boone this winter. Mr. McKinney has been filling a prominent position in Texas. They have not decided where they will be at home but are expecting to Texas where Mr. McKinney will return to Texas where Mr. McKinney will take up his work again.

**Kitchen Shower.**  
The B. Y. P. U. of the Ross Grove Baptist church gave a kitchen shower at the home of Mrs. D. L. Houser last Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in honor of Miss Iva Sperling, a bride-elect of this month. Many interesting games were played, after which a salad and ice course was served. About forty members were present.

**Hall-Mills "Clue" Fake.**  
Detroit—Kenneth Gladeau, 32, a federal prisoner here who on Saturday "confessed" to being a witness to the Hall-Mills murders in New Brunswick, N. J., six years ago, was sentenced to serve six years in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kan., on Dyer and Mann act charges.  
Authorities gave little credence to Gladeau's story. Francis L. Bergen, prosecutor of Somerset county, N. J., telegraphed Detroit authorities that he felt further investigation unwarranted unless more definite information could be obtained. Federal officers at Detroit said other "confessions" of Gladeau had proved groundless.

## LATTIMORE BATCH COMMUNITY NEWS

(Special to The Star.)

Miss Beatrice Cabaniss and Mrs. Fontz Williamson of the Zion community were welcome guests at the B. Y. P. U. Sunday night.  
Miss Mary Agnes Lattimore has returned to Mars Hill college for summer school.

Miss Louise Heffner of Crouse is spending this week with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones.  
Miss Mada Wilson is spending a few days in Forest City with Miss Edie McIntire.

Miss Julia Hunt has returned home after a week's visit with her cousin Miss Eleece Davis of Charlotte.  
Miss Lydia Poston has returned to her home near Zion after spending a few days with Mrs. M. B. Smith.

Mr. Howard Harrill who graduated last week at State college has arrived home for a short visit with his mother Mrs. Julian Harrill. Mr. Harrill leaves at an early date for Dayton, Ohio, where he has accepted a position.  
Mrs. S. C. Crawley who has been ill for some time was carried to the Rutherfordton hospital Monday for treatment.

Mr. R. R. Hewitt and family motored to Newton Sunday. They visited Mrs. Hewitt's mother Mrs. P. E. Rowe. Miss Pauline Hewitt remained for a weeks visit with her grandparents.  
Master Charles Lattimore of Bostic is spending a few days with his cousin Thomas Lattimore.

Prof. and Mrs. V. C. Taylor and sons, V. C., Jr., and Glenn also Miss Margaret Stockton were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Davis Sunday.  
Mr. S. H. Hamrick of Shelby is spending this week with his daughter Mrs. C. J. Hamrick.  
Dr. L. V. Lee has returned home from the Rutherfordton hospital after taking treatment there for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Morehead had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Bate Morehead and son and Mrs. Betty Morehead of Avondale.

flat rock news  
wille Clark motored over from his home last saturday night and spent sunday with his uncle, mike Clark, rfd.

jhonnie Clark motored to town last week in his ford and run over a pig which cost him 108. he claims the pig was more to fault than he was, as the pig shot out of the woods in front of him and hit his fender ansoforth. anyway, the pig is ded and jhonnie is shy \$10.

mike Clark, rfd, has a nice chance of turnip sallet for sall which he growed hisself and in making his rounds with beef, don't fail to ask for some sallet too, as it goes fine with beef and onions. he also has a few bunches of sasafraac tea roots that goes with beef at c15 a bunch.

a singing was hell at the school house last Tuesday night and was led by mike Clark, rfd, who has a fine voice, and the organ was played by miss jennie veeve Clark, and billie Clark, he sung base, and sammie Clark played a fiddle, and so did judie Clark. It was the finest singing ever herd in this section.

crops is looking right peart at this writing with so much rain and grass, and mike Clark, rfd, has about finished shopping out and allso will plant another patch of rosen years as soon as his present patch comes up and get big enuff to eat. he is one of our hustling farmers and has joined the h-4 club for 5 akers of cotton, so watch out fellers, as mike will no doubt win the prize.

arch Clark had a fight with a installment agent last week about the second payment on his ford, and he had to be hauled back to the hospital without same, but arch did not get a scratch. it will pay bill collectors to find out who they are talking to befoar they call annybody a lie in the future as arch don't take that offen nobody.

vores trulls.  
mike Clark, rfd.

The Drought Of 18 And 82.  
Uncle Joe likes to talk about things and happenings of the distant past. He frequently brings up the drought of 18 and 82. He said that his baby brother, Obediah Jackson Lafayette, had learned to walk before he ever saw a drop of rain, and he swears that a fellow had to dig a hole at least 5 feet deep before he ever found a

fishing worm—the ground was so dry.

Now Uncle Joe ain't the kind that exaggerates. He sticks to the truth, so he says. Going further into that dry spell, he stated in the presence of witnesses that his daddy's cow gave powdered milk and the butter wasn't a thing but marshmallow dust after it was churned. The river dried up, and the fish laid around so long without any water to play in they sprouted legs. (He went Darwin one better. It took fish a million years to do this stunt before the bone age).

According to Uncle Joe's uncontradicted statement, it rained a few drops on top of a barn in his neighborhood on New Year's day in '82, and it never even got cloudy again till October 4th. The corn his folks planted in June got so hot in the ground it popped open, and a mocking bird had to have his bill primed before he could sing. (Uncle Joe knew what he was talking about, as he had 3 pet mocking birds of his own so he said and he primed one of them every morning before breakfast).

Uncle Joe wouldn't think of

misrepresenting a fact. But it did sound rather unusual when he said that he had seen his grandpaw chew a chaw of tobacco nearly all day without accumulating enough saliva to spit a single time. All of the wells and goats went dry by July 4th, and he and his folks had to tote water nearly 20 miles from the only spring in the county that did not fail to function, and he claimed that the water he got from that spring was so dry that it would take a half gallon pot full to wet a handkerchief.

A man from out west got to talking to Uncle Joe once about how dry it was in the Sahara desert, but Uncle Joe said that those Sahara-ians didn't know anything at all about the scarcity of moisture, and if they had of been in this country during the drought of '82 there wouldn't have been enough of them left to pick a chicken. I guess Uncle Joe was right. He usually is. I have never found out from him just exactly when it actually rained in '82. He says he simply disremembers that part of the dry spell.

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