



Miss Bernice Ware, above, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Ware. Her betrothal to Ralph Mauneyson of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Mauney, is announced today. The wedding will be an event of this month.

**SOCIAL AND PERSONAL HAPPENINGS**

**of INTEREST to WOMEN**

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MRS. C. C. OATES

**Miss Redmond Is Bride Of Audrey Bateman**

Miss Margie Redmond and Audrey Bateman of Newport News, Va., were married Thursday, December 26, at York, S. C. with Probate Judge E. W. Nunn performing the ceremony.

For her marriage, Mrs. Bateman wore a dress of powder blue. Her only attendant was her aunt, Mrs. Elbert Bridges. Mr. Bridges served as best man to the bridegroom.

The bride is the only daughter of Rev. W. H. Redmond and the late Grace Blanton Redmond and is a grand-daughter of Mrs. Ora Blanton and the late Rev. Crowell Blanton.

Mr. Bateman is the son of Mrs. R. Y. Bateman and the late Mr. Bateman of Newport News, Va.

**Lula Herndon Circle Will Meet Monday**

The Lula Herndon Circle of the First Baptist church will hold its first meeting of 1947 on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. L. L. Benson.

All members are urged to attend and that the plans for the coming year may be formulated.

**Family Of B. T. Wilson**

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Wilson had all their family together at Christmas for the first time in six years. Those present for the reunion at the Wilson home on Battleground Avenue were Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Waters and children, Phyllis Ann and Larry, from Elizabeth City, Mr. and Mrs. John Tay

lor and son, Tommy from Rosnoke Bridge, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wilson and daughter, Kay, from Charlotte, J. R. Wilson and Miss Carolyn Wilson from Kings Mountain, and Mr. Wilson father, Mr. J. K. Wilson of Charlotte. They all had as their special guest Miss Dorothy Braddy of Charlotte.

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TODAY LAST SHOWING  
Double Feature Program  
"If I Had My Way"  
Bing Crosby—also  
"North of the Border"  
Russell Hayden  
Last Chapter "Tiger Woman"

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Double Feature Program  
"Western Gold"  
Smith Hall—also  
"Tom Brown's School"

SATURDAY ONLY  
Double Feature Program  
"High School Hero"

The Teen-Agers—Also  
"Overland Raiders"  
Buster Crabbe "Fuzzy" St. John  
Fox Cartoon - Serial

MONDAY and TUESDAY  
Bud Abbott, Lon Costello  
in  
"The Time of Their Lives"  
News - Short

WED. and THURSDAY  
Double Feature Program  
Gena Tierney - Harry Carey  
also

"Don't Gamble With Strangers"  
Kane Richmond  
New Serial: "Manhunt" of

**Holiday Bride Feted At Bridge Party**

Mrs. Charles Williams and Miss Margaret Williams were hostesses on December 19 at a three-table bridge party complimenting Miss Katherine Morrow, of Gastonia, who was married on December 23 to Richard Groves, also of Gastonia.

The entrance hall of the Williams' home was decorated with a brightly festooned tree and other Christmas symbols were used throughout the house.

After the bridge games, an honor gift of crystal was presented to Miss Morrow and a gift for high score was presented to Miss Margaret Morrow.

Attractive and tasty refreshments were served after the presentation of gifts.

Mrs. Williams sang at the Groves-Morrow wedding and Miss Williams served as one of the bridesmaids.

**Mr. and Mrs. Snow Are Hosts At Party**

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Snow entertained on Monday night at a dinner party at the home of Mrs. Snow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mauney.

The living room and dining room were attractively decorated with a lighted Christmas tree, poinsettias and holly.

After dinner bridge was played with score prizes going to Peggy Baker and Helen Ramsey.

Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Snow showed colored slides made at points of interest all over the country.

Those at the party were Sarah Herndon, Helen Ramsey, Peggy Baker, Clarence Gantt, and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Carlson of Los Angeles, Calif. Mr. Carlson is the former Ruth McKelvie of this city.

**Playwright Is Guest At Goforth Home**

Miss Frances Goforth had as her guests at the home of her parents Monday night Mr. Howard Richardson and Mr. Jack Fritz-Hugh.

Mr. Richardson is author of "Dark of the Moon" and several other prospective Broadway productions.

Mr. Fritz-Hugh, who is now enrolled as a student at Columbia University in New York, served three years in the Army Air Corps.

Miss Goforth accompanied Mr. Richardson and Mr. Fritz-Hugh to Black Mountain where they will visit Mr. Richardson's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Mrs. Richardson for a few days. From there, they will go to Chapel Hill for a week before returning to New York.

**Debs Entertain At New Year's Party**

The Debs, a newly organized club made up of fourteen teen-age girls, gave a Watch party on New Year's Eve at the Womans club house.

In the ballroom a holiday atmosphere was created by the use of crepe braids in red, green, and white which were draped from the lights and frame of the windows. Huge balloons were suspended from the ceiling and at the stroke of twelve were pulled down to be pierced. The serving table was covered with a white party cloth and centered with an ornate crystal punch bowl. Nandinas and red candles were arranged around the punch bowl. The mantel over the fireplace in the lounge was decorated with evergreens and lighted red candles.

Chaperones for the dance were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Carpenter and Mr. and Mrs. Halbert Webb.

Members of the new Debs club are Betty Ford, Peggy Arthur, Betty Lynch, Margaret Williams, Jean Webb, Dorcas Carpenter, Lenora Flenk, Lonann Herndon, Mary Beth Ford, Bobbie Simmons, Audrey Tiams, Shirley Spivay, Frances Payne and Beniah Rhea.

**Birth Announcements**

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Ware announce the birth of a son, Edwin Latham, Dec. 28, at Presbyterian hospital in Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Roberts announce the birth of a daughter on December 28 at Shelby hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Mauney, Jr., announce the birth of a daughter on December 30 at Mercy hospital in Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McDaniel announce the birth of a daughter on December 23 at Shelby hospital.

**Thornburg-Bookout Marriage Announced**

Mrs. Dewey H. Bookout has announced the marriage of her daughter Billy Deane, to George Henry Thornburg, on Sunday, December 22, at Gaffney, S. C.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Bookout and the late Mr. Bookout. She attended Bethware high school. Mr. Thornburg, son of W. H. Thornburg and the late Mrs. Thornburg, also attended Bethware high school and is now an employee of the State highway department in Shelby.

**DIXIE THEATRE**

THURSDAY LAST SHOWING

"Deception"  
Betty Davis Paul Henreid  
News

FRIDAY

Double Feature Program  
Eddie Bracken Veronica Lake  
"Out of This World"

also  
"My Friend Flicka"

Preston Foster  
Roddy McDowell  
Cartoon

Late Show 10:30 p. m.

SATURDAY

Double Feature Program  
"Boston Blackie and the Law"

Chester Morris Troy Marshall  
also  
"The Fighting Frontiersman"

Charles Starrett  
Smiley Burnette  
Cartoon

MONDAY and TUESDAY

"If I'm Lucky"  
Vivian Blaine Harry James  
Latest News

Late Show Monday 10:30 pm

WED. and THURSDAY

"Gallant Journey"  
Glenn Ford Janet Blair  
Latest News

Late Show Wed. 10:30 p. m.

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