

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL HAPPENINGS

of INTEREST to WOMEN

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Mr. J. M. Dedmon Feted On 82nd. Birthday

On Sunday, February 13, Miss Mildred Dedmon entertained at a birthday dinner honoring her father on his 82nd birthday anniversary. A perfectly appointed four-course dinner was served to the following: the honoree, Mr. J. M. Dedmon and Mrs. Dedmon, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Martin of Latta, Mr. and Mrs. John Black of Cherryville, Mr. and Mrs. Brady of Grover, and Mrs. Charlie Shepherd, only sister of Mr. Dedmon.

The table was centered with a large, beautiful decorated birthday cake. Miss Dedmon was assisted in serving by her niece, Miss Mary Joan Toney, of Shelby.

On Sunday night Miss Dedmon was hostess at a buffet dinner honoring Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Anthony of Gastonia. Others enjoying Miss Dedmon's hospitality at this time were Mr. and Mrs. George Gibson and Miss Frances Gibson, of Grover.

Rev. and Mrs. Pressly Assist In Reception

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. L. Pressly were in Statesville Wednesday evening to attend a dinner and reception given in honor of Dr. and Mrs. C. Lowry Pressly of New York, who were recently married in Washington. Rev. and Mrs. Pressly assisted in receiving at the reception which was held at the Statesville Country Club.

Rev. J. H. Brendall To Lead MYF Sunday

Seniors of the Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock in the youth chapel for a discussion on "Pillars of Protestantism" to be led by their pastor, the Rev. J. H. Brendall, Jr., as announced by Jack Matthews, program chairman for February.

A number of this group attended the training school in Gastonia this week to study with other MYF groups about "The Methodist Youth Fellowship as a Vital Force." The attendance in this class averaged 140.

Miss Joan Blalock Bride-Elect Honored

Mrs. Paul McGinnis entertained at her home Friday night at a party and miscellaneous shower for Miss Joan Blalock, bride-elect of March. The home was attractively decorated for the occasion with jonquils and other spring blossoms.

Miss Blalock chose as her costume an aquamarine crepe dress, with which she wore black accessories and a corsage given to her by the hostess.

After the period of entertainment consisting of bingo and contests, Miss Blalock received a shower of miscellaneous gifts.

Later the hostess served a sweet course with coffee. Miss Blalock was given crystal in her chosen pattern.

Miss Peggy Smith, bride-elect, was also remembered with a gift.

Miss Andrews Feted At Pre-Nuptial Party

Misses Lois Watson and Mary Cromartie entertained at the tea-charge Monday night in honor of Miss Margaret Andrews, whose wedding to Bert De Haan will take place in late March.

Valentine decorations were used in the living room. Hearts dice was played with high score prize awarded Miss Ruth Denton and low score prize awarded Miss Jane Wolfe. An ice course in red and white was served, after which the bride-elect was given a miscellaneous shower. The hostesses presented the honoree a shoulder corsage.

The guests included Miss Andrews, Mrs. J. V. Andrews, mother of the bride-elect, and Miss Ruth Denton of Charlotte, Mrs. James Logan of Shelby, Miss Nell Trexler of Belmont, Miss Theima Payseur of Gastonia, Mrs. David Fisher, Mrs. J. Brown Ware, Miss Sybil Spratt, Miss Willie McGill, Mrs. H. B. Covington, Miss Audrey May, Miss Margaret Goforth, Miss Jane Wolfe, Miss Marceline Weathers, Miss Alice Ridenhour, Miss Sarah Alexander, Miss Laura Bell, Miss Katherine Dowd, Miss Mary Bell Teague, and Miss Elizabeth Hunt.

Duplicate Bridge With Mrs. D. M. Peeler

Mrs. Dace Peeler was hostess at a delightful party Monday afternoon at her attractive new home in Rosewood Lane, when she entertained members of the Duplicate Bridge club and one invited guest, Mrs. C. F. Thomason, Jr.

The living room was artistically arranged with bowls of early spring blossoms.

Mrs. Tolly Shuford and Mrs. Howard Jackson were recipients of the high score reward for the afternoon. The hostess served a sweet course at the end of the evening's games.

Dinner Bridge Given At Country Club

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ormand, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Saunders of Robbins entertained at dinner bridge Friday night at the Country Club.

Seven tables were assembled when guests arrived and a perfectly appointed three course dinner was served.

A color note of red emphasizing Valentine Idea was carried out attractively in the floral arrangements

used to decorate the club dining room and in the tallies.

When covers were removed several animated progressions of bridge ensued. Top score for ladies was made by Mrs. George Lattimore with George Houser winning top score for men.

Low score prizes went to Mrs. Garland Still and Ed Smith.

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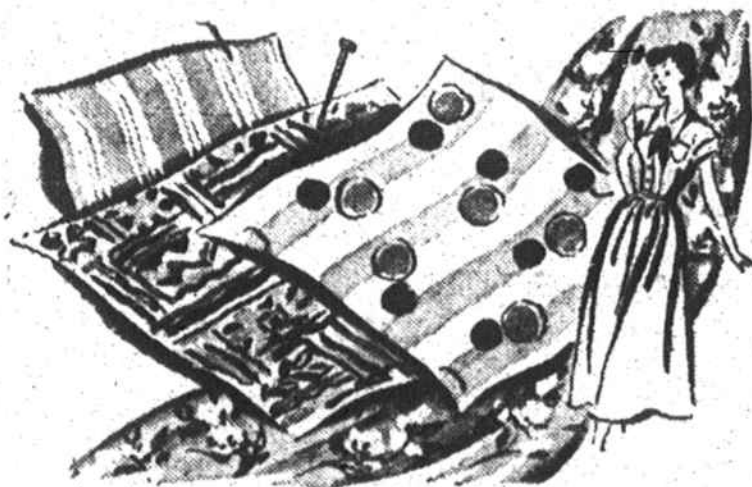
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