El-Bethel-Bethware News

(Mrs. Leonard Gamble)

EL . BETHEL BETHWARE A splendid crowd attended the fish fry Friday night at Bethware school. It was sponsored by the Atheletic Association. Pro week, Monday evening, the ladies

school equipment. meet Thursday night in the school the home of Mrs. B. F. Bird, the and a covered dish supper. Three cles conducted the meeting. Frifaculty members and three pa- day at 7:30 in the church baserents will be on the program. All parents are invited to attend.

Wednesday night at choir prac-Boyce Huffstetler, will make plans and discuss steps to be faken in preparing for the coming revival services early in May. The pastor and his family expect to move Friday into the new par

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Wednesday af

Thursday night at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Max Bolin and Mrs. L. V. present and games and contests were enjoyed throughout the and Peggy Dixon. evening. After refreshment time, the gifts were brought out and presented to Mr. Ross who opened them in the absence of his wife, who was taken to the Shelby hospital on Tuesday for treatment W. F. Cockrell. She is some better.

Rev. Spurgeon Scruggs of er Sunday night at El-Bethel and Mrs. Joe McGinnis, Kings Mountain was guest speak-Penley's Chapel. The pastor an nounced that it was his last ser therefore each Sunday night there will be services at El-Bethel.

Miss Mildred Peterson represented Bethware school in the speaking contest of the county held in Shelby Friday night.

Mrs. Mildred Little of New Orleans accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fulton and Winfred of Kings Mountain were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gamble and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gamble, Mrs. Little is a niece of Mrs. Gamble.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bowles of San Diego, California and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baird of the same of a baby daughter at the same hospital in San Diego, the 17th and 21st of February, Mrs. Bowles is the former Miss Doris Doster of this community and Mrs. Baird is the former Miss Peggy Harrelson also of the community.

The directors of the Men's Progressive Club met Tuesday night at Bethware for a business ses-

Mrs. J. N. Smith is spending

several weeks at Waxhaw with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gamble. Max Bolin of the U. S. Army

spent several days last week here with his family. Melvin Cash is much improved

but is still in the Shelby hospital. J. J. Gamble of Shelby spent by the Senior, Youth, and Junior Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gamble, H. W. Gamble was a Sunday afternoon guest.

Miss Theresa Mae M.Swain and Luthur McSwain, Jr. and a friend of college spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. L. R. McSwain. Odis Biddix of the U. S. Navy

at California is home on a 30 day Miss Laura Laine Morris spent

Sunday with Miss Lois Gamble. Miss Lois Gamble, Roy Hernware attended the 4-H club coun-ing Monday night.

Grover Circles Are Observing Week Of Prayer

W. M. U. week of prayer for home missions is in progress this ceeds will be used to pay for met in the church basement, the Lottie Moon Circle had charge of The Bethware P. T. A. will the program, Wednesday, 3:45 at lunch room for a regular meeting Bostic, and Annie Armstrong Cirment, the Meldona Livingstone circle will be in charge.

Misses Lola Fayé Hardin, Mary tice at El-Bethel, the pastor, Rev. Ried Norman, Mrs. Sam Strain, and Mrs. Phillip Francis entertained in honor of Miss Sybil Byers, bride-elect of March 15, at a dinner at the Lilly club house, Saturday evening at eight o'clock, The dining room was beautifully decorated with spring flowers. A color note of yellow and white ternoon with Mrs. Leonard Gam Mrs. James Byers, Mrs. J. B. was used. Those attending were Quinn, Mrs. Jimmy Quinn, Miss Lillian Quinn, Mrs. Dean Mc-Hoyle entertained with a pretty Gilmore Byers, Mrs. A. B. Davis, Craw, Mrs. Broadus Beam, Mrs. miscellaneous shower at the home. Mrs. Donald Woods, Mrs. Edward of Mrs. Hoyle, honoring Mrs. Hamrick, Misses Sallie Davis, Jeanette Ross, A large crowd was Inez Davis, Mary Louise Ellis

John Houser, USN, of Norfolk spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Houser. Bill Cockrell, a student at Clemon College, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

James McGinnis of Wake Forest spent the week end with Mr.

while the pastor held services at of Greenville, S. C., Mr. and Mrs. Lt, (Dub Hicks and Mrs. Hicks Bobby Keeter of Norfolk and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kirkpatrict of vice at Penleys on Sunday nights, Lowell were Sunday dinner guests of the R. B. Keeters.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Harry and son Ronnie of Robersonville spent the week end with the B. A. Harrys.

Mr. and Mrs. George Deal of Gaffney visited the W. W. Mclarter's, recently.

Mrs. Sheldon Player and daughter, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Bird, returned to Norfolk during the week end, Sheldon Plager, USN, came especially to accompany them back,

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Meharg and place each announce the arrival the week end with Mrs. R. E. Rickey of Macon, Georgia spent Hambright.

Benjamin- H. Field, USN, enroute from Memphis, Tennessee to Oceana, Va. spent the week end with the M. C. Hardins, Mrs. Howard Efird of Albemarle visited friends in town on

Grady Ross, who holds a position at Aiken, S. C., spent the week end with home folks,

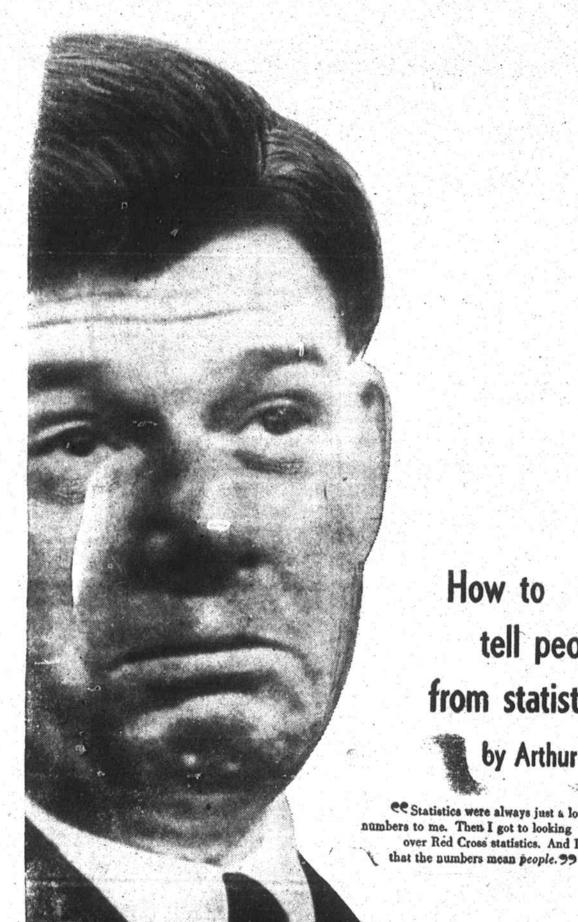
ARP VESPER SERVICE

Boyce Memorial A. R. P. chur h will have a special song service on Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

There will be special anthems choirs and congregational singing led by B. D. Ratterree. The service is planned for the enjoyment of those who love music. It is under the general direction of Mr. Ratterree, assisted by the choir director, Mrs. N. F. McGill of the Senior choir, Mrs. J. E. Gamble of the Youth choir and Mrs. Garrison Goforth of the Junior choir. All members and inverested friends are invited to attend this service.

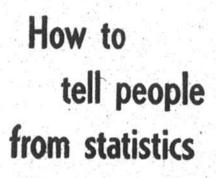
don, Jack Harmon, Janelle An cil and recreational meeting held thony, and Jane Goforth of Beth- in Shelby at the agriculture bulid-

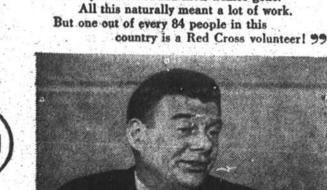
Number 4 Township Quota \$6,500



ee Statistics were always just a lot of numbers to me. Then I got to looking over Red Cross statistics. And I found

by Arthur Godfrey





There's a final figure I can't put down here. It's the amount that will be contributed by people to help people in the Cross drive now under way. That figure depends on you. Won't you give generously?

In this troubled world, make your

generosity as great as the need. 99

ee Take a figure lac eleven and a half

assistance the Red Cross gave last year to

Or take the number of people in the

(One out of every four is a Red Cross member.) 99

ee And here's a figure that just plain

means life or death. 4,121,000 pints of blood

were provided for servicemen and civilians.

(2,440,000 pints for the military.)

One out of every two hospitals in the whole United

States got blood through the Red Cross. 99

ee Remember the newspaper headlines about

floods, tornadoes, fires and other disasters?

The Red Crose carried on six disaster operations

when they were hurt and their homes gone.

a week! It took care of thousands of people

every ten of 'em received some kind of

United States-150,000,000. One out of

Red Cross assistance or training.

rvicemen and veterans and their dependents. It was money turned into help for people. 99

million dollars. That's the amount of financial



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