

Society

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CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY—Little Jean Marie Scism, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Earl Scism of East Gold street, celebrated her first birthday anniversary Sunday, May 31, Jean Marie's maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Erwood of Kings Mountain. Her paternal grandparents are the late Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scism.

Margrace Woman's Club Met Friday Evening

The Margrace Woman's Club held their May meeting at the club house Friday evening. The hostesses Mesdames Forest Weaver, Baxter Smith, Haskell Wilson, and James Bollin served party plates consisting of chicken salad, pickles, lemon pie, and orangeade.

Dr. and Mrs. D. F. Hord were Spartanburg visitors on Monday.

Mrs. H. C. Mayes Hostess To Methodist Circle

Circle No. 2 of Central Methodist church met Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. Carl Mayes.

Mrs. J. O. Plonk, Sr. leader used as her devotional the topic of "Faith". Mrs. W. W. Tolleson had a very informative program on the Methodist Youth Fellowship, their programs, duties, and accomplishments, stressing the need of leadership, advice and right examples from adults.

The following committees were named, Mrs. A. P. Warlick, co-chairman; Mrs. Hubert Carlisle and Mrs. W. W. Tolleson, program; Mrs. C. F. Carpenter, Sr., secretary of Spiritual Life and Devotionals; Mrs. John Plonk, and Mrs. H. T. Fulton, Sr., membership; Mrs. M. C. Poston, treasurer; Mrs. Glenn Suggs, Mrs. J. R. Davis and Mrs. C. T. Carpenter, Sr., Telephone.

After the meeting, a social hour was enjoyed.

Home Arts Club Met With Mrs. W. L. Pressly

Mrs. W. L. Pressly was hostess to the Home Arts Club on Tuesday afternoon. Arrangements of yellow gladioli, daisies, regal lilies and magnolia were used throughout the rooms.

After the business session, Mrs. W. L. Pressly had charge of the program using as her topic "History of Furniture and How to Identify It". She used pictures illustrating chippendale, hepplewhite, sheraton, and duncan phyfe furniture.

The hostess was assisted in serving a delicious salad plate. Ice cream meringue were passed as a sweet course.



MRS. LEE McBRIDE WELLS

Miss Sara Lee Hopper Wed Sunday To L. M. Wells In New Baptist Chapel

The new Chapel at First Baptist Church, Shelby, made a lovely setting for the beautiful wedding ceremony of Miss Sara Lee Hopper of Shelby and Lee McBride Wells of Kings Mountain on Sunday, May thirty-first at four o'clock in the afternoon.

The Reverend Harlan Harris, pastor of the bride at the ceremony church, officiated with the double ring rites and Mrs. Hubert Plaster, organist and Mrs. Ben Suttle, vocalist, presented a program of nuptial music.

Mrs. Plaster played a medley of traditional wedding selections prior to the entrance of the wedding party, also using the traditional wedding marches and Mrs. Suttle sang "Because", "D'Hardened", "I Love Thee", "Grieg, and ended the ceremony singing "O Perfect Love" as a closing prayer.

The outline for the altar setting was marked with one central giant fern medallion posed in the choir loft, directly behind the altar, flanked with smaller medallions on each side. Arranged between the medallions were greenery entwined seven-branched candelabra holding lighted Cathedral candles, arranged in half-peaks pointing to the central medallion. Below the giant medallion was a large all-white design of gladioli, lacy asters and gypsophilla posed on the choir railing, from which extended garlands of greenery continuing to cover the entire railing and complete the lovely setting.

The bride entered the Chapel and was escorted to the altar by her eldest brother Carlos L. Hopper, who gave her in marriage. A striking brunette, the bride made a beautiful picture in her wedding gown of bridal white nylon net and lace posed over satin; the lace bodice ended in a wide V-neckline edged with hand-clipped lace petals joined to the sheer yoke which was marked with a single strand pearl choker; the long lace sleeves tapered at the wrists and ended in calla points at the hands and the fitted bodice contrasted with the fully gathered skirt of lace and net horizontal panels which fell ankle-length over bridal satin. Her tiered veiling of illusion fell waist-length from a fitted satin cap trimmed with a lace halo framing her face and she carried a white orchid, nestled in white nylon net posed on a bride's Bible showered with satin streamers. Her pearls were a gift from the bridegroom.

Miss Rebecca Hopper of New York City, only sister of the bride, attended her as maid of honor, wearing a waltz-length gown of pink nylon net over matching taffeta featuring a sweetheart neckline, contour bodice and fully gathered skirt. She wore a matching stole, mitts and a matching pink broad-brimmed hat of transparent mohair. Her bouquet was a crescent of pink carnations entwined with matching satin leaves.

The bride's mother chose a navy blue silk dress with navy accessories and had a corsage of gardenias at her shoulder. The groom's mother wore a pink flowered crepe dress with black accessories and also had gardenias at her shoulder.

Gillie Falls, Jr., brother-in-law of the groom from Kings Mountain served him as best man and ushers were Alton M. Hopper and James M. Hopper, brothers of the bride, Wallace Reid Carpenter and Herman W. Blalock, brother-in-law of the groom from Kings Mountain.

The new Mrs. Wells is the younger daughter of Mrs. Stough Hopper of Shelby. She is a graduate of Shelby High School and Mars Hill College and is bookkeeper

at Clyde A. Short Co., Inc. The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Wells of Kings Mountain is a Gastonia High School graduate; attended Gardner-Webb college, Boiling Springs and served three years with the United States Navy seeing duty in the Pacific Theatre. He is associated with Brown-Hopper Motors, Inc. as Parts man and Salesman.

The bridal couple received their wedding guests informally in the chapel vestibule, later leaving for a wedding trip in the North Carolina mountains. For travelling the bride chose a pink linen ensemble, pinning her bridal orchid at her shoulder.

After their return they will be at home at 901 1/2 N. LaFayette street.

Kings Mountain Ladies Win In Shelby Flower Show

Two members of the Kings Mountain Garden Club, Mrs. H. C. Mayes and Mrs. M. A. Ware, received blue ribbons at the Flower and Garden Show held at the Community Center in Shelby last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Mayes entered her arrangement in class 16, which was to be in copper, brass or pewter. With a brass pitcher as the container she used red barberry foliage, rolled hosta lily leaves, green apples, and red cherries.

Mrs. Ware entered her arrangement in Class 21 in the Japanese manner. In a low green bowl was a branch of a German Cherry tree, with fancy caladium leaves with a touch of beige, forming a tri-color in green, red, and beige.

House And Garden Club Hold Luncheon Meeting

The annual luncheon meeting of the House and Garden Club was held Thursday, May 28 at the Country Club, the losing team being hostesses.

The party rooms were beautifully decorated with arrangements of larkspur, daisies, roses, and fever few. In the dining room the table was very attractive using at one end a miniature arrangement similar to the cover on the year book, consisting of a house with picket fence, the yard with trees, shrubs, flowers, and garden tools.

After guests were assembled a delicious three course luncheon was served.

Mrs. Sam Davis, president, presided, reports were given of the state meeting of the North Carolina Garden Clubs held in Greensboro by Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Aubrey Mauney. After all business was disposed with, Mrs. Davis turned the meeting over to Mrs. Jacob Cooper, the incoming president. Committees for the new year were read by Mrs. Aubrey Mauney.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lovelace announce the birth of a son, Thursday, May 28, Shelby hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Morrison announce the birth of a son, Friday May 29, Shelby hospital.

A3/c and Mrs. Charles E. Blalock, Jr., announce the birth of a daughter, Deborah Marie, on May 20, at Kings Mountain hospital. (This column erroneously reported the birth of a son to Alrmen and Mrs. Blalock in its edition last week.)

Mr. and Mrs. William Martin, route 3, announce the birth of a son Monday, June 1, Kings Mountain hospital.

Social Calendar

- Thursday:**
7:45—Masterpoint Duplicate bridge game at Country Club.
8:00—Mrs. D. E. Tate and Miss Bonnie McIntosh are entertaining for Miss Barbara Gault, bride-elect.
- Friday:**
1:00—Monthly bridge luncheon at the Country Club.
7:00—Mrs. Howard Jackson will entertain the Ace of Clubs with a dinner party at the Country Club.
7:30—Miss Faylene Falls and Miss Ramona Allen will entertain for Miss Barbara Gault.
8:00—Couples Club meets with Mr. and Mrs. Drace Peeler at the Country Club.
- Saturday:**
3:30—Mrs. Winston Miller and Mrs. J. H. Arthur are entertaining at the home of Mrs. Arthur for Miss Jean Davis.
7:00—Club night with dinner and entertainment at Country Club.
- Monday:**
2:45—Duplicate Bridge Club meets with Mrs. Sam Davis.
3:30—Central Methodist Circle No. 3 meets with Mrs. Olive and Mrs. Putman.
7:30—Central Methodist Circle No. 4 meets with Mrs. James Hamrick.
7:30—Central Methodist Circle No. 5 meets with Mrs. David Hamrick.
8:00—Central Methodist Circle No. 6 meets with Mrs. J. C. McKinney.
8:00—Central Methodist Circle No. 8 meets with Mrs. Phil Shore.
8:00—Central Methodist Circle No. 9 meets with Mrs. Sam Howell.
8:00—Presbyterian Circle No. 2 meets with Mrs. Q. P. Lewis.
- Tuesday:**
3:00—Mrs. C. T. Carpenter, Jr. will entertain the Contract Club.
7:30—Double Deck Bridge Club meets with Mrs. J. N. Gamble.
- Wednesday:**
1:00—The Kings Mountain Garden Club will have a luncheon at Laurel Hill Lake, Montonia.
8:00—Mrs. Frank Stroupe of Gastonia will entertain for Miss Barbara Gault.



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED—Mr. and Mrs. John B. Williams announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty Lou, to Robert Franklin Ware, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Ware all of Kings Mountain. The wedding is planned for July.

Mrs. C. Q. Rhyne, Miss Carlyle Ware, Retiring Teachers, Luncheon Honorees

The members of the West School Faculty entertained at a luncheon on last Monday, honoring Mrs. C. Q. Rhyne and Miss Carlyle Ware, who are retiring as teachers in the Kings Mountain city schools.

The spacious front hall of the school, which was used as a dining hall on this occasion, made a lovely setting for the party. A basket arrangement of larkspur, roses and smilax added beauty and charm.

The table was spread with a white linen tablecloth. The pretty centerpiece was made of white daisies, yellow snapdragons, and feverfew, and ran the full length of the table. Attractive place cards completed the table ap-

pointment. A delicious luncheon was served by Mrs. Paul McGinnis. The honor guests were each presented gifts.

Mrs. Rhyne has taught in the Kings Mountain city schools for many years, and has held the responsible position of principal of West School for 33 years. Miss Ware has taught in the Kings Mountain city schools for 40 years. For the past several years, she has been treasurer of West school.

Miss Ramona Allen, student at Lees McRae college, Banner Elk, has arrived here to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Allen.

PERSONALS

- Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mitchem from Norfolk, Va., are spending the week with relatives in Kings Mountain.
- Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ramsey and son recently moved to Marietta, Ga.
- Mrs. Jimmie Spivey and children of Greenwood, S. C. are spending the week in Kings Mountain with relatives.
- John Thatcher of Miami, Fla. is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. David Neill.
- Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Paysour and Floyd Payne returned Saturday night from a weeks vacation in Florida.
- R. W. Spencer has returned to Norfolk, Va. after a visit with his family in Kings Mountain.
- John H. Floyd has returned from Greensboro where he attended a meeting of the North Carolina District Grand Deputies of Masons.
- Mrs. Floyd Payne visited her family in Black Mountain this week.
- Pvt. Billy E. Allen, stationed with the army in Arlington, Va., spent Memorial Day weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Allen.
- Miss Patti Parrish, student at Ringling Brothers Art School in Sarasota, Florida has arrived in Kings Mountain for the summer vacation.
- Mesdames Ruby Hord, Frances Bumgardner, Mary Deal, Ethel Falls, Ethel Gates, Walter Gamble, and Miss Bobbie Oxford were among those from Kings Mountain attending a bingo party in Charlotte Friday evening.
- Captain and Mrs. E. E. Elgin and sons were weekend guests of Mrs. Elkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Crouch. They came especially to see Mrs. Elkins' brother, Pvt. Jack Crouch who left Saturday for Austria.
- Miss Peggy Mauney is in Greensboro where she will be maid-of-honor Saturday, June 6 in the wedding of Miss Jeanne Skees and Earl Rives, Jr. in the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church.
- Mrs. Fred McDaniel, Jr. leaves Sunday for Durham where she will attend the annual meeting of the Grand Chapter Order of the Eastern Star of North Carolina.

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