

**Society**

Elizabeth Stewart, Editor

**House And Garden Club Held Meeting Wednesday**

House and Garden club members held their December meeting last Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. George W. Mauney as hostess. Prior to the meeting, a dessert course with coffee was served.

Mrs. Amos Dean and Mrs. G. E. Bridges displayed mantel and dining room table yuletide arrangements.

Red carnations and arrangements of sansevieria, scotch-broom and burfordi holly in silver container centered around Christmas balls in a hogarth curve shape, decorated the dining room table, which was covered with a green tablecloth.

Mrs. Bridges displayed a mantel arrangement of balsam with pyracantha berries around red Christmas balls and red lighted candles in silver candelabras.

Mrs. H. R. Webb, program chairman for the month, gave a program on seasonal decorations in the home with emphasis on greenery used in Christmas decorations.

Mrs. Jacob Cooper, presided over the business session. Committees were appointed to assist club calendars were distributed to club members.

**WCS Life Members To Receive Awards**

Life memberships will be presented at a meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of Central Methodist church Monday night at 8 o'clock.

The meeting will follow the Spiritual Life group meeting at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. A. J. Argo, wife of Rev. A. J. Argo, pastor of First Wesleyan Methodist church, will speak to the group on "Missionary Work In Foreign Fields." Life membership pins will be awarded and all life-members will be recognized.

**Irene Ledford Circle Held Regular Meeting**

Irene Ledford Circle members of Temple Baptist church met Tuesday night with Mrs. Herbert Dover as hostess. Six members attended the meeting.

Mrs. Agnes Cole, program chairman for December, gave a program and each member read a part of the discussion. A short business meeting was held following the program and devotional.

Refreshments were served by the hostess during the social hour after the meeting.

**Former Area Residents To Leave For Germany**

Mrs. Ernest R. Oliver and son, "Buttons", of Lincolnton, former residents of Kings Mountain, will leave Wednesday for Wurzburg, Germany, where they will join Sgt. Ernest R. Oliver, USA.

They will leave by train from Charlotte and from the Port of Embarkation, Fort Hamilton, Brooklyn, N. Y., they will go to Germany.

Mrs. Oliver is the former Miss Peggy Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Davis, former residents of Kings Mountain, who at one time resided on route 2 here.

**Mrs. Aubrey Mauney Study Club Hostess**

Mrs. Aubrey Mauney was hostess to members of the Study club when the group held their December meeting Tuesday evening.

Mrs. W. T. Weir, program chairman for the meeting, read a playlet on Christmas, using yule carols to highlight the reading. Mrs. N. F. McGill played an arrangement of "Silent Night" on the piano for a part of the Yule program.

Mrs. M. H. Bliser, president, called the meeting to order and presided over the business session. Guests, in addition to members, were Mrs. W. P. Gerberding, Mrs. P. L. Shore, Jr., Miss Margaret Stem, Miss Janet Scoggins, Miss Marie Lineberger, Miss Jette Plonk, and Mrs. S. A. Mauney.

White magnolia leaves grouped around a burning candle decorated the living room mantel centered at a Noel inscription, which had been placed above the mantelboard.

Arrangements of candles, holly, miniature Christmas trees, and a black and white sideboard arrangement of white candles were used in the dining room, where dessert plates of mince pie were served with coffee.

**East Elementary PTA Held Christmas Party**

Members of the East Elementary School Parent-Teacher association met Tuesday afternoon at the school. Mrs. Ela Joy Reynolds, PTA president, called the meeting to order and presided over the business session.

Miss Margaret Cole, program chairman, presented members of the student body, who gave in tableau the story of Christmas.

A silver tray gift was presented to Mrs. J. H. Thomson, East School Principal, from the PTA, and Mrs. Reynolds, the president, made the presentation.

During the business session the PTA voted to aid in the March of Dimes campaign by donating money as a PTA project.

Following the meeting, a social hour was enjoyed in the school lunchroom. A white cutwork linen cloth covered the refreshment table, which held arrangements of holly, pine-cones, candles and colored Christmas balls. Punch and iced cup-cakes were served.

**Mrs. Sam Stallings Circle Hostess Monday**

Mrs. Sam Stallings was hostess to members of Circle No. 5 of Central Methodist church when the circle held its regular monthly meeting Monday night.

Miss Grace Davis presented a devotional at the beginning of the meeting. Mrs. David Hamrick, program chairman for December, had arranged a program on "Christmas". Mrs. Fred Wright, Jr., and Miss Margaret Cole assisted in the program discussion.

Each member of the circle had brought gift packages to be delivered to needy families of the community.

After the business session, presided over by Mrs. Y. P. Throneburg, chairman, a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Morrow Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Hamrick and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Mauney, all of Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bolinger of Lincolnton, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Love of Stanfield.



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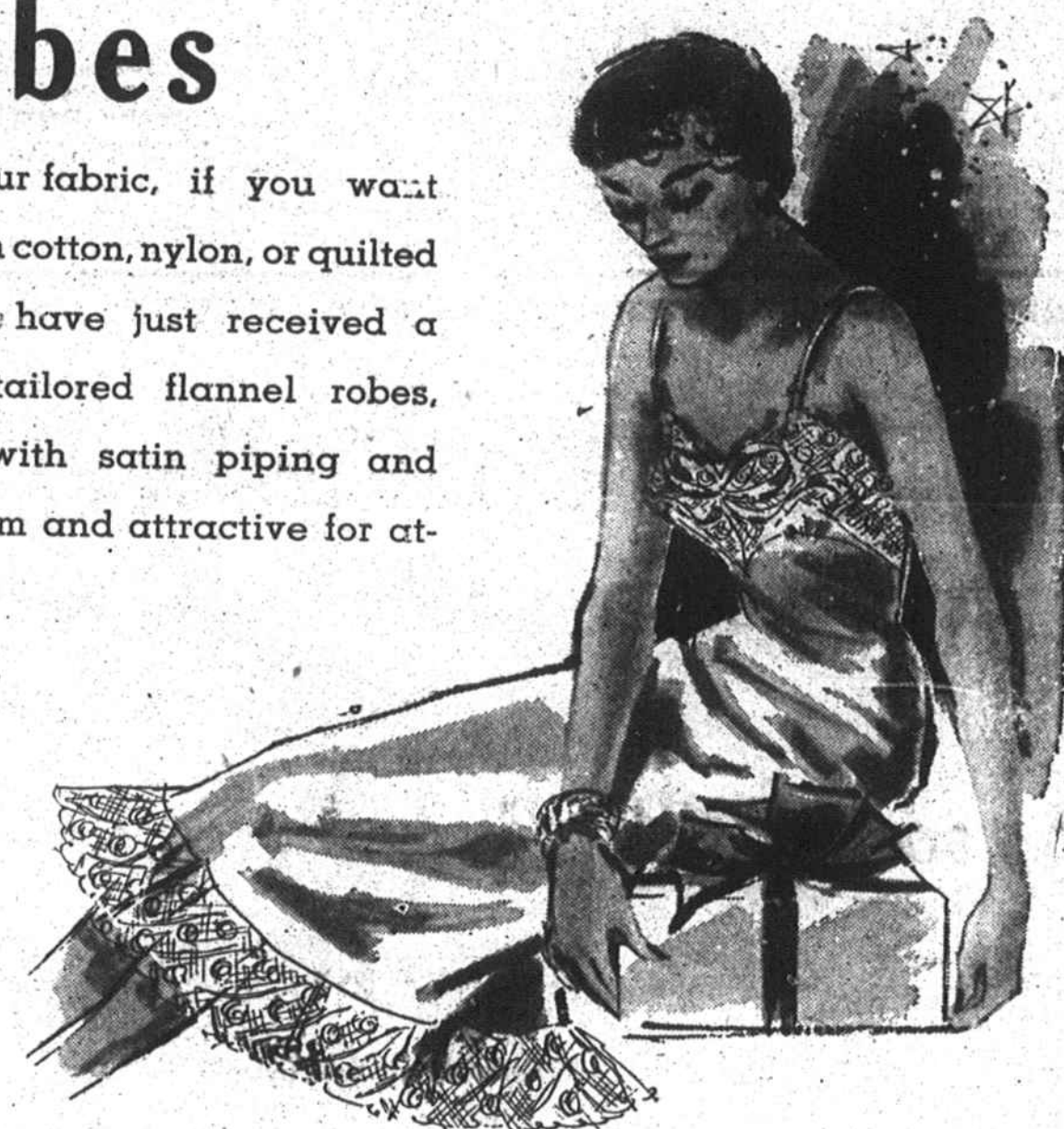
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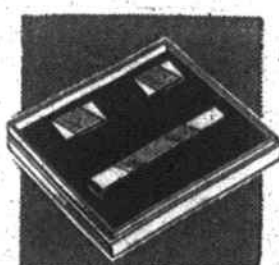


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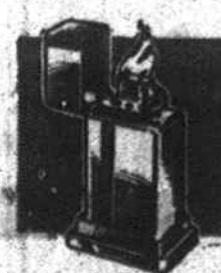
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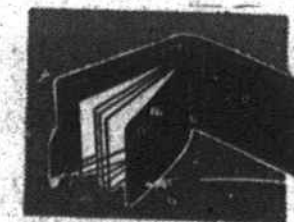
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