

Two June Brides Are Complimented At Morning Reception Here Wednesday

Mrs. H. R. Neisler and Mrs. J. O. Plonk, Jr., entertained Wednesday morning at Kings Mountain Country club complimenting two June brides.

The morning party honored Mrs. Joseph Andrew Neisler, Jr., of Kings Mountain, and Mrs. Harvey Bly Hamrick, of Shelby. Mrs. Neisler is the former Miss Martha Mariene Hedrick, of Lenoir; Mrs. Hamrick is the former Miss Kathleen Dover, of Shelby.

Mrs. Harry Page welcomed callers at the front entrance of the club and presented them to the hostesses and the honorees, who formed a formal receiving line. The honoree, Mrs. Neisler, wore a white linen dress with baby blue trim, and Mrs. Hamrick wore a white cotton dress with printed-flower background. Mrs. J. A. Neisler, of Kings Mountain and Mrs. Charles I. Dover, of Shelby, greeted callers in the hall, and Mrs. W. L. Ramseur and Mrs. H. R. Webb directed guests to the dining room, where Mrs. Amos Dean received.

The refreshment table, covered

with a white linen damask cloth, held a silver lazy susan trimmed with an outer edge of green and frosted grapes and a centerpiece of huckleberry foliage, white gladioli, white tuberose, white asters, and caladium leaves.

Mrs. L. Arnold Kiser served creamed chicken from a silver container at one end of the table, and Mrs. Charles Neisler and Mrs. William Herndon, both of Kings Mountain, and Miss Anne Dover, Miss Dorothy Dover, and Miss Jane Thompson, all of Shelby, served frosted coffee, potato puffs, cheese wafers, and hot cinnamon twists.

Good-byes were said to Mrs. George Houser, of Kings Mountain, and Mrs. George P. Davis, of Charlotte.

Gifts were presented to the honorees by the hostesses. Eighty guests called between 10:30 and noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walker, of Shelby, were guests on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ledbetter.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Tignor and children, Mike and Ronnie, and Mrs. Foley Cobb have returned home after spending a vacation in Maryland and Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bridges and sons, Joe and Don, left yesterday for a vacation in the mountains of Western North Carolina.

Misses Betty and Louise Kiser spent last week in Williamsburg, Virginia.

Miss Mary Medlin spent the weekend in Asheville, where she visited friends and relatives.

Mrs. Blanche Poplin is visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Poplin and family in Harriman, Tennessee, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Wells and son, Glenn, of Mulvane, Kansas, came home Tuesday to visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Biser and daughters, Joyce and Linda, leave Sunday for a week's vacation in Virginia and Maryland.

Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Fritz and son will leave Monday for a vacation at Myrtle Beach, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Black of Rockingham were weekend guests at the home of Mr. Black's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Condry, of Columbia, S. C., were weekend guests here at the home of Mr. Condry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Condry, other relatives, and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Falls and family and Harold Hord spent the weekend at Lake Waccamaw.

"HLF" Gas Rate Schedule Given

Lost in the shuffle of the city board of commissioners gas rate resolution was one of four rate schedules for natural gas adopted by the city.

The omitted rate schedule was for "high load factor gas service", a rate schedule applicable to laundries, dry cleaners, and other users of a constant high level base load.

For this type user the rate will be: for the first 20,000 cubic feet of gas, 11.5 cents per 100 cubic feet; for the next 80,000, eight cents per 100; for the next 400,000, six cents per 100; for all over 500,000 cubic feet, 5.5 cents per 100 cubic feet. Monthly minimum will be \$11.50 and the deposit requirement for this type of service will be \$23.

The other three rate schedules cover residential usage, general commercial usage, and interruptible service.

In other developments in the city's natural gas department, Vincent L. Beechum, the city gas superintendent, reported for work Tuesday, two weeks in advance of his scheduled arrival, and J. W. Webster, the gas tap salesman, reported Tuesday he had sold taps to 40 citizens and business firms.



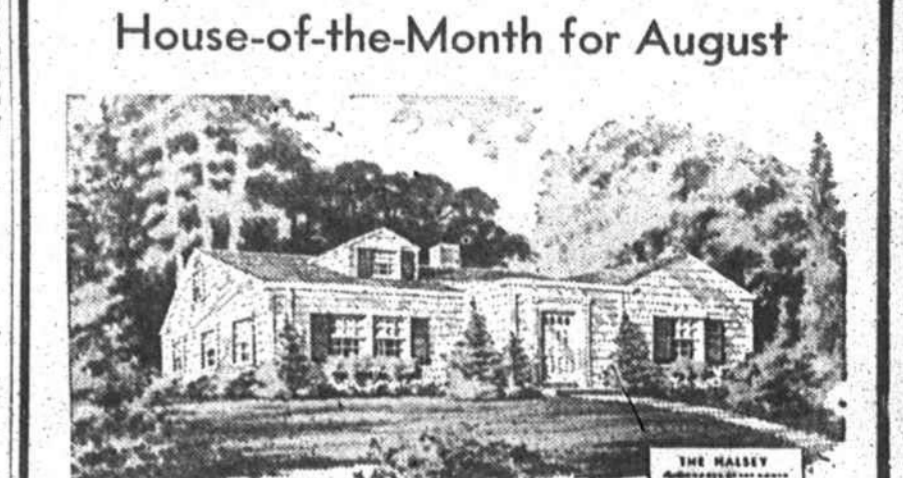
TO LEAD REVIVAL — Rev. R. J. Essary begins a revival at First Church of the Nazarene Sunday night with services to be held each evening at 7 p. m. Homecoming will be observed at the church Sunday, August 22, the closing date of the revival. Mr. Essary recently assumed the Nazarene pastorate.

KINGS MOUNTAIN Hospital Log

VISITING HOURS
Daily, 10 to 11 a. m.
3 to 4 p. m. and 7 to 8 p. m.

PATIENT LIST AT NOON WEDNESDAY:
Mattie Carroll, Julius Fredell, Earnest Huffstetler, Lizzie Howell, Louise Wray, Calvin Ware, Lilly Gibson, 419 Carolina ave., Shelby, admitted Friday.
Mrs. L. R. Harmon, City, admitted Friday.
Drucilla Phillips, City, admitted Friday.
Mrs. Eugene Goforth, 511 E. Ridge street, admitted Saturday.
Mrs. Clyde Harrelson, Bessemer City, admitted Saturday.
Mrs. John Lynn, City, admitted Saturday.
Johnny Parker, route 1, admitted Saturday.
Dorothy Corry, route 1, admitted Sunday.
Alberta Moore, route 2, admitted Sunday.
Dexter Williams, City, admitted Sunday.
Walter G. Gladden, 312 N. Piedmont ave., admitted Monday.
Robert E. Lee, route 2, admitted Monday.
Carroll Mullinax, route 2, admitted Monday.
Susie Smith, route 1, admitted Monday.
Floyd Talbert, City, admitted Monday.
Alberta McClure, Childress street, admitted Tuesday.
Mrs. Bill McGinnis, City, admitted Tuesday.
Annie Mae Donaldson, General Delivery, admitted Wednesday.
Ricky Thompson, City, admitted Wednesday.

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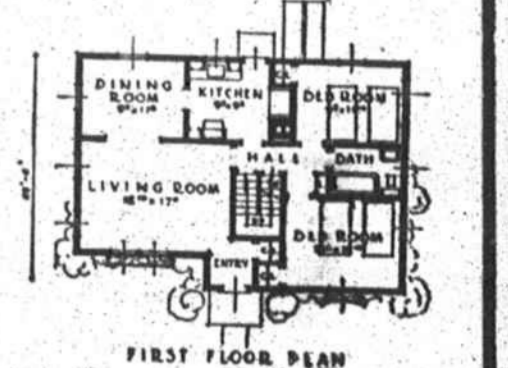
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George Womack Rites Conducted

Funeral services for George Ivey Womack were held at First Presbyterian church Friday at 4 o'clock with Rev. Phil Shore, pastor of Central Methodist church, officiating. He was assisted by Mr. Kenneth Boyer, supply pastor of First Presbyterian church. The body lay in state one hour before the service. Interment was in Mountain Rest cemetery.

Active pallbearers were J. G. Darracott, Charlie Blalock, Ted Gamble, Hall Goforth, Sam Weir, and A. E. Yarbrough.

Mr. Womack, a former resident of Kings Mountain, died at his home in Savannah, Ga., Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock. He had been in declining health for several years. Death was caused by coronary thrombosis.

A son of the late Thomas and Rosa Sifford Womack, Mr. Womack was born in Lincoln county, June 19, 1881. He was a retired groceryman and a member of the Presbyterian church here.

He is survived by his wife, Edith Hoover Womack, two sons, Kenneth Womack of Savannah, George Womack, Jr., of Jacksonville, Fla.; two daughters, Mrs. David Kistler of Lincolnton, Mrs. Grady McCarter of Kings Mountain; two step-daughters, Mrs. R. D. Hoyle of Chester, S. C.; Mrs. Hillard Black of Kings Mountain; two brothers, Frank Womack of Lenoir, Lewis Womack of Charlotte; two sisters, Mrs. John Wentz of Charlotte, Mrs. Ceph Robinson of Denver; eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

City Won't Handle Building Debris

The City of Kings Mountain garbage collection service will not include in the future removal of debris from lots being cleared for new construction.

Under a resolution passed by the commissioners last Thursday night, the city declared its policy on garbage gathering to be limited to normal functions, including still the removal of clippings from residential shrubs and other brush, but to exclude tree stumps and similar debris.

The board also voted to make dumping of such debris into streets and gutters a misdemeanor punishable by a \$5 fine. Discussion indicated the problem had developed principally in the East Kings Mountain area known as the Whitesides development.

McGills Of Gaston Gather Wednesday

McGills of Gaston will gather at Bethel church arbor next Wednesday at 11:45 for the annual reunion of the clan.

Miss Annie Lee Wolfe, of Bessemer City, president, said a short devotional program and the customary business session would be held prior to picnic dinner. The business session will include report of the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Erle Powers, and report of the keeper of vital statistics, Miss Willie McGill. Officers will be elected for the coming year.

Methodist Circle I Held Meeting Tuesday

Central Methodist church circle I met Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. E. W. Griffin.

Mrs. Boyer Murray and Mrs. J. H. Arthur were in charge of a devotional for the meeting, and Mrs. Griffin presented the program. Mrs. J. T. Latham, circle chairman, presided over the business session.

Mrs. J. N. McClure was welcomed by the group as a new member, and Mrs. O. C. Wall, of Thomasville, a house guest in the Griffin home, was a visitor. Six circle members attended.

Refreshments were served during the social hour.

Former Citizen's Rites Thursday

Funeral rites for Rev. C. Arnold Hendrix, former pastor of First Wesleyan Methodist church here, will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at First Wesleyan church, Gastonia, with burial following in Gastonia's Hollywood cemetery.

Rev. Mr. Hendrix, who served the Kings Mountain church from 1928-1933, died at his home in Gastonia Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Hendrix retired in 1939. He was a native of Wilkes County, born September 10, 1874. He attended the public schools in Darby, later studying at Elhanan Bible Institute in Marion and Houghton College Seminary in Houghton, N. Y.

Outside of a few years working as a farmer and in the textile mills, Mr. Hendrix spent all his adult life in the ministry. He was vice president of the North Carolina Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist church for seven years.

Other charges he served include Guilford circuit, Gastonia circuit, Long Shoals, Gastonia First, Mt. Moriah, and Forest City.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Julia Pipes Hendrix, a daughter, Mrs. Ruth H. Humphrey, Savannah, Ga., and a son, Delmas D. Hendrix, Minneapolis, Minn. Also surviving are three brothers, three sisters, and his stepmother.

BETHWARE FAIR

Dates for the seventh annual Bethware Community Fair were announced this week by M. C. Poston, president of the sponsoring organization, the Bethware Progressive Club.

Mrs. A. A. Lackey, Jr., Bridge Club Hostess

Members of the Queen of Clubs met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. A. A. Lackey, Jr.

Guests, in addition to members, included Mrs. Tommy Baker, of West Palm Beach, Florida, who is visiting here, and Mrs. Jimmy Spivey, of Greenwood, S. C., who is also visiting here.


Mrs. Walter Harmon won high score in bridge for the evening, and after bridge, a dessert course with tea was served.

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