

First Class Of Nurses Assistants Is Graduated

Kings Mountain hospital's first class of nurses' assistants was graduated Thursday night. The 33 women, many of whom who work full-time in the home and outside the home — received

certificates after completion of a 60-hour course conducted over a period of three months on Tuesday and Thursday nights. The extension class was offered by Gaston College and Miss

Mary Blackwelder, the hospital's director of nursing services, was the instructor. A nurses' assistant is all the name implies, according to the teacher who said that the graduates are most efficient in assisting the registered nurse in caring for the patient. Bed-making comes under her duties and many of the graduates are doing practice work by volunteering an

hour or two of their time each day to the hospital.

Following their completion of the course in theory and practice, the graduates will be eligible for salaried jobs in hospitals, nursing homes and in caring for special patients.

At the present time, says Miss Blackwelder, there are no openings on the local hospital staff.

Members of the graduating class are Mrs. Thelma Spencer, Mrs. Mattie Adams, Mrs. Rosa Jackson, Mrs. Ruth Hurlbut, Miss Jeanette McClain, Mrs. Linda Lovelace, Mrs. Dorothy Crocker, Mrs. Ozena Adams, Mrs. Zettie McClain, Mrs. Alice Jackson, Mrs. Mildred Perkins, Mrs. Free Love Byers, Mrs. Juanita B. Childers, Mrs. Albone Lewis, Mrs. Rebecca Curry, Mrs. Rose Lee Smith, Mrs. Ruth Lynn, Mrs. Eva Gantt, Mrs. Etta McFalls, Mrs. Reba Jolley, Mrs. Edna Barry, Miss Mary Blackwelder, Mrs. Sue Cochran, Mrs. Dorothy Edwards, Mrs. Martha Harrelson, Mrs. Alma Sellers, Mrs. Bertha Sotelo, Mrs. Virgie Hutchins, Mrs. Annie Dover, Miss Janice Spencer, Mrs. Kay Frances Skipp and Mrs. Millie Gladden.

Following graduation exercises the class of graduates had a dinner get-together at Cottonwood Restaurant.

Mrs. Joe Thomson is a patient in Kings Mountain hospital where she is recuperating from a broken hip she sustained in a fall.

Dr. J. E. Anthony left this week for a several week's stay in Palm Harbor, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Griffin are spending several weeks in Palm Harbor, Fla.

Miss Joyce Agnes Cole, sister-in-law of Mrs. Vera Cole Cash of Kings Mountain, is undergoing

therapy at Charlotte Rehabilitation hospital. Mrs. Cole visited Miss Cole on Tuesday.



GRADUATES OF NURSES' ASSISTANTS CLASS — Pictured above are graduates of a class in Nurses' Assistants recently completed at Kings Mountain hospital. Front row: left to right, Mrs. Thelma Spencer, Mrs. Mattie Adams, Mrs. Rosa Jackson, Mrs. Ruth Hurlbut, Miss Jeanette McClain, Mrs. Linda Lovelace, Mrs. Dorothy Crocker, Mrs. Ozena Adams, Mrs. Zettie McClain, Mrs. Alice Jackson. Second row: left to right, Mrs. Mildred Perkins, Mrs. Free Love Byers, Mrs. Juanita B. Childers, Mrs. Albone Lewis, Mrs. Rebecca Curry, Mrs. Rose Lee Smith, Mrs. Ruth Lynn, Mrs. Eva Gantt, Mrs. Etta McFalls, Mrs. Reba Jolley, Mrs. Edna Barry, Miss Mary Blackwelder, R. N. (instructor). Third row, left to right, Miss Connie Lewis, Mrs. Sue Cochran, Mrs. Dorothy Edwards, Mrs. Martha Harrelson, Mrs. Alma Sellers, Mrs. Bertha Sotelo, Mrs. Virgie Hutchins, Mrs. Annie Dover, Miss Janice Spencer, Mrs. Kay Frances Skipp, Mrs. Millie Gladden. (Photo by Paul Lemmons)

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Friday:
9:30-11:30 p.m. — Dance for young people at the National Guard Armory.
Saturday:
8:00-12 p.m. — Club Night at the Kings Mountain Country Club. Hosts: Dr. and Mrs. Claude Adams and Dr. and Mrs. Charles Moore.
Wednesday:
10 a.m. — Circle 3 of First Presbyterian church at the home of Mrs. Hugh A. Logan, Jr., 114 N. Piedmont avenue.
10 a.m. — Circle 6 of First Presbyterian church at the home of Mrs. J. C. Nickels, 305 W. Mountain street.
7:30 — General meeting of the Women's Missionary Society at Kings Mountain Baptist church

Bride-Elect Honors Bridal Attendants

Miss Susan Wilson, whose wedding to Charles Allen took place Saturday, honored her bridal attendants at a luncheon Saturday at noon at her home in Gastonia.

Mrs. James Seth Wilson assisted her daughter in serving a three-course meal. The bride-elect took the occasion to present white gloves to her attendants.

An arrangement of pink and white flowers centered the buffet table. Guests ate at small tables, covered in pink and white and centered with bud vases of pink flowers.

The 12 guests included Miss Alice Holman, Miss Jane Miller, both of West Jefferson, and Mrs. Pat Ray of Whiteville, sister of the bride-elect.

Miss Wilson wore a white wool dress accented in pink and green trim.



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED — Mr. and Mrs. Leonard W. Newell of Mineral Springs announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Ann, to Billy E. Sparrow, son of Mrs. Flora Sparrow Bell of Kings Mountain. The wedding will take place April 2 in Charlotte's Church of Christ. The bride-elect is a graduate of Monroe's Parkwood high school. The prospective bridegroom, a graduate of Bethware high school, is assistant manager at Harris-Teeter Super Market in Cherryville.

Miss McLarty, Former Citizen, Returns To Television Series After Year's Leave

A former Kings Mountain girl — Margaret McLarty — returned Monday to her role as Lisa Hughes in "As the World Turns", Monday-through-Friday program at 1:30-2:00 p.m. EST on the CBS Television Network.

The daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. James B. McLarty, Miss McLarty uses the stage name, "Eileen Fulton". She returns to the network after a year's absence during which she toured the country with a successful nightclub act.

During her year's sabbatical from the series thousands of viewers have asked for Miss Fulton's return.

Rev. McLarty is a former minister of Central Methodist church here.

Miss Fulton's night club act consisted of singing and dancing. She refers to herself as a song stylist who runs the gamut from love songs to rock-n-roll.

In addition to her television and night club appearances, the actress was seen on Broadway in "Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf" and "One for the Dame." From 1932 to 1934 she played a starring role in the off-Broadway production of the "Fantasticks" and also appeared in "Abe Lincoln in Illinois", "The Summer of the 17th Doll" and "Many Loves."

Before returning to New York last week, Miss Fulton appeared at the playboy Clubs in Chicago and Cincinnati and the King Edward Hotel in Canada. Before that she filled an engagement at New York's Latin Quarter.

In her last performance on "As the World Turns", Miss Fulton,



MARGARET McLARTY

as Lisa Hughes boarded a train with her son and was on her way to be remarried in Chicago. "The returning Lisa," says Miss Fulton, will be a new personality, one endowed with glamour and sophistication, one who shed her former dowdiness.

Eileen Fulton's fan mail is most often filled with insults, curses and general discourtesy. In fact, she was recently stopped on the street by a woman who looked at Eileen and asked, "Aren't you Lisa Hughes?" Eileen replied, "That's the part I play on TV." The woman yelled, "I hate you" and to emphasize her statement she hit the actress in the face.

Eileen, being very much opposed to type casting, wanted to type casting, wanted to

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Community Concert To Feature Guitarist; Party Time Here

"The Romeros," a quartet of guitarists, will be featured in the next concert of the Gaston Community Concerts Association Thursday, February 2, at Hunter Huss high school auditorium. Curtain time is 8 p.m.

Other concerts during the spring season will include tenor Donald Gramm on March 14th and the Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra on Friday, April 21.

Robert Trent Hullender, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hullender, was two-years-old Tuesday. A buffet dinner was held in his honor Sunday at the home of his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hullender.

Trent's decorated cake was topped with puppet clowns and was centerpiece for the buffet table. Gay, colored balloons were suspended overhead.

Others joining in the celebration were young Hullender's parents, his two sisters, Elaine and Ruth; his maternal grandfather, Guy Henderson; Ray Henderson; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and daughters, Debbie and Cindy; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rayfield, Nancy and Larry; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dellinger, Juanita and Judy; and Catherine Conrad of Charlotte.



ROBERT TRENT HULLENDER

Members of the staff of Belk's Department Store, their husbands and wives, held a dinner get-together Thursday evening at Kelly's Steak House in Blacksburg, S.C.

A steak dinner with all the trimmings was served. The group numbered 24.

"The Changing Moods" will furnish music for a dance Friday night from 9:30 until 11:30 p.m. at the National Guard Armory.

The dance will begin following the Friday night basketball doubleheader. Kings Mountain Recreation Activities Commission is sponsoring the dance for young people. Admission is 50 cents and by membership card.

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Comings And Goings

Fourteen Kings Mountain people, including eight piano students, went to Winthrop college in Rock Hill, S. C., Monday night to hear a concert by the noted pianist, Arthur Rubinstein.

Making the trip were Mrs. J. C. McGill, Mrs. Shirley Hudson, Mrs. N. F. McGill, Mrs. Paul Mauney, Mrs. Martin Harmon, Mrs. D. F. Hord, and Misses Frances and Meredith McGill, Barbara Hord, Laura Hudson, Sarah Beth Simpson, Linda Falls, Donna Crawford, and Susan Goforth. The students are pupils of Mrs. Martin Harmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McCarter and son, Billy Gene, visited Sunday in Rutherfordton with Mrs. McCarter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Goforth.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Plonk have returned from Winter Park, Fla., where they visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Plonk.

The Kings Mountain Plonks went especially for the christening Sunday of six-weeks-old David Steven Plonk. The youngster was born December 10th.

Other member of the David Plonk family is two-year-old Teresa Plonk.

Larry Parker, well-known golf pro from Larkhaven Golf Club in Charlotte, will give a golf exhibition at the annual luncheon and meeting Tuesday, February 7, of the Women's Golf Association of Kings Mountain Country club.

The golf exhibition will begin at 11 a.m. and is open to all interested women golfers.

Bill McIntyre and Orchestra will provide music for Saturday night's club night at the Country Club. Members and their guests will dine and dance from 8 until 12 p.m.

Club hosts will be Dr. and Mrs. Charles Adams of Kings Mountain and Dr. and Mrs. Charles Moore of Grover. Reservations for dinner should be made with the club manager.



MRS. RONNIE DAVID DENTON (Marlene Oliver)



MRS. CHARLES OREN ALLEN (Susan Elizabeth Wilson)



MRS. DALE DWIGHT LEBETTER (Ruth Lucille Smith)