

IT'S A BOY

Mr. and Mrs. Jack C. Owens of Charlotte announce the adoption of six-week-old Lucas Crayton Owens, September 26th. Luke's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Owens and Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Thomasson, all of Kings Mountain.



Lisa Ann Day celebrated her second birthday Tuesday, October 7th, with a small birthday party at her home.

Lisa is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Day of Kings Mountain.

She is granddaughter of Mrs. B. M. Moore and the late B. M. Moore of Kings Mountain and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Day of Bessemer City.

Retired Teachers Held Fall Luncheon, Meeting

The Retired Personnel Division of the Southwestern District, N.C. E.A. held the fall meeting at the Dixie Village Cafeteria, Gastonia. This division is comprised of these counties: Rutherford, Cleveland, Gaston, Lincoln, Catawba and Iredell.

Mrs. W. T. Weir, District President, presided. The meeting was opened with a memorial prayer for the teachers who had passed to their "reward" during the year. The report of the Nominating Committee was accepted: president, H. S. Little, Denver; vice-president, Homer Keever, Statesville; secretary, Miss Lois Coon Lincoln. Hugh B. Covington, president of Cleveland County chapter, presented the speakers for the session: State Division President, W. W. Howell, subject "1969-1970: a Biennium for Decision". Lloyd Isaacs, Assistant Executive Secretary for Information, N.C.E.A. discussed the 1968 Legislative program gains made and aims to be worked toward. James R. Giles, Assistant Director NRTA, brought greetings and outlined advantages of the National Association. The State Vice-President, Miss Alma Browning was recognized.

The Gaston County Chapter acted as hospitality committee and arranged for the luncheon which followed the business session. J. B. Boyles, president of the host chapter, returned thanks prior to the luncheon.

The outgoing officers were: Mrs. W. T. Weir, president; Kings Mountain; Miss Charlotte Beam, Shelby, vice-president; and Miss Vera Dixon, Shelby, secretary and treasurer.

Newlyweds Feted Saturday At Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. Howard B. Jackson entertained Saturday at a dinner party at Gaston Country Club honoring newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. H. O. (Toby) Williams.

The dining table was covered with a yellow cloth and centered with a mass arrangement of Celosia, chrysanthemums and Gerbera daisies accented by lighted candles. Velvet bows caught up the table corners and placecards marked the places of guests. The bride's place was marked by a white orchid corsage and a silver bowl. Dinner was served to 13 guests.

Dixon Circle Met On Saturday

Mrs. W. C. Farris and Miss Arnette Farris were hostesses Saturday night at their home to members of Circle 1 of Dixon Presbyterian church.

MORE ABOUT Fifty-Six Women

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During the social hour members showered Mrs. Paul Farris with stork shower gifts.

Mrs. Charles Mauney, Foothills Representative, and Mrs. Henry Neisler, President of the Women's Golf Association, served as co-chairmen for the tournament.

Committees were: Cards, Mrs. D. M. Pouchak; Coffee, Mrs. J. E. Herndon, Jr.; Mrs. J. A. Neisler, Jr.; Decorations, Mrs. Paul Neisler; Mrs. George Thomasson, Mrs. Lucille T. Neisler; Hospitality, Mrs. C. D. Blanton, Mrs. F. J. Sincos, Mrs. John Smathers, Mrs. R. O. Southwell; Lunch, Mrs. Charles Ballew, Mrs. C. T. Carpenter, Jr., Mrs. Bob Maney, Mrs. Sam Robinson; Scoring and Prizes, Mrs. Joseph Lee, III, Mrs. Walter Harmon, Mrs. Charles Adams.

It's A Girl For Frank Hinsons

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinson announce the arrival of their third child and first daughter - Jane Elizabeth Hinson - in Cleveland Memorial hospital, Shelby. The baby weighed seven pounds, one and one-half ounces.

Mrs. Cornwell, Mrs. Ramsey Visit In Florida, Tennessee

Mrs. A. H. Cornwell and Mrs. Beth Ramsey have returned from a trip to Gatlinburg, Tennessee and Tarpon Springs, Florida.

Mrs. Cornwell visited Mrs. G. C. Hooker in Tennessee and Mrs. Ramsey attended the annual Gatlinburg Hoe-Down Square Dance Festival.

In Florida Mrs. Ramsey visited her sister, Mrs. Cora Morefield.

Mrs. Charles Adams defeated Mrs. Hoyle D. McDaniel for the women's golf championship at Kings Mountain Country club following an 18-hole event Friday.

The trophy to the top woman golfer will be presented at a luncheon meeting of the Kings Mountain Women's Golf Association later this month.

MORE ABOUT Crawford-Cobb

Continued From Page One... entertaining were Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Talbert, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Poston, Mrs. James R. Yarbro, Mrs. Evette Hill and Mrs. Harry Barrett.

For a wedding trip the new Mrs. Cobb wore a three-piece brown and beige suit with matching accessories and the orchid lifted from her bridal bouquet.

BRIDE AND BRIDEGROOM... Mr. and Mrs. James Calvin Crawford, Sr. of Kings Mountain are parents of the bride. She is a 1969 graduate of Kings Mountain high school where she completed a course in cosmetology.

She is a member of the staff of Central Beauty Shop. She is granddaughter of Mrs. Will Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Crawford, all of Kings Mountain.

Rita Crawford, Bride-Elect Is Honored

Mrs. Will Allen and Mrs. Raymond Talbert honored Miss Rita Crawford, bride-elect, and her bridal attendants with a bridesmaids dinner on October 1 at Helen's Restaurant in Bessemer City.

Miss Crawford became the bride of Michael Cobb on October 3 at Boyce Memorial ARP church.

A large arrangement of yellow Garza mums and bake fern was in a candelabra holding hobnail lights. Ivy and hobnail lights were used on the tables. Places were set for 19 guests.

Miss Crawford took the occasion to present gifts to her attendants. The bride-to-be wore a brown plaid tunic suit and was given a yellow rose corsage from the hostesses.

Guests other than the honoree and hostesses were Mrs. James Crawford, mother of the bride-to-be, Mrs. Charlie Cobb, mother of the bridegroom-to-be, Mrs. Roy Crawford, grandmother of the bride-elect, Mrs. Sam Crawford, Mrs. Fred A. Dixon, Miss Cindy Crawford, Mrs. Helen Sisk and Tonia, Mrs. Freida Watterson, Miss Teresa Hammett, Miss Betty Upchurch, Mrs. Judy Cobb, Tamie and Jody, Miss Jean Phipps, and Miss Jane Talbert.

Clubwomen Set District Meeting In Stanley

District IV of the North Carolina Federation of Women's club will meet Friday at Bruington Memorial Baptist church on highway 27, Stanley.

Registration and a coffee hour will be held from 9 until 10 a.m. with the general session beginning at 10. Mrs. Calvin Murdock of Cherryville, district president, will preside. Junior clubwomen from the district will meet from

Pair Feted After Rehearsal At Cake Cutting

Miss Susan Oates and Mack Jenkins cut their wedding cake Friday night at an after-rehearsal party held in the fellowship hall of Gastonia Pisgah ARP church.

Hosts for the party were the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Oates.

A color theme of yellow and white featured decorative details and refreshments. The bride's table, highlight of decoration, was covered with a yellow satin cloth overlaid with white satin and draped with garlands of valley lilies which also caught up the corners of the floor-length cloth. The yellow and white cake was cut and served from one end of the table and punch was served from a silver punchbowl from the opposite end. Centering the table was a tall candelabrum of yellow and white flowers and candles. All appointments were in silver.

Mrs. William J. Mandy of Dallas and Mrs. John Ormand, Jr. of Gastonia cut and served the cake. Mrs. Joe McLean and Mrs. Walter Foy served punch. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lee Howe presided at the bride's book.

The guest list included members of the wedding party and a number of friends and relatives.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Thursday: 7:30 - Town and Country Garden club at the home of Mrs. Charles Dixon.

Friday: 7:30 - Margrace Woman's club at the home of Mrs. Floyd Gates.

9:30 until 10 for a Junior Buzz Session. Kings Mountain's two women's clubs will be represented at the meeting.

Coates To Preach Revival Series

Revival services will begin Sunday night at Trinity Baptist church in Bessemer City, with Rev. Clyde Coates, of Barnsville Baptist church the revival preacher.

The week's services will be held nightly at 7 o'clock. Special music will feature each service, it was announced by the pastor, Rev. Paul Morrow.

Area Soil Rally Set

Area VIII of the North Carolina Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts will hold its annual fall rally on October 10, 1969, in Dallas, North Carolina. Area VIII includes the following counties: Burke, Catawba, Cleveland, Gaston, Lincoln, McDowell, Mecklenburg, Folk, and Rutherford.

District supervisors and their guests from the nine-county area will assemble in the Agricultural Center in Dallas at 7:00 p.m. for dinner and the program.

Soil and water conservation district supervisors in this area and throughout North Carolina are increasingly concerned with developing better conservation programs for both rural and urban use. Rallies, such as the Area VIII Rally, highlight the previous year's accomplishments and establish goals for the future.

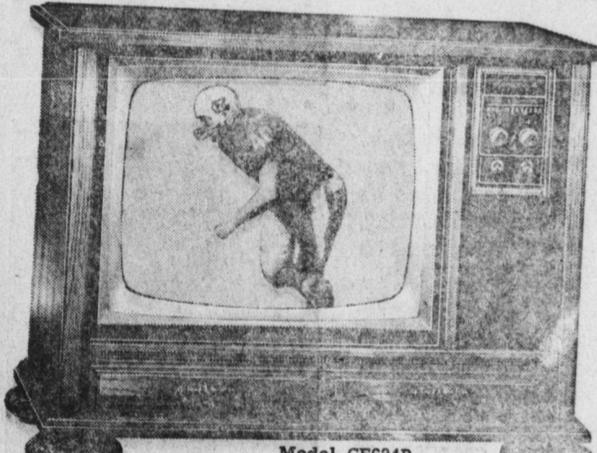
Hagen On Duty At Thailand Base

U. S. AIR FORCES, Thailand - U. S. Air Force Technical Sergeant Donald E. Hagen, son of Mrs. Ada Perkins, 404 Imperial St., Belmont, N. C., is on duty at Udorn Royal Thai AFB, Thailand.

Sergeant Hagen, a communications technician, is assigned to the 7th Airborne Command and Control Squadron. He previously served at Westover AFB, Mass.

The sergeant is a graduate of Bessemer City High School. His father, Cecil Hagen, lives in Bessemer City, N. C.

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