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#### Women's Editor...Sylvia Holmes

Walking outdoors after dark last week I was observing the occa-sional glow of fireflies when I was reminded of a similar occasion last summer.

The family was camping for the weekend and it was during the month of May. After darkness fell and before lanterns were lit, we were entertained by the sight of many shooting stars. Away from the city with its lights and distractions, one becomes aware of the heaven's and the magnificence of the constellations. Quite unexpectedly I became aware of something glowing in the dark just above ground level. Dimmer than the glow of fireflies and more blueish in color, something was glowing quite steadily and whatever it was, there were quantities of them. Investigation showed that the glowings followed along the path of a small creek and they were about knee to waist high moving steadily and glowing steadily. It was not the brilliant on/off glow of a firefly. Finally, a specimen was captured with cupped hands. It was a small fly and the glowing seemed to emanate from its wings during flight.

Later I gave the specimen to a biologist friend but we still have no identification of the species.

Later on that summer we were camping again. This time we were at the beach-at Jekyll Island, Georgia to be precise. While hunting for sand dollars in the seaat low tide we collected some toadstool type sea plants which we placed in a bucket of sea water. Later on as darkness fell, we were examining these sea pla-nts and we observed that whenever we touched them they glowed. By running a finger across the top of a plant we created a path of luminescence that glowed and then rapidly faded. We were a-gain unable to identify the species. This was not surprising be-cause we only had the scantest of reference books. Watching the fireflies last week reminded me of the summer

of '71. It was a luminous summer for our family. We are still hoping for identification of the glowing fly. There is always the remote possibility that the species is an undiscovered one. It that proves true, maybe we would have the opportunity to give



The word 'bobbie' in reference to an English policeman derives from Sir Robert Peel who was founder of the modern police force in the British Isles. Dressed in dark blue uniforms, hard helmets and carrying folded rain wear over their shoulders these genial, gunless policemen patrol a downtown beat on foot.

# Mrs. Holmes To

Agenda POLICE AUXILIARY will hold a covered dish supper for the police and the auxiliaries and their families on Thursday, August 17th at 7:00 p.m. at the Police Club.

El Bethel Homemakers Club meets on Friday, August 18th at 2:30 p.m. \*\*\*

# WEEKLY RECIPE

**Tuna** Tetrazzini Nancy McGill

18 oz. package spaghetti 2 small cans chunk tuna (or family size can) 1 1/2 cans mushroom soup(or cream of celery soup) l green pepper, chopped l onion, chopped l cup celery, chopped

3 tablespoons grated cheese

Sear pepper, onion and cel-ery in a small amount of butter and salt to taste. Cook spagh-etti according to package di-rections and drain. Into a greased casserole put a layer of spaghetti, layer of tuna, layer of pepper onion and cel-ery mixture and a layer of soup. Repeat layers. Cook 30 minutes with lid on at 350 degrees oven temperature. Then add cheese and without the lid on continue cooking until che-ese has melted and is bubbly

on top. Chicken tretrazzini may be made by substituting 3 cups of cooked chicken in place of the tuna.

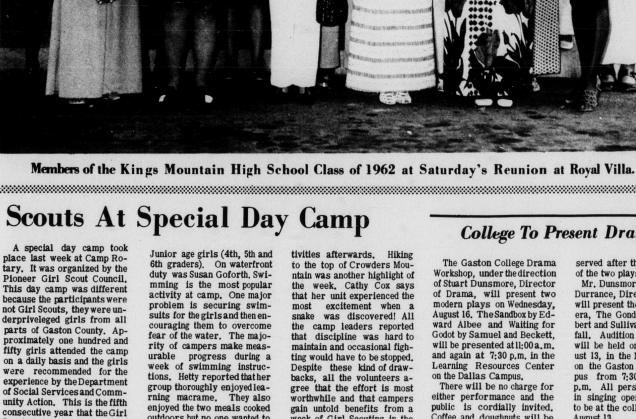
This weeks recipe is given to us by a former home eco-nomics teacher, Nancy Mc-Gill, who is the wife of Nor-man McGill, Jr. The McGills have two sons, Trip who is a rising seventh grader and Chip who will be in fifth grade at West School, Norman Mc-Gill and his father operate McGills Esso station. The McGills are active members of Boyce Memorial ARP Church.

#### **Country Club**

## Holds New

#### **Members** Lunch

The Board of Directors of the Kings Mountain Country Club held their first Annual New Members Luncheon on Wednesday, August 9th at the Country Club. Attending the luncheon were thirty five wives of new members and wives of the board members and committee members. Af-ter a social hour during which pink champagne was served, guests ate lunch at tables decorated with pink and white roses and pink napkins. Mrs. John Howze, wife of the club President, welcomed all the new members and introduced them to the old members.



enjoyed the two meals cooked outdoors but no one wanted to

gain untold benefits from a

### **College To Present Drama** The Gaston College Drama Workshop, under the direction served after the presentation

of the two plays. Mr. Dunsmore and Mrs. Sam Durrance, Director of Music, will present the humorous op-era, The Gondoliers, by Gil-bert and Sullivan, early in the

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fall. Audition for the opera will be held on Sunday, August 13, in the Music Building on the Gaston College campus from 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. All persons interested in singing opera are invited to be at the college on Sunday,





## **Direct Childrens Play**

The Board of Directors of the Kings Mountain Little Theatre met on Thursday August 10th, Boots McDaniel presiding. Plans were made for the fall production which is to be a children's play. Mrs. Sylvia Holmes will direct "The Panda and the Spy" with performances scheduled for the middle of November. The play has a cast of fourteen characters and it is hoped that

all of them will be played by children. Public auditions will be scheduled as soon as school starts with rehearsals commencing after Labor Day. The Theatre group will hold a general meeting for all thea-tre members and interested persons and supporters on Thursday, August 31st at 8 p. m. at Park Grace School Auditorium on the Grover Road. Kings Mountain.

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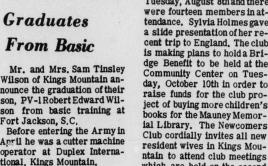
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## From Basic

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tinsley Wilson of Kings Mountain announce the graduation of their son, PV-1Robert Edward Wilson from basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C. Before entering the Army in April he was a cutter machine operator at Duplex International, Kings Mountain. Robert is married to the former Ina England of Kings Mountain,



tendance. Sylvia Holmes gave a slide presentation of her recent trip to England. The club is making plans to hold a Bri-dge Benefit to be held at the Community Center on Tuesday, October 10th in order to raise funds for the club project of buying more children's books for the Mauney Memorial Library. The Newcomers Club cordially invites all new resident wives in Kings Mountain to attend club meetings which are held on the second Tuesday night every month. Club president is Mrs. Robert Lee (Mary Wade) Smith.

Scouts have organized a "Ha-rd-To-Reach" Day Camp. For

the volunteers working at camp, the week is one of much hard work and effort but the end result is always

worthwhile. Local Senior Scout Hetty Cox says she's

ready to go back next year. Hetty worked with a group of 37 Cadette age girls in her

unit. These girls are from 7th, 8th and 9th grade. Het-

ty's sister Cathy and Jane Talbert also from Kings Mousister Cathy and Jane

ntain worked in a unit with 19

14 Attend

Newcomers

The Newcomers Club met on

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