

MIRROR IMAGES.

Women's Editor... Sylvia Holmes

The cool, moist nights of fall combined with hot, sunny days achieve the ideal climate for the spawning of wild mushrooms. As a child, we spent many hours combing fields and meadows in search of delectable mushrooms to be taken home and fried together with bacon for breakfast the following morning. On lucky days our baskets would be full. Other days would yield just one or two edible fungi.

Upon coming to the U.S.A. I was disappointed to find that fresh mushrooms were unavailable in Kings Mountain but I would occasionally manage to buy some in Charlotte. Recently, however, the grocery stores have had a supply of fresh mushrooms some weeks and our family definitely prefers the fresh variety to the canned kind. Canned mushrooms have the consistency of soft rubber and lack the delectable taste of cultivated mushrooms. Price wise, canned mushrooms are cheaper to use in casserole dishes than the fresh kind. Flavor wise the best species are wild meadow mushrooms which are usually picked free and have a flavor that even surpasses that of the cultivated species.

I was delighted this fall to find that many edible mushrooms have been growing locally and a few weeks ago I was able to pick several grocery bags full. After eating our fill of mushrooms there were still great quantities left and I was able to cook and freeze many pints of creamed mushrooms.

There is always a danger of accidentally picking a poisonous variety of wild fungi and that is why I have delayed writing this column for several weeks until the mushroom growing season was over.

I would not like to be responsible for any illness suffered by a wild mushroom picker who had gone out into the fields with no experience of recognizing which types of fungi are edible. Textbooks tell us that many types are edible but I will only eat one kind. Some poisonous types only affect certain people, some cause discomfort and some are deadly.

One year we were lucky to harvest several crops of fresh mushrooms right in our own yard. This year we had to walk further afield but there is nothing better than rising early and tramping through the damp grass on a cool, misty morning in search of white caps with pale pink frills underneath that will turn brown, then black unless picked early in the day. You will find them singly or in groups and many times they will be growing in a "fairy ring." But readers beware and do not pick or eat them unless you really know what you are doing.

Trott's Hold Reception

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ladshaw Trott were hosts at a reception in the fellowship hall of St. Matthews Lutheran Church immediately following the wedding of their daughter, Elizabeth Wadsworth to Jerry Zay Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Lynwood Parton of Gastonia, uncle and aunt of the bride introduced guests to the receiving line. The receiving line consisted of the parents of the bride and groom and the bridesmaids. Seated on the other side of the reception hall were grandparents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Zay Moore and Mrs. Lee Blanton.

All tables were overlaid with yellow cloth with wide white lace trim. On one table was the fruit bowl, a candelabra centerpiece and an arrangement of yellow and white garza mums with ivy and yellow and white snapdragons. A five-branch candelabra was placed in the center of the second table.

This table held the silver punch bowl and silver trays held the party pick-ups. The third table held the 3-tiered cake topped with white wedding bells and a nosegay of yellow and white garza mums.

Plates were given out by Mrs. Carl Davis and Mrs. Lynwood Parton. Jack Hauser cut the wedding cake and Mrs. Stephen Swager, sister of the groom and Mrs. Edward Goforth.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ellestad of Columbia, Maryland the bride's cousins, kept the register.

Wayne L. Ware provided organ music during the reception.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. H. R. Parton, grandfather of the bride; Mr. Horace Woody of Waynesville; Mr. Floyd Woody of Canton; Mrs. Effie Welch of New Jersey; all great aunts and uncles of the bride.

"Mothers Morning Out"

Resurrection Lutheran Church is sponsoring a "Mother's Morning Out" program each Thursday morning 9 a.m. to 12 noon. "Mother's Morning Out" is an inexpensive babysitting service for non-working mothers. The cost is \$1.00 per child and 50¢ for each additional child from the same family. The church is

equipped to care for a maximum of 15 children.

Mrs. Doris Whitesides has been employed as the attendant. Mothers who use the service are asked to help out as a volunteer on a rotating basis.

Anyone interested in making use of this service should contact either the church office or Mrs. Doyle Campbell.



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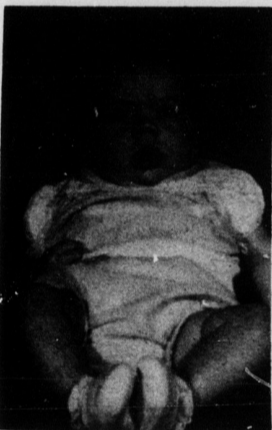
December 17th Wedding Date Set

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Smith of Kings Mountain announces the engagement of their daughter, Wanda Adair, to Gary Lee Brackett.

The bride-elect is a 1971 graduate of Kings Mountain High School. She is employed by Cathy's Beauty Salon in Kings Mountain.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin L. Brackett of Bessemer City. He attended Bessemer City High School and is employed by Uniroyal Chemical Division in Gastonia.

The wedding will be an event of December 17th at 3:00 p.m. in Piedmont Baptist Church, Kings Mountain. The Rev. Ansel Center will officiate at the double-ring ceremony.



WEEKLY RECIPE

Spaghetti Sauce

Teensie Rhea

- Pork chops or ribs
- Olive oil
- Ground beef
- Onion - chopped
- Large can tomatoe paste
- Large can tomatoes
- Oregano
- Garlic salt or clove of garlic
- Bay leaf

Fry a sufficient quantity of pork chops or ribs for your family in a little olive oil. Remove chops from pan. In the olive oil fry ground beef and onion. Allow about 1 lb. of beef or more for a large family, less than 1 lb. for a small family. When the beef and onion have browned add a large can of tomato paste and 2 cans of water. Add a large can of tomatoes, blending them first. Add oregano and garlic salt to taste. A crushed clove of fresh garlic may be used. Add a bay leaf. Place the cooked pork chops back into the spaghetti sauce and simmer for an hour.

This weeks recipe was given to us by Teensie Rhea who is the wife of Bud Rhea. Like most cooks, Teensie's quantities are not exact so you may vary them according to your taste and family size. The Rhea's have for children, Scott, Monty, Stacy and Julie. Bud is employed by Reeves Bros. in Bessemer City.

The individual who is willing to learn from experience can become better educated than the collegian who has a few degrees for hard work on his books.

Announce Adoption

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis of the Oak Grove Community announce the adoption of a daughter, Allison Elizabeth Davis. Allison Elizabeth was three months old November 13. The Davises' adopted the child October 5 of this year. They also have a son.

BIRTHS

Mr. & Mrs. E. Abernathy Route 3, Box 107 Kings Mountain, N.C. Son, November 11, 1972

Mr. & Mrs. Jay Proctor 801 Gantt Street Kings Mountain, N.C. Daughter, November 16, 1972

Mr. & Mrs. Harry Cash 102 S. Carpenter St. Kings Mountain, N.C. Daughter, November 8, 1972

Mr. & Mrs. Hazel Parker Route 1, Box 92B Kings Mountain, N.C. Daughter, November 9, 1972

Mr. & Mrs. Isaac Patterson Route 3 Kings Mountain, N.C. Daughter, November 8, 1972

Elizabeth Trott - Jerry Blanton Wed In Saturday Ceremony

Kings Mountain's St. Matthews Lutheran Church provided the setting for a 4:00 p.m. wedding ceremony Saturday, November 11 uniting Miss Elizabeth Wadsworth Trott and Jerry Zay Blanton.

The Rev. Robert Eugene Allen officiated and Mrs. Lawrence E. Hinnant, organist, presented a program of nuptial music. Songs presented were "Lord Jesus Christ, Be Present Now" by Walther, "Prayer" by Boelmann, "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" by Matthews, "Andante" (Organ Concerto in F Major) by Handel, "If Thou But Suffer God To Guide Thee" by Vetter, "Song" by Graham, "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" by Bach, "Trumpet Voluntary" by Clarke, "Trumpet Tune" by Purcell and "Now Thank We All Our God" by Bach.

Miss Diane Deborah Burns, vocal soloist, sang "The Greatest of These Is Love." Acolyte was Ronnie Charles Blanton, brother of the groom.

The church was decorated with four wrought iron tree candelabras with white tapers entwined with English ivy. Two altar vases were filled with white snap dragons, garza mums and large white mums.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ivory peau de soie styled with empire bodice featuring a standup collar of Venise lace and sheer Camelot sleeves banded with matching lace. Her chapel-length veil of silk illusion was caught to a lace cap.

Each wore a street length caught with a moss green velvet ribbon. Honorary bridesmaids were Miss Mary Anne Bryant, Miss Sarah Virginia Finger, Miss Sylvia Morris, Miss Frances Sullivan McGill, Miss Judy Pauline Rayfield and Miss Martha Ann Stone.

Fred Blanton. He is a graduate of Kings Mountain High School and is employed by his father, a building contractor. Mr. and Mrs. Blanton will live at Lake Montonia after a wedding trip to Western North Carolina and Gatlinburg, Tennessee.



MRS. JERRY ZAY BLANTON

Activity Agenda

Kings Mountain Womens Voters League meets on Thursday, November 16th at 7:45 at the Mauney Memorial Library. The program by Mrs. George Houser will be on "The Kings Mountain Planning Board."

Gastonia Community Concert for ticket holders on Thursday, November 16th at 8 p.m. in Hunter Huss Auditorium.

Senior Citizens will meet on Friday, November 17th at 9:30 a.m. at Central School for a tour of the vocational programs at the school followed by lunch in the cafeteria.

El Bethel Homemakers Club meets on Friday, November 17th at 2:30 p.m.

Little Theatre presents "The Panda and the Spy" at Park Grace on Friday and Saturday, November 17th and 18th at 7:30 p.m. and again on Sunday, November 19th at 2:30 p.m.

Study Club meets on Tuesday, November 21st at 7:30 p.m.

School will be out on Thursday and Friday, November 23rd and 24th for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

Mrs. William Russell, Jr. attended her sister as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Shirley Jean Derberry of Andrews; Miss Brenda Elaine Garmon of Mooresville; Mrs. Barry Lackey of Taylorsville; Misses Ina Rae Blanton and Nina Mae Blanton, both of Kings Mountain.

Each attendant wore a floor length sleeveless gown designed along empire line with moss green satin bodice with standup collar, floral chiffon skirt gathered at the empire waist with moss green velvet ribbon with bow and long streamers. A moss green velvet ribbon with bow and streamers was worn in the hair. Each carried a nosegay of bronze daisy mums and yellow tinted baby's breath

dress and carried a small bouquet of white garza mums caught with yellow ribbon. Mr. Raymond Fred Blanton served as his son's best man. Ushers were Norman Ray Blanton and Wayne David Blanton, brothers of the groom; Edward Charles Goforth and Carl Dennis Davis, all of Kings Mountain; and Stephen Ray Swager of Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ladshaw Trott are parents of the bride. She is a graduate of Kings Mountain High School and attended Lees McRae College and Gaston College. She is employed in the offices of Home Savings and Loan Association in Kings Mountain. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond

That's The Worst Kind
A recruit was asked if he had ever been troubled with athlete's foot. He replied, "Yes, once when a half-back caught me kissing his best girl."

Frequently Happens
Boss: "Shame on you. Do you know what we do with office boys who tell lies?"
Boy: "Yes sir. When they get old enough the firm sends them out as salesmen."

On The Button
Mr. Grouch--Woman, is nothing but a rag, a bone, and a hank of hair.
Mrs. Grouch--Man is nothing but a brag, a groan and a tank of air!

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ROSES

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The Panda and the Spy, a children's play produced by the Kings Mountain Little Theatre continues to draw big crowds, and will be presented 3 more times this week on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday nights. Tickets may be purchased in advance at the MIRROR for \$1. each. Here is just one of many hilarious scenes. (Mirror Photo)

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