

New Officers Installed At Missionary Society Meeting

MISSION, Jan. 10. — New officers were installed at the meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church on Thursday as follows: Mrs. Homer Smith, president; Mrs. G. F. Gray, vice president; Mrs. C. D. Eppright, recording secretary; Mrs. M. E. Webb, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Scoggins and Mrs. E. Bluffs, treasurer; Mrs. E. M. Goodwin, young people's superintendent; Mrs. Pope, children's work; Mrs. Conan Wood, study chairman; Mrs. T. S. Moore, publicity and Mrs. Albertson, voice agent.

The reports of the past year showed the society in good condition, with receipts of \$2,749.22 during year, disbursements \$2,564.98, leaving a balance of \$184.24 in the treasury.

A social meet was held at the close with tea served by the women.

INFORMAL BRIDGE

EVENT WEDNESDAY

Mrs. E. Dugan was hostess at a four-table afternoon of bridge at her home on Dupont Avenue last Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Conan Wood was high scorer, Mrs. Mary Butler low.

The guests included, Mesdames Mac Seiffel, Albert McHenry, Conman Wood, G. B. Abney, E. B. Vester, T. B. Card, Mary Butler, T. B. Waite, Paul Ord, H. H. Evans, A. C. Potter, Harry Stewart, W. R. Blacklock, Terrell McLeod, Mrs. Ogden Swan of McAllen and Miss Myrtle Hatch.

MRS. HOFFMAN MAIN

SPEAKER ON PROGRAM

The Catholic Daughters of America enjoyed a splendid program at their meeting Monday evening at the St. Paul's parochial school. Mrs. Helen Hoffman, lecturer, was the main speaker at the affair. Mrs. Hoffman has prepared an excellent course for the coming months of work. It was said.

CLUB AND GUESTS

ENTERTAINED

The Wednesday Bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Earl Stewart this week, with three tables of members participating in the usual game of bridge. Mrs. J. Conway and Mrs. J. D. Moore were out-of-club guests.

SMITHS HOSTS

TO CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Smith entertained the Night Bridge club this week at their home in Edinburg. No out-of-club guests were present at the three-table affair.

MISS HATCH

IS GUEST

Mrs. H. C. Jeffries entertained with cards on Tuesday afternoon, it being the regular session of the Tuesday afternoon Bridge club. Mrs. Jeffries had two tables, with Miss Myrtle Hatch as the only out-of-club guest.

INFORMAL DANCE

Several of the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Card were guests on Tuesday evening. The radio supplied dance music. Those enjoying the affair included Mesdames and Messrs. Noe, Gibbet, McLeod, Ord, Seiffel, Dave Johnson, Mrs. Harry Keyes and Mrs. Glenn.

DINNER PARTY GIVEN

Mrs. E. B. Vester entertained with a family dinner on Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Card of McAllen, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Card, Mr. and Mrs. Hannah of this city and Clarence Howerton of McAllen as guests.

INFORMAL SOCIAL

THURSDAY

Phelan Dorn and sister of Shary Boulevard, Miss Margaret Ellis of Edinburg, Misses Velma and Enola Echols and house guest, Miss Augusta Harris, Messrs. W. C. Downing and Curtis Echols of Mission and Gordon Ellis of Edinburg enjoyed a musical entertainment at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Underwood on Thursday evening.

At the close of the evening, delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

MEXICAN DINNER

AT GRAY HOME

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Gray entertained with a Mexican dinner on Monday evening honoring Miss Eva Green and her friend Miss Merle of Dallas. Guests of the evening were: Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Underwood and two daughters of North Mission, and Mrs. Kelech of Edinburg, Mrs. Loyd Echols of Mesquite, Misses Velma and Enola Echols and house guest, Miss Augusta Harris of El Paso, Messrs. Hugh and Curtis Echols, Clifton Downing and Gordon Ellis. The evening was spent in playing games.

FRIDAY HOSTESSES

Mrs. T. W. Thies and Miss Mamie Home were hostesses to the Friday Night Dinner Bridge club at the Thies home on Wednesday evening.

A very enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

NEW ORGANIZATION

HOLDS MEETING

The Business and Professional Women's club, recently organized, held the regular meeting with a luncheon at the home of Mrs. A. L. Brasher on Tuesday.

Dr. Maude Murphy presided, and the usual routine of business was observed.

It is expected this organization will be ready for business with all committees and committee chairmen in working order at the next meeting.

PIONEER CLUB HOSTESS

Mrs. T. H. Armstrong was hostess to the Pioneer Bridge club at her home on Dougherty avenue last Wednesday.

It was a two-table affair, with Mrs. Esther Ferguson and Mrs. Flynn Sorrell as the only guests.

MRS. HUNTER TO BE

CLUB HOSTESS

The north Mission Home Demonstration Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Gus Hunter of Lometa Boulevard on January 16. Mrs. Ringgold will be present and give a demonstration on how to budget the wardrobe, lines for types. A paper will be given on colors that harmonize. Roll call—name your best color. Members are requested to bring their note books and pencils to each meeting also their reports for the past month.

INFORMAL PARTY

GIVEN FRIDAY

Miss Jacqueline Covington was hostess to a number of her friends at a party Friday, the evening being spent in dancing and bridge.

Those present included friends from both Mission and McAllen, to all of whom cake and coffee were served at the close of the evening's fun.

AUSTIN GUEST

COMPLIMENTED

Honoring little Arthur Lee Barzen, Jr., of Austin, Mrs. Clarence Bourgeois, his aunt, celebrated with a party on Saturday, in honor of his birthday which was on Monday, the day the honoree returned to his home in Austin with his mother and brother.

Twelve boys and girls were present and enjoyed the event. There was a birthday cake with candles, which was later served.

BREAKFAST GIVEN

COMPANY

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hodges of this city were among the honor guests at the breakfast given the Southland Life insurance company's members of force, at the Casa de Palmas in McAllen on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodges were the guests of J. Y. Stewart of Cameron.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

RECEIVED FROM EVANS

George Carman, son of Lt. Richard Briggs Evans, arrived at the home of his parents in the Philippine Islands on the 26th day

of December, according to a cablegram received by Mrs. Evans' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Agnew here.

The little fellow is the second child and the first son to arrive in the family of this popular overseas army officer and his wife, nee Miss Jane Agnew.

MOTHER COMPLIMENTED

AT BRIDGE AFFAIR

One of the most affairs of the season was the evening of bridge at the Garden Inn tea room on Saturday, when Moulton Cobb entertained in honor of his mother.

Mrs. W. M. Cobb, of Cameron, who has been here on a visit with her son.

Nine tables of players participated in the affair, with T. B. Sammons high scorer, Mrs. J. A. Waldwell high for women and Mrs. W. M. Cobb guest prize winner.

At the close of the series of games speeches and toasts were given by several of those present.

The eyes of Texas, sung by the group, concluded the evening.

Those present included Mesdames and Messrs. Homer Smith, Earl Stewart, S. L. Hardin, Paul Ord, Martin Price, Misses Marjorie Parkhill, Thelma Clayton, Jane Caldwell, Mary Ferguson, Ruth Spencer, Eura Cooke, Helen Melch, Margaret Jago, C. A. Whitely, Louella Mason, Lillian Pichek, also Mrs. H. H. Rankin and the honor guest, Mrs. W. M. Cobb.

Those present at the following were included: T. B. Sammons, Walter Scoggins, Levi Walker, Thomas Robertson, Mr. Hyde, Raymond Greer, H. H. Mehrrens, George Beatty, Lloyd Brasher, Curtis Beatty, Raynor Haynes, Bobby Cannon, the latter from Corpus Christi, and the host, Mr. Cobb.

CHARITY REPORT

GIVEN AT MEET

Mrs. R. G. Hodges was hostess to the Sunday bridge club at her home Friday, with two tables of players present, all club members.

Mrs. Cy Schaffer was high score holder and Mrs. L. B. Miller, low.

At the close of the games, during the refreshment hour a report was given of the charity work done by this club during the holiday season.

PERSONALS

Bill Conway left Monday evening for Minneapolis, where he will finish his work in the commercial course next June. Mr. Conway is captain of the hockey team of the university and has made splendid records.

T. A. Baxter is here from Sherman visiting his brother George and family.

Dwight Bellamy returned Sunday to his work at A. & M. college. Mrs. Vernon Hill and son Vernon are still at Galveston where Vernon Jr., is under a specialist's care.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Decker and family were in Harlingen Sunday, guests at the Reese-Wilmond hotel in that city, with Mrs. J. E. Raymond of Grand, Kansas, the old home town of the Decker family, as hostess.

M. B. Coppel of Pharr was in Mission on business Tuesday.

Miss Dorothy Keith has returned to Baylor at El Paso after spending her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Keith.

J. D. Grossman was in Edinburg on business Monday.

Leonard Ray, connected with the Harding Land Company of Raymondville, made Mission a visit Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Friedrichs, Miss Althea and Calvin were Raymondville visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Patee, mother of E. B. Balther, has returned to her home with the Balther's here after an extended visit.

Mrs. Childs, of McAllen, who owns land in Conway Gardens, and spends her winters away from Iowa in the Valley, was a visitor at the John J. Conway home this week.

"Shine" Mason of McAllen was in Mission Monday.

W. E. Sigler, superintendent of the McAllen Electric plant and son-in-law of the Texas poet, Dodd Mortimer Lewis, was a Rotary visitor in this city Monday.

Ray Yowell is here renewing old friendships. Mr. Yowell was at one time associated with the Ford agency here.

Mrs. J. W. Legg left the last of the week for her home in Harlingen, after a visit here with her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Moore, Jr.

Mrs. A. I. Barzen and sons left Sunday evening for Austin, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Nash north of town, and her sisters, Mesdames Clarence Bourgeois and Olin Home here.

Fred Peterson and Ernest Madison left the last week for Austin where they attend the university.

David Wood has returned to his school work at the University of Texas, after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Moore were in Mission Sunday, visiting at the home of Mr. Moore's here.

Miss Sarah Louise Bixler has returned to her work at Houston after a week's visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Bixler.

Mrs. Olof Anderson returned home from San Antonio on Monday. She had been spending the holidays with her son Willard and family.

Professor and Mrs. Fred Appel spent the weekend with Mrs. Appel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gates in Brownsville, returning Sunday morning.

T. M. Melden accompanied his wife, T. M. Jr., and Charles to College Station last Saturday, where the boys go to resume their work.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Braden have returned from a trip to Urbana, Mo., where they had gone on receipt of a message announcing the illness of J. L. Hendrickson, father of Mrs. Braden. Miss Marie Davis, niece of Mrs. Braden, returned with them to Mission and will remain some months.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Card spent Thursday in Brownsville on business.

Misses Zillah Martin, Laverne Stephens and Ruth Stewart have been here visiting their parents during the holiday vacation, from San Marcos.

Mrs. Russell Hammett of Colorado is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Lounsbury, and her sister, Mrs. E. S. Taylor and family.

Sam Hilburn of Wichita Falls, is visiting his mother and brother C. A. Hilburn and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Gallion and family of Weslaco, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gallion and father Mr. Hichens of Weslaco, Mrs. E. V.

Thorpe and two sons of Sharyland were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Parks.

Miss Georgia Lazenby, Mrs. Vera Beck and Mrs. Herbert Nix of San Marcos, Mr. Ben Winslow of Atlanta, Georgia were house guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Gray during the holidays.

Misses Blanche Merie and Eva Green of Dallas, Texas who have been guests at the home of Miss Velma Echols and Mrs. G. F. Gray returned to their home on Thursday.

Miss Louise Cartwright spent the week end with her cousins Misses Amy and Mamie Cartwright of McAllen.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hunter, daughter, Helen and son Eugene were New Year's guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Burkhardt of Alamo.

Mrs. B. H. Lapham and daughter Alice were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hartford on Saturday. Miss Betty Hartford returned to spend a few days at the home of her grandparents.

Misses Winnie Keeling, Ethel Hargrove, Sarah Hooks and Jane Alexander, teachers at San Isidro school, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Lapham.

Clarence Norton and sister Miss Jessie of Mission, Messrs. George Jones and Clarence Alderman of north Mission were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell on Friday.

Mr. George Mitchell and family received the sad news of the death of his stepfather, Mr. W. H. Jennings of Lincoln, Nebraska who was buried on New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Maloney and family were guests at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Mulkey of Alamo on Sunday. Misses Willie May and Verna Lee Mulkey accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wise and family were Sunday guests at the home of Messrs. Clinton and Tom Wise of Weslaco.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gray were New Year's guests at the home of Mr. B. C. Stallings of Sebastian.

Mesdames William Russell and Conway Garlington were delegates to the Home Demonstration Council which was held at the Chalmers hotel, last Monday evening for Harlingen.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Whittlesy and daughter Jean, Mr. Herbert Foote and daughter Elizabeth of Toronto, Canada who are spending the winter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Whittlesy, motored to Raymondville on Sunday and enjoyed a very pleasant dinner. They were also shown through the broadcasting station of X.E.D.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Welch and children of Pharr were Monday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Warner.

Messrs. Edgar Flowers and Tom Baxter of Sherman, arrived Monday to spend a few days in the Valley. Mr. Baxter is the guest of his brother Mr. George Baxter of Mission.

Mr. and Mrs. Flowers is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Flowers, Earl and friend Miss Edith Hall of Dallas arrived Tuesday at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Burk to spend a few days. They left Friday and were accompanied as far as San Antonio by Ed Burke who has been visiting at the home of his parents.

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PLEASANT SURPRISE

GIVEN PARENTS

A group of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pierson's friends surprised them on their birthday, Tuesday evening by coming in and bringing refreshments with them. After the greetings the evening was spent in playing games. At a late hour refreshments were served to Messrs. C. A. Pierson, Lawrence Lindley, Sam Johnston, Earl Grass and Mrs. Clyde Bern. Mrs. Dora Rulon, Gene Rulon, Mrs. R. Maggart and Miss Edith Lester.

MRS. CROCKETT

IS HONOREE

The Wesley Bible class met at the home of Rev. Homer Crockett. Members had agreed at a previous meeting to earn \$3 each with the aid of the husbands, and at the time reported on the success of the plan.

The day was also the birthday of Mrs. Crockett and the class had prepared refreshments accordingly. The evening resulted in a social event which was enjoyed by all.

HOSPITALITY EVENT

OF PAST WEEK

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Hughes was the scene of a pretty hospitality one day last week when they entertained with a dinner. It was also the hostess's birthday. Present for the affair were: Messrs. and Mesdames Earl Bledsoe, John Genita, and Marion Hughes, and Messrs. Luther Hughes of Weslaco, Burton Hughes, Albert Hughes and Misses Mary Margaret Sulphur and El Francis Arengood.

MISS LESTER HOSTESS

AT INFORMAL PARTY

Miss Edith Lester entertained with two tables of bridge Friday evening. Those enjoying this affair were: Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hughes, Victor Holt and Miss Olive Cozart, Ben Williams, and Miss Mary Carter. The hostess served refreshment after several interesting games had been played.

PERSONALS

Mr. Jim Howell came home from the Medical Arts Hospital Wednesday, where he had been confined for the past ten days suffering from injuries received in an automobile accident.

Mrs. D. O. Squires, Misses Haughty and Mattie visited at the S. B. Bledsoe home in Weslaco Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Sutphen visited Mr. and Mrs. John McKinney in Donna Sunday.

Miss Gene Van Vleet of Weslaco spent the week end with Miss Marcia Platt.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hughes announced the birth of a little daughter Jan. 5th. Mrs. Hughes is in Santa Maria, California with her mother. Mr. Hughes left here New Year's day and arrived in Santa Maria in time to greet the little daughter.

Mrs. Lawrence Lindley, Mrs. C. A. Pierson, Mrs. Sam Johnston, and Mrs. Marion Hughes visited Mrs. William Rowe of La Blanca Wednesday.

The largest collection of American theatrical photographs is said to be owned by Albert Davis, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Six Table Bridge Party Is Week-End Entertainment

EDINBURG, Jan. 10.—Miss Emma Baumgartner and Mrs. Frank Rush entertained Saturday afternoon with a delightful six table bridge party in honor of her aunt Mrs. J. A. Steinhilber, who has just returned from a trip abroad and will make her home in Edinburg. Red roses and floor baskets filled with poinsettias were used in decorating the card rooms.

Mrs. E. A. Brown made high for the afternoon and Mrs. John D. McKinney low.

Those present were Mesdames A. R. Baker, L. E. Tinkler, E. S. Hearn, L. P. Terry, W. U. Miller, C. C. Giddings, J. E. Robinson, Roy Klossner, W. R. Montgomery, B. H. Hooks, Marvin McSkell, C. I. Haven, C. A. Montgomery, C. I. Quincy, Ill, J. R. Mahone, J. C. Epperson, C. E. Bryan, Sr., John Rutledge, Oliver C. Aldrich, Marshall McSkell, A. R. Baker, L. E. Tinkler, C. I. Haven, E. S. Douglas, Douglas Mackenzie, Miss Elizabeth Collier and the hostess.

At the end of the games the hostess served a sweet course. The guests were Mesdames E. A. Brown, W. R. Montgomery and house guest Mrs. C. A. Montgomery, of Quincy, Ill, W. D. Bardner, E. S. Hearn, C. E. Bryan, Sr., John Rutledge, Oliver C. Aldrich, Marshall McSkell, A. R. Baker, L. E. Tinkler, C. I. Haven, E. S. Douglas, Douglas Mackenzie, Miss Elizabeth Collier and the hostess.

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CLUB ENJOYS

PARTY, SUPPER

The F. V. N. club entertained New Year's Eve with a watch party. A midnight matinee theatre party followed by a supper at the home of Mrs. R. S. Ralston at Weslaco was the feature of the entertainment with about 24 guests present.

THEATER AFFAIR

HONOR SOX

Mrs. Maude Doray entertained Friday evening with a supper and matinee party in honor of her son, Master Arthur Doray, who was home for the holidays. Young guests enjoyed that delightful hospitality were Bob and Bill Hart, Melvin Hearne and Roland Evans.

CORONA BRIDGE CLUB

ENTERTAINED MONDAY

Mrs. W. S. Ramsey was hostess on Monday afternoon, entertaining the Corona Bridge club. The spirit of the holidays were accentuated by the use of a color scheme of red and green with poinsettias for the floral note.

Mrs. G. Grady Carl made high score and after the games the hostess served a salad course to the following guests.

Mesdames Douglas Mackenzie, L. C. Newman, George N. Magee, J. C. Epperson, C. L. Jones, H. U. Miles, G. Grady Carl, K. B. Hatchler, John D. McKinney, Albert S.

Wright, A. F. Buchanan, Jr., Halie Jones of Columbia, Kansas, who is spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jones and Miss Emma Jean Baker.

LARGE NUMBER PRESENT AT AFFAIR

The Hi-Lo Bridge was entertained by Mrs. C. S. Collier on Friday afternoon at her home. In the bridge series Mrs. Jeff Oliver scored high for the club, Mrs. C. A. Montgomery cut low and Mrs. Douglas Mackenzie made guest high score.

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Moyers, both of Wichita Falls arrived in Edinburg Sunday. They will remain here for a few days while looking after their business interests.

Miss Grace Belle Doughty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Doughty of Edinburg, returned Sunday night to San Antonio where she is enrolled in the Lacarate Wood college located there.

Mrs. L. A. McKinnon has returned to Edinburg from Brownsville where she