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Sheffield-Tuscumbia

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for the Community ay, "Death Takes a Holi- 7:30 p. m. at the high Sheffield.

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Shoals District Service a luncheon meeting at at Hotel Muscle Shoals.

Junior Music club meets Gwendolyn Ware

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fomen's club will have a neeting for members and ests on Tuesday at 12:30 hristian Church in Flor- Eckl, editor of The Flor- es and The Tri-Cities. be guest speaker.

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rary service group of men's club issues a plea members to help with its ok distribution in the hos- course necessary for this be given by Mrs. Cath- an Thursday from 9:30 to he basement of the Flor- ry.

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erican Legion Auxiliary of ounty Memorial Post No. et Tuesday at 7:30 at the Mrs. John Geise, 306 E., Tuscumbia. All members to be present.

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bia Twentieth Century t Wednesday afternoon th Mrs. C. P. Cooper and a Burt hostesses at their Dixon street. Mrs. H. L. l have charge of the pro-

ke School P.T.A., formerly Sheffield Elementary ill have Fathers' Night on a

Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at the school. Rev. J. A. Gann will give the devotional and Dr. E. B. Norton, president of State Teachers College, will be guest speaker.

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Sheffield Garden club will meet Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock in the home of Mrs. A. H. Thompson with Mrs. Frank Pride joint hostess. Mrs. H. S. Wiggins will be in charge of the program and the motion picture on Birds.

Mrs. Carter Complimented With Miscellaneous Shower

Another courtesy for Mrs. William Carter, who has been the inspiration for a series of parties since her wedding, was the miscellaneous shower on Wednesday evening with Mrs. Hollis Bendall, Mrs. Floyd Wilson and Mrs. John Willingham hostesses.

The home of Mrs. Grady Bailey in Tuscumbia was the setting for the party and was decorated with green fern and white candles. In the dining room the table was covered with a lace cloth over green satin and held for a central ornament a cut crystal bowl of white gladioli, flanked with white tapers in double crystal holders. Mrs. W. C. McLain, mother of the bride, poured tea and the refreshments further stressed the green and white color note.

Contests were enjoyed with Mrs. John Sockwell and Mrs. Roy Bradford winning the prizes.

Mrs. Carter wore a model of navy crepe and a corsage of yellow carnations. She was the recipient of a variety of lovely gifts from the twenty guests.

Miss Vaughn Feted With Shower Wednesday Evening

Miss Gloria Vaughn, a bride-elect, was the inspiration for a delightfully informal courtesy on Wednesday evening when Mrs. Warren Nesmith and Mrs. Mills Coleman were joint hostesses at a kitchen shower at the home of Mrs. Nesmith's mother, Mrs. Gilbert Mayer on Montgomery avenue.

In the dining room pink carnations, snapdragons and jonquils in a silver bowl centered the party table, on either side of which pink tapers burned in silver holders. Mrs. Roland Vaughn, mother of the honoree poured coffee, and a tempting salad plate was passed by the hostesses.

Miss Vaughn's becoming dress was an ensemble of flame and black velveteen with which she wore white mums in her hair.

Twenty-five friends were included in the guest list.

Open House Is Courtesy For Miss Gloria Vaughn

The first in the list of nonnuptial parties planned for Miss Gloria Vaughn, whose wedding will take place this month, was on Saturday evening when Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Walthall kept open house at their home on the lake.

Holiday decorations were used throughout the home. The table, from which Mrs. Percy Kumpe, aunt of the bride, poured coffee, was most attractive with a centerpiece of red tapers, holly and colored baubles.

Forty guests called during the evening.

Miss Vaughn chose for the occasion a model of emerald green tissue faille with which she wore red roses.

Miss Beck Compliments Mrs. Carter With Shower

Entertaining in honor of Mrs. William Carter (Betty Jo McLain) a bride of recent date, Miss Nina Sue Beck was hostess Saturday afternoon at a kitchen shower at her home on Raleigh avenue.

Red and white poinsettias were used to make the living room most attractive where an informal hour was spent by the thirteen guests.

The honoree was presented with an assortment of useful gifts for her kitchen. She wore for the occasion a model of navy crepe and a corsage of white carnations.

The hostess was assisted in serving tempting refreshments which stressed a color note of yellow and green by Mrs. Otto Kerr and Miss Nell Sanders.

P.T.A. Council Meets In Municipal Building

A meeting of the Sheffield P.T.A. Council was held Tuesday morning in the Municipal building with the president, Mrs. J. T. Killian, presiding. Following roll call and reading of the minutes reports of standing committees were given. Mrs. Julian Grim, membership chairman, reported 1,975 members in the four schools. A Red Cross home nursing course was announced beginning January 8th at the Tuscumbia Community Center, details of which may be secured from the local Red Cross office. A nominating committee was appointed, composed of Mrs. Ralph LeMay, Mrs. Will McDonnell and Mrs. F. G. Smith.

The next meeting will be held on February 27th at Blake school at which time Founders Day will be observed.

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Personals

Mr and Mrs. Donald G. Maize and little son, Barton, have returned to their home in Richmond, Va., after a holiday visit to Mrs. Maize's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Henninger in Tuscumbia.

W. R. Holmes left last night for Port Blakely, Washington, where he is stationed with the U. S. Navy, after a short visit to Mrs. Holmes and little son, Barry, in Sheffield.

Lonnie Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Aiella and Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor have returned to their homes in Detroit after accompanying the body of Mrs. Taylor to Barton for interment on Tuesday.

Miss Susan Delony left Wednesday for Ithaca, N. Y., to resume her studies at Cornell after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Delony, Jr., in Tuscumbia.

Women's Church Activities

Grace Church Auxiliary will meet Monday evening at 7:45 in the home of Mrs. Gordon Koons, 507 River Bluff Drive.

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The Tri-Cities Sisterhood of B'Nai Israel will meet Sunday afternoon at 2:45 at the home of Mrs. Mort Levin and Mrs. I. Kreisman on Riverview Drive, Florence.

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Circles of the Women of the Church, First Presbyterian, Tuscumbia, will meet next week as follows: circle one on Monday afternoon at three o'clock with Mrs. E. S. Gregory; circle two on Monday at three with Mrs. Carey Buffington; circle number five will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 with Mrs. Felix Throckmorton, Jr.

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Circles of the W.M.U. of First Baptist church, Sheffield, will meet Monday in the following homes: circle one, with Mrs. Jack Blackwell at 10 a. m.; circle two at 2:45 with Mrs. E. B. Corbett in Village One; circle three at the church at 2:30 with Mrs. Keene hostess; circle four at 7:30 with Mrs. Alleyn Coleman, 907 Raleigh avenue; circle five at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Ruth Nix, 252 Lewis street, with Mrs. Billie Duffey hostess; circle six at 7:30 with Mrs. Bobby Conway, 106 S. Montgomery avenue.

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Circles of the W.M.U. of First Baptist church, Tuscumbia, will meet Monday as follows: Patty Throckmorton circle at 3 o'clock with Mrs. O. W. Sherer; Irene Jeffries at the home of the church; Kathleen Mallory circle at 7:45 with Mrs. Guy Gulbett; Kate McClain circle at 3 o'clock, Addie Cox Circle at 7:45 with Mrs. Roy Williams; Hattie Roberta Edwards circle will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. Lester King.

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Circles of the W.S. of C.S. of First Methodist church, Sheffield, will meet Monday as follows: circle 1 with Mrs. J. A. Peters 411 River Bluff Drive; Circle 2 at the church with Mrs. R. A. Hafner hostess; circle 3 with Mrs. W. H. Adams, 804 Montgomery avenue; circle 4 with Mrs. J. K. Johnson, Wheeler Highway; circle 5 at 7:30 with Mrs. J. E. Davidson, 211 29th street; circle 6 at 7:30 with Mrs. Frances Eubank, 305 Park Boulevard; circle 7 at 7:30 with Mrs. Lamar Stevens, 1107 Nashville avenue. Wesleyan Service Guild with Mrs. R. E. Steele, 1600 High.

Red Cross To Start Home Nursing Class In Tuscumbia Monday

A Red Cross home nursing class will begin Monday morning at 9 o'clock at the Colbert County Health department offices on North Water street in Tuscumbia, Mrs. John Denton, chairman of home nursing for the Colbert county chapter of American Red Cross announced Thursday.

The class will meet on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9 to 11 o'clock from Jan 8 to 19. The course is Red Cross Home Nursing Unit No. 1, caring for the sick.

Mrs. Mattie Mae Throckmorton will be instructor.

The Red Cross has been given the job of training persons in first aid and home nursing for civilian defense. It recommends that one out of every 10 persons in the area be trained in one of the skills.

There is no charge for the course and all are invited and urged to attend.

6 Of 7 Prisoners Who Fled Madison Jail In Custody

HUNTSVILLE, (AP) — Six of seven prisoners who fled from the Madison county jail Monday were behind prison bars today.

Deputy Sheriff P. O. Rich said officers still were hunting James Virgil Alexander, 25, who escaped while serving 59 days for drunken driving and being held for another State.

The deputy yesterday announced the arrest of six others who had taken part in the second mass break from the jail since Nov. 29. Nine prisoners who took part then were regaptured. Several of these took part in the new flight.

Back in custody following the Monday breakout were:

Oscar O'Neal Lang, 34, held on a federal automobile theft charge, and Eugene Sharp, 18, charged with forgery, who were arrested in Columbus, Miss.

Earl Wicker, 36, and Herbert Browning, 34, both charged with vagrancy, who were picked up in Memphis, Tenn.

William O. Ferrell, 26, charged with burglary. The deputy said Ferrell was arrested with a brother, Charles Ferrell, 18, in a stolen car in Marion county. He said the younger man had been charged with grand larceny.

Willis Taylor, 23, held for burglary, who was picked up the day after the break.

All the prisoners except Browning and Lang took part in the previous flight.

Life And Blindness Or Death By Cancer?

ATLANTA, (AP)— The choice for four-year-old Carolyn Purcell, said the doctors was life and blindness or death by cancer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Purcell, weary and tortured, replied, "God made her this way for a reason and if it is His will for her to die, there's nothing we can do about it."

So little Carolyn left Grady hospital for home yesterday, sleeping peacefully in her mother's arms.

The couple had been warned by physicians that at least one, possibly both, of the child's eyes would have to be removed to save her from a cancerous death.

"We just can't do it," said the distraught parents.

Purcell added, however, there was a chance they might change their minds; that they wanted an opportunity to rest and think some more.

"We have an appointment," he said, "back at the hospital next Thursday if we change our minds."

The highest point in the U. S. is Mount Whitney, California. It is 14,495 feet in altitude.

Russellville

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MURRAY CLARK NAMED AS COUNTY DIRECTOR FOR MARCH OF DIMES

Murray Clark, a member of the staff of the Russellville First National Bank, will direct the 1951 March of Dimes in Franklin county, announces Dr. W. A. Gresham, chairman of the county's Infantile Paralysis foundation. A brother-in-law of Mrs. Lyman Clark, polio victim who gave birth to a baby girl in an iron lung last August, the new director takes over from Attorney Kennedy Williams who has managed the campaign the past two years.

Collection of the polio funds, a great portion of which remain in Alabama and Franklin county, will begin on January 15 and continue until January 30, Clark says. No definite goal has been set by the National foundation for this county.

Working as Russellville chairman in the drive is Thomas E. Burton, insurance man who will be assisted by Cecil Batchelor as co-chairman. In other county communities Clark lists these workers:

E. P. McNatt, Atwood, Talmadge Lee Beigreen, Mrs. Stella Cash of Haleyville route one, Dime community; V. G. Brown of Tuscumbia, route three, Frankfort community, Mrs. Rebecca Pierce of Vina, Halltown community; W. M. Sullivan, Hodges.

D. W. Duncan, Russellville, route three, will head the campaign in Phillips beat. H. C. Bass of Russellville, Mountain Star community; Charles G. Richeson of Russellville, route five, Newburg community; Braughton Isom, Phil Campbell.

Mrs. Ethel Blackledge of Belmont, Miss Pleasant Site community, Cecil Brown, Red Bay; Miss Ira Underwood, Spruce Pine and W. W. Weatherford, Vina.

HOLIDAYS QUIET ON POLICE RECORDS HERE

Arrests were at an all-time low in Russellville during the Christmas and New Year's holidays, says Police Chief Mack Kimbrough. Six or seven persons totaled the number tried in Mayor's court both weeks.

Major case at Mayor John Turbyfill's court on the Tuesday following Christmas was one for violation of the prohibition law. The offender, up for the 13th time, paid a fine of $106. Two or three held for public drunkenness were charged $16 each.

New Year's Day another man who had violated the prohibition law for the 12th time was fined $106. He had been apprehended with one and one half-gallons of wildcat liquor in his possession. A trio of 5 dollars $16 each and were released.

COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE HAS NEW STAFF MEMBER

A new assistant home demonstration agent went to work in Franklin county this week. She is Miss Cornelius Daily of Frankfort, who replaces Miss Sue Eunice. Miss Eunice has resigned to be married.

A graduate in home economics of Florence State Teachers college, Miss Daily worked for three months with the Blount county extension service in Oneonta. She was appointed for the first 30 days to cover during Miss Eunice's home demonstrationist there.

MISS SUE MILLER HOLDS HOLIDAY FORMAL DANCE

Miss Sue Miller, daughter of the E. J. Millers and a freshman student at Gulf Park College, Gulfport, Miss. entertained approximately 75 of the young college set during the holidays with a formal dance at the VFW Legion Home. Music was by the Starlighters from the Tri-Cities.

Christmas decorations and colored lights made the occasion festive, while punch, green cakes embossed with Yule trees and sandwiches added refreshment to the evening. The Mesdames W. E. Kirkpatrick and Virgil Huff served from a long covered table.

Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lee.

Out-of-town guests for the dance included Ronnie and Donnie Sugg of Sheffield, Jimmy Smith of Sheffield, Miss Dorothy Pruitt, John Fox Holland and Thomas Lyle of Leighton, Hollis Kirkpatrick of Cottonville, Brewer Young, Miss Mary Batson and Miss Peggy Reeder of Florence.

CIVITANS NAME COMMITTEE FOR GUARDSMEN'S DINNER

Cecil Batchelor is in charge of the Civitan club's committee for a National Guard supper planned for the 100 men who will leave Franklin county to go on active duty sometime this month. Assisting him are Sgt. Thomas Allen, Erskine Wages and Jimmy Wilson.

These men were named Tuesday at the weekly Civitan luncheon meeting. They will convene soon with representatives from the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the American Legion and the Lions club to make joint plans for the occasion.

RUSSELLVILLE DONATES $400 TO TB DRIVE

Russellville contributors gave approximately $400 to the Yule season tuberculosis drive, reports Mrs. Price Clayton, city chairman for the annual campaign. This sum equals the amount which Mrs. Clayton and her co-workers brought in last year.

Figures from the entire county drive will not be available until this weekend, Thomas McCutcheson, county director of the Tuberculosis association, says. He hopes that the donations from all over Franklin have met the quota of $1150 set by the state association.

Contributions are generally made through the purchase of $1 sheets of Christmas seals. The campaign, which began on December 10, ended on Christmas Day.

COMMUNITY CHEST STILL SHORT ON NEEDED MONEY

The Russellville Community Chest is still short on funds, says Dr. C. D. Pritchard, chairman, with $4342.63 turned in to date. Quota set for the campaign was $6000 with varying percentages going to local charities and to a Christmas basket fund.

The drive will continue until the desired amount has been collected. Work began in November on the campaign.

Negro Leader Of Methodists Praises Whites

Asks Preservation Of Negro Church As Separate Entity

SAVANNAH, Ga., (AP)—The Negro leader of the Colored Methodist Episcopal church has nothing but praise and good fellowship for his white brethren in Methodism.

Bishop Luther Stewart last night gave his eloquent endorsement of preservation of the Negro church as a separate entity composed wholly of Negroes. He addressed the Mid-Century Convocation of the Methodist church.

"And what did the North do?" he exclaimed.

"They," he asserted, "sent down Yankees and Carpetbaggers."

Bishop Stewart told with feeling the story of a small, fishing boat foundering in the sea to illustrate the attitude of the Negro Methodist church toward the white.

A large ship came to rescue and signalled: "Shall we take you aboard?"

"No," answered the captain of the trouble vessel. "Just stay by us 'till morning."

"That," said the Negro bishop, "is all we ask of the Southeastern Jurisdiction. Just stay by us 'till morning."

Bishop Stewart urged continued support of Paine College of Augusta, Ga., and other jointly financed Negro educational institutions. Paine draws support from both white and Negro Methodists.

Another speaker was Bishop Paul N. Garber, former dean of the Duke University Divinity School, since 1944 bishop of the Geneva, Switzerland, area embracing nine countries.

He said Christianity has a solid feeling in most European countries, despite the Communist Iron Curtain. But in some countries, he reported, Methodism and other faiths have had to go underground to survive "the relentless attacks of Communism."

ANTS MAY CONTROL TERMITES

SYDNEY, (AP) — Ants could be used to control termites, says Dr. William Brown, an entomologist, who is visiting Australia on a travelling fellowship from Harvard University.

Dr. Brown said here that as far as he knows there is no research being done on the possibility of using ants to control termites. Biologically, he said, ants are their main enemies. Dr. Brown is studying obscure groups of ants in Australia on his fellowship.

CARD OF THANKS

We acknowledge the many kind expressions of sympathy shown us following the death of our mother and grandmother, Mrs. Martha L. Smith. We will hold in grateful remembrance your thoughtfulness. May God bestow His richest blessings upon each of you.

Signed:
Mr and Mrs. Curtis Ikard,
Curtis Ikard, Jr.,
James Bert Ikard,
Shirley Ikard.

Jan. 5*

The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis was founded in 1938 by Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Ruth Millett Writes

TEEN-AGE INTEREST IN BOYS IS NATURAL—DON'T SQUELCH IT

"All that our 14-year-old daughter talks or thinks about is boys. And her friends are just as bad. How can we make her see how silly she is behaving?" writes the mother of a high school freshman.

Don't even try, Mrs. S. If you try ridicule you'll just made her feel you are "against" her and she will probably decide to keep things to herself, instead of being open and aboveboard as she is now.

"Love" often hits a class like lightning, and all of a sudden everybody in the room is paired off and all conversation becomes giggling boy-and-girl talk.

It sounds silly to grown-ups who aren't too good at remembering that they themselves went through the silly age, too.

But it's a mistake to side against teen-agers in anything as natural as being boy-crazy or girl-crazy. **JUST TRY BEING TOLERANT.**

Listen to the confidences your daughter brings you without censure, if they show nothing more than silliness.

When she and her friends get together and start their giggling boy-girl talk, treat it as the most natural thing in the world—which, of course, it is.

In a way you are on trial now. Be nonchalant about this first boy-girl crase. Then your daughter will decide you are pretty much all right and that it is safe to be her natural self around you and let you know what is going on at school and among her crowd.

But take a superior attitude toward her, and she'll decide you don't understand her and that in the future the less you know about her affairs the better.

You can't squelch young love, no matter how hard you try. But you can make a girl secretive and evasive by trying to squelch it.

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COUNCIL TO MEET

The Colbert County Coordinating Council will meet Wednesday noon at the Cardiff hotel for a luncheon and business meeting. Election of officers will be held. All members and those interested in joining are urged to attend.

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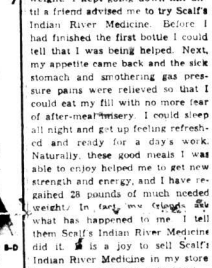

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