

# Society

## Greene-Owen Engagement



MISS DOROTHY ANNE GREENE

Mr. and Mrs. William Spencer Greene of Blowing Rock announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Anne (Dottie), to Franklyn D. Owen, Jr., of Columbia, South Carolina.

A June 22 wedding is planned at Saint Mary's of the Hills Episcopal Church in Blowing Rock at four o'clock in the afternoon. The Reverend Martin M. Tilson, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church in Charlotte, will officiate.

Miss Greene graduated from Furman University with a BA degree in Business Administration. She received her Master's Degree from Appalachian State Teachers College in Boone, and has done post-graduate work at the University of North Carolina. She taught at Anderson College, Anderson, South Carolina for two years, worked as an order detailer for United States Steel Corporation in Charlotte and Atlanta, and is currently teaching in the School of Business at Wake Forest College in Winston-Salem. While working for the United States Steel she held the first job of its type to be held by a woman.

Miss Greene is sponsor of Delta Kappa Nu business sorority at Wake Forest, acting secretary of the School of Business faculty, a member of the American Association of Univer-

sity Women and the American Association of University Professors. She is also active in her book club and bridge club.

Mr. Owen graduated from Dreher High School in Columbia, S. C., received his BS degree in Engineering from the University of South Carolina in Columbia, and did graduate work at MIT in Cambridge, Mass. He is executive vice-president of Owen Steel Company, Inc., in Columbia, S. C., and associated Owen interests. He is a member of the Saraband Club, Bachelors Club of Columbia, and Forest Lake Country Club, all of Columbia. He was a member of Sigma Nu fraternity at the University of South Carolina.

### SOLITUDE TEST

College Park, Md.—Living in solitude, without sight of another human being, Wilden P. Breen Jr. has lived in a small, 3-room apartment for 4 months. He is the subject of a test being made by the University of Maryland for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration on human behavior during long period of isolation.

Breen has contacted his instructors by telephone. He is writing a book for recreation and no time has been set for ending the test.

## Home Council County Meet Next Friday

The Watauga Home Demonstration Council will hold a county wide meeting for all Home Demonstration members on Friday, May 10 at 1:30. This meeting will be held in the adult assembly room of the Boone Methodist Church.

The program will be presented by Mr. Guy Angell, Superintendent of Watauga County Schools. Mr. Angell will discuss the "Proposed School Building Program."

A short business meeting will be conducted by Mrs. Earl Petrey, County Council President. The public is invited to attend.

## Bethel Home Club Meets

The Bethel Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Howard Love on the afternoon of April 24. Mrs. Baker Ward served as her sister's assistant hostess. For devotional the members repeated in unison the 23rd Psalm.

The demonstration on "Window Hardware" was given by Mrs. Baker Edmisten, a club member. She discussed the selection, installation, and maintenance of window hardware, and, in stressing the importance of quality hardware, she said, "Good hardware makes draw draperies and curtains operate easily and smoothly."

For recreation the club had an old-fashioned spelling bee, with the winner, Mrs. David Farthing, being presented a gift by the hostess.

The club adjourned early, in order that members might meet on the church grounds to do some cleaning up, in preparation for the spring session of the Baptist Association to be held on Tuesday, April 30.

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## Worthwhile Club Holds Meeting

The Literature and Education department of the Worthwhile Womens Club met May 4th at the home of Mrs. Lee Reynolds with Mrs. Ralph Greene as co-hostess. The chairman, Mrs. Louise DeLima presided. The meeting was opened with the club collect given in unison.

Mrs. Lee Reynolds reported that ground had been broken for planting flowers on one of the plots on Hardin and 421 and the club decided to take another small plot on 421 across the street from the R. D. Hodges residence. Several plots were mentioned for beautification this summer.

Mrs. Reynolds also brought up the subject of window decoration for the Ter-Centennial this summer and mentioned many different items to be used for such decorations, such as old books, dishes, cooking utensils jewelry, stamps, old razors, shaving mugs, dolls, guns etc. The older the "more wanted" are the articles, if anyone has anything old that will por-

tray history of "The Good Old Days" let it be known and the items can be used and the more of the 300 year old class will be much wanted. Mrs. B. W. Stallings or almost anyone in business on King Street may be contacted and your articles described or history given.

Mrs. DeLima then introduced Mr. Leonard Eury, librarian at Appalachian College Library who gave a most entertaining reminiscence of the comic side of being a college librarian. Many incidents and sayings brought to life again a loved character, Mrs. Emma Moore, recently deceased. Many others involved students and happenings within the library or requests for certain titled books and the disappointment of the student a few days later. Even Professor Blain Dougherty came into refresh memories of by-gone days.

The hostesses served salad and coffee following the meeting.

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