

## Louisburg, Youngsville Businessmen Receive District Scout Awards

### Louisburg

Louisburg businessman Hoke Steelman and Louisburg Faculty member Bob Versteeg received outstanding awards at the pot luck supper meeting of the Saponi District of the Occaneechee council last Thursday night at Wendell. Steelman was named Scoutmaster of the Year for his work with Louisburg Troop 555, Boy Scouts of America and Versteeg was selected Cubmaster of the year for his work with local cub scouts.

Troop 555 also received an award for the increase in membership and Pack 589, Youngsville received an award for the table decoration. Eagle wards were presented to Bradley Griffin of Zebulon and Nick Wise of Wake Forest. The meeting was held at Valden Whitley High School and District officers were installed.

### Youngsville

Youngsville Boy Scout Troops and leaders received several honors at the Saponi District Pot-Luck Dinner held on Thursday evening Nov. 3 at the Valden-Whitley School near Rolesville.

In a ceremony when Distinguished Leadership Awards were presented, Assistant Scoutmaster W. R. Evans was recognized and presented the

Award for "Committeeman of the Year", for outstanding service. This is a District Award. He has just recently taught a 6 week Training Course for Cub Scout leaders. He drove over to Raleigh one night a week for the six week period. He has previously served as Cub Scout Pack Master and Boy Scout Committeeman. At present he is Assistant Boy Scoutmaster in charge of Advancement, preparing and encouraging scouts to achieve higher goals. Mr. Evans grew up in Bertie County, graduated from Wake Forest College, married a Youngsville girl and has resided here since then except for a period of service with the U. S. Navy. He is a member of the Baptist Church where he is Treasurer and Deacon. He is currently teaching a scouting course at the church on Monday nights, for some adult leaders in the district.

Mr. A. E. Hall and Mr. J. T. Moss were installed to serve as Saponi District Vice Chairmen for the 1967 year. Under Training and National Camping Awards W. R. Evans and Scoutmaster N. A. Brown received respective awards.

### Cake Sale

Benson's Fruit Cakes have been received for sale by Boosters of the Louisburg High School Band.

Both 1 1/2 pound and 3 pound sizes are available. Anyone wishing one of these cakes is asked to contact Mrs. Winston Davis, Mrs. V. A. Peoples or Mr. Walter McDonald.

The local Cub Scout Pack won the table decorations award and also the attendance award. There are five Dens which make up the local Pack. Mrs. Allen Stallings served as chairlady for the dinner. She was assisted by Den Mothers and parents. Mrs. W. R. Evans served as chairlady for the Boy Scout-Lions group.

Under Roundup Awards Cub Scout Pack Master Mack DeMent and Boy Scoutmaster Brown each received a troop banner.

A Finance Award was presented to Mr. J. T. Moss for progress with fund raising in the community.

## "Thunder On The Campus" Franklinton Club Topic

(Frk. B.W.)- Affluence, education and technology are blessings that have become problems in disguise for today's youth according to the three speakers in a program on the new student activism given at the Franklinton Woman's Club on Thursday evening at the Community House. Talks were given by Mr. Fred Rogers, Mr. C. Ray Priette and Mrs. Richard Whitfield.

Economic security and bigness of bureaucracy in society, they said, create an intense need in young people to find the kind of work they can believe in, a meaningful task. They emphasized that in the university it means being involved; and, after graduation, it means finding a creative, challenging job.

It was pointed out that industry is offering today's students increasing opportunities in areas of social service with community and company programs. Individual firms throughout the country are pouring millions of dollars into training programs for dropouts and unskilled, using their resources to solve community problems, public affairs programs and scholarship and special training programs.

Called "Thunder On The Campus", the program was prepared by the Women's Department of the National Association of Manufacturers. Mrs. W. A. Eaton presided over the meeting which opened with the reading of the Collect. Mrs. Frank Collins led the group in prayer.

During the business session, Miss Frances Wortham read the minutes and also a letter from Mrs. E. A. Latta, District President.

In the absence of the treasurer, Mrs. R. C. Whitfield gave the financial report. The president announced a

## Youngsville Woman's Club To Meet

The November meeting of the Youngsville Woman's Club will be held on Tuesday evening, the fifteenth, at the community building with the program being planned by the Home Life Department.

On this committee are chairman Mrs. Nelson Walden and Mesdames S. E. Tharrington, W. G. Scarborough, G. W. Barnes and James Smith.

Guest speaker will be Pricilla Singletary, Representative from the Carolina Power and Light Company in Henderson, who will speak on Employment Through Electric Living.

Fine Arts Exhibit to be at Butner on November 8 from 1:00 P. M. to 5:00 P. M. and Open House at O'Berry School on November 15.

Club members were urged to sell the fruit cakes which had arrived. Mrs. Lamar Green is chairman of the sale of cakes.

Plans were made for the December meeting. Mrs. R. C. Whitfield, chairman of Public Affairs Department, urged the club member to vote on Nov. 8.

During social hour, coffee, cake and nuts were served by Mrs. Floyd Bell and Mrs. Kay Morris.

The Community House was decorated with chrysanthemums, autumn leaves and greenery.

## LPN's Hear Missionary

Area 15 of the North Carolina Lincensed Practical Nurses Association met Friday night, November 5, at Granville Hospital in Oxford, North Carolina. Fifteen members were present and six guests. Local LPNs attending were Mesdames, Ophelia West, Virginia Williams, Hazel Isom, Margaret Driver and Misses Helen Bailey and Betty Wrenn.

Speaker for the evening, Mrs. Ruth Gillispie, a former missionary to China, was introduced by Mrs. Myrtle Garner. Mrs. Gillispie was in China more than twenty years ago for quite a while. She gave a most vivid and interesting description of conditions in China at that time, with special emphasis on sanitation.

Following the speaker, the business session was held. A secretary was appointed by the president to finish the term of Mrs. Leola P. Davis who recently moved to Washington,

## Engagement Announced



BERNICE CAROL JOYCE

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Terry Joyce of Danville, Virginia announces the engagement of their daughter, Bernice Carol, of Chapel Hill, North Carolina to Durwood Stone Pegram of Henderson, North Carolina, son of Rev. and Mrs. McKinley Alvin Pegram of Franklinville, North Carolina. Miss Joyce attended Averett College, Danville, Virginia, and is presently employed at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Mr. Pegram attended Atlantic Christian College, Wilson, North Carolina, and is now employed by the Franklin County Board of Education.

A December 17th wedding is planned.

## Mrs. Davis Hostess

The Wesleyan Service Guild met Monday, Nov. 7, at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. George Davis and Mrs. Elton Dillard as co-hostess.

The President, Mrs. E. F. Thomas, presided. The meeting was opened with the Guild Hymn and a prayer offered by Mrs. E. F. Griffin.

During the business session the secretary and treasurer reports were read and approved. A report was also given on the Note-card project. Mrs. Leslie Tharrington gave

## Mrs. J. H. Talton Hostess To Louisburg Garden Club

"Christ In Christmas Decorating" was the theme of an interesting program presented to members of Louisburg Garden Club on Thursday, November 3. Mrs. L. F. Oxnevad set the mood for the coming holiday season with slides and commentary. Members looked and listened as she gave many helpful suggestions for decorating the home in the modern and traditional way.

Each person has different tastes and a different type of home which calls for decorations that suit our individuality, so decide on the theme; begin with the yard, a design for the front door and then carry the same theme throughout the house. Just remember good decorating principles and enjoy your job.

The first in "Christ for Christmas" decorating could be started with the Advent wreath which begins the last Sunday in November. This tradition dates back to the fourth century and originated in Scandinavia. The wreath consists of candles; for Christ the Light of the World; evergreens, for everlasting life; and the circle, for eternity. There are four candles; one candle to be lighted for each Sunday in Advent.

As the last week arrives, add to your gay decorations a reminder of the true meaning of Christmas-Christ's birth. This may be a Madonna used in some form of decoration be it in a modern or traditional way.

The Christmas tree, is a comparatively new Christmas idea. The first Christmas was created in Danville, Virginia, by Mrs. Frances Spencer who used the idea for a church decoration.

The tree (a cedar) is decorated with small white lights

and the Chrismos are made in white and gold. Each Chrismos is a symbol of Christ. Since 1957 the Chrismontree has been used by churches in forty states and ten foreign countries.

The Club President, Mrs. John Mills presided over the business session. She reported on attending a Symposium on Forest Utilization and a work shop or furniture design held in Raleigh. The speaker urged everyone to plant hard wood trees as well as pines.

The Garden Club will sponsor the Christmas Decoration Contest again this year and they urge everyone to make their home more beautiful for your one enjoyment as well as for other people.

Mrs. Fred Leonard was co-hostess with Mrs. Talton-Russian tea, sandwiches and nut cake was served to members upon arrival.



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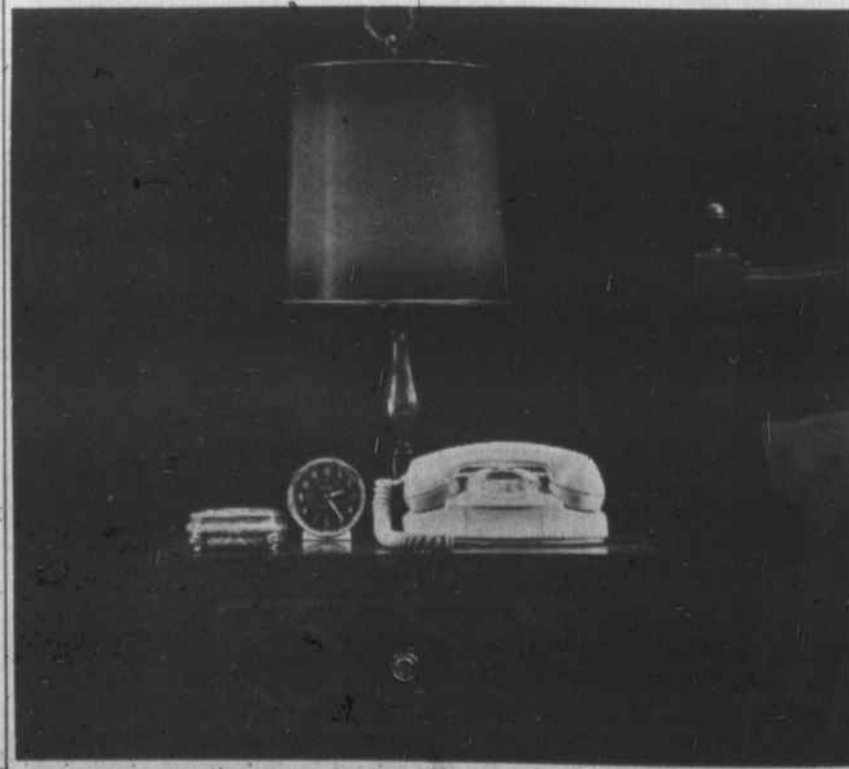
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