

Society

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ANNOUNCEMENT PARTY

of interest to their many friends in this section of the State is the recent announcement of the engagement of Miss Mary Hart Cranmer to Mr. Rudolph Mintz, the wedding to take place in the Southport Methodist Church on May 18.

Formal announcement was made at a party at the Cranmer home Friday afternoon, April 10. E. H. Cranmer, mother of the bride-to-be, was charming guests were received by Messrs. E. H. Arrington and Arthur Doshier. The music room, dining room and library of the Cranmer home were thrown open.

After guests had been seated, H. C. Carlotte sang, "Love's Sweet Song" and Mrs. Lenard Yaskell sang "Believe Me If Those Endearing Young Arms". The piano accompaniments were by Mrs. I. B. Bustles. Following this musical interlude, Miss Cranmer and Mrs. Harlow L. Mintz, mother of the bride-to-be, entered the room together. It was then that the announcements were read.

Refreshments were served by friends of Miss Cranmer. More than a hundred guests were present.

Miss Cranmer is the attractive daughter of Judge and Mrs. E. Cranmer, of Southport. She was educated at the Southport College and at the University of Chicago. She received her bachelor's degree in piano from the latter institution. Miss Cranmer is an accomplished musician and is a popular member of the Southport social circles.

Mr. Mintz is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Mintz of Charlotte. He was educated at the University of North Carolina State College, where he graduated with a degree in Civil Engineering. He is now serving his third term as Register of Deeds for Brunswick County.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF ENGAGEMENT

Newport News, Va., and Washington, D. C., newspapers have had the following social news that will be of interest to friends in Southport:

Major and Mrs. R. V. Cramer, Fort Monroe, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Frances Cramer, to Lieut. John Stevens. Miss Cramer was educated from Western high school and was a student at the American University, Washington, D. C. She is the grand daughter of Brigadier General T. H. Stevens, retired, of Washington, D. C.

Lieutenant Stevens is from New Bern, and was graduated from the United States Military Academy, class of 1934.

John Stevens is the son of C. Stevens, of Southport, and the Leah Jones Stevens. For many years he has made his home with his uncle and aunt, R. DuVal Jones and Mrs. Jones, at New Bern. He graduated from New Bern high school, and two years at the Citadel, Charleston, S. C., and graduated West Point in June, 1934. Last September he was assigned to duty at Fort Monroe, where he is now. Last July and August, he spent several weeks holding sessions in life saving in Craven and Pamlico counties, the courses being a rigid training and very successful in results to the young people who entered this work.

During his last year at West Point he was cheer leader at the athletic contests of the Academy. He is so well known, will extend the most sincere best wishes and congratulations.

WILT EXHIBIT

A quilt exhibit, under the auspices of the Southport Woman's Club, was held at the home of Joe Young, Sr., Wednesday afternoon.

More than 50 beautiful quilts and bedspreads were on display. Several of the articles were more than 100 years old and have been handed down for several generations in local families. There was a resting history in connection with several of the exhibits.

There were five exhibitions of the exhibit and first and second prize ribbons were awarded. First prize for old quilts was won by Miss Annie Mae Wood and second prize in this class was won by Miss Margaret Parkhill. First prize for the best new quilt was won by Dick Brendle and second prize in this group was won by Hubert Livingston.

First prize for the prettiest silk quilt was won by Miss Margaret Parkhill and second prize was

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Plaxco have just returned from Clover, S. C., where they have been spending a few days with Mr. Plaxco's parents.

J. R. Hood and J. Berg spent Tuesday in Raleigh attending the Masonic Grand Lodge meeting.

Mrs. Jack Christian and boys were Wilmington shoppers Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Marshall and Mrs. Hattie Howey spent Wednesday in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. William McMillan, Miss Marie Calvin, and Major Lazarus attended the Easter Moravian Service in Winston-Salem during the week-end.

J. G. Christian has opened an office in the Hood building.

Mr. Victor Ruark, of Belhaven, was a recent visitor of A. H. Marshall.

Burnice Russ is working with the Geodetic Survey in Pennyan, N. Y.

Mrs. Coburn, of New York, is spending a few days with Mrs. R. B. Morse. This is Mrs. Coburn's first visit to Southport in 15 years. Friends of Mrs. Morse will be glad to learn that she is rapidly improving from a case of influenza.

Mrs. Grace Doshier and Robert Jones were visitors in Wilmington Friday.

Her many friends will be glad to see Mrs. J. W. Thompson home again. She has been visiting relatives in New York and Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Reese and daughter, Mary Ann, left Friday to spend the Easter holidays with Mrs. Reese's sister at Halifax.

The children of the J. D. Sutton neighborhood enjoyed a winter roast on the Sutton lawn Friday night.

Mrs. Charles Swan and daughters have moved from Atlantic Avenue to the former home of her brother on Howe Street.

Harry Doshier is now busy giving his home on Atlantic Avenue spring going-over and painting.

The pretty home of Miss Margaret Parkhill on Atlantic Avenue has just been brightened up with a coat of white paint.

The interior of the J. B. Ruark store on Moore Street has been given a spring cleaning and painting which makes it look very clean and pretty.

Seen parked along the streets in the past few days were many cars from distant states and quite a few visitors were walking around enjoying the beautiful trees.

Crady Arnold, who lives at the end of Brunswick Street, better known as "Lovers Lane," has launched his handsome new shrimp boat which he has been building for some weeks past.

The W. B. and S. Railroad station is being given an overhauling. Old box and passenger cars are being torn up and the yards are being given a general cleaning.

The handsome new home of Dr. W. S. Doshier, on the corner of Moore and Atlantic Streets, is rapidly being completed inside and out.

Among those spending the week-end in town were, Miss Elizabeth Guthrie, Mrs. Joe Young, Jr., and Mr. Edward Newton, who have positions in Whiteville.

Tuesday evening. Several progressions of bridge gave Miss Victoria Maran high score prize. Mrs. Willie Davis cut the consolation prize.

Miss Carr served potato salad, pickles and saltines and coffee. Those enjoying Miss Carr's hospitality were: Misses Mercedes Watts, Victoria Maran, Gyndolyn St. George and Nancy Hood, Mesdames Preston Brown, W. S. Davis and Dan Harrelson.

MILLIONAIRES CLUB MEETS

The Millionaires Club was royally entertained in the home of Mr. H. M. Shannon Wednesday evening. Ten progressions of bridge were played with Mr. L. T. Yaskell winning high score and Mr. William Anderson second high score. Guests were served chicken salad and saltines, strawberry shortcake, whipped cream and coffee.

Council Meeting Held At Leland

Mrs. Dodson Re-Elected President Of The County Council Of Parent-Teacher Association; Interesting Program Presented

The Brunswick County Council of the Parent-Teacher Association met Saturday, April 6, at the Leland school.

At this meeting, Mrs. J. D. Dodson was re-elected president of the council, Mrs. John Stone was elected vice-president and Miss Elizabeth Taylor was elected secretary-treasurer.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Dodson. The opening song was "Come Thou Almighty King" and the devotional was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Sullivan, of Wilmington. Miss Hartsfield, of Wilmington,

Mr. Adrain Rhodes, of Wilmington, was a visitor in town on Good Friday.

Mrs. Hattie Stone and Miss Marion Ruark were visitors in town Friday afternoon.

Mr. B. M. Hornsby, local Real Estate and insurance agent, is giving his home, on the Bolivia road, a new coat of paint.

Many people have recently been at work in the cemetery cleaning and beautifying their lots for Easter.

Several college boys reported a good time at the Easter dance at Lake Waccamaw Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Radcliffe and Mrs. Annie Ferguson spent the past week-end with Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Broom, of Ayden.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Moore are visiting Mrs. Moore's mother at Lake Waccamaw for a few days.

Mrs. H. A. Tate, who has spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. L. J. Dawkins, is visiting in Southern Pines for a few days after which she will go back to her home in Old Fort.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert St. George and her mother, Mrs. J. B. Ruark, spent Easter Sunday in Wilmington with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stone.

Friends are sorry to learn that Mrs. W. G. Butler is ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Dye, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Robinson.

Miss Dorothy Robinson is home for the week-end. Miss Robinson owns and operates a Beauty Parlor in Raleigh.

George Bell is ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Emma Lind.

sang a solo, "My Task."

The welcome address was by Miss Bowden, of the Leland school faculty, and response was made by Mrs. Dodson. Mrs. Miller, president of the New Hanover County Council, made an interesting talk on "General Organization Work" and gave valuable information concerning council and local Parent-Teacher Association work.

Another vocal solo by Miss Hartsfield, "A Cottage Small by a Waterfall," was followed with a talk by Mrs. Sidbury, of Wilmington, state chairman of the Summer Round-up.

Minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. C. W. Shaw, secretary, and were approved by council members present. Reports for local Parent-Teacher Associations were made by the following members: For Southport, by Mrs. St. George; for Leland, by Mrs. Biggs; for Waccamaw, by Mrs. Dodson; and for Bolivia by Mr. Johnson.

Members of the nominating committee who submitted the names of the new officers were: Mr. Johnson, of Bolivia, Mrs. Biggs, of Leland, and Mrs. Cranmer, of Southport.

LEGION AUXILIARY GRANTED CHARTER

(Continued from page 1.) Shumway following an organization meeting which was held recently. At that time, Mrs. A. H. Marshall was elected president of the local Auxiliary, Mrs. James Carr was elected secretary and Mrs. F. M. Sasser was elected treasurer.

Other charter members are: Mesdames R. B. Moss, R. C. St. George, L. T. Yaskell, J. D. Erickson, W. C. Spencer, S. B. Frink, H. D. Williams and J. B. Potter.

Moving Two Wings Old School Building

Two rooms of the old Southport high school building are being torn away and moved to the Brunswick County Training School where they will be used as a vocational building by the colored students.

The rooms were recently given to the Training school by members of the Brunswick County Board of Education. Workers are being provided from the Relief Department and additional expenses are being met by the colored Parent-Teacher Association.

HOME FOR WEEK-END

Senator S. Bunn Frink and Representative R. E. Sentelle spent the week-end at their respective homes in Southport.

CORN-HOG CONTRACTS

Eighty-four applications for 1935 corn-hog contracts have been received at the office of the county agent and these applications are now before the state board of review. County Agent J. E. Dodson says that he is expecting checks for the third payment on the 1934 corn-hog contracts to arrive any time. Notice will be mailed to farmers when these checks arrive.

Sentelle Scores Prison Brutality

Criminal Negligence Blamed For Loss Of Feet By Two At Mecklenburg Camp

Raleigh, April 19.—Representative Sentelle of Brunswick, chairman of the house penal institutions committee informally told the group today that he thought special investigations made by the committee indicated that two negro convicts from Mecklenburg county had to have their feet amputated "due to the criminal negligence" of camp officials.

Sentelle informally discussed the proposed report of the committee.

He said Woodrow Wilson Shropshire and Robert Barnes, the short-term convicts who lost their feet after being confined in solitary cells in an upright position for several days, should be provided with artificial feet and given employment by the state.

Prison rules and regulations should be changed so that things which have happened in the past cannot occur in the future, Sentelle said.

A Mecklenburg county grand jury is now considering the indictment of several prison camp officials blamed for the amputation of the feet of the prisoners.

NEW OFFICE HOURS

The office of the Wilmington Production Credit Association at Supply will be open only on Saturday afternoons, according to Miss Mary Garrett, who is in charge of the office. Miss Garrett states, however, that she will be at her home in Southport at other times during the week and will receive applications there in a case of emergency.

IN DUKE HOSPITAL

R. E. Sentelle, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sentelle, Sr., of Southport, was taken Sunday to Duke Hospital, Durham, where he will remain some time for treatment.

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Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared James M. Harper, Jr., who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Editor and Manager of the State Port Pilot and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

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