

Highlands Highlights

MRS. H. G. STORY

School

Grounds Work Program Planned By P.T.A.

The Highlands P. T. A. is planning a landscaping program sometime in May for the new school grounds, the men to do the work of planting grass, trees, etc., and the women of the P. T. A. to prepare and serve the luncheon.

The exact date of this working has not been set, a member of the landscaping committee said, but it is to be held on a Saturday in May.

The grounds committee expressed the hope that committees may be organized in each community to assist in interesting all school patrons in the work of beautifying the school grounds.

MRS. STORY ENTERTAINS CARD CLUB AT LUNCHEON

Mrs. H. G. Story entertained members of her Card club with a luncheon at the Highlands cafe Wednesday of last week and a three-table bridge game at the Potts house, Mrs. Charles C. Potts won high score prize, Mrs. Frank H. Potts, second high, and Mrs. J. D. Harcombe the Bingo prize.

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Edwards have returned to Hotel Edwards, after a three months' stay at their winter home in Lakeland, Fla.

Miss Mary Bascom Cook, student at Wesleyan college, Macon, Ga., spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cook also had as their

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KNEPTON NAMED MUSEUM'S HEAD

Highlands Institution To Mark It's 25th Anniversary

James C. Knepton, assistant professor of biology, Wesleyan college, Macon, Ga., has been appointed curator of the Highlands Museum of Natural History for the coming year.

Mr. Knepton is a native of Thomasville, Ga. He attended Emory university and the University of Florida, receiving his B. S. and M. S. from the latter institution. He is a veteran of World War II, having served three and a half years in the navy.

In announcing the appointment of Mr. Knepton, Miss Howell, executive director of the Highlands Biological station, said the board of managers is highly pleased with Mr. Knepton's acceptance of the appointment and feel that his qualifications will enable him to do an outstanding job. Miss Howell added that Mr. Knepton has had experience in curatorial work, is well-trained in biology, and has been the recipient of two grants given jointly by Wesleyan college and the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching to study the turtles of Georgia.

The Highlands Biological station will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of its founding this summer, Miss Howell said, and special plans are now being made for the observance of this event.

The station will open its season June 1. The museum will be open to the public beginning June 15.

week-end guest, Miss Thelma Howell, head of the biology department at Wesleyan.

Mr. and Mrs. Neville Bryson and son, Neville, Jr., spent the week-end with Mr. Bryson's brother, Pfc. William Young Bryson, in Harrisburg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Crunkleton have returned to their home here, after spending the winter in Miami, Fla.

Eastern Star Installation Rite Is Held

An installation service for the newly elected officers of Highlands chapter 284, Order of the Eastern Star, was held Friday night in the Masonic hall, with Joe Wallin, past district deputy grand patron, of Dillsboro, as installing officer.

Others from the Dillsboro chapter assisting in the installation were Mrs. Doris Barrett, installing marshal, and Mrs. Alice Stanford, installing conductress; assisting also were Mrs. Genevieve Wright, installing chaplain and Mrs. Lula Norton, secretary, from the Glenville chapter. Mrs. Agnes Calloway was installing organist.

Mrs. Mayme Hicks was installed as worthy matron of the Highlands chapter, and Wm. Slatery as worthy patron. Other officers installed were associate matron, Miss Ethel Callo-

Lt. Fulton Given Marine Corps Post At Texas Station

Second Lt. Samuel J. Fulton, son of Mrs. M. L. Holt, of Highlands, recently reported to the Naval Auxiliary Air station, Kingsville, Tex., for jet pilot instruction, according to a navy announcement received here.

Lt. Fulton, who enlisted in the marine corps in 1948, received flight training at the Naval Air station, Pensacola, Fla., and was commissioned in January, 1952. He is a graduate of Franklin High school and attended N. C. State college prior to entering service.

way; associate patron, Lawrence Hicks; secretary, Dr. Jessie M. Hedden; treasurer, Mrs. Vernon Slatery.

Conductress, Mrs. Elizabeth Harbison; associate conductress, Mrs. Agnes Calloway; chaplain, Mrs. Eloise Potts; marshal, Tom Harbison; organist, Mrs. Octia Phillips; Adah, Mrs. Edna Whitmire; Ruth, Mrs. Tessie Rideout; Esther, Miss Dorothea Harbison; Martha, Mrs. Pearl Crowe; Electa, Mrs. Carolyn Nall; warder Henry Cleaveland; sentinel, Mrs. Annie Crunkleton.

Mrs. Porterfield Named Auxiliary President Again

Mrs. H. D. Porterfield was re-elected president of the Woman's auxiliary of the Episcopal Church of the Incarnation at a meeting last Thursday afternoon at the church.

Other reelected officers are Mrs. E. R. Gilbert, vice-president; Miss Katherine Jungerman, treasurer; and Miss Rebecca Nall, secretary.

Staff Leaf

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