



MRS. GRAHAM CULBRETH

Mrs. Culbreth To Preside At Drug Women's Meeting

Mrs. Graham Culbreth of Southern Pines, president, will preside over the 27th annual convention of the Woman's Auxiliary of the North Carolina Pharmaceutical Association when it meets at the Robert E. Lee Hotel, Winston-Salem, April 11-13.

During the meeting the ladies will be entertained at a luncheon at the Forsyth Country Club, a bridge party at the hotel, a tour of Old Salem, as well as a dance and a presidents' reception. At the business session, Dr. Robert R. Cadmus, Director of the N. C. Memorial Hospital at Chapel Hill, will be the guest speaker. Also at this session Mrs. Culbreth will give her president's report and recommendations.

The NCPA Woman's Auxiliary, largest organization of its kind in the United States, concerns itself with the promotion of various pharmaceutical projects. At the University of North Carolina, it maintains a scholarship for a student in the School of Pharmacy. It also has set up an emergency loan fund which lends small amounts of money to students who might be temporarily without funds for day-to-day expenses.

This group has also actively supported the Institute of Pharmacy, a building at Chapel Hill erected by contributions of druggists of North Carolina, substantially assisted by the Woman's Auxiliary.

In addition to the 500 state members of the organization, there are eleven local auxiliaries in towns throughout the state. These smaller groups also support the School of Pharmacy through individual scholarships and the Institute of Pharmacy through purchase of equipment. The individual members work in various health drives such as cancer, heart, tuberculosis, polio, etc. The current project of the Auxiliary is to assist the Pharmaceutical Association in obtaining funds from the General Assembly to erect a larger building for the School of Pharmacy on the University campus. Inasmuch as the shortage of pharmacists in North Carolina, brought about by lack of educational facilities, is working a tremendous hardship on those in practice, this is considered a major necessity.

Mrs. Culbreth served as first vice-president and membership chairman last year, before being elevated to the presidency. Serving with Mrs. Culbreth this year are Mrs. B. R. Ward, Goldsboro, first vice-president; Mrs. O. G. Duke, Jr., Raleigh, second vice-president; Mrs. R. L. White, Charlotte, secretary; Mrs. Sam Jenkins, Walstonburg, treasurer; Mrs. E. R. Fuller, Salisbury, historian; Mrs. Ralph Rogers, Durham, parliamentarian; Mrs. T. J. Ham, Jr., Yanceyville and Mrs. J. M. Darlington, Winston-Salem, advisors.

Lt. General A. R. Bolling is the maneuver director for the Army's first atomic defense maneuver, to be held at Fort Bragg.

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Teen-Age Youths Handed Suspended Sentences For Theft of Gasoline

Three teen-age youths who live between Carthage and Cameron were handed suspended sentences to the roads in Moore County re-records court Monday when they pled guilty to larceny of gasoline of less than \$50 value.

They were Edward Collier and Robie Ashburn, both 18, and Wayne Cook, 17. They were charged together in one case and, in another, Collier faced a separate charge. His address was given as Cameron, Route 1. The thefts were said to have taken place from vehicles at the Moore County Freezer Locker Co., and the Speer Brothers Mill, both in Carthage.

Collier was sentenced to six months in the case against him alone and to four months, along with the other two, for the offense in which they were all charged together, the sentences to run concurrently for Collier. Sentence for him was suspended on condition he deliver his automobile to be sold and not operate a car for the next three years, and pay costs.

The four months sentences for Ashburn and Cook were suspended on payment of the costs and on good behavior conditions, under supervision of a probation officer, until they are 21 years of age.

To Superior Court

Monroe Alford, 25-year-old Aberdeen Negro was bound over to Superior Court on a charge of assault with intent to commit rape, brought by his aunt, Mary Berry, also of Aberdeen, who had been charged by Alford with assault with a deadly weapon and engaging in an affray—charges of which she was found not guilty.

Alford was bound over under \$1,000 bond, after he and his aunt told conflicting stories of the incident, she asserting that he was attempting rape while he claimed he was only trying to defend himself against her attack on him with a razor she said she had been using to cut corn. Judge J. Vance Rowe then decided a jury ought to hear the case.

Liquor Case

Ransom Dowdy and Geneva Dowdy of Carthage were charged with possession of illegal whiskey for sale. Ransom pled guilty and was sentenced to four months on the roads, suspended on payment of \$75 fine and costs and on condition he not break the liquor laws during the next two years. Geneva pled not guilty and was found guilty in aiding and abetting and was sentenced to 30 days, suspended on payment of \$15 fine and costs, also with good behavior conditions during next two years.

Other Cases

Joe Foster, Pinehurst, driving without license, \$10; F. X. Credle, Vass, speeding 70, passing, pled guilty of exceeding 55-mile an hour speed limit, found guilty, \$30; Elmer Lee Coffin, Carthage, public drunkenness, \$15; James Garland Mattox, Fort Lee, Va., speeding 70, \$25; Kenneth Backwith, Middleburg, speeding 65, \$12.50; James J. Justice, Fort Bragg, speeding 59 in Army truck, \$15; Ed Faulkner, Carthage, Route 2, assault with deadly weapon inflicting serious injury, pled guilty of assault and battery, not guilty of other charge, plea accepted, three months on the roads, appeal to Superior court entered, bond set \$500.

Also: Charles Jordan, Marion, S. C., speeding in truck, \$12.50; Kenneth Norman Riley, Hillsboro, speeding in truck \$12.50; Ernest Bolling, Cameron, Route 1, drunk driving, 60 days or \$100, license to be revoked one year; Robert L. Tyner, Pinebluff, speeding 75, 30 days or \$40, license to be suspended; Clarence Jackson, Aberdeen, speeding 75, 30 days or \$40; Kenneth W. Martin, Fort Bragg, careless and reckless driving, no operator's license, 30 days or \$35, not to drive until he obtains license.

Also: R. E. Johnson, Jr., Fort Bragg, careless and reckless driving, accident and property damage, pled guilty to traffic violation, found guilty of exceeding speed limit in Southern Pines, not guilty of careless and reckless driving, pay costs and damage to street and culvert; John Henry Ross, Carthage, Route 3, careless and reckless driving, 30 days or \$25; Willie Roberts, Brooklyn, N. Y., unlawful possession illicit whiskey, \$10, sheriff ordered to destroy the whiskey; John Quincy Borden, Knightdale, Route 1, speeding 74, \$40; Mrs. Wade E. McDaniel, Alma, speeding 68, \$20; Norman Ray Maness, Pinehurst, speeding 70, \$25.

Also: Norman Ray Maness, Pinehurst, speeding 70, \$25; Charlie Robinson, Southern Pines, assault on wife, warrant found frivolous and malicious, prosecuting witness taxed with costs; Richard Mack Carroll, Niagara, abandonment and failure to support wife and children, pled not guilty, found not guilty (wife took chil-

dren away, the record noted, and said she hadn't talked with defendant about support); Willie Odell Ross, Southern Pines, disposing of mortgaged property, 60 days on roads, to begin at expiration of sentence defendant is now serving, suspended on return of watch or payment of balance due on it; Lacy Cullen Stutts, Hoffmann, speeding 85, pled not guilty, found guilty, three months or \$150, license revoked 12 months.

Also: Billy Carlyle, Carthage, Route 2, assault on wife, attempted assault with deadly weapon, pled nolo contendere, three months on roads, to run concurrently with another 60-day sentence which was ordered into effect Monday for failure to comply with a former judgment of the court; Joseph Donald Poole, Salisbury, speeding in truck, accident, pled not guilty, found guilty, \$15; Leonard Morgan, Carthage, Route, failure to stop at accident in which he was involved, pled not guilty, found guilty, with notation as well that there was property damage in the accident, 30 days or \$25; Ira Fletcher Hall, Carthage, Route, drunken driving, not guilty; Oscar McGill, alias Oscar Dunlap, Pinehurst, drunkenness and resisting an officer, pled nolo contendere, 60 days or \$25 and be of good behavior for 12 months.

Information On Parking Sought By Study Group

Questionnaires about parking in the business district will be distributed by a volunteer group of about 30 Boy Scouts in an effort to aid the Citizens Advisory Committee in making recommendations to the town council about the town's parking problems. Fred Brindley is chairman of the committee's sub-committee on parking.

Business owners will be asked to give answers to five questions, as well as give any suggestions or comments they have, said Tom E. Cunningham, city manager, who signed the letter to be distributed. If the questionnaire cannot be answered immediately, Scouts will return to pick it up later in the week.

The five questions are:

1. How many employees, including yourself, do you have who drive their cars to work?
2. How many other vehicles are used in the conduct of your business?
3. What is the total number of off-street parking spaces that you provide?
4. How many additional spaces could you provide?
5. Where do the vehicles in 1 and 2 above park at present?

INS AND OUTS

Dr. and Mrs. G. B. F. Traylor of Norfolk, Va., were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Traylor, on Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fogle Clark of Asheville came recently to visit his mother, Mrs. Bessie Clark. He returned, but Mrs. Clark is remaining for a longer stay.

Lt. Ryan and Mrs. Pat Ryan left for West Virginia Tuesday for a visit of several days. Mrs. Ryan's parents will return to Southern Pines with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Pace of Maxton were supper guests of Misses Helen Butler and Lurline Willis Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. David P. Morrison went to Louisville, Ky., Tuesday by Piedmont plane to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burns until today (Friday). Their son, Reefus, is spending the time with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Fyler visited friends in town from Friday until Sunday, stopping over en route home to West Simsbury, Conn., from Babson Park, Fla.

Mrs. Eunice Hite of Fort Mill, S. C., was a weekend guest of Mrs. James Douglas, coming for the races. Mrs. Douglas entertained at two tables of bridge in her honor on Saturday night.

Recent guests of Mrs. Melissa Hodnett were her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ballenger of Charlotte, also a nephew, Jesse E. Aiken of Washington.

Mrs. Irene D. Hussey and son-in-law, Ray Schilling, went to Boone for a weekend visit and brought Mrs. Schilling back after a week's stay with her sister, Mrs. Robert F. Hearn, and Mr. Hearn, who moved to the mountain town about a month ago from Southern Pines. She had accompanied the Hearn home after a weekend stay in the Hussey-Schilling home here.

Alleged Mistreatment of Young Woman Investigated By Welfare Department

The Moore County Welfare Department is investigating reports of mistreatment of Rossie Morgan, a 25-year-old indigent and mentally retarded white woman who last week ran away from a farm home, between Clay Road Farms and Vass. She had been placed on the farm by the Lee County Welfare Department, under supervision of the Moore Department, to live and work on the farm in return for her board and keep.

Welfare officials described the young woman as having the mentality of a 10-year-old child, according to an examination given her by a psychologist when application was made to get her into Caswell Training School several years ago.

Also living and working at the farm are her sister and the sister's grown child, both also of limited mentality, it was stated.

The young woman is now at the Lee County Home, where she, her sister and niece had stayed before they were sent to live with the Moore County family. The sister and niece remain with the Moore County family. All three of the trio were originally from upper Moore County. Applications were made for institutional care for all of them, said Mrs. W. B. Cole, superintendent of the Moore Welfare Department, several years ago, but no room was found for them in an institution.

They were put out to live and work first in Moore County, then went to Lee County with the people they were working for and later were put under the care of the Lee Welfare Department at the county home there. On application of the Moore County family for their services, they were returned to Moore County about eight months ago.

Letter Sent

The case came to public attention when a letter was sent to The Pilot by a Moore County resident, who asked that his name be withheld, describing reported mistreatment of Rossie Morgan and the other two indigent boarders at the farm, as related by Rossie after she ran away to the home of a neighbor.

The letter said that Rossie was "put to hard labor cutting pulp wood and loading pulp wood on a truck" and was required to do heavy farming labor. When she ran away she was quoted as telling a neighbor that she would go to jail rather than go back to the home where she had been.

She was quoted as saying that cows were milked daily at the farm but that she was not allowed to have milk. When the family had chicken stew she was not per-

Pays Tribute To Late Miss Faith Garland

The following resolutions, in memory of Miss Faith Garland, have been adopted by Magnolia Chapter 26, Order of the Eastern Star:

"Our Father, in His infinite wisdom, has caused another link to be taken from our chain of members."

"Sister Faith Garland came to our chapter by affiliation from Aurora Grate Chapter No. 207, Brooklyn, N. Y., on December 5, 1932 and left us to enter eternal rest on February 25, 1934.

"The years of her life were rich and full and though her stay with us was for such a short time we know that her life has been an inspiration to many by her beautiful Christian character."

"Therefore, be it resolved, first, that we question not the Divine Will of our Father who gave us the assurance that he who believeth on Me shall never die."

"Second, that we extend our love and sympathy to the bereaved family and commend them to God for His comfort and guidance."

"Third, that a copy of these resolutions be recorded with Magnolia Chapter, a copy be sent to the family and a copy to The Pilot for publication."

"And as our tribute this we pay to that dear friend who might not stay, through pearly gates once more ajar, we'll send the greeting of our Star."

Resolution submitted by Alice Thomas, Vera Sitterson and Bess Ward.

Homewood Gardens Will Be Displayed

Homewood Gardens, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Dennison K. Bullens of Knollwood, will be opened to the public on Palm Sunday, April 11, with an admission charge for benefit of the Moore County Hospital Auxiliary. The gardens will be on display between 2 and 5:30 p. m.

Many visitors to the Sandhills and others from throughout the State are expected to witness the display of Spring blossoms at the gardens, along with residents of this area.

Terraces and shaded walks surround the Bullens home. In the gardens are carefully planned color arrays of rare shrubs, dogwoods, azaleas and camellias.

mitted to have any, she was quoted as saying. Her legs were described in the letter as scratched and bruised and her hands as calloused and hardened. The letter said that the sister and niece were given the same treatment as was given to Rossie.

Investigation Made

Mrs. Cole told The Pilot that, after Rossie was brought to the Welfare Department and had been returned to the Lee County home, she herself went to the Moore County family to investigate the case. She learned that the women had been required to cut wood while a pasture was being cleared. She said that she told the farmer this was not fit work for women to do. She reported that the sister and niece said they wished to remain at the farm and that they considered it the best home they had ever had.

In the eight months the three women had been at the farm, Mrs. Cole said, the Welfare Department had had no complaints about treatment of the girls. The writer of the letter told The Pilot that it was because of complaints from other neighbors that the case had come to his attention.

Mrs. Cole said that the Welfare Department had checked the three boarders at the farm twice in the eight months, but said she could not give the date of the last inspection and did not have a written report of its findings. She said that indirect reports had come to the department that the three mentally deficient women were getting along all right.

Denied Mistreatment

She said that members of the family at the farm had denied they had mistreated the woman who ran away. Mrs. Cole said that at one time the young woman had had pellagra and that as a result of this she sometimes has a "breaking-out" on her legs that

might be interpreted as bruises and scratches.

On Wednesday of this week Mrs. Myrtle D. McCallum, case worker with the Moore Welfare Department, again visited the farm. Mrs. Cole said, Thursday, that she reported the sister and niece repeated their desire to remain there. She said that, in checking on the situation, Mrs. McCallum spoke to three neighbors who said that they had seen the women cutting pulp wood and "felt like they did work awfully hard." Members of the farm family said the girls had been asked to do no more work than members of the family did, Mrs. Cole said.

Report To Be Made

Mrs. Cole said that a report of these findings would be made to the Lee County Welfare Department through which the women were placed in Moore County. The Moore County Welfare Department's function in the case has been supervisory, she said.

Mrs. McCallum reported, Mrs. Cole said, that the two women remaining at the home were in the kitchen washing dishes, along with a member of the family, when she made her Wednesday inspection. She said they seemed to have ample clothing.

The writer of the letter to The Pilot said, "This situation should not be permitted in this county. . . it appears that a more accurate check should be kept in this type of case."

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