Women's Activities

and Sandhills Social Events BESSIE CAMERON SMITH, Editor

Miss Suzann Burns And John E. French Wed In Conway, S. C.

Mrs. George C. Burns of Southern Pines announces the marriage of her daughter, Suzann, to Edgar Jackson Venable. John Emmett French, Sunday, May 27, in Kingston Presbyterian Church, Conway, S. C.

The bride, whose father was the late Colonel Burns, is a graduate of Mars Hill Junior College. She attended Woman's College of the University of North Carolina ated and music was presented by in Greensboro, and was a member of the office staff of Amerotron Corporation in Aberdeen calist.

Mr. French, son of Mrs. Emmett French of Myrtle Beach, S. C., (until recently of Southern Pines) and the late Mr. French, was graduated from Woodbury school and the University of North Carolina. He is now in the sporting goods business at Myrtle Beach. Mr. and Mrs. French have an

apartment at Myrtle Beach.

Lewis Pate Will Return To Thailand After Vacationing Here

Lewis Pate, who makes his home with his sister and brotherin-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woodruff, of 765 South Ashe Street, left by train Sunday night for Washington, D. C., where he will be in consultation during the last week before his return by plane to Thailand. He had been in and out of town, visiting relatives and friends, since April. His

brother James resides here, also. Mr. Pate joined the Foreign Service in February 1954 and was assigned as a Provincial Public Affairs officer in the northeast border area of Thailand. He spent two years at this post. During his tour of duty, he was promoted to Regional Public Affairs officer and will transfer to the United States Information Service headquarters in Bangkok to assume this new position.

The Des Plands **Attend Christening** Of Their Grandchild

Capt. and Mrs. L. A. Des Pland spent Sunday in Hamlet with their daughter and her family, going especially to attend the christening of their granddaughter, Sheila Bridget Snow Gib bons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Gibbons of Hamlet. Mrs. Gibbons is the former Aimee

Savage Des Pland. day at the All Saints Episcopal Boiling Springs Circle, Southern Church in Hamlet by the Rev. Pines. Harry Cobey, preceding the Gue morning worship service.

Her godmothers are Mrs. James the former Phyllis Vreeland whose father is postmaster at Pope Air Force Base, and Mrs. father is the Very Rev. James S. itary service at Scofield Barracks Cox, former rector of the Rockingham-Hamlet parish and now dean of St. Andrews Cathedral in Honolulu, T. H., for whom Wilson Land served as proxy.

At 4:30 Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Gibbons entertained at they did their first one in 1926. a reception at the Woman's Club building in honor of their daughter. In the receiving line in addition to the child's mother were Plans Interesting Mrs. Land and Mrs. Roberts, the godmothers, and Mrs. Des Pland, the maternal grandmother. Also greeting guests were the baby's father and the grandfather, Capt. Des Pland.

The refreshment table was overlaid with a handmade lace cloth in shamrock design. A silver punch bowl and tray were used, and floral decorations for the table and throughout the house were in pink and white. A large number of friends attended.

Cameron Home Is Scene of Birthday Dinner Honoring Two

Mrs. J. B. Cameron and daughter Mrs. Eveleth Richardson en-Gilmores Entertain tertained at a birthday dinner at At July Fourth Party their home in Manly Sunday honoring Mrs. Cameron's daughter Mrs. Louis Honeycutt of tertained at cocktails yesterday Southern Pines and daughter-in- afternoon at a Fourth of July law, Mrs. John Cameron of Ashe-

Together for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Cameron, Linda and Johnny, of Asheboro, Mr. and Mrs. Honeycutt, their three chilhostesses, the Richardson family co-hostess, at 8 p.m. Tuesday (note ton, Mrs. S. A. Benson, and Mrs. For the past three summers, she Mr. and Mrs. Prah will reside in and Joe Cameron.

MARY KATHERINE PAGE AND MR. VENABLE

EXCHANGE WEDDING VOWS IN HIGH POINT In the chapel of Green Street and Judith Jessup. all of Eliza-Baptist Church in High Point bethtown. They wore sheer white Sunday afternoon, Miss Mary dresses over blue and carried Katherine Page was married to nosegays of blue and white flow-The flower girl, Miss June

The bride is the daughter of Marie Jessup, of Elizabethtown, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Berry Page of Vass. Mr. Venable's parents Bell of Tabor City was ring bearare Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Marvin Venable of High Point.

The Rev. G. T. Tunstall offici-Miss Betty Ann Sain, organist, and Miss Betty Jean Floyd, vo-

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a waltz-length High Point. dress of embroidered tulle over taffeta with an illusion veil attached to an open-crown headpiece. She carried a white pray- a navy linen sheath dress with erbook, gift of her grandparents, white accessories. topped with a white orchid.

Miss Deloris Dodson of Sandy from Vass-Lakeview High School Ridge was maid of honor and as valedictorian in the class of bridesmaids were Miss Marie 1952. Both she and the bride-Venable of High Point, sister of groom are graduates of High the bridegroom, and the bride's Point College. They will make cousins, Misses Caroline, Peggy their home in Greensboro.

DORIS ANNETTE SEAWELL OF CARTHAGE IS BRIDE OF JOHN WILLIAM FRYE, JR.

Bethlehem Baptist Church was and fern. the scene Saturday of the wedding of Miss Doris Annette Sea- E. H. Vest, Jr., cousin of the

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lendo Jackson Season of Mr. and Mrs. John William Frye of Pinehurst.

Prior to the ceremony, Mrs. Claud Kennedy, organist, and Miss Mary Jane Martin presented program of music.

Given in marriage by her fathcarried a white Bible covered with orchids and showered with stepnanotis, white satin and lace.

Miss Betty Jean Frye was maid of honor and Mrs. J. C. Crouse, cousin of the bride, was matron of Raleigh.

Guests included the Kings'

After a delicious charcoal-

broiled chicken dinner, an appro-

wedding cake was presented to

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well and John William Frye, Jr. bride, Miss Nancy Frye, Miss The Rev. E. M. Walker of Camp- Carlotta Maples and Miss Violet well of Carthage. Mr. Frye is the wore aqua crystalette ballerina- ert O. Royall. length dresses and carried bou-

wore a white net dress. Ronnie

Raynard Clay attended Mr.

Venable as best man. Ushers

were Robert Henry Jessup of

Elizabethtown, cousin of the bride; Charles Shelton of Mount

Airy, cousin of the bridegroom;

Pete Rush and Donald Isom, of

A reception was held in the

Mrs. Venable was graduated

church parlor following the cere-

mony. For travel, the bride wore

the groom, was ring bearer. best man. Ushers were W. D.

er, the bride wore a dress of Sabiston III, L. J. Seawell, Jr., ferns, baskets of mixed white with white accessories and a corwhite crystalette and lace. The brother of the bride, N. L. Mc- flowers with gladioli predomina- sage of pink orchids. Dr. McLeod, fingertip veil of illusion was at- Rainey and Tommy Medlin of ting, and candelabra holding the bridegroom's mother, was tached to a fitted lace bonnet or- Laurinburg, and H. W. Frye and lighted tapers. namented with seed pearls. She Jackie Jackson, cousins of the groom, of Columbia, S. C. Mrs. Frye is a 1956 graduate of the ceremony.

Carthage High School. Mr. Frye will be a senior in engineering at N. C. State College,

honor. They wore crystalette bal- | Following the ceremony, the ice and bouffant skirt ending in a | with a lace cloth and held a cenlerina-length dresses and carried parents of the bride entertained chapel train. Her veil of silk il- terpiece of orchids. The ornately His address is 1403 Ocean Boule- family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lynn, cascade bouquets of shasta daisies at a reception at their home. | lusion was attached to a cloche decorated wedding cake was en- vard, and he asks that any local Buzzie, and Ricky Lynn, of Balti-

Mrs. Fred Smith Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Elected To Important Honor the Kings On Wedding Anniversary Post In California

Mrs. Fred Smith, the former Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Johnson Elizabeth (Libby) Rudel McClure, gave a surprise dinner party at their home Saturday evening, daughter of Mrs. C. M. Rudel of June 30, in celebration of the Pinehurst, has been elected na-Baby Sheila Bridge Snow Gib-bons, born Feb. 18 of this year, 30th wedding anniversary of Mr. tional Democratic committeewomwas christened at 9:30 a. m. Sun- and Mrs. Mark J. King, Jr., of an for the State of California. Mrs. Smith, who lives in Kent

field, in Marin County across the Golden Gate bridge from, San daughter and her family, Mr. and Francisco, spent several weeks Mrs. Leland Daniels, Jr., and lit- with her mother in Pinehurst this B. Roberts of Falls Church, Va., tle Karen Lee Daniels, Mr. and spring. She has been serving as Mrs. Joe N. Steed and Mrs. Wil- chairman of the Marin County liam Israel. Mark J. King III, Democratic committee and will be a delegate from the State at only son of the honorees, was un-Wilson Land of Hamlet. Her god- able to be present as he is in mil- the Democratic national convention to be held in Chicago in Au-

Barneys And Mrs. Swett priately decorated three-tiered Visit At Weymouth

the honored couple, who cut it as Marshall Barney joined Mrs. Barney for the Fourth of July holiday, arriving from Richmond, Va., Tuesday night.

Mrs. Barney and Mrs. James B. Swett, her mother, are visiting Mrs. Jams Boyd at Weymouth, but plan to leave for Rocky Wives Club of the Air-Ground Mount within a few days. Mrs. School will be held on the second Barney is closing up their house and fourth Wednesdays of the there preparatory to moving to Prah of Klagenfurt, Austria, was month, at 7:30 p.m., the club announces. An invitation to attend is extended to give of all orbits.

Richmond where Mr. Barney has solemnized Friday morning, June Yugoslavia. While a student at 29, in the Main Base Chapel, Graz University in Austria, he is extended to wives of all enlist- as head of the Virginia office of ed personnel at the Air-Ground the Social Security Administra-School, Pope AFB, and Fort tion.

Interesting programs have been Mrs. Ralph Mills arranged for these meetings. On Is Shower Hostess Wednesday night, July 11, Mary For Two Honoroes Merita will show colored slides of For Two Honorees

Mrs. Ralph Mills entertained a Germany. At the July 25th meetshower Wednesday night honor- she carried a prayer book centering, Margaret Nance, hair stylist of Vogue Beauty Shop, will discuss and demonstrate the latest ing Mrs. Joe Kimball and Mrs. ed with green cymbidium orchids. hair styles.

Alf Richey Summer flowers were used to decorate the living Va., was matron of honor, and was British Occupation Forces until he attired in a lemon yellow pima came to the United States in 1951 Alf Richey. Summer flowers room, and refreshments emphasized a pink and blue color note. Cake iced in these colors, mints, Mr. and Mrs. Voit Gilmore en-

nuts and Coke were served. Each honoree received many dainty layette gifts from a bundle brought in by Mr. Stork. Guests, in addition to the honorees, were: Mrs. Anna Patch

Blue, Mrs. Florence Edwards, Southern Pines, being the widow education at George Washington Mrs. Nancye McLellan, Mrs. C. A. Maready, Miss Delores Maready, while serving as pastor of the ing in the 48th Fighter Interceptor Mrs. J. A. Ferguson, Mrs. Charles Church of Wide Fellowship here. Squadron, Langley Air Force The Learn More Bible Class will Mrs. J. A. Ferguson, Mrs. Charles Douglas Honeycutt and three meet at the home of Mrs. Nellie Davis, Mrs. A. E. Cheatham, Miss She was educated at Elon College Base, Va. children of Memphis. Tenn., the Mann, with Mrs. A. S. Ruggles as Mary Wintyen, Mrs. Kate Coving- and William and Mary College. Joe Bennett.



CEREMONY AT JAMES ISLAND CHURCH UNITES MISS MESSERVY, MR. McLEOD

and Robert Franklin McLeod worn by the matron of honor. bell College, Buies Creek, offici- Monsinger. Junior bridesmaids were united in marriage in a cerwere: Carolyn Seawell, cousin of emony Saturday, June 23, per- ern Pines attended his brother the bride, and Jeanie Seawell, sis- formed at the James Island Pres- as best man. Ushers were Robert ter of the bride. The attendants byterian Church by Bishop Rob- McLeod Henderson, a cousin of

girl and Jimmy Frye, brother of bridegroom is the son of Dr. Vida and Howard Lowe of Charleston. C. McLeod of Southern Pines and The bridegroom's father was the late Dr. Walter Guy McLeod. Mrs. Messervy chose a blue lace The church was decorated with gown, worn over blue taffeta,

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a church educational building folgown of Chantilly lace over tulle lowing the ceremony. The main Ray. and satin, styled with fitted bod- refreshment table was covered of lace ornamented with seed circled with orchids. pearls and sequins, and she carwhite orchid.

of lace and bouffant skirt of tulle Charleston. with an overskirt of lace and ruffles. She wore a matching lace the couple will be at home at Air jacket and carried a colonial bou- Harbor, S. C. quet of mixed spring flowers, with matching flowers in her

Bridesmaids were Miss Carolyn Walters and Miss Margaret Phil- were: Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Bryson lips, both of Charleston, S. C., and children of Greenville, S. C. Miss Alice Whaley of Edgewater Mr. and Mrs. Alton C. Greene Park, and Miss Cecilia Seabrook Mrs. Marcus Allen and daughter, of James Island, a cousin of the Peggy, Mrs. G. P. Henderson and bride. Miss Barbara Messervy, a Robert McLeod Henderson, all of sister of the bride, was junior Maxton; Mr. and Mrs. Charles bridesmaid. Their gowns were Cooley, Raleigh; Mr. and Mrs. Q. similar to that of the honor at- W. Williams, Laurinburg; Dr. and tendant, Miss Whaley's of maize Mrs. Q. W. Messervy and Dr. and color, Mrs. Walters in blue, Miss Mrs. Jack Rhodes, Summerville, Phillips in orchid, and Miss Sea- S. C.; and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil L. brook in Nile green. The junior Oswald, Los Angeles, Calif.

Miss Carolyn Jean Messervy bridesmaid wore pink, the color Alexander C. McLeod of Souththe bridegroom, of Maxton; Cecil The bride is a daughter of Mr. L. Oswald, Jr., a cousin of the quets of shasta daisies and fern. and Mrs. Luder Cadow Msservy bride, of Los Angeles, Calif.; AlTuesday of last week until Monof Lakeview, left Sunday to
Miss Cindy Booker was flower of John's Island, S. C. and the ton C. Greene, Jr., of Maxton,
day. The two families went to spend some time with her.

For her daughter's wedding dressed in mauve pink lace fash-A program of organ and vocal ioned with bouffant skirt. She selections was presented prior to wore white accessories and a spray of baby orchids.

A reception was held in the

The bride is a student at St. ried a prayer book topped with Andrew's School, where she will resume her studies in the fall. Mrs. J. R. Bryson of Greenville The bridegroom was graduated was matron of honor. Her gown of from Duke University in Dur-Chantilly lace and tulle was fash- ham and is now associated with ioned with a shirred strapless top Esso Standard Oil Company in

After a wedding trip to Florida A number of friends from

Southern Pines attended, as reported in last week's issue. Among other out-of-town guests

MRS. JUNE JOY HOUSE WEDS MR. PRAH, FORMERLY OF AUSTRIA, IN VIRGINIA The marriage of Mrs. June Joy Elon College's Summer School,

House, granddaughter of Mrs. Wil- and in the winter, has been a liam B. Baken of Newport News, Va., and Alexander Charles Prah, Newport News Cerebral Palsy son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Training Center. The Rev. John Anderton, chap-

Headquarters, officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

street-length dress, made princess style with a sweetheart neckline, over peau de soie. Her accessories were brown straw lace and and silk dress with green accesso-

ries. She carried a small nosegay of summer flowers. Chester Ted Ashby of Warwick, Va., served Mr. Prah as best man.

Mr. Prah is a native of Slovenia,

become a member of a work batlain for Tactical Air Command talion on the Russian front. He fled to his homeland as the collapse of Nazi Germany became The bride wore an original mod- imminent and joined the Yugoslav el champagne Chantilly lace Partisans, with whom he fought until the end of the war. After Tito came into power, his family refused to accept the political ideology of Tito's regime and they were forced to flee to Austria. Mr. Prah, who is a linguist, served as an English interpreter with the as a political exile.

In 1952 he joined the United States Air Force and served in Korea and Japan, under the Far Eastern Command. During this A wedding breakfast at Vic time, he became an American citi-Zodda's restaurant followed the zen. He has been on missions to Pakistan, India, Saudi Arabia and The bride is well known in Egypt. He received his American of Dr. Robert Lee House, who died University. At present he is serv-

After a wedding trip to Canada,

MRS. BARBARA QUEEN COMBS BECOMES BRIDE OF LT. BRAY IN CHURCH RITES

In a pink and white setting at sage was white carnations. 1, Mrs. Barbara Queen Combs be-came the bride of Lt. Francis home, which was decorated with 1, Mrs. Barbara Queen Combs be-James W. Hamilton conducting white. the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Bray of Vulcane, the bride and groom had cut the

baskets of pink and white gladioli Troutman served the cake and and candelabra holding white tapers. The family pew was the punch bowl. Mints and nuts marked with white flowers and were served also. satin ribbon.

marches were used.

riage by her father. She wore a for Germany, where Lieutenant white waltz-length dress of tulle with lace apron effect and small out-of-town guests were: Mr. with lace apron effect and small satin streamers. Miss Jeanette Phillips of Green- Social Courtesy ville, S. C., was the maid of honor

Her dress was of pink tulle and honored with a miscellaneous she carried a bouquet of mixed shower. Hostesses were Mrs. J. flowers with lavender streamers. D. Mangum, Mrs. Leon Wylie, and ushers were two members of Troutman, Mrs. Walter Alpert,

the Pinebluff Methodist Church at Following the wedding cere-2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, July mony the bride's parents enter-

Bray, with the pastor, the Rev. floral arrangements of pink and The table was covered with a lace cloth and centered with an and Mrs. Odell Combs and the arrangement of pink and white bridegroom is the son of the late gladioli, flanked by candles. After

first slice in traditional manner, Church decorations consisted of Mrs. J. L. Miller and Mrs. Paul

For her wedding trip to the Mrs. W. K. Carpenter, Jr., pre- mountains of North Carolina the sented a program of organ music. bride changed to a black princess Miss Mary Lou Troutman as solo- dress with white collar and white ist sang "Because" and "O Prom-ise Me." The traditional wedding from her bouquet.

The young couple will be at The bride was given in mar- home at Pinebluff until they leave

white hat with veil. Her bouquet and Mrs. Clyde Combs of High was pink roses with baby's breath Point, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Combs of and a white orchid, with white Winston-Salem, and Mr. and Mrs. Luck from Greenville, S. C.

Wednesday evening, June 27, at and only attendant of the bride. the Cleary home, Mrs. Queen was Sgt. Ralph Dixon was best man Mrs. Howard Troutman, Mrs. Paul Lieutenant Bray's company outfit Mrs. J. L. Miller, and Mrs. Cleary. A color note of yellow and

Mrs. Combs, mother of the white was carried out in the decbride, wore a printed sheer dress orations and refreshments. About and white accessories. Her cor- 40 guests were present.

-:- In and Out of Town

South Carolina grand strand Sun-her sister, Mrs. A. L. Ferguson

Myrtle Beach, S. C., Wednesday and returned Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Edwards returned Monday from Wilmington, Del., where she spent three weeks with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edwards, Jr., and family. With Mrs. Edwards for the visit was her granddaughter, Hilda Scull, of Raeford.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan S. Ray and son John spent Sunday in Greensboro with Mr. and Mrs. Richard S.

James Prim III is serving as a lifeguard at Myrtle Beach, S. C. up, please.

Mrs. Lillian Miles Raymond rean absence of three weeks during business. She motored first to relatives and friends, then drove spent the weekend with Mr. Mcto Canada and back to Buffalo.

She went by plane to New York City where she spent several days buying fall merchandise for Patch's Department Store, then flew back to Buffalo where she had left her car for the return trip to Southern Pines.

Monday from Knoxville, Tenn., Bill Shore of 834 North Leak St.

Clyde G. Council visited the where she spent five weeks with (Minnie Hunter), who has been Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Honeycutt critically ill. Mss. Ferguson's conand their three children of Mem- dition is now improved and she is phis, Tenn., visited his brother, at home from the hospital. An-Louis Honeycutt, and family from other sister, Mrs. H. D. McInnis

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Honeycutt and daughters, Janie and Kay, and Mrs. J. B. Cameron went to Asheboro Tuesday evening to spend the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. John Cameron. Mrs. Cameron will stay in Asheboro the

rest of this week. Lt. and Mrs. Harold F. Darling and daughter, Diane, of Camp Rucker, Ala., visited Mrs. Darling's mother, Mrs. Bessie Swearingen, from Thursday until Sunday. Also arriving Sunday at the Swearingen home were another daughter and members of her more, Md., Mr. Lynn and Buzzie returned home, leaving Mrs. Lynn and Ricky here, but they turned last Thursday night after plan to come back to Southern Pines tomorrow (Friday), and the which she combined pleasure and whole family will leave Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle D. McDon-Buffalo, N. Y., where she visited ald, Jr., and Lyle III of Raleigh

Donald's parents. Donna Lee Castro and Mary Ann Strickland of Manly Presbyterian Church attended Camp Monroe last week. Skip Honeycutt is spending this week there. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shore of High Point spent last weekend Mrs. Avery Evans returned here as guests of Mr. and Mrs.

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