

Women's Activities and Sandhills Social Events

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Looking Ahead

BIRD CLUB

The Southern Pines Bird Club will begin its meetings on Friday, March 16, at 9:30 a. m., 160 South Bennett St. If the weather is bad, the meeting will be held indoors; otherwise, there will be a field trip. Any persons interested in birds are invited to attend.

ST. ANNE'S GUILD

St. Anne's Guild of Emmanuel Episcopal Church will meet Monday at 8 p. m. in the parish hall. Mrs. Matt Wall of High Point, chairman of the Legislative Committee of the Episcopal Church Women, will address the group on "The Church's Responsibility to Legislation."

CARD PARTY

A benefit dessert card party, sponsored by the Sandhills B&PW Club, will begin at 8 p. m. tomorrow, Friday, at the Southern Pines Country Club. The party, open to all, will feature bridge, canasta and other card games. Admission tickets will be sold at the door; proceeds go to the Club's scholarship fund.

BPO DOES

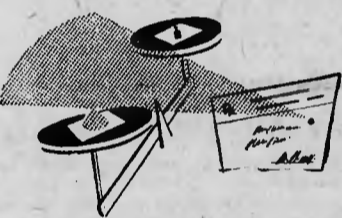
BPO Does, Drove 42, will meet Tuesday at 8 p. m. at the Southern Pines Country Club.

GENERAL MEETING

The general meeting of the Women of Brownson Memorial Presbyterian Church will be held Monday evening at 8 p. m. with Mrs. Raymond Cameron in charge of the program. Participating will be: Mrs. Joseph Marley, Mrs. William Booker, Miss Pearl McNeill and Mrs. Charles Phillips.

RAINBOW GIRLS

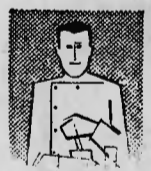
The Sandhill Assembly 40, Order of Rainbow for Girls, will hold a meeting at the Masonic Hall on Thursday, March 22.



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:-: In and Out of Town :-:

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Holt of Barberton, Ohio and Mrs. Betsy Woolweaver of East Liverpool, Ohio, have been guests at the home of the D. M. Hawks, on Hill and Barber Roads. Mrs. Woolweaver and Miss Margaret Hawk are vacationing in Miami, Fla.

Mrs. Matt Wall and Mrs. S. S. Saunders of High Point will be Monday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Powell Alexander on Midland Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Hill Boswell and his brother, Bob, arrive today from Montgomery, Ala. for a weekend visit with Mrs. Boswell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James D. Hobbs on Valley Road.

Here for a 10-day spring vacation with their parents are Ronny Brown and Thomas Reams, both cadets at the McCallie School, Chattanooga, Tenn. The boys return to school Tuesday.

Graham Culbreth returned home Saturday from Moore Memorial Hospital, where he has been a patient following a heart attack. He is getting along well. During Mr. Culbreth's absence from the Southern Pines Pharmacy, Tom R. Cole, Willie Whitehead and John Terrell, all registered pharmacists from Sanford, are substituting for him.

The E. W. Mullers have returned to their Knollwood Apartments from a month's trip to Atlanta, Jackson and Houston, where they visited friends. While in Houston as guests at the home of Hon. Sam D. W. Low, collector of customs for the Houston-Galveston District, they were among a large group invited to attend a gala party aboard the M. V. Ru Yung in celebration of the Chinese Nationalist vessel's maiden voyage. The Mullers' daughter, Mrs. Edwin L. Houston of Huntington Beach, Calif., came by jet from the coast to spend a day with them in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Collins last weekend attended the sophomore parents' weekend at Converse College, Spartanburg, S. C. where their daughter, Emmaday, is a student. Tomorrow night, the Collinses plan to attend a recital at Converse of the Modern Dance Group of which Emmaday is president. She has done much of the choreography and will have several dance solos in the recital.

Capt. and Mrs. Chester Beck returned to New York Saturday after a visit here with Mrs. John E. Elmendorf, Jr. in Knollwood. Mrs. Charles de Rham is arriving from New York April 1 for her annual spring visit with Mrs. Elmendorf.

Dickey Hoskins has been confined to his home this week with flu.

Mrs. Prudence Giles Blue is in Orlando, Fla., as the guest of her son, G. Alton Blue, Jr. and his family. She will visit in Miami Beach before returning home to Wilson.

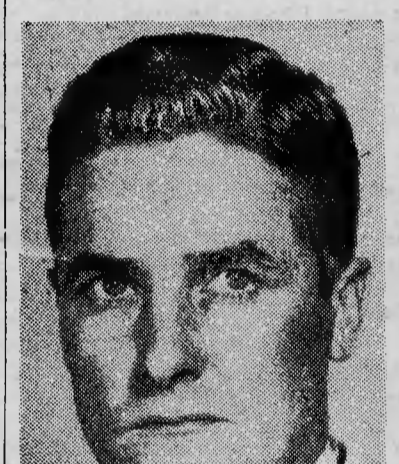
Mr. and Mrs. J. Earl Parker have returned from a trip to the West Coast. While there, they visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Prichard.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Allred and their daughters, Linda Jeanne and Ruth Kay, went to Raleigh Monday night to see "Prescription: Murder," by Paul Gregory. Linda has been corresponding with one of the stars, Agnes Moorehead and after the play, the Allreds met Miss Moorehead at the stage door and talked to her while she signed autographs.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter C. Hilderbrand of Charlotte visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hilderbrand Sunday at Pine Cone Lodge. Guests for two weeks at Pine Cone Lodge are Mr. and Mrs. George Lamb and Mrs. Lamb's mother, Mrs. Thomas Hobson, all of Leonia, N. J. Mr. Lamb is vice president of the American Sugar Company. Guests at the Lodge for a week are Frank R. Maston and Hal Ohnsman, both of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Capt. and Mrs. L. A. DesPland returned Monday from Wilmington, N. C. where they attended a meeting of insurance representatives from the district comprising Wilmington, Goldsboro and Greensboro. A banquet at the Cape Fear Country Club was held with Harvey Radcliffe, retiring district president, as honor guest.

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TO PREACH HERE—

The third in the series of special Lenten services sponsored by The Village Chapel at Pinehurst and Emmanuel Episcopal Church will be held in Emmanuel Church on Wednesday evening, March 21, at 8 o'clock. The preacher for this service will be the Rev. James Stirling, rector of Trinity Church, Columbia, S. C., pictured above. Mr. Stirling was born in Lochwinnoch, Scotland, and came to the United States as a boy. A graduate of Hobart College and Virginia Theological Seminary, he was ordained to the priesthood in 1938, served Churches in Tennessee, Alabama and Florida, was student chaplain at several colleges and universities and was a Navy chaplain who served with the Marines. The public is invited.

Town Buys Small Lot Near Mount Hope Cemetery

In a short session Tuesday night, the town council authorized Town Manager F. F. (Bud) Rainey to buy for \$100 a small triangular piece of land between the town-owned Mount Hope Cemetery and the No. 1 highway parkway right of way.

The land, described as useless for any practical purpose, was offered to the Town by its former owner, Miss Evelyn Thomas. The town plans to beautify the lot, to improve appearances near the cemetery.

Transfer of certain funds within the budget by the manager was approved by the council, although formal authorization of the proposals was not necessary.

The transfers, said the manager, will be within departments and will not change the total amount budgeted for any department.

Mayor John Ruggles, who is a patient at Memorial Hospital, Chapel Hill, was absent, and J. D. Hobbs, mayor pro-tem, presided. All other council members were present: Felton Capel, Morris Johnson and Fred Pollard.



GIRL SCOUT LEADERS—In the spotlight during National Girl Scout Week, March 11-18, are local troops and their leaders. Shown here are leaders of Southern Pines Girl Scout troops; front, left to right: Mrs. H. J. Roessel, Mrs. W. T. Huntley, Jr., Mrs. Edward Koshak, Mrs. James Aldridge, Mrs. Voit Gilmore and Mrs. Joseph Sandlin. Back row, same order: Mrs. W. Harrell Johnson, Mrs. Albert Grove, troop organizer; Mrs. Harry Herendeen, Sherwood Brockwell, finance chairman of the Central Carolina Girl Scout Council; Mrs. W. P. Davis,

Training chairman; Mrs. Mildred L. Speer and Mrs. Emanuel Sontag, Moore District chairman. Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Sontag and Mr. Brockwell are also Central Carolina Council board members. Leaders not in the picture are: Mrs. James Ratliff, Mrs. Ned Bushby, Mrs. Harry Fullenwider, Mrs. William Bonsal, III, Mrs. John Creech, Mrs. W. C. Phipps, David Drexel, Mrs. Allen Brezinsky and Mrs. Norman Black. In West Southern Pines, Mrs. W. G. Hasty is Brownie leader and Mrs. A. B. Barksdale, Intermediate leader. (Humphrey photo)

'SEND ME NO FLOWERS' COMING NEXT WEEK

Gay, Giddy Musical, 'The Boy Friend' Entertaining Audiences at Playhouse

A gay and giddy production of "The Boy Friend" this week marks the Pinehurst Playhouse's first venture into musical comedy, and vastly entertained the opening-night audience Tuesday. It's a grand spoof of the lavish, romantic musicals of the 1920's, and everybody joins in the spoofing. There's a story of sorts but it doesn't matter too much—it's just an excuse for the songs, dances, love scenes and comic interludes.

Claiborne Cary as the Dresden-doll heroine sings with a small but true and lucent voice; her "boy friend," Jerry McKee as the outrageously handsome and glib-lant hero, has a voice of rich melodic resonance. Jetty Herlick as a merry old harridan—who also happens to be headmistress of a girls' school in France—belts out her songs in Sophie Tucker style. The others do the best they can and the result is good fun if not deathless music.

Shelly Post, Gerre Overbrook, Joan Gunther and Dean Delk are the giggling schoolgirls, with Charles Waterman, Henry Strozier, Del Grande and Jim Bateman as their bounding swains. For this show a dance director has been engaged and he has done a slick job, with some brisk dances in which somehow no one trips on the others or falls on his face on the tiny Pinehurst Theatre stage.

It's all very neat and also gaudy, in pastel colorings from the palette of a berserk rainbow-painter. The acting, costumes and set are stylized in what is supposedly the manner of the Roaring Twenties. Miss Herlick, Bruce Hall, Georgia Bennett and Robert Pastene in comic parts provide a



CLAIBORNE CARY

change of pace. In the end, of course, all the

couples fall into each other's arms in what is surely the corniest (on purpose) climax on any stage.

Milton Setzer as musical director is another new name for this week's show, heading an excellent four-piece combo for the "Boy Friend" score.

The cast, directors, etc., must have knocked themselves out to put on a show of this sort in their one-week rehearsal time, while many of the players were also performing at night in last week's play, "The Tender Trap." They've done a real "pro" job. The show will continue through Sunday night, curtain time 8:30, Saturday matinee at 2.

"Send Me No Flowers" will be the Playhouse's presentation next week, opening Tuesday night at 8:15, to run through the following Sunday, March 25. —VN

Father of Aberdeen Residents Succumbs

A. L. Nunnery, 78, of Roseboro, father of Mrs. H. Clifton Blue and Mrs. Anne Mischke, both of Aberdeen, died in Sampson Memorial Hospital in Roseboro last Friday after an extended illness.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in the First Baptist Church of Roseboro. Mr. Nunnery was a farmer and retired lumberman.

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