

Women's Group Plans Courses To Improve Life

The Hoke County Council on the Status of Women is working with the Sandhills Community College in an effort to establish a series of locally taught courses to help improve the lives of women, a spokesperson for the group said this week.

The courses, which will include basic child care, nutrition and others are designed to "enhance the lives of Hoke women."

During a "planning session" meeting last Saturday, the council also decided to begin researching

specific needs of women within Hoke County and possible alternatives to meeting those needs.

Council members also began planning for a February "recognition of women" in observance of Black History Month.

Members of the council urge all those willing to get involved with improving Hoke's job-training and job-preparedness can contact council chairman Kay Thomas (Box 426, Raeford) or Ellen McNeill (Rt. 4, Raeford).



Hoke County Attorney Duncan McFadyen presents Charter to SHARE'S President Barbara Stelly. Left to right are Connie Lindsay, Cassandra Lanier, Barbara Stelly, Duncan McFadyen, Judy McKethan and Sally Clary.

Share Inc. Expands, Moves Into Hoke Co.

Recently, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Richard Chiulli of Southern Pines, SHARE, Inc. officially obtained its North Carolina charter to operate as a non-profit organization.

Initially a self-help group for bereaved persons, SHARE has now expanded to become an umbrella organization that coordinates and supports self-help groups. The area of operation includes Cumberland, Hoke and Moore counties.

SHARE has two co-directors, Mrs. Connie Lindsay of Raeford and Mrs. Sally Clary of Pinebluff.

Members on the Board of Directors from Cumberland County are: Barbara Stelly, President, a Social Worker with the Developmental

Evaluation Center, and Judy McKethan Vice President.

Representing Hoke County are attorney Duncan McFadyen, and Cassandra Lanier, Secretary.

From Moore County are Dr. Richard A. Chiulli, Dr. William Stewart, Kathy Chiulli, R.N. and Rev. Luther (skip) Pike.

Funding for SHARE is dependent on the communities it serves. Persons who attend various groups will also be asked for a small tax deductible donation to help defray expenses.

Several groups were expected to be in operation in early January. Groups will be started on the basis of expressed community need.

For more information, contact Mrs. Clary at 281-3595 or Mrs. Lindsay at 875-2954.

Minister Of Music Named At 1st Baptist

Rev. Nathan Ray Phillips has been called by First Baptist Church Raeford to serve as Minister of Music and Education.

He is a native of Charlotte and is a graduate of Independence High School, Charlotte; North Carolina State University, Raleigh and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas.

While at Southwestern Seminary, he was with the Oratorio Chorus for three years, the Men's Chorus for two years and was conducting tutor.

Before assuming his responsibilities at First Baptist Church Raeford, Rev. Phillips had served as Minister of Music and Education at First Baptist Church, Dunn; Minister of Music and Education at First Baptist Church, Loris, South Carolina and Minister of Music at First Baptist Church, Kemp, Texas. He has been active in the work of the denomination and has served as president of the Pastor's Conference, Associational Music Director, has led in music con-



Rev. Ray Phillips

ferences and is a member of the North Carolina Singing Churchmen.

Rev. Phillips is married to Virginia Hollins who is a native of Greensboro. She is a public teacher and received her education at Campbell University, Francis Marion College and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. She has been active in the work of the church and denomination and is presently serving as Program Director for Youth Week at North Carolina Baptist Assembly, Southport.

There will be a reception for Rev. and Mrs. Phillips on Sunday, January 29, from 3:00-5:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall of First Baptist Church Raeford.

B. McNeill Named By Thornburg

Bobby McNeill of Raeford has been named to represent Hoke County on the steering committee of Attorneys for Thornburg.

The steering committee, organized to support Judge Lacy Thornburg in his election bid for state attorney general, includes a lawyer from each of North Carolina's 100 counties.

Committee chairman is J. Frank Huskins, a Raleigh attorney and a former Justice of the N.C. Supreme Court.

"As lawyers, we are in a special position to recognize the necessary qualities in a candidate for attorney general," Huskins said,

"and as lawyers, we have a special responsibility to see that the best qualified candidate is elected."

"Many interest groups expect special consideration from the candidate they support," Huskins said, "and as lawyers, we need only the assurance that our attorney general adhere to the highest principles of fairness, justice and law. In Lacy Thornburg, we have that assurance."

Huskins said the immediate goal of the lawyers committee is "to raise by February 6 the \$250,000 that Thornburg needs to carry out a responsible, efficient and visible campaign."

Social Events

Mrs. Boyce Falls, Social Reporter, 875-4562

Bridal Shower Fetes Miss Lee

Miss Sue Lee, January bride-elect of David Frye, was honored January 14 with a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. Brent Hardin. Mrs. Hardin and Mrs. Lynn Ellis were hostesses.

The refreshment table was covered with a white linen and lace cloth. A basket of babies' breath and candle holders with brown Williamsburg candles formed the centerpiece.

Guests were served punch, nutty fingers, cheese ball, open-faced cucumber sandwiches, chocolate peanut clusters and nuts.

After the refreshments, Miss Lee opened and displayed her gifts.



Lynn Rose Terry

Terry - Wood

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lewis Terry, of Raeford, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lynn Rose, to Gary Todd Wood, son of Mrs. Miller Cook and the late Donald Wood, of Rockfish.

The couple are graduates of Hoke County High School. Mr. Wood is employed by J.P. Stevens in Wagram and Miss Terry is employed by B.C. Moore's in Raeford.

A wedding date has been set for February 12 in Dillon, South Carolina.

Bridge

Mrs. Gordon

Mrs. Earl Gordon was hostess for her bridge club on Thursday, January 19 when all members gathered for a salad supper.

Mrs. Julian Wright was awarded the high score prize for bridge. Mrs. June Johnson received low award and Mrs. Walter Coley received the bingo prize.



Births

Mr. and Mrs. Vann Pennell of Williamston announce the birth of a son, Chad Winston, born January 21. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Shuford Pennell of Raeford and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Taylor of Williamston.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Herron announce the birth of a son, Brandon Reid, born January 17. Mrs. Herron is the former Jane Austin.

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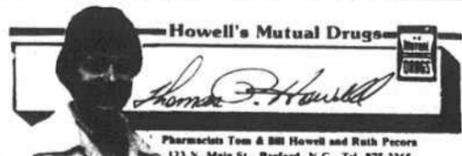
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