

Home Demonstration News

How Worthwhile Was This Past Year?

By FLOY G. GARNER Home Agent

This is Evaluation Time. As we all think of our many blessings and accomplishments of the year, I hope we will not be satisfied. Let us make this also a time of direction or re-direction.

Home Demonstration Club women and 4-H'ers have during the past month reviewed their achievements. As we look on these recognitions of achievements and accomplishments, I'm sure many have already re-directed their plans for the future.

In the words of Mrs. Billy Smith, "Some have had their eyes opened." Mrs. Smith was referring to the County 4-H Achievement Day program with which she helped. Mrs. Smith was amazed at the activities and accomplishments of the 4-H'ers, and also a bit disturbed because of the lack of adult leadership and interest.

We were most grateful for the assistance given the 4-H'ers during their Achievement Day Program by Mrs. Bill McDonald of Newport, Mrs. Dyon Simpson of Crab Point and Mrs. Smith of North River. We do hope that other adults will join forces, in assisting in this valuable youth program.

Home Demonstration women enjoy sharing. This has been evident in several projects which have taken place throughout the county this month. Leaders are taking the initiative of passing on information and teaching others as the need arises.

The crafts leaders in each club have given the November demonstration. Various crafts have been taught, but each by a leader who had studied the craft she demonstrated. The purpose of the November crafts meetings is twofold. First, to teach a quality craft and second, help alleviate the financial burden of gift giving.

The reports received from the meetings of the various clubs, indicate that each leader has certainly done her job well, and is to be commended.

Fellow club members are at work. Christmas Eve will find

Home Demonstration Club women awaiting the best Christmas ever. They will have made many of their Christmas gifts and will not have the burden of debt that so often accompanies Christmas giving.

Mrs. E. C. McLawhorn and Mrs. John Ives of the Harlowe Home Demonstration Club recently conducted a candle-making workshop in their community. They reported that 39 giant candles were made.

The candle-makers included Mrs. James Lupton, Mrs. S. D. Wilkinson, Mrs. Clyde Taylor, Mrs. C. J. Taylor, Mrs. Bill Motes, Mrs. Luke Turner, Mrs. Kuch Williams, Mrs. Gordon Becton, Mrs. Earl Creech, Mrs. Pat Dunn, Mrs. Dick Shrake and Mrs. Vincent Becton.

Mrs. Guy Carraway has been supervising an aluminum etching project in her community. These trays will be etched Monday following the Merrimon Home Demonstration Club meeting.

The Home Demonstration women have both the Thanksgiving spirit and the Christmas spirit. And I, as their agent, am truly thankful that I have the privilege of working with such wonderful people.

Table with 2 columns: Day, Event. Includes TODAY (Noon - Civitan Club, 7:30 p.m. - Duplicate Bridge), SATURDAY (8 p.m. - VFW dinner), MONDAY (6:30 p.m. - Rotary Club, 7 p.m. - Beaufort Rescue squad).

Four Leave for Active Duty



Photo by Bob Seymour

Coast Guard recruiter Donald Willis, second from right, gives four recruits some tips on Coast Guard life. The new Coast Guardsmen, left to right, are John Burns, Swansboro, James Guthrie, Harkers Island, James O'Neal, Harkers Island, and Doug Stanley, Swansboro. The recruits left Morehead City Tuesday morning to go on active duty. Standing on the right is Ensign James Piner, Marshallberg, who accepted a direct commission in the Coast Guard Reserve last week.



News from NEWPORT Nov. 25 - Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thrower of Littleton spent Thursday here with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thrower Jr.

The Rev. Ralph Fleming spent Saturday in Raleigh. Berlyn Temple, a student at State College, spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Temple.

Mrs. Glenn Mann and Mrs. Edna Harris of Greensboro were recent guests of Mrs. Mann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Fuller and children have returned from Gardner, Me., where they visited Mr. Fuller's parents.

Mrs. N. W. Garner, Mr. and Mrs. Mon Garner and children and Mary Jane Warren spent Sunday in Lillington with Mrs. Christine Carroll and her daughter, Chrissie.

Mrs. W. H. Bell had her grandchildren, Rozanne, Mindy, Billy and Edwin Bell of New Bern, with her for the weekend.

Mrs. Floy Garner, home agent, spent Friday night in Wilmington attending a meeting. Bridge Club Mrs. Hazel Fox was hostess to the bridge club Friday evening.

Mrs. W. J. Kirby and Mrs. Durwood Hill were guests. High score was won by Mrs. M. C. Howard and Mrs. C. H. Lockett won second high. Mrs. Kirby and Mrs. Marvin Gray won slam prizes and Mrs. Solon Perkins bingo.

Nuts and candies were enjoyed during play and sandwiches, chips, cookies and colas were served later.

Demonstration Club Meets Mrs. Ernest Quinn was hostess to the Home Demonstration Club when it met last Thursday evening. There were approximately nine members present.

Mrs. E. B. Comer gave a talk on Swedish embroidery and demonstrated several designs.

The usual procedure of the business meeting was followed, and the December meeting discussed but no definite plans made for it. The hostess served do-nuts, candies, nuts and colas.

The study on Christian Concerns of North American Neighbors was ended Thursday evening with an interesting discussion on Hawaii by Mrs. Melvin Edwards and Mrs. Zeb Mauney. A coffee hour followed, and Mrs. R. R. Edwards, wearing a lovely dress of brocade, which was purchased in Hong Kong and made by a Japanese dressmaker, gave some interesting facts on Hawaii.

She had many lovely and interesting things displayed on a large table and graciously invited the ladies to look them over. Capt. and Mrs. Edwards lived in Hawaii three years and brought back quite a collection of lovely things.

WSCS Meets The Womens Society of Christian Service held the general meeting for November on Monday evening. Mrs. Mattie Guthrie gave the devotional, using the hymn O God, Our Help in Ages Past, followed by a prayer and scripture reading.

A talk, The Universal Declaration of Human Rights, was given by Mrs. Stanley Mann.

Talks on The Drama of the Peoples' Struggle for Freedom were given by Mrs. Claire Mann, Leader, Mrs. Ira Garner, Mrs. Clinton Garner, Mrs. Letha Henderson and Miss Nina Garner.

Mrs. Rena Edwards, president, presided over the business session. Mrs. W. H. Bell was elected spiritual life secretary.

The meeting was closed with a spiritual life thought by Mrs. Edwards.

With the Armed Forces

George Martin Jr. Joins AFROTC at Chapel Hill

Chapel Hill—George T. Martin Jr. of Beaufort has been accepted as a cadet in the advanced course of the Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps at the University of North Carolina.

He is undertaking a two-year course of study which will lead to a reserve commission in the United States Air Force.

Cadet Martin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Martin of Beaufort and is a 1956 graduate of Beaufort High School. At the

present time he is enrolled in the College of Arts and Sciences.

The AFROTC is the primary source of commissioned officers in the Air Force. The program in Air Science is a joint program of the Air University and the University of North Carolina.

Fort Riley, Kan.—Pvt. Thomas D. Bell, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Bell, Morehead City, recently completed eight weeks of basic combat training at Fort Riley, Kan.

Bell attended Morehead City High School.

Cape May, N. J.—Phillip T. Yeomans, seaman apprentice, USCG, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yeomans Jr. of Harkers Island, has completed 13 weeks of basic training at the US Coast Guard Receiving Center, Cape May, N. J. He entered the Coast Guard last August.

Seaman apprentice Yeomans will now report to the Third Coast Guard District, New York City, N. Y., for further assignment.

Before entering the Coast Guard, seaman apprentice Yeomans attended Smyrna High School.

Fort Jackson, S. C.—Army Specialist Five Herbert R. Brown Jr., son of Mrs. Estelle Brown, Stella, recently completed eight weeks of basic combat training at Fort Jackson, S. C.

Brown, a 1954 graduate of Jacksonville High School, is a former employe of Hanover Hosiery Mills in Wilmington.

Nolan Wayne Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, route 1 Morehead City, was recently enlisted in the United States Air Force.

According to Sgt. Frank Fernley, local Air Force recruiter, Airman Davis was enlisted under the prior-service program. In explaining the prior-service program, Sergeant Fernley states that airmen who have been separated from the military service for a long period of time can qualify and be sent directly to a technical school of their choice.

Airman Davis attended Carteret public schools and attended East Carolina College, Greenville, for two years.

Sergeant Fernley can be contacted at the postoffice in Morehead City each Friday afternoon to explain the benefits of the Air Force.



News from SMYRNA Nov. 25 - Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lynch and children of Brunswick, Ga., were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jettie Willis the past weekend.

Mr. Ikie Wade of Apalachicola, Fla., arrived Thursday to spend a few days with Mrs. Mamie Wade. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Heady of Aiken, S. C., spent a few days this week in Smyrna.

Mr. Gulon B. Simpson Jr. left Monday to spend a few days in Norfolk, Va.

British Actor Declares Poor People Laugh More

New York (AP)—British Star Richard Burton detects a certain difference between the readiness to laugh of poor folk and their richer cousins.

Burton, who recently completed a run here in "Time Remembered," puts it this way:

"The English audiences come from every class with seats ranging from 25 cents to two dollars top. Because of higher prices, American audiences are middle class or better. From my experiences, poor people tend to laugh more easily at comedy."

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