Club, initiator of the project, are MABEL HEMPHILL, PEG KNIGHT, G. W. EASTLAND of Warren, New Jersey, who heard of the flagpole project through the SHORE LINE, and GLENN C. HALL, of Raleigh, DORTHA HALL's brother (DORTHA is President of the Garden Club and, yes, her maiden name was Hall, too) through whom arrangements were made to get the North Carolina flag. All these men helped: ED BUNDY, ED CRUMTEY, A. C. DAVIS, BILL DOLL\*\*, RANDY PRIDLEY, FRANK JOHNSON, FRED KORFF, BILL MACDONALD, RAY SCOCGINS, and Ed Crumley says special applause is due ED WARNER who put in much time and effort.

\*\*EDITOR'S NOTE: The only help BILL DOLL supplied was the round thing at the top of the flagpole, gold painted now, but originally a copper float valve from a toilet tank (courtesy Kohler Company, Kohler, Wis.) (Our Tried and True Toilet Tycoon!!!!)

This really is Garden Club month. Some of the Pine Knoll Shores members went to the regional luncheon and meeting on June 18 at the Coral Bay Club. Of the twenty-one clubs present, Pine Knoll Shores received recognition as the newest club organized in District XI of the North Carolina Garden Clubs.

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In Scotland you may sing "The Campbells Are Coming" but in PKS we sing "The Smiths Are Coming, Hurrah, Hurrah!" And they have settled close together. On Oakleaf Drive are HAZEL; MARY CATHERINE and KERNEY; and DAISY and MARVIN. Just around the corner are ARNOLD and JEWEL on Mulberry Court on the canal; and MILDRED and HAROLD on Hickory Court also on the canal. The latest to move in are ARNOLD and JEWEL who came here from Bay Village, Ohio, a suburb of Cleveland. Arnold was a chemical engineer with B. F. Goodrich Chemical Company. Their son BOB, a college student, is here for the summer, and they have a married daughter in Atlanta. They have been looking in this area for four or five years, saw the former STAN BRUNT house for sale, bought it, and moved in. Now they are adding a garage with ARNOLD and BOB working hard on it. They enjoy golf and bridge.

CAROLYN and RICHARD EVANS, newly of Maryland, live now on our Holly Dr. They will be building a house on Beechwood - literally - RICHARD is going to be doing painting, walpapering, and building down here although he has been a geography teacher up to now. The Evans have three children: 9, 8 and 6 years old.

MARY and BILL MUELLER, who bought the Burnett's house on Oakleaf Dr., are settled in and enjoying life in PKS. They come from Chatham, N. J. where Bill was a CPA tax accountant and are long time friends of KAY and LARRY JEROME, also PKS'ers. MUELLERS are parents of four children, all married — a daughter and son living in New Jersey, another son in Saratoga Springs, N.Y., and a daughter in Kentucky — four grandchildren. MARY and BILL both love to bowl and play bridge, and they plan to take up golf in the Fall. A vegetable garden is on Mary's list of projects.

CONGRATULATIONS ARE IN ORDER TO OUR RUTH BRAY--at a gathering of local and State people, Mr. Jake Alexander, Secretary of the Department of Transportation, State of North Carolina, presented her with the ORDER OF THE LONG LEAF PINE, an honorary decree giving her the right to toast the Old North State at official functions. In presenting the order, Mr. Alexander stated that he was acting as an emissary of the Governor. He expressed his gratitude to Ruth for her continuing efforts and interest in the growth of eastern North Carolina, and stated that it is people such as she who have shaped the future of the State.

The decree, signed by Gov. James E. Holshouser, Jr., can only be given by the Governor and Ruth is one of the very few people in the County ever to receive the homon,