

BIRKETT SPEAKS AT BAR MEETING

Says It Is Fitting That U. S. And Britain Should Stand Side By Side

PINEHURST, May 16.—(AP)—Sir Norman Birkett, judge high court of justice, King's bench division, London, told the North Carolina Bar association today that it was fitting that Britain and America, with their different histories but unity of essentials, should be standing side by side.

FEATURED AT JOINT ODD FELLOW AND REBEKAH CONVENTION HERE



NURSES AIDES TO BEGIN TRAINING

Volunteer Group To Get 80 Hours Instruction In Local Hospital

An 80-hour training course for volunteer nurses' aides will begin at the Nurses' home, James Walker Memorial hospital, at 10 o'clock Monday morning, it was announced Saturday by J. Henry Gerdes, chairman of the local American Red Cross.

The first half of the training Red Cross in cooperation with the Office of Civilian Defense.

Mrs. Sandy Marks has been appointed instructor for the course.

The first half of the training course will consist of 35 hours of class work while the second half will be given in the James Walker Memorial hospital where the volunteers will spend 45 hours in supervised practice.

Uniforms will not be worn until the last half of the course.

After completing the course, the Nurses' aide is expected to give the first 150 hours of service in hospital wards and later she may be assigned to hospitals, children's hospitals, clinics, etc. Her duties are many but her work is always supervised by a graduate nurse.

American women between the ages of 18 and 50 who are physically fit and able to give this service without pay are requested to apply for information about this course at the Red Cross headquarters in the customhouse.

If enough interest is shown by working girls, business and professional women, a night class may be started.

Mrs. Graham Barefoot is chairman of the Volunteer Nurses' Aide corps and the committee is comprised of the following: Dr. D. B. Koonce, Dr. R. B. Hare, Dr. J. W. Hooper, Miss Lula West, Dr. A. H. Elliott, Miss Columbia Munds, Miss Mary Duffy, Mrs. Robert Way, Mrs. D. R. McEachern, Mrs. J. B. Lounsbury, Mr. J. C. Roe and Mrs. Walter P. Sprunt.

I.O.O.F. MEETING WILL OPEN TODAY

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tion banquet which will be held in the ballroom of the Cape Fear hotel at 6:30 p.m., Monday.

The joint convention will open with registration for the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs in the Cape Fear at 4 p.m. Sunday.

Both conventions will attend services in the Fifth Avenue Methodist church at 8 o'clock Sunday night which will be conducted by the Rev. C. D. Barcliff.

Monday morning, the grand lodge of Odd Fellows will convene in the Cape Fear lodge at 9:30 a.m. followed by the roll call of officers, reading of the minutes and the report of the credentials committee.

Wilbur D. Jones, convention chairman and grand patriarch of the lodge, will deliver the address of welcome at the conference of grand lodge and past grand degrees to which J. P. Shrago of Goldsboro will deliver the response.

Election of officers, selection of the place of the next meeting and presentation of bills, resolutions and reports will take place immediately prior to lunch.

After lunch the Odd Fellows will meet for the grand encampment in the lodge hall to be followed by joint memorial services at 4:30 p.m.

The joint banquet at 6:30 p.m. in the Cape Fear hotel will begin Monday night's activities, followed by the Rebekah degree and by the one hundredth anniversary celebration.

The Odd Fellows will adjourn at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday after the installation of the new officers.

Delegates to the Rebekah assembly will open their convention Monday morning in the Cape Fear hotel with an address of welcome by Mrs. Louis Albright to which Mrs. Ethel Clapp of Burlington will respond.

Officers of the assembly will be elected and installed Tuesday morning.



CONTROL ROOM'S STAFF COMPLETE

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sible for information being given to the particular group under his command, Sheriff Jones declared.

The operation of the control room is dependent on information received from the Army Information-Filter center here or upon the reports from zone wardens in outlying sections of the county.

In the event of a group of suspicious planes approaching the city, a signal would be flashed to the control room by the information center. This first alert signal is known as "signal yellow."

When the first alert is noted, all schools, industries and air raid wardens in the city and county are notified.

If the planes are observed to be approaching closer, a second alert signal is flashed. This is known as "signal blue" and again all points are notified.

In the event that the information center is certain that an air raid is imminent, "signal red" is flashed to the control room. A third warning is telephoned to all points, and fire headquarters is notified to sound the air raid warning sirens.

If at any time the approaching planes change their course and there is no danger of a raid, "signal white" is given and all points are notified that everything is "all clear."

"Only a few assistants to the staff officers are now needed," Sheriff Jones said, "and we expect to have them soon."

The staff officers are: Sheriff C. David Jones, commander; J. C. Whiteford, George L. Peschau and Milton Calder, controllers; F. P. O'Crowley and E. L. White, air raid wardens; T. R. Orrell and L. A. Roney, chiefs of auxiliary police; H. A. Marks and R. E. Haynes, chiefs of auxiliary firemen; Dr. Donald B. Koonce and Dr. R. B. Hare, chiefs of the medical staff; A. E. Jones assisted by Lovell Smith, chief of public utilities; J. A. Loughlin assisted by M. H. Lander and A. K. Mallard, chief of emergency public works; E. C. Hines, communications officer; Charles Lowmire and Donald C. King, plotting officers; Kenneth Sumner, panel board officer; and David Liles and William Stewart, chiefs of the messenger service.

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reported the fall of Tengyueh yesterday).

Shanghai dispatches reported heavy Japanese air raids on Chunchien, in Western Chekiang province (which the Japanese believe to be an air base possibly for use of American planes), Jengchow, an important railway junction in Hunan province, South Central China, and Yushan, in Kiangs province.

GET SOMEONE ELSE

A clergyman can not perform the marriage ceremony for himself.

Help Relieve Housing Shortage Here By Filling Out This Form

Due to the critical shortage of housing in Wilmington and New Hanover county, the Homes Registration and Billeting Office in the Postoffice has prepared a form for those who desire to register a vacant room, apartment or house.

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My telephone is My address is Date (Signed)

152 NURSES PASS N.C. EXAMINATION

Eight Wilmingtonians Included On List Of Successful Applicants

RALEIGH, May 16.—(AP)—Creola Ruby Ledford, graduate of Duke hospital, made the highest grades of the 152 successful applicants for licenses to practice nursing in North Carolina, Miss Bessie M. Chapman, secretary of the North Carolina Board of Nurse Examiners, announced today.

Miss Chapman said 167 women took the tests here April 1, 2, and 3.

Others who made honor grades were Wava Farrington, Grace Hospital School of Nursing, Banner Elk; Nellie Reavis, City Memorial Hospital School of Nursing, Winston-Salem; Dorothy G. Deaton, Duke Hospital School of Nursing, Durham; Edith Elizabeth Fitch, Presbyterian Hospital School of Nursing, Charlotte; Madt Noien, Highland Hospital School of Nursing, Asheville; Alma Keys Jones, Grace Hospital School of Nursing, Charlotte; Velma Eller, Presbyterian Hospital School of Nursing, Charlotte; Frances Evelyn Vines, and Barbara Louise Wingo, both of Mercy Hospital School of Nursing, Charlotte; Lola Bryte Foy, Highland Hospital School of Nursing, Asheville; Lula Lee Rogerson, N. C. Sanatorium School of Nursing, Sanatorium; Virginia Louise Carney, Rex Hospital School of Nursing, Raleigh; and Maxine Virginia Eater, City Memorial Hospital School of Nursing, Winston-Salem.

Fifty-two nurses were granted licenses in recognition of their registrations in other states. During the period, October 15, 1941, to April 1, 1942, endorsements were granted to 115 North Carolina nurses for registrations in other states.

The complete list of those granted licenses follows:

Asheville: Dorothy Hope Blackledge, Diana Chandlee, Vera Bush Cochrane, Jane Denton, Bonnie M. Duncan, Lola Bryte Foy, Valera Belle Godwin, Vivian Lenore May, Frances E. Miller, Gertrude Reynolds Moore, Lora Eloise Morelock, Mary Catherine Muse, Maecola Noien, Virginia V. Roberts, Allene Cornelia Smith, Alma Elizabeth Stafford, Banner Elk: Pearl Frances Dolinger, Wava Farrington, Alma Keys Jones, Ruth Bauguess Shepherd, Mary Mae Stevenson.

Charlotte: Nell Hartzog Brandes, Ruby Belle Chambers, Velma Eller, Glennia Mae Fisher, Edith Elizabeth Fitch, Gwendolyn Furches, Ozzelle Colomene Fulk, Evelyn Grace, Emily Lester Hill, Hilda Klum, Elizabeth Keith, Gertrude Evelyn Morris, Berdie Mae Perry, Gladys Tester, Frances Evelyn Vines, Annie Furr, Watson, Barbara Louise Wingo, Helga Jetton Wood.

Durham: Mildred Irene Baker, Aileen Elizabeth Biggerstaff, Dorothy Galt Deaton, Eleanor Louise Jackson Evans, Mildred Frances Foushee, Frances Kathleen Godwin, Janie Irene Hall, Myrtle Madeline Hyams, Janibelle Lewis Jones, Margaret Florence Keith, Creola Ruby Ledford, Lyle Baynes Long, Virginia Edna Madren, Nancy Elizabeth McAllis, Edna Edith Horry, Clara Lee Johnson, Philomena Spreitzer, Fanny Sue Taylor, Beulah Kate Whitefield, Marion Click Whitener, Edith Wilson, Julia Kathryn Wooten.

Fayetteville: Sarah Ellen Covington, Loreen McCain, Ruby McPhail Norton, Greensboro: Georgianna Burns, Ruby L. Meeks.

Hamlet: Annie Deaton. High Point: Juanita Parks. Kinston: Margaret Elaine Camden, Iris Cauley, Edna Doris Creech, Glennie Louise Rouse, Sarah Cline Skinner, Alice Lee Smith, Frances Christine Sutton, Florence Tyndall.

Lincolnton: Muriel Jeannette Cline, Shirley Elizabeth Dixon, Lillias Elizabeth Goins, Mabel Eugenia Robinson, Lumberton: Margaret Colson Adams, Lula Mae Walters.

Moorestville: Lorene Brown, Dorothy Dunn. Morganton: Annie Lula Clawson, Lois Juean Miller, Mabel Iona Salyer, Nina Lorine Shell, Ruby Elizabeth Williams, Mt. Airy: Martha Madelyn Cromer, Alice Ruth Jones.

Raleigh: Lucille Bass, Frances Christine Biles, Mary Elizabeth Bryan, Mary Carlton, Virginia Louise Carney, Dorothy Mumford Fulghum, Verna Holloman, Leola Edith Horry, Clara Lee Johnson, Evelyn Elaine Johnson, Aslee Willie Jones, Laura A. Keith, Della Maness, Maudie Elizabeth O'Neal.

Rocky Mount: Ruby Ellen Adams, Rachel Ineal Collins, Letha Catherine Elmore, Josephine Greene, Virginia Baker Gupton, Frances Marie Hunt, Edna Lee McKay, Thomasina Outland, Eva Marie Perry, Mary Irene Wheelless.

Sanatorium: Lucy Alford Johnson, Lula Lee Rogerson, Mary Margaret Royal.

Shelby: Maude Inez Sherrell, Ruby Ellen Taylor.

Statesville: Mary Doris Arnold, Bronn Washam.

Washington: Zella James Jones, Bessie Mae Lane, Wynne Allen Woolard, Wilmington: Eva Louise Alpinie, Gertrude Gillette, Nellie Ray Hudson, Elsie Lee Lewis, Geraldine King Ludwig, Verdie Christine Pfifer, Margaret Susan Wychoff, Evelyn Katherine Wade, Winston-Salem: Ada Frances Bennett, Daisy Pauline Covington, Elizabeth Eugenia Earl, Maxine Virginia Easter, Ruby Gentry, Juanita Franklin Hutchens, Margaret Isabelle Koonce, Ida Clara Marsh, Katharine Morris, Ida Frances Neal, Ollie Sabelle Nifong, Nellie Reaves, Martha Elizabeth Shore, Virginia Parham Whitaker.

Wilson: Mae Dixon Carlton, Inez Finch.

Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania: Margaret Eugenia Casel.

Denver, Colorado: H. A. McBride Campbell.

Sumter, South Carolina: Mary Lewis.

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania: Anne Cupitt.

Applicants granted registration in recognition of their registration in other states: California, Mary Walker Randolph; District of Columbia, Agnes Atkinson Willis, Ted Fix, Martha Moore; Florida, Lucy Hutchinson Carmichael; Georgia, Mary Harden Burke, Adelaide Carver, Farabee, Virginia Kershaw Fisher, Annie F. Holloway, Blanche Elizabeth Richards, Michigan, Vera Janet Taitt Clark, Caroline O. Henderson; Missouri, Mildred L. McVay; Missouri, Margaret Blee, Margaret Ellis Crowe; New Jersey, Edith S. Grieve; New York, Ruth M. Bennett, Ella Weller Jacobs, Newman, Kentucky, Kathleen Hendricks, Warwick Hay, Shirley Miller Turner; Pennsylvania, Irna Rose Lee, Elizabeth C. McIntosh, Jeannette Roser, Norfleet, Mary O. Stilwell; South Carolina, Ida Ernestine Cobb, Mildred Ward Emory, Geneva Kennington Hovis, Ruth Covington Owen, Leatha Morris Shearin, Bryte Washam Tison, Georgia Louis Tucker; Texas, Jessie Emily Latham; Virginia, Hattie Schofield Blankinship, Marguerite

WEATHER

Table with weather data for various cities including Washington, Asheville, Atlanta, Birmingham, Charlotte, Chicago, Cleveland, Fort Worth, Jacksonville, Kansas City, Louisville, Memphis, Miami, Mobile, New Orleans, New York, Norfolk, St. Louis, Savannah, Washington, and Wilmington.

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Tractor Displaces Nine Families

An instance was reported in Texas where a single tractor displaced nine tenant families.

CALLS FOR UNITY

ATLANTA, May 16.—(AP)—Earl Browder, stocky leader of the communist party in the United States, was freed today by President Roosevelt, who commuted his four-year jail sentence with the assertion it would have a tendency to "promote national unity."

BROWDER'S SENTENCE COMMUTED BY F.D.R.

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of obedience to law had been sufficiently vindicated."

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