

Benefit Card Party Slated Here Thursday

The local East Carolina Teachers college alumnae will sponsor a benefit card party this Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the Woodrow Wilson hut, Fourth and Princess streets.

A cordial invitation is extended to all service men and women, their families and men and women of the city. Tickets may be obtained from the following: Mrs. Aileen Hunt Baggett, 4306; Mrs. Margaret Winstedt, 7173; Mrs. Louise Bank Polvont, 7406; or Mrs. Karan Fenell 6980.

The following have been appointed to the committees in charge of the entertainment: Mrs. Inez Hinman, refreshments; Mrs. Jean Thomas, Doorley, prizes; Miss Frances Sutherland, Miss Emily Hawes and Miss Elizabeth Wilson, decorations and appointments. Players are asked to bring their cards.

Miss Martha Downer Of Maffitt Village Selected As Queen

The recreation leaders of the Vance community building at Maffitt village held their weekly Square dance on Friday evening and sponsored a group of teenage girls for selection of a girl to represent Vance Community at Woodrow Wilson Hut on Friday, April 27 at which time one girl will be chosen from seven contestants to represent Wilmington at the May Day Festival on May 17.

The nine contestants participating at the Vance Community building were: Misses Beverly Fisher, Martha Downer, Gilda Cline, JoAnn Bignon, Dorothy Simpson, Ann Catherine Stamper, Billie Kiser, Gladys Moore, and Dolores Shew. While the judges were making their decisions little Miss Betty Davis student of the Belcher Studio of Dance delighted the audience with a tap specialty accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Sara Keels, recreational leader for Vance community. Miss Martha Downer daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Downer of 304B Williamson Drive, Maffitt Village was selected. Second and third honors went to Misses Billie Kiser, and Dolores Shew. J. E. Barwick then placed a garland of white carnations on the queen's head. Afterwards square and round dancing was enjoyed by all.

YWA Church Council Will Be Organized

At Temple Baptist church Monday night at 7:30 o'clock, all young women's auxiliaries in the Wilmington Association will be guests of the Temple Y. W. A. girls, at which time a YWA Council will be organized.

Temple YWA girls will present a Community Missions Demonstration; and Miss Kathryn Abee, State Young People's Leader, will bring the Missionary Message of the evening. After the program and business, a short social hour will be held in the annex.

All Y. W. A.'s in the city and association are urged to have a good representation.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Koen, route 3, announce the birth of a daughter, Shirley Annette, February 28, at Marion Sprunt annex.

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MRS. ORIN LANG HOGON, JR., who before her marriage last evening at 8 o'clock at St. Paul's Lutheran church in Washington, D. C., was Marlin Maxine Pence, lieutenant (j.g.) USCGR, of Arlington, Va., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Aaron Pence of Arlington. Lieut. Hogon, USNR, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Orin Lang Hogon of Wilmington, and is stationed at the Norfolk Navy Yard.

Kelly-Whitman Vows Announced

The marriage of Miss Muriel Whitman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Whitman, and Milton Kelly, son of Mrs. A. B. Kelly, was solemnized at the First Baptist church on Thursday afternoon, April 12, at 2 o'clock, with the Rev. Sankey Lee Blanton, pastor of the church, officiating.

Miss Whitman was given in marriage by her father and wore a light blue suit with pink accessories and a corsage of pink roses. Miss Betty Whitman, sister of the bride, was maid-of-honor and wore a dress of pale pink with white accessories and a corsage of yellow roses.

The bridegroom had as his best man his brother, Dan Kelly. Ushers were Robert Wells and Leaston Bane.

Prior to the ceremony Miss Ida Laura Child accompanied by Henri Emurian, church organist, sang "Always" and "I Love You."

The church was decorated for the occasion with palms, ferns, white peonies and gladioli and burning candles. The mother of the bride wore a dress of navy blue with matching accessories and a corsage of white carnations, while Mr. Kelly's mother wore black crepe with black accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. The bride is a graduate of New

Miss Thornton And Mr. Broadfoot Wed At St. James Episcopal Church

St. James Episcopal church here was the scene yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock of the wedding of Miss Frances Thornton, and Shepard Bryan Broadfoot.

The Rev. Mortimer Glover, rector of the church, was the officiating minister. The altar vases were filled with white peonies and candles burned in branched candlesticks. While the guests were assembling and during the service William G. Robertson, organist, rendered a program of wedding music.

Miss Thornton was attended by her younger sister, Miss Lucretia Thornton, as maid-of-honor, Mrs. William H. Thornton, sister-in-law of the bride, was matron-of-honor and her bridesmaids were: Miss Anne Burr, Miss Juliette Robertson and Miss Midge Strange.

Mr. Broadfoot had as his best man his father, William G. Broadfoot, and his groomsmen were: Lieut. Winston Broadfoot, his brother; Dr. James H. Smith, M.D. (Dinks) Preston and Robert Tapp. Ushers were Dr. James F. Robertson and Arthur C. Diehl.

The lovely bride, who entered the church with her father who gave her in marriage, wore a gown of heavy ivory duchesse satin fashioned with a sheer bodice and long sweeping skirt forming a court train. The neckline was heart-shaped and the sleeves long and fitted. Her veil of bridal illusion was attached to a cap of rose point lace trimmed with a tiny band of orange blossoms. She carried a showered bouquet of stephanotis centered with white orchids and edged with lace.

The matron-of-honor wore a pale yellow marquisette gown fashioned with short sleeves, heart-shaped

neckline outlined with small ruffles which extended into a deep V in the back. The skirt was full and had a slight ruffle trim. She wore a dainty hat of the same material with ribbon trim in the back and carried a bouquet of mixed pastel flowers with matching ribbon. The maid-of-honor wore an identical gown with only in a soft petal pink and matching hat, the bridesmaids wore similar gowns only in a soft blue with which they carried mixed spring flowers with matching ribbons.

Mrs. Thornton, mother of the bride, was gowned in aqua crepe with matching hat and a pale orchid shoulder corsage, while Mrs. W. W. Holladay, grandmother of the bride, wore a navy blue sheer with matching hat and deep purple orchid. Mrs. Broadfoot, mother of the bridegroom, wore a black dress with tiny black hat trimmed with small pink roses and wore a corsage made up of pink carnation petals. Her gloves were of matching pink.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was given by the bride's parents at their home in Forest Hills. The home was beautifully decorated throughout with spring flowers and in the dining room the bride's table, covered with a Venetian lace cloth, was centered with a silver container filled with white peonies flanked by tall burning tapers in silver candelabra. At one end of the table was the three-tiered bride's cake. Punch was served throughout the afternoon in the sun room and out on the lawn.

Later in the afternoon the couple left for a wedding trip to Black Mountain. The bride wore a light blue frock with yellow topcoat and

an orchid corsage taken from her bridal bouquet.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Goodlett Thornton of Wilmington, and received her education at the New Hanover High school and St. Mary's junior college in Raleigh.

Mr. Broadfoot, son of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Broadfoot, received his education at New Hanover High school and Cheshire Academy in Connecticut.

Among those who have entertained in honor of the bride since the announcement of her engagement were: Miss Midge Strange, Miss Alice Sprunt, Mrs. L. Paul Campbell, Miss Mae Clark, Miss Anne Burr, Mrs. Theodore Bennett, Dr. and Mrs. James H. Smith, Miss Betty Swain, Mrs. J. Frank Hackler, Mrs. John N. Alexius and Mrs. E. L. White, Dinks Preston, Misses Betty Blue and Mary Davis, Mrs. W. H. Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. William G. Broadfoot and Mrs. W. W. Holladay.

Among the out-of-town guests were: Mrs. Paul MacDonald of Georgetown, S. C.; Mrs. J. G. Thornton, Jr., of Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. George F. Bason, Jr., and Mrs. Athel Burnham of Chapel Hill; Mrs. Mary Norcott Pemberton of Durham; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Claypole of New Bern; and Lieut. and Mrs. Winston Broadfoot, of Norfolk, Va.

MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Koen of RFD 3, announce the marriage of their daughter, Virginia Gertrude, to Pvt. Clair K. Canfield, son of Mrs. Harry Canfield of Mortour Falls, N. Y., on January 21, at Lexington, S. C.

The bride is now making her home in Corning, N. Y., while Pvt. Canfield is serving overseas.

Leland Pre-School Clinic Scheduled

The pre-school clinic of the Leland school will be held Tuesday beginning at 9 o'clock. All parents are urged to bring their children to this clinic. County nurses will be in charge.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Lieut. and Mrs. E. K. Warren announce the birth of a son, Edwin Kenneth, Jr., April 9, at Marion Sprunt annex. Mrs. Warren is the former Eunice Connor of this city. Lieut. Warren is now serving overseas, he was formerly employed at the ACL railroad here.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Sellars, Jr., announce the birth of a son, James Micheal, February 28, at St. Mary's hospital in Athens, Ga. Mrs. Sellars is the former Lora Mae Connor of Wilmington. Mr. Sellars is now stationed in Athens and was formerly employed here at the shipyard.

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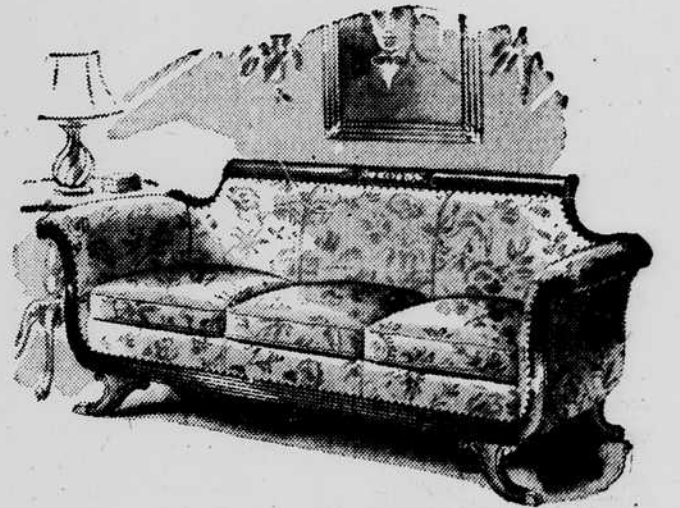
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