

AREA WORKSHOPS TO TRAIN LEADERS

Recreational Groups Will Receive Courses Four Cities Of State

Recreation leadership training institutes will be held in four area workshops on training for skills in recreation, according to Jesse Reynolds, superintendent of City recreation.

STUDENTS RECEIVE PHONE DIRECTORY

All students of New Hanover High school last week were furnished with a copy of the Student's Telephone directory for 1945-46, a 2-page booklet with cover, in which is listed the name, address, and telephone number of practically every student now enrolled at the school.

CAROLINA SCOUTS TO GIVE PROGRAM

Following participation in the anniversary parade on Friday afternoon and attendance at church in a body yesterday, Troop No. 21 and Cub Pack No. 21, Boy Scouts of America with headquarters at Carolina Beach, will be hosts tonight at 7:30 o'clock to their parents at a parent's night program to be featured by a Court of Honor.

As part of the over-all program, Troop No. 21, will present a dramatization of the birth of scouting, in which most of the Scouts will have a part. Refreshments will be served at the close.



BRUNSWICK TEACHERS APPROVE STUDY PLAN ON SALARY SCHEDULE

Brunswick county teachers have approved the recommendation of the governor's commission for a study in the field of salary schedules in schools where the merit system is now being practiced.

Rountree Memorial Gift Contains Wealth Of Books

Anyone who loves to read and everyone who reads will find the several hundred books included in the Rountree Memorial Library, a gift to the City Library in memory of the late Judge George Rountree, a guide to a liberal education as they cover philosophy, religion, economics, law, art, literature, and biography.

The books were donated to the city the first of the year by George Rountree, Jr., and his sister, Mrs. Robert C. Masterson who now lives in Hillsboro.

Judge Rountree was a well-rounded, influential and useful citizen and his friends often quoted him as a "perfect example of a thoroughbred North Carolinian."

Harvard Grad He was graduated from Harvard University in 1877, Bachelor of Arts, and married Miss Meta Alexander Davis October 27, 1881.

He was graduated from Harvard Law School in 1929. The Rountree books are being catalogued at the library as quickly as possible, according to Miss Emma Woodward head librarian, and placed on shelves with a Memorial Book plate in front of each book.

Philosophy: German Philosophy and Politics, Reconstruction in Philosophy, both books by Dewey; and Philosophy of the Good Life by Gore.

Religion: Behold the Man, by Rittelmeyer; The Druids, by Kendrick.

Books on Economics Economics: The History of Freedom, by Acton; Method of Freedom by Lippman; Old Law and the New Order, by Alger; and A Digest of Criminal Law, by Stephens.

Literature: Poems and Plays, by Goldsmith; Earthly Paradise, by Morris; Lectures and Essays, by Ainger; Essays, by Lamb; Wit, Wisdom and Pathos, by Reine; Monna Vanna, by Maeterlinck; Roman Literature in Translation, by Howe; Odes and Epodes, by Horatius; Aeschylus, by Murray; Life of the Ancient Greeks, by Gullick; Social Life in the Reign of Queen Anne, by Ashton; and Book about London, by Wagner.

Travel and History: On the Diamond Trail in British Quina, by Richardson; History of Europe, by Fisher; Inside the Peace Conference, by Dillon; First Seven Divisions, by Hamilton; Constitutional History of England, by Stubbs; Manchuria, by Adachi; Documentary Source Book of American History 1606-1913, by MacDonald; McKinley and Roosevelt Administrations, by Rhodes; Party Battles of the Jackson Period, by Bowers; J. Davis a Traitor, by Bledsoe; Southern States of the American Union, by Cherry; Old Surry, by Bohannon; and Recollections of Mississippi, by Davis.

Biographies: Victorian Chancellors by Atlay; Thompson, by Balfour; Storrs, by Saint Bernard De Clairvaux; Law, Life and Letters, by Birke; An English Wife in Berlin, by Blucher; Cunningham, by Lord Bowen; Life and Times of Henry, Lord Bowen, by Brougham; Memoirs of Prince Von Bulow, by Bulow; Recollections of Lord Coleridge, by Coleridge; Memoirs, by Curtis; Jenks, Edward Plantagenet by Edward I; Under Four Administrations, by Straus; and Her Letters, by Elizabeth Montagu.

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AVERA REQUESTS CLAIMS BE FILED

Workers At 65 May Peg Benefits, Social Security Official States

The Social Security board is offering its full cooperation to workers and former workers who have reached the age of 65 in an effort to help them avoid any loss of benefits through delay in filing claims, it was announced Saturday by N. A. Avera, manager of the Board's office in Wilmington.

"Any person who has worked enough in private industry and commerce to be insured under the old-age and survivors insurance program can file a claim at age 65 to peg his benefits at a point below which they cannot fall," Avera said.

"That was true for a time, but last year the board inaugurated a method of recalculation which will keep benefits from going down, once a claim is filed, but will not keep them from going up. If workers and former workers in private industry and commerce, who have passed the age of 65, will just come in to see us, we will give them the information and help necessary to protect their full benefit rights."

Avera pointed out that his statement does not mean that a person can draw benefits while working in jobs covered by the Social Security act. The law, he explained, provides that benefits must be given up for any month in which the worker earns more than \$14.99 in covered employment, but benefits can be stopped and resumed as often as the worker moves in and out of covered jobs.

City Briefs

CLASS TO MEET The McClure Fellowship Bible class will meet tonight at 6:30 o'clock for a supper meeting to be followed by a review of the International Sunday school lesson for next Sunday by the Rev. W. J. Stephenson, pastor of Temple Baptist church.

MRS. RHYNE INJURED Word has been received from Miss Mary Rhine, Program Director of Younger Girls' Work at the Wilmington YWCA, that she will be confined to bed at Dr. Reid's Hospital in Greensboro for about six weeks. She was injured in an auto accident while visiting friends in Greensboro last week-end (Feb. 3). Miss Rhine was x-rayed to determine the extent of her injuries, and it was found that a right lumbar vertebra was shattered. She could not be moved, and will therefore spend the time in Greensboro.

HEALTH PROGRAMS Health month is being observed by the Wilmington Young Women's Christian Association with all clubs holding programs centered around the subject of better health measures. Sound movies will be presented on Tuesday afternoon, February 12, at 4 o'clock and all club girls are invited to attend and to bring their friends. The film "Lease On Life" will be shown. The Freshman Girl Reserve Club will be in charge of the program under the leadership of their adviser, Mrs. W. S. Pullen.

DAR MEETING The Cape Fear Council No. 24, DAR, will hold its regular meeting at eight o'clock tonight in the Junior Order hall. All members are urged to attend.

MRS. P. K. WOODY ILL Mrs. P. K. Woody, wife of the clerk of New Hanover county board of commissioners, was taken from her home at Harbor Island, yesterday to Bullock's hospital, where she will undergo observation and treatment.

This Funny World



"Oh, hello, John... Come on in, we're having a swell party!"

Nursery Schools Close Feb. 28 When Funds End

Four Of Five Units In New Hanover To Shut Down

As Federal appropriation funds to cover nursery school operations will close out the end of February, all but one of the five New Hanover county nursery schools will be discontinued February 28.

Attempts have been made to continue the schools under the sponsorship of other organizations, Roland disclosed, but to-date nothing definite has been accomplished to assure the continuation of the nursery classes located in the federal housing units.

The board of education, he announced, will re-assume the responsibility of the nursery school at New Hanover High school. That course, he explained, already is partially supported by state funds, through the High school Home Economics department. Other than that, the superintendent added, the responsibility of the school board for nursery schools ends on Feb. 28.

No County Funds The High school nursery school has been financed by federal and state funds in addition to contributions by mothers, and involved no expense to the board, Roland said.

All members of nursery school classes now are children of working mothers, Roland reported. One probable reason why the FWA is discontinuing its support, he commented, lies in the fact that a number of the mothers have left their jobs and returned to their homes since the war's end.

Flooded From Oo0t0s0ide During the height of the war, when New Hanover was flooded with outsiders and mothers were finding employment outside the home, eight nursery schools were in operation in the county, records showed, while disbursements for the eight during the last fiscal year totaled \$66,495.35.

Three of the schools were discontinued in September, 1945. Since the nursery schools were begun in 1941, an average of from 300 to 500 children have been enrolled yearly.

A director is provided by state and federal vocational funds and the pupils in the homemaking department act as student assistants in the nursery school. Training in child care, Roland said, is one of the major items in their homemaking course.

WAR VETERAN WILL TAKE OVER BEETLE CONTROL WORK HERE

C. H. Brannon, head of the entomology division of the State Department of Agriculture, has announced that Capt. C. H. Hill, former Japanese beetle inspector in the Greensboro area will come to Wilmington in the spring to take charge of the white-fringed beetle control work here, it was learned yesterday.

Dutch Marines Remember In And Out Kind Wilmington Friend Of Service

Despite wars, strikes, and general human pestiferousness, there are people whose hearts remain in the right place, people who believe that man's first allegiance is to his fellows.

Last year four Dutch Marines, homesick for Holland and their families, used to come up from Camp Davis and drop in on Mrs. Helen Galloway at the Travelers' Aid society in the ACL station. When you're a long way from home the next best thing to being there is to talk about it, and the four Marines liked to talk to Mrs. Galloway because she always had a kindly and sympathetic ear for them.

Chats Cheerful They tried to keep their chats cheerful with news about their little children and their wives and their old folks. But the human heart, when it finds a sympathetic listener, cannot help from spilling out its sorrows as well as its joys.

It wasn't long before Mrs. Galloway had the whole story of the poverty and misery that had befallen Holland. The four Marines brought it a lot closer to home than the biggest newspaper headlines could ever hope to.

Mrs. Galloway, who gets up boxes of food and clothing for poor families in Wilmington at Christmas every year, decided that there wasn't a nicer thing she could do than get up some for the four Marines and their families.

One night shortly before Christmas when the Marines came in the Travelers' Aid station, they found a box for each of them, a box full of canned food and clothing for their wives and babies.

They were overwhelmed, speechless. One of them picked up a pair of shoes, and though he tried not to cry, there were tears in his eyes as he finally managed to say, "These will just fit my wife. She hasn't had a pair of new shoes in..." and he couldn't finish what he was saying.

"Dutchie" Writes And the boys didn't forget Mrs. Galloway. A few days ago she received a letter from Rotterdam. "Dutchie" one of the four, wanted to thank her again. And he paid her a great compliment, one she certainly deserves:

"You're the American how every one of the United Nations should be."

"Dutchie's" English, though not perfect, speaks the universal tongue of human kindness and understanding.

But that isn't all he had to say. He enclosed a letter from a friend, a young French teacher in Rotterdam who endured the German occupation, living elbow to elbow with fear throughout the war.

The French teacher explained that he and his wife now had a baby, and though they had finally gotten a permit to buy the child its first clothes—"6 swaddling clothes and 1 pound of wool"—they were desperately in need of more.

"We would be very thankful to you, Mrs. Galloway, if you could do something for our little one. I hope that you'll indicate me a way to pay for in return."

Mrs. Galloway and her assistant, Mrs. Marie Cordes, aim to do something about it or to do something for you right away.

It was only one thousand nine-hundred and forty years ago that another baby needed swaddling clothes. He got them. And if human hearts are still the same now as they were then—and Mrs. Galloway is the living proof that they are—the baby in war-torn Rotterdam will get them too.

SCIENTIST CHURCH STUDIES "SPIRIT" AT SUNDAY MEET

"SPIRIT" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science churches and societies on Sunday, February 10.

The Golden Text was from I Corinthians 2: 10. "The Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the deep things of God."

Among the citations comprising the lesson-sermon were the following from the Bible: "Am I a God at hand, saith the Lord, and not a God afar off? Can any hide himself in secret places that I shall not see him? saith the Lord. Do not I fill heaven and earth? saith the Lord" (Jeremiah 23: 23, 24).

The lesson-sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The three great verities of Spirit, omnipotence, omnipresence, omniscience—Spirit possessing all power, filling all space, constituting all science—contradict forever the belief that matter can be actual. These eternal verities reveal primeval existence as the radiant reality of God's creation, in which all that He made is pronounced by His wisdom good" (Page 109).

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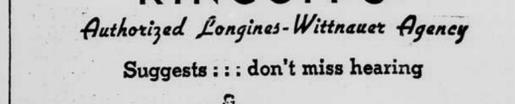
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This is the time of year when chest colds are widely prevalent. Mothers are advised to remember children's thin, tender skin is more easily irritated than an adult's and to choose a mild chest rub. Mentholatum, the modern, gentle chest rub, cools and soothes while it gently quickens the surface circulation and loosens tight, aching chest muscles. At the same time, medicated vapors rise through upper bronchial passages to ease coughing spasms. Jars, tubes, 30 cents.

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WILLIAM H. EASTERLIN Pvt. William H. Easterlin recently received his discharge from the Army at Camp Gordon's Separation center, after serving two years and five months with one year overseas in the European theater. Easterlin, a radio mechanic, took part in the Rhineland Central Europe activities. His home address is 205 North Fourth street, Wilmington.

JOHN W. MILLINOR Among the 163 enlisted men who were released to inactive duty at the U. S. Navy Personnel separation center in Charleston Saturday was John W. Millinor, Box 65, of Wilmington.

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