

**Flower Show
Poster Contest
Open to Public**

Back in 1941 when the Cape Fear Garden club presented its last Flower Show, one of the attractions was the poster contest in which pupils of all county schools competed.

With this year's return of the flower show, Mrs. Wayne Spencer, chairman of the poster contest for the show again has invited students to enter posters, which will be judged and then placed in downtown store windows for advertising purposes. Cash prizes will be awarded.

Mrs. Spencer has serving with her on this committee the following members of the Cape Fear Garden Club: Mesdames P. B. Harrah, Eugene Johnson, Bessie Saunders, Leslie N. Boney, W. S. Dasher and Mrs. A. McR. Crouch. The teachers in various schools are also assisting in many ways.

The posters will be judged in the city recreation building on April 25, at which time the judges will be Mrs. Ernest Bulluck, Mrs. Clayton Grant and Miss Bessie Symmes.

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MONARCH PRUNE PLUMS

★ We, the Women

BY RUTH MILLETT

We haven't done kids or parents any good by popularizing and dramatizing the words "juvenile delinquency" and considering it a national problem, like the housing shortage.

Whether Johnny and Susie are well-behaved kids who can be depended on isn't fundamentally a national or even a community problem.

And all the talk we've been indulging in that the schools should do this, the courts should do that, the communities should do something else is just putting off the day of reckoning.

That day is when we put the problem right back where it belongs—in the laps of the parents. Parents aren't going to like it, of course. Because if they once again assume complete responsibility for the behavior of their children, it is going to mean a lot of changes in many families.

Parents will have to go back to the old-fashioned practice of waiting up for their kids when they go out on dates. That is the only way they can be sure that they get in at a reasonable hour.

What will be even tougher on a good many modern parents is that they'll have to get a little more dignity into their own social lives. Some day we'll realize that the talking gets us no place and that this so-called national problem of "juvenile delinquency" is really a family problem.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE FEDERATION

GREENSBORO, April 17—(AP)—Delegates from all parts of the United States arrived on Women's college campus tonight for the 11th national conference of the Athletic Federation of College Women, which opens with registration tomorrow morning and continues through Sunday afternoon.

Burgaw Pilot Club Elects New Officers

At a recent meeting of the Burgaw club of Pilot International the following officers were elected:

Margaret Betts, president; Jewell H. Harrell, first vice president; Katherine Brown, second vice president; Ruth Parker, recording secretary; Frances W. Register, corresponding secretary; Emma Bryan, treasurer; Marjorie Borbeaux, Marie Bordeaux, and Tony Shaffer, directors.

The club has announced that the Spring convention of districts 5 and 6 (North and South Carolina) of Pilot Club International will be held at the Ocean Forest hotel, Myrtle Beach, S. C., April 19 and 20.

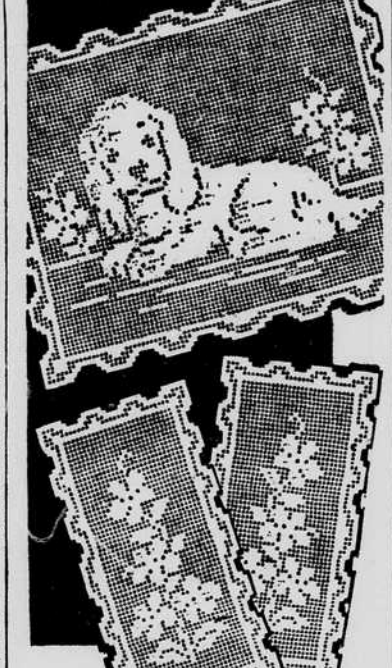
Emma Bryan, Katherine Brown, and Frances W. Register will attend this meeting as the official delegates representing the Burgaw Club of Pilot International. Seven other Burgaw club members have reservation and are planning to attend. They are: Tony Shaffer, Margaret and Lucille Betts, Ruth Patterson, Marjorie Smith, Ruth Parker, and Eloise Bordeaux.

Registration begins at 3:30 p. m. Saturday, April 19, in the lobby of the Ocean Forest Hotel, 4:00 p. m. Trip to Brookgreen Gardens, with open House from 4:00-6:00 p. m.

Dinner is scheduled for 7:30 p. m. with dancing in the ballroom.

Sunday breakfast at 8:00 a. m. followed by the business session of each district separately, with luncheon together at 1:30 p. m. and adjournment.

The Family Pet



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SIZES 14-20

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TOMORROW: GIRL'S FROCK.

PERSONALS

Misses Mary Glavann and Catherine Craig, recently moved to Washington, D.C. where they have accepted positions with the government.

Mrs. Sam Nash, Jr., Country Club Pines, expects to leave Sunday for a ten day visit in New York City.

Marvin Love, retired freight traffic department representative of the Gulf-Mobile and Ohio rail road Company, Jackson, Tennessee had arrived here today to visit his brother, A. B. Love, and Mrs. Love at 409 N. 15th street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce White, Jr., of Durham, will arrive today to spend the week-end with Mrs. White's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Henderson, Jr. Mrs. White is the former Jane Williams.

Josie Leslie, apartment 2-K, Nesbitt courts, is a patient in James Walker Memorial hospital.

Roger Sturges Riley will arrive from New York City Saturday to spend the weekend with his mother, Mrs. R. Willard Cantwell at her home in Oleander.

Miss Alice Jones, daughter of Congressman Hamilton Jones of Charlotte, and student at Finch school, New York, arrived yesterday from New York City by plane to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Emmett H. Bellamy and daughters, Mary and Lillian. While here she will be a bridesmaid in the wedding of Miss Midge Strange to Thomas L. Morton.

Mrs. J. Frank Hackler and her mother, Mrs. C. Lee Richards, left Thursday for Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Howard Freeland of Pitts-

HOME CLUBS PRAISED

TARBORO, April 17—(AP)—The work of the wives and mothers in making for happy homes and mothers in helping materially in shaping the world of today and tomorrow, John Harden, personal secretary to Governor Cherry, told a meeting here today of the 13th district federation of Home Demonstration clubs.

The district embraces Edgecombe, Nash, Johnston, Greene, Wilson and Wayne counties.

Harden said that the work of the demonstration units has raised the "North Carolina standard of living in a marked degree. Tied in close with your efforts have been the accomplishments of better homes, better schools, better churches, better roads, and better farming."

TO AID CHINA

RALEIGH, April 17—(AP)—N. C. State college and similar technological institutions in the United States will be called upon to aid in improving the educational system of China, Dr. Ralph W. Lloyd, president of Maryville (Tenn.) college, predicted here tonight.

NOTICE

Beer And Wine Dealers

City and County License Expire April 30th, 1947

Before new license can be issued it is necessary to file an application to sell beer or wine with the undersigned.

Any person, firm or corporation selling without a license is liable to indictment for violating said ordinance.

C. R. Morse,
City and County Tax Collector

WEEK END SPECIALS

ARMOUR'S STAR BEEF
ROUND STEAK, lb. 65c

SWIFT'S PREMIUM SLICED
BACON, lb. 69c

ARMOUR'S
PURE LARD, lb. 38c

CLOVERBLOOM 1/4 LB. PARTS OR 1/2 LB. PATTIES
BUTTER, lb. 72c

FRESH COUNTRY
EGGS, doz. 45c

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LAKE WACCAMAW

LAKE WACCAMAW, April 16.—The Women's Society of Christian Service of Wananish Methodist church held its regular monthly meeting Thursday, April 10, at the home of Mrs. Woodrow Wayne. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. E. B. Council, and the collect was repeated in unison.

The meeting was then turned over to Mrs. W. E. Stone, program chairman, and Mrs. Stone presented a very interesting program on "China."

At the conclusion of the program, reports of the various chairmen were given and the meeting was dismissed by a prayer. During the social hour which followed, Mrs. Wayne served refreshments.

The following members were present: Mesdames L. W. Chauncey, S. C. Chauncey, W. B. Clark, E. B. Council, R. B. Morse, Charlie Pate, Leon Pate, C. E. Riggs, B. E. Spruill, R. E. Stone and W. E. Stone.

The Rev. Strickland of the Wananish M. E. church will conduct a mission study course April 17 and 18 at 7:30 p. m. at the church. The subject of the course is, "The Fine Art of Using." The public is invited to attend.

Marco Polo found asbestos cloth being used in Siberia when he traveled there in 1250 A. D.

A plantigrade animal is one that walks flat-footed.

WILLARD

WILLARD, April 17 — The Columbia club made up of members from Ivanhoe, Willard, Currie, and Watha recently met at the home of Mrs. Carlos Cockman, Willard.

The meeting was opened with the singing of two songs, after which Mrs. Beattie Devare read the scripture and Mrs. W. C. Savage led the group in prayer.

Mrs. A. B. Herring gave a reading, and Mrs. Ralph Gurganus made some helpful suggestions on home poultry. Home management was discussed by Mrs. J. L. Costin and the district meeting plans by Mrs. Register.

The topic of demonstration was "Better Health Conservation." Following the meeting, the hostess served ice cream and home made candy.



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THE SOUTHERN BELL COMPANY'S POSITION ON ARBITRATION

The Southern Bell Telephone Company is willing and eager to settle the strike by arbitration, and if the Union will agree to arbitrate wages on the basis of Southern conditions the strike can be ended immediately.

We do not believe that any other basis of wage arbitration is fair to our customers who, in the final analysis, pay us the money we pay to our employees in wages. Eighty percent of the revenues in the nine southeastern states in which we operate is from business transacted within each state. Our employees work and live in these local communities, and pay the prices which prevail in them.

The rates which we charge our customers for both local and long distance telephone service within the state are regulated by State authorities and are established on the basis of local conditions, varying in accordance with local factors.

Wages, too, must be fixed on a southern basis if they are to be fair to employees and telephone users alike. Telephone employee wages that are far above the level of other wages paid in the community are not fair to other employees who must compete with these higher wages in order to recruit and maintain an adequate employee force. Unreasonably high telephone employee wages must also inevitably result in proportionately higher rates for telephone service.

In order to avoid a strike with its inevitable harm to all concerned we offered before the strike started to arbitrate our wage rates on the basis of comparing them with other wages paid in the south. We proposed that an impartial panel of citizens representing the public's interest, along with a representative of the Union and one from the Company, compose the board of arbitration. The Union rejected this proposal and insisted upon a determination of wage levels on a national industry-wide basis.

We have repeated our offer since the strike started. We repeat it again now, and urge the Union once again to accept it.

Our Offer Is Fair To The Union, Fair To The Company, And Fair To The Public.

If the Union would arbitrate on a fair basis the strike could be ended immediately.

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