

Legion Owens Weds Junius F. Britton

Ceremony Held In First Christian Church on September 20

On Sunday, September 20 at 3:00 o'clock in the First Christian Church amidst a background of palms, fern and beautifully arranged chrysanthemums, poms poms, and gladioli, Miss Legion Lunette Owens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Owens, and Junius Frank Britton, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Britton were united in marriage. The double ring ceremony was performed with the Rev. E. C. Alexander, pastor and uncle of the bride, officiating.

Prior to the ceremony Miss Carolyn Harris of Gatesville rendered special wedding music, with Mrs. E. E. Gentle accompanying at the organ. She sang "Because", "O Promise Me", and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride entered the church with her father. Her gown was ballerina length, the top of chantilly lace over satin with self-covered buttons, and a full skirt of nylon tulle over satin. Her veil was of nylon tulle and headpiece of seeded pearls. She carried a white prayer book topped with a white orchid.

The bride had as her maid of honor Miss Esther Warren of Edenton. She wore a ballerina length gown of pink nylon net over taffeta with headband to match. She carried a nosegay of lavender asters and yellow mums tied with lavender satin streamers.

Her attending bridesmaids were Miss Edna Lassiter, Mrs. Bobby Edwards of Portsmouth, Va., Mrs. Donald Campbell, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., and Miss Virginia Downing, cousins of the bride. They wore dresses of ballerina length of nylon net over taffeta in matching colors of pink and blue with matching headbands and carried lighted candles.

The bridegroom had as his best man Bobby Parker of Edenton. Ushers were Lynn Perry and Fred Ashley, Jr., of Edenton.

Miss Jessie Lee Downing served as mistress of ceremonies.

Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party was received in the annex of the church. The bride and bridegroom cut the wedding cake and was served by Miss Virginia Downing and Mrs. Donald Campbell, Jr. Misses Edna Lassiter and Magdalene Downing presided at the punch bowl. Other refreshments of mints, nuts were also served. Mrs. Bobby Edwards presided over the bride's book.

For her going away outfit the bride was attired in a navy faille suit with

white accessories, and her orchid corsage lifted from her prayer book. After a trip to the Skyline Drive the couple will be at home on South Court Street. Mrs. Britton is at present employed by the Town of Edenton and Mr. Britton is connected with Elliott Cleaners. They are both recent graduates of Edenton High School.

Out of town guests at the wedding were: M. L. Owens, Kinston; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kube, Portsmouth, Va.; Mrs. Ruth Warren, Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. Joseph Privott, Norfolk, Va.; and Mrs. D. B. Campbell, Jr., also of Norfolk.

On September 19 at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. C. H. Alexander and the bridesmaids were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower for the bride. She received many beautiful and useful gifts. Games were played and goodies of potato chips, mints, nuts, ice cream and cake were served.

News About Clubs In Chowan County

By MRS. IMOGENE COCHRANE
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Club Women Go On United Nations Tour

Mrs. John Hollowell, of Edenton, Route 1, and Mrs. Roland Evans, of Tyner, were among the many Home Demonstration Club women from practically every county in the state who left Monday on a United Nations Educational Tour. The women will visit many places of interest in Washington and New York and will have the opportunity to observe and study the United Nations Organization while in New York. This is the first state-wide tour for leaders that has been sponsored by the N. C. Agricultural Extension Service, and it should prove very helpful in strengthening the Home Demonstration Citizenship program in our county and state.

Fall Federation Meeting

The Fall Federation meeting of the Chowan County Home Demonstration Clubs will be held Thursday, October 15, at 2:30 in the Chowan Community Building. Miss Verna Stanton, Assistant State Home Demonstration Agent from Raleigh, will be guest speaker. At this time the delegates who attended the United Nations Tour will give reports of their trip. Achievement reports from each club will also be given and awards will be made to deserving members and clubs.

4-H Girls Submit Records In State Contest

The 4-H Girls throughout the county have been busily completing their 4-H records. Each year the member who submits the best record in each

project is selected as County Winner. A number of girls have kept good records over a period of years and this year compiled long-time records in various projects and 4-H activities. The following girls were selected as county winners, and have entered long-time records in the District and State Contest: Mary Sue Elliott, Clothing Achievement; Jackie Bunch, Home Beautification and Leadership, and Shirley Harrell, Farm and Home Electric. Shirley Harrell was County Farm and Home Electric Winner in 1951 and could not be county winner again; therefore, Marjorie Harrell was selected as County Winner. Other County Winners will be announced later.

Schedule:

Thursday, October 8 at 2:30 o'clock—Enterprise Club with Mrs. Henry Goodwin.

Friday, October 9 at 7:30 o'clock—Gum Pond Club with Mrs. Levy Nixon.

Monday, October 12, at 2:30 o'clock—Chowan Club at Chowan Community Building.

Tuesday, October 13, at 7:30 o'clock—Beech Fork Club at Mrs. Tom Bunch's.

Wednesday, October 14 at 2:30 o'clock—Ward Club with Mrs. Roy Winslow.

Thursday, October 15 at 12:45 o'clock—Radio program, WGAL.

Thursday, October 15 at 2:30 o'clock—Fall Achievement Day Program, Community Building at Cross Roads.

Chaplain Swets Speaker At Presbyterian Church

Captain William A. Swets, Protestant chaplain for the Marine Base, will preach at the regular 11 o'clock service Sunday morning at the Presby-

terian Church in the absence of the pastor, the Rev. James MacKenzie. Chaplain Swets was born and reared in Grand Rapids, Mich. He received his Bachelor of Arts from Calvin College in Grand Rapids and his Bachelor of Theology from Westminster Theological Seminary in Philadelphia, Pa. He was ordained to the ministry in 1937. He has served churches in Milwaukee, Chicago, St. Anne, Illinois and Grand Rapids. In 1944 he was given a leave of absence from the Fourth Reformed Church in Grand Rapids to become a chaplain in the Navy. After returning to the civilian ministry in 1946, he remained in the Naval Reserve. While on a two weeks tour of training duty at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois, he had opportunity to work with the thousands of recruits who were entering the service, and experienced again the challenge and oppor-

tnuity of the chaplaincy. In September, 1952, he re-entered the service and, after a refresher course at Newport, Rhode Island, became chaplain of Marine Aircraft Group 14, stationed at Cherry Point.

The chaplain's wife, the former Ethel Leestma of Grand Rapids, has received a degree in music from Hope College, Holland, Michigan, and is an experienced church organist.

Chaplain and Mrs. Swets have six children, Ethel Ann, Paul William, Marcia Kay, Karen Sue, Faith Patricia and Mary Gertrude.

Sunday School at the Presbyterian

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