

Large Crowd Attends Arts-Crafts Festival

Some 5,000 southeastern North Carolinians attended the Arts and Crafts Festival of Southeastern North Carolina Saturday and Sunday at Lake Waccamaw, according to a report from the festival chairman.

At Saturday's opening ceremony at noon, Mrs. Robert W. Scott cut the ribbon beginning the festivities. Other dignitaries sharing the spotlight with her included Ben Williams, General Curator of the N.C. Museum of Art; Mrs. Myrtle Swicegood, Southeastern District Home Economics Agent; Dr. Melvin Good, of the Division of Cultural Arts, N.C. Department of Public Instruction, and Dr. Otis G. Carnes, President of SENC-Crafts, Inc.

More than 100 craftsmen demonstrated their handicrafts throughout the two-day event, sponsored by SENC-Crafts, with an honor craftsmen's display being featured at the front of the Boys Home gymnasium, which housed most of the handicrafts. The pottery, metal craft, sculpture and basketry were spread out over the campus.

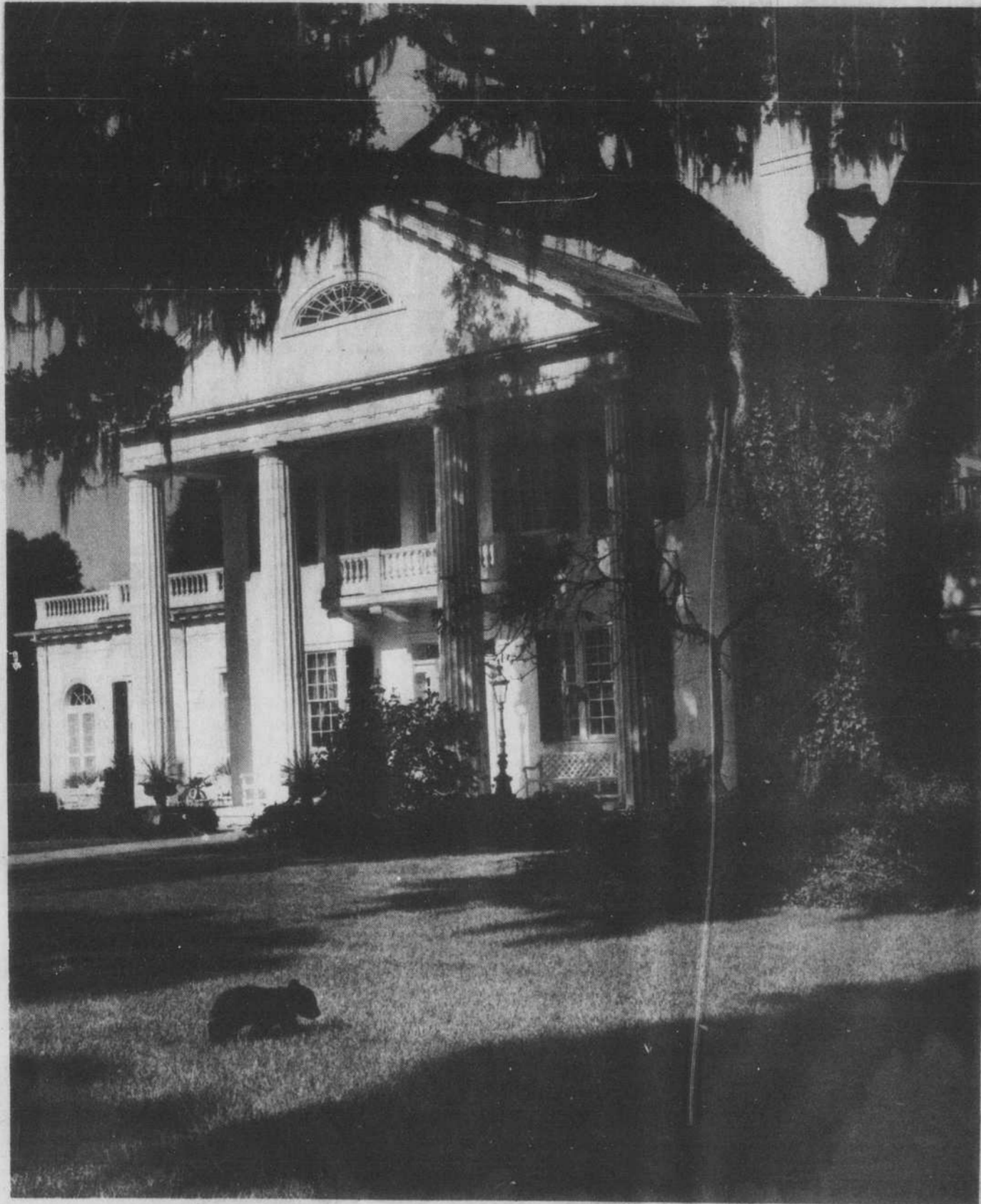
photography—three of these to Elgie Clemmons of Whiteville, and four to John Green, of Whiteville.

There were 36 ribbons awarded to a total of 83 art entries, including nine blue ribbons to the following: Miss Ann Oliver, of Marietta; Mrs. Maude Wyche, of Hallsboro; Mrs. Martha Burns, of Whiteville; Mrs. Frances Kendall, of Whiteville; Henry Wyche, of Hallsboro; Walter Saunders, of Whiteville; Mrs. Vera Royal, of Clarkton, and Paul Van Zandt, of Pembroke.

Door prize winners throughout the two days were: Mrs. Hubert Brown, of Thurmont, Md.; Evelyn McAllister, of Elizabethtown; Mrs. John Chomicz, of Wilmington; Mrs. J.E. Guyton, of Clarkton; Mrs. Thelma Tunis, of Winnabow; Mrs. Courtney Sharp Ward, of Lumberton; Mrs. James H. McAllister, of Cero Gordo; Mrs. Vance Greene, of Raleigh; Mrs. Margaret Frank, of Long Beach; Mrs. William Masis, of Raeford, and Mrs. C.R. McLeod, of Lake View, S.C.

Grand prize ticket winners were: Mrs. Homer Thomas, of Chadbourn, first; Mrs. Stewart Tolar, of Red Springs, second; and Miss Lynn Sessions, of Whiteville, third.

The Performing Arts Program at the center of campus drew a continuous audience throughout both days, as did the Experimental Film Program.



This would be a good picture even without the bear. The three-month-old cub visited Orton Plantation recently on a tour of the state promoting the North Carolina Zoological Park. A bond issue vote for the zoo will be included on

Saturday's primary ballot and should pass: the zoo will pay its own way and return many times the amount of the bond in tourist dollars for the state.

Distaff Deeds

This Quilting Party Goes on for 40 Years

By JANICE CHRISTENSEN

Aunt Dinah's quilting party may have been a pleasure to sing about, but homemakers in Alamance County are enjoying Uncle Eli's quilting party. And they have for 40 years.

Each year, on the first Thursday of April, homemakers gather for a quilting party that lasts all day and that involves meeting new friends, reminiscing with old friends, and sharing lunch.

For years the event was sponsored by the Eli Whitney School PTA. But now homemakers interested in maintaining the tradition head up the activity.

Ladies from all over the county are invited to bring a quilt, friends to help quilt and lunch.

This year's quilting party was a big success. Over 60 women gathered to quilt and talk, says Mrs. Rebecca Clough, assistant home economics extension agent.

"In fact," she adds, "Uncle Eli would have been proud of the steady hum that sounded off at his quilting party this year."

BEAR RUG
After seeing a "friendly bear" rug, Mrs. Roscoe Butler, Rowan County, decided to make one for each grandchild.

The rug is made from two yards of fake fur 60 inches wide, explains Edith Hinshaw, extension home economics agent. The bear's head is formed with a pillow.

Mrs. Butler received one more request for a rug. Her son Robby, a sophomore at N. C. State University, wanted to carry one

back to campus with him. "The rugs are great for children and teenagers to lounge on," the agent notes.

SPECIAL 4-H CLUB
Alexander County is proud of all its 4-H Clubs, but it's especially proud of the "Special Ed" club at Hiddenite.

For that club is made up of youngsters of various ages who need a "little more help" in coping with school.

LONG BEACH ZONING BOARD

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Center And Blue Water Point Marina

Town Hall 7:00 P.M.

May 16, 1972

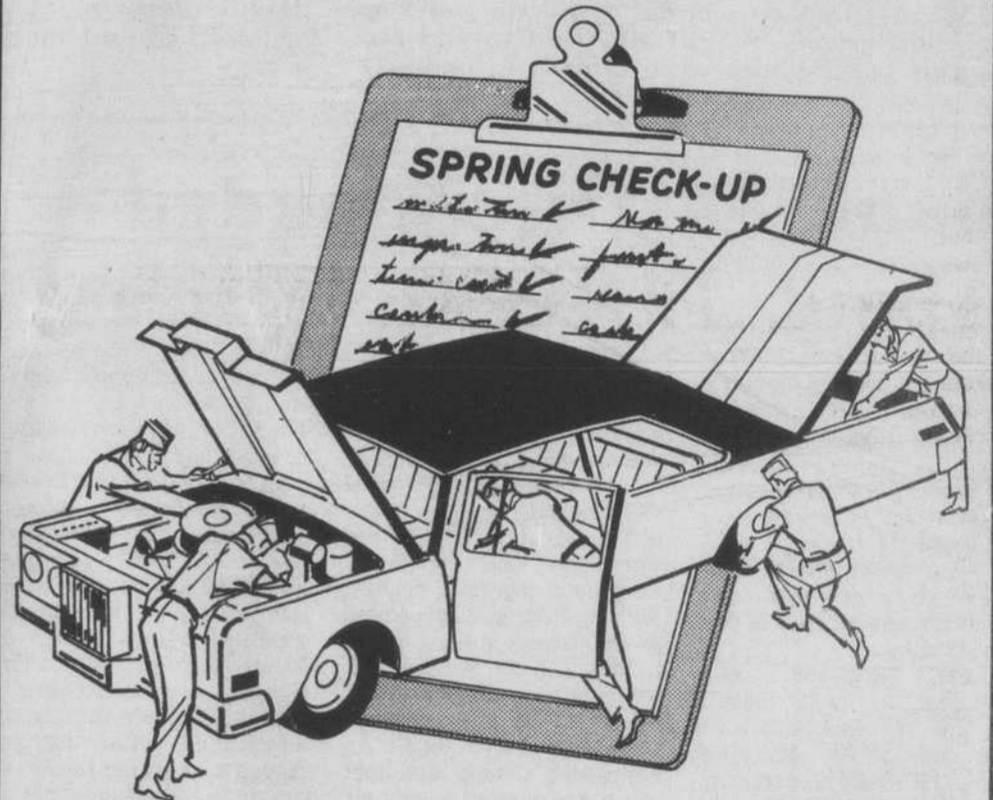
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Margaret Harper believes this is the year when the voters of North Carolina will elect a woman to a high post in state government. She wants to be that woman. She offers her qualifications as a successful business woman, a leader of proven ability in several state organizations and a record for conscientious performance of duty on numerous state commissions and committees on which she has served.

She has demonstrated her political stamina in a statewide campaign during which she has shared the platform on numerous occasions with the four men who are seeking the office of Lt. Governor. She has earned the respect of candidates for other state offices whom she has met at rally after rally across the state.

There is a growing feeling that her name on the ballot will be a major asset to the Democratic ticket in the General Election in November.

ELECT
Margaret Harper
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR