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Corinth-Holders Teacher Authors Book For Children On Swimming

A member of the Corinth-Holders School faculty is the author of a book for boys and girls.

Mrs. Margaret Winstead Stillwell's book, "Jill and Joy Learn to Swim," was released to the book stores Tuesday, October 24. It is published by Exposition Press, Inc., of New York.

Starting by stooping to pick up a pebble in shallow water, twins Jill and Joy progress in an orderly, step-by-step fashion until they learn how to handle themselves safely in very deep water. They are six years old and for their birthday their very wise mother and father have decided to give them swimming lessons.

Miss Dowling, their instructor, knows well how to make children and water good friends fast. Her methods will be of interest and value to parents, children, and all those involved in recreation guidance.

Every line of the story glistens with the fresh, clean excitement of children splashing confidently in sparkling water.

How did the book get started? On a snowy day last winter, the



Margaret Winstead Stillwell

soft-spoken, charming author said.

"We had some snowy days last winter and had to stay home from school. I always wanted to write, so I picked up the pencil and began the story then. I decided it was just as good a place to get started as any."

Mrs. Winstead is thoroughly familiar with her subject matter. During her college years she was playground supervisor with the Wilson Recreation Department, where she coached and taught children many games and interests.

She smilingly said she is not athletically inclined, but she has no aversion to sports. She feels they are good and necessary to any way of life.

"After jotting down things in my story," she said, "I would type them at night. Of course, there were some revisions to make."

Writing, she implied, is not easy when one has a full occupation, family to look after, house-keeping to do, and other activities

a mother must carry on.

Her publisher accepted the manuscript in March.

Mrs. Stillwell graduated from Atlantic Christian College in 1951 with a bachelor of arts degree in elementary education. In 1951-52 she was a member of Wakelon School faculty. She has since taught at Angier and has taught fifth grade at Corinth-Holders for the past three years.

She is married to Patrick Stillwell, and the couple are the parents of three children, two boys and a girl ranging in ages of eight, five and two and one-half. The family resides in Wendell. Mr. Stillwell is employed with a Raleigh refrigeration firm as a welder.

"Yes, I hope to do more writing," Mrs. Stillwell said, "if I can find the time. I certainly intend trying again."

Her hobbies. Reading. She likes any type of reading material.

"My aim in writing this book is to encourage children to learn to swim, to allay their fears of water, and to offer some guidance for parents and swimming instructors in approaching the very young," Mrs. Stillwell said.

Parents will enjoy reading "Jill and Joy Learn to Swim" to their small children, and older children will enjoy reading this delightfully written and illustrated story themselves as a prologue to swimming lessons.

Bulldogs Maul Wendell, 34-0

By Bill Quick

The Wakelon Bulldogs scored late in the first half and then coasted for two quarters to whitewash the Wendell White Rams 34-0 last Friday night on the locals' home field.

Wendell, outfighting and outplaying Wakelon for over 25 minutes, saw the Bulldogs take a 7-0 halftime lead just seconds before the first half ended. The lightning-fast TD came on a 30-yard pass from Quarterback Tommy Wood to halfback Randy Creech. Speedy Bobby Sawyer ran the extra point to give Wakelon a one touchdown lead with less than a minute remaining in the half.

Individually, the statistics show that Laspino picked up 44 yards; Leffingwell, 20; Sawyer, 60; Wood, 39, and Creech 11. Wood completed 7 of 14 passes for 112 yards. Wakelon was penalized 85 yards, Wendell penalized 50. Wakelon had nine first downs, Wendell six. Wood had one pass intercepted while the Bulldogs intercepted four Ram passes.

The Bulldogs' record now stands at 4-3 overall and 3-1 in Conference play.

Their journey to Helena in Person County this Friday night

BAZAAR

Final plans have been made for the seventh annual bazaar sponsored by the WSCS of Zebulon Methodist Church. The bazaar is scheduled for Tuesday, November 14, according to Mrs. Frank Wall, and will be held from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Luncheon will be served from 11:30 to 1:30. The meal will consist of turkey with all the trimmings. Tickets will be on sale for \$1.00 per person.



Methodists Show Off Their \$28,000 Parsonage Sunday

Zebulon Methodist Church owns one of the most handsomely built parsonages to be found in the South. And Sunday, October 15, it was shown to congregations of the Methodist and Baptist Churches and other invited guests at open house.

The parsonage, located at 204 West Glenn Street, is a New Orleans French-American and contemporary design. This connotation was given to it by its occupants, the Rev. and Mrs. William K. Quick.

The brick parsonage is built on a 95 by 200 foot lot. It is on one of the highest elevations in that area.

The parsonage, lot, and furnishings are valued at \$28,000.

The plumbing and wiring labor was donated by A. D. Privette, Curtis Privette and Foster Lewis.

Members of the Building Committee were M. J. Sexton, chairman; Albert Pulley, Foster D. Finch, T. B. Hepler, Milton Strickland, Millard Alford and the minister.

The Parsonage Finance Committee was headed by T. E. Hales, chairman; R. D. Massey, treasurer; H. C. Wade, P. O. Farmer, Jimmy Spivey, F. D. Finch and Elmer D. Finch.

Mrs. F. D. Finch was chairman of the open house and other members, representing the three circles of the WSCS, were Mrs. S. G. Flowers, Mrs. C. E. Flowers and Mrs. Quick.

Mrs. Quick, an interior decorating major, was in charge of doing the interior of the parsonage.

Approximately 200 people attended the open house. The Rev. and Mrs. Quick greeted guests. H. C. Wade presided over the regis-

try; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hales, the bedrooms; Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Sexton and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pulley, the living room; and Mr. and Mrs. Foster Finch said good-byes.

Mrs. S. G. Flowers presided at the punch bowl. Refreshments were under the supervision of Mrs. A. S. Hinton. Refreshments were fruit punch, chicken salad sandwiches, salted nuts and date-nut squares.

Floral arrangements were done by Miss Mary Vic Broughton.

REVIVALIST



The Rev. Cline Borders of Gaffney, S. C., will conduct the revival service at Samaria Baptist Church, Route 2, Middlesex, beginning Monday, October 30, and continuing through November 7.

Come One, Come All

Halloween Carnival

Come witches, come ghosts! Come goblins, come ghouls! Come one and all to Wakelon School for the greatest Halloween Carnival ever!

Festivities will begin in the school auditorium at 7:00 the night of October 31. Admission will be 5¢ for children and 10¢ for adults to see the crowning of the Kings and Queens for the primary, elementary and high school division. This ceremony will be followed by the judging of costumes. Prizes will be awarded in three categories: grades 1-3, grades 4-8, and grades 9-12 and adults.

Also in the auditorium there will be a drawing for cakes on which chances will be sold at three for 25¢.

In the lunchroom there will be refreshment stands selling hot dogs, soft drinks, popcorn, and candy. There will be a ghost room, fishing booth, a dart board, and other games of skill or chance.

One big feature in the lunchroom will be the bingo game for which prizes have been donated by local merchants.

In a classroom near the lunchroom there will be dancing supervised by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Massey.

The FFA will sponsor a hay ride. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Potter will—weather permitting—set up their telescope on the playground. For 10¢ Halloween revelers will be able to see Jupiter, Saturn, and the Moon.

Hardin Hinton, chairman of the P. T. A. committee making arrangements for the Halloween Carnival, urges students and parents to attend. The carnival will provide lots of fun for the young and the young in heart, and at the same time it will raise funds for the many worthwhile projects of the P. T. A. The big project this year is buying a piano for the school.

Wakelon Student Named Outstanding Drum Major



Mickey Hinton

Mickey Hinton was judged the outstanding drum major at Cary Band Day held Saturday, October 7. He was presented a gold trophy.

Mickey, one of the most popular students at Wakelon High School, has been a high stepping, rhythmic drum major with the Wakelon band for the past four years.

In high school he is a member of the Glee Club, annual staff, Dramatics Club, Beta Club, National Honor Society, Science Club, and ranks in the top ten of the senior class, of which he is a member.

During his junior year he served as a marshal, was in the cast of the junior and senior plays, and is a typist for the annual copy.

Talented, he has developed his talents with seven years of piano from Mrs. Rodney McNabb, ten years of dancing from the late Mrs. H. C. Wade, and two years advanced dancing study with Lehman Studio of Dance in Raleigh.

A member of Zebulon Baptist Church, Mickey is serving as pianist in the Young People's Sunday School Department.

After graduation from Wakelon, Mickey plans to enroll in the University of North Carolina and take a degree in dramatic art and choreography.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hinton, who reside in Wakefield.