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## 100th Visit of Town Hostess Is To Young Couple

### She Finds Mr. and Mrs. Cook Completing Construction of Home out Near Airport

Chapel Hill's hostess, Mrs. Marjorie Bradshaw, made her 100th official visit Wednesday morning. It was to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olin C. Cook in the new colony out near the airport.

Mrs. Bradshaw's service, calling on newcomers to welcome them and give them information about the community, is conducted under the auspices of the Chapel Hill-Carrboro Merchants Association and is supported by 22 leading merchants.

Mr. Cook, a graduate student, is studying chemistry, physics and mathematics to prepare himself to enter the University medical school. He and his wife are completing the construction of their home on Barclay boulevard while they live in it.

Mrs. Bradshaw found them both in coveralls. He had just come back from going to get some tools and was putting down a floor in one of the rooms, and his wife was helping him. Like other families on whom the hostess has called since she began on her rounds last month, they were glad to see her and thanked her for coming.

Mr. Cook is a nephew of the late Romy Story, a celebrated University athlete of the early 1900's, and is a cousin of Assistant Librarian O. V. Cook. Several of his relatives have been students here.

Newcomers in the village have been pleased at Mrs. Bradshaw's visits. Many of them have told Vic Huggins, president of the Merchants Association, and other merchants how much they appreciate the attention. Sometimes they telephone Mrs. Bradshaw after she has called on them, and she has been able to help them in various ways.

## Needlework Guild to Have an Ingathering

The annual Ingathering of the local chapter of the National Needlework Guild will be held at 3:30 Tuesday afternoon in the Recreation Center. The garments and other articles that have been contributed to the guild, to be distributed to families in need through home-county and home-town agencies, will be on display.

This is not a meeting for directors; it is a meeting for the whole chapter and all members are urged to attend.

After a short business session there will be a talk by Miss Gay Currie, present YWCA secretary and former visiting nurse for the county health department. She will tell of the usefulness of the guild as an adjunct to welfare and charitable agencies and will emphasize the fact that a guild chapter, though part of a national organization, gives only to people at home.

Every member of the guild gives two articles of clothing or household linen, or the equivalent in money.

### Candidates for County Officers

The Democratic and Republican candidates for county officers are: For State senator, James Webb (D) and John F. Crawford (R); for representative in the legislature, J. W. Umstead (D) and Max C. Weaver (R); for county commissioners, Collier Cobb, Ben F. Wilson, and H. G. Laws (D) and D. L. McBane, W. S. Hunt, and Rufin Pendergraft (R).

## An Explanation of the Ballots

The Chapel Hill voter, when he goes to the polls Tuesday, will receive 5 ballots, on 5 separate sheets, to mark and then deposit in 5 separate boxes. I do not have enough space for the reproduction of the ballots, but I will give here an explanation which may be helpful to persons not familiar with the voting procedure. If you like, you can cut this piece out and take it with you into the voting booth.

**Official Presidential Ballot.** Make a cross-mark with pencil in the circle under the name of the party whose candidates for President and Vice-President you want to vote for. No names of candidates for other offices, and no names of electors, appear on this ballot.

**Official Ballot for State Officers, U. S. Senator, and Congressman.** To vote a straight ticket, make a cross-mark in the circle under the name of the party of your choice. If you want to split the ticket, you can do so in two ways: (1) make no mark in any circle but make a cross-mark in the square opposite the name of every candidate for whom you want to vote, or (2) make a cross-mark in the circle under the name of the party for some of whose candidates you want to vote, and then mark in the square opposite the name of any candidate of any other party for whom you want to vote.

**Official County Ballot.** The same directions apply as for the official State ballot, except that each party has under its name a square, instead of a circle, for the mark of a person wanting to vote a straight ticket.

**Official Township Ballot.** Constable is the only office for which a candidate is named on this ballot, and the only party offering a candidate is the Republican. If you want to vote for a Democrat for constable, write in whosever name you choose.

**Official Ballot on Constitutional Amendments.** There are four proposed amendments to the State Constitution. Vote For or Against by making cross-mark in the appropriate square opposite each amendment. Remember: on this ballot you are to make four cross-marks.

### The Weekly and the Printshop Will Have an Open House Next Friday

The Chapel Hill Weekly and the Orange Printshop are 25 years old this year. They will celebrate the anniversary by having an open house at their building on Rosemary lane next Friday, November 5, from 4 to 6 o'clock in the afternoon and from 7 to 9 in the evening. The personnel of the newspaper and the printshop will be on hand to show the plant to visitors. You will see how the wheels go round. Everybody is invited.

## Piccadilly Quartet Having Big Time in New York

Mrs. W. W. Pierson, Mrs. Roy Homewood, Mrs. J. Burt Linker, and Mrs. V. A. Hill are having a big time in New York.

They left Raleigh at 12:30 A.M. day before yesterday ("We're riding on a day coach so we'll have more money to spend when we're in New York," said one of them), arrived in the city about noon, taxied from the Pennsylvania Railroad station up Seventh avenue to Times Square, and quartered themselves at the Piccadilly hotel.

They are well situated for their purposes, for the Piccadilly is close to the theatres, the shops, all the restaurants any visitor would want to go to, and several art museums. This hotel is not only a fine place to start out from. It has a high retreat and repose value because it is so easy to get back to when your feet get tired. Riding in taxis gives only a small measure of relief to the feet in New York. You can't taxi up and down the corridors of department stores, or across the lobby and along the aisles in the Radio Music Hall, or in the subterranean arcades that abound in the metropolis; and even on the streets, when you are going only a few blocks, traveling in a taxi takes

### Collection of Church Plays

"Fourteen Plays for the Church," edited by Kai Jurgensen and Robert Schenkkan and published by the Rutgers University Press, has recently been distributed to book stores throughout the country. The plays were translated, adapted, and arranged from middle German, French, English, and Latin plays of the 10th and 15th centuries. Mr. Jurgensen and Mr. Schenkkan were aided in the translations by Francis Bliss. Instructions are given by the editors for producing the plays. The five pieces of original mood music included were composed by Wilton Mason. The costume plates were the work of Lynn Gault. The plays are arranged in three sections, for performances at Christmas, Easter, and other seasonal occasions.

### Stray Dogs Will Be Picked Up

Beginning the first of next week, all stray dogs in the village will be picked up and put in the town dog pound. According to the town ordinance, a stray dog is one which has no collar or license tag and is unaccompanied. Stray dogs are taken to the pound, at Dr. Nathan's Veterinary Hospital, and kept there for five days. If unclaimed, they are destroyed. The ordinance provides that a person claiming a dog from the pound must pay a fine of \$2.50.

### LeGette Blythe at Bull's Head

LeGette Blythe will talk about his recently-published novel, "Bold Gallean," at the Bull's Head Bookshop tea at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in the staff room on the ground floor of the Library.

more time and is more trouble than traveling on foot.

When your hotel is near the places you want to go to, the strength and eagerness of your feet can be renewed easily several times in the course of the day. You return to your room; sink down upon a bed, thereby getting your feet off the floor; and in a few minutes you are all ready for the fray again.

The quartet of Chapel Hillians bought tickets to some of the best of the current New York plays before they left here.

They will be home again about day after tomorrow.

## Mrs. Sutton and Mr. Warren Injured in Accidents

Near closing time Tuesday night Mrs. J. L. Sutton was straightening up things in the rear of Sutton's drug-store when she bent over to remove a roll of brown paper tape from beneath the large cash register stand at the back counter, and the cash register toppled over on her. The blow dislocated two of her ribs and fractured a vertebra. She is in a cast at Watts hospital. It is expected she will have to remain in the hospital for at least two months.

### Rent Control Reminder

Landlords and tenants are reminded by the rent control office here that they have only until December 31 to sign leases for a 15 percent increase in rent. This would give the landlord 15 percent higher rent and gives the tenant lease on the premises at least until December 31, 1949. All leases entered into must be filed with the rent control office over Andrews-Henninger's within 15 days of their execution. No leases may be executed after December 31, 1948.

### Faculty Club to Hear about Escheats

Kemp S. Cate, the University escheats officer, will be the speaker at the Faculty Club luncheon at 1 o'clock Tuesday at the Carolina Inn. He will tell of the nature of his work and of some adventures he has had in obtaining unclaimed estates, unclaimed bank deposits, and other ownerless property that belongs to the University under the State Constitution and laws.

### Philological Club Meeting

The Philological Club will meet at 7:30 Tuesday evening in the Graham Memorial. Preston H. Epps, professor of Greek in the University, will read a paper entitled "Greek Tragedy Mere Tragedy of Fate?"

### Graham Joins in Supporting Truman and Censuring Wallace's Party

Frank P. Graham, President of the University, joined 35 of the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt's associates and advisers in Washington this week in a statement in support of Truman for President. The statement said that Truman was a candidate "on the most liberal platform ever adopted by a major party" and characterized Wallace's Progressive Party as "the most serious attempt in the history of our nation by a totalitarian group to capture and destroy American Liberalism."

## Chapel Hill Chaff

Arthur C. Nash, the University's consulting architect, came from Washington at the weekend to confer with the faculty committee on buildings and grounds. I met him in the lobby of the Carolina Inn and we talked about this and that.

When Mr. Nash lived in New York as a young man, forty-odd years ago, he had an apartment on 59th street. It was not far from the Central Park Zoo, and often at night, when the city noises had died down, he could hear the lions roar. If he had been on a safari in Africa, sleeping in a tent, the presence of lions so close by might have been alarming. But here the lions were behind stout steel bars. Not only that, but there were platoons of police, well armed, to come upon the scene in case of a zoo-break. So, the roaring of the lions was just a lullaby to the rising young architect.

He moved away from New York. He traveled about the world. He was a teacher of architecture at Cornell University in Ithaca. He lived here in Chapel Hill in the 1920's and early 1930's. Several years ago he settled in Washington. Recently he moved to an apartment near Rock Creek Park. It happens to be near the part of the park where the zoo is.

Thus his wanderings have brought him to the completion of a curious cycle: from one gang of lions to another. Again the sound of roaring comes through the night, and he finds that it disturbs him no more in Washington than it did in New York. It still serves as a lullaby.

J. A. Warren, treasurer of the University, was struck by an automobile Tuesday and is in Watts hospital with a compound fracture of the left elbow. The accident occurred at the corner of Franklin and Raleigh streets. Mr. Warren, walking home for the midday meal, was starting to cross Franklin street when he was struck by the side of a car driven by a married student who lives in Victory Village. The word from the hospital just before this paper went to press yesterday afternoon was that he was getting along well.

### Mr. Habel Is New Baptist Minister

Rev. Samuel T. Habel, Jr., will come here next week as minister of the Chapel Hill Baptist church. Mr. Habel is a graduate of the University of Richmond, the Southern Baptist Theological seminary in Louisville, and of the University of Edinburgh. His former pastorates include the First Baptist Church, Nashville, N. C., the First Baptist Church of Enfield, and the West End Baptist Church of Suffolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Habel and their three children are expected to move into their new home at 212 W. Rosemary next Thursday.

### County Pigs Score Prizes

Dr. George Chrisman of the health department told the Rotary club at its meeting Wednesday night that each one of the 18 pigs sent to the State Fair in Raleigh by the Spotted-Poland China association here won a ribbon and altogether garnered \$100 in prize money. The association is one of three Orange county pig-breeding clubs sponsored by the Rotary. E. P. Barnes, assistant county agent, handled the pigs at the fair.

Another feature of the program was the showing by O. K. Cornwell of movies of the Carolina-Georgia football game.

## Red Cross Formulating Plan to Enroll Volunteers to Give Aid To Various Community Agencies

### The State and County Ballots Are Very Important

#### An Editorial

Whoever you support for President in the election next week, be sure to vote for the Democratic candidates for State and county officers.

There is a separate ballot for State officers, U. S. Senator, and Congressman. Make a cross-mark in the circle under the word Democratic. Thus you will vote for Broughton for Senator, Carl Durham for Congressman, Scott for Governor, Harry McMullan for Attorney General, and other Democratic candidates.

There is a separate ballot for county officers. Make a cross-mark in the square under the word Democratic. Thus you will vote for Collier Cobb, Ben F. Wilson, and H. G. Laws for county commissioners, as for John W. Umstead as representative in the legislature, and for James Webb as State senator.

## Girl Scout Week

Girl Scout Week will begin day after tomorrow (Sunday, October 31) with an 11 o'clock service in the second floor Sunday school room of the Methodist church. Brooks Patten, director of the Wesley foundation, will conduct the service. Members of the seven Chapel Hill Girl Scout troops will participate. Parents of the Scouts are invited.

There will be displays of Girl Scout projects in the Andrews-Henninger store window and at troop birthday parties. The parties are held every year to honor the late Juliet Low, founder of the national organization. Scouts will be in uniform all through the week.

A member of the Scout council and of the troop committee (which is composed of Scout mothers) will be present and assist with each party program.

Members of the Scout council are Mrs. J. M. Saunders, commissioner; Mrs. R. E. Jamerson, vice-commissioner; Mrs. Fletcher Green, secretary; J. M. Saunders, treasurer; J. Temple Gobel, financial adviser; Mrs. N. J. Demerath, organization chairman; Mrs. Maurice Newton, training chairman; Mrs. Rogers Wade, program chairman; Mrs. Maurice Whittinghill, camp chairman; Mrs. A. H. Shepard, public relations chairman; Mrs. Ernest Mackie, registrar.

### Maddy, Democrat, for Constable

There is no Democratic candidate for constable on the official township ballot in the election next week, but space is provided for a write-in. Frank Maddy, who has been doing part-time police work in Chapel Hill, has declared himself the Democratic candidate for constable, and all who want to vote for him can do so by writing his name in the blank space under the word Democratic. L. W. Sparrow is the Republican candidate.

### Geologists' 2-Day Field Trip

Geologists from North and South Carolina will leave from here tomorrow on a geological society field trip through the Deep River coal basin, in the Sanford-Jonesboro area. They will return Saturday night, and set out again Sunday morning. J. A. Reinemund of the United States Geological survey will lead the trip.

### First Step Will Be a Survey, to Find Out Where Help Is Needed and at What Times

A more far-reaching plan and one with better promise than any yet devised, for employing people's goodwill and energies in community service, is now in process of formulation by the Red Cross.

It was the main subject of discussion at a gathering, Wednesday afternoon at Mrs. Russell Grumman's, of department chairman and other leaders in Red Cross work in Chapel Hill and Carrboro.

In brief the plan is this: to find out where help is needed, and at what times, by various community agencies (such as, for example, the anti-polio committee, the anti-cancer committee, and the home-nursing service); to inform the public about the needs; to enroll volunteers; and to attend to the distribution of the volunteers among the agencies.

The first step will be a community survey.

Many citizens, specially women, eager to devote some of their time to helping people in distress, ask: "What can I do?" The Red Cross plans to give them the answer.

The suggestion for this enterprise came from a Chapel Hillian, Gordon Blackwell, head of the social work division of the University. The merit of it was immediately recognized by the general Red Cross organization.

The plan was the main topic of the talk by a guest speaker at Wednesday's gathering, Miss Ruth Kernodle, assistant director of volunteer services for the Southeastern Area of the Red Cross. Another guest speaker was Miss Janet Cox of Rocky Mount, the Red Cross's field representative in this part of North Carolina.

## The Collections Fall Short of Chest Quota

The Community Chest campaign drive is \$4,200 short of reaching the \$12,000 quota set for this year. At the latest count, \$7,806.45 had been collected. Consequently, the drive will continue.

Roy Armstrong, drive chairman, urges all Chapel Hill people who have not contributed to do so immediately. "Although the hundreds of volunteer workers did a superb job in canvassing the town," he said, "there still are many townspeople they did not reach. Every person who has not yet had a chance to donate can mail the contribution to Mr. H. C. McAllister, Howell Hall, Chapel Hill, or leave it with Paul Eubanks at Eubanks drug-store."

Mr. Armstrong says that 400 people in town, by sending in just \$10 each, could put the drive over the top. He wishes to remind the townspeople that in contributing to the drive, they are giving to eight different organizations for the whole year.

### Mrs. Cranford Resigns

Mrs. H. C. Cranford resigned as secretary-treasurer of the Chapel Hill-Carrboro Merchants association at a meeting of the board last Monday night. She will continue her work as secretary to F. O. Bowman, only now on a full-time basis. A successor to fill the association job has not been appointed.

### Request from the P.T.A.

The safety committee of the Parent-Teachers' Association issued a request this week that drivers of cars let pupils on and off on the west side of the elementary school steps and not in front of the school, so as to avoid congestion.