

Society and Personals of the Sandhills

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Old Home Week In Cartagena

There's nothing, it is said, quite so nice as meeting up with an old friend when you are both far from home. Anyway, it is reliably reported that there was right good feeling in the exotic old port of Cartagena, a while back, when Doris Eddy Gentsche dropped in on Richard Wilson.

The Gentsches, Judge Walter and Doris, of Jaffrey, N. H., were on a Caribbean cruise. When they found that they were to touch at Cartagena they remembered that Dick Wilson, formerly of Southern Pines, lived there. Now employed by the Andian Oil Co., a subsidiary of Standard, Wilson has been in business there for several years, with only an occasional visit home.

The Wilsons entertained the Gentsches for dinner and then they went to a Spanish movie presented in the theatre, an ex-bullfight ring.

The two Southern Pines folks had a big time talking over old days in the Sandhills and Mrs. Gentsche, (Doris, to us) reports that the Wilsons have a lovely home and four equally attractive children, the last two twin girls.

Donna Dawson Has Birthday Party

Little Donna Dawson was the "birthday girl" last Monday, and guest of honor at a party the preceding Saturday afternoon given by her mother, Mrs. A. C. Dawson.

Donna, four years old, was the recipient of many lovely gifts from her little friends who were guests at the party.

Mrs. Dawson had decorated the home to carry out the valentine theme and the favors which each child received were little valentine bags chock full of candy.

Games were played, after which Mrs. Dawson served ice cream and birthday cake which was attractive with four lighted candles.

Guests included Betsy Scheipers, Gail Givens, Johnny McMillan, Peter Beulow, Tony de Costa, John and Joan Grover, Alice Anne Gamble, Lloyd Clark, Jr., Nancy Rawlinson, Judy and Rosie Chandler, Bill Howard, Robert Cathey, Jr., Tommy Reams, Norwood Lide and Billy Sugg.

Drove Of Does, Elks Enjoy "Tacky Party"

Mrs. George Moore, all decked out with high button shoes, an old fashioned jacket with fringe, a short skirt, white silk gloves and a panama hat took first prize for the "tackies" costume for women at the "tacky party" given by the Drove of Does for the Elks last week at the Civic center.

Winner for the tackiest man was Chan Page who represented a Highlander with plaid pants and jacket, green beret and a shoulder bag.

Old man winter had little effect on the gay party as attendance was excellent.

A committee of 11 Does, under the leadership of Mrs. John Ormsby, planned the program which consisted of many dances including the old standby, Paul Jones, which was responsible for much of the fun.

Games were played and refreshments of assorted sandwiches, potato chips, relishes and cokes were enjoyed by the fun makers.

Mrs. Kivette Honors Guest With Luncheon

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Murphy, of Myrtle Beach, S. C., formerly of Southern Pines, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kivette last week.

Mrs. Kivette entertained at luncheon in honor of Mrs. Murphy Wednesday afternoon at her home on Ashe street.

A delicious three-course luncheon was served at the table, which carried a beautiful arrangement of white and yellow spring flowers, to the guest of honor, Mrs. Lamar Jackson, Mrs. Ralph Chandler, Mrs. George McElderry, Mrs. Cora Lewis, Miss Elinor Valentine, Mrs. William Dale, Mrs. R. C. Dubose and Mrs. Fred Chapell.

Anniversary Dinner

Col. and Mrs. G. P. Hawes, of Pinehurst, celebrated their 46th wedding anniversary with a small dinner party Sunday evening at the Dunes club.

Their guests for the memorable occasion were General and Mrs. George Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Allen, Mrs. Dingley and Miss Ruth McEnergy.

Colonel Thompson To Address Civic Club

Col. Frank Thompson, retired army chaplain of Knollwood, will speak on Robert Burns at the next meeting of the Civic club, to be held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to attend and also to enjoy a cup of tea with the members following the program, according to announcement by Mrs. L. D. McDonald, president.

The board of directors will meet at 2:30 preceding the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams Entertain At Supper

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Adams entertained a small group of friends Sunday evening with a delightful supper and an evening of chatting and card playing.

Highlighting the menu were the delicious homemade barbecue sandwiches served by Mrs. Adams.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Bud Rainey, Capt. and Mrs. Joe Autin and Miss Olive Barry, all of Pinehurst; and Miss Millie Montesanti, Hermann Grover, Miss Irene Alexander and Joe Montesanti, Jr., of Southern Pines.

Guilds To Meet

Due to trouble with the heating system of the Emmanuel Episcopal church, the Woman's Auxiliary meetings scheduled to be held this week were postponed.

St. Mary's Guild will have their meeting Monday, February 16, at 3 p. m. in the parish house.

St. Anne's Guild will meet this Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the parish house.

Highland Pines Inn

Mrs. E. C. Buffum of Valley road entertained several guests at the buffet supper last Sunday evening at the Highland Pines Inn.

Recent arrivals at the Inn are: Mr. and Mrs. Clendon Dawson, Cranbury, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Drumm, of Albany, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Bernon Delp, Oxford, Pa.; J. J. Dallas, Scranton, Pa.; Richard Dunlap, of Charlotte; Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hutchinson, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dr. H. B. Stone, Dr. and Mrs. A. Stone, and Mrs. Page Stone Jones, all of Roanoke, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Long, Buffalo, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mitten, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. James O'Brien, of Taunton, Mass.; Judge and Mrs. F. X. Reilly, Westboro, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Regan, of Haverhill, Mass.; P. A. Riley, Darlington, S. C.; Clifford Shangle, Hightstown, N. J.; Mrs. S. S. Steward, Monkton, Md.; H. Kirk Taylor, of Greenville, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. George W. Shomo, Hamburg, Pa.; Dan T. Henderson, Columbia, S. C.; and Jack Copeland, of Decatur, Ga.

At The Hollywood

Arrivals at the Hollywood hotel include: Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Maloney, New York City; J. W. Morgan, of Philadelphia, Pa.; North Winship, Macon, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Bern, of New Haven, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tobin, Lincoln, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Knapp, Soda, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Remington, Glen Falls, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Prant, of Verona, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Bennett, of Saybrook Point, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turnbull, of Jone, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris, Martinsburg, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Early, of New Hope, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dowling, Westbury, N. Y.

Paul Brooks, of Berwys, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Aswell, of New Canan, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Loomis, West Hartford, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. Willis Punnett, Bloomfield, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Weldon, of Westfield, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Stanton, Newton, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lewis, Newton Center, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hall and family, of Delmont, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bowler, and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Butterworth, of Richmond, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. George W. Magee, of Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ray and daughter, Freeport, N. Y.; and Brig. General and Mrs. Thomas A. Power, of Washington, D. C.

Six tables were in play at bridge Saturday evening in the main lounge of The Hollywood. High score prize was won by W. H. Weldon and second to John Ormiston, of Newfoundland, N. J.

Auxiliary To Present Americanism Program

A cordial invitation to the public to attend the American Legion auxiliary's Americanism program, to be held Tuesday at 8:15 p. m. at the Community building, has been extended by Mrs. Haynes Britt, unit chairman.

The auxiliary has planned the meeting as a special feature in connection with the Americanism campaign in which it is participating with its national body.

Arthur Cundy, Chamber of Sanford, a native-born Englishman who has become a naturalized citizen and an authority on his adopted land, will be the guest speaker. The high school band directed by J. G. Womble, will play.

Dinner Guest

Donald Carr, of Connecticut, a season guest at the Highland Pines Inn, entertained at dinner Friday evening his friend, Steven E. Budd, ex-MPH of the Ritchfield County Hounds of Connecticut and owner of Sir Gilbert, well-known horse frequently shown in the Piedmont.

Mr. Budd is a prominent judge of jumpers, and hunted much with the late James Boyd.

At The Pine Needles

Recent arrivals at The Pine Needles include: Mr. and Mrs. George R. Rinke, Old Greenwich, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hall, of Greenwich, Conn.; Miss Gwendolyn Fearing, Dublin, N. H.; Mrs. Dear Wilder, of Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Ward, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Novak, Maplewood, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Young, of Toronto, Canada; Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Truessedell, Huntington, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. David Barry, Rochester, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Stutsman, Kings Point, N. Y.; Joseph Ferguson, New York City; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McGarh, Warrenton, Va.; and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Partridge, of Newberry, S. C.

Thistle Club

The Wednesday afternoon meeting of the Thistle club held at the Civic center was in the form of a dessert bridge.

Prizes were in play and prizes were won by Mrs. H. L. Graves, Mrs. Margaret Cameron, Mrs. Sydney Windham, Miss Ursula Grosvenor, Mrs. Laura Woods, Mrs. B. P. Teed, Mrs. J. T. Overton, Miss Mildred Hatfield, Mrs. James Caldwell and Mrs. Chan Page.

As next Wednesday is Ash Wednesday, the party will be held Saturday afternoon and will be a valentine party, according to Mrs. L. D. McDonald, president.

Lena Sweezy Group

The Lena Sweezy Group of the Church of Wide Fellowship will meet Thursday afternoon, February 12 at the home of Mrs. Louis Scheipers.

Circle Meeting

The Business Woman's circle of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Otto Edwards at her home on Bethesda road, Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Reed will be co-hostess.

Youthful Artist Gives Magic Show

A "magic show" held at 240 North Ridge avenue last Friday night drew quite a crowd of people, despite the sleet—around 35 in fact—to watch with amazement and delight as a proficient young magician did his tricks.

The magician was John Chappell, eight years old; the locale of the show, his room at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chappell. Both adults and children were in his audience.

Assisted by Michael Childs, John gave a 40-minute show which included the trick of the Disappearing Wand, the Obedient Ball-on-String, a Telepathy Act with a dollar bill, the Magic Ring and numerous others, culled from books and other sources which John studies as a hobby—and maybe a future career.

One fine trick which won the unanimous approval of the audience was one in which chocolate candy was made to appear from an empty cloth, and was then served to the guests.

MISS HORD AND MR. BUCHAN WED



Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hord, of Shelby, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Carolyn, above, to Frank Buchan, son of Mrs. Helen Buchan and the late P. Frank Buchan, Sr., of Southern Pines. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dunn, Jr., accompanied the couple January 28 to Bennettsville, S. C., where they were married by Judge Kinney. For her wedding the bride wore a brown suit in advance spring style, with brown accessories and an orchid corsage. She is employed in the office of the Carolina Medical Center at Aberdeen. Mr. Buchan, a graduate of Southern Pines schools, served in this country and the European theater of war with the U. S. army air force, and is employed in the Southern Pines post office. Mr. and Mrs. Buchan are at home in an apartment in the Arcade building here.

IN BRIEF

J. Elmer Harrington has returned to the Southland hotel from Bethlehem, N. H.

Mrs. Rebecca Monroe Culbreth, of Raeford, mother of Graham Culbreth of Southern Pines, continues critically ill at the Moore County hospital. Mrs. Culbreth's husband died last Christmas morning. She has many relatives in both Moore and Hoke counties.

Mr. and Mrs. Voit Gilmore returned last week from a 10-day vacation to Nassau, where they were guests at the British Colonial hotel. They stopped in Florida for a couple of days on the way home.

Mrs. Lloyd Dahman, of East Massachusetts avenue, visited friends in Maxton Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dawson recently had as their house guest Mrs. Dawson's mother, Mrs. D. W. Hilburn, of Bladenboro.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Maybin were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Blue last weekend.

Miss Mabel Josselyn, of Boston, Mass., arrived at Magnolia Lodge Saturday for a visit of several weeks.

James Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Collins, had as his weekend guests Louten Hedgepeth, Jr., and Francis E. Collins, Jr., of Lumberton.

Dr. George G. Herr has returned to his office and has resumed practice after an illness of several weeks.

FIRST FLIGHT

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stamp to be placed on the back of each one at the terminal point.

Special Cachet
The regular postmark will be used here, said Postmaster Hall, and also a special cachet which may be placed on the covers in advance of the flight date. The cachet stamp is to be sent here by the post office department.

Also to be received here are airmail forms, pouches and other accessories of a post office which delivers directly to the plane—also, Hall said he hoped, a good many more instructions. "This is all new to us," he said. "There are many differences from the usual mail, with a lot for us to learn. However, we are certainly looking forward to having airmail service out of Resort airport, and surely hope the project goes through as scheduled. As time goes on it should prove to be of great benefit to us here in the Sandhills. While it can improve very little on the excellent north-south service we are already getting by train, it can help a great deal in speeding mail east and west."

Many Navy enlisted men are appointed to the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis each year.

SNOW AND SLEET

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Sun Shines Again
Cloudy weather after the snow ended cleared slowly during the ensuing days until by Tuesday the Sandhills sunshine was sparkling again, and by Wednesday a rising temperature, plus the sun, was aiding the street and highway cleaning crews at their work.

Accidents of a minor nature were numerous, and skidding cars suffered damage, but no serious injuries were recorded and there was no local report of arrests in connection with any automobile accident.

County schools, closed all last week on account of the weather, were still closed during the early part of this week, and the Southern Pines schools had their one and only weather-holiday Monday of this week.

Hurt By Snowball
A casualty of the snow was Fred Arnette, high school student who was painfully injured Monday afternoon when some 100 boys of both the Southern Pines and West Southern Pines schools engaged in a good-natured snowball fight on some vacant lots on Leake street.

Blame was attached to no one in the accident, in which a flying snowball knocked the boy unconscious. The battle ended immediately as the boys sought first to get a doctor, then called the city police to aid the injured youth. The police took him at once to the Moore County hospital, where he spent the night, but was discharged Tuesday and returned to school.

Cars driven by Harry Gage, of Southern Pines, and A. C. Spears, of Clio, S. C., who was headed south on Highway 1, skidded into a collision at the Massachusetts Avenue intersection of the highway Monday afternoon. Both cars were somewhat damaged but no one was reported hurt.

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try. Another is the physical advantage. And the program will give you students the self-confidence you will need in later years," Forrestal told him.

They talked on for 30 minutes. And when the youngster passed through the reception room on his way out, he ran into Barry.

"Say," said the captain, "What have you two been up to for the last half hour? Do you know you've kept Secretary for Air Symington, Air Chief of Staff General Spaatz, and the vice chief, General Vandenberg, cooling their heels out here?"

A swollen chest preceded the Exonian cub, Timmy Hyde, formerly of Southern Pines (his first newspaper job was as a Pilot newsboy), from the Pentagon.

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