

# Women's Activities and Sandhills Social Events

## ST. JOSEPH'S GUILD HEARS FINANCIAL REPORT AND CHANGES DATE OF CONCERT

With between 30 and 40 members in attendance, St. Joseph's Guild held its monthly meeting Tuesday at the hospital, with Mrs. Audrey K. Kennedy conducting the business session.

The treasurer reported a balance of \$5,058 in the treasury, \$1,319 of which resulted from the Fashion Promenade held recently in Pinehurst and \$1,130 from a benefit supper at the Dunes club, with dues and donations accounting for the remainder. Mrs. William P. Davis, chairman of membership, reminded the group that there were still some unpaid dues.

Because of a conflict, the date for a concert by the Heavenly Gospel Singers, a Negro musical

group of two dozen, was changed from Wednesday, April 19, to Friday, April 21, in the hospital dining room.

Members of the Guild were unanimous in their desire to have a part in entertaining the doctors' wives during the medical convention to be held May 1-3, so they decided to extend, through Mrs. P. P. McCain, a state officer, and Mrs. W. F. Hollister, head of the county unit, an invitation to a tea at the hospital on Monday afternoon, May 1, if this can be included in the busy schedule already arranged.

Tea was served at the conclusion of the meeting, with Mrs. Clarence M. Rudel pouring.

## Mrs. Morrison Has Happy Surprise

Mrs. Clyde Morrison, a former member of the class of 1950 at Wheelock college, Boston, Mass., had a happy surprise Saturday afternoon when four of her classmates, whom she had not seen since November, 1946, dropped by on their way to Daytona Beach, Fla., on an Easter holiday motor trip.

They were Misses Ruth Goodrich of Chatham, N. Y., Jeanie Tseu, of Shanghai, China, Nancy Spencer and Beverly Morass, of Rhode Island.

Mrs. Morrison took them on a tour of the community and they expressed themselves as delighted with its beauty. This was the first trip south for them all.

## Miss Jean Olive Is Fraternity Officer

Miss Jean Olive, a major in voice at Meredith college, has been elected vice president of Meredith's Beta Zeta chapter of Sigma Alpha Iota, national and professional music fraternity for women. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Olive of Southern Pines Miss Olive succeeds Frances Ann Estridge of Florence, S. C. She will serve during the school year 1950-51.

## Nelson-Walters Nuptials Held In Miami Garden

The garden of the home of Dr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Walters, 4049 Pinetree drive, Miami Beach, was the setting for the 5:30 p.m. ceremony Tuesday, April 4, when their daughter, Mary Elizabeth Walters, became the bride of Donald Palmer Nelson, formerly of Pinehurst. The Rev. Nevin Schaaf officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attended by Mrs. Thomas W. Hutson, Jr., as matron of honor, and the Misses Carolyn Nelson, Pinehurst, sister of the bridegroom, and Marion Burdine, bridesmaids.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Nelson went down from Pinehurst for their son's wedding, and Mr. Nelson served as best man.

Candlelight satin fashioned the bridal gown with seed pearl design that trimmed the sweetheart neckline, the waistline, the long sleeves and the full train. The bride wore her sister's veil of rosepoint lace which extended the length of the train, and she carried a bouquet of white phalaenopsis and stephanotis.

Organ music was played. A garden reception followed the ceremony.

The former Miss Walters graduated from Duke university and belongs to Kappa Delta sorority and Phi Beta Kappa. She is a member of the Junior League of Miami and is a former Spinster.

Mr. Nelson, also a Duke graduate, is associated with the United Mutual Fire Insurance company in Chicago where the couple will live after a wedding trip.

## Visiting Speaker At Supper Meeting

The Congregational church's monthly covered dish supper, held Tuesday night at the Presbyterian church, was enjoyed by a large attendance, who found the talk of the after dinner speaker, Dr. John R. Scotford of New York, of outstanding interest.

Speaking on the church's building program, Dr. Scotford gave suggestions as to how to utilize space to the best advantage and at the same time beautify the church economically.

Dr. Scotford met with the building committee Tuesday afternoon and discussed the situation, then talked with a group from the congregation Wednesday morning. He was entertained overnight in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Davis.

Church Group Plans Silver Tea, April 18

The Lena Sweezy group of the Church of Wide Fellowship will give a silver tea to which the public is invited, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCabe next Tuesday afternoon, April 18, from 3:30 to 5:30. Miss Norma Shiring is general chairman of the event.

## Circle 6 Meets At Miss Everett's

Circle 6, Brownson Presbyterian Women of the Church, met at the home of Miss Catherine Everett on Thursday night of last week with Mrs. John Scott Newton as co-hostess. There were 14 members present, and two visitors. Mrs. Joe C. Thomas and Mrs. George M. Thompson, bringing the total Circle attendance so far in April to an even 70.

Mrs. Ray McDonald conducted the Bible study and Mrs. Roy Stutts, Jr., gave the Survey article.

Circle 5, scheduled to meet Tuesday at 10 a. m. with Mrs. Franklin Canaday at the home of her daughter, Dr. Vida McLeod, was postponed to Thursday morning, too late for inclusion in this week's report.

## Legion Auxiliary Plans Observance Of Poppy Day

Everyone in Southern Pines will be given an opportunity to wear a memorial poppy in honor of the war dead on Poppy Day, April 29, under plans for observance of the day which were announced by the president, Mrs. Virgil P. Clark, at a meeting of the Sandhills Post of the American Legion auxiliary Tuesday evening.

After the regular business meeting, Mrs. Clark presented Mrs. Paul P. McCain, Americanism chairman of the local unit, who gave a challenging message on the subject of Americanism, stressing the different phases in which members have opportunity to teach their children and friends by precept and example the ideals that constitute true Americanism in our country.

Mrs. McCain and Mrs. L. L. Woolley were hostesses for this meeting.

## Bird Club Lists Many Varieties On Field Trip

The Southern Pines Bird club had a delightful field trip to Powell's pond Tuesday morning. Twelve members and guests went in three cars and they were rewarded by a list of 28 varieties of birds, including a fine view of an osprey sitting on a nearby limb and flying over the water, a great blue heron, and a pied-billed grebe, besides the songbirds in the trees on the shore.

Next Tuesday the meeting will be, as usual, at the home of Miss Louise Haynes, 160 South Bennett street, with a walk in the Bird Sanctuary. The club invites all who are interested in birds to attend.

## St. Marv's Guild Meets Next Monday

St. Marv's Guild of Emmanuel church will hold its regular meeting at 3 p. m. Monday, April 17, in the parish house. A cordial invitation is extended to any who wish to attend.

## CANDLELIGHT CEREMONY AT PINEHURST UNITES MISS LEE AND MR. HEWITT

The wedding of Miss Mary Margaret Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Walter Lee of Pinehurst, and James Ruy Hewitt, son of Mrs. I. J. Hewitt and the late Mr. Hewitt of Tabor City, took place in a beautiful candlelight service Sunday evening, April 9, at 7 o'clock, in the Pinehurst Community church. The Rev. R. L. Prince officiated at the double ring ceremony, which was performed before a background of candelabra, white gladioli, and ivy.

Miss Eloise Wicker, organist, presented a program of nuptial music prior to the ceremony. The Community Church choir sang "Earth and Man" by Clarence Dickinson, and Mrs. E. L. Prince, soloist, sang "Entreat Me Not to Leave Thee," by Charles Gounod. "Ave Maria," by Schubert, was played during the ceremony, and the choir sang "The Lord Bless You and Keep You" by Peter Lutkin as a benediction. The traditional wedding marches were used.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white slipper satin, featuring a court train and fitted bodice with a sweetheart neckline. Her fingertip veil was of bridal illusion and imported Chantilly lace. She carried an old-fashioned bouquet of white carnations, centered with a purple-throated orchid, and white satin streamers. Her only ornament was a string of pearls.

Mrs. Drewy Troutman of Adair, sister of the bride, was matron-of-honor. She wore a taffeta gown of Nile green with a matching headdress, and short white gloves, and carried an old-fashioned bouquet of mixed flowers.

Miss Margaret McDonald and Mrs. Bevins Cameron, both of Pinehurst, were bridesmaids. They wore gowns identical to that of the matron-of-honor. They also wore matching headdresses and gloves and carried old-fashioned bouquets.

The groom was attended by his brother, Dewey S. Hewitt, of Tabor City, as best man. Ushers were Billie McKenzie and Bevins Cameron, of Pinehurst; Harold Mills,

and Arthur Prince, of Tabor City. The mother of the bride was attired in a teal blue romaine crepe gown and wore a corsage of pink carnations.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The bride's table was covered with a white crocheted cloth. Mrs. Lester Bradley served the wedding cake, assisted by Miss Elsie Thomas. Mrs. Tommy Goldston of Raleigh and Miss Lowrena Frye of Pinehurst presided at the punch bowls, and Miss Flora Ellen Cameron presided at the bride's book. Miss Patricia Farmer of West End played the piano during the reception.

The home was decorated with greenery, white flowers and lighted tapers.

For traveling, the bride wore a navy crepe suit-dress, with navy and white accessories, and the orchid lifted from her wedding bouquet. The couple left for a short trip to unannounced points.

Mrs. Hewitt was graduated from Pinehurst High school and has been employed at the Pinehurst General office for a number of years.

Mr. Hewitt was graduated from Tabor City schools and is now in business in Tabor City and Whiteville.

The couple will make their home in Tabor City.

## Concert Benefits WSP Uniform Fund

A neat sum was added to the West Southern Pines band uniform fund as a result of a delightful concert given by the band and glee club under sponsorship of the Civic club at the clubhouse Tuesday evening. The singers presented their numbers inside the building and the band played on the terrace, attracting motorists who drew up to the curb to listen.

## St. Anne's Guild Schedules Meeting

St. Anne's Guild of Emmanuel Episcopal church will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock in the parish house.

## Hospital Auxiliary Benefits From Beckwith Gardens And Dunes Dinner

The Woman's Auxiliary of Moore County hospital benefited greatly on the Easter weekend, with substantial sums coming in from two sources.

Sunday afternoon the beautiful gardens of the H. H. Beckwith home on Crest road, Knollwood, were lent by Mr. Beckwith, and from voluntary contributions made by hundreds who went to visit this place of indescribable beauty was realized \$477.90. The flowers outdid themselves, in spite of the Friday freeze.

At the gate during the afternoon were Mrs. M. W. Nichols, Miss Laura Kelsey, Mrs. Forrest Lockey, Mrs. John Beasley, Mrs. Hugh Carter, Mrs. Norris L. Hodgkins, Mrs. William Wright, and Mrs. Katherine McColl. Mrs. Foster Kelly guided visitors through the gardens.

Monday night the management of the Dunes gave the proceeds of a benefit dinner to the Auxiliary. The occasion was a festive one, with more than 100 guests present to enjoy the delicious dinner.

Entertainment was an Amateur Hour, organized on the spot by Chester Williams, Donald Parsons, Mrs. Henry Page, Mrs. Harold Collins, Leland McKeithen, Edward Stevens, Bill Wright and other guests. The program went over in fine order, creating much laughter and fun.

The Auxiliary members feel greatly indebted to the Dunes management, James Warman, and his efficient staff, headed by the suave Peppo, for such a good time as well as for the nice sum of \$840 to apply toward their project, the Nursery fund.

## Learn-More Bible Class

The Learn-More Bible class will meet at 8 p. m. Monday at the home of Miss Mary Richardson with Mrs. Carlton Kennedy as co-hostess. The lesson will be Galatians 4 and 5.

Mrs. Albert Ruggles and son Topper of Kingsport, Tenn., were Easter guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Case.

## New Heir-rivals

CALLIE ANN O'CALLIGHAN Mr. and Mrs. L. V. O'Callaghan, Jr., are the parents of a daughter born April 3 at St. Joseph's hospital weighing six pounds, seven ounces. The baby has been named Callie Ann, for her maternal and paternal grandmothers. Mrs. O'Callaghan, the former Miss Leigh Finchum of Carthage, and Callie Ann have been at home since last Friday.

BABY GIRL GUNTER Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Gunter, Jr., have a baby daughter, born Friday, April 7, at St. Joseph's hospital. This is their second child, the other a two-year-old boy Tommy.

## Claude Reams, Jr., Honored On Birthday

Claude Reams, Jr., was honored on his 12th birthday last Friday when his parents entertained 16 of his friends at a party and buffet supper.

The evening's fun started when the boys and girls engaged in a penny hunt in the back yard where 225 pennies had been hidden. After the hunt they went indoors, where Claude opened his gifts. Supper was followed by bingo, with prizes.

## Something New In Entertainment

The Woman's auxiliary of Moore County hospital will have its final benefit of the season on Wednesday, April 19, at Parhave driving range. It will be a go-barbecue, and tickets can be bought in advance at Southern Pines Drug store from Mrs. Graham Culbreth. Two sets of hand some golf clubs will be raffled off. In case of rain it will be postponed until Thursday. The time is six o'clock.

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