

Women's Activities and Sandhills Social Events

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Mr. and Mrs. Collins Fete Two Brides-Elect At Dinner and Bridge

Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Collins entertained at a bridge dinner Tuesday night of last week, honoring two brides-elect, Miss Mary Jane French of Southern Pines and Miss Peggy Dahmen, at home from La Jolla, California.

A spaghetti dinner was served at Dante's restaurant, with the bridal motif emphasized in the table centerpiece and place cards. Gardenia corsages marked the places of the two honorees.

After dinner, bridge was played at Pickridge, the Young's road home of Mr. and Mrs. Collins. Ladies' high score prize was won by Miss French, and Dr. James S. Milliken was high scorer among the men. Miss Dahmen was presented a gift of silver in her pattern by the host and hostess, and Miss French, a gift of china.

Guests were Miss French, Miss Dahmen, Mrs. Emmett French, Mrs. Lloyd Dahmen, Lieut. Al Owens of California, Dr. and Mrs. James S. Milliken, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Cherry, Jr., and, from Pinehurst, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lyman and Mr. and Mrs. William A. Wright.

Dorothy Newton Is Honored By Parents

Honoring their daughter Dorothy on her 15th birthday, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton gave a dinner and theater party Saturday evening. The group enjoyed an outdoor fried chicken dinner with all the trimmings, then went to the theater, later returning to the Newton home where the gifts were opened and admired. The evening ended with refreshments of birthday cake, ice cream and cokes.

Sharing the happy occasion with Dorothy were her brother Roy, and seven girl friends: Pat Blackmore, Frances Pearson, Penny Fuller of Laurinburg, Linda Moore, Katharine Dwight, June Bristow and Patty Woodell.

Mrs. John Underwood Is Beach Party Hostess

Mrs. John Underwood has as her guests at the Underwoods' Garden City beach cottage seven fellow-members of the Pine Doggers golf club: Mrs. R. N. Page, Jr., Mrs. R. E. Rhodes, Mrs. Leo Walper, Mrs. Jean Edson, Miss Kitty Wiley, Mrs. Jack White and Miss Ann Fleming. The group went down Thursday, planning to remain until Sunday. Playing golf at the Dunes club, Myrtle Beach, was to be a highlight of the weekend activities.

Owens-Dahmen Engagement Announced At Dinner

At a dinner party given by Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dahmen at their Valley Road home on April 27, honoring their daughter, Miss Peggy Dahmen, who is here from La Jolla, Cal., announcement of her engagement to Lieut. (jg) Albert T. Owens was made to the eight guests—Durham friends of Miss Dahmen.

The wedding will take place in La Jolla, Cal., August 2. Miss Dahmen completed her studies at Katharine Gibbs school in Boston in 1946 and at present is employed in the U. S. Navy Electronics Laboratory in San Diego, Cal.

Lieutenant Owens is the son of Mrs. Wallace B. Owens of Utica, N. Y., and the late Mr. Owens. He has a bachelor's degree in naval science from Brown university, Providence, R. I., and a bachelor's degree in electrical engineering from Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass. He is stationed in California, with the Navy Electronics Laboratory.

To Attend Convention

The Rev. C. V. Covell, pastor of Emmanuel Episcopal church, and four of the laymen, John Ponzer, Sherwood Brockwell, Jr., James B. Swett and Norris L. Hodgkins, Jr., will attend the annual convention of the Diocese of North Carolina, meeting Tuesday and Wednesday of next week at St. Martin's church in Charlotte.

Teachers Honored At Chappell Home

Honoring the teachers of their children, John and Mary Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chappell gave a dinner at their home Tuesday night for Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ledden, Miss Winifred Bodie, Miss Applewhite, Miss Billie Williams and Don Moore.

WINS HONOR



MISS MARY BLUE has been elected a member of the Smith-Reed-Russell Medical Honor Society at the School of Medicine at George Washington university, Washington, D. C., because of her high scholastic attainment. With the honor goes a beautiful certificate.

Miss Blue, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zeb V. Blue of the Eureka community of Moore county, finished her third year in medicine at George Washington university last year. Following completion of her high school studies at Eureka Farm Life school, she attended Woman's College of the University of North Carolina four years, graduating in 1948, and studied medicine two years at the University at Chapel Hill, entering George Washington university the fall of 1950.

MISS FRENCH AND MR. HALLIDAY WILL WED MAY 17; PLANS ARE DISCLOSED

Plans for the wedding of Miss Mary Jane French, daughter of Mrs. John Emmett French of Southern Pines and the late Mr. French, and Quincy Stanford Halliday, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Halliday of Spartanburg, S. C., have been made known.

The wedding will be solemnized at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening, May 17, in Brownson Memorial Presbyterian church with the pastor, the Rev. Cheves K. Ligon, officiating.

Miss French will be given in marriage by her brother, John Emmett French. Her attendants, classmates at Sweet Briar college, will be: Mrs. Edmund H. Rucker, Jr., Charlottesville, Va., matron of honor; Miss Nancy Pesek, Minneapolis, Minn.; Miss Helen Stanley, Stanleytown, Va.; Miss Etta Craig Dick, Charlotte, and Miss Ann Sinsheimer, Harrison, N. Y., bridesmaids.

Mr. Halliday will have as his best man his cousin, George H. Harmon, of Nashville, Tenn. Ush-

Does Honor Daughters At Supper On Terrace

The local Drove of BPO Does held their annual Mother-Daughter celebration Wednesday evening, with a covered dish supper served on the terrace of the Southern Pines Country club. The majority of the guests were children, but in several instances there were combinations of three generations. The little folks were given balloons and party hats, and after the supper, they engaged in spirited games.

Does lacking daughters had been asked to borrow for the occasion, or to bring their mothers.

Present were: Mrs. Leo O'Callaghan with her daughter, Callie Ann, and mother, Mrs. Reid Flinchum of Carthage; Mrs. Bryan Poe with her mother-in-law, Mrs. M. Y. Poe; Mrs. A. B. Patterson, Janine and Anne Johnston; Mrs. Louise Johnson, Gerrie Madigan; Mrs. Don Hurst and twins Barbara Jean and Marie; Mrs. Ned Bushby and Ellen; Mrs. Don Jones and Becky White; Mrs. George Thompson with daughter, Mrs. Stanley Austin, and granddaughter, Becky Austin; Mrs. Will Wiggs and Nancy; Mrs. George Little and Joyce; Mrs. Harry Fullenwider and Janet. Also, Mrs. Louis Scheipers with daughter, Mrs. Louise Johnson, and granddaughter, Betsy Scheipers; Mrs. Curtis Everette and Susan Hafner; Mrs. Walter Harper and Carole; Mrs. Joe Garzik and Phyllis; Mrs. G. B. Kimbrell and Angela; Mrs. Earl Parker with Judy and Joan; Mrs. Walter Topping and Valeria; Mrs. Malcolm Grover and Joan; Mrs. Broadus Smith and Margaret; Mrs. George Burns and Lucy McDaniell; Mrs. Ray McDonald with Jan and Kay; Mrs. James Besley and Joan; Mrs. Mark King, Jr., and daughter, Mrs. Leland Daniels; Mrs. Chan Page and Barbara.

Wednesday Morning Book Club Formed

A small group of book lovers met at the home of the Misses Underhill Wednesday morning to organize a book club in connection with the Civic club. It was decided that the first regular monthly meeting in the fall would be held in the Civic Club building, the topic to be discussed: "Mysteries Can Be Highbrow." Over coffee and coffeecake some tentative plans for later programs were arranged. There was also interchange of comments on books which had been read recently, with suggestions for summer reading.

The Thistle club held its final meeting of the season, a luncheon meeting, at the Southern Pines Country club Wednesday. The outgoing president, Mrs. Thomas Barron, was presented a pin and earring set as a gift from the club, and the incoming president, Mrs. Cecile Cameron, gave Mrs. Barron a lovely orchid.

Emmanuel Youth Are Hosts To District 3 YP Service Leagues

Seventy-five young people gathered Sunday afternoon at Emmanuel Episcopal church for the spring meeting of the third district Young People's Service Leagues.

The principal speaker was Bob Ladehoff, diocesan president, who was introduced by the district chairman, Miss Joan Purser of Charlotte.

Miss Pete Dana gave the welcome for the local league, and Charles Merrill and B. G. Patterson of Emmanuel church conducted the service.

Slides of Vade Mecum camps and conferences were shown in the parish hall, after which supper was served.

Arrangements were made by Mrs. Edward Schneider.

The Garland Pierces Are Going Abroad

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Pierce and son Garland Frank are planning their first trip abroad, a seven weeks' holiday which will begin with their sailing on the Queen Mary from New York May 26.

They will visit England, France, Holland, Germany and Italy, and possibly other countries, not on a managed tour but in leisurely fashion, going where their wishes take them. They will return on the SS Independence in July.

Mr. Pierce, Southern Pines postmaster and an active Rotarian, already has a date with the Rotary club of Plymouth, England, and is planning to keep up his attendance at other Rotary clubs along the way when he can.

Presbyterian Circles Hold Monthly Meetings

Five of the eight Circles of Brownson Memorial Presbyterian church met this week in time to be reported, with a total attendance of 55. Others were scheduled to meet Thursday night and next Tuesday morning. The Bible study for the month is from Colossians, on the subject of prayer, and the Survey article is on the Birthday Objective.

Circle 1 met with Mrs. J. W. Atkinson Tuesday with 10 members present and two visitors: Miss Mary Cameron and Mrs. Mary E. Snyder. Mrs. William Frost's mother, Mrs. D. E. Bailey conducted the Bible study and Mrs. W. E. Blue gave the Survey article.

Mrs. Wayland W. Blue was hostess to Circle 2 Tuesday afternoon with eight members attending and three visitors: Mrs. Walter F. Harper, Mrs. Bill Blue and Mrs. Hubert Cameron, the last named presenting the Bible study. Mrs. W. C. Hilderman gave the Survey article.

Two new members, Miss Nettie Williams and Miss Ruth E. Wilson, were enrolled in Circle 3 when it met Tuesday at the home of Miss Grace Thwing, bringing the membership attendance to eight. Visitors were Mrs. Eugene Thwing, Miss Eldridge of Arlington, N. J., and Mrs. C. H. Burkhead. Mrs. Howard N. Butler, chairman, conducted the Bible study and Mrs. Alma Morrison, the Survey.

Circle 4 met Monday night at the home of Mrs. George Nevens, Jr., with three visitors, Mrs. George Nevens, Mrs. Walter F. Harper and Mrs. Hubert Cameron, present in addition to 11 members. Mrs. Cameron and Mrs. Nevens, Jr., presented the Bible study and the Survey, respectively.

Miss Luna Monroe was hostess to Circle 8 Monday night, with the co-chairman, Mrs. Harold McNeill, presiding in the absence of the chairman, Mrs. L. L. Woolley. There were six members present and one visitor, Mrs. McNeill. Mrs. Dorothy Avery led the Bible study.

Shaw House Tea Room Ends Successful Season

Mrs. W. C. Deadwyler, chairman, announces that the Shaw House Tea Room closed yesterday for the season. The Tea Room had a successful business, serving about 700 meals, with hostesses under Mrs. Norris Hodgkins as chairman. Plans are being made to re-open in November with the same committees in charge.

Miss Joan Spring, Bride-Elect, Is Feted At Luncheon

Mrs. I. Foy Horton of West End and Mrs. N. M. McKeithen of Aberdeen were hostesses at a beautifully appointed luncheon at the Pine Needles Golf club Thursday of last week, honoring Miss Joan Spring, bride-elect of June. A corsage of gardenias marked the place of the honoree, and during the afternoon she was presented a linen shower. There were 25 guests.

Miss Spring is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Spring of Country Club drive, Southern Pines.

ENGAGED



MISS ELIZABETH CUMMING COOK is the daughter of Mrs. William H. Cook of New York City and Southern Pines and the late Mr. Cook. Her engagement to Ensign John Campbell Cochran, Jr., USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell Cochran of Bay Shore, N. Y., is announced by her mother.

The prospective bride completed her high school studies in Southern Pines High school with the class of 1949, was graduated from Peace college in Raleigh, and attended the University of North Carolina.

Ensign Cochran was graduated from Bay Shore High school and from the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., class of 1951.

Maytime Centerpiece Used At Club Luncheon

A Maypole rising from a silver bowl of roses with its ribbon streamers leading to miniature baskets of flowers formed the centerpiece for the luncheon table when the USAFAGOS Officers Wives Club met in the officers' clubroom of the Highland Pines Inn Wednesday. Pouring coffee from silver services were Mrs. William M. Gross and Mrs. Lamar A. Welch.

There were three door prizes, won by Mrs. Joseph R. Laning, Mrs. Lawrence J. Stickley, and Mrs. James E. Hill. Mrs. Harrison M. Harp, Jr., club president, presided over the business meeting which followed the luncheon, during which a slate of officers was presented by the nominating committee. Serving on this committee were Mrs. Walter Greenwood, Jr., Mrs. Jack De Haas, Mrs. Dean E. Hess, with the president an ex officio member.

Hostesses for the luncheon were Mrs. Frank M. Smith and Mrs. G. S. Luketz.

Mrs. Arthur Preiss Honored At Shower

Mrs. Fred Chappell and Mrs. W. L. Baker entertained several guests at a shower honoring Mrs. Arthur Preiss at the Chappell home. Three tables were set up for hearts and when scores were tallied prize for highest number of points was presented to Mrs. C. D. May, while Mrs. Wallace Howard received the consolation. Traveling prize went to Mrs. Ray Trudell.

After the game, the shower was presented and Mrs. Preiss displayed the many dainty articles and expressed her appreciation.

Ice cream and decorated cake squares were served, with a pink rosebud on each plate. Attending were Mrs. Preiss, Mrs. Elliott Shearon, Mrs. Harold Bachman, Mrs. W. E. Kivett, Mrs. Ben Godwin, Mrs. William Dale, Mrs. David Gamble, Mrs. Wallace Howard, Mrs. C. D. May and Mrs. Ray Trudell.

Attend Meeting

Four women of Emmanuel Episcopal church, Mrs. Fred Brindley, Mrs. A. R. McDaniel, Miss Louise Haynes and Mrs. C. V. Covell, spent Thursday at Durham attending the district meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary. The meeting was held at St. Philip's church. The Rev. C. V. Covell chauffeured them to Durham.

Attend May Day Pageant In Raleigh

Mr. and Mrs. Shields Cameron attended the annual May Day pageant at Saint Mary's Junior college in Raleigh Saturday. The dance dramatization of "Toyland" was presented on the beautiful college campus by the modern dance and physical education students of the school under the direction of Miss Peggy Jean Cameron, of the St. Mary's faculty.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald G. Case have had as their house guests Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Maryott of Westfield, Pa. Mrs. Maryott is Mr. Case's cousin. They returned home Friday after a two weeks' stay.

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