

Oliver To Start New Dance Classes

Registration for a new series of evening classes in ballroom dancing will begin Monday, it was announced this week by L. Douglas (Doug) Oliver, instructor at the Martha Aden Dance Studio in the Straka Building, 275 N. E. Broad St.

INS AND OUTS

Mrs. Thomas Hobson returned on Tuesday of last week to her home at 465 Country Club Drive after spending the summer at Rye, N. Y. She has as her guest a long-time friend, Mrs. William Beckley, of Yonkers, N. Y., who came down with her. Mrs. N. L. Hodgkins and Mrs. Charles V. Covell attended a meeting of the executive board of the Woman's Auxiliary, Diocese of North Carolina, at St. Peter's Church, in Charlotte recently. Mrs. Hodgkins is district chairman of the Auxiliary. The Rev. Cheves K. Ligon and F. M. Dwight of Brownson Memorial Presbyterian Church and Eveleth Richardson and Dan West of the Manly Church left Thursday morning for New Orleans, La., to attend a Presbyterian Men of the Church convention. Mr. and Mrs. George Otto of San Francisco, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. Voit Gilmore on Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Otto and Mrs. Gilmore are sisters. Mrs. W. H. McNeill, who is undergoing treatment at Memorial Hospital, Chapel Hill, is reported to be getting along well. Mrs. Richard A. Aishton of Winnetka, Ill., arrived Thursday to be the guest of her father and sister, Preston T. Kelsey and Miss Laura Kelsey, for several days. Her son, Preston K. Aishton, of Chicago, is coming today for a weekend visit. Another daughter, Mrs. Wallace Speers, left Wednesday for her home in Montclair, N. J., after a 10-day visit in the Kelsey home. Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Jellison of the Jellison Press, returned last week from Bethlehem, N. H., where they had been for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Dan R. McNeill returned home Friday from Contocook, N. H., where they had been for five weeks because of the illness of Mrs. McNeill's mother, Mrs. Stephen E. Morrill. Mrs. Morrill is now resting comfortably at home and is able to sit up an hour each day. Mrs. Nancy Medlin Donnell and son, Douglas, recently returned to their home in Washington, D. C., after spending six weeks at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. T. Medlin, while her husband, Maj. C. H. Donnell, was on temporary duty in Europe. Major Donnell was on a communications-electronics maintenance survey and visited most of the Air Force bases in England, France, Germany, and North Africa. He is presently assigned to Headquarters, Airways and Air Communications Service, Washington, D. C., where he is Chief of the Maintenance Division. Dr. and Mrs. Delmar W. Mann of Elizabeth City were weekend guests of his mother, Mrs. Nellie W. Mann. Mr. and Mrs. William Horner had as house guests over the weekend their college-student sons, Bill of UNC, Chapel Hill, and Joe of N. C. State in Raleigh, also Tommy Weld of N. C. State, Reggie Newbon of Fort Benning, Ga., and Mrs. Annie Hatch of Boston, Mass. Raymond Rogerson of Cambridge, England, a student at Wingate Junior College, Wingate, spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woodruff. Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Tooker, brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. L. L. McLean, and their son, Victor Tooker, and his wife, all of Wilmington, Ohio, paid Mr. and Mrs. McLean a surprise visit this week, arriving Sunday evening and remaining until Monday evening. Miss Emily G. Fish of Massachusetts is here to spend the fall and winter with her cousin Miss Louise Haynes at the latter's home on South Bennett Street. Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Blacklock of Reidsville visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lorenson on North Ashe Street during the weekend. Mrs. Blacklock is the former Betty Lorenson of Southern Pines.

Sioux Patrol of Scout Troop 224 Wins Top Honors

Dagnet Patrol of Aberdeen Troop Is In Second Position

The Sioux Patrol of Southern Pines Boy Scout Troop 224, of which Russell Simons is Scoutmaster and which is sponsored by the First Baptist Church, won the top point rating in the recent "camporee" held by Scouts of Moore and Lee Counties at the Causey-Forrest Lake, near Lakeview. Points were earned on a patrol basis, under the leadership of patrol leaders, according to a standard that takes into consideration each patrol's general camping excellence. At such a camporee, awards are made in a "Proficient" group, with blue ribbons, to patrols with scores of 2,400 to 3,000 points; in a "Standard" group, with red ribbons, for patrols with 1,200 to 1,399 points; and in a "Participating" group, with yellow ribbons for one to 1,199 points. All the awards made to 20 patrols at the camporee fell in the Proficient and Standard groups. Proficient Awards With the Sioux Patrol of Troop 24 in top spot, having 2,700 points in the "Proficient" group, other blue ribbon awards in this group—listing patrol, troop and sponsoring institution and number of points—were: Dagnet Patrol, Troop 68, Aberdeen Lions Club, 2,699; Apache Patrol, Troop 941, First Baptist Church, Sanford, 2,567; Owl Patrol, Troop 42, First Methodist Church, Sanford, 2,545; Flaming Arrow Patrol, Troop 42, First Methodist Church, Sanford, 2,490; Panther Patrol, Troop 410, Vass Lions Club, 2,481; Pine Tree Patrol, Troop 68, Aberdeen Lions Club, 2,469; Panther Patrol Troop 44, First Presbyterian Church, Sanford, 2,458; Silver Fox Patrol, Troop 74, Robbins Lions Club, 2,422. Standard Awards Red ribbon awards in the Standard group went to Beaver Patrol, Troop 68, Aberdeen Lions Club, 2,399; Panther Patrol, Troop 7, Pinehurst Community Church, 2,378; Apache Patrol, Troop 42, First Methodist Church, Sanford, 2,364; Pioneer Patrol, Troop 941, First Baptist Church, Sanford, 2,340; Bat Patrol, Troop 936, Carthage Rotary Club, 2,333; Copperhead Patrol, Troop 74, Robbins Lions Club, 2,288; Owl Patrol, Troop 987, Jonesboro Methodist Church, 2,262; Rattlesnake Patrol, Troop 936, Carthage Rotary Club, 2,236; Eagle Patrol, Troop 945, Deep River School Parent-Teacher Association (Lee County), 2,200; Crow Patrol, Troop 224, First Baptist Church, Southern Pines, 2,188. Also: Flaming Arrow Patrol, Troop 224, First Baptist Church, Southern Pines, 2,139; Flaming Arrow Patrol, Troop 7, Pinehurst Community Church, 2,135; Bat Patrol, Troop 982, Jonesboro Methodist Church, 2,058; Daniel Boone Patrol, Troop 960, Colon, Turner's Chapel Christian Church, 1,943; Wolf Patrol, Troop 73, Southern Pines, Emmanuel Episcopal Church, 1,931; Beaver Patrol, Troop 815, Vass Lions Club, 1,895; Rattlesnake Patrol, Troop 815, Vass Lions Club, 1,853; Beaver Patrol, Troop 982, Jonesboro Methodist Church, 1,799; Owl Patrol, Troop 936, Carthage Rotary Club, 1,597; Owl Patrol, Troop 986 (sponsor and location not listed), 1,223.

Girl Scouts, Leaders At Sanford Session

Girl Scouts from Troops 53 and 59 of Southern Pines and Troop 5 of Vass, with adult leaders from these communities as well as Pinehurst and Robbins, last week attended a music and folk dance workshop at the Parish House of St. Thomas' Episcopal Church in Sanford. The Moore County representatives were among 71 persons attending the workshop for Girl Scout leaders from the four counties of the Central Carolina Girl Scout Council—Moore, Lee, Harnett and Chatham.

Church Circles

The Ruth Burr Sanborn Group of the Woman's Society of the Church of Wide Fellowship met Monday in the home of Mrs. L. D. McDonald. Miss Aline Todd and Mrs. Wofford C. Timmons gave interesting reviews on the book of Ruth. The Friendship Circle met in the church parlor Tuesday, with 10 members present. Mrs. Paul Ward, chairman, conducted the Bible study. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Thomas of Chicago are visiting her mother, Mrs. T. C. McFarland, and, other relatives here.

Rotarian Relates Impressions of Trip To Europe

Dr. L. M. Daniels, local dentist and member of the Southern Pines Rotary Club, was program speaker at the weekly luncheon meeting of the club last Friday in the Country Club, relating his impressions of a recent trip to Europe. Johnny A. Hall, president, presided. James Perkinson gave the invocation. Dr. Daniels put special emphasis on his stay in England, illustrating his talk with picture postcards and travel brochures. He described his visits to Westminster Abbey, with its monuments to the great men of Britain's past; the Tower of London, where he saw the crown jewels; Hampton Court; Windsor Castle; and other places. The local man commented on British lack of enterprise or contentment in some matters, producing backwardness in such things as plumbing and refrigeration. "You couldn't get a glass of cold water," he noted and said he grew tired of the prevalence of lamb on menus. Dr. Daniels told of attending a Rotary meeting on board the "Queen Elizabeth," the ship on which he crossed the Atlantic, during which he met President Taylor of Rotary International who addressed the meeting. The speaker noted the great contrast between the tourist class accommodations, which he had on the ship, and the first class section which he saw on a tour of the vessel.

Tax Laws Subject For Discussion At Kiwanis Meet

Garland McPherson, certified public accountant of Southern Pines, and Paul Dana, Pinehurst public accountant, with Voit Gilmore as program chairman, managed to make a lively program out of what might have been pretty dull stuff, at the Sandhills Kiwanis Club meeting Wednesday. The luncheon meeting was held at the Pinehurst Community church, with President N. L. Hodgkins in charge. Subject of the program was "Understanding the Tax Laws"—a title which rendered someone subject to libel, according to Mr. Dana. Stating that "there are 3,000 new changes in the tax laws, and each speaker has been assigned 1,500, to explain in 10 minutes," Chairman Gilmore turned the program over to the two experts, who tackled their assignments bravely. Discussing some of the changes in estate and gift tax laws, Mr. Dana noted that these had been broadened and liberalized in numerous ways, with definite advantages to the average taxpayer. Mr. McPherson took up some of the changes in the income tax field, concluding, however, that "some are so technical it is doubtful if anyone will be able to understand them, especially since the courts are still arguing over some of the provisions of the original 1913 tax act." He considered, though, that the new laws constitute not merely a revenue-producing measure, but a direct contribution to the sounder economy of the nation through concessions favoring business enterprise.

REGISTRATION

Continued from Page 1) or other physical disability are unable to go to the polling place, may vote by absentee ballot. Absentee ballots may be obtained from county election board chairmen.

In Southern Pines precinct, which includes the town and some adjacent territory, Mrs. Grace Kaylor, registrar, will have the books available at the fire station on New Hampshire Ave. Polling and registration places in the other 16 precincts of the county generally will be those used in the Democratic primary in May, said Mr. Riddle this week. A Republican judge of election has been added in each precinct, replacing one of the Democratic judges who served in the primary.

CIVIL TERM

The term of Moore County Superior Court that will open November 1 will be for trial of civil cases, not criminal cases as was stated in last week's Pilot in connection with publication of a list of persons to be called for jury service. A one-week term is scheduled.

News Notes From Saint Joseph's

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bryant, Jr., announce the arrival of a son, David Russell. Mrs. Bryant and son have returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Jessie W. Blake of West End announce the birth of a daughter, Helen. Mrs. Trace Lewis of the Rose-land community, who was a patient here for several days, has returned home. Mrs. John Fly of Raeford, who was a patient for the past week, has returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Reid Furr of West End are the parents of a son who arrived October 7. Mrs. Claude Williams of Pinebluff is receiving treatment at St. Joseph's. Miss Doris Jean Rushing of West End has returned home after being a patient for several days. Mrs. Margaret Hagood of Pinehurst is under observation and receiving treatment at St. Joseph's. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Glenn Martin of Carthage are the parents of a daughter, Sharon Lynn. Mrs. Martin and baby have returned to their home. Sam Frye of Carthage, who has been a patient for the past week, convalescing from injuries received in a recent automobile wreck, returned to his home on Friday. Melvin Wicker of Pinehurst, who underwent an appendectomy on Wednesday of last week, returned home Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shepley are the parents of a baby girl, Brenda Gail, who arrived October 3. Mrs. Shepley and Brenda returned home on Friday. Stacy Brewer of Carthage is a patient at St. Joseph's Hospital. Mrs. Warren G. Harris of Carthage returned home this week after several days spent here receiving treatment. Haywood Melton of Carthage Route 3 has returned home after receiving treatment here. Mr. and Mrs. William Haithcock of Carthage have a new daughter, Victoria Darleen, who arrived October 6. Mrs. Marvin Harvey of West End is receiving treatment at St. Joseph's. Carl Ritter of West End is under observation and receiving treatment here. Miss Jacqueline Van Boskerck of Pinebluff returned home Monday after receiving treatment for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bass of West End announce the birth of a baby girl on October 10. The Sisters of St. Francis held an informal dinner on Wednesday night in honor of Sister M. Anastasia, Supt. of St. Joseph's Hospital, on her first day. After dinner a short program was enjoyed and gifts were presented to Sister Anastasia. Capt. and Mrs. R. J. Dougherty and family were guests last week of the Sisters of St. Francis at St. Joseph's. Captain Dougherty is stationed at Red Stone Arsenal, Ala. Prior to his entrance in the Armed forces he was on the active staff at St. Joseph's. Following his discharge at the end of the year he will return to Southern Pines where he will drop the Captain and resume his Doctor R. J. Dougherty status at St. Joseph's Hospital. Sister M. Anastasia, Sister Mary Grace and Virginia B. Creel attended a meeting held at the Pinecrest Country Club at Lumberton on Wednesday. This is the first of a series of meetings that will be held at various places over the state, sponsored by the Duke Endowment. These meetings are to be a help to the staff members, showing changes in the record keeping system that will become effective January 1st 1955. Mrs. Jack Short, Southern Pines, has been a patient for the past several days.

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Continued from Page 1) nia Avenue. The questions that were asked, and cooperative spirit evidenced gave assurance of the fact that the need for the work has been well recognized, and the plans being made under the "Finer Carolina" program are sincerely appreciated. While the part being played by the Town of Southern Pines was not minimized, and suggestions were made as to even more that it might do, emphasis was placed on the importance of each resident's doing his share, to the best of his means and ability. It is on this, the chairman said, that the success of the project definitely depends.

List Names, Get Slips

It was arranged that residents wishing help on painting, cleaning-up and repairing of his property speak to Mr. Morse or Mr. Saunders so that the Morrison students or Boy Scouts would miss them. These two men will also sign slips for the purchase of materials at cost. Each resident wanting the boys' help is asked to have his paint, repair materials and such tools as he can provide ready when they arrive. A first prize of \$10 and second of \$5 is being offered for the greatest improvement of an individual property, said Chairman Hayes. So many ideas were advanced as to the improvement needs that the project emerged toward the end as a long-range program, rather than an effort lasting only one month. Three-Year Program The chairman then said that this year's effort could be presented for the "Finer Carolina" prize as the beginning of a program to last as long as three years. Further progress would then be incorporated in the program for each ensuing year. Publicity is being given the project by "Major" Marshall, well known disc jockey on Station WEEB. The "Finer Carolina" contest is a year-long program among communities of North and South Carolina served by the Carolina Power and Light Co., which offers prizes for the completion of five community projects. Deadline for the finished presentation is December 1. Two of Southern Pines' projects have been completed, with three now under way. Voit Gilmore is community chairman.

Among those attending the meeting Monday night were, from West Southern Pines, Mrs. Carpenter, Mrs. McNeill, Mrs. Barksdale, Mrs. Faison and Miss Peerman, vocational home economics teacher at West Southern Pines school; Rev. J. W. Mason, Principal J. W. Moore, J. T. Saunders, T. T. Morse, H. Faison, E. T. Clark, M. C. Marshall, Jr., Cetero Carpenter, Rev. James McNair, Roosevelt Gaddy, J. W. McCall, Jesse Graham, T. R. Goins, Rev. Alton Quick and others. From Southern Pines were seven members of the Civic Club Garden Group headed by their president, Mrs. Ratliff; Chairman Hayes and Valerie Nicholson, "Finer Carolina" publicity chairman.

DEMOCRATS

(Continued from Page 1) by John D. Larkins, Jr., chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee, and Rep. C. B. Deane, of Rockingham, the host congressman. Ralph Monger, Lee County party chairman, was the presiding official. Seasoned Warriors Rep. Deane, a candidate to succeed himself against Republican opposition, noted that the audience contained "fine seasoned warriors, no rocking-chair Democrats"—the kind that had helped produce swelling party majorities throughout the district during the past decade. From a congressional and senatorial majority of 4,615 in 1946, an increase to 13,146 was noted in 1950, the last "off-year" election, then up to 22,713 in 1952, year of the presidential election and general Republican tide. Deane challenged each county to raise the off-year majority to 18,000 for 1954, adding, "We can do it if we hold fast to the things for which the party stands." His congressman's-eye view of Washington under the Republicans was one of "fear, confusion and political maneuvering," resulting in a feeling of national insecurity, he went on. Fighting 'Buzards' Senator-Nominee W. Kerr Scott, "Squire of Haw River," was in fine form as he led off the "speaking program"—with each speech held firmly under five minutes by Chairman Larkins' energetically signaling fingers. Scott announced, "I just want to say I'm continuing to fight the Philistines, the buzzards of inequity and the specialists in the retardation of the growth of North Carolina." Edwin Gill, state treasurer, and candidate for reelection, followed Scott in tribute to Rep. Deane, whom he called "our finest congressman." He added, "North Carolina has no more devoted public servant, nor one who tries harder to serve his constituents with fairness and justice." Theirs were two of many such tributes paid the host congressman during the program. Gill also urged that those who "left the party" in 1952 be welcomed back—"they made a mistake and they know it now." Insurance Commissioner Charlie F. Gold, added his comment on the Republicans—"They turned down Jack Parker, they turned down Herbert F. Seawell and they got a Georgia Republican as successor to Edwin Gill (as Collector of Internal Revenue). The Republican party just hasn't any use for us here in North Carolina, and we're fools if we vote the Republican ticket! Let's welcome all the errand ones back with open arms." Party of Confusion U. S. Senator Sam J. Ervin, Jr.,

North Carolina's junior senator, made no mention of his recent service on the McCarthy censure committee—a highly spotlighted job for a senatorial appointee with service of only a few weeks. The former superior court judge from Morganton described the Republican party as "the party of confusion." The confusion has spread over into the field of taxes, the atomic energy program, and everywhere else, with two opposing political philosophies in action within one party, uniting in only one thing—special privilege versus the people's interest." Senior U. S. Senator Alton A. Lennon, whom Scott will succeed in Washington in November, said he had two reasons for traveling with the rally caravan—"I want to express my gratitude for the fine expression of friendship and interest I received in the May campaign, and I want to demonstrate that, even if a candidate is unsuccessful in the primary, he can go all out to help elect an all-Democratic ticket."

Following the rally a barbecue supper was served by the Lee County committee at the Lions Club fairgrounds. Recognized were state officials Wade Bruton, assistant attorney

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