

Women's Activities and Sandhills Social Events

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Legion Auxiliary Unit of Pinehurst Elects Officers

Election of officers was the principal item of business at the regular monthly meeting of American Legion Auxiliary Unit No. 350 of Pinehurst held Wednesday, April 13, at the Legion Hut.

Mrs. Ralph Horner was reelected President for the coming year with other officers as follows: vice president, Mrs. George Hunt; secretary, Mrs. William Dunlop; treasurer, Mrs. James Garrison. New officers elected were sergeant at arms, Mrs. Melvin Wickler; chaplain, Mrs. Dale Harris and historian and publicity chairman, Mrs. Paul Monroe.

Advance progress of the Poppy sale, April 23, was reported, and plans and menus for a joint dinner meeting to be held with the Legion April 28 were completed. Following adjournment of the business session, Mrs. Dan Lewis and Mrs. Tommy Currie presented an interesting explanation of the Pan-American and Child Welfare programs which are sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary.

Sandhills Summer Club Book Lists Officers, Tournament Schedule

The Sandhills Summer Club has issued a golf tournament schedule for women, an attractive book listing officers, members and rules of play which was received by members this week. The season's first tournament will take place May 10, with the club's championship event scheduled for September 20 through the 22nd.

President of the club is Mrs. Ruth A. Stewart of Southern Pines, vice-president Mrs. DuWayne D. Gadd; secretary Mrs. J. J. McCarthy; treasurer Mrs. True Cheney; while tournament chairman is Mrs. John E. Barry, with the following serving on the tournament committee: Mrs. Maurice F. Creem, Mrs. Gadd, Mrs. Alfred N. Derouin, Mrs. Edwin A. Regan and Mrs. Louis C. Melcher. On the board of governors are Mrs. John W. Rettew, Mrs. Derouin and Mrs. E. N. Jackson.

Mrs. Fobes' Grandson Christened Saturday At Emmanuel Church

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Buoyer and their seven months' old son, Lewis Duncan of Raeford were Saturday guests of Mrs. Buoyer's mother, Mrs. Stanley Fobes. Young Lewis was christened that afternoon by the Rev. R. Martin Caldwell at Emmanuel Church and there was a small party afterwards for other members of the family. Miss Arden Fobes of St. Mary's College in Raleigh, and Mrs. Fobes' son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cornwell, Jr. and their children, Mark, Donna and Robin of Burlington, who were her weekend guests.

Thagard's Lake Site of Bird Club Meeting Friday

The Bird Club went again Friday to Thagard's Lake, making a list of 33 species, which included more newcomers; the white eyed vireo, humming bird, yellow throated warbler, and rough-winged swallow.

Anyone interested in bird study is welcome to join the group each Friday morning at 9:30 at 160 South Bennett St. Field trips are taken by automobile if the weather permits.

Shearwoods Entertain London Visitor In Pinehurst

Miss Mary Leveson arrived Monday to visit Capt. and Mrs. George F. Shearwood in Pinehurst. Miss Leveson was in charge of the Yaeger Shop in Pinehurst and left in 1948 to return to London, England which is now her home. She sailed aboard the SS United States and has been visiting in New York City and Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Gilmore Hostess At Informal Tea

Mrs. Voit Gilmore is entertaining at an informal get-together and tea for some of the teachers from the Southern Pines school and the neighborhood mothers.



PAN-AMERICAN MATERIAL — exhibited at Friday's meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary held at the home of Mrs. Dan R. McNeill. Seated, left to right; Mrs. C. W. Cousland, holding wall-hanging made in Guatemala, Miss Diane Gorman, Mrs. J. T. Overton, and Mrs. Dan McNeill.

Standing: Mrs. Veta Gorman, Mrs. Grady Culler, Mrs. Julia Epps, Miss Gussie Cameron, Mrs. Ed Cox (back — partially hidden), Miss Nannie Gilchrist, Mrs. J. S. McLaughlin and Mrs. Joe Hensley.

LEGION AUXILIARY MAKES POPPY DAY PLANS; HEARS GUATEMALAN PROGRAM

Plans for Poppy Day, April 23, of the banana-raising industry in Guatemala, Miss Diana Gorman played the national anthem of that country and read both the English and Spanish translation of the words, and Mrs. Cousland exhibited a number of interesting Guatemalan souvenirs.

The group accepted the report of the nominating committee with Miss Gussie Cameron selected as president and Mrs. R. E. Wicker of Pinehurst, second vice president. Other officers agreeing to serve a second year, will be installed at a joint meeting with the Legion in May.

Music chairman, Mrs. Cousland, led the members in the singing of the hymn of the month, "The Old Rugged Cross."

Mrs. McCain Shows Slides of Japan At Church Meeting

Mrs. A. L. Burney, president of the Women of Brownson Memorial Presbyterian Church, presided over the general meeting held Monday evening.

Mrs. Howard Butler presented the birthday objective and an offering was taken for this year's objective, which is Stillman College.

Officers elected at the meeting who will be installed October 1 were: Mrs. C. C. McLean, president; Mrs. Irene Nowell, historian; Mrs. Harvy Horne, chairman of spiritual growth; Mrs. Ted Klingenschmidt, chairman of world missions; Mrs. Walter Harper, chairman of Christian education; Miss Pearl McNeill chairman of general fund agencies; and Mrs. A. L. Burney, pastor's aid.

Slides which she took last summer in Japan were shown by Mrs. P. P. McCain who gave witty and interesting comments on the pictures, many of which were of the Presbyterian Church, U. S. mission stations and former birthday objectives.

Following the meeting, at the birthday party held in the Fellowship Hall, each circle had decorated a table to represent a different month and after being served at the buffet table, decorated in pink and white, each guest was seated at the table representing the month of her birth.

Among out of town guests present at the general meeting were Presbyterian president, Mrs. Archie Howard of Shannon; former Presbyterian president, Mrs. Herman Campbell of Pinehurst; and Mrs. Reuben McBrayer of New York City. Also present were guests from Bethesda Church in Aberdeen, the Community Church of Pinehurst, and a group from McCain.

Mrs. de Milhau Has 83rd Birthday Easter Monday

It was a full house at the Silas Nicholsons over the weekend, and on Easter Monday the household of four generations observed the 83rd birthday of Mrs. R. L. de Milhau, Mrs. Nicholsons' mother. Their daughter, Mrs. T. A. Bowen and husband Tom, who is in graduate school at Chapel Hill, arrived Thursday with children Christie and Steve. Saturday, son Edward Nicholson came in from East Carolina College, where he also is in graduate school.

St. Anne's Guild Hears Talk on Politics and Religion

Lt. Col. Francis M. Smith (Ret.) spoke on religion and politics at the meeting of St. Anne's Guild held Monday evening in Emmanuel Episcopal Church's Parish Hall.

A former liaison officer between the Army and the Senate in Washington, Col. Smith was in a position to observe realistically the religious attitudes of our country's top politicians and in his opinion, the majority of these men who represent us are dedicated Americans with high Christian principles, a fact which we perhaps do not always appreciate.

"The less you know about politicians," said Col. Smith, "the more you criticize, while the more you know, the less you criticize." The Colonel strongly advocated the need of these Christian principles, not only in our domestic relations, but more especially, by example in our relations with foreign countries.

During the discussion period following Col. Smith's talk he was queried specifically regarding his reference to the separation of church and state, if he felt religion would enter into the campaign of Sen. John F. Kennedy should he become the Democratic nominee for President. The Colonel replied he felt sure that religion would, in that event, become a campaign issue, but not to the extent that it did in Gov. Alfred Smith's campaign a number of years ago.

Serving refreshments to the group following the meeting were hostesses Mrs. E. K. Dudley and Mrs. George Davis.

Gen. and Mrs. Phillips Moving to Raleigh; He Has State Job

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. John D. F. Phillips, who have been residents at 450 Country Club Drive since his retirement from the Army last year, will be moving to Raleigh shortly. General Phillips has recently been appointed executive secretary of the Planning Commission for the State's tri-centennial celebration in 1963, the year which will celebrate North Carolina's accession to charter statehood 300 years ago.

Gen. Phillips will begin work June 1st and they plan to leave Southern Pines for Raleigh sometime before that date.



MRS. CHARLES DONALD PREVATTE

MISS BETTY JO LOUDERMILK UNITED FRIDAY TO CHARLES DONALD PREVATTE

In a candlelight service Friday evening at the Church of Wide Fellowship, Miss Betty Jo Loudermilk became the bride of Charles Donald Prevatte of Lumberton. The Rev. Carl Wallace officiated at the double ring ceremony.

White spring flowers and candles decorated the church and Dr. Bruce Warlick sang, "Treat Me Not to Leave Thee" and "The Lord's Prayer," accompanied by Mrs. Norris L. Hodgkins, who played a program of traditional music.

The bride, who is the daughter of Joseph Loudermilk of Atlanta, Ga., was given in marriage by Harry W. Chatfield of Southern Pines. Her gown of chantilly lace over taffeta had a full ruffled skirt, fitted bodice and a cameo neckline edged with seed pearls. A band of seed pearls held her fingertip veil of tulle. She carried a showered white orchid on a white prayer book.

The matron of honor, Mrs. James Howard Lancaster of Guilford College and maid of honor, Miss Arden Fobes of Southern Pines wore matching gowns of lavender embroidered organza with full skirts and matching tulle headpieces and shoes, and carried old fashioned bouquets of pale pink feathered carnations.

John R. Prevatte of Petersburg, Va. served his brother as best man, and ushers were William Carey Hinds of Lumberton and Robert M. Leland of Southern Pines.

Mrs. Chatfield wore a gown of dusty rose chiffon and lace with a small rose hat and an orchid corsage. The groom's mother was dressed in a silk print with pale beige duster, flowered hat and wore an orchid corsage.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Chatfield entertained at a reception in the church parlor following the ceremony and hostesses Mrs. Ruth Swisher, Mrs. Stanley Fobes and Mrs. Don Jones of Southern Pines and Miss Alice Baxter of Washington, D. C., served wedding cake and punch from a table decorated with silver candleabra and a centerpiece of white snapdragons and baby's breath.

After a short wedding trip, Mrs. Prevatte will resume her studies at Woman's College in Greensboro and her husband will return to his position at White Lake where the couple will make their home this summer.

The bride graduated from Southern Pines High School last June. Mr. Prevatte, the son of Mrs. L. T. Prevatte of Lumberton and the late Mr. Prevatte, attended the Lumberton schools and Wake Forest College.

Mrs. Stanley Fobes and Miss Arden Fobes entertained Thursday evening at a supper party for families and members of the wedding party.

Out of town guests here for the ceremony included: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Loudermilk of Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. J. R. Prevatte, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Greening, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Haden, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Adams, Miss Isabel McNeill, Miss Rose Ann Harris and George Ellis, all of Lumberton; Mrs. Thomas Strutchers of Sanford; Miss Alice Baxter of Washington, D. C.;

Local Resident's Granddaughter Wins Kiwanis Prize Friday

Janine Johnston was awarded grand prize among 28 acts in the Fayetteville Kiwanis Club's ninth Talent Night held Friday at Alexander Graham Junior High School.

The 13-year-old seventh grade student, who received the grand prize of \$25 for her playing of the third movement of a Haydn piano concerto, was given an additional \$25 for winning the Junior High Division Two. The latter sum, she turned over to the Junior High Symphonette which accompanied her in the playing of the

concerto. Janine is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Johnston of 423 Vista Drive, Fayetteville. Mrs. Johnston is the former Jane Moore, daughter of Mrs. George C. Moore of Southern Pines. Janine's other grandmother, Mrs. Virgil Johnston, a former Southern Pines resident, now lives in Fayetteville.

Miss Dorothy Dorn returned Monday to her home in Raleigh after spending the weekend with her mother, Mrs. H. W. Dorn. Miss Lillian Roberts of Raleigh was a dinner guest Monday of Mrs. Dorn and her daughter.

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