

Conference For Negro Women to Be Held May 6

The Interdenominational Christian Conference for Negro Women will be held at the College Heights Presbyterian Church in Fayetteville on May 6 beginning at 2 p. m. This conference is sponsored annually by the Fayetteville Presbytery. Delegates will attend from all areas of southeastern North Carolina.

The Rev. Robert F. Sloop, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Lumberton, will speak to the delegates on "The Christian Family and Rapid Social Changes." Training classes will be led by Miss Mary Catherine McCormick of St. Pauls, the Rev. C. H. Thomas of Fayetteville, and Mrs. John L. Lairly of Laurinburg.

Mrs. R. P. Brown, president of the Presbytery, from Southern Pines, will give the closing message.

L. M. Williams Of Manly Dies; Rites Held Today

Lennie M. Williams, 53, of Manly died Monday. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Iola Garner Williams; two daughters, Mrs. Jeanette Cook of Burlington and Mrs. Georgia Ferguson of Southern Pines; two sons, Paul of the U. S. Air Force in Homestead, Fla. and Ricky of the home; four sisters, Mrs. Emma Brown of Robbins, Mrs. B. W. Garner of Robbins, Route 2, and Mrs. Norman Hunsucker and Mrs. Arthur Davis, both of Greensboro; three brothers, Walter of Candor, Route 1, Lexie of Carthage, Route 3 and Herbert of Manly.

Funeral services were held this (Thursday) afternoon at Smyrna Methodist Church near Robbins by the Rev. Clarence Garner and the Rev. Bennie Maness. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mr. Williams was widely known in the Southern Pines community. For many years he was employed by Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Winkelman.

School Glee Club Directed by Local Minister to Sing

The Leak Street High School Glee Club of Rockingham, will appear in concert Sunday, May 6, at the West Southern Pines School at 3:30 p. m.

The Glee Club is directed by the Rev. J. W. Peek, who is pastor of Harrington Chapel Church in West Southern Pines, and who has been director of choral music at the Leak Street High School in Rockingham since 1957.

Under his direction, the glee club has made noteworthy progress and is now rated among the best choral groups in the state. This year the glee club has appeared on WSOC-TV, Charlotte; they sang as special guest of the North Carolina Principals' Conference in Durham; they sang in the N. C. Annual District Music Festival and received a state rating which made them eligible to sing in the N. C. State Music Festival at Teachers College, Winston-Salem. They have scheduled several other appearances for the year.

Rufus McLaughlin Legion Post Tops New Member Goal

Rufus McLaughlin Post 177 of The American Legion in West Southern Pines has exceeded its membership incentive goal for 1962, according to information from State Headquarters of The American Legion in Raleigh.

Sam McKeithen, commander of the post has received a letter from the Legion State Adjutant, Nash McKee, expressing congratulations and thanks to the membership chairman, all post officers, and membership workers for their effort.

Ben B. Halterman, of Wilmington, Department commander, added his congratulations.

The Incentive Goal of Post 177 is 19. Incentive goals are assigned each American Legion Post by the State Headquarters and are based on last year's membership of the post plus 2 per cent.

Post Commander McKeithen said, "There are many more eligible veterans who have not yet joined our post, and we invite them all to become members."

MOORE SUPERIOR COURT

Judge Says Forgery Cases Indicated Planning, Gives Olson Prison Term

Olie W. Olson, 22-year-old Fort Bragg Army deserter, received a prison sentence of two to four years, and suspended sentence of three to five years more Monday in Moore County Superior Court. Olson pleaded guilty to four counts of check forgery and counterfeiting. Judge Robert M. Gambill, presiding, gave him the active sentence for counterfeiting a check for \$525 on the First Citizens Bank of Fort Bragg, forging to it the name of another soldier and using it to start a checking and savings account at the Southern National Bank of Southern Pines April 2.

The three other counts, which were consolidated for judgment, were for passing fictitious checks in his "checking account at business places in Aberdeen and Southern Pines.

Olson's father, a Pittsburgh, Pa., foreman mechanic, was present and Judge Gambill suspended the second prison sentence on learning that the father had paid out the bad checks so that no one lost any money by his son's illegal dealings.

The checks ranged from about \$30 to more than \$100, and were used in payment for merchandise, securing the change in cash.

The State used as its only witness Deputy Sheriff J. A. Lawrence, who summed up the cases against Olson, adding that he was wanted also in Lec county on similar charges, and by Fort Bragg for being AWOL since February 9.

On March 11, Olson married a West End girl, the deputy said. Lawrence introduced as exhibits a number of checkbooks on various banks of the area, also some false checks all made out and signed ready for "passing" all found in Olson's car when he was apprehended at West End the night of April 4. Another item found in the car was a sandbag made out of a black sock.

Judge Gambill asked Olson about the sandbag, receiving the reply from the good-looking, black-haired young defendant: "Well, most everybody carries some type of weapon in their car to use for self-defense."

Before sentencing Olson, the judge talked long and earnestly with both the youth and his father, ascertaining that Olson had been in trouble before. Obviously perplexed by the case, Judge Gambill noted, "All this took a lot of work and figuring over a period of time it was all planned out. He will have to go to prison."

The second sentence was suspended on strict good-behavior conditions, with no violation of state laws, particularly those involving forgery and bad checks.

Other Trials
In two jury trials held Monday, Nelson G. Thomas received 12 months for assault with deadly weapon, while Joe Lesk Raines was acquitted of speeding 60 in a 50-mile zone in a truck.

An Aberdeen man, Kenneth Rowland, received 30 days for following too close behind a fire truck, blocking the equipment, the sentence then being suspended for two years on payment of \$25 and costs.

Pleading guilty, John Hackney was remanded to the lower court to serve a 30-day sentence for assault; Roscoe Brown received 30 days terms for public drunkenness and use of profane language, to be served concurrently; Thomas Lewis received 30 days for public drunkenness, suspended for two years on payment of costs.

Ernest Marsh drew six months for escaping from prison, a second offense; judgment was continued for Donnie Chavis on payment of costs, on a speeding charge; and for non-support, judgment was continued for Richard Allsbrook until the August term.

George Baldwin, Vass, in College Honor Fraternity

Because of his high scholastic average, George W. Baldwin of Vass has been initiated into Gamma Sigma Delta at North Carolina State College, where he is a senior in the School of Forestry.

The husband of the former Betty Jo Tew of Southern Pines, Baldwin is majoring in forest biology. Upon graduation this spring, he plans to enter graduate school and study either plant biochemistry or plant physiology.

He is a member of Xi Sigma Pi and honorary forestry fraternity, and the college Forestry Club. His grade average is 3.57 out of a possible 4.0.

Gamma Sigma Delta is an honor society of agriculture and forestry.



CHAMPION—SFC John H. Lingle of Southern Pines, who is a member of the 82nd Airborne Division stationed at Fort Bragg, became the Third U. S. Army 1962 individual pistol champion in the Third Army Rifle and Pistol Matches held recently at Fort Benning, Ga. He fired a record-smashing total of 2610-120x out of a possible 2,700 points. Over 300 leading pistol marksmen participated in the championships. (U. S. Army photo)

Southern Pines Recorder's Court

No session of Southern Pines Recorder's Court was held yesterday, because of the need for attorneys and police officers to appear in this week's term of Moore County Superior Court in Carthage.

Last week, Judge W. Harry Fullenwider heard a docket of routine cases, with a number of defendants electing to walk a specified distance in place of paying a fine. Cases heard were:

Calvin C. Kelly, Manly, public drunk, one month on roads, suspended six months on payment of costs, not to be convicted of similar offense for six months; Chester E. Thompson, Pinehurst public drunk, bond forfeited; Phillips Glenn McLellan, careless and reckless driving, found guilty of speeding too fast for conditions, pay costs and not in auto for 30 days; O. D. White, public drunk, one month, suspended 12 months on payment of costs, not to be convicted of similar offense or one involving alcohol, for six months; Eugene McKinnon, Route 3, Carthage, public drunk, pay costs and walk home; Clarence E. Clark, Manly, possession of 20% wine with seal broken, pay costs, wine to be confiscated and destroyed.

Edgar Gibson, Lost City, assault, one month on roads; Harold Douglas Morrison, disregarding stop sign; \$10 and costs; George Turner, obstructing traffic, pay costs; Rosa L. Short, failure to yield right of way, \$10 and costs; James Thomas Pilson, drunken driving, \$100 and costs, jail until 6:30 p. m. on day of trial, surrender driver's license, appeal to Superior Court entered, bond set at \$300; Gerald Brady Eaton, Route 3, Carthage, speeding 65 in 55 zone, improper muffler, \$10 and costs; Melvin Caddell Cummings, speeding 68 in 55 zone, \$13 and costs; Charles Mason Howell, Route 2, Melbourne, Fla., speeding 70 in 55 zone, \$15 and costs.

Frank Senofonte, Jr., Dunmore, Pa., speeding 65 in 55 zone, \$10 and costs; Thomas P. Virginia, Woodford, Ill., exceeding stated speed limit, not guilty; William Clifford Costello, Route 3, Paw Paw, Mich., exceeding stated speed limit, not guilty; Rodney V. Vanvorhis, Fort Bragg, no valid operator's permit, pay costs and walk to Fort Bragg; Robert Thomas Fowler, Olivia, speeding 65 in 55 zone, \$10 and costs; Raol Anderson Wolf, speeding 60 in 45 zone, pay costs and walk to Westbrooks and back; Eleanor C. Tompkins, judgment as at non-suit on charge of no valid operator's permit, \$10 fine and costs on charge of using wrong traffic lane, resulting in accident.

3 Divorces Granted By Superior Court
Three uncontested divorces were granted during the current term of Moore Superior Court, all on grounds of two years' separation: Moselle Myrlean Stewart vs. Thomas Jackson Stewart; Louis W. Marion vs. Winifred Z. Marion; and Edward C. Patterson vs. Caroline Elizabeth Stewart Patterson.

AT 2 STATIONS

Boys Taken Into Custody in West End Robberies

The robbery of two service stations was discovered early Sunday morning when volunteer firefighters, who had just brought a house fire under control, went to one of the stations to get some soft drinks.

W. T. Lewis, member of the West End volunteer fire department, opened his Shell station about 5 a. m. to find two young Negro boys in the act of robbing the place. He held the older one, aged 13, while Sheriff W. B. Kelly was summoned, but the younger, aged 13 got away. He was later turned over to "the law" by his mother.

About \$15 in change—quarters, nickels and pennies in separate rolls—also a pocketwatch and steak knife were found on the older boy. A search of the younger boy when taken in hand later brought \$4.30 in change to light, along with another watch.

Sheriff Kelly said it was later found that Roger Martin's Shell station, about a block from Lewis's, had also been entered and robbed. Change from the cash register, watches and other items were missing at both places. Both juveniles were already on probation for breaking and entering.

The boys were to have a hearing today before Clerk of Court C. C. Kennedy, juvenile court judge, at Carthage.

PATTON

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38 - 36 - 74 for the 7,000-yard, a 33-36-69 card and Manley was par 72 No. 2 course of the Country Club over which the National Amateur will be played in September.

After the luncheon break, Patton pushed his lead to eight up through the six afternoon holes before dropping a couple. But he won the 29th with a par and a half in pars on the 30th ended the match.

Patton was even par in the afternoon, making him three under for 30 holes played in sticky, 80-degree temperature over a course made increasingly difficult by pin placements that bordered on the cruel in some instances.

Sharp Iron Play

Patton paid tribute to his iron play, which became sharper each day. "It was a good feeling to see them on target and stay there all day, they got the job done," he noted while walking back to the club house from the 12th green.

He took the lead by winning the second and third morning holes with pars and never was headed.

The former Walker Cup player, remembered by golf galleries as the amateur who finished one stroke behind Sam Snead and Ben Hogan when they deadlocked for first place in the Master's tournament eight years ago, missed only four of 30 greens Saturday and only twice put the ball in a trap.

'Trick Shots'

Three times in the morning round he pulled off "trick shots" that rank with some of the most exciting of his storied career. His driver got him in trouble on the fourth, seventh and 11th holes, but he wiggled out with breath-taking skill.

On the 528-yard fourth hole, he hooked his tee shot onto a sandy path that divides woods between the fourth and fifth fairways. He had to take his stance a foot above the ball and hit it up the road, fading it over pine trees onto the fairway. Then he pitched about 100 yards across a bunker six feet from his hole for an amazing birdie four that earned him a half.

On the seventh hole, a dogleg 394-yarder, his drive landed close to the trees, in high grass, but he banged it out onto the green, 35 feet from the hole and ran in the winning birdie putt.

In the Woods

On No. 11, a difficult 433-yarder, his drive again found the woods. He whistled it out toward the green but it caught the corner of a tiny trap guarding the carpet. His explosion flew 14 feet past the pin but he got his par and another half.

These heroics balanced three holes, 13, 17 and 18 on which he missed putts of three to four feet that would have given him two winners and a half.

Against Patton's brand of golf, Manley had little chance. His last gasp effort produced birdies on the eighth and ninth holes in the afternoon that cut the lead to six holes before Patton again took charge.

For the week Patton was five under par for 135 holes, eight rounds in six days.

SANG IN WASHINGTON

Catholic School Glee Club Given 'No. 1' Rating

The St. Anthony's School Glee Club received a number one rating in the Music Festival held April 5 at the Catholic University of America in Washington, D. C., according to information just received by School Principal Sister Catherine Leonard.

Thirty-seven members of the Glee Club participated in the festival, which was non-competitive except that various participating groups were given comparative ratings by three judges including Dr. Paul, director of the Catholic University Music Department.

Sister Ann St. Joseph, the director of the group, and sister Helen Philip, piano accompanist, are now in Washington at a music educators conference.

Accompanying the group from St. Anthony's to Washington in April were Father Francis M. Smith, Sister Barbara and Mrs. John Buchholz, Mrs. James Aldridge, Mrs. Lee K. Smithson and Mrs. J. Watson Smith.

Dr. Rhodes Will Preach At Presbyterian Church

Dr. Daniel D. Rhodes, professor of Bible at Davidson College, will be the guest minister Sunday morning, May 6, at Brownson Memorial Presbyterian Church.

A native of North Carolina, Dr. Rhodes attended Davidson College, Louisville Seminary and Duke University School of Religion.

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