

PINEBLUFF NEWS

By MRS. EHRMAN PICKLER

New Books

Recent additions to the Pinebluff Library include: The Rector of Justin by Louis Auchincloss, The Hatterasman by Ben Dixon MacNeill, The Pond by Robert Murphy, Man on Fire by LeGette Blythe, My Name is Death by Lesley Egan, Policeman's Dread by John Creasv, Run Scared by Mignon Eberhart, Buffalo Bill by Boy of the Plains—Augusta Stevenson.

HD Club Meets

The Pinebluff Home Demonstration Club held its monthly meeting Thursday, September 11, with 15 members and one guest present. Mrs. Estelle Griffin, vice president, conducted the meeting in the absence of Mrs. Harry Charles. Mrs. Charles Elder brought an interesting lesson on "Snacks" and sang a catchy Chinese song. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mesdames J. R. Lampley and Belton Fletcher.

The Club's workshop will open for the fall season October 2 at 7:30 p.m. All who are interested are invited to attend.

WCSA Meets

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Pinebluff Methodist Church met Tuesday evening at the church. Mrs. W. R. Griffin gave the devotional and Mrs. R. G. McCaskill presented the program, "A New Purpose For A New Age." Mrs. Winfred Smith presided and heard reports. During the social hour, the hostesses for the evening, Mrs. Joseph W. Adams and Mrs. Frances Horton, served refreshments.

Couple Wed

Miss Mary Ellen Bennett of Raeford became the bride of Kenneth Drummond of Jasper, Ala. Sunday afternoon, September 6, in the Community Methodist Church. The candlelit, double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Julian Warren Scott, pastor.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Wayland Bennett. Mrs. Julian Warren Scott was soloist and Mrs. Frank Swaim pianist.

Maid of honor was Miss Joyce Bennett, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Misses Jean Mercer of Raeford, Brenda Thomas of Aberdeen, Catherine McKenzie of Raeford and Linda Schuchard of Fayetteville.

Best man was Bobby Pate of Laurinburg and ring bearer, Kathy Gardner of Aberdeen. Ushers were W. J. and Lewis Bennett, brothers of the bride, of Raeford; Steve and Lay Bennett, cousins of the bride, of Jackson Springs.

A reception followed the ceremony at the home of Mrs. Lee Winecoff. Mrs. Nance poured punch. Mrs. Opal Drummond of Jasper, Ala., mother of the bridegroom, came here for the wedding.

Personals

21 Lt. Phillip R. Mather Jr., after completing nine weeks at the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga., nine weeks' Ranger training at Fort AFR, Fla., and three and a half weeks' Airborne training at Fort Benning, spent several weeks in Pinebluff and Crescent Beach, S. C., before leaving for his assigned post in Germany. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jackson of Durham visited Mrs. W. R. Griffin Sunday afternoon. Kippy David of Campbell Col-

lege was at home for the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Douglas David.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Marts have returned home from Victoria, Tex. where they visited their daughter, Mrs. Eddie Alkek and her daughter, Cheri, and also, the new grandson, Keith Edward Alkek, born September 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Curlee and daughter, Audrey, went to Holden Beach for overnight Friday, returning home Saturday.

Johnny Marts and Gary Collier of Stedman, both students at Pembroke College, spent the weekend with Johnny's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Marts.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse White and daughter, Monya, of Kernersville, were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey White.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Douglas David and Mrs. J. W. Pickler visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Anderson and son, David, and Miss Jennifer David in Raleigh Sunday.

Mrs. Myra Meek and daughter, Lois, of Mount Morris, N. Y., spent last week with Mrs. Mae Miller Veazey.

Buddy Keith of Alaska is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Keith, Jr.

Lewis (Buck) Aycock of Pfeiffer College, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Bruce Woodcock, and Mr. Woodcock.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Tarlton of Sanford visited Mrs. Ehrman Pickler and Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Carpenter, Sr. Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kinlaw of St. Paul spent Tuesday with Mrs. Mae Miller Veazey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Morgan of Raleigh were weekend guests of Mrs. Morgan's sister, Mrs. W. R. Griffin.

Mrs. Frances Horton and daughter, Miss Jay Fisher, spent Saturday in Wilmington.

Mrs. Kermit Porter and daughter, Jennifer, and Miss Hadie Gray have returned to their home in Wrightsville Beach after spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Carpenter and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Woodcock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Carpenter Sr. and Mrs. Ehrman Pickler visited their brother-in-law, E. A. Healms, at Lee County Hospital, Sanford, Sunday.

Rites Conducted For C. L. Dutton, Retired Merchant

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church Saturday, September 12, for Claude L. Dutton, 82, retired Southern Pines merchant who died suddenly at his home on S. Bennett St. September 10.

Officiating at the funeral were the Rev. John D. Stone, pastor of the church, and the Rev. Paul Boone, pastor of the Carthage Methodist Church. Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery.

A native of Ponca, Neb., Mr. Dutton moved to Southern Pines in 1936 and for the next several years operated a grocery store, first on W. Pennsylvania Ave., across from The Pilot office, and then at the location of his home on S. Bennett St.

Mr. Dutton and his wife were residents of Moore County for nearly 15 years before moving to Southern Pines. Mrs. Dutton's family had been in Cameron since 1911; and Mr. and Mrs. Dutton, after living for a time in Baltimore, moved to Cameron in 1922, where Mr. Dutton operated a store. Later, they moved to Niagara, operating a store there for nine years.

He was widely known and held in affectionate regard in the community. From 1953 to '58 he was employed as desk sergeant with the Southern Pines Police Department.

Interested in youth and in athletics, especially baseball, he was active in organizing and coaching Little League baseball here in the 1950's.

He is survived by his wife, the former Grace Turnley; four sons, Robert L. and Harold T. Dutton, both of Southern Pines; Roy L. Dutton of Santa Barbara, Calif.; and C. Jerrell Dutton of Carthage; 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

(Editor's note: This obituary was inadvertently omitted from last week's Pilot.

Mrs. Gravette, Formerly Of Carthage Dies At 24; Funeral Held Saturday

Funeral services were held at the Carthage Presbyterian Church Saturday afternoon for Mrs. Larry D. Gravette, 24, of Greensboro, who died at Duke Hospital, Durham, Thursday of last week.

The pastor of the church, the Rev. B. E. Dotson, was assisted in conducting the services by the Rev. W. S. Golden of Carthage and Dr. Julian Lake, pastor of Brownson Memorial Church, Southern Pines. Burial was in Cross Hill Cemetery, Carthage.

A native of Carthage—daughter of Mrs. Dan N. Carter and the late Mr. Carter—Mrs. Gravette

had entered the hospital Friday of the previous week. Her mother and her sister, Mrs. J. William Blue of Southern Pines, and her husband, were with her until the time of her death.

Immediate survivors also include her grandmother, Mrs. George D. Carter of Carthage. Her husband, who is with Burlington Industries at Greensboro, is a native of Asheville. They had been married last year, following Mrs. Gravette's graduation from St. Andrews Presbyterian College at Laurinburg in June. She had previously attended Queens College, Charlotte, for two years, transferring to St. Andrews for her last two college years.

Mrs. Gravette grew up in Carthage, graduating from high school there. An outstanding student, she was accorded many honors. She was a member of the Carthage Presbyterian Church, serving in various capacities including work with young people and was on the Advisory Council of the District. Her friendliness, generosity, vivacity and beauty won the high regard of the Carthage community and of all who knew her.

Thomas, Kelly At Memphis Meeting

Charles J. Thomas, innkeeper of the Holiday Inn, and J. Douglas Kelly of Doug Kelly's Holiday Inn Restaurant, both of Southern Pines, joined more than 2,500 delegates from over 500 Inns this week in Memphis Tenn. for the ninth annual conference of the International Association of Holiday Inns, September 22-25.

Attending are franchise-holders, innkeepers, and restaurant managers from 44 states, Canada, and Puerto Rico. Highlighting the conference will be the unveiling of a new IBM reservation system connecting all Holiday Inns.

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The six great fundamental principles of the Constitution are: (1) Representative Government, (2) Dual Government, (3) Inalienable rights of the individual, (4) Independence of the Judiciary, (5) System of checks and balances, (6) Joint power of the President and the Senate in the determination of foreign policy.

Funeral Held For J. L. Smithwick

Funeral services for Jasper Lee Smithwick, 49, of Cameron, Route 2, who died Wednesday of last week, were conducted Saturday at First Christian Church in Durham by the Rev. L. B. Scarborough, pastor. Burial was in Woodlawn Memorial Park with Masonic rites.

He was a native of Durham and a veteran of World War II and the Korean War. He retired as a master sergeant.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Betty Lou Smithwick; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Smithwick of Cameron and two brothers, Claude W. Smithwick of Jacksonville, and Wilson F. Smithwick of Asheville.

Bird Cox, Rt. 3, Carthage, Dies

Bird Cox, 73, of Route 3, Carthage, died Monday morning following a heart attack which he suffered while sitting in his car at the Carthage Post Office.

Funeral rites were conducted Wednesday afternoon at Summer Hill Baptist Church by the Rev. Melvin Williamson and the Rev. William Hancock. Burial was in Johnson's Grove Cemetery near Vass.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Willie Cox; four daughters, Mrs. Polly Moore of Cheraw, S. C., Mrs. Annie Goodman and Mrs. Mattie Higgins, both of Atlanta, Georgia, and Mrs. Ruth Jackson of Aberdeen; a son, Sam Cox of Cleveland, Ohio; 10 grandchildren, two great-grandchildren.

Aberdeen News

By ANN J. McNEILL

Mrs. Medlin, Hostess
Mrs. E. M. Medlin was hostess at the September meeting of the Walter Hines Page Book Club at the Golden Door of Howard Johnson. Mrs. R. S. Gwyn, president, presided over the business session of the first meeting of the club year.

Miss Page Shamburger, author and aviatrix, was guest speaker and reviewed portions of her new book, "Tracks Across the Sky," which was greatly enjoyed by all.

The 23 members and four guests enjoyed refreshments of ice cream, nuts and cookies during the social hour.

Round Robin Club
The Round Robin Garden Club held its first meeting of the club year in the home of Mrs. Needham Marley in Forest Hills on Wednesday afternoon, September 16. Mrs. Lawrence McN. Johnson, president, presided over the meeting.

Mrs. Dan Farrell presented a program on "Borders." Arrangements were judged and Mrs. Victor Grose's arrangement of mixed late summer flowers won first place. Mrs. Farrell and Mrs. D. J. Hobbs tied for second place. A dessert course with iced tea was served by the hostess during the social hour.

WCSA Meets
The Women's Society for Christian Service of Page Memorial Methodist Church held its regular meeting on Monday afternoon, September 14. Mrs. H. W. Doub, president, presided and Mrs. W. U. Barefield led the opening prayer.

It was announced that the Week of Prayer would begin October 25, with October 29 to be observed as Day of Prayer. The annual Bazaar will be held November 5.

Circle number four led the program on "A New Purpose for a New Age." Taking part were Mrs. Wade Reynolds, Mrs. H. W. Doub, Mrs. H. J. Edge and Mrs. W. U. Barefield, concluded by a question and answer period.

Bethesda Women
It was "Mabel J. Bethune" Night at the meeting of Bethesda Women of the Church, when Mrs. C. C. Bethune was honored Sunday evening with an Honorary Life Membership by the Women of Bethesda Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Francis Pleasants, historian, presented the membership pin and certificate in an impressive ceremony during the evening. Also, a punch bowl ensemble, presented the church by Circle number 1, Mrs. Frank Mizell, chairman, was given in

honor of Mrs. Bethune. Mrs. Bethune is now making her home in Laurinburg with her daughter, Mrs. A. V. Townsend and family.

A highlight of the evening's program was the installation of officers for the coming year in an inspiring message and installation by Mrs. Myrton Stewart of Carthage, president of the Women of Fayetteville Presbytery. Installed were the following: Mrs. Ben Wicks, president; Mrs. J. E. McKeithen, vice-president; Mrs. Glenn Caviness, secretary; and Mrs. R. E. Oldham, treasurer; Mrs. Francis Pleasants, historian.

Cause chairmen installed: Mrs. Bob Maurer, Personal Faith and Family Life; Miss Edna Maurer, Leadership and Resources; Mrs. Gordon Keith, Christian Community Action; Mrs. Ralph Caldwell, Ecumenical Mission and Relation; Mrs. Curtis McInnis, Pastor's Aid. The Social Service Committee is composed of Mrs. Robert N. Page, Mrs. Leroy Harrington and Mrs. J. W. Follew.

A social hour was held at the conclusion of the meeting. Punch was served by Mrs. J. E. McKeithen, retiring president, and iced cakes, nuts and mints were enjoyed by all present for this memorable occasion.

Bridge-Luncheon
Mrs. D. J. Hobbs was hostess to members of her bridge club on Tuesday afternoon. Following a delicious luncheon, several progressions of bridge were played. Mrs. Dan Farrell was high scorer and Mrs. Sid Taylor won second high. Others playing were Mrs. Lawrence Johnson, Mrs. Bob Farrell, Mrs. Norfleet Pleasants, Mrs. George Anderson, and Mrs. Ralph Leach.

Briefs
Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McN. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. John Harney spent the weekend at Blowing Rock.

Mrs. E. T. McKeithen left Sunday for a visit with relatives in South Carolina.

A large number of faculty members from Aberdeen Elementary and High Schools attended the District meeting in Sanford Tuesday where J. R. Brendell, Jr. was installed as president of the Southeastern District of the NCEA. Mrs. Laura K. Cagle was installed as secretary.

Mrs. C. E. Pleasants, Mrs. Leroy Harrington, and Mrs. Sam Swearingen joined a tour in Durham Sunday for a trip to New York City and the World's Fair.

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Mr. and Mrs. Riegel Visit Friends Of Late Miss Newton

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Riegel of Larchmont, N. Y., were in Southern Pines recently to call on friends of their great-aunt, Miss Edith G. Newton, who died here August 26.

Miss Newton first came to Southern Pines in 1916 and then returned at intervals for many years. Twelve years ago, she made her permanent home here and remained until her death.

Until about a year ago, when her health began to fail, she was well known for her daily walks. She was interested in the outdoors, especially study of the birds, and found much pleasure in books.

In the absence of the Rev. Martin Caldwell, rector of Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Miss Newton's service was conducted at the church by a great-nephew, of Greenville, S. C. Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery.

There were no immediate survivors; the closest relatives are great-nephews.

Advertising in newspapers is news. It is information about merchandise, services or ideas and inventions of people who pay to have such news published so that the consumer "may know."

D. Evander Smith, 87, Native Of Vass, Dies

D. Evander Smith, 87, native of Vass, died at Joplin, Mo., Tuesday.

Funeral services and burial will be at Wiggins, Miss., Friday.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. J. Lee Johnson of Raleigh and Mrs. J. M. Norton of Raeford; and one son, L. E. Smith of Joplin.

Mr. Smith was widely related in the Vass area.

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