

Dr. Marshall Will Address Magnolia Seniors

Dr. W. E. Marshall, Professor of Political Science at East Carolina College, will deliver the commencement address to the Senior Class of Magnolia High School on May 14.

In Washington, D. C. For several years Dr. Marshall served as Director of Student Affairs and Dean of Men at East Carolina College, but he gave up his administrative duties at the beginning of this year in order to devote more time to the fields of International Law and International Relations.

H.D.C. Hears Talk On Corsage Making

The Magnolia Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon at three o'clock in the Club Building.

After a short business discussion, Mrs. J. W. Evans, who had attended the corsage making demonstration in Kenansville gave a very interesting demonstration on corsage making to the club.

Womans Civic Club Discusses Contest

The Magnolia Womans Civic Organization met Monday night at eight o'clock with Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Mrs. Jack Joyner was co-hostess.

Mrs. L. E. Pope presided. Further plans toward the contest, "A Finer Carolina" were made.

There are 17 paid members in this organization and there were 21 persons present at the meeting Monday night.

The next meeting will be held on April 28 at the home of Mrs. A. Q. Smith with Mrs. Alvin Powell co-hostess.

Members present declared it the most interesting meeting of the year.

With the exception of filling out year books the first of the year, the Magnolia Club has held its meeting with an agent being present.

At the close of the meeting the hostess, Mrs. L. G. Turner, served pie and soft drinks.

Personals

Sgt. Gilbert Poindexter, USAF, is spending a few days with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Michael and children of Durham spent the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. F. N. Barden.

Miss Alice Hunt of Chapel Hill spent the holiday week end with her sister, Mrs. Helen Hunt and brother John D. Hunt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Grubbs of Calypso visited Mr. and Mrs. John R. Croom and other relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Evans and children of Wilmington were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Powell, James P. Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. John William Evans.

Carl Ray Tucker of Wilmington visited his father James Tucker and other relatives last weekend.

Earl Quinn of Wake Forest College returned Sunday after spending Spring and Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Quinn.

Darwin Evans, Lousburg College spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John William Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and children visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Brown in Kenansville Sunday.

Miss Margaret Carter of Burghaw and former Home Ec. teacher in Magnolia visited with Mrs. P. J. Heath Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dall and family of Chiquapien spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Dall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Turner.

Afton Quinn, Wake Forest student, returned to school Sunday after a weeks visit with his sister Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wells and brother Tom Quinn.

Haywood "Plugsy" Usher, Lousburg College student spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Usher.

Emma Catherine Brown E.C.C. student was week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Sally Tucker spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Martino and family in Fayetteville.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Jones were their children, Miss Sally Mae Jones, Mrs. Pauline Todd and daughter Paula of Raleigh, Mrs. Wayne Hoover and family of Harrell's Store, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Chestnut and children of Magnolia, Mr. and Mrs. Otha Lee Rolland and children of Kenansville.

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P.I.A. Final Meeting

An interesting program was presented at the regular meeting of the Magnolia Parent-Teacher Association Monday evening to a very large audience.

The president, Mrs. Ralph Bishop, presided.

Mrs. Ed Hawes and Miss Betty Horne were in charge of the program for the evening.

The devotional and a playlet, "Old Mother Goose" was presented by the first grade.

An interesting discussion "Needs and Facilities of the Community" was capably led by Mrs. C. H. Pope.

During the business session it was voted to make this meeting the final one for the school year.

At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served in the school lunch room.

Mrs. Pope Hostess At Bridge

Mrs. C. H. Pope entertained her bridge club Wednesday evening of last week.

After scores were tallied Mrs. N. T. Pickett received high score prize, a potted gardenia.

During the social hour the hostess served congealed salad, ham biscuits, sandwiches and coffee.

visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Pickett and other relatives Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth T-yler of Washington, D. C., K. Taylor of Jackson, N. C. and Miss Evelyn Gillispie of Salisbury spent Saturday and Sunday at the Taylors home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fennell Smith and children of Richmond, Va., spent the week end at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Saunders and son of Richmond, Va., is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Sanderson.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Jones and children of New Bern were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Pope.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Horne of Kingston were Sunday guests of his mother, Mrs. Florence Horne.

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Laws & Procedure Regarding Dredging Of North E. River

The following letter was received from Col. Brown a few days ago.

In accordance with your request I am furnishing you with information on the laws and procedure that apply to minor clearing and snagging projects for flood control.

This Flood Control Act, approved July 1940, authorized the Secretary of the Army "to allot not to exceed \$1,000,000 from any appropriations heretofore or hereafter made for any one fiscal year for flood control, for removing accumulated snags and other debris, and clearing and straightening the channel in navigable streams and tributaries thereof, when in the opinion of the Chief of Engineers such work is advisable in the interest of flood control.

To obtain funds under the cited authority, it is necessary that the cost of the clearing and snagging of the stream or tributary not exceed \$50,000, unless local interests are willing to contribute the full amount above \$50,000.

Local interests submitted a petition, having 215 signatures, requesting the clearing and snagging of Trent River, to Congressman Graham A. Barden.

On October 10, 1949, Congressman Barden requested my predecessor, Colonel H. R. Cole, to investigate the possibility of improvement.

This office made field inspections and interviewed local interests, and on February 16, 1950, Colonel Cole recommended clearing and snagging 37.5 miles of Trent River between Trenton and the Jones - Lenoir County line, at an estimated cost of \$75,000.

Local interests may initiate a project by making a request for the improvement through the District Engineer or through their representative or one of the Senators in the United States Congress.

In the latter case, the Member of Congress ordinarily will forward the request to the Chief of Engineers, who in turn forwards it through channels to the District Engineer, although in some cases the request may be forwarded direct to the District Engineer.

In any case, the District Engineer compiles all the available data on the number of acres of farmland flooded or suffering from inadequate drainage, the type of crops planted, the frequency of flooding, the probable lowering of flood stages if clearing and snagging were done, makes an estimate of the dollar value of the benefits, and other pertinent information.

The District Engineer forwards his report containing the above information. He also makes a cost estimate of the clearing and snagging. The District Engineer forwards his report containing the above information and his recommendation for or against improvement, through channels, to the Chief of Engineers.

If the Chief of Engineers finds the improvement justified, he will allot funds if they are available. If all available funds have been allotted, the recommendation for improvement can be resubmitted early in the next fiscal year.

We are just getting a clearing and snagging project on Trent River underway. Although all the steps would not necessarily be required for all projects, I am giving you a resume of the major steps that were taken on that project, to give you an example of the procedure.

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the beginning of fiscal year 1952.

On April 5, 1951, an engineer from this office met with the spokesmen for local interests and explained the requirements that local interests would have to raise the funds required in excess of \$50,000.

On April 15, 1951, an engineer from this office attended a mass meeting at Trenton, at which about 100 persons were present.

The attendance at a meeting held two weeks earlier was about 250. At the mass meeting it was brought out that about \$15,000 was all that local interests could raise. Our representative stated that while it would be preferable that the full \$25,000 be raised he believed that the District Engineer would recommend accepting \$15,000 in which case the project would be restudied with a view to accomplishing the work for \$85,000.

In the meantime, local interests advised Congressman Barden of the difficulty they were having in raising \$25,000, and the Congressman in turn advised the Chief Engineer. As a result, this office received a wire from the Chief of Engineers, dated May 23, 1951, requesting that our previous estimate be reviewed with a view to determining the feasibility of accomplishing a complete and worthwhile snagging and clearing project, using \$50,000 Federal funds, plus a local contribution of about \$15,000.

On May 21, 1951, a group of interested persons from the Trent River basin met in my office and again stated that \$15,000 was the maximum practicable local contribution. I requested the group to furnish a statement to that effect in writing; I received such a statement the following day.

On June 6, 1951, I recommended clearing and snagging the 37.5 miles of Trent River referred to hereinbefore, at a cost of \$50,000 to the Federal Government and \$15,000 local interests. Higher authority concurred, and on November 18, 1951, the Chief of Engineers allotted \$50,000 for the work, contingent on local interests providing an additional \$15,000.

On February 18, 1952, local interests furnished this office with a check for \$15,000, payable to the Treasurer of the United States. Local interests were also required to cooperate by furnishing right-of-way and by holding the United States free from any claims for damages from the work. Local interests have fulfilled those requirements. We expect to start on the project on or before May 1, 1952.

I am enclosing a copy of Job Order No. 88-101 to the Chief of our Construction Division, which describes the work to be done.

If I can be of further aid to you, please call on me.

Sincerely yours, R. C. Brown, Colonel, Corps of Engineers, District Engineer

Traffic accidents caused injuries to 15,123 persons in North Carolina last year.

MORE MAGNOLIA PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Massengill and two children of Goldsboro spent Saturday evening and night with Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wilson, Miss Estelle Sanderson visited with them on Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Emily Bailey of Burlington visited with her mother during the Easter holidays. Little Jimmy King of W. Lacey and George Antley of Wilmington spent the week end with their grandmother. They all visited Mr. and Mrs. George Antley in Wilmington Sunday.

Misses Barbara Tucker and Carolyn Sasser attended the Junior Senior Banquet in Warsaw Friday night.

Mrs. Mirude King visited from Tuesday until Friday with Mrs. Sidney Johnson in Rose Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbie Halberg and children of Goldsboro visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson.

Mr. D. M. Crabbe of Toms River, N. J. was a week end visitor of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Pippin, Mr. Edward Crabbe, who is the senior partner of the Double Trouble Co. entertained Mrs. J. A. Wilson M. and Mrs. Wendell Evans, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Pippin on his yacht, "Gulf Stream" while it was at anchor in the Wrightsville Yacht basin. Mr. Crabbe and his daughter, Mrs. Trappnell wintered in Florida and have now gone North for the summer.

Mr. Michael Sowers of Rutgers University, N. J. spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Pippin.

Mrs. W. P. Trappnell spent several days at her summer cottage "Bull Bat Villa" last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Pippin were dinner guests of the Gale Harrissons on Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Jodie B. Hooks, Jr. visited the H. L. Pippins Sunday.

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I herewith declare myself a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Commissioner in the Democratic primary to be held on May 31, 1952. I have served you and the County as a whole, to the best of my ability and judgement during my present term of office, and promise to continue to do so. I will sincerely appreciate your support and vote in the primary on May 31, 1952.

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