

Duplin County Society

Three Duplin Girls In Armistice Beauty Queen Contest



MISS BETTY PHILLIPS

The above Duplin County High School beauties will be among the many contestants seeking to become Miss Duplin County and Queen of the Chas.



MISS SADIE SPENCE SMITH

R. Gavin Post No. 127 at this year's Armistice celebration in Warsaw on Tuesday November 11th. The Queen will be crowned Tuesday evening



MISS MARY ESTHER FUTREAL

preceding the annual Armistice Ball at the Warsaw school gymnasium. She will be crowned by Miss Cynthia Taylor, of B. F. Grady, 1952 queen.

Quinn & Griffin Wedding Plans

The marriage of Miss Lorraine Quinn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Quinn and Mr. Eddie Earl Griffin son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Griffin will take place Saturday November 15th at 5:30 in the Freewill Baptist Church with the Rev. Stephen Smith officiating. Miss Betty Gou'd Quinn sister of the bride will be her only attendant.

Mr. Griffin will have as his best man Mr. Rolin Thomas. Ushers are Mr. Treasure Rhoades and Mr. Grady Quinn. All of their friends are cordially invited.

Dickson. Mrs. R. C. Best lead the club hymn which was sung by the group. The club collect was read in unison. After the business session, the chairman of Literature, Mrs. Johnnie Albritton presented the speaker of the evening, Rev. J. T. Brown, his topic being 'The American Home'. He made a very interesting and instructive talk telling the important things that go to make up a real home.

Mrs. R. L. Cox gave a report on the district meeting. The hostess served punch, chifon cake and nuts.

Personnel Notes Health Dep't.

Misses Mary Anna Elliott and Beverly Surr of the Division of Oral Hygiene, State Board of Health, Raleigh, are in Duplin County this week visiting all the schools with the Jack Puppet show.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kornegay and Mrs. O. C. Carter spent the week end at Raper, N. C. visiting Mrs. W. T. Turkenton.

Mrs. David Boney, County Health Leader; Mrs. Herman Miller and Mrs. C. L. Sloan, Council Officers; and Home Agent attended the Rural Health Conference held October 19 in Raleigh. An exhibit on health is being planned by Mrs. Boney for Achievement Day.

In a battle of tongues politicians seldom hold their own.

Remember that highway safety is a life and death matter. Right of way may be a fine thing—but never worth dying for. The toughest thing for a good talker is to be a good listener.

North Carolina Garden Club Holds District Meet Warsaw

By CAROLYN CRAVEN
District Nine of the Garden Club of North Carolina held its annual meeting in Warsaw on October 29, with the business session in the Warsaw Baptist Church and the luncheon session at the American Legion Hut.

Mrs. Connett E. Howard of Goldsboro presided over the meeting of the district of which she is district director. Mrs. H. L. Stevens, Jr. welcomed the visiting club members to Warsaw and the response was given by Mrs. C. B. Hasbrouch of Bladenboro.

The state president of the Garden Club, Mrs. Roy Homewood of Chapel Hill, attended the meeting and brought greetings from the state officers. In her talk, she presented other officers in attendance who were Mrs. E. A. Palmgren of Charlotte, second vice president; Mrs. D. L. Blanton of Charlotte, Chairman of Publications; Mr. J. A. Warren, Chapel Hill, President of the Wildlife Club; Mrs. J. K. Powell of Whiteville, Beautification Chairman of the Elizabethan Garden Project and editor of the North Carolina Gardener; and Mrs. H. R. Colton of Chapel Hill, president of the Lilly Society.

The two garden clubs in Warsaw have the honor of having Mrs. Hector McNeill of Warsaw to serve as the District Director for the coming year. Mrs. McNeill was presented the group by Mrs. Howard and asked that she receive the same cooperation that Mrs. Howard has had from the individual clubs.

A principal feature of the morning session was the annual report from each club present. The president of the various clubs made their reports and also gave the number in attendance at the meeting and the distance traveled to attend the meeting. The Garden Club from Carolina Beach won the attendance prize based on percentage of members present and mileage.

One outstanding feature of the day was the luncheon held at the American Legion hut. A country motif was carried out in all decorations and serving pieces. The large buffet table and the smaller tables were covered with green and white checkered table cloths. A vegetable and fruit centerpiece graced the buffet table. Wooden bread trays held the barbecued chicken, breads and vegetables, while large black iron pots held another vegetable.

The mantle flanking the buffet table held an asymmetrical arrangement done with red and gold maple leaves, magnolia leaves, and then banished behind conceals

Engaged



Miss Emily Theo Hollingsworth's engagement to Johnny C. Helms, son of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Helms of Monroe, is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hollingsworth.

made from Delaware pumpkins and filled with colorful fruits and vegetables.

At the afternoon session Mrs. Charles Griffith of Winston Salem, a recognized authority in the state on flower arrangements addressed the group on arrangements featuring 'Church Arrangements. Demonstrating different containers used in local churches, Mrs. Griffith prepared several arrangements as she talked and she showed the group other arrangements previously done during the morning session.

There are a few men in public life who retire at the right time. It isn't what you earn that gives security—it is spending a little bit less.

Welfare Dep't.

Miss Rebecca Best, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Best of Warsaw is now employed by the Duplin County Welfare Department in Kenansville as an assistant Welfare Worker. Miss Best began work on October 1. She is a graduate of Wake Forest College.



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Miss Southerland Featured State Club Women Meet

Recently the Extension Worker's Fellowship Luncheon was held at the Raleigh Country Club for all extension personnel attending the 16th annual National Home Demonstration Council meeting here. Toastmistress for the program was Miss Ruth Current, State Home Demonstration Agent, who presented Miss Eleanor Southerland, native of Kenansville, who is President of the North Carolina Home Agent's Association. Miss Southerland welcomed the 300 guests quoting the famous poem 'Here's to the land of the long leaf pine.' She closed saying that she wished every one of the guests

could stay long enough for the walk to grow strong and the strong to grow great.

Response to Miss Southerland's welcome was given by Miss Carmen Johnson, President of the American Association of Home Demonstration Agents. Miss Johnson pointed out that each visitor to North Carolina was trying to cram just as much as possible into their brief stay.

Mrs. Eugenia P. VanLandingham, Edgecombe County Home Agent and vice president of the American Home Demonstration agent Association recognized distinguished guests. Among those present were Miss Iris Davenport of Farm and Ranch Magazine, Miss Gertrude Dieken of Farm Journal Magazine, Miss Laura Lane of Country Gentleman; and Miss Sallie Hill of The Progressive Farmer. Others attending were Miss Madge Reece, Miss Megna Hogan, Miss Dorothy Bigelow all of the United States Department of Agriculture in Washington, D. C.

Dr. Jeter spoke on the progress of Home demonstration work in the United States. 'Extension is only 35 years old,' he commented, 'and as I look around it's hard to believe the progress that's been made.'

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Adelphian Club Met Thursday

The Women's Federated club of Calypso met Thursday evening for the regular monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. George Albritton with Mrs. Adrian Dall assisting hostess.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. James G. Many people in this fast moving age have the idea that the world owes them a good living.

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