

Invitation Issued

My daughter, Nancy Cohen, will be married to Leonard Frank Beaulieu, on Saturday, the twenty-ninth of December, nineteen hundred and seventy-three, at three o'clock. This ceremony will be spoken at Beaulieu United Methodist Church, Beaulieu, North Carolina.

I invite you to worship with us, witness their vows, and be my guest at the reception which follows immediately in the Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall.

If you are unable to attend, I ask your presence in thought and prayer.

Mrs. Percy Cohen Shaw

Beware Of Traffic Accidents

The N. C. State Motor Club has estimated that 50 persons could lose their lives in traffic accidents on North Carolina highways during the Christmas and New Year's holiday periods.

"That is a lot of deaths," motor club president Thomas B. Watkins said, "but it represents a decrease from last year because both holiday periods are longer this year." A total of 49 persons died last year during the two holidays, both which were counted during 78-hour spans. This year each holiday's death toll will be counted during 102-hour periods.

The official Christmas week-end runs from 8 p.m. Friday, December 31, until midnight December 25. New Year's runs from 8 p.m. Friday, December 28, until midnight January 1.

Watkins said he was optimistic that there would be fewer fatalities for several reasons. "First, there should be less traffic on the highways because of the energy crisis and secondly, cars will be traveling at a slower rate of speed." He said that about half of last year's accidents were caused by excessive speed.

He stated that the only question mark is the weather. "If the weather is good," Watkins commented, "we could have the safest holidays in a long time."

Official statistics, at this writing, indicated that there have been 101 less highway

traffic deaths this year than in 1972.

Watkins also mentioned mountains that many service stations will be closed during the holidays and that gasoline

may be hard to find. He also warned against driving while drinking. "This is the party season," he said, "but partying and drinking are not compatible with highway safety."

RAISIN RELIEF

If you've had trouble finding raisins in grocery stores, look again. You should be pleasantly greeted with raisin-stocked shelves. For the 1973 crop is nearly twice

as large as last year's, and the temporary raisin shortage should be a problem no longer, says Mrs. Ruby Uzzle, extension consumer marketing economist, North Carolina State University.

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Beulaville News

Mrs. John Simmons and Mrs. Lela Simmons made a business trip to Magnolia Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cortle of Goldsboro visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cortle, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sandlin and Mrs. Vallie Oxley and family Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Smith left Wednesday to visit their daughter and family in Texas during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simmons shopped in Jacksonville Thursday.

Mrs. Vallie Oxley and Leslie Susan shopped in Warsaw Friday.

Celebrating birthdays this week are: Clarence Edwards, Kaye Sloan, Donald Ray Brown, Dovey S. Carroll, Linda Smith, Orvis Thigpen, Louise Williams, Betty Jo Parker, Orzell Craft, Ella T. Houston, Mamie Boggs and Raymond Penny.

Celebrating wedding anniversaries are: Mr. and Mrs. James Raynor, Mr. and Mrs. Canarie Batts, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Brinson, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Egan and Mr. and Mrs. Julian Williford.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene A. Pickett shopped in Kinston Monday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Donald Casteen shopped in Kinston Monday.

vis Edward Brown, Jr. a competitive nominee for appointment to the United States Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, Colorado, for the class entering in the summer of 1974. Brown is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis E. Brown of R. 1, Chinquapin.

OIL USE

The U. S. consumes oil products at an average of 14.7 million barrels a day. This is expected to increase to around 18 million barrels a day by 1975.

Honor Roll

Miss Deborah Maready, a freshman student at Lenoir Memorial Hospital of Nursing in Kinston has been placed on the honor roll for the last grading period. To achieve this honor, the student must have an overall average of B.

Miss Maready is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Maready of Route 2, Beulaville.

Academy Nominee

Congressman Henderson announced that he has named Jar-

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Proof... Rx Prices Down

While the price of just about everything has been going up, the Pharmaceutical Manufacturers' Association reports the cost of prescription drugs has been going down.

It's true. From November '71 to June '73 the Bureau of Labor Statistics shows that prices of all items went up nearly 8%, but prices of prescription drugs actually went down 1% in that same time.

This trend is not new. For the past decade pharmaceutical prices have "held the line," and though manufacturers, physicians, and pharmacists who make, prescribe, and dispense today's miracle medicines think of your health first and of providing you with the best possible drug care, we're doing our share to keep today's costs in line. Thought you'd like to know!

The above comments appear each week to air thoughts, opinions, and information we believe to be important to our friends and customers - your comments are welcomed.