

Women's World



Miss Avinger Weds Kenneth B. Stribling

The wedding of Miss Sandra Lynn Avinger and Kenneth Bruce Stribling was solemnized on Sunday, March 22, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon at the Harbess-Thornwell Memorial Presbyterian Church Baumgartle Chapel, with Dr. Malcolm Macdonald officiating at the double ring ceremony.

The bride, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Avinger of Cross Anchor, S. C., was given in marriage by her father and wore a short dress of white silk nylon over taffeta featuring long sleeves and an Empire waistline trimmed with a satin bow. Her chapel length veil was attached to a cluster of satin lilly of the valley.

She carried a cascade of starburst pompons and white carnations interspersed with nylon pearl drops on a satin covered ribbon.

The attendants were Mrs. Philip Brooks Smith of Clinton, serving as matron of honor, and Miss Kathy Lynch and Mrs. Lewis Hammet also of Clinton.

Mrs. Smith wore a yellow crepe long sleeved dress with an Empire waistline trimmed with a satin bow and the other attendants wore in lavender. They carried a single mum. The color of the dresses, with a cascade of ribbons.

Mr. Barry Brewington of Cross Anchor served as the best man for the groom who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Stribling of Cross Anchor.

The ushers were Steve Brewington of Cross Anchor and Wayne Avinger, brother of the bride of Clinton.

Music was presented by Miss Luva McDonald organist and Mr. James Meadows soloist.

The couple received guests at the church with their parents.

Mrs. Wayne Avinger kept the guest register.

After a wedding trip the couple will reside in Cross Anchor.

Dr. Brown Shows Slides

On Monday afternoon, March 23, the Sunbonnet Garden Club met at the home of Mrs. Al Bixler. The president, Mrs. Kenneth Fryogle, called the meeting to order for a brief business session. Mrs. Marc Weersing then introduced the afternoon speaker, Dr. Marshall W. Brown, former president of Presbyterian College.

Using slides made with his own camera, Dr. Brown gave a richly entertaining travelogue describing a recent tour of Greece, Turkey, and the islands of the Mediterranean.

At the conclusion of the program, members of the group were invited into the dining room for cakes, nuts, coffee and sandwiches. Hostesses assisting Mrs. Bixler were Mrs. Locke Simons and Mrs. L.N. Warren.

YMCA Dance

This Thursday night the Y.M.C.A. in Clinton will present once again "Fraternity Inc." It is the Easter dance special.

It starts at 8 o'clock and ends at 11. Admission is \$1.

Ball-Lewis

Mr. and Mrs. Kleth H. Ball of Watertown, New York announce the engagement of their daughter, Alicia Ann to Mr. James Edward Lewis. Mr. Lewis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Lewis Sr. of Joanna.

The wedding is scheduled for May 10 at the United Epworth Methodist Church in Joanna.

UDC Observes Birthday Of Wade Hampton

On March 28, the Stephen D. Lee Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will observe the birthday of South Carolina's famous Wade Hampton.

When Wade Hampton, Lieutenant General and Governor of South Carolina, was off to the War Between the States, he left his home, Columbia, which was known as one of the most beautiful of state capitals, but he returned to a Columbia of ruin and devastation.

During the war, Hampton first served as an infantry officer. He received his promotion to Lt. General on Feb. 14, 1865 and was in command of the rear guard when Sherman's troops burned Columbia.

Hampton has also marched off to war one of the wealthiest men in the South, but returned as one of the poorest. On his return to Columbia, he moved into an overseer's house that had escaped the burning at Sand Hills, one of his estates. He had no source of income and his confederate money and his General's commissions were valueless.

That the Southern people still considered Hampton a leader was proven in the summer of 1865. Many discouraged veterans began to talk of emigration to Mexico and Brazil, where they had been offered lands, employment, commissions in the armies and government positions. However, Hampton advised them to rebuild their homes and to restore law and order, re-establish agriculture and commerce and to promote education.

In 1876, Hampton received the Democratic nomination for governor of South Carolina. Although the radicals, supporting Chamberlain, stationed U.S. soldiers and marshals throughout the state, Hampton won by a majority. A "returning board" attempted to reverse the vote by counting out Laurens and Edgefield counties. Hampton served with his policy "economy and justice".

He was re-elected governor but resigned and accepted election to the United States Senate. During Grover Cleveland's administration and the first year of William McKinley's, Hampton was railroad commissioner. He then retired to Columbia, where he was to the people like a living monument to many lost things. When he died at the age of eighty-four, twenty thousand mourners crowded the streets to pay their respects, and veterans gathered to pray and a bugler blew taps.



Lawson-Jacobs

Mrs. William Wilburn Lawson of Buffalo, S. C. announces the engagement of her daughter, Theresa Ann, to William Plumer Jacobs Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Plumer Jacobs of 200 Chestnut Street, Clinton.

The bride-elect is the daughter of the late William Wilburn Lawson and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gregory of Buffalo and the late Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fincher Lawson, also of Buffalo.

Miss Lawson graduated from Winthrop College in December, 1969, with a Bachelor of Arts degree in mathematics. While at Winthrop, Miss Lawson was a member of the Archimedeans Mathematics Honor Society and Kappa Delta Pi Educational Society. She is presently studying toward her Master's Degree at Clemson University.

Mr. Jacobs is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patrick Fitzgerald of Bedford Hills, New York. His paternal grandparents were the late Dr. and Mrs. William Plumer Jacobs of Clinton.

Mr. Jacobs will graduate this summer from Clemson University.

with a Bachelor of Science degree in Chemical Engineering. He was a recipient of the Distinguished Military Student Award and presently serves as a Battalion Commander in the Clemson ROTC Brigade. He is a member of My Beta Psi Fraternity.

The wedding is planned for August 16, at the Buffalo Baptist Church in Buffalo, S. C.

American Legion Hears "Unity, Service, America"

Mrs. Earl Workman presented the program at the American Legion Auxiliary meeting on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. A. A. Ramage, Jr.

Mrs. Workman gave the highlights from the article "Unity and Service and America", the 1970 theme of the American Legion, written by National Commander J. Milton Patrick. It stated that "Nation-building even in these modern times is a never-ending task", and to render com-

Garden Club Council Meets

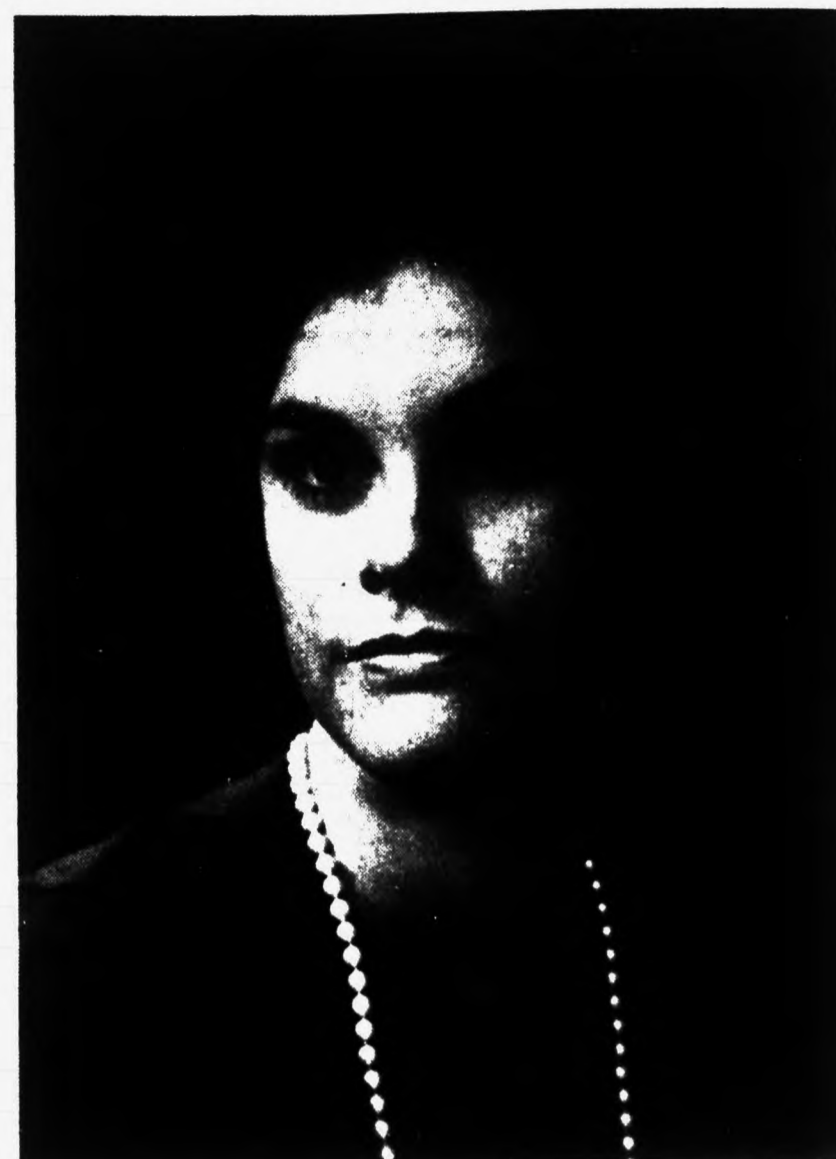
The Clinton Council of Federated Garden Clubs held its spring business meeting Monday afternoon at the First Baptist Church. Representatives from the Iris, Yellow Jessamine and Carolina Wren Garden Clubs were present.

Mrs. Clarence Stinette, Council president, began with a "Prayer for Gardeners." Reports were given by committee chairman, Mrs. Henry Cronie and Mrs. Marion Lawson concerning the success of the fashion show. Mrs. Stinette praised the individuals whose help made the City Beautification project a success. Mrs. Judson Brehmer reported the future plans for the downtown area which includes permanent shrubs as the planting season will permit.

A report given by the nominating committee has the following members serving as officers for the coming year: president, Mrs. Clarence Stinette; vice president, Mrs. Judson Brehmer; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Allen Young.

Mrs. Stinette reported five members from this Federation had attended the District meeting of Garden Clubs held in Newberry last week.

Mrs. Brehmer asked members who were thinning shrubs this spring not to discard them but call her or Mr. Eddie McGee so that these plants may be utilized at Rosemont Cemetery as part of the landscape improvement started there. After the meeting a social hour was enjoyed. Delicious homebaked cake and cookies were furnished by hostesses, Mrs. Nelson Dow, Mrs. Bond, Mrs. Cronie and Mrs. Stinette. Mrs. Sidney Bond presided over the punch bowl.



Young-Price

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Young Jr., of Decatur, Ga., announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Evelyn, to Ralph Leonard Price, son of Mrs. Sanford A. Roebuck of Joanna. Miss Young is the granddaughter of Mr. John J. Gantt Sr., of Liberty and the late Mrs. Gantt, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Young Sr. Mr. Price is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lewie E. Prater.

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The wedding is planned for April 25 at the First Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, Atlanta, Ga.

Anniversary Party

Richard White and Earl Turner were hosts for an anniversary party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Randy Turner on their second wedding anniversary. The party was held at the home of Mr. White on Saturday night, March 21.

Lovely bouquets of spring flowers further enhanced the attractiveness of the party rooms. Approximately 40 young people attended, making it an evening of much merry-making.

A delicious course featuring shrimp, sandwiches, nuts and mints were served with punch. The Turners, popular members of Clinton's younger set, were recipients of many lovely gifts.



Floyd-Loos

Mr. and Mrs. James Ernest Floyd of Joanna announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Ann, to Mr. Gene Talton Loos, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Leonard Loos of East Setauket, Long Island, New York.

Miss Floyd graduated from Clinton High School in 1966 and will graduate in May from Lander College with a major in Elementary Education.

Mr. Loos, a 1965 graduate of W. C. Nepham High School in

Bellmore, New York, attended Erskine College.

An August wedding is planned.

Kindergarten Holiday

The Kindergarten of the First Presbyterian Church will observe the same Easter schedule as the public schools, closing after class, March 25 and re-summing April 2.

Unit No. 56 contributes to the following programs endorsed by the S. C. Department: Special Rehabilitation, Poppy, Gift Shop, Insulin, CARE-pennies for Nicaragua to build schools, and the Lenwood (Augusta, Ga.) Canteen Fund.

Mrs. Workman also, gave information on the planned county events in observance of the S. C. Bicentennial.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Miss Essie Davidson, Mrs. H. M. Young, president, led the pledge to the flag and the preamble. The group sang "Song of Peace." Names on the nominating committee to secure new officers: Mrs. L. O. Thornley, Mrs. H. J. Pitts, and Mrs. G. W. Copeland.

Assistant hostess were Miss Louise Kern, Mrs. George W. Copeland and Mrs. P. M. Pitts.



Smith-Ragland

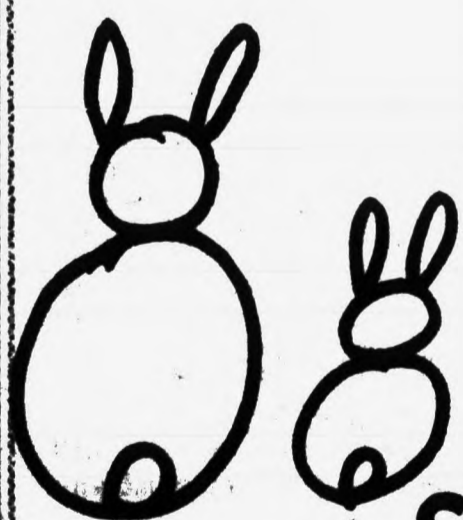
Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Twining Smith of Kinards announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Helen, to John Harrison Ragland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Emerson Ragland of Newberry. The bride-to-be is a graduate from Furman University in June, 1970, with a major in Spanish. Mr. Ragland, a graduate of Newberry High School, attended the University of S. C. and is a computer operator with Bigelow-Sanford, Inc. in Greenville. The wedding is planned for Saturday, June 13, at 7:30 p.m.

in Bush River Baptist Church, Newberry.

Eastern Star Initiation Set

James B. Parret Chapter #9 Order of Eastern Star will hold a special meeting Tuesday, March 31 for the purpose of initiating candidates. All members are urged to attend. The meeting will be held at the Masonic Temple at 7:30 p.m.

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