FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION/PRIVACY ACTS SECTION

COVER SHEET

SUBJECT: BRIGID ELIZABETH & WILLIAM

PATRICK HITLER
Sister-in-Law Of Hitler Starts British-Aid Job

Irish Wife of Der Fuehrer’s Half-Brother Glad to Do Her Bit to Defeat Nazis

Mrs. Bridgid Elizabeth Hitler, nee Downey, who has been waging a private war against the Hitler family since 1913, joined forces with the Allies and enlisted in the British War Relief Society, 730 Fifth Avenue for her first day's work as a volunteer assistant.

Mrs. Hitler is the wife of Alois Hitler, half-brother and second cousin of the German Fuehrer. She left her husband in 1913 because he beat her, and she bears his name today only because the laws of the Roman Catholic Church forbid divorce.

As for Adolf Hitler, “It’s nobody’s business what I think of him,” Mrs. Hitler said yesterday. “Hanging would be too good for him, and electrocution would be too good for him. He should be killed by slow torture, a little bit every day.”

Mrs. Hitler explained the relationship between her husband and the Fuehrer as follows: “Old Adolf, Adolf Hitler’s father, married three times. His second wife was Alois’s mother and his third wife was his own first cousin, whose name was also Hitler. Adolf is the son of the third wife. So my husband is his half-brother and his second cousin.”

This account differs slightly from other available accounts of Adolf Hitler’s parentage, which also differ from each other.

Mrs. Hitler told her story to reporters yesterday in a British War Relief Society workroom, between bouts with the photographers. A buxom woman of forty-nine summers, with coal-black hair and smiling eyes, she seemed glad to be doing her bit.

She met Alois Hitler in 1910 at a horse show in Dublin, Ireland, her birthplace, she related. He was a waiter. It was a whirlwind courtship, and in three or four months they agreed to get married. Her father didn’t like Hitler. “I won’t have any foreigners in my family,” he said. So they eloped to London.

Four years later, Mrs. Hitler left her new husband, and three times she went back to him. “I couldn’t stand his treatment,” she said. “He was very cruel—he was Hitler the second. I’ll bend you or I’ll break you,” he said. “So, you’ll break me, because I’ll never bend! I resisted.”

In 1914 and 1915 Mr. Hitler married, and Mrs. Hitler left her husband for the last time. There was nothing particularly unusual about Adolf, she said. “He was utterly broke because of the way he had treated her and said, “God had extracted a terrible punishment from him.” She found he had taken another wife after obtaining a divorce in the German courts.

Mrs. Hitler said she had applied to the Pope for a dispensation to enable her to obtain an annulment of her marriage to Alois Hitler and resume her maiden name, Bridgid Downey. She would like also to become a naturalized American citizen, she said.
HITLER, Brigid Elizabeth
505 West 112nd St.
New York City

SUBJECT is a German alien presently residing at the
above address and reported to be the sister-in-law of
the present Chancellor of Germany. She has submitted
application for an extension of temporary stay in the
US. SUBJECT'S husband is presently residing in Berlin.

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November 17, 1941

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
November 29, 1941

MEMORANDUM

RE: WILLIAM PATRICK HITLER

Under date of September 24, 1939, the newspaper "Wichita Beacon", Wichita, Kansas, published an article stating that William Patrick Hitler is the son of Alois Hitler, the half-brother of Adolf Hitler. This article alleged that William Hitler's mother is of Irish descent and that he was born and educated in England. It stated that three years after the wedding of Alois Hitler and William Hitler's mother, Alois Hitler deserted William's mother and went to Germany where he married again without divorcing her, and that William Hitler was the only son of their marriage.

This article stated that William Hitler first saw Adolf Hitler in 1929 at a Nazi rally in Nuremberg, Germany, where he had gone to visit his father. He had stormy relations with Adolf Hitler who, for political reasons, at first denied they were blood relations. When William Hitler published articles at his father's request to correct certain misstatements about his family, Hitler summoned him and his father to his hotel and in a hysterical interview threatened to kill him if anything more was published concerning his family affairs.

After several trips to Germany, William Hitler went there in October, 1939, shortly after Adolf Hitler had seized power. Hitler aided him in various ways to establish himself in the Third Reich, evidently hoping that his nephew would obey his commands and integrate himself in the Nazi regime. However, when William Hitler did neither, Adolf Hitler began a petty persecution of his disobedient relative making it difficult and finally intolerable for him to live in Germany. This article stated that Adolf Hitler ominously threatened William Hitler in their final interview in which he paced back and forth holding in his hands a horsehide whip. The article further stated that in February, 1939, William Hitler left Germany and came to the United States with his mother; that he was presently writing a book about his experiences in Germany in addition to lecturing, and that numerous attempts have been made to keep him silent.
This article reflected that William Hitler was to speak before a Men's Dinner at the Allis Hotel on October 24, 1939, in the place of Boake Carter who could not appear and that he would present a startling story of the real Germany "hidden behind Nazi fictions." (61-7560-2770X3)

The Washington Times Herald of October 29, 1939, carried an article to the effect that William Patrick Hitler, nephew of Germany's Chancellor, Adolf Hitler, would lecture on November 10, 1939, at the Masonic Auditorium, 13th and New York Avenue, N. W., his subject being "What the German People Are Thinking Today." His lecture was to be sponsored by the T. Arthur Smith Bureau. This article reflected that William Patrick Hitler was born in Liverpool, England, in 1911, his mother being of Irish descent and his father being Adolf Hitler's brother. (61-7560-3530X2)

A pamphlet published reflected that on March 3, 1940, William Patrick Hitler was to speak before the Y.W.C.A. Greater Sunday Meetings in the Auditorium at Coatesville, Pennsylvania. This article stated that William Patrick Hitler is the son of Adolf Hitler's half-brother, Alois, and that his mother is of Irish descent. It further stated that he was born and educated in England; that he went to Germany in 1933, a Nazi idealist, but that he quit Germany six years later completely disillusioned. This article also related that William Patrick Hitler had close personal relations with Goering, Goebbels, Himmler, and others. (94-1-530-17X)

Another circular reflected that William Patrick Hitler, nephew of Adolf Hitler, would deliver a speech at the Men's League of the Marble Collegiate Church, 1 West 29th Street, New York City, on November 11, 1941, at which time he would explain the mystery of Rudolf Hess. (100-53003-1)
MEMORANDUM

RE: BRIGID ELIZABETH HITLER

The New York Herald Tribune of June 25, 1941, carried an article relative to Mrs. Brigid Elizabeth Hitler, née Downey, to the effect that she is the wife of Alois Hitler, half-brother and second cousin of the German Fuehrer. This article stated that she left her husband in 1913 because he beat her and that she bears his name today only because the laws of the Roman Catholic Church forbid divorce.

In an interview, Mrs. Hitler is reported to have stated that she met Alois Hitler in 1910 at a horse show in Dublin, Ireland, her birthplace, where he was a waiter. She is reported to have stated that they then had a whirlwind courtship and in three or four months, they agreed to get married, and that since her father did not like Alois Hitler, they eloped to London. Four times in the next three years, she left Alois Hitler and three times they went back together, but in 1913, they parted forever and she was left alone to support her two-year old boy, William Patrick. For the next twenty years, she worked in the box office of the Olympia Theater in Liverpool, and other places.

She is reported to have stated that Alois Hitler had taken another wife after obtaining a divorce in the German courts; that she had applied to the Pope for a dispensation to enable her to obtain an annulment of her marriage to Alois Hitler and to resume her maiden name, Brigid Downey, and that she would like to become a naturalized American citizen.

This article reflected that she had reported to the British War Relief Society, 730 Fifth Avenue, New York City, for her first day's work as a volunteer assistant. (100-30811-1)
November 29, 1941

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR LEMUEL B. SCHOFIELD
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

Reference is made to the memorandum of Mr. T. B. Shoemaker, the Deputy Commissioner of the Legal Branch of your Service, dated November 14, 1941, requesting any available information relative to William Patrick Hitler and his mother, Brigid Elizabeth Hitler, who you state have applied for an extension of temporary stay in this country.

There are attached memoranda which have been prepared summarizing the information in the files of this Bureau relative to these individuals.

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Enclosure

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November 14, 1941

MEMORANDUM FOR J. EDGAR HOOVER
DIRECTOR, FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

This office has under consideration the applications for an extension of temporary stay of William Patrick Hitler and his mother, Brigid Elizabeth Hitler, 505 West 122nd Street, New York, New York. Aliens have submitted forms giving considerable information in which they indicate that the uncle of the male alien is at present Chancellor of Germany. Forms further show that the father and husband, respectively, of these aliens is now residing in Berlin.

This office requests any information which you may have relative to either of the alien subjects which might assist this Service in the consideration of their applications.

[Signature]
Deputy Commissioner, Legal Branch

[Handwritten note] 100-30811
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
New York, New York

EFE/NTP * November 12, 1941

Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Re: WILLIAM PATRICK HITLER

Dear Sir:

There is being enclosed herewith a small circular which was turned over to this Division, which indicates that the above named individual, who claims to be a nephew of Chancellor Hitler of Germany will deliver a speech at the Marble Collegiate Church, 1 West 22nd Street, New York City on November 11, 1941, his topic being "Explain the Mystery of Rudolph Hess".

The above is being passed on to the Bureau for its information.

Very truly yours,

P. E. Foxworth
Assistant Director

Enclosure
MEN! HEAR!

HITLER
WILLIAM PATRICK
(Nephew of Adolph)

EXPLAIN THE MYSTERY
OF RUDOLPH HESS.
AT
MEN'S LEAGUE
MARBLE COLLEGIATE CHURCH
1 W909th Street

November 11, 1941
DINNER 6:30 P. M.

Make Reservations To-Day
HITLER, William Patrick
605 West 142nd St.
New York City

SUBJECT is a German alien living at the above address and reported to be the nephew of the present Chancellor of Germany. He has submitted application for an extension of temporary stay in the US. SUBJECT'S father presently residing in Berlin.

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November 17, 1941

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THE SUNDAY STAR-NEWS, WILMINGTON, N. C.

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City Briefs

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In addition to the news and advertisements, the Sunday Star-News features articles and briefs about various topics, such as city briefs, tobacco prices, and a forum open to the public. The newspaper also includes a section on home loans offered by Pope’s Jewelers, emphasizing security for those who might be in need of financial assistance.

The content is a blend of local news, national events, and personal stories, reflecting the multifaceted interests of the community at the time. The layout is typical of newspapers of the era, with columns and headlines designed to draw readers into various sections of the paper.
HILLCLIFF TO OPEN FORUM

Current Season of Lectures To Start on January 6 at Thalian Hall

Adolf Hitler may have bludgeoned millions of Germans into acceptance of Nazi doctrines but he did not succeed in intimidating his nephew, William Patrick Hitler, who will speak here on Jan. 6 at Thalian Hall under the auspices of the Community Forum. For six years young Hitler lived in the Third Reich under the direct surveillance of the Fuehrer but the Nazi virus failed to take hold. Patrick, who was born in England, Hitler's half-brother Alois and an Irish mother, his father deserted the family soon before the outbreak of World War II. Last heard from, Hitler lived in Switzerland and was reluctant to see him again until the 1936 Olympics. Here, too, he met his uncle for the first time.

In 1938 he again returned to Germany to seek help for his mother and employment for himself. With his name it had been decided to obtain a job in the coal mines. Once in the Third Reich, however, his family ties proved helpful and he obtained work in the coal mines. There he went to work through the district in which the family had been living and was a brough to see his. In an interview marked by the usual hysteria, on the Hitler youth threat to the relatives if further publicity were given to their visit.

For the next six years young Hitler lived in Germany, but his every act and word were carefully recorded and he was required to report his activities. The young Hitler met with frequent tragedies and his family was often threatened. But his story is one of triumph against adversity.

MEETING

Group No. 1 of the Wilmington association of the American Association of University Women will hold its monthly meeting at the Calvary Boys Clubroom at 8 o'clock Monday night.

MISSIONARY SESSION

There will be a general meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Church on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church. The program will be in charge of Miss C. No. 2.

FOUND DEAD

Jeffrey Donaldson, 82-year-old negro, was found dead in bed this week. A Saturday moring officer reported that he died of natural causes and was tall and healthy for someone.

CLASS MEET

The Fidelis class of First Methodist church met last Saturday night at 8 o'clock in the home of Mr. J. B. Freeman at Forest Hill.

LAMDA

The choir of the First Presbyterian church has a program for Sunday afternoon, Dec. 14, at Trinity Methodist church. The Christmas caroling will be dramatized with lyrics desiring music and eloquent words.

THE METHODISTS

The Methodist church announces to its people that it will hold its December meeting Monday night at 8 o'clock at Trinity Methodist church. The Christmas theme will be stressed. Election of officers for the year will be held. All members of the church are invited to attend.

CHURCH SERVICES

The Methodist church announces that it will conduct non-denominational services Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at the Calvary Boys Club. The service will be held at the Calvary Boys Club. The service will be held in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, whom we believe to be the only way to salvation.
'A New Customer in Guian'

NEW GIANT LEADER

By Jack Sords

LA COL. STANLEY S. GREENE looks over samples of merchandise displayed by specially invited natives in the main plaza of Paramaribo. The U.S. forces were sent to guard the valuable rubber plantations in the Dutch possession and to round up any passengers of a passenger steamer in the little South American country.

'OTT was only 19 when he joined the Dodgers in 1928.'
OUR PHOTO-FLASHES

Victim of Bridge Collapse  En Route to Chile  U. S. Troops Make a Landing  They Can Only Watch as Their Town is Destroyed

A body is taken from the Connecticut River, at Hartford, Conn., after the disastrous bridge collapse. Authorities are investigating the bridge which collapsed when a 20-ton steel central span of the new bridge dropped from the river and smashed into the steel frame, sending the building to the river. Eight workers were reported killed, with many others missing.

Gabriel Gonzales Videla

Chilean ambassador to China, Gabriel Gonzales Videla arrives at New York clipper plane to route home. It is rumored he will not return to the post after the recent Chilean elections.

Mischa and His Bride

This is how U.S. soldiers would make a landing if they were demonstrating a transport to establish a beachhead on enemy territory. Soldiers of a boat detachment are slinging up the side of a makeshift transport into which the boat is loading troops during maneuvers at Seattle, Wash.

British Troops in the Smoke of Battle

The caption with this photo says that German forces have just passed through this village near Leningrad in the face of great Russian military opposition. Frozen lake wheat fields make one of the few crops the Nazis have left untouched. Rations have not been sufficient to maintain proper military discipline.

U. S. Pilots to Guard China's Lifeline

The map shows the routes taken by American flying officers assigned to China, India, and the Middle East. The U.S. has sent pilots to China through the South-West Asia-Middle East route and through the China-Burma-India route.
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By Helen R. Woodward

The story: Female writer is a heroine. She is married to a businessman. She spends her days managing the household and staying home with her children. She is a loyal and devoted wife and mother.

George's New Scientific Farming Amazes Experts

CANTON, GA. — In the small town of North Georgia, where the soil is rich and the climate is perfect, a new agricultural wonder is taking place. A scientist named George has discovered a method of farming that can increase crop yields by 50%.

Navy relaxes physical standards for recruits.

WASHINGTON, D.C. — The Navy recently relaxed its physical standards for recruits. A new policy, which will go into effect in January, will allow recruits who are slightly overweight and have some medical conditions to be accepted. The Navy hopes this will help attract more recruits and increase diversity in the military.

U.S. Officers Go to Market in Dutch Guiana

The story: U.S. officers are visiting Dutch Guiana to purchase supplies. They are met with the local officials who are happy to accommodate them. The officers are impressed by the local produce and culture.

TRAPPED IN GUGGENHEIM

Chapter XVII

Nina closed the door behind her as she stepped into the dark. She was alone and afraid. She knew her husband was in danger and she had to save him. She had to be brave.

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Now greater than ever — the magnificent new Philco features... Built to last! All yours in the 1942 Philco — America's Favorite radio!
HOMETOWN SCHOOL GLEE CLUB GIVES PATRIOTIC PLAY

The American Legion auxiliary of the Hometown High School glee club is a patriotic play at E.L. Trumbull auditorium. The time and efforts of Fowlers, responsible for the performance, are directed by the Legionnaire, director of the Glee Club. The play is open and will be practiced by a large audience.

Mrs. Don E. Garrett, president of the women's auxiliary and chairman of the Legionnaire, the play was heard by Mrs. Frank Davis, who was accompanied by the Nationalist committee. Among the Legionnaire were Mrs. E. B. Davis, Mrs. E. B. Ely, Mrs. E. B. Nettles, and Mrs. E. B. Langston.

People were enjoying the performance and were attending the play. The audience was large, and the Legionnaire was delighted with the reception.
Country Club Parties Slated During Week

The Cape Fear Country Club will hold two luncheons this week, one on Monday, and the other on Friday. The luncheon on Monday will be held in the clubhouse and will feature a dance. The luncheon on Friday will be held in the clubhouse and will feature a lecture on golf. Both luncheons will be open to the public.

MARGARET MEYER BECOMES BRIDE OF EARL LOREK

St. Paul's Catholic Church will be the setting for the wedding of Margaret Meyer and Earl Lorek. The couple will be married in a ceremony to be held at 2:00 PM on Sunday. The couple will hold a reception following the ceremony.

Brittain-Noe Invitations Issued Here

Invitations have been issued for a party to be held at the home of Mrs. Brittain-Noe. The party will be held on Saturday, and will feature a dance and a buffet dinner. The couple will provide transportation for guests.

CLUB CLOCK

The membership of the Club has increased significantly in recent months. The club now has over 500 members. The club has also purchased new equipment and has upgraded its facilities. The club's new clock tower has been completed and will be inaugurated on Saturday.

Sanford Celebrate Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sanford of Long Creek, formerly of Wilmington, have celebrated their golden anniversary. They have been married for 50 years. The couple will hold a reception at their home in Long Creek on Saturday.

Old Flowers Made Like New

With Miss Mary Foyce, teacher of music in New Hanover public schools, as pianist, plans for conducting one of the biggest community events ever held in Wilmington are being completed. The event will be held Sunday afternoon at 4:00 PM on the lawn of the YMCA. Music will be provided by the WYCA and NCMA. Although the program will be dependent on weather conditions and other factors, the event is expected to be a success.
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uncomfortable room ruin your
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away from walls.
2. Use draperies and
shades to block cold
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3. Install a heater or
space heater.
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Let Us Connect Your Heater
INSTALL A HEATER
RANEY CHEVROLET CO.

Tide Water Power Co.
Late Bidding Helps Mart Finish Successful Week

Dividend Meets

Among the important companies which will hold dividend meetings this week are American Tobacco Co., Standard Oil Co., U. S. Steel Corp., International Harvester Co., General Electric Co., Northern States Power Co., United States Steel Corp., and United Cigar Co. A list of the meetings of companies definitely scheduled, with dates available to the Wall Street Journal, follows:

Monday, December 2

Graver Machinery Co. (1st P. M.)

Tuesday, December 3

North American Smelting & Refining Co. (1st P. M.)

Wednesday, December 4

American Tobacco Co. (1st P. M.)

Thursday, December 5

Continental Morgan Guaranty Trust Co. (1st P. M.)

Friday, December 6

Standard Oil Co. (1st P. M.)

Closing Stock Quotations

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BY M. R. ROLAND

The December meeting of the Christian Beach Fowler-Dalke association was held last week at the school. The meeting was held by Mr. C. G. Fowler, superintendent of the school, and Mr. R. S. Dalke, superintendent of the school. The meeting was held in New Hanover High School. The school was well attended, and Mr. R. S. Dalke, superintendent of the school, spoke on various matters concerning the school.

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Panel...
Sorosis Garden Club Session Slated Friday

Miss Allie Morris Fechtig To Give Talk On Flower Arrangements

The December meeting of the Garden club of North Carolina Sorosis has been planned for Friday morning, Dec. 11, and will be held at the Sorosis clubhouse. Miss Allie Morris Fechtig, past president of the Cape Fear Garden club, will be the speaker and arrange the program. The exhibit will be on Christmas decorations.

Miss Highsmith, Lieut. Gregory Engaged To Wed

Engagement Announcement Today By Bride-to-Be's Mother, Mrs. L. A. Highsmith

Mrs. L. A. Highsmith announces the engagement of her daughter, Mrs. Eudora B. Highsmith, to Capt. Gregory C. Gregory, Jr., of the U. S. Air Force. The wedding is planned for January 31 in Winston-Salem.

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Mrs. W. M. Mansfield personally ushered among Mrs. Ray C. Clark, who before her recent marriage was Mrs. Eliza Clark. The house was attractively decorated with red flowers, amusing tinsels, and a bowel filled with various Christmas decorations. The table centerpiece was a fresh spruce wreath and a love-shaped arrangement of flowers. The bridge was played progressively during the evening and prizes were awarded. Mrs. William J. Wilson and Mrs. John Evans were the winners. Following the games at 11:30 the course was served and Mrs. Clark was showered with crystal by her friends.

Guests included Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Mary J. Timmons, Mrs. James Peoples, Mrs. A. H. Mayo, Mrs. William J. Wilson, Mrs. R. F. Groves, Mrs. O. S. Higginbotham, Mrs. J. E. Worthen, Miss R. E. Wilson, Miss L. H. Wilson, Miss L. L. Clark, Miss M. E. Smith, Miss L. A. Wilson, Miss L. A. Clark, Miss L. E. Smith, and Miss L. L. Wilson.

The old-time St. Andrew's Ywrestler banquet will meet at the school, Monday at 7:30 p.m., the proceeds to be used for the school. The committee is composed of Mrs. J. C. Lomax, Mrs. W. L. Christmas, Miss L. A. Christmas, Miss L. W. Christmas, Miss L. W. Christmas, Miss L. A. Christmas, Miss L. A. Christmas, Miss L. W. Christmas, Miss L. W. Christmas, Miss L. A. Christmas, and Miss L. W. Christmas.

The ladies' auxiliary of the Panasota Band was granted a license to hold a dance, and the proceeds will be used to purchase band instruments. The band is under the direction of Mr. J. W. Christmas, and the officers are Mrs. W. L. Christmas, Miss L. W. Christmas, Miss L. A. Christmas, Miss L. A. Christmas, Miss L. W. Christmas, Miss L. W. Christmas, Miss L. A. Christmas, and Miss L. W. Christmas.

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DOROTHY MALLISON
BRIDE-ELECT, FITTED

Mrs. M. L. Lomax entertained a number of her friends at an evening breakfast on Christmas Eve. Mrs. L. H. Wilson, her hostess, is congratulated on the occasion served, carrying out the Christmas theme.

Guests included: Mrs. Dorothy Mallison, Miss Dorothy Mallison, Miss Dorothy Mallison, Miss Dorothy Mallison, Miss Dorothy Mallison, Miss Dorothy Mallison, Miss Dorothy Mallison, Miss Dorothy Mallison, Miss Dorothy Mallison, Miss Dorothy Mallison, Miss Dorothy Mallison, and Miss Dorothy Mallison.

This year providing for the Panama Canal was enjoyed by Mrs. J. W. Christmas, President of the Republic of Panama, and Mrs. E. W. Christmas, President of the United States.
Davis Medicos Fete Commanding Officer And Wife

The officers, their ladies and the nurses of the Station Hospital entertained in honor of their commanding officer and his wife, upon their return from their tour of duty in the United States, at a dance held in the ballroom of the Cape Fear Country Club, Friday evening.

The music was provided by the North Carolina Military Band, under the direction of Major General John H. Davis, who is also the Commander of the Station Hospital.

The dancing continued until late into the night, with the guests enjoying the music and each other's company.

State P.T.A. Executive Board Outlines Plans For Convention

GREENSBORO, April 18—The State P.T.A. executive board meeting at the Woman's college of the University of North Carolina was attended by the Department of Public Instruction of the state board of education to discuss the possibilities of the present school system and various other boards and committees with which new schemes and regulations has been approved by the executive committee of the North Carolina Convention of Teachers. The convention body has previously endorsed the establishment of the board as a means for the state convention.

Greensboro, April 19—The Woman's college of the University of North Carolina was endorsed by the state convention of the Woman's college of the University of North Carolina, April 19, and the Woman's college will be the center of the state convention.

JUNIOR D. A. R. GROUP TO ASSIST RED CROSS IN MAKING CARPENTRY

The Junior division of the Daughters of the American Revolution chapter, D. A. R., met recently with Mrs. W. W. H. Taylor, during the stayed part of the school year, the Junior division will be assisted by the Daughters of the American Revolution chapter, D. A. R.

BIRTHDAY PARTY GIVEN HONORING NORMA L. NEWMAN

Mrs. C. E. Newman attended a birthday party in honor of her great-grandmother, Mrs. C. E. Newman, on her ninetieth birthday on Wednesday. The party was held at the home of Mrs. C. E. Newman, and she was the center of attention throughout the evening.

Sorosis Members Outline Plans For Yule Party

The December business meeting of the Sorosis club was held Thursday afternoon at the homes of Mrs. Virginia F. Cropper, President, and Mrs. M. E. Proctor, Secretary. The meeting was attended by the officers and members of the club, and plans were made for the Christmas party, which will be held on December 16 from 4:00 o'clock for children and their parents.

WRIGHTSBORO P.T.A. WILL HOST CHRISTMAS PROGRAM FRIDAY

The Wrightsboro P.T.A. will hold its monthly business meeting Friday night at 3:00 o'clock in the school auditorium. Following a short business session the annual Christmas program will be presented.

The Rhythm Band, under the direction of Mrs. C. E. Proctor, will play the following selections: "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing," "Sleigh Ride," and "Night of the Nativity." The members of the band are Mrs. C. E. Proctor, Mrs. M. E. Proctor, Mrs. Virginia F. Cropper, Mrs. L. E. Proctor, and Mrs. A. L. Hall, all of whom are Mrs. C. E. Proctor's family.

Mrs. A. L. HALL—Who before her marriage November 27, was Miss Norma Louise Green, niece of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Jones of Wilmington.