

CARTHAGE NEWS

John Lang, Secretary to Social Hygiene Society

On Aug. 28, the North Carolina Social Hygiene Society was incorporated and will get underway immediately with the organization of social hygiene councils in each of the 100 counties of North Carolina. John A. Lang, Jr., of Carthage will serve as field secretary of the newly organized society, which is very fortunate to have secured the services of this dynamic serviceman to spearhead the work of organization. His proved ability, his boundless energy, his fine sense of humor, and broad sympathies will qualify him for leadership in any field.

Schools Open With Increased Enrollment

The Moore County schools opened on Aug. 29 with an increased attendance in most schools. Supt. H. Lee Thomas states, there was quite a big increase at Robbins, Westmore, High Falls, Cameron, Aberdeen, Farm Life, and West End. At Carthage the elementary school dropped slightly but in the high school the enrollment was larger than last year.

Hewitt Becomes Field Scout Executive

The Moore County school system has lost a teacher to scouting. Mr. Leslie Hewitt who taught at High Falls last year has accepted a position as Field Scout Executive, with the Oconeechee Council.

Rotary Hears Scouts Appeal

At the Thursday meeting of the Carthage Rotary Club, Mr. Harold Makepeace of Sanford presented the budget for the Oconeechee Council of Boy Scouts which comprises Moore, Lee, Wake, Chatham, Durham, Person, and Granville counties, and made an appeal for assistance in raising the budget for the year. Dr. R. O. Humphrey, also from Sanford, was the featured speaker on the program, who talked on Scouting. The entire program was on the work of the Boy Scouts of Oconeechee Council.

Thacker—Bloniak

Mrs. Elizabeth Barringer Bloniak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Franklin Barringer of Carthage, became the bride of James Allen Thacker, son of Mrs. Lena Hammer Thacker of St. Louis, Missouri, and the late John Wesley Thacker of High Point, in a ceremony performed Friday afternoon, Aug. 30 at 5 o'clock in the Duke University Chapel, Durham, N. C. Only members of the families and close friends attended.

Rev. Emsley Paul Hamilton, of the Duke Divinity School, former classmate of the bridegroom officiated, using the double ring ceremony. Wedding music was rendered by W. P. Twaddell, organist. The chapel was decorated with palms, seven branch cathedral candelabra holding burning white tapers, and tall floor baskets of white gladioli and asters at either end of the prayer bench. Tall lighted candles were on the altar.

The bride, who entered the chapel with her brother, Charles F. Barringer, Jr. of Robbins, wore an afternoon gown of bridal blue faille, made with sweetheart neckline, bracelet length sleeves and fitted bodice joining a full floor length skirt. Her small hat of natural flowers and French illusion matched her bridal bouquet of sweetheart roses and stephanotis showered with pink ribbon streamers. She wore a strand of pearls, gift of the bridegroom.

Miss Gene Thacker of Washington, D. C. sister of the bridegroom, was maid of honor. She wore a floor length afternoon dress of pink corded taffeta, with sweetheart neckline, short tucked sleeves, fitted bodice, with full tucked skirt. She carried a cascade bouquet of mixed summer flowers and wore a halo of natural flowers in her hair.

Frank Thacker of St. Louis, Missouri was his brother's best man. Ushers were, John W. Thacker, of Greensboro, brother of the bridegroom and George W. Holmes, III, of Graham.

Mrs. Barringer, mother of the bride, wore an aqua crepe dress, with black accessories. Her corsage was of pink roses. The groom's mother, Mrs. Thacker, wore navy blue crepe. Her corsage was of white roses.

Following the ceremony, the bride's parents entertained at a

reception in the college parlors for the bridal party and wedding guests.

Mrs. Jerry Nowell, sister of the bride, and Mr. Nowell of Raleigh, greeted the guests and introduced them to the receiving line. Receiving with the host and hostess were the bride and bridegroom, the groom's mother, the bridal party and Mrs. John Wesley Thacker of Greensboro.

The brides table was covered with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of white chrysanthemums, circled with lighted white tapers in crystal holders. Mrs. Henderson Lee Thomas, Jr., of Carthage poured punch. Misses Elizabeth Thomas and Alfreda Baker and Mrs. Jack Williams, Jr., of Carthage served lime ice punch, bridal cakes, nuts and mints.

Following the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Thacker left for a trip to the mountains of western North Carolina. For traveling the bride wore an aqua wool suit, with black accessories. Her corsage was of sweetheart roses.

Mrs. Thacker attended Needham Broughton High School, Raleigh and was graduated from the Carthage High School. She was graduated from Flora McDonald College, where she was a member of the Epsilon Chi. Since her graduation she has taught in the High Point City Schools.

Mr. Thacker was graduated from High Point College and attended Duke University. He is a member of Iota Tau Kappa Fraternity. Before entering the army he was engaged in the teaching profession. He served three years in the Army Air Forces with the rank of lieutenant. After his discharge he taught in the High Point City Schools. He is now a student in the graduate school of Duke University.

U N Capital

That this section stands an excellent chance of being selected as the permanent home of the United Nations if the committee has to turn from the metropolitan areas, seems a certainty to C. G. Spencer, chairman of the committee to prepare the brief to be presented to the United Nations. Naturally all the Sandhills is in

a state of anticipation at the possibility. It certainly seems worth a try, and the brief or folder setting forth the advantages of Moore County are now well underway.

The committee to select the permanent home of the United Nations has asked this question, "How much displacement will there be?" In answer, Mr. Spencer and his committee on Saturday took panoramic pictures of six different parts of the county where a site of 2,200 acres could be obtained without any displacement at all!

The U N Committee first preferred a site in or around New York, and selected an area in Westchester county, which is probably the richest county in the world. Due to the obstacles encountered there and elsewhere in the metropolitan areas, they may have to turn to less densely populated areas where there will be less displacement.

"In case the committee does not select a metropolitan area, then we are definitely in the running," stated Mr. Spencer, "because the committee has decided they want it on the eastern shore."

He has received letters from a number of people including one from The Salisbury Post congratulating him on the efforts being made to secure the U N Capital for Moore County. So many people in other counties have encouraged him about it as he has traveled around in the past few days, he believes that the other counties will get behind us and help us advance the cause. It will be a big thing for North Carolina, and goes far beyond being a mere county project.

We should have the co-operation of every citizen in the state," says Mr. Spencer, whose arguments over the advantages of Moore County are convincing.

He says we are ideally located midway between New York and Florida, on the north-south trunk lines of the railways, airways, and highways. We are four hours from New York, four hours from Miami; and six hours from Chicago. We are near or midway the main parts of entry on the east coast, Jacksonville, Miami, Norfolk, Baltimore, Philadelphia, and New York. We are not on the coast and therefore not so

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"I'm unhappy about this, folks..."



Yes, the shortages of wire and transformers and poles and other line building equipment have us in a strait jacket. You see, when the war was over the manufacturers of this equipment had practically none of it in stock, and since that time they have been able to make only partial shipments to the many power companies all over the country who are anxious to build additional lines. Orders for material placed by this Company months ago remain unfilled, and the materials we do get are only fractional parts of what we need.

If you are one of our prospective customers who is waiting for a line to be built to serve you, you may be becoming impatient. As we said above, we are unhappy about the situation too. However, you can be sure that everything possible is being done to speed construction of all the lines we have planned. The lines will be built just as soon as necessary materials can be obtained. In the meantime, we want you to know that Carolina Power & Light Company understands your position and appreciates the patience with which you have waited.

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