

# PINEHURST NEWS

**Dr. Monroe Back**  
Dr. Clement Monroe has resumed his duties at the Moore County Hospital after a three weeks' vacation at his home in West End.

**Hairdresser**  
Odes Spurlin who was with Sylvia's Beauty Salon last Spring has opened his own shop in the Bank Building. The shop will be known as the Odes Spurlin Hairdresser. He will specialize in styling and cutting.

**"19th Hole"**  
Robert E. Harlow returned last week from Portland, Oregon and Spokane, Washington where he covered golf tournaments for the "19th Hole."

**New Teachers**  
Miss Eloise Wicker is second grade teacher of the local faculty, elected recently at the resignation of Miss Emily Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Tilson, Jr., of Lincolnton have arrived and are in residence at the Marlboro apartments. Mr. Tilson comes highly recommended and will be teacher of History and Science in the high school and also as coach and director of the boys athletic program. Mrs. Tilson will be in Supt. Harbison's office.

**Choral Director**  
Paul V. Peck is choral director in the local high school and will give private piano instruction at the school. He is a graduate of the College of the Pacific, Stockton, Calif. with a Bachelor of Music degree and has done graduate work in music composition at the Eastman School of Music, Rochester, N. Y. Mrs. Peck is the former Clarise Richardson of Pinehurst. Mr. Peck was 4 1-2 years in the army and served overseas duty as prison officer at the International Military Tribunal of Nuremberg, Germany.

**Personals**  
Charles Herman spent several days in New York this week. Mr. and Mrs. John F. Taylor and Mrs. Charlotte Coburn are spending two weeks at Carolina Beach.

Mrs. Alma Taylor and granddaughter Jean Watson have returned from Plant City, Fla.

Miss Louise Fields has returned from Westerly Rhode Island where she spent the summer. She is with the J. Ellis Fields until her mother returns.

Mrs. Iris McKinley is taking a course in dietetics at the University, Chapel Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Allen have returned from Point Chautauqua. Mr. Allen has been in the office of the Berkshire for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard S. Tufts and daughter Sally have returned from Fishers Island where they spent the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Brook Wallace have as their guests at Beacon Cottage, Mrs. Wallace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Woodward of Mooretown, N. J.

Rev. and Mrs. Roscoe Prince and sons Bill and Roddy have returned from a month's vacation in Canada, Pennsylvania and Virginia.

Mrs. Minnie Oldham has returned from New England.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ehrhardt, Jr., announce the birth of a daughter, Amelia Rose, at the Moore County Hospital Sunday morning. Weight 7 pounds 3 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Campbell and daughters Nancy and Frances spent the holidays at the Windy Point and Holden's Beach.

Mrs. Eric Nelson and daughter Carolyn are arriving this morning from Little Compton, R. I. Donald, who was released from the Navy this summer, is driving the family car down this week and will enter Duke about the 13th of this month.

Mrs. Bourne Smith and son Alfred have returned from Connecticut.

Capt. George Shearwood left the first of the week to meet Mrs. Shearwood in New York upon her return from Sweden.

Mrs. A. E. Leavitt and grandchildren, Toby, Janice and Peggy Butner and Mrs. William C. Covington spent a few days last week at White Lake.

Mrs. Edwin L. Scofield has returned from visiting friends on Cape Cod, Mass. and New Hampshire.

Mrs. Benna Kirk has returned after two months vacation in New York and Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Stoutenburg of St. Petersburg, Fla., are

spending a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Eldon Thompson in the Howard. Mr. and Mrs. Stoutenburg are returning from a trip to Michigan and Canada. They with Mrs. Thompson motored to the mountains of western North Carolina this week for a brief visit.

Edgar Currie of the U. S. Navy spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Donald A. Currie.

William Glenn McCaskill of the Navy, stationed at Norfolk, arrived yesterday to spend his terminal leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McCaskill at the Arlington.

Mrs. Blanche Wescott returned Wednesday after a few days visit with her daughter, Mrs. Winfred Hawley and family in Durham.

Mrs. Alec Innes and son Rodrick left Wednesday for East Orange, N. J. for two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Cathel Innes and family.

Miss Sarah West (Skeet) Davis of Weldon is guest of Mrs. James R. Wicker at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byron U. Richardson, Sycamore Cottage.

A bushel of wheat weighs 60 pounds, and is called the Winchester bushel.

## N. C. NURSERIES HAVE FINE RECORD

Over 200 commercial nurseries in North Carolina have been visited so far by D. L. Wray and J. A. Harris, entomologists, on their annual inspection tour and they have been found remarkably free from any type of disease, scale, or insects in the vast majority of cases, according to Entomology Chief C. H. Brannon of the N. C. Department of Agriculture.

Certified nurseries in the State during the 1945-46 season covered a total of 1,274 acres, Brannon revealed, ranging in size from one to 150 acres. The great majority of these nurseries deal

in ornamental stock while others specialize in bulbs, small fruit, azalea and native plants. Forest tree seedlings will be available for fall planting in November at nominal cost through the N. C. Department of Conservation and Development, reminded Brannon, all certified pest-free by the Department of Agriculture inspectors.

Algin, the marine gum secreted by the leaves of a seaweed, was first used as a binder for ink in China over 3000 years ago. Since its discovery in the West in 1883, algin has been used for scores of medical and industrial purposes.

A "year without a Summer" occurred in 1816 when killing frost and snow were reported every month of the year in New York, Pennsylvania, New England and even as far south as the Virginia mountains. According to one theory, the cold was caused by great quantities of volcanic dust in the air which prevented sufficient sunlight from reaching the earth.

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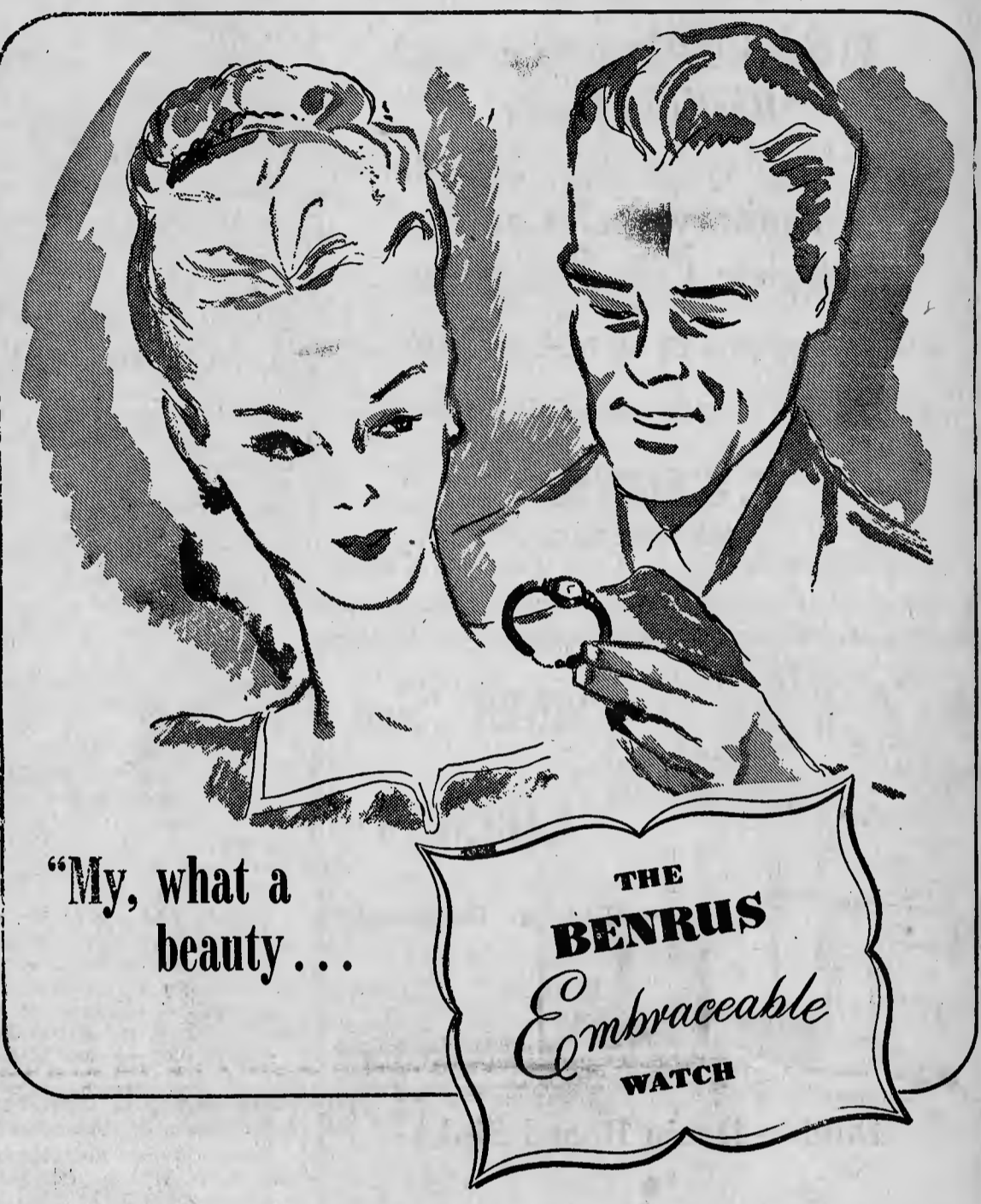
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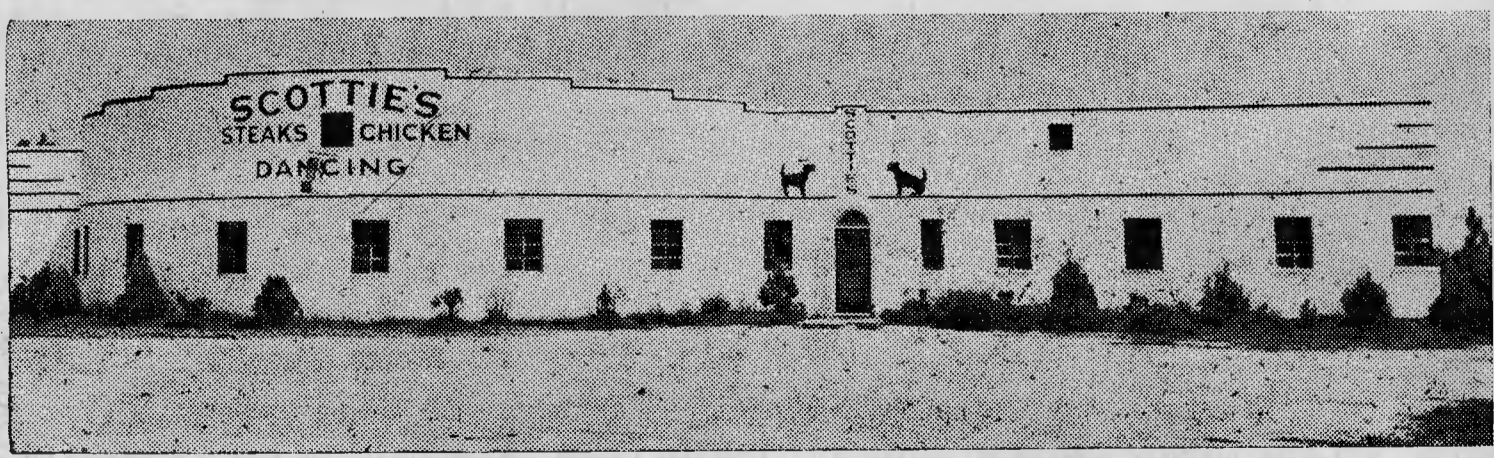


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