

Notice of Annexation to the Town of Southern Pines

Pursuant to authority contained in General Statutes of North Carolina, Chapter 160, Sections 445 through 453, and by authority and under the direction of the Town Council of the Town of Southern Pines, and upon the written request of all property owners involved, notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held by the Town Council of the Town of Southern Pines in the Council Chambers at 8:00 p.m. on the 29th day of June, 1954, to consider adoption of an Annexation Ordinance as follows:

AN ORDINANCE

BE IT ORDAINED AND ESTABLISHED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHERN PINES IN SPECIAL SESSION ASSEMBLED ON THIS THE 29th DAY OF JUNE, 1954, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That the corporate limits of the Town of Southern Pines be and are hereby extended for the purpose of annexing to and making part of said Town that certain portion of land now lying outside the corporate limits of the Town, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the point where the Southern boundary of Morganton Road, the eastern boundary of Country Club Road and the eastern boundary of Fairway Road intersects the southern corporate limits of the Town of Southern Pines, running thence in a southerly direction crossing Fairway Road and following the eastern boundary of said Country Club Road to the southwest corner of Lot No. 1 as shown on a Map of the Southern Pines Country Club Development, being a common corner between Lots Nos. 1 and 3 as shown on said map, said lots being the property of Jackson and Barrow, respectively, running thence along the southern boundary of said Lot No. 1 (property of Jackson) to the western boundary of Fairway Road as shown on said map; thence following said Western boundary of said Fairway Road to the point where it intersects Country Club Road at McConnell's corner; thence crossing said Country Club Road to the Northwest corner of Lot No. 100 as shown on said map; thence in a southerly direction about 500 feet to the 18th green of the Southern Pines Country Club Golf Course; thence in a northerly direction passing the rear of the Southern Pines Country Club a distance of approximately 500 feet to a point in line with the rear of the lots in the eastern side of the Sunnyside Extension; thence in a northeasterly direction to the southeast corner of Lot No. 17 in said Sunnyside Extension; thence along the eastern boundary of the lots in Sunnyside Extension and the western boundary of the Southern Pines Country Club Driving Course to the southwest corner of Lot No. 3 as shown on said map of Country Club Development, same being a common corner of said Lot No. 3 with Lots Nos. 3 and 4 of said Sunnyside Extension; thence in a southeasterly direction along the southern boundary of said Lot No. 3 in Country Club Development to the western boundary of Country Club Road; thence in a northeasterly direction along said western boundary of Country Club Road and its various courses to the point of its intersection with the southern corporate limits of the Town of Southern Pines.

This description is subject to a more accurate description to be determined as result of survey of the area to be annexed.

Section 2. That from and after the date of adoption of this ordinance, the territory described above and its citizens and property shall be subject to all debts, laws, and ordinances and regulations enforced in said Town of Southern Pines, and shall be entitled to the same privileges and benefits as all citizens, residents, and other property owners in other parts of said Town are now entitled; and the newly annexed territory and its citizens and property shall be subject to municipal taxes levied for the fiscal year ending July 1st, 1954, and thereafter.

Section 3. Adopted this the 29th day of June, 1954.

L. T. CLARK, Mayor
LOUIS SCHEPERS, Jr., Town Clerk
This 31st day of May, 1954.
LOUIS SCHEPERS, Jr. Town Clerk
J4-11-18-25

Rowes' Family Life Marked By Many Commencements; Another Coming Up

They've Done Their Part To Support Greater University

Judge and Mrs. J. Vance Rowe of Aberdeen will attend commencement exercises at the University of North Carolina Monday, to see their eighth and youngest child graduate.

Young Arthur Rowe will win his A. B. degree and enter the Carolina law school—which will mean one more commencement, in two years, for Moore's recorders court judge and his wife. After that, they'll just have to wait a while, for some grandchildren to grow up.

Going to commencements is kind of a habit with them, especially at the University, N. C. State and Womans College. The Rowes are probably the best single-family supporters in the state of the Greater Consolidated University's three units.

Arthur's commencement comes after a four-year lull. In 1950, Judge and Mrs. Rowe attended graduations of four of their children within 12 days. They saw J. Vance Rowe, Jr., their eldest son, graduate from the University's law school; their fourth son, Douglas, graduate at State; their second daughter Gladys graduate at Woman's College, and their youngest, Arthur, receive his diploma at Aberdeen High school.

Their son-in-law Robert D. Corey was graduating at the same time, in Chicago but, to their great regret, they couldn't get out there. Robert is married to the Rowes' eldest daughter Catherine—and she, of course, is a Woman's College graduate. The Coreys now live in Los Angeles. Their third son, Riley, graduated from State College. He now lives at Hartsville, S. C., and is mechanical engineer for an insurance company. Douglas is employed by a milk processing plant at Clinton, and Gladys, now Mrs. Norman Caudle, is teaching in Southern Pines.

J. Vance Rowe, Jr., is his father's law partner and lives in Southern Pines, where they have their office.

Two of the Rowe children did not graduate from college. Their youngest daughter Eleanor chose to go to business school. However, now married to Vance E. Swift, Jr., she is living at Chapel Hill.

Their second son, Lawrence, was a student at Carolina when he left college to go to war. As a young lieutenant in the Army Air Force, he lost his life in some of the earliest Pacific action, becoming Moore county's first casualty of World War 2.

In memory of Lieut. Lawrence Rowe a Carolina classmate, whose name is unrevealed, has for the past five years given a \$100 scholarship to the University to the best all-round member of the Aberdeen High school's graduating class. So the University tradition is carried on in a very fine way.

We might add to this story that Judge Rowe himself is—of course—a University graduate, and that Mrs. Rowe would have been a graduate of Woman's College, except she left there to marry him. They have five grandchildren.

Little League Wins First Two Games; Ritual Opens Season On Home Field

Stevens Honored For Service As Bond Sales Head

The Little League opener for Southern Pines and Robbins, held on Memorial Field Monday afternoon, was marked by an impressive ceremony.

With the Robbins team lined up on the first base line, the Southern Pines team on third, the Rev. C. V. Covell standing between them asked God's blessing on the boys and their wholesome enterprise.

Mayor L. T. Clark of Southern Pines and Mayor Wayland G. Kennedy of Robbins then did a pitch-and-catch routine which officially opened the game.

Taking over, Umpire Bus Patch noted that any of the youngsters could pitch better than the mayors—anyway, they'd better!

Close Game

They put on a fine game, in which the lead changed several times, and which finally went to Southern Pines in the last half of the final inning. The score—9-8.

After a Robbins home run with one man on base in the second inning, Ted Ward, Southern Pines' first baseman, hit a home run with two mates aboard. Robbins then took the lead in their half of the fifth inning, only to have Bobby Watkins, SP catcher, hit a home run with a teammate on base to tie the score.

Robbins was ahead when Southern Pines came to bat in the sixth, and pushed over three runs to win. Caldwell's pitching, Carter's fielding and the bats of Ward, Parks and Watkins especially contributed to the victory.

Carthage Defeated

In another thrilling game the Little Leaguers defeated Carthage 5-4 when successive triples by Caldwell and Watkins, plus an infield hit by Roger Dutton, scored the tying and winning runs in the last inning.

Some fine pitching by Robert Woodruff in tight spots was also a help, as he struck out eight opponents.

Monday, the Little Leaguers play Pinehurst there at 5:30 p.m. Members of the team, sponsored by the Southern Pines Lions club, are: 12 years old, Jimmy Caldwell, Ted Ward, Larry McDonald, Bobby Watkins, Robert Woodruff; 11 years old, Jimmy Carter, Ken Reid, Joe Garzik, W. C. Morgan, Don Thompson; 10 years old, Roger Dutton, Topper Parks, Ken Little, Harold Willford, Eddy McKenzie.

checks down here to help our bond campaign!"

Mr. Stevens, besides heading his E. C. Stevens, Inc. agency, served on the town board of commissioners for many years. He has been president of the Library Association, and is a charter member of the board of directors of the Sandhills Music Association. He is a graduate of Yale University.

Grain sorghum, or Milo, is a good drought-resistant summer feed crop and is often used in North Carolina as a catch crop following failure of early seeded crops.

Honors, Awards Salute Student Accomplishments

New Scholarships Established By Local Organizations

Service, citizenship, leadership, scholarship and other high qualities, also achievements in several special fields, were recognized at the annual Honors and Awards Day program of the Southern Pines High school, held Tuesday morning at Weaver Auditorium.

Joe Marley, retiring president of the Student Council, opened the program with a Scripture reading and prayer.

Highlights of the occasion were the valedictory address, given by Geraldine Bethea, highest in scholarship, and the salutatory, given by Charles H. Bowman, Jr., second highest.

Awards were presented in some cases by representatives of the sponsoring organizations, in others by representatives of the school.

The program closed with the symbolic transfer of the cap and gown from David Page, senior president, to Jerry Daeke, president of the junior class.

High awards established over a number of years were presented as follows:

The James S. Milliken, Jr., Memorial Award, with \$50 in cash, for best all-round senior, to Jimmy Barber.

The American Legion Citizenship Medal, for best citizen of senior class, to Charles H. Bowman, Jr.

The Rotary Improvement Cup, to the high school student showing the greatest improvement during the year, to Garland Pierce.

The School Service Award, given by the school to the student showing the greatest spirit of unselfish service, to Harold McNeill.

Two awards, each carrying a \$100 scholarship, were initiated this year. These were the Elks Scholarship Award, won by George Morrison, with George Colton as alternate; and the Junior Women's Club Scholarship Award, which went to George Colton, with Patsy Dupree as first alternate Joe Marley as second.

Danforth Foundation Awards went to Joe Marley and Gladys Bowden Huntley, as the senior boy and girl showing high physical, mental, social and spiritual qualities in their conduct.

Babe Ruth Sportsmanship awards, for the senior boy and girl best exemplifying the quality of sportsmanship, were won by David Page and Shirley Garner.

The Lions Club Band award was presented to Jimmy Hatch as best all-round member of the band.

Geraldine Bethea received the Perkins Scholarship Cup, awarded each year to the class valedictorian.

The Charlotte Erson Music Plaque went to Joe Marley, as most outstanding member of the glee club.

The Balfour Scholarship Medals were awarded to Geraldine Bethea and Charles Bowman.

In the VFW Auxiliary's essay contest, Donald Burney was announced as first prize winner, receiving a \$5 cash award; Charles Bowman, second, \$3; and Deryl Holliday, third, \$2.

The American Legion Auxiliary essay contest winners were, first place, Roger Verhoeff; second, Joan Howarth; and third, Kenneth Creech.

David Page, senior president, presented the gift of the Class of 1954 to their Alma Mater—a check for \$300, for the school activities bus fund. It was accepted by Supt. A. C. Dawson in behalf of the school.

Recognition was given 40 grade school students and 26 in the high school who had perfect attendance records for the year.

Through the Nickels For Knowledge Program, North Carolina farmers voluntarily contributed \$286,025.80 toward agricultural research during 1952 and 1953.

ELECTION

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highest total of votes. McDonald, who has served Moore as sheriff 26 successive years, carried only nine precincts, with Kelly carrying all the others.

Mrs. Bessie Griffin, completing her first term as register of deeds, was the leading individual voter with 4,216. C. L. Worsham, her opponent, was just 3,000 votes behind, with 1,216. Worsham carried no precincts, and polled his best vote in his home precinct of Southern Pines—299 to Mrs. Griffin's 589.

John M. Currie of Carthage was reelected with ease to his seat on the county commission, carrying every precinct decisively and garnering 4,140 votes to 995 for David

Sineath.

Howard Matthews, of Eureka township, who was recently chosen to fill an unexpired term on the board of education, was elected to the post with 2,663 votes. His opponent E. E. Monroe of Cameron was close behind with 2,471.

Scott Deane Win

Moore County gave a fair margin to Kerr Scott for the U. S. Senate nomination, and a whopping majority to Eighth District Congressman C. B. Deane, in Saturday's primary.

Unofficial returns in the senatorial race were: Scott, 2,969; Lennon, 2,499. The former Governor carried 12 out of 17 precincts. Among the five carried by the incumbent senator, however—Aberdeen, Robbins, Pinehurst, Southern Pines and Pinebluff—were some of the county's largest.

The figures given are for the regular term. For the short term, the margin was smaller—Scott, 2,620; Lennon, 2,378.

Minor candidates won a sprinkling of votes: Alvin Wingfield, Jr., 58; H. L. Sprinkle and A. E. Turner, 16 each; Olla Ray Boyd, 12, and W. M. Bostick, 2 (regular term).

Rep. Deane won decisively in every precinct, garnering 4,356 votes to 865 for his opponent, Coble Funderburk of Union county.

In two other state races, incumbents were victorious—Edwin Gill defeating Joshua James for treasurer, and Charlie Gold defeating John F. Fletcher for insurance commissioner.

GRADUATION

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chairman, presided, and introduced the speaker, N. L. Hodgkins, member of the board, performed his service of many years in handing the diploma and symbolic rose. He told the class it was one of the most outstanding in the history of the school, as "the largest in many years, with some of the finest athletes, as well as scholars, and students notable in other fields." He noted that 18 out of the 31 are going to college.

The school band, directed by Lynn H. Ledden, gave a distinguished performance in the recessional and processional, also a march and overture played during the course of the program.

Dr. W. C. Timmons, pastor of the Church of Wide Fellowship, asked the invocation, while Father Peter M. Denges pronounced the invocation.

The exercises concluded the 1954 finals, which opened Sunday night with the baccalaureate service at the Church of Wide Fellowship, and were dedicated to the memory of Dr. G. G. Herr, school board chairman for 20 years, who died in April.

Baccalaureate

Dr. Frederick H. Olert of Richmond, Va., delivered the baccalaureate sermon, and local ministers taking part were Dr. Timmons and the Rev. C. V. Covell of Emmanuel Episcopal Church. Mrs. L. D. McDonald at the organ played the processional and recessional, and the school choir sang two numbers. A quartet composed of four members of the choir, Tommy Ruggles, Joe Marley and David Page of the graduating class and James Collins, sang "Lo, How a Rose".

Both the Sunday night service and the Tuesday exercises were attended by large crowds, including parents and relatives of the graduates and many others of the townspeople.

DROWNING

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Efforts to locate the body went on without avail until after midnight, handicapped by the darkness, the steepness of the river banks thick with brush and the height of the narrow bridge, the only place from which floodlights could be directed on the water.

Two Carthage men, Billy Bryant and Sam Wicker, stayed on the scene most of the night. They brought the body to the surface with grappling irons about 8:30 a. m. Sunday. It was near the bottom in about 12 feet of water, five feet from shore.

Tragedy Recounted

Waiting at the scene in grief and distress with his little boy, Sam Hamilton gave the following account of the tragedy:

John, who had recently been transferred to Camp LeJeune from California, had brought his wife and daughter, Karen Sue, 11, to Guilford, a village on the outskirts of Greensboro, to spend the long holiday weekend with his brother's family. Saturday the two brothers and Ronnie came to fish in Deep River, casting their trot lines first near Caribonant from a bridge and the riverbank, and working their way downstream.

Moving on to the Horseshoe Bend, they borrowed a canoe-type boat from Julian H. Bishop's Quail Farm. The brothers fished from the boat while Ronnie stayed on the bank and read comic books. Suddenly, Sam said, the boat

overturned. Unable to swim, he clung to the boat, according to instructions calmly given by his brother, an expert swimmer. Seemingly at ease, the younger man set off for shore, swimming on his back. They were only about 30 feet from shore, but the bank was very steep at that point and he headed toward a better landing spot some 75 feet away.

Never Reached Bank

Suddenly Sam heard John cry: "I can't make it—I'm giving out," blinded by water on his glasses, he couldn't see what happened then. But he could tell his brother never reached the bank.

Shouting to Ronnie, Sam paddled and pushed until he got the canoe near the bank, and scrambled out. Searching frantically for John, the father and son cried out for help. The driver of a truck crossing the bridge phoned the sheriff from the Holder home nearby. Soon many helpers were at hand. Dozens of cars lined the road and the bridge was filled with watchers until the rescue operations were suspended some four hours later.

Coroner Ralph G. Steed on Sunday rendered a verdict of accidental death by drowning, judging an inquest unnecessary.

Sam Hamilton expressed belief his brother must have been seized with a cramp or heart attack. He said the water was bitterly cold. Heavy Marine boots worn by John handicapped his swimming.

The drowned man was a native of Kentucky. He had been in the Marine Corps 16 years, attached to the famous "Fighting First." He was supply officer for his outfit, the 43rd Amphibious Battalion of the First Division. His parents are dead. Besides his wife and daughter, he is survived by three brothers and four sisters.

SARAH INMAN

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ing alone, the hard slow work with pen and pencil and the great fidelity to the task at hand.

Nation's Worst Case

For sweet-faced Sarah Inman was Moore county's worst-stricken child in the great polio epidemic of 1948. According to doctors at Warm Springs, Ga., where she has been several times for treatment, she was rated the nation's worst stricken victim to have survived.

Every bit of her body was paralyzed—she could move only one or two fingers. Treatment has improved her so she has fair use of her fingers, can turn her head and move her arms at the elbow, though she cannot lift them. She practically lives in the specially built wheel-chair, provided for her by the Polio Foundation, which has all sorts of special gadgets to brace her back, hold up her head, lift her arms, hold her book and turn its pages.

Yet she faithfully kept up with all her school work, performing every assignment sent her by the teachers, taking the tests and passing them at the top of her class.

"An Inspiration"

For two years of high school her "home room teacher" was Miss Meade Seawell, for the other two Mrs. Ola Phillips. Her school work was carried back and forth daily by her two sisters, who worked in Carthage (one is now married and working in Robbins) and by her little brother, a grade school student there. Of her work Miss Seawell says, "She was absolutely faithful, and did everything on time. She is one of the finest students I ever taught. Everything I did for her, and with her, was a pleasure, and she was an inspiration to the whole class."

Sarah's classmates love her dearly, and invite her to every school and social function. She can't always accept, for going places is sort of complicated—the chair has to be folded up and carried along, then unfolded and set up, a rather delicate operation. But she has attended almost all the functions of the Beta Club, of which she is a leading member.

Salutatorian

In her high school studies Sarah ranked at the top of her class but, because she lacked the activity points won by extra-curricular work, could not be named valedictorian. The class voted unanimously to have the rule waived in her case, but this couldn't be done, under the rules. She was salutatorian instead.

Her salutatory address was a highlight of Class Night, held at the school Monday evening. Sarah took an active part in the program, presented in the form of a play. Miss Seawell wrote the play and she saw to it that there was a role in it for Sarah. The play was called "Into the Land of Heart's Desire." Tears brightened many an eye as Sarah spoke her lines of counsel to the seniors, in her clear sweet voice—"We must look above—our faith must be kept clean and high."

Keeps Busy

Sarah is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Inman of Hallison. Though she lives in a wheel chair, her life is a full and busy one. Even though her high school lessons have ended, she will have

few idle moments. She does much fine handwork—weaving, embroidery and knitting—which she learned at Warm Springs, as part of the therapeutic exercises for her hand and finger muscles, and with which she has made many useful and beautiful things. She loves to read, and the Inman home is a regular stop for Mrs. Dorothy Avery, county librarian, and the Bookmobile. She loves music, and enjoys the television set she won as a guest on the network program "Welcome Travelers."

Most of all, she loves to write letters, and is carrying on numerous correspondences, with "pen pals" all over the country. Some are friends she has made through her trips to Warm Springs. Others are people who have heard of her, and been inspired by her courage. She writes notes to many she hears or reads about, who have trouble or sorrow.

Class Gift

Writing for her is rather difficult and slow, and her classmates did something about that. With small contributions they made themselves, and received from many others in the school and at home, they purchased a gift for Sarah, which was presented on Class Night—an electric typewriter.

The wonderful machine responds to the lightest touch of the fingers. Sarah set right in, with delight, to learn how to use it. The very first day she had it she wrote three letters on it, and said, "It works just fine."

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