

Round-Up Of Youths Completed

Pair Admits Theft Of Furniture At Robbins Last Year

Worthy Hector Moore, 19, of near Robbins, who was being sought last week as one of four youths allegedly involved in a \$500 break-in and robbery at Chappell's store north of Robbins, was arrested Saturday morning by Deputy Sheriff A. W. Lambert and ABC Officer C. A. McCallum, it was learned from the office of Sheriff C. A. McDonald.

Moore, apprehended at his home, told officers that he had been hauling watermelons from South Carolina to Winston-Salem, while the hunt for him was on last week.

Later Saturday, he was given a hearing before Magistrate Charles MacLeod at Carthage and was bound over to Superior Court for trial on charges of breaking and entering and larceny, under \$1,000 bond. Also given a hearing at the same time was Jimmy Nichols, 16, of Cameron, route, who had been previously arrested. Up to Saturday, he had admitted nothing, but reported MacLeod, both he and Moore pled guilty at the hearing.

Previously arrested in the Chappell case had been Roy Vinson Allen, 20, and Douglas Key, 19, both of Robbins, route. They had made bond of \$750 and \$1,000, respectively, after a hearing earlier last week.

Additional Charges
Key and Allen found themselves in more trouble this week after they admitted under questioning by officers that they had broken into the Elise High School at Robbins December 24 of last year and had removed various items of furniture.

With the aid of Sheriff Elwood Long of Montgomery County, the furniture was recovered in that county, reportedly from a person (Continued on Page 5)

Sixth Officer

G. L. Wright, Is Added To Force

The Southern Pines police department has been brought to six members by the addition of Gerald L. (Jerry) Wright, 25, who is now on active duty, currently working at night.

City Manager Tom E. Cunningham said that the 1954-'55 budget, which went into effect July 1, provides for another police officer. The force is now composed of C. E. Newton, chief; Lamar K. Smith, H. V. Chandler, Jr., Drake C. Rogers, Malcolm R. Stout and the newly added member, Wright.

Trained as a military policeman during World War II, Mr. Wright, a native of Michigan, was stationed in Southern Pines during World War II, when he was a corporal with the Third Army MP headquarters. He lived at the home of Chief Newton at that time and met here his wife-to-be, Mildred Weatherspoon.

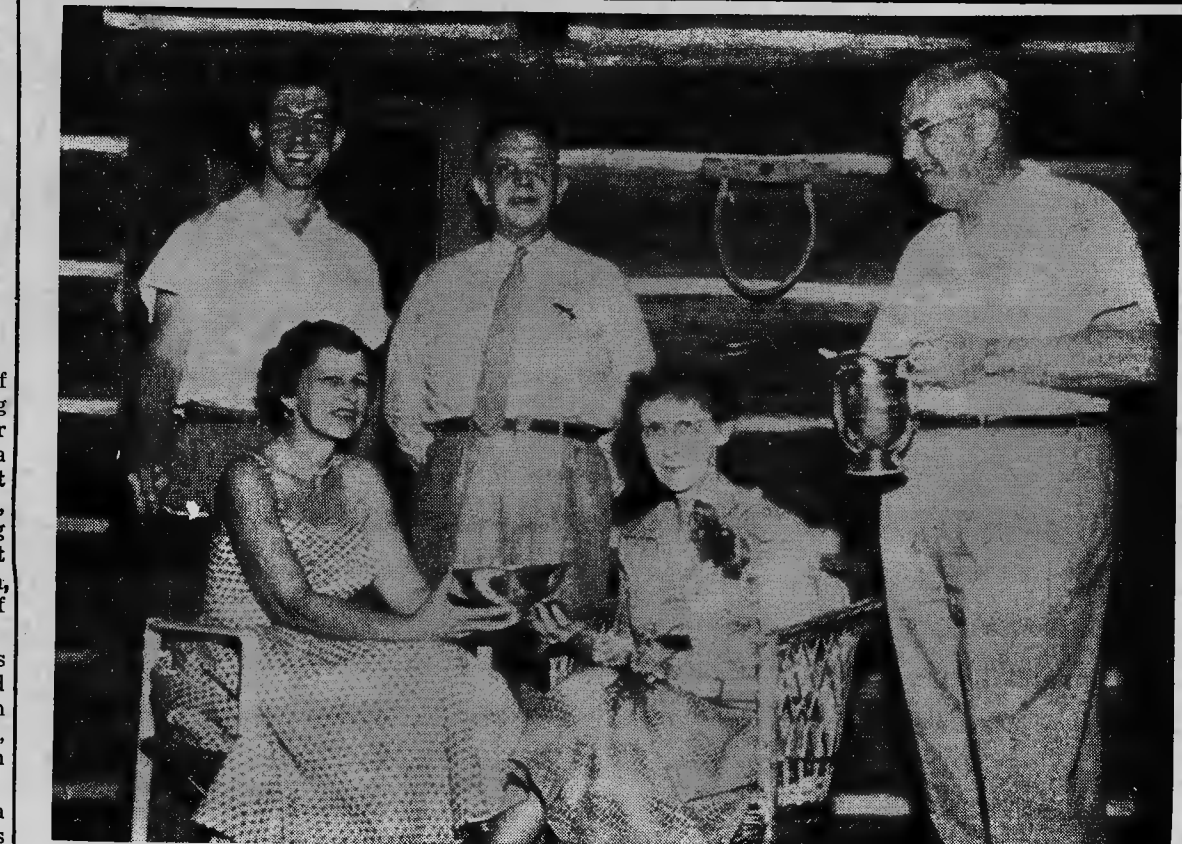
Mr. and Mrs. Wright have lived at Pinebluff for the past three years and previously lived four years in Southern Pines. Until recently, Mr. Wright was employed at the Aberdeen Hosiery Mill near Aberdeen for six years. The Wrights have two daughters, Mary Helen, five, and Geraldine, three years old. Mr. Wright has been a member of Woodmen of the World in Southern Pines for the past five years.

Another military policeman who was here with Mr. Wright, Sgt. N. D. Moroni, married Louise Weatherspoon, a sister of Mrs. Wright. Still in military service, Sgt. Moroni is now in Germany.

Church's Bell To Ring Again

The bell of the Church of Wide Fellowship will ring Sunday morning for the first time since fire destroyed the Sunday School building of the church a few years ago.

The Rev. William H. Hill, interim pastor at the church, said that the bell will first sound at 10:30 a. m. as a call to worship and will ring again at 10:55 before



PRESENTATION—Norris L. Hodgkins, Sr., president of the Citizens Bank and Trust Co., at right, holds a silver pitcher he presented on behalf of the bank to Miss Ethel Jones, seated at right, during a picnic supper honoring her for over 40 years of service at the bank. Seated at left is Mrs. Edna Patterson, holding a bowl given to Miss Jones by the bank's staff. Standing are Norris L. Hodgkins, Jr., left, vice-president of the bank, and C. H. Bowman, vice-president and cashier. (Photo by V. Nicholson)

Bank Personnel Fete Miss Jones At Supper Party

Miss Ethel Jones, assistant cashier of the Citizens Bank and Trust Co., who retired July 15 after more than 40 years of service with the bank, was honored by the directors and staff of the bank at a picnic supper Tuesday evening.

Held at Paint Hill Farm, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Ives, off the Bethesda Road between Southern Pines and Aberdeen, the supper was attended by Miss Jones and about 30 persons including officers, directors and the staff of the bank, with their wives and husbands.

Rain prevented holding the supper outdoors as planned and the group moved inside the picturesque log cabin residence at the farm.

In a short presentation ceremony after the supper, a silver pitcher was given to Miss Jones by Norris L. Hodgkins, Sr., on behalf of the bank. From the staff, presented by Mrs. Edna Patterson, teller, Miss Jones received a silver bowl.

Inscription on the pitcher reads: "To Ethel S. Jones, in appreciation of her many years of loyal and faithful service. July 15, 1954."

On the bowl, the inscription says: "To Ethel S. Jones from the staff of the Citizens Bank and Trust Company."

Miss Jones lives with her sister, Miss Ella Jones at 130 N. Ashe St., and expects to remain in Southern Pines.

In the announcement of Miss Jones' retirement, President Hodgkins praised her for faithfulness and loyalty over a long period of years.

"To many of our customers, Miss Jones is the bank and she will be greatly missed," he said.

Established in 1905, the bank will observe its 50th anniversary next year.

Officer Smith Has Kidney Operation

Officer Lamar K. Smith of the Southern Pines police department entered Memorial Hospital at Charlotte Tuesday for a kidney stone operation. He is on leave of absence from the police department and expects to return to duty here as soon as he is able.

He was to undergo the operation Thursday.

ROTARY HOST TO DISTRICT CHIEF

Southern Pines Rotary Club will be host to John Hough of Leaksville, governor of the 28th District of Rotary International, at the regular luncheon meeting, 12:15 p. m. today in the Country Club. For further details, see story and photo, page 10.

Hobbs Speaks To Kiwanians About CAP Activities

The Civil Air Patrol squadron organized in this area earlier this year is making good progress, James D. Hobbs, public information officer of the squadron, told members of the Sandhills Kiwanis club at their luncheon meeting Wednesday.

Purposes of the CAP were outlined by the speaker who invited all interested persons to attend meetings of the squadron which are held each Tuesday night at the Southern Pines-Pinehurst airport.

Also appearing at the meeting were M-Sgt. I. D. Quillen of Southern Pines, Air Force recruiter, and Sgt. Paul H. Hawks of Sanford, Army recruiter, who told of the recruiting programs of the services they represent. Sergeant Quillen stressed the opportunities for young men in the aviation cadet training program.

GOOD SERVICE WAS HIS LIFETIME CREED

H. S. Knowles Ends Long Business Career

Seventeen years ago, at the age of 66 when most men have retired or at least are making plans to end their active working life, Herbert S. Knowles was launching his own new business.

While this may have seemed remarkable to observers, it is quite certain that it didn't seem unusual to Mr. Knowles himself. Throughout his long career, he has remained too busy to ponder whether he should or should not work as long or as hard as he did.

From his youth, the Southern Pines man has liked to sell people things to eat and has probably sold as much food to as many people as any living man.

Recently, Mr. Knowles sold his "Specialty Shop" on N. E. Broad St., near the corner of Connecticut Ave., to C. L. Worsham, ending an active career in grocery and meat merchandising that began in New Hampshire some 60 years ago.

The Southern Pines man observed his 83rd birthday on July 4, a date that has given him a holiday on his birthday throughout his life. He lives alone at 360 E. Connecticut Ave., in one of three houses he owns in the neighborhood. The house has a pleasant front porch, where Mr. Knowles keeps an electric fan going in hot weather and which looks out on good-sized dogwood and pines he (Continued on Page 8)

Committees Set By Rotary Head; Quiz Conducted

Committee chairmen to serve in Rotary Club activities for the coming year were announced by President Johnnie A. Hall at last Friday's meeting in the Country Club.

Ed Small is the director responsible for club service activities. Chairmen in this department are: attendance, Carl Holt and James Hartshorne; classifications, Amos C. Dawson; club bulletin, the Rev. Charles Covell; fellowship, A. A. Howlett; magazine, Clyde Cameron; program, June Phillips; public information, Paul Van Camp; Rotary information, Harry L. Brown; and sergeant-at-arms, E. J. Austin.

Subcommittee heads under A. A. Howlett, director for vocational service, are: buyer-seller relations, Karl A. Bridges; competitor relations, Harold McAllister; four-way test, J. B. Perkinson; and trade associations, Dan S. Ray.

Subcommittee chairmen under George McCormack, director for community service, are: boys and girls week, Henry Turner; community safety, Virgil Clark; crippled children, Karl Bridges; rural-urban, Dr. L. M. Daniels; scholarships, awards and student loans, the Rev. C. V. Covell; students. (Continued on Page 5)

Clark Replaces Welch As Deputy Chief At School

Infantry Colonel Has Had Varied Army Assignments

Col Alfred K. Clark has replaced Lt. Col. Lamar A. Welch as deputy commandant at the USAF Air-Ground Operations School in the Highland Pines Inn.

An Infantry officer, like his predecessor as deputy commandant, Colonel Clark is living at 190 Valley Road, with his wife, the former Clarissa Bennett of Lincoln, Neb., and their 12-year-old daughter, Connie.

After serving in the European Theatre of Operations as executive officer of the 137th Infantry Regiment, he returned to the United States as regimental commander of the 18th Infantry Training Regiment, Camp Roberts, Calif.

Subsequent assignments included a tour of duty as assistant Army attaché in Hungary; chief of the manpower division, headquarters, Sixth Army; and senior advisor to the 87th Chinese Nationalist Army.

A graduate of the University of Nebraska, with a master's degree from Cornell University, (Continued on Page 5)

Dr. Emily Tufts, Pediatrician, Has Pinehurst Office

Dr. Emily Tufts, a native of Pinehurst, has returned to the Sandhills to practice her profession. A pediatrician, Dr. Tufts opened her office this week in the Harvard Building, Pinehurst.

She is a graduate of the University of North Carolina, where she received her A. B. degree in 1946, continuing there for the two years of medical school which were all the University offered at that time. She transferred then to the medical school of Temple University, Philadelphia, where she received her M. D. degree in 1950. The year following her graduation she spent as an interne at Charlotte Memorial Hospital, and for the past three years has been on the staff of St. Christopher's Hospital for Children in Philadelphia. There she completed requirements for her chosen specialty, the medical treatment of babies and children.

Dr. Tufts is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tufts of Pinehurst. The family lived at Chapel Hill during her childhood years and she attended elementary and high school there. She is making her home with her parents. (Continued on Page 5)

Lightning Starts Fires In Three-County Area

Stevens Home Near Cameron Is Destroyed



DR. SCHREIBER

Dr. Schreiber Opens Practice With Dr. Owens

Dr. Herman Schreiber, 28-year-old native of New York City, has entered the general practice of medicine in this area, in association with Dr. Francis L. Owens of Pinehurst. Dr. Schreiber's offices are located in St. Joseph of the Pines Hospital, Knollwood.

A graduate of the University of Rochester at Rochester, N. Y., where he received his B. A. degree, the new Sandhills resident was awarded his M. D. degree from the Medical School of Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, in 1950.

He then served three years in the U. S. Navy, taking his internship at the Naval Hospital, Newport, R. I. Leaving the Navy in June of last year, Dr. Schreiber has spent the past year at the University of Colorado in Denver.

The doctor's wife is the former Clara W. Woods of Winston-Salem. Dr. Schreiber, who is a member of ODA, medical honorary society, is a Baptist. His wife is a Methodist. They have a three-year-old son, Frederick. Until the family finds permanent living quarters, they are staying in a cottage on the Cosgrove farm at the intersection of Midland Road and the Carthage Road. (S. Pennsylvania Ave. extension).

Dr. Schreiber became acquainted with North Carolina through his wife and, when he was stationed at Norfolk, Va., during his (Continued on Page 5)

Wheat Voting At Carthage Today

There will be only one voting place for Moore County wheat growers who vote today (Friday) on whether or not there will be marketing quotas on the 1955 crop.

Voting will take place between 9 a. m. and 6 p. m. on the ground floor of the courthouse at Carthage, it was announced this week by Joe A. Caddell, chairman of the Moore County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee which is supervising the referendum.

Eligible to vote are those farmers who will plant over 15 acres of wheat next year. At least two-thirds of the growers voting, for the nation as a whole, must approve the quotas before they may be put into effect.

Boros Leading Money Winner

Julius Boros, 34-year-old 1952 National Open champion from Southern Pines, on Sunday won the \$25,000 Manakiki Open golf tournament at Cleveland, Ohio, defeating George Fazio of Pine Valley, N. J., in a sudden death playoff after they had deadlocked at 280 for 72 holes, eight under par.

Boros fired four straight sub-par rounds, winding up with a 71 Sunday, as hard luck on late holes swept favored contenders out of his way.

Boros took the laurels on the first hole of the playoff with a

Southern Pines felt some of the effects Wednesday night of an electrical storm that hit hard in parts of Moore, Lee and Harnett Counties, setting fire to a large lumber yard at Olivia, destroying by fire a residence near Cameron, burning at least one tobacco barn east of Cameron and doing other damage in the area.

A bolt of lightning at 8:35 p. m. knocked out of operation some of the power lines leading from the Aberdeen substation of the Carolina Power and Light Co., plunging Southern Pines, Lakeview, Vass and surrounding areas into darkness for 16 minutes. Power in Aberdeen, Pinebluff and nearby areas south of Aberdeen was not affected.

A separate line from the West End substation to Carthage was also knocked out, according to information from the power company, and power was off in the county seat for 33 minutes.

A number of telephones in this area were knocked out, but most were back in service by midnight. Rain came down in sheets here for 30 or 40 minutes, with much lightning, but no serious property damage was reported.

North of Southern Pines and east into Harnett County, the storm raged with unusual fury. Power was off for a while in Cameron, but a resident there was quoted as saying that it didn't make any difference because the lightning was so continuous that it lit his house as bright as day.

Home Burns
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Stevens, north of Cameron, was struck by lightning, said to have entered from a television aerial, and was destroyed by the resulting fire.

This home is located near the Rocky Fork Church and community. (Continued on page 8)

Mrs. Phillips Is Hurt In Collision South of Sanford

Mrs. Newland W. Phillips of Southern Pines received a back injury when the automobile she was driving was in a head-on collision with another car about a mile south of Sanford on No. 1 highway at 8:30 a. m. Tuesday.

She was taken by ambulance to Moore County Hospital where she was under treatment this week. Her husband, who is proprietor of Phillips Motor Sales on S. W. Broad St., said Wednesday that her condition is satisfactory and that she was expected home from the hospital in a few days.

With Mrs. Phillips was Margaret Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips' five-year-old daughter, but the child was not injured. The mother and daughter were on the way to Duke Hospital, Durham, where the child was to receive a routine medical examination, Mr. Phillips said.

The local man reported Wednesday that Highway Patrolman Chester of Sanford had not completed his investigation as to the cause of the collision. Both cars were considerably damaged.

Mrs. Phillips is the former Louise Craft of Pittsboro. The family home is at 525 E. Massachusetts Ave.



H. S. KNOWLES, right, stands on the porch of the Specialty Shop, unique grocery and market he operated for nearly 17 years before turning it over recently to C. L. Worsham, left. Mr. Knowles was active in food merchandising for some 60 years. (Pilot Staff Photo)