



ALL SMILES—One of the most interesting exhibits to Scouts camping on the Fort Bragg reservation last week-end was this H-13 helicopter which is used for wire-laying, medical evacuation (note the casualty carrying case at the side of the machine, left) and other Army purposes. Three Southern Pines boys are shown standing, left to right: Bob Rader of Troop 223; Johnny Bristow of Troop 224 and Ronnie Strickland of Troop 224. Other Scouts try out the seats under the plexiglass dome that protects the pilot. The helicopter landed in a small clearing while the boys watched. Thousands of lives were saved by such helicopters as these in Korea, the boys were told. They made possible speedy evacuation of wounded from inaccessible areas. (Pilot Photo)

CAMPOREE

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 Willis Howard Williams, Eagle Scout of Robbins, was Moore County's only representative when the boys who have won the "God And Country" award during the past year were recognized at early morning services Sunday.

Brig. Gen. Pearson Menoher, chairman of Scouting in Moore County, was in overall charge of

the camporee.

Appreciation was expressed by council leaders for the help given the council by military units at Fort Bragg. Many units of the 82nd Airborne helped to set up services at the camp site or in putting on displays.

Many parents and friends of boys attended the campfire ceremonies Saturday night. The 82nd band provided music. The council's Order of the Arrow dance team performed authentic Indian dances in costume and make-up.

'A FABLE WITH A BIG MORAL'

Writes Unique Tribute To Mothers

Chief Warrant Officer Joseph F. Ganis, whose home is at 250 N. Ashe St., and who is now on duty with the Air Force in Newfoundland, marked Mother's Day one recent year by sitting down at home and writing for his wife what he called "A Fable With A Big Moral." He and his wife, Mrs. Rosa Lee Ganis, are the parents of four children—Ronald, 12; Bobby, 9; Eugene, 8; and Ann, 5.

What he wrote and then handed to his wife as a Mother's Day greeting on that occasion, printed this week because Sunday will be Mother's Day, was this:

"A long time ago mothers did not exist; so one day a man advertised and the ad read something like this:

"Wanted: woman with low aspirations and high standards, to do house work, raise kids, wash dishes, do a lot of mending on the side. Job offers no opportunity for advancement, no vacation, no pay; and all the time of the day and night.

"Obviously, not even a fool would answer an ad like this; so God stepped into the picture and that's the way mothers were born.

"Happiest of happy Mother's Days, Mother!"

Mrs. Ganis is so proud of this greeting she thought others ought to see it and would enjoy it as much as she did.

CWO Ganis and his family are

becoming old timers in this area. He's a native of Rochester, N. Y., and his wife's from Charlotte, but for three years before he was sent to Newfoundland a year ago, he was stationed with the USAF Air-Ground Operations School here, working with purchasing and contracting. And before that he had been stationed for five years at nearby Pope Air Force Base.

The Ganises like Southern Pines so well and think it's such a good place to raise a big family, that they are staying here.

When Mother's Day arrives again Sunday, CWO Ganis will still be at Ernest Harmon AFB in Newfoundland, but it's a safe bet he'll be thinking of home. And his family, cheered again by his unique greeting, will no doubt be thinking of him.

Just to top it off this year, Sunday is also Mrs. Ganis' birthday—all in all a big day in the Ganis household.

Moore Woman Gets Suspended Prison Term In Shooting

Elsie Elizabeth Cummings, 31, charged with shooting her brother-in-law last August, was found guilty and sentenced to 18 months in the women's division of Central Prison by Judge Frank M. Armstrong in Superior Court last Friday.

Judge Armstrong suspended the sentence for five years, providing the woman, who had married since the incident occurred, pay all hospital bills and remain on good behavior for five years.

Judge Armstrong also handed down the following sentences:

Kenneth Callicut and Ernest Franklin Kennedy, charged with two counts of breaking and entering, were sentenced to 12 months at a first offender's camp with an additional three to five years in Central Prison, suspended on good behavior conditions and payment of \$78 each.

E. A. Martin, pleading not guilty at first, changed his plea to nolo contendere and drew six months on the roads, with 12 months suspended for five years, for drunken driving, resisting arrest and assault with a deadly weapon.

Edna Berline Davis was fined \$25 and costs for speeding.

Elbert C. Davis was found not guilty on a second offense of drunken driving.

SCHOOL BAND
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 value to the band, rather than superior playing.

Members of the Band Boosters and the band are selling tickets for the concert. Tickets may also be secured at the door.

Blue Knights Lose To Mt. Gilead In District Playoffs

The Southern Pines Blue Knights, tops in county baseball competition, were eliminated in the first rounds of district playoffs by Mt. Gilead, 4-0, Saturday afternoon at Memorial Field.

The game, which marked the first time the Knights had been defeated this season (they had won 13 straight), had been postponed from Friday because of a wet field.

Coach Irie Leonard said it was the first time this season the team had failed to hit. Billy Cox and Tony Parker both hit singles in the second inning, the only hits the Blue Knights got in the game.

Johnny Watkins, who had won six games so far during the season, turned in a creditable performance on the mound, allowing nine hits, striking out seven, and walking just four. Had the Knights been hitting at all, the pitching job might have been sufficient, but with no hits to back him up, Watkins was outdone.

Mt. Gilead scored two runs in the fourth when two men were safe on errors. A double scored them. Later in the inning the visitors loaded the bases but Watkins bore down and caused the last batter to fly out.

Haywood, pitching for Mt. Gilead, allowed the two hits, struck out seven, and allowed five walks.

Southern Pines, had it won the game and another, would not have played in the county tournament and would have automatically become the county champion. But the loss forced them into the county tournament, where they are seeded number one.

The Knights play Tuesday against the winner of a series of elimination games that included Aberdeen, Pinehurst, West End and Vass-Lakeview.

Finals in the county tournament are set for Friday, May 18, at Memorial Field.

Playing in the lower bracket are Carthage, Robbins, Westmore, Highfalls and Farm Life. Robbins was seeded second in the tournament.

YOUNG MUSICIANS

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 whose selections will close the program, are Margaret Grimm of Carthage, whose teacher at Meredith College, Raleigh, is Dr. Stuart Pratt; and Harold A. Collins, Jr., of Southern Pines, student at Duke University, Durham, whose instructor is Dr. Loren Withers.

Students, Teachers Listed

In the order of their appearance on the program, the students and teacher of each, in addition to those listed previously, are:

Debbie Prince of Pinehurst, taught by Miss Gladys Stutts of Pinehurst.

Paula Cook of Farm Life, taught by Mrs. Paul Chaffin of Farm Life.

Rhonda Hardy of Cameron, taught by Mrs. E. G. Ferguson of Cameron.

Linda Nicks of Vass, taught by Mrs. H. D. McInnis of Vass.

Johnnie McCrimmon of Southern Pines, taught by Mrs. C. C. McDonald of Southern Pines.

Greta Newkirk of Southern Pines, taught by Mrs. Theodore R. Webb of Pinebluff.

Rosie Chandler of Southern Pines, taught by Mrs. Norris Hodgkins, Jr., of Southern Pines.

Ella Ruth McLeod of Carthage, taught by Mrs. M. G. Dalrymple of Carthage.

Sylvia Arnette Cooper of Aberdeen, taught by Mrs. C. H. Story of Aberdeen.

Nancy Street of Highfalls, taught by Mrs. William F. Hancock of Robbins.

Linda Richardson of West End, taught by Mrs. L. R. Sugg of Carthage.

Jane Anna Culbertson of Robbins, taught by Mrs. Hancock of Robbins.

John L. Currie of Carthage, taught by Mrs. H. G. Poole of Carthage.

Frank Pleasants of Aberdeen, taught by Mrs. Lucile Drake Oliver of Pinebluff.

Karen Peck of Southern Pines, taught by Dr. Charles G. Vardell, Jr., of Red Springs.

Linda Baxter of Robbins, taught by Mrs. Poole of Carthage.

Committees To Be Named

It is hoped that at this concert the membership of committees being set up in various county towns to support the membership and ticket sales drive of the music association may be announced.

Don't lose your vote! Register now for this year's primary election on May 26. Registration closes May 12.

Chicks hatched in North Carolina commercial hatcheries during February set a record high for the month of slightly over 9 1-2 million.

TOWN OFFICES

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 making these changes in the "Residence I" zoning regulations:

Creation of a special district consisting of the Knollwood Heights area in which the square foot area of floor space required in new homes was increased from 1,200 to 1,750.

Increase of the square foot requirement in the rest of Residence I district from 1,200 to 1,500. This district includes the remainder of the Knollwood area and Weymouth Heights east of Ridge St. and south of Delaware Ave.

Setting the required side yard width in Residence I at 16 percent of the street frontage, with a minimum of 12 and a maximum of 30 feet.

The zoning amendments include various other minor changes.

No Parking Near School

Another matter that has been under consideration for some time was settled Tuesday night when the council adopted an ordinance prohibiting parking during school hours on both sides of Massachusetts Ave., between Ridge St. and Country Club Drive. This is the block that contains the Southern Pines elementary school on the north side of Massachusetts Ave. and the measure was enacted for the protection of school children who might run into the street from behind parked cars.

The law will go into effect June 1.

Other Actions

The council also:

Directed the city manager to get more details from W. F. Babcock and Associates and James F. Webb and Associates, Chapel Hill city planning and traffic engineering specialists, as to the cost and details of retaining the firms for regular consultation by the council.

Authorized the manager to advertise and sell by public auction a 50-foot lot owned by the town at the intersection of Hale St. and Iowa Ave. A bona fide offer of \$100 for the lot has been made to the town by Sip Bostick, it was noted.

Directed that a public hearing be advertised to consider the request of Hubert C. F. Williams to convert "Eats Grill" at the corner of Gaines St. and West New York

Ave. to a service station. The town has an ordinance that additional service stations cannot be built in town without a public hearing and special authorization by the council.

Appointed D. E. Bailey an alternate member of the board of zoning adjustment, to replace Herbert Cameron who said that he is unable to serve. The appointment is for the term expiring May 1, 1957.

Adopted a routine resolution requested by the bond attorneys in connection with the recent sale of \$150,000 in town bonds, for sewer and water system improvements.

Confirmed the manager's designation of Porter, Barry and Associates of Baton Rouge, La., as the town's contingency fee engineers with regard to possible future construction of a municipal natural gas system. (Details in story in last week's Pilot).

Confirmed the award of a sewer construction contract, as previously reported in The Pilot.

Authorized advertisement of a public hearing at the next regular meeting, June 12, on a request to the planning board that the entire block bounded by S. W. Broad St., W. Indiana Ave., Bennett St., and W. Massachusetts Ave., be zoned for business. A portion of the block on Broad St. is already in the business classification. The hearing results from a request to the planning board in regard to a proposed business development, details of which were not disclosed.

Confirmed the manager's contract with Pitometer Associates, at a cost of less than \$100, for a study of small out-of-town water lines that connect with the town's water system, with a view to regulating the number of consumers using each of the lines.

Authorized the manager and clerk to make a contract with W. M. Russ and Co. of Raleigh, accountants, for this fiscal year's municipal audit. The audit has been conducted on a quarterly basis, the manager said, with only one quarter remaining to be done, but a formal contract is required for the year's work.

TWO BOYS
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 and on Wednesday afternoons.

He had had several complaints from patrons, he said, and started investigating the looting shortly after it started.

Most of the missing mail has been recovered. Pierce and his assistants are still searching for more. He has several piles at the postoffice now, some of it water-soaked, assorting and preparing it for delivery.

The boys, picked up this morning, said they had done it "mostly for a lark."

Postal inspector John Eggers of Greensboro has been in town today working on the case.

Pierce cautioned patrons this morning against leaving keys in their boxes and urged that they be sure that the boxes are closed before leaving them.

"If people would exercise more caution in the way they close their boxes," he said, "such a thing as this could never have happened. Almost any time you go into the postoffice you can see several boxes partially open. We urge people to please not leave their keys in their boxes and make double sure they are closed before leaving them. That is one sure method of discouraging would-be thieves."

RESORT PROMOTION

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 ing as much as \$5,000 per year for advertising.

Mr. Stitzer said that the resort section of the New York Times would be an excellent advertising medium, but without a coordinated program between town, hotels and others, it is not possible to buy space that will show up well. Town and private funds should be pooled to get effective advertising, he thinks.

He said he had discussed his ideas with George Pottle of the Hollywood Hotel and had met with general agreement. Mr. Stitzer said that, although he is not now operating a resort hotel, he would contribute to a coordinated advertising campaign.

BLUE ENDORSED

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 which will be held in Raleigh Thursday, May 17.

Delegates to the national convention, which will be held in Chicago this year August 13, will be named at the state convention, Brown said. Because North Carolina gave Stevenson the largest number of votes of any state in 1952, the state will get six additional seats at the national convention this year, it is believed, but because of district complications the number may be reduced to four. It is, however, uncertain yet just what the final number will be.

Mayor Voit Gilmore of Southern Pines moved that the precinct endorse the candidacy of Blue as a delegate to the national convention and suggested a three-man committee be appointed to work with the other precincts toward that end. Hill appointed Gilmore, Mrs. Swisher and L. F. Garvin to the committee.

The precinct committee adopted a resolution that will be presented at the county convention endorsing Blue and asking that the county convention also endorse him.

The committee also passed a resolution endorsing Brown to succeed himself as county chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee.

Before the meeting was over Brown reminded the committee that Moore County and Southern Pines went Republican in 1952. "We must reverse that this year," he said. "I'd surely like to see my home town go Democratic at least once during my tenure as county chairman of the Democratic party."

Aberdeen

H. Clifton Blue was reelected chairman of the Aberdeen Precinct committee. Other officers and members of the committee are: Mrs. S. L. Windham, vice-chairman; Mrs. H. P. Boyette, secretary; F. D. Shamburger and W. P. Saunders.

Pinebluff

J. Douglas David was reelected chairman of the Pinebluff committee. Mrs. W. K. Carpenter, Jr., was named vice-chairman. Other committee members are W. K. Carpenter, Sr., K. G. Deaton and Jim O'Quinn of Roseland.

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