

### Major Richardson Succumbs; Burial Set At Arlington

Major George W. Richardson, Air Force officer who had visited in Southern Pines during the past 15 years, died Tuesday morning at Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D. C., according to information received here this week. While details of funeral services were not known, it was reported that burial rites will take place at Arlington National Cemetery near Washington on Friday.

Major Richardson was the husband of the former Margaret Bogle who lived in Southern Pines for several years before and after World War 2. Mrs. Richardson, before her marriage, was one of the first women from this area to join the Women's Army Corps with which she served in the United States and overseas. She was associated with Hayes Book Shop during most of her residence in Southern Pines, before and after the war.

A native of Massachusetts, Major Richardson came to the Sandhills during the 1941 maneuvers as a member of the 101st Observation Squadron. He met his wife at that time and made lasting friendships in this area.

Major and Mrs. Richardson were married soon after the war and have lived since then at various Air Force bases in this country and overseas. He became ill while stationed in Germany, early this year. He had previously been stationed for some time in England.

Survivors of Major Richardson, in addition to his wife, were not known here today.

### FINAL EXERCISES

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ates "not to wonder why we have unexpected crosses, but rather learn how best to bear them."

The senior class night program, at which time students are recognized for outstanding accomplishments during their school years, was held Monday night. Following several selections by the school glee club, the following awards were made:

The Valedictorian Award and the Lutz Cleaner's Award were presented to Ann McDonald. The Salutatorian Award and the Lutz Cleaner's Award were presented to Clarie Wells.

Scholarship awards were presented to Earl Jones, freshman; Alice Hallman, sophomore, and Patricia Dowd, junior. The Eastern Star Award was presented to Ann McDonald.

Awards were given by First Baptist Church, Trinity A. M. E. Zion Church, Emmanuel Presbyterian Church and Refuge Church of Our Lord Jesus Christ to the graduates of their churches.

Oratorical Awards were given to Susan McNeill and Elizabeth Turner.

Certificates from the North Carolina Drama Association were presented to Ann McDonald, Pearl Gilchrist, Patricia Dowd, Parthenia McCall, Clarie Wells, Ronald Little, Pearlana Allmon, Lillie Caldwell and Julia Evans. The Quality Shop in Aberdeen, gave an award of merchandise to Peggy Reed for courtesy and good citizenship; citizenship medals were given to Marion Kelly and Albert Ray also.

Herbert Covington received a war bond for his unselfish and faithful services rendered in driving the activity bus and the school bus, and Lillie Caldwell also received an award for faith-

ful services rendered the school. Athletic awards went to Parthenia McCall, Patricia Murphy and Richard Hill, for the outstanding record they made for the school in athletics during the past year. Two grade mothers, Mrs. Eva Stucky McNeill and Mrs. Mary Hallman received gifts for services rendered the school during the year.

The Golden Leaf Club of the Trinity Methodist Church gave Shirley Allen an award for her outstanding leadership qualities, and for her loyal services rendered. Lillie Caldwell received the Culbreth Award, presented annually by Mrs. Graham Culbreth, for her outstanding leadership qualities.

The Rotary Award was presented to Richard Hill by J. B. Perkinson, Rotary President, for outstanding improvements made over the school year.

The Music Award for excellence in band was presented to James Turner. Braxton Hill was given the Lions Club award for his achievement in music.

Those taking part on the class night program included Clarie Wells, salutatory; Lillie Caldwell, class history; Pearlana Allmon, class will; Barbara Baldwin, class oration; Shirley Allen, class prophecy; Charles Ellerbe, class poem; Barbara Baldwin, solo; Julia Evans, advice to juniors; Verlena McLeod, presentation of key to juniors; Patricia Dowd, acceptance of key; Pearl Gilchrist, presentation of gifts; Ann McDonald, valedictory; and the presentation of the awards by J. W. Moore.

Graduates were Herbert D. Covington, Hubert G. Covington, Charles Everitt Ellerbe, George Henry Evans, Jr., Robert Alfred Garner, Jr., Charles Thero Gay, William H. Hallman, June Hill, Richard Hill, Jr., William Person, Jr., Shirley Allen, Mickey Allmon, Barbara Iris Baldwin, Lillie Mae Caldwell, Julia Cynthia Evans, Geraldine Gilchrist, Cynthia Ann McDonald, Lendell McLeod, and Clarie Claudette Wells.

Following the presentation of diplomas A. C. Dawson, superintendent of the Southern Pines school system, spoke briefly to the graduates.

### FORD FOUNDATION

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interior decorating.

Proposals and estimates have been received on a number of these projects, Mr. Howerton said. The flexibility of the Ford grant was indicated in the foundation announcement which permitted the hospital to use its gift in any area of hospital service, including, for example, attainment of accreditation, disaster planning, mental illness, prematurity, rehabilitation, handicapped children, preventive or diagnostic services, outpatient care, or any other area which in the opinion of the hospital's governing board would best service its community.

The ways in which this goal could be reached were stated as improvement of or addition to facilities or services, additions to or training of personnel, or conducting research.

Jack M. Taylor, president of Moore County Hospital, hailed the gift as "one of the greatest votes of confidence ever placed in our voluntary hospital system. It now becomes our duty to see that this money is put to the best possible use for the benefit of our people."

"The modern hospital is a tremendously complex center of health services. Its responsibility is to keep pace with medical science so that the accomplishments of the scientists are translated into patient care. The financial problems of hospitals have grown particularly acute during the past decade. It has become increasingly difficult to find the funds to improve and extend our services to the extent possible in the light of our present knowledge. The Ford gift permits us to do things which we undoubtedly could not have done without the foundation's generosity."

Dr. Edwin L. Crosby, director of the American Hospital Association, said in Chicago that "the grants should be considered 'seed money,' money which, if wisely expended, will bring greater community understanding of total hospital needs and greater support for their solution. The Ford grants are munificent indeed but they cannot meet the total needs of our community hospitals."

H. Rowan Gaither, Jr., president of the Ford Foundation, said in New York: "The trustees of the Ford Foundation seriously considered requiring matching funds for the December grants, but decided not to do so on the grounds that it might precipitate a disorderly scramble and chaotic competition in fund-raising and that this might in the end delay rather than hasten effective results. The foundation's recent grants are therefore not matching grants. But we hope they may be regarded as challenge grants, by those who traditionally support the institutions receiving them."

### SHERIFF McDONALD

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Club was made and indicated that no severe damage had been done by recent bad weather. The other shrubbery and plantings around the house are also in good condition, it was reported.

Edwin McKeithen, chairman of the association's committee on county history, reported that he had seen galley proofs of the "History of Moore County," and that the book should be ready for distribution sometime in June. The book has been one of the primary projects of the association and should add greatly to its work, Mr. McKeithen said.

The possibility of charging an admission to the Alston House in the future was discussed. Members felt that a certain income would be required in order to maintain the house properly and that an admission fee of probably fifty cents would take care of any needed repairs and upkeep. Nothing definite was decided on, although the members felt that the admission charge would be adopted soon.

Small repairs to the Shaw House in Southern Pines was discussed. The house, now closed for the summer, would be repaired during the summer months.

Mrs. William Tufts of Pinehurst and Mrs. Ed Schneider of Southern Pines agreed to be in charge of the Shaw House Committee for the next year.

### SANDHILL PEACH

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comment this morning. It is known, however, that he supported and worked for the passage of the referendum.

Clarence Black, head of the Sandhills Research Station near Candor, one of the state's principal offices for peach experimental work, said the passage of the referendum was a "big thing for the growers." It would, he added, be a tremendous aid in marketing crops if everyone in the business cooperated.

Black said that the crop this year is expected to be about 65 per cent in the area.

### 37 SENIORS

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The author of several books and articles on religion, Dr. Hutson attended Wofford College, received his divinity degree at Duke University, and his Ph.D. at the University of Chicago. Last year he received an LL.D. at Wofford.

Norris L. Hodgkins, member of the school board, will present the diplomas. The benediction will be given by Father Peter M. Denges.

The high school marching band will play several numbers during the program.

Honor graduates of the Class of 1956 are Robert Edward Cline, valedictorian, and William Howard Marley, salutatorian.

Cline, son of Mr. and Mrs. John

Cline of Valley Road, is the first honor graduate. He has been president of the student council during the past year and a member of the Beta Club for two years. He has won letters in football, basketball, and baseball all three years at the school and is considered one of the school's all-time great athletes. He has served as marshal at graduation three years, last year as chief. He is planning to attend Duke University and study medicine.

Marley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marley of Knollwood Apartments, has also achieved an enviable record at the school. He has been a marshal for three years, played basketball, football and baseball, winning letters in all three, and is a member of the Beta Club. He is also an Eagle Scout. He plans to attend North Carolina State College and major in engineering.

Those to receive diplomas are: Betty Jo Swearingen Barron, Betty Jean Blackmon, Barbara Thomas Brewer, Carol Jung Bristol, Betty Jo Britt, Robert Edward Cline, Winfred Allen Cox, Jacqueline Inez Davenport, Joe Frank Diggs.

Barbara Sherer Goodwin, Deryl Burdon Holiday, Robert Guthrie Kennedy, Paul Kinnison, Jr., William Howard Marley, Patricia Anne Morrison, Malcolm David MacCallum, Jr., James Clarence McDonald, Joseph Ray McDonald.

Frances Marie Nall, Richard Jeffrey Parshley, Bynum George Patterson, Julian McIver Pleasants, James William Prim III, Fay Ludlum Ratledge, John Charles Ray, Claude Elson Reams, Jr., John Leon Seymour.

Francis Michael Short, Herman Smith, Frances Pearl Stoots, Margaret Carolyn Thomas, Matthew Joseph Toia, Jr., Ann Calais Vann, John Wilbert Watkins, John Moore White, Barbara Ann Williams.

Marshals, chosen on a basis of scholarship, are Thomas Vann, chief, Joan Howarth, Lucy McDaniel, Anike Verhoeff, John Chappell, Ray Daeke, Mary Louise McDonald, Beth Turner, Nancy Jo Traylor, Dorothy Thomas and Margaret Smith.

The commencement program has been dedicated by the seniors to Miss Polly Miller, senior class advisor.

### Home Demonstration Club News

Roseland Club

During the month of May special recognition is given throughout the nation to Home Demonstration Clubs so we think it fitting to say what membership in the clubs means or can mean to every woman. Most clubs are made up of rural women, but those living in towns will find it very much worth their while too.

Soon after moving to this community five years ago, I joined the Roseland Home Demonstration Club and through it became acquainted with almost every woman in my neighborhood. Otherwise, today there would still be many I'd hardly know by sight.

Through Miss Flora McDonald's fine talks and demonstrations I have learned better ways of canning, freezing and sewing. Lessons on home beautification, house furnishings, gardening and many, many new recipes for cooking have made country living better and much more interesting. I have learned many things about parliamentary procedure, and when called upon to conduct a meeting I can do so without too many qualms.

Club members have a great opportunity, too, to help their communities in many projects, both economically and socially. We are much concerned with the Polio Fund, the Cancer and Red Cross drives and give of our money and time.

Perhaps country women appreciate the social part of the meetings as much as any other. It's good to talk and sing and enjoy refreshments together—little bits of recreation give us new vim with which to attack our never-ending routine tasks. In August, and December the meetings are

given over entirely to family picnics and parties.

Club membership to me means learning by seeing, hearing and doing; a fuller social life and opportunity to help the community, the state and the nation.—By Mrs. W. R. Robeson, Jr., publicity chairman, Roseland Home Demonstration Club.

Cranes Creek Club

One of the many ways that Home Demonstration work helps the women in their clubs is by training leaders. At one time there were no meetings held by leaders. Project leaders were urged to attend training meetings held in the county by the home agent and extension workers. These meetings helped to promote the growth of leader work in the separate clubs.

After attending the training schools conducted by the home demonstration agent and extension specialist these leaders hold four or more of the regular meetings a year. This provides more time for the home agent to work in unorganized communities.

It was at the May meeting of the Cranest Creek Home Demonstration Club that one of these meetings was held and the lesson on "Salads" was given by the foods and nutrition leader. She discussed the food value of salads and their place in the menu. Rules were given for making salads more attractive and have better taste appeal. Types of salad dressing and how these may be varied to suit the individual taste was also discussed.

A delicious salad was served the club members by the hostess, Mrs. J. Abner Thomas, at the close of the meeting.—By Mrs. R. R. Thomas, Publicity Chairman, Cranest Creek Club.

### KITCHIN SCORES

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gin was 2,972 votes. Deane also took six counties, including heavily populated Davidson, but the vote was too light to offset Kitchin's margins elsewhere.

In Moore County the final tally was 2,226 for Deane to 1,780 for Kitchin. Deane carried 10 of the 17 precincts, and in one, Spencerville, it was a tie with both candidates getting 31 votes.

Deane won in Bensalem, East Carthage, West Carthage, Deep River, Ritters, Robbins, Southern Pines, Pinebluff, Pinehurst and Vass-Lakeview.

Kitchin took Aberdeen, Eureka, Highfalls, Spies and West End. Kitchin's biggest margin in the county was in Aberdeen where he polled 174 votes more than Deane. In Southern Pines, however, Deane won out by 174 votes.

Kitchin, member of a long-time political family making his first bid for public office, said he ran on a platform of a "general nature," and that the campaign he waged was "quiet and mostly a hand-to-hand type thing. No issues actually arose, neither of us made political speeches, engaged in a debate, appeared on television, or otherwise campaigned against each other."

Kitchin will face Fred Myers, North Wilkesboro Republican nominee, in the general elections in November. His election is virtually assured.

Deane issued the following statement after conceding the election to Kitchin: "I have extended my congratulations to Mr. Kitchin. He and the entire Democratic ticket will receive my full support in November."

"The campaign that ended yesterday was a challenge to me. I tried to conduct the campaign with the needs of the whole country in mind. There is a great deal of confusion these days. I do not want to add to this confusion but to try to be a part of the answer. I have no regrets.

"To the people of my district, whom I have had the honor to represent for nearly ten years, I am sincerely grateful. I express deep appreciation to all the people who expressed their faith in me, not only by their vote but by their tireless efforts in my behalf.

"I want to continue to seek, in all I do, to build unity in our district and our State. To this end I pledge myself."

Other unofficial results in the district: For Governor—Hodges, 3,423; Sawyer, 217; Earle, 198; Stokely, 109.

For Lt. Governor—Barnhardt, 1,672; Edwards, 1,401; Hood, 457;

Brewer, 345; Whitfield, 140. For Commissioner of Agriculture—Ballentine, 3,014; Gray, 671.

For Commissioner of Insurance—Gold, 2,854; Frederick, 684. For Commissioner of Labor—Crane, 1,515; Lambeth, 1,300; Farlow, 632.

For U. S. Senator—Ervin, 3,112; Kurfees, 552.

### TOWN BUDGET

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were moved Wednesday to the former WEBB studios on N. E. Broad St. and nothing but some folding chairs was left in the council's meeting room. The town officials sat around on these in a semi-circle Wednesday night, with records and papers held on their laps or placed on the floor beside their chairs.

Decision to try to get the street sweeper came after Mr. Cunningham told the council that purchase of the machine could cut three laborers off the payroll. He said keeping the streets clean with hand brooms and a truck now takes about "four man years" of labor annually and costs about \$8,000.

The \$2,000 increase in the town promotion and advertising budget was made on an experimental basis for one year. And the fund, as specified in the motion, is only to be used when an equal amount is paid into the publicity fund by private interests. The full \$2,000 that would be contributed by private businesses must be paid in by October 1.

By agreement with the private interests, the fund would be administered by the city manager in consultation with a committee on which both the council and the private interests would be represented.

Purpose for which the joint town and private fund would be used is to "finance town promotional activities," which does not confine its use strictly to seasonal matters. The joint fund would contain \$2,000 from the town and \$2,000 from private interests, but the \$500 already in the budget as first presented would be left there to help pay for certain other promotion projects which the town is regularly called on to help with, such as the downtown Christmas lights.

The council discussed complaints about trash blowing off private trucks enroute to the landfill on Morganton Road. Papers, boxes and other trash frequently fall off vehicles while they are passing the town cemetery, making the area there unsightly, it was noted.

The city manager was directed to confer with Police Chief C. E. Newton to work out some method of stopping this nuisance.

A pay increase for all town employees, which is included in the new budget and will take effect July 1, was approved separately Wednesday night.

Under the new pay schedule heads of departments and all police officers will get raises of \$20 per month. Other administrative personnel will get increases of \$10 per month. Laborers will receive 10 cents more per hour.

Although he had requested no increase in salary for himself, City Manager Cunningham was given an increase of \$21 per month.

### HAYES FIRM

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lina Prison Department which has standards that must be met in all newly constructed jail buildings. Council has previously agreed that a one-story structure is desirable in view of the number of elderly people in Southern Pines.

While no architectural style was specified by the council in employing the architect, Mr. Cunningham said that the council wants a building that the people of Southern Pines will like. He summarized discussions he and the council have had on the matter by saying they have in mind a building that would be neither coldly modern nor a rubber stamp of Colonial architecture elsewhere. "We are hoping for some-

thing warm and something unique to Southern Pines," he said, "but a building that will harmonize with other buildings here. It's quite an order for an architect to fill."

Mr. Cunningham said that public advertisement for bids on demolishing the present town hall probably would be made in The Pilot next week. Bids would be opened about a week after the publication of the advertisement next Thursday, he said.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a performance bond of no less than \$1,000, to assure faithful performance of the contract and to indemnify the town against damage to trees or other damages.

The contract will require that the old house be demolished and that all material be removed completely from the site, the manager said.

### Salute To USAF Planned June 15 At Country Club

The "salute" planned by the Chamber of Commerce for officers and their wives at the Air-Ground School will be held June 15, it was announced today by members of the committee sponsoring the event.

The announcement said the program would be held at the Southern Pines Country Club, beginning at 7 p.m., and would include a cocktail party, dinner and entertainment.

Various business men in the town will be assigned an officer and his wife for the night and will escort them to the club.

The program was planned by the Chamber of Commerce as a gesture of friendship to the Air-Ground School.

### County's Schools Get \$190,000 In ABC Profits

A total of \$190,000, representing profits of the Moore County ABC stores during the past year, has been remitted to the county, according to a report filed today by L. J. Hinson, secretary of the ABC board.

The money is earmarked for use in the school systems in the county.

Hinson also reported that to date the county has received a total of \$2,168,500 since the inauguration of the board in 1955.

Total sales for the twelve months (ending March 31) were \$1,661,001.90. Of this amount the State Department of Revenue received \$159,000.53 in taxes and the Federal government received approximately \$745,000 in taxes.

In the report, which was made to the county Board of Health, Board of Education and the Board of Commissioners, Hinson said that the ABC officers, headed by C. A. McCallum, made 163 arrests during the year. Only four were acquitted. Fines in the cases amounted to \$8,675.

The officers also seized 203 gallons of whiskey and 18 cases of beer, destroyed 19 stills and 1,885 gallons of mash. In addition to their work with the ABC board, the officers assisted local and federal officers in allied work.

Cross streets in crosswalks—don't cross intersections diagonally.

Since 1950, the number of farms in the United States has dropped 600,000.

### PILOT ADVERTISING PAYS

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DANIEL WEBSTER STRAIGHT BOURBON WHISKEY 86 PROOF 245 PINT 7 YEARS OLD BOTTLED BY J. A. DOUGHERTY'S SONS, Inc. Distillers Philadelphia, Pa.

### With The Armed Forces

Pvt. Lendon E. Spivey, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Madison Spivey, Route 1, Carthage, is playing softball in Korea for Company K of the 7th Infantry Division's 31st Regiment.

Spivey, a rifleman in the company, entered the Army in June, 1955, and completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C.

Specialist Third Class John M. McKinney, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McKinney, Sr., Carthage, recently completed an annual training test with his battalion on the Island of Hawaii.

McKinney's unit, the 3d Battalion of the 25th Infantry Division's 35th Regiment, used the combat techniques it learned during the year.

McKinney, a squad leader in the regiment's Company L, entered the Army in November, 1954, and completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C. He attended Appalachian State Teachers College.

Raleigh E. Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil P. Clark of Southern Pines, was promoted to Engineman first class, USN, recently.

He is serving at the U. S. Naval Station Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, advanced bases in the Caribbean for the training of ships and aircraft squadrons of the Fleet, the station has been in operation since 1903 when it was obtained from the Cuban Government under a treaty-lease agreement.

Pfc. Grover E. Goins, 23, whose wife, Mary, lives near Candor, recently completed his annual training in individual combat weapons at Fort Sill, Okla.

Goins, a cannoneer in the 2nd Field Artillery Battalion's Battery A, fired the M-1 rifle, carbine, 3.5 rocket launcher and the .30 and 50 cal. machine guns.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Goins, Route 1, Jackson Springs, he entered the Army in February, 1953.

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