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The local Pony League team has won the Moore County championship. Story, photo on page 13.

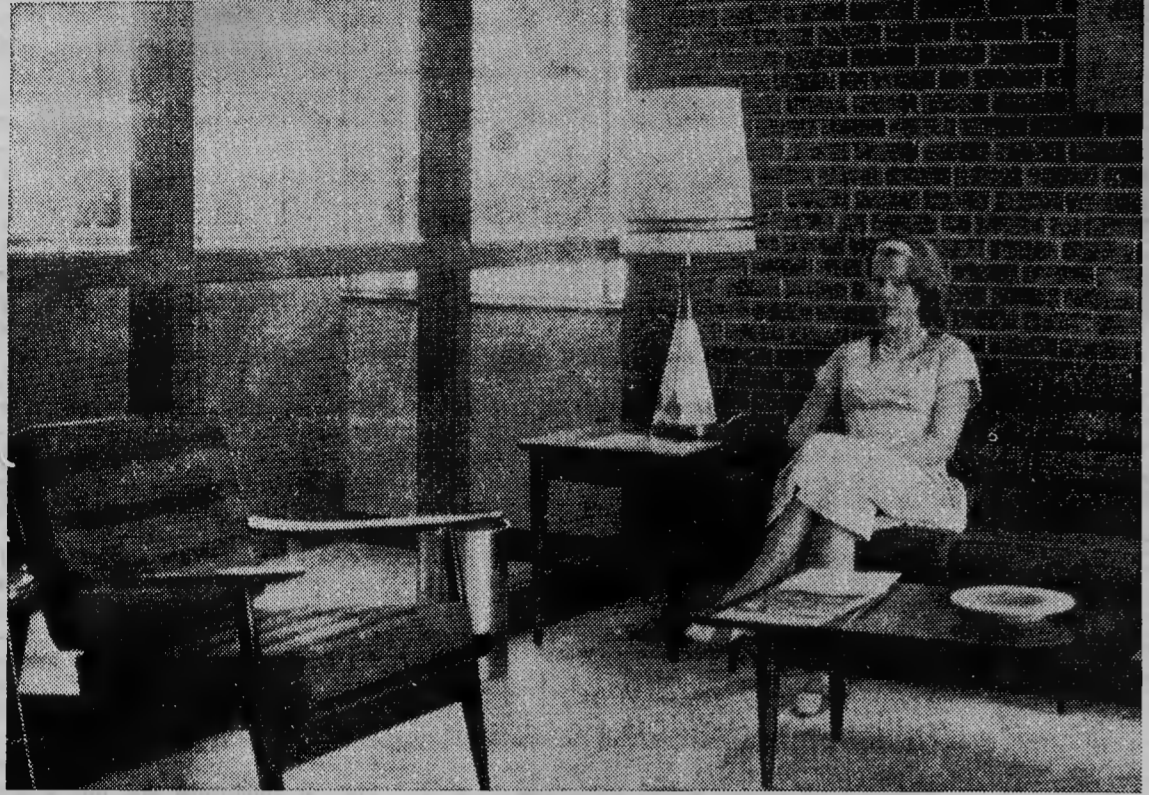
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AT TOWN HALL—Mrs. Grady Butler who was recently employed as administrative secretary at the town office, is pictured with furniture installed this week in the heretofore empty entrance lobby. The main office is behind glass partition at left. There had previously been no such facilities in the building for persons waiting to see a town official or conduct business in the office. Mrs. Butler, replacing Mrs. Richard Mattocks who resigned to enter private employment, is the former Geraldine Buchanan of Oregon. Her husband, a native of Hoke County, is employed by Montgomery Dairy Products, Inc. They have three young sons. (Pilot photo)

Ronald Maness Is State Winner In 4-H Demonstration

Ronald Maness, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Maness, Jr., of Route 1, Carthage, was State winner in the entomologist demonstration during 4-H Club Week in Raleigh last week.

More than 1,200 young people from North Carolina's 100 counties convened for competition in various fields of project activity. Maness won a wrist watch for his achievement.

Moore County 4-H members participating in State contests also were Linda Maness, dress revue; D. A. and Diana Cockman, poultry marketing; D. A. Cockman and Sandra Stanley, Moore County Health King and Queen, with D. A. winning a blue ribbon in the finals.

The delegates were accompanied by Mrs. Macel Hussey, community 4-H Club leader; Mrs. Mary B. Mooney, assistant home economics agent; and Garland D. McCullen assistant agricultural extension agent.

POWER INTERRUPTION
An electric power interruption in all of Pinehurst will take place Wednesday, August 7, between 2 and 3 p. m., so that Carolina Power & Light Co. can make repairs in its lines.

NEW GOLF EVENT SET AUG. 17-18

The Sir Walter Kiwanis Club of Raleigh this week announced its sponsorship of the first annual Invitational Golf Tournament for Kiwanis Charities, to be played at the Whispering Pines Country Club August 17-18.

Limited to the first 200 entries and offering prizes, silver and golf merchandise worth about \$1,500, the 36-hole event will be played in 10 flights.

Entry applications should be sent to P. O. Box 6152, Raleigh. A \$15 entry fee covers all green fees, social hour and dance.

Whispering Pines, located a few miles north of Southern Pines, has a Pinehurst mail address.

Hafeli, Woodward In Golfing Finals

George Hafeli of Southern Pines and Bill Woodward of Robbins will tee off at Whispering Pines Country Club Sunday in the championship flight of the annual Moore County Golf Tournament.

Final round play in this and seven other flights must take place by Sunday when trophies will be presented at 6 p. m., to be followed by a barbecue supper for contestants and guests at the lakeside picnic area.

DR. LAKE TO PREACH
Dr. Julian Lake, pastor of Brownson Memorial Presbyterian Church, who is on vacation, will return here to preach at the church's 11 a. m. service Sunday.

WARNING: DON'T HARVEST TOO SOON

County's Tobacco Crop Looking Good; 75% Of Growers Planted New Variety

Barring of tobacco is well under way in Moore County, with prospects that there will be plenty of good leaf to sell by September 3, tentative opening date of the Aberdeen and Carthage markets, according to F. D. Allen, county extension chairman.

"The crop as a whole looks very good, though in some areas it isn't as good as we would like to see it," he said. "However, most of the county has had good rain and the tobacco is well-grown and healthy and looks as though it is going to be the kind the buyers like."

About 75 per cent of the Moore crop is in Coker 319, a new variety this year. Concerning the willingness of growers to plunge heavily into something new, Allen commented, "That is typical in Moore. Our farmers are extremely broad-minded and progressive. They do not cling to the old when the new promises something better."

"It looks like Coker 319 has

everything, including all the attractiveness of Coker 316 but with the flavor and aroma which it lacked."

He emphasized that there is one danger with the new variety, that it might be harvested too soon—"It looks like it's ready and starts to turn yellow, but it isn't ready then. You have to wait until the leaves all fill out, otherwise it cures out slick and unattractive. If there's any doubt in your mind, wait. You can tell when it's really ripe," he counseled.

Moore county's 1962 crop averaged 1,870 pounds per acre, for a total of 9,155,581 pounds grown on 5,200 acres. This acreage comprised some 1,800 allotments belonging to about 1,600 growers. The number of growers has considerably decreased as many allotments have been pooled or transferred by the original owners.

Last year's crop sold for a total of \$5,684,900, at an average of 61 cents per pound.

Schools' Capital Outlay Allotted In County Budget

Formally adopting the \$1,471,240 county budget for 1963-64 without change, at a special meeting Wednesday afternoon of last week, the county commissioners also divided the capital outlay appropriation of \$460,115 for all schools among the county's three administrative units on a per capita basis.

All three of the school systems—Moore County, Southern Pines and Pinehurst—had requested considerably more. Their capital outlay budgets, termed "minimum requests" when presented last May, had totalled \$878,580. Capital outlay funds are used for building construction and major remodeling purposes.

The per capita worked out to \$47.95 for each of 9,596 schoolchildren in the entire county. This is the second year the county has allotted its capital outlay funds on a per capita basis.

The Moore County system had asked for \$507,580, of which \$457,480 was earmarked for the completion of Union Pines, the system's first consolidated high school. Numbering 7,023 pupils, it will get \$336,742, of which some \$300,000 will go to Union Pines, Supt. Robert E. Lee said this week. Other needs will have to be fitted into the remainder.

The Southern Pines administrative unit, which had sought \$302,000, of which \$207,000 would be used for completion of the West (Continued on Page 8)

Union Pines Bids To Be Discussed At Monday Meeting

The Moore County Board of Education, meeting Tuesday night with T. T. Hayes and Calvin Howell, architects, postponed till Monday action on bids received the previous week for completion of the Union Pines consolidated high school, between Carthage and Vass.

On Monday, the board will meet jointly with the county commissioners and the board of public health at the commissioners' regular meeting, to elect a new member to the county ABC board to fill the unexpired term of Jerry V. Healy, who died recently.

At this time, said Supt. Robert E. Lee, board members plan to discuss the bids with the commissioners and answer any questions they may wish to ask. Then, with the architects, they will go to the school site to make an inspection of the portion already built and decide which bids to accept in view of the funds available.

At last week's meeting, 19 bids were received in seven categories. The number was fewer, and some bids were higher, than had been anticipated. Categories covered were: structural and foundation, exterior walls, completion of cafeteria, gymnasium, music and dressing rooms, shop and auditorium. These would cost something over \$400,000 to complete.

With about \$300,000 available, the board still hopes to let enough contracts to be able to put the school plant in use in September, 1964.



READY FOR SERVICE—The ambulance of Moore County Rescue Unit No. 4, headquartered at Aberdeen, is ready for emergency service. The used Cadillac, completely equipped, was paid for with funds given by Powell Funeral Home of Southern Pines. Pictured with it above are several members and officers of Unit No. 4, which serves Southern Pines, Pinehurst and



Mrs. Jean Hubbard Starting Work As Moore Home Agent

Mrs. Jean McKinnon Hubbard starts work today as Moore County's new home economics agent, succeeding Miss Flora McDonald, who retired June 30 after 30 years' service in this position. As home agent, she will direct an extensive education and activity program for hundreds of rural women and 4-H Club girls.

Mrs. Hubbard has been serving in Montgomery County since October, 1954, first as assistant home agent and recently as associate home agent.

She is the wife of Robert Lewis Hubbard, who is employed at Candor. The Hubbards will move Saturday to Carthage from Mt. Gilead, where they have been making their home, and he will commute daily to his work. They have two children, Dorothy Jean, 16, and Robert, Jr., 15, who will attend Carthage High school.

A native of Mt. Gilead, Mrs. Hubbard is the former Jean McKinnon, who shares with many (Continued on Page 8)

Trooper Davis Is Going To Wilson

Roger L. Davis, State trooper who has been stationed at Carthage since August 1, 1962, is being transferred to Wilson after exactly one year's service in Moore County. Davis reports today to his new station.

In Moore County Recorder's Court at Carthage Monday, after testifying in several traffic cases in which he had made arrests, he gave evidence in three more which were continued, with Judge Rowe transcribing the testimony for use at a later date so the trooper would not have to return for them.

Library Work Bids To Be Opened On Tuesday

Bids on an addition and remodeling at the Southern Pines Library will be opened at the town offices at 2:30 p. m., Tuesday, August 6, it was announced this week.

Edmund J. Austin of Southern Pines is architect for the project which will be financed by \$25,000 in bonds approved by the town's voters last fall.

Growth, Other Factors Assure 7 New Teachers In School System Here

The 1963-64 state teacher allotment for Southern Pines Schools shows an increase of seven additional state-paid teachers over the 1962-63 allotment, Supt. James W. Jenkins said this week.

Record Entry In Sandhill Junior Net Tourney

More than 100 individual entries in the Junior Sandhills Invitational tennis tournament, starting today on the town courts, make it by far the largest in the 15-year history of the event.

Tournament Director John Williams is also the director of the town summer recreation program which co-sponsors the event with the Sandhills Tennis association.

The tournament opened with 37 entries in junior boys' singles (18 and under), 44 in boys' singles (16 and under), seven in junior girls' and 19 in girls'. A half-dozen boys are entered for both the junior and boys' events. Most of them are also entered for doubles in one or both events.

Local Players

Four local players, John McLaughlin and Jeff Donovan of Southern Pines and Kevin Gacomo and Charles Sneed of Pinehurst, are entered for boys' play, and six for girls', Mary McMillan, Janet Phillips, Scottie Lake, Maureen Hassenfelt, Susan Huntley and Sharon Shockley, all of Southern Pines.

The rest of the players come from Sanford, Raleigh, Greensboro, Durham, Charlotte, Winston-Salem, Goldsboro, Roxboro, Burlington, Statesville, Chapel Hill, Asheboro, Candor, Shelby, Cary, Lexington and Fort Bragg, in North Carolina; Greenville, Belton and Spartanburg, in South Carolina, with one entry each (Continued on Page 8)

MENTAL CLINIC ON 5-DAY WEEK

The Moore County Mental Health Clinic in the Matheson Memorial Building near St. Joseph's Hospital is now operating on a five-day week, Monday through Friday.

A psychiatric social worker, Mrs. Mark King, is on duty daily for consultation, screening patients and making appointments for the psychiatrist, Dr. Harvey D. Horne of Chapel Hill who visits the clinic on Mondays only.

Referrals are accepted from physicians, nurses, teachers, welfare workers, ministers and other professional people, as well as from employer or individuals seeking help for themselves.

Due to staff limitations, out-of-county patients cannot be accepted at this time. Appointments can be made by writing to the clinic or calling Southern Pines 695-7781.

increase since the 1948-49 school year. The increase includes both East and West Southern Pines schools.

Three factors are responsible for the increase, Mr. Jenkins said. First, funds were provided by the 1963 General Assembly which permit the allocation of one additional teacher for every 15 teachers, instead of one for 20 as in the previous biennium.

Second, funds were provided to revise the base teacher allotment formula to take into account incoming first graders and outgoing seniors, changes in population, and the "dropout factor." Southern Pines had only four percent of students dropping out last year.

Third, a definite increase in the local schools' average daily attendance—the true base for a year-by-year allotment.

The Southern Pines Board of Education, at its July meeting, decided to employ the extra teachers to take care of increased enrollment, to add extra courses, to provide a guidance counselor, and to reduce class size to make possible more individualized instruction.

Farmers Day Will Draw Thousands to Robbins Saturday

Robbins is anticipating the biggest Farmers Day Saturday in the eight-year history of this unique event, which each year draws increasing attendance from a widening area.

Curtis Hussey, wagon master, initiator and promoter, estimates there will be 250 entries in the Grand Parade this year—"all of last year's and then some."

They will form a parade of old wagons, carriages and buggies brightly refurbished for Farmers Day, horses, riders and livestock. The parade will start at 10 a.m.

Wayland Kennedy, general chairman of the community's Farmers Day cooperation, said this year those entering the parade are invited to come the day before and spend the night, camping out in the old-time way on the wooded town park. Lights and water are close at hand, ice water will be provided in tanks, and the area is accessible to the downtown district where all family needs may be filled.

With an estimated 10,000 attending last year and many more expected this year, parking is a major concern of the committee. The task has been handed over to the Moore County Rescue Squad, along with their prime duty of first aid.

The Rescue Squad and also the Jaycees are giving away ponies in drawings—the Jaycees with a pony cart, and the Rescue Squad with a saddle.

Trophies will be awarded in nine categories: best team of horses, best team of mules, best riding horse, best working horse, best individual mule, best colt, best pony, best rig and oddest rig. At least 20 mare and colt entries are expected.

Many of the visitors will as usual enter into the spirit of the day by appearing in old-time garb, including authentic costumes of another day.

TO PLAY SANFORD

A Southern Pines Little League team is scheduled to play a Sanford LL team at the park on Morganton Rd. at 7 p. m. Saturday. The game was rained out last night.

The local boys beat Sanford 5-4 at Sanford Monday. Details on page 5.

THE WEATHER

Maximum and minimum temperatures for each day of the past week were recorded as follows at the U. S. Weather Bureau observation station at the W. E. B. studios on Midland Road.

	Max.	Min.
July 25	84	56
July 26	92	68
July 27	94	64
July 28	93	73
July 29	88	65
July 30	88	69
July 31	90	67