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Moore Group At Conference About CD Preparedness

County and municipal officials from Moore, Lee, Montgomery, Chatham, Orange, Durham and Wake Counties met last night (Wednesday) at the Wilrick Hotel in Sanford, for a conference on Emergency Preparedness, sponsored by the University of North Carolina Extension Division.

Lee County and the Town of Sanford were hosts at dinner preceding the program. While county, town and school officials were specially urged to attend, the conference was open to all interested persons.

Main speakers were UNC Law School Professor Seymour W. Wurfel, Duke University Safety Officer Conrad Knight and Major Gen. Edward F. Griffin, State Civil Defense director.

Purposes of the conference were:

To explain current Civil Defense policies and programs.

To clarify the legal and moral responsibilities in this field.

To expand understanding of the National Shelter Program.

And to promote cooperation and coordinated planning within the state.

UNC is one of 50 state universities which has been awarded a contract of the Office of Civil Defense to conduct a series of training courses and conferences throughout the state.

Attending from Moore County were: Col. A. M. Koster of Southern Pines, county Civil Defense director; County Commissioners J. M. Pleasants of Southern Pines and Lynn Martin of Eagle Springs; W. J. Wilson, representing Pinehurst, Inc.; Lane Bullock, CD director at Vass; Col. Jack (Continued on Page 8)

Teachers To Hear Officials Of NEA

Dr. Robert W. Eaves of Washington, D. C., executive secretary, Department of Elementary Principals of the National Education Association, will be guest speaker at a joint meeting of the Southern Pines and Pinehurst units of the North Carolina Education Association, Tuesday. The dinner meeting will be held at Sanders Whispering Pines Restaurant on No. 1 highway, north, at 6:30 pm.

Dr. A. C. Dawson of Raleigh, NCEA executive secretary and former superintendent of schools here, will introduce the speaker. Among the invited guests is Bert Ishee, NEA director for the central district of NCEA, who is principal of Alexander Graham Junior High School, Fayetteville.

Younts Heading AP Broadcasters

Jack S. Younts of Southern Pines, president and owner of Sandhills Community Broadcasters (Radio Station WEEB) here, was elected president of the North Carolina Associated Press Broadcasters in a meeting of the group at Durham, Monday.

Mr. Younts, who had served during the past year as vice president of the Broadcasters, also is president and principal owner of Radio Station WUSM at Havelock. He has owned and operated the station here since 1947.

The N. C. Associated Press Broadcasters, with a membership of over 100, represents radio and television stations using the AP news service.

Woodmen Install Officers For '65

Officers of a reorganized Woodmen of the World Camp here were installed at a meeting Thursday night of last week in the Woodmen Hall.

The officers are: D. P. Black, council commander; Harold Warner, past council commander; Dalton McNeill, advisor lieutenant; Theron Thomas, escort; W. H. Hicks, banker; J. W. Cook, watchman; Larry McRae, sentry; Barney Koonce, camp sentry; and James E. Sessoms, Bruce Medlin and Roy Newton, auditors.

The Camp will hold meetings on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month.



PRESENTATION—Key figures in Monday night's presentation of the Distinguished Service Award of the Southern Pines Junior Chamber of Commerce are shown here with some of their employers who attended as honored guests in the "Bosses' Night" feature of the DSA banquet. Left to right: W. B. McGowen, Central Division sales manager, Carolina Power & Light Co.; Robert C. Bishop, commercial superintendent, United Telephone Company of the Carolinas; Fred W. Teeter, Jr., winner of the DSA award, president of the local Jaycees and marketing supervisor, United Telephone Co.; Bobby L. Montague, 1st vice president of the Jaycees and heating and cooling specialist with

CP&L's Central Division office here, making the presentation; John M. Bigbee, vice president and chief engineer, United Telephone Co.; Norris L. Hodgkins, Jr., maker of the keynote address and a former winner of the DSA award, executive vice president of the Citizens Bank and Trust Co. of Southern Pines; Michael Hobbs; chairman of the banquet and program, for the Jaycees, and a Citizens Bank teller; and William P. Toney, a director of the Jaycees and assistant vice president of the Citizens Bank, who spoke the invocation Monday night.

(Humphrey photo)

Shaw House Will Open February 8; Hostesses Named

The Shaw House will open Monday, February 8 for the spring season according to Mrs. Ernest I. Ives, chairman of the committee in charge of this project of the Moore County Historical Association.

The Shaw House at the corner of S. W. Broad St. and Morganston Road, is a restored home typical of early dwellings in the Sandhills. It will be open to visitors daily except Sunday, from noon until 5 pm. Luncheon and tea will be served and special parties and bridge luncheons may be arranged. All proceeds go toward the upkeep of the house and grounds.

Mrs. A. Mangum Webb, who is in charge of hostesses, announces that the following are among those who have volunteered to serve: Mrs. George N. Adams, Mrs. Sherwood Brockwell, Jr., Mrs. W. Lamont Brown, Miss Gussie Cameron, Mrs. Ronald J. Christie, Mrs. Edwin A. McCluer, Mrs. Fred Conkey, Mrs. D. L. McGoogan, Mrs. D. W. Heppes, Mrs. Robert C. Heyl, Mrs. Bradley Hurd.

Also, Mrs. Sydney G. Jackson, Mrs. Robert P. Keeth, Mrs. Lawrence Kempf, Mrs. B. Porter Kuszmaul, Mrs. Joseph P. Marley, Mrs. John A. McPhaul, Mrs. A. E. Rhinehart, Mrs. Leonard Sain, Miss Emile May Wilson, Mrs. Jeannette Walls, Mrs. Clark Worth and Mrs. J. S. Younts.

Mrs. A. P. Thompson of Pinehurst, is vice-chairman of the Shaw House committee and Mrs. Edward Schneider is treasurer.

HORSE SHOW, SUNDAY

There will be another in the series of Mid-South Schooling Horse Shows this Sunday, beginning at 1:30 pm, at Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Grey's Economy Farm, ring. There is no entry fee or spectator charge.

Time Grows Short For Buying Town Licenses For Automobiles And Dogs

Police Chief Earl S. Seawell this week reminded local motor vehicle owners and dog owners that they must meet town licensing requirements. The two laws apply to all persons whose residence is within the town limits, he said.

Car tags, costing \$1, are on sale at the Information Center. They must be on vehicles by February 15—the same deadline as that for 1965 state license plates. The Information Center is open six days a week from 9 a.m. to 12 noon, and each afternoon from 1 to 5, except Wednesday and Saturday.

Dog tags, costing \$1 for a male or spayed female and \$2 for a female, must be purchased at the police station and fixed to the dog's collar before the end of January. The police station is

HONORED BY LOCAL JAYCEES

Teeter Wins DSA Award

Fred W. Teeter, Jr., president of the Southern Pines Junior Chamber of Commerce and marketing supervisor with United Telephone Company of the Carolinas at the company's headquarters office here, received the Distinguished Service Award of the local Jaycees, Tuesday night.

The award, recognizing both community service and personal success in business by a young man (35 or under) in Southern Pines, was presented by Bobby L. Montague, first vice president of the Jaycees, who described the

Memorial Chairs Given To Library; 26 In All Needed

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The Southern Pines Library is receiving donations with which to buy chairs for its new rooms, given as personal memorials, with a brass plate listing the honored person's name to be affixed to each chair.

Mrs. Stanley Lambourne, librarian, said this week that seven of 26 needed chairs have been given, at \$25 per chair.

Library trustees reminded the public that the library operated for many years under voluntary support before it was taken over by the town and that the currently needed donations are in the tradition of the library's operation here.

The chair donors and persons honored so far in the project are: two by Mrs. T. T. McLane and one by Mrs. Ernest L. Ives, the person honored to be determined later; three in memory of Harry M. Vale, Jr., given by Mr. and Mrs. David A. Drexler, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Flory and Miss Lockie Parker; and one by Mrs. L. L. LaMarche and Miss Jane LaMarche, in memory of Col. Logan L. LaMarche.

Little Symphony Heard By Negro School Children

The North Carolina Little Symphony Orchestra made its first visit to the Sandhills yesterday. Meeting at the gymnasium in West Southern Pines, the state orchestra played for the children of Moore County's Negro schools.

Ordinarily the orchestra plans its visit here to include all three concerts that are given each year under the sponsorship of the Sandhills Music Association. However this year, because of scheduling reasons, it was found necessary to split the visit, with the orchestra planning to return here on March 5 for the concert at the school auditorium in Aberdeen and the concert for the general public the same evening at Weaver Auditorium here.

All county Negro schools were represented at yesterday's hour-long recital. These were, besides the local school: Academy Heights, Pinehurst; Berkeley, Aberdeen; Davis, in upper Moore; Pinckney, Carthage; and Vineland, near West End.

According to the methods in order for the school children's program especially suited to their understanding and pleasure. Included were two of the "Let's-all-sing-together" numbers in which the audience as well as the orchestra takes part. That this was especially enjoyed by the participants was evident, by the whole-hearted singing of the students. The performance of "The Blue Bell of Scotland" on auto-

Award Presented To Hayes-Howell

Hayes-Howell & Associates, local architectural firm, was given an Award of Merit by the North Carolina Chapter of the American Institute of Architects, during a meeting of the chapter at the Jack Tar Hotel in Durham, last Friday night.

The award recognized the firm's design for the Whispering Pines Motor Lodge and Sanders Restaurant, a complex of buildings located off No. 1 highway, north.

Receiving the award and representing the firm at the meeting was Edison J. Willis, Jr., of Southern Pines.

Convicted Man Slips Away To Freedom After Trial In Carthage Courthouse

A 20-year-old Negro, sentenced to prison on three felony counts at Carthage Tuesday afternoon, shortly afterward walked undetected out of the courthouse to freedom.

He was missed within a few minutes and a search was begun. However, despite one of the most intensive manhunt ever staged in the area, by Thursday morn-

Officials To Study 3-Town Cooperative Water Supply Plan

Southern Pines, Aberdeen and Carthage town officials met here last night with consulting engineers and other interested persons to discuss a proposed linking of the water systems of the three communities. The proposal anticipates water needs of a wide area of the Sandhills over the next 20 years.

The special session of the town council brought together for the first time in public the mayors

and other representatives of the three towns, carrying forward informal discussions which have been taking place about the ambitious project. Aberdeen officials had met with the council here before, but all three towns had not taken the matter up together.

Mayor Norris L. Hodgkins, Jr., presided and all other members of the town council were present for the special meeting—Mayor Pro Tem Fred Pollard and Councilmen Felton Capel, C. A. McLaughlin and Harry Pethick, along with Town Manager F. F. Rainey, Town Attorney W. Lamont Brown and Mrs. Mildred McDonald, town clerk.

Representing Aberdeen were Mayor Earl Freeman and Water Commissioner Robert Farrell. From Carthage came Mayor Luke Marion and Water Commissioner Lloyd McGraw.

The result of last night's discussion—which was not expected to be final or conclusive—was that, on motion of Councilman McLaughlin, the local council voted that Mayor Hodgkins and Manager Rainey should meet with Aberdeen and Carthage officials and come back at a future time with definite proposals for consideration by the council.

On hand to provide technical information about the water capacities and needs of the area were Louis Wooten, Jr., and Willis Barlow, engineers with Wooten & Co., of Raleigh, consulting engineers for both Aberdeen and Southern Pines.

Also present and strongly endorsing any move that would provide Southern Pines with additional sources of water for future years—which he said would be needed here because of expanding population and industry—was Howard Butler of Southern Pines, water consultant for the Southern Railway and other corporations, for many years.

"Nothing will crucify a community more than lack of water," was his dramatic statement.

This doesn't mean, however, that the Sandhills faces a water shortage if available resources are, as the plan proposes, properly linked up and used. Mr. Butler gave his approval to working out such an arrangement. "You need to do something," he said, pointing out population and industrial growth in the Southern Pines area.

Here is the gist of the plan: Southern Pines would increase the capacity of its water filtration and purification plant, using a new type of equipment that is relatively economical to install but could cost up to \$100,000 to double its capacity from two million to four million gallons of water per day.

Two water lines, at an estimated cost of around \$225,000, would be run between the Southern Pines water treatment plant and (Continued on Page 8)

Public Housing Proposal Heard By Town Council

How Southern Pines can get government-constructed low-rent public housing, if the town chooses to cooperate with this nation-wide program, was outlined for the town council at a special meeting last night, by a representative of the Federal Public Housing Authority (FHA).

The council took no action last night, but agreed there is a need for such housing here.

Miss Frances Barrett of Atlanta, Ga., said that the type and size of housing units are based on the needs of the community, as determined from information furnished by the town and checked over, changed if necessary and approved by the federal agency.

Sites must be approved by the FHA, by a board of five local Housing Authority commissioners and by the town, she said.

Small town units are usually duplexes or sometimes single-family units. Special units for elderly persons may be built under the program, if the need is recognized. Units need not be constructed at a single site, she explained.

The commissioners would be locally chosen and the mayor would appoint a new commissioner to the group each year. The commissioners choose a professional executive director for the project, compensated on the basis of the number of units supervised. (Continued on Page 8)

Brush Fire Calls Out Volunteers Here Today

Volunteer firemen were called out about 12:30 pm today to fight a brush fire near the Trimble Products Co. plant.

A second alarm, sounding a few minutes later, summoned another truck which was needed to bring the fire under control.

The fire burned over an area of less than an acre, but, said firemen, could have done much more damage if not controlled.

Knights Booster Club Will Meet

The Southern Pines Blue Knights Booster Club will have a meeting at the East Southern Pines High School, Wednesday, February 3, at 8 pm.

John Mallow, club president, said that a treasury report will be given and plans for activities in the near future discussed.

The club, which invites new members to join, is composed of adults interested in the entire athletic program at East Southern Pines High School. The president said next week's meeting would be one of the most important of the school year and urged all members to attend.

PUBLIC WARNED ABOUT ESCAPER

Sheriff W. B. Kelly warns that no person is to harbor Henry T. Hoover, 20-year-old escaper, or to aid him in any way, under penalty of the law.

The sheriff also warned that the man is a "bad actor" and has a record of car theft and robbery.

He is described as a dark complexioned Negro of medium height and weight, and wore at the time of his escape a greenish-gray plaid jacket with round neck—no collar or lapels.

Anyone seeing him should notify the sheriff's office at Carthage or the nearest constable or policeman.

Morton Camellias To Be Shown At Library

Camellias from the Younts Road estate of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Morton will be on view at the Southern Pines Library during the first two weeks of February, Mrs. Stanley Lambourne, librarian, said this week.

The flowers have been shown there annually for several years, a custom begun by the late Harry M. Vale, Jr., former owner of the Morton property who cultivated a variety of rare and beautiful camellias, leaving the plants there when the property was sold.

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January 21	58	30
January 22	69	31
January 23	53	29
January 24	67	62
January 25	62	35
January 26	66	37
January 27	64	34

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