

JAMBOREE SHOW SET FOR TODAY

The first Spring Jamboree will be staged today at Thalian Hall with three full two-hour shows, with songs, comedy and music from start to finish.

The first show is scheduled to begin at 3:15 p. m., the second at 6:15 and the last tonight at 8:30 o'clock.

The "Cowboys" all are ready and rarin' to go, meaning the Carolina Play Boys, headed by Old Shep, along with Swinson, Jimmy, Roy Potter, Bill Hall, Indian Joe, Pete and Clarence Tate the wizard of the mandolin.

Victor Loman and his five-string banjo; the Blue Ridge Mountaineers; two Dixie Belles and many others will be on hand.

Happy Sam Fowler will take over the duties of master of ceremonies, and he'll have his trusty banjo with him.

All children will be admitted to the Jamboree on presenting a bundle of usable, out-grown clothing, which will be turned over to the United Clothing drive. Doors for the first performance will open at 2 p. m.

Hopkins Is Appointed Motor Club Official

The appointment of George L. Hopkins, of Charlotte, who has been a member of the Carolina Motor club staff for the past 17 years, to the newly-created position of assistant treasurer was announced yesterday by Coleman W. Roberts, president.

A native of Rochester, N. Y., Mr. Hopkins joined the Greensboro staff of the Carolina Motor club on June 4, 1928 as head of its finance department. He transferred to Charlotte in May, 1933.

JOHN H. DAVIS FOR COUNCILMAN

Born and raised in Wilmington and lived here all my life. I served the people of this community as an officer of the law for over thirty years in the capacity of policeman, constable, deputy sheriff and jailor. Naturally I stand for and will be for the best interest of my city and its people. I am for a fair and square deal for all. I believe in the beautification of our city and not the destruction of it. I believe in doing everything possible to encourage industries to come to our city and provide work for our people. Being a Councilman requires considerable time and I am in a position to give this. It was my duty and pleasure to safeguard the lives of 7,200,000 school children at 13th and Market streets. I am proud of my record. A vote for Wilmington's former traffic officer will certainly be appreciated.

Featured In Spring Jamboree



Heading the list of entertainers in the first Jamboree to appear at Thalian Hall this season are the Carolina Play Boys, who will do their best to make the show a success today. They are, left to right, bottom row, Bill Hall, Indian Joe; top row, Swinson, Old Shep, Jimmy and Slim.

SUGAR REGISTRARS ARE PRAISED HERE

Tribute to the volunteer service of about 100 patriotic women who, on April 18-20, gave their time to serve each day from 1 to 6 p. m. at the various sugar registration sites, was paid yesterday by officials of the New Hanover War Price and rationing board.

The work of receiving applications for sugar for home canning purposes was accomplished with greater convenience to the public than in previous years because the volunteer workers, officials said. The "sincere thanks of the community and of the War Price and Rationing board are due to these persons", officials said, and also to Ann Mason and Rebecca Lawrence, county home demonstration agents; Virginia Ward, community coordinator, whose assistance made possible the set-up of the organization; and Mrs. Pender Durham, who arranged for the use of the school sites.

The applications received during the registration will be processed and coupons mailed as promptly as possible by the food panel and the clerical staff of the board. Afterwards, dates will be announced for registration of those who will require sugar later or who failed to register at the initial sign-up.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY
LONDON, April 21.—(AP)—Princess Elizabeth celebrated her 19th birthday quietly today in the country with the king and queen as Britain buzzed with a disclosure hat tall, handsome 23-year-old Prince Philip of Greece had been a recent guest of the royal family.

BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

Prop Wash

By MEARES HARRISS

Once an experimenter built a hollow metal sphere on the periphery of which were two opposed curved jets, the globe slowly revolved. The experimenter was Hero, of Alexandria, and the date was 150 B. C.

The basic principle demonstrated is the same as that upon which the jet propulsion planes announced by the British and American governments in early 1944 utilized. In the aeolipile, as Hero called his device, steam rushing from the jets caused a reaction against the outside air. This is jet propulsion in its simplest form.

Many other inventors tried to move various devices with jet propulsion but it remained for the Italians to first succeed in flying with this motive power. In 1940, the Campinio-Caproni aviation interests succeeded in getting a jet propelled plane into the air and made a flight from Milan to Rome, approximately 200 miles at the disappointingly slow speed of 150 miles per hour. In 1942, the first American model was flown, powered by an engine invented by R. A. F. Captain Frank Whittle, in 1936.

Since then developments have hit a rapid stride and now speeds of 700 miles an hour and over are freely predicted by experts.

RECENT SOLES

Recent soles at the Pennington Flying Service's Carolina Beach airport are Ensign R. A. Yopp, April 5 E. H. White, April 7; Patrolman J. L. Flowers, April 9, B. H. Uptegrove, April 15, and W. H. Melvin, April 16.

SPOT LANDING CONTEST

Event of interest was the spot landing contest held at the Carolina Beach field for Solo Students April 14. Pilots vied with each other to see who could land closest to a predetermined mark on the airport without the use of the engine. This affords excellent practice in emergency landings should the motor fail the pilot. The winner was J. L. Craig, who landed 2 1/2 feet from the spot. Runner up was Roy Hobbs while Ensign R. A. Yopp, who only recently soloed, was shamed about missing by 250 feet. Similar contests are planned in the future.

Waters Jailed Here On Vagrancy Charge

H. H. Waters, of Warsaw, who was arrested here Feb. 2 after he allegedly attempted to shoot his wife at a crowded downtown corner, was back in New Hanover county jail yesterday, unable to produce \$6,000 bond.

Police said Waters was found Friday at the home of his estranged wife, Mrs. Irene B. Waters of 20 C Nesbitt Courts, and arrested on a technical charge of vagrancy, bond being set at \$1,000. Yesterday a peace warrant was sworn out against him and bond set in this connection at \$5,000.

A hearing in recorder's court Monday is expected to be held for Waters. He was fined \$100 and court costs in February.

Large Cut In Tanker Production Ordered

WASHINGTON, April 21.—(AP)—The Maritime Commission today ordered a 24 per cent cut in tanker construction.

Acting in the direction of the Office of War Mobilization and Reconversion, the commission cancelled contracts for 30 of 126 ships which had been scheduled in January.

The commission said it expects no cancellation of existing contracts for cargo vessels. It added that production of all types of merchant ships will amount to about 12,000,000 tons this year, as planned.

BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

Bell Named Director Of Insurance Company

Warren W. Bell, president of the Tide Water Power company, was named a member of the Board of Directors of the Carolina Insurance company at the annual meeting of the stockholders Thursday. Other local board members are E. M. Berry, Marsden Bellamy, C. McD. Davis, Howard A. Penton, S. Sternberger and Warren S. Johnson, all of Wilmington, J. A. Carruth of Charlotte, and R. P. Holding of Smithfield.

The board reported that 1944 was a "very successful and profitable" year.

POSTMASTERSHIP

WASHINGTON, April 21.—(AP)—The President has sent to the Senate the following nominations for postmasterships in North Carolina: Willie E. McGoogan, Lumber Bridge, N. C.

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I. O. O. F. OFFICIAL WILL CALL HERE

John W. Clapp of Burlington, grand secretary of the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will deliver an address on the history of the founding of Odd Fellowship in America at a meeting of Cape Fear Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F., on Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock in the lodge temple, Third and Princess streets.

Mr. Clapp has served twice as grand master of the order in the jurisdiction of North Carolina. He was representative to the Sovereign Grand Lodge for three terms and has served as secretary, the position he now holds, for the past 10 years.

David B. Jacobi, deputy grand master of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, will introduce the speaker. A program of entertainments will be given and refreshments served in the club room after the business session.

Members of the order are urged to be present, and visiting I. O. O. F. members in the community, especially those in the armed forces, are invited.

The 126th anniversary of the order is Thursday, April 26.

Burgaw Soldier Killed While Serving Overseas

BURGAW, April 21.—First Lt. William B. Simmons, Jr., was killed in Germany March 28, according to word received here by his wife, Mrs. Dorothy Davis Simmons, of Burgaw.

Lt. Simmons graduated from Yale University in 1942. He attended Officers' Candidate school at Camp Davis and received his commission March 4, 1943. He was sent overseas February 23, 1945 and became a platoon leader of the 80th Infantry Division of the Third Army March 16, a few days before his death.

Besides his wife, he is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Simmons, Sr., of Manhasset, Long Island, N. Y., and one brother, who is a prisoner of war in Germany.

JAP DRIVE HALTED

CHUNGKING, April 21.—(AP)—The Japanese drive on the 14th U. S. Air Base at Chihiang in Hunan province has been halted, a Chinese communique said today, and Chinese forces have pushed the enemy back more than 18 miles.

Will Call Here



The official visit to Cape Fear Lodge No. 2, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, of John W. Clapp of Burlington, grand secretary of the Grand Lodge of the I. O. O. F., will be made Tuesday night. Mr. Clapp will speak on the history of the founding of Odd Fellowship in America at a meeting at 7:30 p. m. in the lodge temple.

Relatives Of Prisoners Meet Here Monday Night

A meeting of relatives of American prisoners of war from New Hanover and adjoining counties, and Red Cross workers will be held at 8 p. m. Monday in St. James Great Hall, 314 Market street. Staff Sgt. William P. Holmes, Jr., who was recently liberated by the Russians from a German prison camp, will address the assemblage. A report from the Charleston meeting will be heard. Those who know prisoners of war and those who are especially interested are invited to attend.

WILLIE CARROLL

Willie Carroll, daughter of Sam and Priscilla Lamont, died in Philadelphia, Pa., Wednesday. The body will arrive here this afternoon with the burial services being held from St. Stephen's Negro church Monday at 4 p. m.

GOOD AMERICANS VOTE

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