

## LITTLE FOLKS IN PAGEANT THE SAND-CLAY ROADS

## They Contributed An Important Part To Annual Sandhills Fair

The little folks of the Community Pinehurst contributed an important part to the Sandhills Fair of October last; an annual event which bids fair to claim the attention of early season tourists, for well worth a special journey it is. ¶ Secretary Clyde L. Davis of the Board of Trade wrote the story in verse, wrote it mighty cleverly, and these children recalled the history of the section in the following characters:

Sir Walter Raleigh	Frank Page
Indian	Wimberly Bowman
Colonist	Cecil Ferrell
Highlander	James Fagan
Confederate Soldier	Melvin Creel
Lumberman	Kenneth Keith
Turpentine Hand	Elton Weldon
Tourist	Daniel Alfred
Farmer	Harold McKeithan
Virginia Dare	Miss Janet Leach

¶ Here's what Sir Walter Raleigh had to say by way of introduction, and it's suggestive of the entire story of several thousand words:

Used to farm in Kansas;  
Land was awful high;  
Kept a-gettin' poorer—  
Likewise so did I.  
Hard-pan reached the fence wires;  
Blizzards used to blizz;  
Frost would kill the orchard;  
Wife had rheumatiz.  
Season dry as brick dust—  
Three year in succession—  
Sold an' went to Dixie  
Bought a big plantation.

Land was rich as Croesus  
Raise most anything;  
Summers hot as Hades  
'Skeeters how they'd sting!  
Folks was mostly niggers.  
Ager pills was board,  
Not a decent school, ner  
Church to praise the Lord.  
Wife was gettin' homesick  
Dwellin' in a bog—  
Packed my household plunder  
Whistled fer the dog.

Comin' through the Sandhills  
Saw a painted sign:  
"Land is inexpensive,  
Socially we're fine;  
Best of health and climate  
Wondrous yields are made."  
Saw the Secretary  
Sand Hill Board of Trade.  
Bought a piece of farm land  
Worked to beat creation  
Fired a million questions at  
Th' farm association.

Wouldn't sell fer money  
Health is simply great  
Fortune comes a-jumpin'  
In the Old North State.  
Raisin' bright tobaccer,  
Cotton, corn an' fruit,  
Lots of pigs and chickens—  
Garden sass to boot—  
Sunday school an' day school,  
Work and also play;  
'Low to start from here on  
Resurrection Day!

¶ Best of all there's to be another one next October.

## Motor Tourist Comments Favorably Upon Their Excellence

"It's always appeared to me as being rather curious," said a Carolina guest, who has toured extensively, the other evening, "that the good roads of the immediate section are not more generally and favorably commented on. Personally, I have never seen their equal, under normal conditions. ¶ "To be sure wet weather puts them out of condition for a short time, but they are speedily restored to normal and they have certainly transformed the section. In the White Mountains, for instance, about all they talk about are their roads, and taken mile for mile they are not in the same class with those which open up the section round about Pinehurst.

"I judge that some of the present season difficulty in various localities is due to the fact that new material added last fall did not get a chance to set because of wet weather, but as a matter fact, these roads look a good deal worse than they really are. In my experience I have found them reasonable at all seasons.

"To my mind your perpetual maintenance policy is an innovation which should be adopted everywhere, for the general impression that the good roads subject is solved as soon as the road is built, is altogether too prevalent."

## A Preachment With a Moral

Thank God for a sense of humor if you possess it. If not cultivate the habit. Past average human understanding is the effect upon condition of "condition of mind." ¶ Sometimes we really consider Christian Science seriously—but the fact is we can't quite overcome the "belief" that there is a pond on the tenth hole! ¶ And the moral is—"forget it!"

## "Money or Marbles"

Bridge—"money or marbles"—you'll find a congenial trio waiting for you at Carolina, Inn or Berkshire. ¶ Rather a nice way to round out an evening.

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Motor to Columbia (33 M).  
Luncheon at Hotel Jefferson.  
See places of interest about Columbia.  
Motor to Camden (33 M). Stop at The Kirkwood.

3rd Day. Motor to Rockingham (107 M).  
Luncheon at Rockingham.  
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Motor to Pinehurst (36 M).

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