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DEMOCRATS NAME J. W. LAMBETH TO OPPOSE SPENCER

Wins Long Term Nomination
While Hinton James is Nominated For Short Term

MRS. HAMMER HONORED

J. Walter Lambeth of Thomasville is the nominee of the Democratic party to succeed the late William C. Hammer in the Congress of the United States from the Seventh district of North Carolina. He will oppose Colin G. Spencer of Carthage, Moore county, in next month's election. This is for the full term of two years beginning March 4th next.

For the short term, the unexpired portion of Mr. Hammer's term winding up next March, the Democrats nominated Hinton James of Laurinburg. He also opposes Mr. Spencer, the Republicans having nominated the Carthage man for the short session. Mrs. William C. Hammer refused the nomination for the short term to succeed her late husband.

John Walter Lambeth, Jr., the Democratic nominee for the long term, a native of Thomasville, is comparatively young, being only 36 years old, but has had wide experience. He served as a member of the North Carolina State Senate from the Twenty-Third district following his graduation from Trinity College (now Duke University) in 1916 and post-graduate courses at Harvard, Columbia and the University of London.

Served in France

During the World War he was a sergeant with the First Army of the American Expeditionary Forces. He is a member of the Kappa Sigma fraternity, the Masonic Lodge, and the Methodist Church. He is engaged in the furniture manufacturing business in his native town. He is a son of John W. and Sumner Lambeth. He announced his candidacy for Congress last spring, but later withdrew, leaving Representative Hammer unopposed.

Hinton James, Laurinburg banker, farmer and business man, who is the nominee for the short term, has served as former mayor of Laurinburg and has been actively identified with the Democratic party and public and civic affairs all his life, though he is still a young man. He is a son of the late Alexander L. James, for many years an outstanding citizen and business and civic leader of this section of the State.

Tobacco Farmers To Hear of Co-Op Plans

County Chairman T. D. McLean
Calls Meeting at Carthage
Today, Friday

The Moore county meeting of tobacco farmers to discuss the proposed co-operative marketing of their crops has been called for this afternoon, Friday, at 2 o'clock at the Court House at Carthage by T. D. McLean, Moore county chairman of the Governor's Tobacco Relief Committee. In a statement to The Pilot Mr. McLean said yesterday:

The plan of marketing tobacco will be explained and organization committees appointed, consisting of three men or women for each community in the sections where tobacco is grown. The State College, either through its county agent or vocational teacher, will explain the contract for the marketing of tobacco. Everyone who is interested in a better price for their leaf is urged to attend this meeting."

Mr. McLean and D. A. McLaughlin of Vass, vice chairman for this county, are to have charge of organization in this county. Meetings in other counties have been held during the past week.

PARENT-TEACHERS MEET ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

The Aberdeen Parent-Teachers Association will hold its October meeting on next Wednesday afternoon, October 15th, at the Grammar School at 3:00 o'clock. A full attendance of all members is requested.

J. F. Morris, Editor, Sandhill Citizen For Many Years, Dies in 77th Year

Publisher Took Over Reins of
Southern Pines Paper on
Death of Dr. Foss

HAD BEEN ILL FOR YEAR

Joseph F. Morris, for many years the editor and publisher of the Sandhill Citizen, Southern Pines, died at 3 o'clock Tuesday morning at the residence of Lloyd Clark, which Mr. and Mrs. Morris had been occupying during the summer months. Mr. Morris had been in failing health for about a year, and was confined to his bed for a week before his death. He was in his 77th year.

Mr. Morris came to the Sandhills several years ago at a time when Dr. Foss' death left the Sandhills Citizen of Southern Pines in a receptive mood, and being an old newspaper man from the North he concluded a deal whereby he secured possession of the property and at once proceeded to carry out the board policies of Dr. Foss and also to expand with the forward movement of the territory. He enlarged his plant, provided much new machinery, increased his force, and soon had entered a broader publishing field than any one had suspected as the fate of this part of the country.

As Southern Pines grew he helped in the lead of every new thing, and he added materially to the name the Sandhills section has enjoyed with the press of North Carolina. For a time he carried on a printing business in Pinehurst, but the growth of his business in Southern Pines called for the concentration of his energies, and advancing years compelled him to give his time to the parent plant.

He took an active part in community affairs, and with his wide experience in newspaper life he had the knowledge that made his useful in his village activities.

Mr. Morris is survived by his widow and by one son, born of a prior marriage. Hiram Westbrook, who for many years has been associated with him in the publication of the Citizen, is a brother-in-law.

Throng Attends Funeral

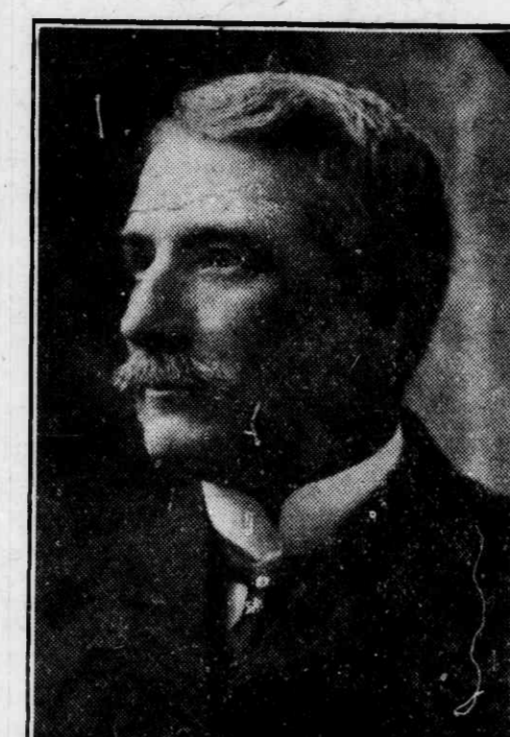
The Rev. Murdoch McLeod of the Pinehurst Community Church officiated at the funeral services held in the Church of Wide Fellowship, Southern Pines, of which Mr. Morris was a deacon and regular attendant. The Rev. J. Fred Stimson of the Baptist Church in Southern Pines assisted, and Mrs. Maxwell Grey officiated at the organ. The services were attended by the multitude of friends the deceased had made during his many years of residence in this section. A large delegation of members of the Kiwanis Club, of which he was the oldest member, attended in a body. Mr. Morris, or "Uncle Joe," as he was familiarly called by the members, had for years been an active Kiwanian and faithful in his attendance at the club's weekly meetings. He was also a member of the Southern Pines Chamber of Commerce and active in its affairs. Resolutions of sympathy to the widow and expressive of the great loss to their respective organization and to the community were enacted by both the Kiwanis Club and the Chamber of Commerce at their last week's meetings.

Mrs. Morris accompanied the body north on Wednesday night, the burial to be at the Westbrook family plot in the cemetery at Ridgewood, New Jersey. Mr. Morris came to this section from New Jersey, where he had taken a prominent position in the business and social world until the milder climate of the South tempted him to make Southern Pines his home.

GENERAL BUTNER ASSIGNED TO COMMAND IN HONOLULU

General H. W. Butner, former commanding officer of Fort Bragg and brother of M. F. Butner of Pinebluff, has been assigned by the War Department to command in Honolulu, and sails next Sunday to his new post of duty. He will be there for the next two years. General Butner is well known to residents of the Sandhills. His brother, M. F. Butner, spent several days with the general in Winston-Salem this week prior to his departure for the far-off island.

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JOSEPH F. MORRIS

ABERDEEN LEADS ALL MARKETS IN AVERAGE PRICES

One Lot Sold Here Yesterday
For 50 Cents and Many
Above 40

NEW RECORDS IN SIGHT

The average price paid for tobacco on the Aberdeen market thus far this season has been higher than on any market in any of the tobacco belts. The Pilot was authoritatively informed yesterday. Exceptionally high grade leaf has been coming in regularly to the local warehouses.

Yesterday upwards of 70,000 pounds sold here at an average of 17 cents. The average for the week has been 17 1-2 cents, with sales for the week totalling 225,000 pounds.

One lot sold on the Saunders' floor yesterday at 50 cents, J. L. Hall being the fortunate farmer to score high for the day. A. R. McKernan sold a lot at 40 cents, L. F. Ellis at 45, R. E. Kiddle at 40, John James at 36, Joe Burns at 30, R. A. McIntyre at 37 cents, J. R. McIntyre and J. R. Oxidors at 40, C. C. Allen at 38 and others at prices ranging from 30 to 45 cents. Tobacco is coming in from far points because of the high average which Aberdeen has been making thus far this season, and there appears to be every evidence that the local market will run well ahead of the state average this year, as it has done in all years since the market was established here with the exception of last season. A new record for total sales is also likely to be established this season if the present rate keeps up, which seems probable in the light of the advertising which this market is getting for its high averages.

Club Adjourns Out of Respect to J. F. Morris

Kiwanis Holds Brief Meeting
After Which Members Attend
Funeral in a Body

The Kiwanis Club of Aberdeen held a brief meeting on Wednesday, adjourning, after necessary business had been transacted, out of respect to the memory of its deceased member, Joseph F. Morris of Southern Pines. Mr. Morris was the oldest member of the local club, and one of the most faithful attendants at the weekly luncheon meetings. A committee was appointed to draft resolutions to be sent Mrs. Morris and published in the newspapers, and the members were called upon to attend the funeral held Wednesday afternoon in a body.

M. G. Nichols of Southern Pines was introduced to the club as a new member and made a brief speech of appreciation in response to the Rev. J. F. Stimson's remarks of welcome. Dr. J. Symington, County Health Officer, called the members' attention to the Cancer clinic to be held next week at Carthage.

HAIL EHRINGHAUS AS NEXT GOVERNOR IN MEETING HERE

Crowd at Dixie Theatre Hears
Plea for Bailey and
Democracy

FLAYS G. O. P. REGIME

In all the years of the remarkable growth of North Carolina under Democratic control, the tremendous expenditure of State funds involved, not a page in its history reveals the slightest shadow of financial scandal, and today North Carolina stands above every state in the union, Alabama alone excepted, with the lowest per capita cost of government, J. C. B. Ehringhaus of Elizabeth City told a crowd of several hundred residents of Moore county gathered to hear him in the Dixie Theatre in Aberdeen on Wednesday night. Mr. Ehringhaus, here in the interest of the party's campaign for the election of Josiah William Bailey to the United States Senate and a full Democratic representation in the House of Representatives, was introduced by Murdoch M. Johnson of Aberdeen as "our next Governor."

On the rostrum with Mr. Ehringhaus were two Democratic candidates chosen last week to succeed the late William C. Hammer as Representative in Congress from the Seventh Congressional district, J. Walter Lambeth of Thomasville for the long term, and Hinton James of Laurinburg for Mr. Hammer's unexpired term. Both spoke a few words to the assembled gathering and were enthusiastically received by their potential constituents. Chairman Johnson also introduced Judge George H. Humber of the Recorder's Court, County Solicitor M. G. Boyette, Sheriff Charles McDonald and Clerk of Court John Willcox.

Party Accomplishments

Mr. Ehringhaus presented what he called a panorama of progress in civilization's upclimb in the state of North Carolina, recalling the educational advance launched by Governor Aycock, the solution of social problems under Governor Glenn, the handling of the delicate problems of the World War by Governor Pickett, the start of the good roads campaign under Cameron Morrison, the institution of economic stability through the budget system in State government by Governor McLean and, coming down to the present day, the launching of what Governor Gardner terms "the fight of the little man for a chance to live," the "Live-at-Home" program initiated by the Governor this year.

The speaker spoke in the highest terms of the Democratic candidate for United States Senator, Mr. Bailey, of whom, he said, we may well be proud to have represent the State at Washington. He answered some of the arguments of the Republican candidate for Senate, Mr. Pritchard; he discussed national affairs and wanted to know what had become of Republican campaign promises of two years ago on farm relief, prosperity, prohibition enforcement; he stated that 90 per cent of prohibition enforcement effort was being carried on by State and municipal authorities instead of the national government carrying its load of 50 per cent as required under the terms of the prohibition law. He wanted to know what had become of the great leadership we were promised if we elected Mr. Hoover to office, and leapt upon various and sundry officials of past Republican administrations for various and sundry misconduct in office. And he flayed the Republican tariff, citing examples of its serious effect upon industries of North Carolina.

OPEN GOLF EVENT AT SOUTHERN PINES OCT. 24-25

A golf tournament open to golfers throughout the state was announced yesterday for the Southern Pines Country Club on Friday and Saturday, October 24 and 25. Eighteen holes will be played Friday and eighteen Saturday. The field will be divided into three groups, according to handicaps, and trophies will be awarded the low net scores in each division.

Moore County Fair to Attract Thousands to Carthage Next Week

Educational and Farm Exhibits, Entertainment
Features and Athletic Contests
Scheduled Each Day

Get Acquainted Week

County Fair Provides Opportunity
For Educational, Enjoyable
Days for All

There is no better occasion for a community get-together than a County Fair. The Joseph G. Henson Post No. 12, American Legion, and the officials of the Fair Association headed by Sheriff Charles J. McDonald are to be congratulated on providing the opportunity for such a gathering of the clans at Carthage next week, and we bespeak the support of the entire citizenry of Moore County.

There will be something of educational value for all. Clean, wholesome entertainment features have been provided for all ages. Pile the children into the flivver and head for the County seat on Tuesday or any day thereafter next week. Let's make it "Get Acquainted Week" in Moore County.

—Editor, The Pilot.

Seek Local Funds For Advertising Route One

Association to Raise \$500 in
Towns of Sandhills Along
U. S. Highway

Of the \$4,000 to be raised in three states for advertising the U. S. No. 1 Highway this winter, two-fifths each are to be raised in South Carolina and Georgia and one-fifth in North Carolina, Shields Cameron, secretary of the Southern Pines Chamber of Commerce told the board of directors of that body when they met at the Country Club there on Tuesday. And of the \$800 thus allotted to North Carolina, the budget calls for the raising of the following amounts in the various towns of the Sandhills along the route:

Aberdeen, \$100; Lakeview, \$50; Pinebluff, \$50; Southern Pines, \$250, and Vass, \$50.

An extensive advertising and publicity campaign has been outlined to try to induce the northern public to more freely use Route 1 on their journeys south. Dr. L. B. McBrayer, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and Secretary Cameron attended a meeting of representatives of North Carolina towns interested in the campaign last week, at which time the plans for raising the fund were discussed.

MRS. WINN, COLIN SPENCER ADDRESS G. O. P. MEETING

Mrs. Juanita Gregg Winn, vice-chairman of the Republican State Executive Committee, and Colin G. Spencer, Republican candidate for Representative in Congress from the Seventh Congressional district were the speakers at a Republican meeting held Tuesday night in the Civic Club in Southern Pines. Mrs. Winn discussed the issues of the day as they particularly apply to the women voter, and made a distinct impression on her hearers. Mr. Spencer spoke briefly in behalf of his candidacy to succeed the late Congressman Hammer at Washington.

THE ARK TO OPEN SCHOOL SEASON NEXT TUESDAY

The Ark, Mrs. Millicent A. Hayes' school in Southern Pines, will open on Tuesday of next week with a large number of pupils, some of whom will make their residence at the school during the winter. Mrs. Hayes has improved the approach and grounds at The Ark since last season and some minor changes have been made inside the building preparatory to the opening of the school year. Several new teachers have been added to the faculty.

FUN IN STORE FOR ALL

Sideshows, Clog Dancing, Old
Fiddlers, Greased Pole, Hog
Calling, Horseshoe Pitching
Among Stunts Scheduled for
"Get Together Week."

The Moore County Agricultural Fair, a community exposition revived from the bygone days when the Pinehurst Race Track was the scene, opens next Tuesday at Carthage, "bigger and better than ever." Conceived in the minds of the Carthage Post of the American Legion some months ago as something worth restoring for the education and entertainment of the citizens of the county, the committee in charge, headed by the Legionnaires, has been busily engaged since then to put on a worthwhile show, and if the preliminary announcements are any criterion, the reincarnated exposition will be well worth a visit by every resident next week.

We cannot begin to list the attractions. The Premium Book presents page after page of prizes for produce of the local farms. The program of amusements offers day after day of entertaining stunts, clog dancers, old fiddlers, greased pole climbing, horseshoe pitching contests and what not. There'll be a dog show, educational exhibits by pupils in the county schools, essays on the industries of the county, on its resources, on the county's history.

Every day of the fair will be brightened with some mirth-provoking event. The clog dancing is scheduled for Tuesday, October 14, at 3 p. m., on the midway. Five dollars in gold goes to the dancer who receives the loudest and longest applause, as determined by the judges. Participation is limited to members of the colored race. The old-time fiddlers will perform on Wednesday, the second day of the fair. The gold award of \$5 goes to the fiddler who receives the oldest and longest applause. The "greasy pole" contest will be staged on Thursday, and the hog calling contest on Friday. A horseshoe pitching contest to be held under the rules of the American Horseshoe Pitching Association, will be staged at 3 o'clock on Saturday, the closing day of the fair.

Many Premiums Offered

The Premium List offers gold prizes and ribbons for the best exhibits of corn, grain, hay, soy beans, tobacco, field crops of all kinds, flowers, fruits, nuts, vegetables, breads and cakes, candles, canned fruits and vegetables, fruit juices, jellies, pickles, linens, arts and crafts, dairy cattle, beef cattle, swine and chickens.

A number of prizes on school exhibits and essays are offered to the students of Moore county. These include: High school exhibit, grammar grade exhibit, primary exhibit, agricultural exhibit, home economics exhibit, essay on "Industries of Moore County," essays on "Resources of Moore County," essays on "Moore County History," exhibit of Moore county industries, and map of Moore county.

Another interesting feature of the fair will be the Moore county bench show to be held under the direction of Ed Fry, famed Moore county hunter and dog breeder. Prizes are offered for the best pointers, setters and hound dogs. The bench show will

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ABERDEEN 6, CARTHAGE 0

Aberdeen High School defeated Carthage High in a fast and furious football game at Carthage last Friday afternoon. The score was 6 to 0. Mott, halfback and Dumeer, end, starred for Aberdeen, while Baker, center, shone for Carthage.