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Dr. McBrayer Sees Need For Another Aberdeen- Southern Pines Highway

Believes People Would Be Short-Sighted to Turn Down Chance to Build at U. S. Expense

"COOPERATION LACKING"

In an article received by The Pilot this week Dr. L. B. McBrayer of Southern Pines, former president of the Chamber of Commerce and farmer head of the U. S. Highway No. 1 Association, sets forth his reasons for favoring the building of an additional highway between Southern Pines and Aberdeen, paralleling the present U. S. No. 1 highway. Dr. McBrayer says:

A motto for the Sandhill community would be "Let's hang together or else we hang separately," and if I were going to pass criticism on the Sandhill community or any one of the three towns that we ordinarily speak of as the Sandhill community, Southern Pines, Pinehurst, Aberdeen, I would say that each person emphasizes his own individuality too much and doesn't run with the herd so constantly as he ought, or in other words a great many of our individuals prefer to hang separately rather than stick together.

For example, the stopping of the special train carrying President Roosevelt and the other dignitaries was a decided "feather" in the cap of Southern Pines. Did it just happen? It surely did not. Such things don't happen. Frank Buchan and Shields Cameron are wholly responsible for the stopping of that train in Southern Pines. Did they get any help from the citizens of the town? Did they get any encouragement from the citizens of the town? They surely did not. Did they get any discouragement from the citizens of the town? They certainly did. Most of the folks to whom they presented the idea dismissed the subject with the curt remark, "It can't be done." Everybody knows now that it could be done and it has been done and everybody should know that the two men mentioned, Frank Buchan and Shields Cameron did the thing by themselves with all the discouragement that could be given by the people of the town and the total lack of help and cooperation on the part of everybody, save only Mrs. Milliken.

Short-Sighted People

Do we want the unemployed with us always? Are we absolutely opposed to anybody purchasing property in this section and building homes? Are we absolutely opposed to any improvements? No of course not, because there are a large number of us who have lots or larger tracts of land to sell. If there were a dozen houses being built in Southern Pines at this time and costing from \$10,000 to \$40,000 each it would relieve the unemployment situation in this immediate section to a large extent. Perhaps that many houses will not be erected at the same time for another year or two, but this Sandhill section is going to continue to grow and it will be difficult to keep it from growing even if a good many of our citizens work at it constantly, and as said above, we are probably agreed on that in the abstract, though it may be that some man would rather a family wouldn't spend the winter in Southern Pines if they didn't rent his house, and some other man would rather that a man didn't buy a lot than to buy a lot from someone else even if he built a handsome home on it and thereby enhanced the value of all other real estate in Southern Pines. Such people are so short sighted that the ordinary far-vision glasses would not be of any particular benefit to them; what they need is a telescope so that they can certainly see beyond the end of their noses.

Now as to the double road. I feel very flattered at the attention The Pilot paid me and particularly the rhymes that the distinguished editor wrote connecting my name with Jim McNair, but I have about recovered from that and would like to present a few points in regard to our double

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"Nothing Definite"

So Writes McNair of Proposed Road; Says Commissioners Want Information

Editor, The Pilot:

I have seen a copy of your paper published under date of October 28 in which you carry several articles in regard to a survey of a road to be made between Aberdeen and Southern Pines. In connection with this I just want to say there has been nothing definite done toward the building of this road other than to make a survey and see if it is a practical proposition. If the road has merit, it should be built and if it has not any merit, then it should not be built.

Certainly the railroad crossing is very rough and hazardous at Aberdeen and should be eliminated for those people traveling on Highways 241 and 70 and who want to go South on Federal No. 1. If there is some other way to eliminate this crossing that is better and cheaper, we would like to have that information. I am not at all familiar with the survey that has been made and I do not imagine any of the other Commissioners are but this will be gone into thoroughly before the matter is settled. I am sure that any of the Commissioners, including myself, will be glad to have any information that we can get on this question.

—JAS. L. McNAIR,
State Highway Commissioner.

ANNE CAMERON IS SERIOUSLY HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Southern Pines Girl Unconscious Since Tuesday in Hospital at Hamlet

Miss Anne Cameron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cameron of Southern Pines, was seriously injured in an automobile accident in Hamlet on Tuesday night and at the time The Pilot went to press was still unconscious in the Hamlet hospital.

Miss Cameron was in a car driven by Miss Norma Alger of Hamlet, with Miss Natalie Alger, Hamlet and Miss Alice Abel, Southern Pines as the other occupants. The automobile is said to have failed to make the curve at the intersection of the main street of Hamlet and the State highway. Miss Cameron, who was riding in the rumble seat, was thrown from the car when it struck the curbing and landed on her head with such force as to render her unconscious. The Misses Alger, who are sisters, suffered minor injuries, Miss Norma sustaining a broken rib and Miss Natalie cuts and bruises. Miss Abel was not hurt.

The young Southern Pines girls were visiting their friends Norma and Natalie in Hamlet at the time of the accident. Miss Cameron was rushed to the Hamlet hospital where she has remained in a serious condition without regaining consciousness. Her parents hurried to Hamlet on news of the accident and have remained at her bedside. Her recovery is earnestly hoped for by the large number of her friends throughout this section.

PINEHURST THEATRE TO OPEN ON NOVEMBER 14TH

Manager Charles W. Picquet announced yesterday that the opening of the Carolina Theatre in Pinehurst, announced last week as Wednesday, November 9th, has been postponed until Monday, November 14th.

SANDHILLS DAILY NEWS TO START SEASON NOVEMBER 15

Publication of the Sandhills Daily News will start for the season on Tuesday, November 15th. The paper will appear each morning except Monday, carrying news of local, society and sports interest and the telegraph news of The Associated Press, of which this newspaper is a member.

CAROLINA OPENING THURSDAY STARTS PINEHURST SEASON

Early Arrivals and Bookings Point To Splendid Winter; Fine Sports Scheduled

GOLF PROS HERE NOV. 15-16

With the opening of The Carolina next Thursday, Pinehurst's thirty-seventh season will be under way. The start this year is about two weeks later than usual due to the national election, but indications are that the season will exceed the last one in business activity.

This is borne out in part by the fact that The Manor has been open for the past week—some time before the scheduled opening—and has attracted a good-sized number of guests considering the early season. This also is true of The Berkshire.

The Holly Inn, the Mid-Pines Country Club and Pinecrest Inn all are scheduled to make late openings, the Mid-Pines in December, the Holly Inn in February and the Pinecrest some time between the two. The Chalfonte opening also is uncertain.

As usual there will be numerous attractions for both the guests and the cottagers. In golf there will be the annual competitions of the Tin Whistles, for men, and the Silver Foils, for women. Then, too, the Mid-South Open, the big professional tourney of the fall season, will be played on November 15-16.

The leading professionals in the country will compete in this event, the first half of which will be devoted to pairs play and the second half to individual competition. Walter Hagen, Horton Smith, Tommy Armour, Ed Dudley, Bobby Cruickshank, Walter Kozak, and possibly Gene Sarazen will be among the brilliant field to compete.

Riding again will be as popular as ever. The two stables, Thomas and Alexander, and Pinehurst Livery Stable, have secured many new horses, several of which are expected to do well in shows.

As soon as The Carolina opens, there will be daily riding parties over the miles of wooded bridle paths, and within another week the first of a series of fox hunts will be held.

The Pinehurst Matinee Club again will have an active season, fifteen dates having been selected for trotting and pacing meets. The first of these, on November 24, will have a top-notch entry that likely will include horses from the stables of such well-known trotting horse owners as E. Roland Harriman, H. Stacey Smith and Harry and Lyman Brusie.

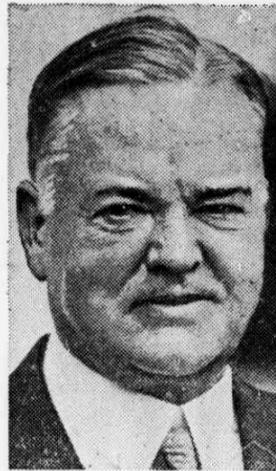
In addition, horse lovers will con-

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KIWANIS FAVORS PLAN FOR UTILIZING FEDERAL FUNDS

The Kiwanis Club of Aberdeen passed a resolution at its meeting in Highland Lodge, Southern Pines on Wednesday favoring the plan to utilize federal unemployment funds coming to this county for the beautification of highways and, further, to endeavor to interest other communities of the state, through other Kiwanis clubs of this district, in similar use of the funds allotted their counties.

The Presidential Candidates



HERBERT HOOVER
Republican



FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT
Democrat

2,000 MEMBERS IN COUNTY AIM OF TAX LEAGUE

Frank Page, State Head of National Economy League, to Speak Here During Nov.

MANY JOINING MOVEMENT

At a meeting of the township committeemen of the Moore County Tax League at Carthage last Friday it was announced that by November 30 the committee hopes to have 2,000 members signed up. The ultimate hope is at least 80 per cent of the taxpayers. During the election the work has been progressing in a fair manner, but most of the folks being engrossed more in politics than in the immediate affairs of the county the work has not been pushed as it will be after this week. Commencing next week a vigorous campaign for members will start, and if the sentiment of the committeemen is to be accepted as an indication the campaign will be a complete one.

In November, on a date to be set later to suit the convenience of the speaker Frank Page is to address the people of Moore county on taxation, the place of the meeting the courthouse in Carthage. Mr. Page is the State head of the National Economy League, having to do with tax reduction throughout the nation. His address will be on taxation in its wide sense, but which covers local taxation as well. Everybody is urged to be at the meeting. The date will be announced when it is definitely fixed, presumably the latter part of this month.

The campaign for members is to be directed at every taxpayer in the county. Persons in sympathy with the movement are asked to find the township committeeman, if he does not find them, and sign the rolls. A membership fee of twenty-five cents is placed on members, yet if they cannot pay the quarter the signature of the roll and the personal back of the movement is desired, for it is suggested that the man who lacks the quar-

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JOE M. THOMPSON KILLED IN WORK SHOP IN CARTHAGE

Well Known Resident of County Struck Near Heart by Flying Piece of Lumber

LEAVES LARGE FAMILY

Joe M. Thompson, well-known Moore county man who for the past two months had been a resident of Carthage, was fatally injured last Friday between 12 and one o'clock when struck in the region of the heart by a piece of lumber while working in a furniture shop in Carthage. He passed away at four o'clock in the afternoon. It is said that the only witness to the accident was the victim's six-year-old son, Ernest.

According to the report, Mr. Thompson, who was a skilled workman, was working on a piece of furniture during the noon hour and a piece of timber which he was running through a machine broke, one piece flying against his body and rendering him unconscious. Little Ernest ran to a near-by house and summoned aid and a doctor was on the scene within a few minutes. Mr. Thompson regained consciousness and was able to give the name of his brother in Vass, but he passed away before any of his relatives could get to his bedside.

News of his tragic death came as a great shock to Mr. Thompson's friends in Vass, where he was well known to everybody, he having lived in Vass before going to Carthage a short time ago.

Funeral services were held in the Vass Methodist church at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. W. C. Ball, assisted by the Rev. Frank Blue of Carthage. Interment was in Johnson's Grove cemetery near Vass. Many friends

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G. O. P. Has Economy Program for County

Promises To Slice \$25,000 Off Expenses if Given Chance to Administer Affairs

Herbert F. Seawell, Jr., addressed a meeting of Republicans in Morris school, near Carthage, last night, talking along the lines of economy in government and plans for saving taxpayers of Moore county \$25,000 a year under a Republican county administration.

Republican leaders in the county met last week and formulated plans for economies in office which include reduction in the salary of the sheriff, the abolishment of the office of jailer by having the sheriff reside in the jail building, the abolishment of certain other offices and the curtailment of expenses in others. Republican speakers throughout the county during the week have been talking economy in government to large audiences and claim a rising tide of sentiment in favor of the program presented by the party for county administration.

Miss Lucille H. Mudgett to Wed Henry Dingley, Jr. Next Week

On Thursday evening of next week Miss Lucille Heizmann Mudgett, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. William Chase Mudgett, will become the bride of Henry Dingley, Jr., of Pinehurst and Auburn, Maine. The ceremony will be conducted at the bride's home on Massachusetts avenue by the Rev. Francis Morrissey and will be followed by a reception at nine o'clock at the Southern Pines Country Club.

The wedding party will include Miss Katherine Wiley, maid-of-honor; Scott Gordan of Portland, Maine, who will serve as best man; Allison Francis Page Wilder and Thomas Anderson Rountree, ushers. Flower girls will be Pauline Mae Nichols, Myrtle Alice Shamburger, Jane Gilchrist Moore and Peggy Ewing; pages will be Dav-

id Henry Dickie, III, Herbert Duncan Vail, Jr., Peter Vail Tufts, Harry Marshall Vail, Edward Prizer and Alexander Boyd. Miss Charlotte Erson will be the pianist.

Miss Mudgett, popular member of the younger set, is a graduate of Dana Hall School and a former student at Randolph-Macon College and the Southern School of Creative Arts. She made her debut in Raleigh last Fall.

Mr. Dingley, a native of Maine, is the grandson of the late Nelson Dingley, Jr., former governor and representative from Maine and author of the Dingley Tariff Bill during the McKinley administration. Mr. Dingley is a former student at Tafts School and a graduate of Storm King School.

Nation State and County to Vote Tuesday

Electorate Will Choose President, Governor and County Officials Next Week

CAST YOUR BALLOTS EARLY

Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their party. Tuesday is Election Day.

Nation, State and County will choose their governing officers for forthcoming terms. The polls will be open from sun-up to sun-down to receive the ballots of those eligible to cast them. Some time before sun-up Wednesday morning, if one cares to remain awake that long, it may be possible to know who the next President of the United States is to be, who your next Governor, your next United States Senator.

As you have heard by now, Herbert Hoover is the Republican candidate for President to succeed himself. His running mate is the present Vice-President, Charles Curtis. The Democratic candidate opposing Mr. Hoover is Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York; his partner on the ticket; John N. Garner of Texas, present speaker of the House of Representatives.

In the state, J. C. B. Ehringhaus of Elizabeth City is the Democratic candidate for Governor. His opponent of the Republican party is Clifford Frazier, of Greensboro. For United States Senator in North Carolina Robert R. Reynolds of Asheville is the Democratic candidate, Jake F. Newell of Charlotte the Republican candidate.

In Moore county the candidates on the Democratic and Republican tickets are as follows:

For Legislature—A. B. Cameron, Carthage, D; George W. Case, Southern Pines, R.

For Sheriff—Charles J. McDonald, Carthage, D; C. R. Scotten, Glendon, R.

For Register of Deeds—W. J. Harrington, Carthage, D; Bruce Cameron, Southern Pines, R.

For Judge of Recorder's Court—George H. Humber, Carthage, D. None, R.

For Solicitor—M. G. Boyette, Carthage, D; None, R.

For Coroner—D. Carl Fry, Carthage, D; A. G. Wallace, Pinebluff, R.

For Surveyor—M. McQ. Bailey, Cameron, D; James Gordon, Southern Pines, R.

For County Commissioners—Wilbur H. Currie, Carthage; E. C. Matheson, Eagle Springs; L. R. Reynolds, High Falls; Frank Cameron, Cameron and Gordon Cameron, Pinehurst, D; S. W. Shields, Carthage; E. M. Ritter, Hemp; Quentin Reynolds, High Falls; S. B. Richardson, Southern Pines and John P. Richardson, Jackson Springs, R.

H. A. Lewis of Southern Pines is the Republican candidate for the State Senate from this district, the only

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Hoey, Lambeth To Speak in Carthage

Democrats To Wind Up Campaign in County With Party Notables

Democrats will wind up their pre-election campaign in Moore county with a big meeting at Carthage tomorrow, Saturday, night to be addressed by Clyde R. Hoey of Charlotte and Congressman Walter Lambeth of 2:30 o'clock in the Courthouse.

Mr. Hoey is a speaker of recognized ability and has been busy throughout the state during the campaign in the discussion of national and state affairs. Mr. Lambeth is the representative in Congress from this 8th Congressional district, a speaker of ability and a man of great popularity throughout the counties comprising his district. The Democratic County Executive Committee has extended an invitation to all citizens regardless of party to hear Hoey and Lambeth at this wind-up meeting.