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RECORD ENTRIES FOR HORSE SHOW TODAY, SATURDAY

Some of Leading Show Stables
of County Here for Judging
at Pinehurst

LUNCHEON AT RINGSIDE

The 17th annual Pinehurst Horse Show gets under way this morning at the show ring near the race track and bids fair to prove the biggest and best in number of entries, in quality of horses shown and in attendance in the long history of this popular event.

More stables have entered horses than ever before, among them some of the leading show stables in the country. Fort Bragg has sent more horses here than ever. The hunter and jumping events, usually the most exciting of the many classes, are well filled and the public will have an opportunity to see horses from all parts of the state as well as those which have been hunting with local packs this winter. In addition to the hunters and jumpers many fine saddle horses are entered, with a number of the spirited five-gaited mounts among them.

There are classes for trotters and pacers, saddle ponies and artillery mounts, and a special class for youthful riders with prizes for the boys and girls who display skill in handling their steeds.

A new class this year which is expected to prove one of the prettiest in the show will be the Corinthian event for hunt teams shown in colors. Most of the hunter classes will be shown over the outside course or jumps this year.

The show will be judged by Otto Furr of Middleburg, Va., J. North Fletcher of Warrenton, Va., and Camden, S. C., William Baker of Providence, R. I., and General Manus McClosky of Fort Bragg.

Charles W. Picquet, secretary of the show, said yesterday that the advance ticket sale had been better than ever this year, that most of the boxes had been sold and that very few parking spaces around the ring were left.

Lunch and tea are to be served both today and Saturday at the ringside for the benefit of undernourished children of the county, the local Red Cross chapter and the Pinehurst Chapter, Moore County Hospital Auxiliary.

Board of Elections Named at Raleigh

N. J. Muse and Shields Cameron
Democratic Members, B.
C. Wallace Republican

Two Democrats and one Republican were named in each of the 100 counties of the state to serve as county boards of elections for the spring primary and fall elections at an all-day meeting of the State Board of Elections in Raleigh Saturday. Contests developed in about 10 counties, including Halifax, Polk, Edgecombe, Onslow, Craven, Lee, Northampton, Swain, Yancey and Wilkes, which the board smoothed out as well as possible.

The county members are recommended by the State Democratic and Republican chairmen, respectively, and usually such recommendations were followed, but in a few instances the State elections board made compromise as to factions.

The boards will meet at the respective county seats April 14 to name judges and registrars for the June 2 primary and the second primary, June 30.

The Moore County board is composed of N. J. Muse, Carthage, and D. D. S. Cameron, Southern Pines, Democrats, and B. C. Wallace, Carthage, Republicans.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT NEXT WEEK POSTPONED

The Dogwood Tennis Tournament scheduled for next week in Southern Pines has been postponed until a later date, it was announced here yesterday.

Burrell White Buys 150 Acre Tract On Knollwood Heights

Plans Interesting Development
of Property He Has Been
Occupying as Tenant

By Blon H. Butler

One of the most significant things this spring is the closing of the deal by L. L. Biddle, II, by which Burrell White becomes the owner instead of the lessee of the fine 150-acre tract in Knollwood on which he has lived for the past five years and which he is now planning for a development that is to make of the property another of those striking establishments for which that section of Knollwood is becoming famous.

Some time ago Mr. White arranged his affairs to develop a Sandhills home but his health failed him for a while and he took sail to some extent. But in the last two or three years the tide has turned and he is in prime physical condition again, and with the improvement he has made on the place while he has occupied it his enthusiasm has grown and now he is going ahead with a new ardor. Already he has outlined a scheme that will make his possession an example and an appreciated factor in the community.

The property Mr. White has secured is that tract overlooking the Southern Pines reservoir running up to the Knollwood boundary and to the lines of the Barber property west of Knollwood, a quarter of a square mile of land that tops the summit of the watershed between McDeeds Creek and Mill Creek, a picturesque, pine-covered area that lends itself to the most ambitious plans of landscaping and rural home making that can be desired. Already Mr. White is proceeding with new buildings, the first structure being a home for his superintendent, a fine modern cottage not far from the main house. At the main house he has lines laid down for an addition in the form of a guest house, attached to the main building through a separate unit, wholly for the entertainment of his friends, for Mr. White is a man who values the companionship of people he likes. He will gather about him from time to time congenial spirits and they and he will enjoy the delights of the Sandhills.

To Develop Orchard

He is a lover of nature. Therefore his plans include an orchard of a dozen or so acres, which will be unique. Realizing that at times this region lacks surface water to keep the crops in good growing condition Mr. White has one of the Carolina Drilling Company's big machines putting down a deep well which is expected to provide a supply of water that may be used for irrigating the orchard to be a sort of research orchard to find out some of the things not fully known yet about fruit growing in this section. Below the houses is a stream that affords a rather free supply of water, and a dam is projected there to make a

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BISHOP PENICK PREACHES HERE SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The Rt. Rev. Edwin A. Penick, D. D., bishop of this diocese, will be the preacher at the afternoon service on Easter at the Emmanuel Episcopal Church in Southern Pines. The service will be at 5 o'clock. Bishop Penick is coming to Southern Pines for his annual visitation to Emmanuel Church for the purpose of administering the sacramental rite of Confirmation.

Bishop Penick is one of the most prominent bishops in the Episcopal Church and is widely known as an exceptionally fine preacher. The public is most cordially invited to attend the service on Easter afternoon to hear him.

The Three-Hour Good Friday service will commence at this church at 3 o'clock this (Friday) afternoon.

DR. VARDELL TO PREACH AT PINEHURST EASTER SERVICE

Dr. C. G. Vardell, President Emeritus of Flora Macdonald College, will occupy the pulpit in the Pinehurst Community Church on this coming Sunday, April 1st, at 11:00 o'clock.

Here For A Stay



ODGEN L. MILLS,

Former Secretary of the Treasury
Mr. Mills is spending the Easter holidays at the Carolina in Pinehurst.

NO MORE DIRECT RELIEF IN COUNTY AFTER THIS WEEK

New Rural Rehabilitation Program
Requires Labor in Return
for Supplies

PLAN IS ANNOUNCED

On April 1, C. W. A. and Emergency Relief are to be replaced in all rural areas by a program of Rural Rehabilitation and from this date no more direct relief will be given but all supplies advanced will constitute a loan which the recipient will be required to repay by working on relief projects.

Already the new set-up for Moore county has been perfected, with J. R. McInnis as Director of the Rural Rehabilitation program. The county had been divided into four sections with E. R. Brown of Hemp, D. J. Blue of Carthage, D. Al Blue of Southern Pines and Donald McDonald of Cameron at the head of these sections. They will work with the various case workers.

The aim of the new program is three-fold:

1. All farm families with one or more able bodied men to be self-supporting by December 1.
2. The beginning by the end of the year of a permanent rehabilitation program based upon home ownership.
3. The development of small industries in rural areas.

In an effort to make all families self-supporting, a farm and garden program has been worked out and to be eligible for aid, the head of the household must sign an agreement which reads as follows:

"On condition that I am to continue to receive aid as in the opinion of county relief administrator my need and the funds available warrant, I hereby agree to plant, cultivate, and conserve food as directed by the relief administrator of Moore county, in accordance with the detailed plan entitled Farm and Garden Program for (Name) of even date attached to and a part of this agreement. If I do not comply with such directions, it is understood that I am not to receive further relief."

The Garden Program

A garden program will be outlined according to the needs of each family, specifying the amount of land to be planted to cabbage, peas, beans, etc. and the amount will be sufficient for a supply to be canned for the next winter's needs. Community gardens on the plan used last year will be approved only where individual gardens are impracticable.

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D. A. R. MEETING POSTPONED

The Moore County, D. A. R. meeting has been postponed until 2:30 o'clock on Tuesday, April 10th when members will convene at the home of Mrs. J. L. McGraw in Carthage.

A. J. MCKELWAY TO SERVE PINEHURST COMMUNITY CH.

Roxboro Preaches Accepts Call
To Succeed the Rev. Murdoch
McLeod, Here 9 Years

TO PREACH APRIL 22

The Rev. A. J. McKelway of Roxboro has accepted the call to succeed the Rev. W. Murdoch McLeod as pastor of the Pinehurst Community Church, it was announced at the morning service last Sunday.

The Rev. Mr. Murdoch McLeod preached his farewell sermon Sunday morning, bringing to a close his nine years pastorate in this church. With his family he left Tuesday for Nashville, Tenn., to take up the work of pastor at Moore Memorial Presbyterian Church.

In the weeks preceding their departure Mr. and Mrs. McLeod were the recipients of many social courtesies and expressions of the love and esteem in which they were held. Notable among the latter was the presentation, on last Sunday morning by Robert E. Denny in behalf of the Sandhills Brotherhood a handsome watch to Mr. McLeod. The Sunday school had previously given him a valuable book.

The Woman's class, in which Mrs. McLeod had served as teacher, presented her with crystal candle sticks.

Just prior to the sermon Sunday morning, I. C. Sledge, chairman of the pulpit supply committee was asked to read a message from the Rev. Mr. McKelway to whom a call had been sent. In this, his acceptance of the call was made known and accorded his first sermon here on April 22d. It was mostly ratifying to Mr. McLeod and his congregation that almost no lapse in the work would be caused by the change of pastors.

Mr. McKelway is a young man of magnetic personality and already has a record that warrants genuine satisfaction in having him come to Pinehurst. Services at the Community Church will be conducted by visiting ministers until his arrival.

Instantly Killed When Struck by Lighting Bolt

Hugh Adcox of Aberdeen Victim
of Tuesday Storm As He
Unloads Truck

Hugh Adcox of Aberdeen was instantly killed when struck by lightning during an electrical storm about one mile from Aberdeen Tuesday afternoon.

He had hauled a load of furniture for some negroes to a house on the highway half way between Aberdeen and Southern Pines, and was standing on the ground outside his truck preparing to unload it. As he was untying a piece of wire that was holding the rear door of his truck, he was struck by the bolt. Death was thought to be instantaneous.

Three negro men who were standing nearby were badly stunned, but soon recovered.

Mr. Adcox was about 40 years of age. He is survived by his widow and five children, three boys and two girls, the oldest 16 years of age.

SHAW ASKS SETTLEMENT BY INSURANCE CAMPAIGN

A two week's term of Superior Court for the trial of civil cases convened in Carthage on Monday with Judge Henry A. Grady presiding. The cases of widest general interest on the docket are half a dozen being brought by former county commissioner G. C. Shaw of High Falls against that number of life insurance companies in an effort to collect his insurance, Mr. Shaw, as he claims, being totally disabled. These cases will be heard the latter part of this week.

Four divorces were granted on Monday on the grounds of two years' separation. The principals were George Marlow versus Irene McA. Marlowe; Ben McKinnon versus Sarah McKinnon; Nancy W. Bobbitt versus James Dewey Bobbitt, and Emily W. Lawrence versus L. G. (Lassie) Lawrence.

Miss Shazter in Lead in Race for Queen of Spring Festival Week of April 9

Who'll Be Queen?

Dorothy Shazter, Pinehurst	1,950
Edna Ruth Bruton, Jax Spgs.	1,289
Marjorie Coffey, So. Pines	1,130
Virginia Hensley, Pinehurst	1,130
Frances Sparks, So. Pines	1,120
Dorothy Richardson, So. Pines	1,110
Ann Cameron, So. Pines	1,110
Mrs. Clyde Council, So. Pines	1,100
Dorothy Pottie, So. Pines	1,096
Pauline Poe, Southern Pines	1,060
Marjorie Skinner, So. Pines	1,060
Laura Baker, Carthage	1,050
Betty Osborne, So. Pines	1,035
Helen Parker, Cameron	1,020
Lide Duke Blue, Aberdeen	1,020
Pat Lumpkin, So. Pines	1,020
Virginia Kane, So. Pines	1,010
Anna Bushby, So. Pines	1,000
Catherine Graham, Vass	1,000
Margaret Olmsted, So. Pines	1,000
Katherine Wiley, So. Pines	1,000
Mary Alice Weatherley, S. P.	1,000
Jean Zimmerman, So. Pines	1,000
Susan Swett, So. Pines	1,000

Pinehurst Girl Wins Many Votes
as Result of Dance at Pinehurst Country Club

PROGRAM IS COMPLETE

Miss Dorothy Shazter of the Carolina Hotel, Pinehurst jumped into a commanding lead in the race for the honor of being Queen of the Spring Blossom Festival in Southern Pines the week of April 9th. More than five hundred people bought tickets for the pre-Festival dance at the Pinehurst Country Club on Wednesday night, and the ten-vote coupons attached to these tickets were largely voted for the Pinehurst entry in what bids fair to be an exciting contest.

Miss Shazter's total last night was 1,950 votes. Her nearest rival is Miss Edna Ruth Bruton of Jackson Springs with 1,289, and third in the standing is Miss Marjorie Coffey of Southern Pines, closely followed by Miss Virginia Hensley of Pinehurst and Miss Frances Sparks, Miss Dorothy Richardson and Miss Ann Cameron, all of Southern Pines.

With the tickets for the baseball game between Duke University and State College of Raleigh going on sale tomorrow, each with a five-vote coupon attached, and with pennies which buy a vote each coming in fast and furiously at the Festival headquarters in The Pilot Building the race bids fair to be a real one from now on. Southern Pines is out to see that the Queen of its Festival is a local young lady and a campaign along this line is in the making. It is understood. Meanwhile Pinehurst, with two candidates among the first five, plans to keep one or both of them out in front.

Harry Buckley of the Highland Pines Inn arranged the dance Wednesday night, and it was a great success.

Vote tickets went on sale yesterday in the hotels and about town, and these when sold and returned to headquarters will be recorded for the candidate whose name appears on each ticket. You can also vote directly by leaving your pennies, nickels, dimes or what have you at the headquarters.

Meanwhile plans for the Festival go merrily on. A general meeting of the Festival committee was held at Jack's Grill on Tuesday and the "head men," Shields Cameron and S. B. Richardson, announced that arrangements had been completed for the entire week's program which in short is as follows:

Monday evening—Costume Parade, Crowning of Festival Queen, Street Dance.

Tuesday—New England Day, with baked bean lunch in Dogwood Forest, the baseball game between Duke and State, the High School Glee concert and the collegiate dance at night.

Wednesday—Old Slave Day, with its assembly of old slaves, singing of negro spirituals, tap dancing, old fiddler contest, and the Rose Maiden Festival Chorus in the evening.

Thursday—Sports Day, with golf, archery, horseshoe, tennis, shuffleboard and equestrian events.

Friday—Military Day, with the American Legion in charge, a barbecue dinner, band concerts, drum and bugle corps contest and the big Festival Ball at the Country Club in the evening.

OSCAR LOEB BUYS HOME SITE NEAR COUNTRY CLUB

R. F. Potts has sold to Oscar Loeb, a bond broker on the Philadelphia Stock Exchange, a lot belonging to Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee on Morganton road, just above the Country Club drive. The lot has a frontage of 130 feet and is admirably located for a home site. It is Mr. Loeb's intention to build a house in the near future. He and his family have been coming to Southern Pines for several years, making their winter home at the Hollywood. Mr. Loeb is an ardent golfer who has been a regular patron of the local courses. The plot overlooks the local golf courses and not far distant from the club house.

DUKE ENDOWMENT ALLOTS \$7,279 TO COUNTY HOSPITAL

Trustees Announce Allocation of
\$872,324 to 143 Hospitals and
Orphanages in Carolinas

\$8,000,000 SINCE 1924

Allocation of \$872,323.87 to 143 hospitals and orphanages in the Carolinas was announced Tuesday by trustees of the Duke Endowment. The Moore County Hospital at Pinehurst was allotted \$7,279, a sum based on its record of charity-patient days during the past year.

Hospitals were awarded \$750,202 in the aggregate for 98 institutions, and 45 orphan homes were awarded \$121,721.87.

Allocations announced by the trustees after their meeting at Charlotte brought to \$8,043,022.82 the amount provided for hospitals and orphanages in the two states since the endowment was established December 11, 1924, by the late James B. Duke, power and tobacco magnate.

Of this amount, \$6,691,681.95 went to hospitals, \$4,878,229.95 being paid for the care of free patients, and \$2,083,452 for construction, purchase and equipment of the institutions. Orphan homes have received a total of \$1,081,340.87.

The trustees said it was anticipated

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PRESBYTERIAL MEETING AT CARTHAGE NEXT TUESDAY

Fayetteville Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet with the ladies of the Carthage Auxiliary Tuesday and Tuesday evening, April 3, and with the Elise Auxiliary, Hemp, on Wednesday, April 4.

Delegates and Auxiliary presidents expecting to attend should notify the Chairman of the Hospitality Committee at Carthage or Mrs. Aion-o Blue, president of Carthage Auxiliary.

PICARD WINS ANNUAL NORTH & SOUTH GOLF

Henry Picard, twenty-seven year old Charleston, S. C., pro, who has been knocking at the door to golfing fame for four years, finally entered yesterday when he won the thirty-second annual North and South Open Golf championship with a score of 283. A record gallery of 2,500 saw the finish.

TALK OF PICQUET FOR LEGISLATURE IS HEARD

Some talk is heard around the county of Charles W. Picquet, manager of the Carolina theatres in Pinehurst and Southern Pines, as a Democratic candidate for the State legislature this spring. Mr. Picquet is considering the offer of friends to wage a campaign for him.