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MELVIN BROTHERS
ABERDEEN, N. C.

Judge McConnell Dies, Learned Law in Office of Abraham Lincoln

Noted Lawyer, Father of "Jim" McConnell, World War Ace, Once Lived in Carthage

Judge Samuel P. McConnell, famous figure of the Illinois bar and politics more than a generation ago and once a candidate for the United States Supreme Court, died last week in Los Angeles, California.

Judge McConnell lived for a number of years at Carthage where he had large interests, including the Randolph and Cumberland Railroad and the development of the territory up in the Deep River section. He did much to advance the fortunes of the country up about McConnell, High Falls and Hallison.

He was a man of prominence and great popularity in Moore county. He was the father of James Rogers McConnell who joined the Lafayette Escadrille in the war against Germany and was one of the first Americans to be killed. A monument to James McConnell stands in front of the Moore County Hospital and in the Courthouse yard in Carthage.

Judge McConnell, 85 years of age, had learned his law in the office of Abraham Lincoln in Springfield, Illinois, and was the last of five persons who identified the body of the martyred President when it was removed to the Lincoln Memorial.

Tried Famed Cases

During his career on the bench, Judge McConnell heard several world-famous trials, including the Cronin murder trial and he incurred the ire of President Theodore Roosevelt by obtaining pardons for participants in the famous Haymarket street riots.

Later, he went to New York and became executive head of the Fuller Company, one of the largest building concerns in the world. He was closely associated with the late Judge Gary, Frank Vanderlip, James Stillman, Andrew Carnegie and other noted figures of industry.

Judge McConnell was suggested for vice-president on the Democratic platform with William Jennings Bryan.

He leaves his widow, four daughters, Mrs. Mitchell Follansbee, Mrs. R. P. Pruitt, Mrs. F. G. Albright and Elizabeth McConnell, and a son, John S. McConnell.

LOCAL COTTON AND TOBACCO PLANTERS VISIT WILMINGTON

As guests of W. H. McNeill, genial proprietor of the feed store, and the Acme Company, 45 cotton and tobacco planters of Vass, Cameron, Lakeview and adjacent territory were escorted for an inspection tour of the Acme factories near Wilmington yesterday.

Following a tour of the plant the company enjoyed an oyster feast and a sight-seeing trip of the city.

On February 21, at noon, a Cofeteria Luncheon will be served by the Civic Club at the Clubhouse.

WANTED

LOST: One silver watch. 16-size. Engravings M. W. S. on back. Dial cracked. Elgin movements. 15 jewels. Lost between Windham's Store and Page street. Finder please return to Pilot office.

FOR SALE—Invalids chair in excellent condition. Miss Louise Blue, Aberdeen, N. C. M1

PIANO FOR RENT: Apply to Ethel S. Jones, Box 492, Southern Pines, N. C. tf.

THE PINES, Aberdeen, N. C., can accommodate a few boarders. Reasonable rates. Mrs. T. B. Wilder, Telephone 23W. F8

A line of new Glascock stoves, including cook stoves, coal heaters, laundry and wood stoves, all at wholesale price at the Trade Store, other articles to numerous to mention.

FOR SALE—Two horses, very gentle, will work anywhere, fine for saddle. See James F. McLaughlin, R. No. 1, Box 119, Wagram, N. C.

REWARD for the return of a white gold wrist watch, octagon shape. Box 764, Southern Pines.

RADIO SERVICING by Coyne graduate. Phone 7904, Southern Pines, Harold L. Tate. F1-8.

FOR SALE—One cow, fresh in October. One cow and calf, calf one week old. Two pigs, 2 ducks, 2 rabbits and chickens. Mrs. H. E. Barry, Pinebluff, N. C., Box 143.

APARTMENT TO RENT—Call at Dr. Milliken's office, Southern Pines. F8.

CHURCHES

SOUTHERN PINES

Baptist Church

Rev. J. Fred Stimson, Pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Sermon by pastor.
Subject, "Sons of Struggling Fathers."

6:30 p. m.—Senior and Intermediate B. Y. P. U.
7:30 p. m.—Preaching by the pastor. Subject, "Unlighted Lustre."

The Church of Wide Fellowship

Rev. C. Rexford Raymond, D. D., Pastor.

Church School, 10:10 a. m.
11 a. m., Morning worship, Dr. Raymond preaches on "Science and Religion."

6:30 p. m., Intermediate C. E.
7:30 p. m., Community Hour, Motion Pictures, "Art and Religion."

Wednesday, 7:30, Fellowship night. Dr. Raymond will speak on "The Religion of Abraham Lincoln."

Thursday, 3 p. m., The Woman's Society entertains with visitors from Maine and New Hampshire as guests of honor.

Emmanuel Episcopal Church

Rev. F. Craighill Brown, B. A., B. D., Rector.

Sunday Services—The first Sunday in the month. Church School 9:30 a. m.; Holy Communion and sermon, 11:00 a. m.

Other Sundays, Holy Communion m.; Morning Prayer and sermon, 11 a. m.

Saint's Days Service, Holy Communion, 10:00 a. m.

Christian Science

New Hampshire Ave., near Ashe St.

Services are held every Sunday at 11:00 o'clock. Also the Wednesday evening service is held the first and third Wednesday of each month.

Lesson Sermon Sunday, February 10—"Spirit."

Lecture, Carolina Theatre, Sunday, February 10 at 3:30 p. m. by John Randall Dunn on "Christian Science—The Revelation of Abundant Life."

The reading room in the church is open Wednesdays from 3 to 5 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and use the Reading Room.

Catholic Church

Sunday Masses 8:00, 10:30.

Daily Mass, 7:30.

All are cordially invited to attend any of these services.

Mainly Presbyterian

Sunday School at ten a. m. Young Peoples meeting at seven p. m. Preaching second Sunday night at seven-thirty. Fourth Sunday morning at eleven o'clock.

PINEHURST

The Community Church

A. J. McKelway, Pastor

Sunday—Brotherhood and Church School, 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.

Sermon by the pastor.

Young Peoples' Service, 7:30 p. m.

Thursday, Mid-Week Worship, 7:30 p. m.

The Village Chapel

Rev. T. A. Cheatham, D. D., Minister

Sunday Services:

Holy Communion, 9 a. m.

Children's Service, 10:00 a. m.

Church service, 11 a. m.

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

Services each Sunday morning at 6:15, 8:30, and 10:30 o'clock.

ABERDEEN

Bethesda Presbyterian Church

Rev. E. L. Barber, Pastor.

Services each Sunday morning at 11:15; Services each Sunday evening at 7:30. Prayer meeting services Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Page Memorial M. E.

Rev. L. M. Hall

First Sunday—Preaching 7:30 p. m.

Second Sunday—Preaching 11 a. m.

Third Sunday—Preaching 7:30 p. m.

Fourth Sunday—Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Sunday School every Sunday at 10:00 o'clock.

Pinebluff Methodist Church

Rev. Clyde O. Newell, B. A., B. D.,

9:45 a. m.—Church School.

11:00 a. m.—Preaching Service.

6:30 p. m.—Epworth League, Junior.

7:30—Epworth League, Young People.

ONLY TWO CASES HEARD IN RECORDER'S COURT MONDAY

Only two defendants were tried in Recorder's Court on Monday of this week, which goes to show that day by day in every way we're growing better and better, or that we are learning how to more successfully evade "the law."

Willie Hampton, colored, was found guilty of a simple assault. His 90-day sentence was to be suspended upon the payment of the costs and upon condition that he behave himself and not violate any law for six months.

W. G. Smith, white, was given thirty days on the roads for drunken driving, this to be suspended upon payment of a fine of \$50 and the

Aberdeen School Grades To Compete for Prizes

Building & Loan Association Offers \$25.00 for Work on Thrift Campaign

For the past several years the Aberdeen Building & Loan Association has sponsored an Essay Contest in the local schools. This year the contest is of an entirely different nature. Competition will be between the grades rather than between the pupils, as in the past.

Realizing that the boys and girls of today are Aberdeen's citizens of tomorrow, the local association believes that it is a good policy to keep in close contact with the schools and endeavor to instill in the pupils the principles of building and loan and the value of thrift as it may relate to the different phases of life, and this year the contest is being sponsored in connection with the February new stock issue and the inauguration of the Christmas Saving Club.

J. Talbot Johnson, a director in the association, met with the pupils of both schools last week and presented the plans, which was met with a great deal of enthusiasm.

Prospect cards are being given the pupils, who are to make contacts and return the signed card of the interested prospect. Signing the card in no way obligates the individual but is merely an indication of real interest, and the lead will be followed up by a Sales Committee from the association. The grades with winning percentages of stock actually sold from prospects turned in will be declared the winners. The prizes, totaling \$25.00, are in cash and are of sufficient value to merit real competition between the grades.

BASKETBALL TEAMS WIN AND LOSE DURING WEEK

Southern Pines basketball teams split even this week, each winning and losing one game. The girls lost to Elise Monday night with a score of 24 to 14. Eleanor Eddy was high scorer with nine points while Mary Elizabeth Cameron was right behind her chalking up eight. Again Virginia Stevick kept the score down by excellent guarding. In the Carthage game, which the girls won 14 to 7, considerable improvement in the team work was noticed, Southern Pines holding Carthage to one single point until the half. It looks like the girls have at last found their strength and will be going places.

The boys won a thriller from Elise by the hair raising score of 23 to 21. It was nip and tuck all the way but in the last thirty seconds of play George Pottle sank a pretty shot to win the game and relieve the tension. George also had high score but Bob Beck was right behind. Bill Winters floor work was very good and had the other team bewildered. In the Carthage game the boys did not show their usual strength but they will doubtless snap out of this lethargy. The final score was 21 to 3.

MANY NEW BOOKS ON SHELVES AT S. P. LIBRARY

The regular monthly meeting of the Southern Pines Library Association was held at the Library last Tuesday. The report of the Finance Committee showed among other things that on February 1st the Library had four Patron, 54 Sustaining and 53 Annual members. Donations of money to the amount of \$28.00 were received during the month of January.

The librarian reported that the circulation for January was 852 books, and the attendance 616. The Library purchased 18 new books and 17 others were donated by friends.

The following new books were put into circulation during the month: Gallybird, by Sheila Kaye Smith; Shipmates, Isabel Cates; Morning Shows the Day, Helen Hull; The Proud Servant, Margaret Irwin; Dust At The Grove, Samuel Rogers; Lust For Life, Irving Stone; Heaven Is My Destination, Thornton Wilder; Yonder Sails The Mayflower, Morrow; Magnificent Obsession, Lloyd Douglas; Hell, Said The Duchess, Michael Arlen; Mr. Pinkerton Finds A Body, David Frome; Murder Calling, White-law; Lost Paradise, Robert T. Corfin; Why Not Try God, Mary Pickford; Earth Conquerors, J. Leslie Mitchell; Little Era In Old Russia, Irene Skariatina; Confessions Of A Scientist, Raymond Dittmars; Not I, But The Wind, Fredia Lawrence; Robert E. Lee, Douglas S. Freeman.

TURKEY DINNER

The Willing Workers of the Southern Pines Baptist Church will serve a turkey dinner at the church next Tuesday, February 12th at 12:30.

costs. His driver's license was suspended for 90 days.

Patch Now Showing

Smart Dobbs Hats in Straws and Spring Felts

New Cotton Knitted Suits in Novelty Yarns, Pastel Shades

Special Prices on Boucle Suits

White Flannel and Smart Plaid Separate Skirts\$2.25 to \$10.00

New Spring Blouses in Silk and Linen\$1.95 to \$6.95

Saturday Specials

One Rack Dresses, values to \$15.00, Choice\$6.95

Balance of heavy Knitted Suits 25% reduction.

Leather Coats, one rack, Special\$9.00

Full Fashioned Pure Silk Hose, Special, pair69c

C. T. PATCH DEPARTMENT STORE
SOUTHERN PINES, N. C.

Theatre

At Pinehurst

"Devil Dogs of the Air," a mighty romance of the flying marines, the attraction at the Pinehurst Theatre Monday, February 11th, matinee and night, is based on a story by John Monk Saunders dealing with the aviation corps of the U. S. Marines. It again brings together the inimitable trio who appeared in "Here Comes the Navy," James Cagney, Pat O'Brien and Frank McHugh. Margaret Lindsay has the leading feminine role. Included in the supporting cast are 1,000 Marines who take part as extras or in bit parts. There are any number of dare-devil flying stunts with planes crashing and men leaping from their blazing ships in parachutes. Spectacular maneuvers of the Marine Corps, with the U. S. S. Maccan, as well as scores of airplanes in battle formation and a dozen warships participating add to the many thrills in the picture. Running through it all is a fascinating romance in which one pretty girl holds a whole corps of marines to heel.

Barbara Stanwyck's latest starring picture, "The Woman in Red," the attraction at Pinehurst Wednesday, February 13th, matinee and night, is based on Wallace Irwin's best selling novel, "North Shore," and is filled with thrills and intensely dynamic situations as well as a glowing romance. A society horse show, staged at the famous Los Angeles Breakfast Club, and with some of the finest and bluest blooded horses of the West Coast taking part, adds to the interest of the production. There also are exciting polo matches in which Gene Raymond, Miss Stanwyck's romantic lead, and one of the best horsemen in Hollywood, takes active part. This is the first time Miss Stanwyck and Raymond have been cast together and the couple are said to make an ideal pair of screen lovers. Genevieve Tobin has the role of a wealthy but vixenish society woman, Miss Stanwyck's rival for the love of Raymond.

Drama, comedy and romance are the essentials of the production, "One More Spring," the attraction at Pinehurst, Friday, February 15th, matinee and night, which once again unites the popular stars of "Paddy the Next Best Thing," and "Daddy Long Legs," Warner Baxter and Jan-

et Gaynor. Fundamentally the elements of the story are those that hit right home to practically everybody. It is a yarn of today, told in a delightful and somewhat ironic strain with vivid contrasting comedy and appealing romance, a note of humaneness being continually evident in every phase of the picture's entertainment. Baxter and Miss Gaynor are ably supported.

At Southern Pines

"The Winning Ticket," the attraction at the Southern Pines Theatre Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, February 11, 12, 13th with a Tuesday matinee, deals with the recent craze for sweepstake lotteries, and is made for laughs and a touch of homely sentiment. With down-to-earth comedy that borders on the nonsensical and a light romance accompanying, "The Winning Ticket" is the story of an Italian barber and his family. Holder of a ticket that wins one of the capital prizes in the Grand National Sweepstakes, it is packed with potential fun in action, dialogue, gags and situations. Leo Carrillo is starred as the barber and in a character similar to that which was his in the stage play, "Lambardi, Ltd." In support will be seen Louise Fazenda, Ted Healy, Irene Hervey and James Ellison.

The attraction at Southern Pines Thursday, Friday and Saturday, February 14, 15, 16, with a Saturday matinee, is a return engagement of the long awaited production, "The Lives of a Bengal Lancer," adapted from the famous novel of the same name. Here is flavorful, human entertainment, gallantly and glamorously told, fashioned of British frontier courage and spanning the elements of laughter, spectacle, melodrama, beauty and tender heart interest. As replacements to the Bengal Lancers, in India, assigned to Captain Gary Cooper, come Franchot Tone, experienced Lieutenant and Richard Cromwell, fresh from Sandhurst, England's West Point. The situation of Cromwell, as the some of Sir Guy Standing, Colonel in command, but with no favors asked, flings Cooper, Tone and Cromwell together in a soldierly camaraderie, a relationship fraught with rare feeling and high comedy. The supporting cast includes Monte Blue, Kathleen Burke, Lumsden Hare and others.

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THE Carolina Theatres Pinehurst--Southern Pines PRESENT

DEVIL DOGS OF THE AIR
JAMES CAGNEY PAT O'BRIEN MARGARET LINDSAY FRANK McHUGH

At Pinehurst Monday, Feb. 11th, 3:00 and 8:15

Babara Stanwyck and Gene Raymond in "The Woman in Red" adapted from Wallace Irwin's novel, "North Shore."

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The WINNING TICKET
LEO CARRILLO LOUISE FAZENDA TED HEALY

At Southern Pines Mon., Tues., Wed., Feb. 11, 12, 13—8:15 Matinee Tuesday at 3:00

The LIVES of a BENGAL LANCER
GARY COOPER FRANKHOT TONE RICHARD CROMWELL SIR GUY STANDING

Southern Pines Thu.-Fri.-Sat., Feb. 14, 15, 16—8:15 Matinee Saturday at 3:00