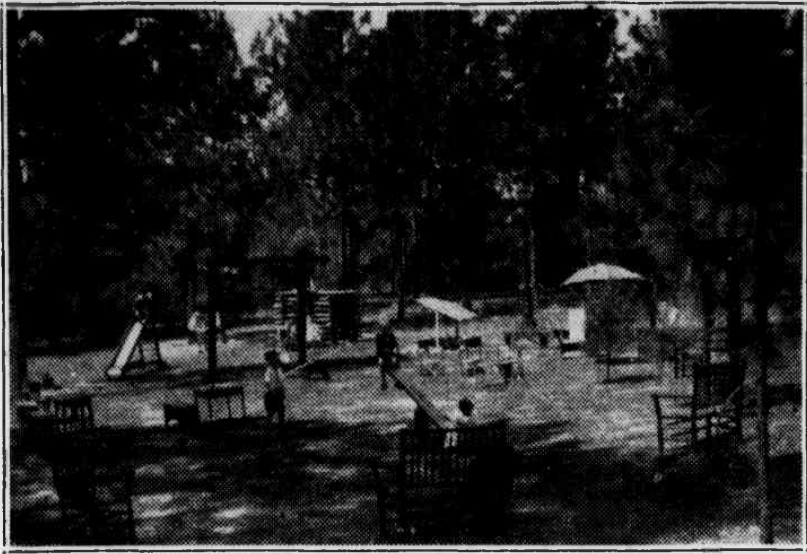


Home School Children Entertain



The pupils of "The Home School" of Southern Pines gave a May party on Wednesday, May 13th, to which the parents and friends were invited. It was held on the playground, the children entertaining with songs, folk dancing, symbolic games and a May pole dance. The music by Miss Bishop, Miss Yeomans and Mrs. Hodgkins was very much appreciated by everyone. The school closes May 15th, and reopens October 5th.

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Laughing Around the World
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Where Higher Education Would Have Landed Him

By IRVIN S. COBB

SOME fifteen years ago there landed in New York a friendless and almost penniless Russian immigrant. He was of a likable disposition, and speedily made acquaintances who sought to aid him. One of them sponsored him for the vacant post of janitor, or *shammos*, to use the common Hebrew word, of a small synagogue on a side street.



But when the officers of the congregation found out the applicant was entirely illiterate they reluctantly denied him employment, inasmuch as a *shammos* must keep certain records.

The greenhorn quickly rallied from his disappointment. He got a job elsewhere. He prospered. Presently he became a dabbler in real-estate.

Within ten years he was one of the largest independent operators in East Side tenement-house property and popularly rated as a millionaire. An occasion arose when he needed a large amount of money to swing what promised to be a profitable deal. Finding himself for the moment short of cash he went to the East Side branch of one of the large banks.

It was the first time in his entire business career that he had found it necessary to borrow extensively. He explained his position to the manager, who knew of his success, and asked for a loan of fifty thousand dollars.

"I'll be very glad to accommodate you, Mr. Rabin," said the banker. "Just sit down there at that desk and make out a note for the amount."

The caller smiled an embarrassed smile. "If you please," he said, "you should be so good as to make out the note and then I should sign it."

"What's the idea?" inquired the bank manager puzzled.

"Well, you see," he confessed, "I haf to tell you somethings: Myself, I cannot read and write. My wife she has taught me how to make my own name on paper, but otherwise with me reading and writing is nix."

In amazement the banker stared at him. "Well, well, well!" he murmured admiringly. "And yet, handicapped as you've been, inside of a few years you have become a rich man! I wonder what you'd have been in this country by now if only you had been able to read and write?"

"A *shammos*," said Mr. Rabin modestly.

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The Week in Southern Pines

Miss Sara Durant of Queens-Chlor College, Charlotte spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Durant.

Dr. and Mrs. Sherman T. Lewis of New Bern, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gifford.

Malcolm Grover spent the week-end at his home in Southern Pines.

Mrs. Clarine Agnew is visiting her mother, Mrs. D. J. Welch.

J. J. Stroud, student at State College in Raleigh spent the week-end at his home here.

Mrs. C. L. Hayes left Sunday for New York City on a buying trip for her shop here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wicker and children, Jane and Dick of Schenectady, N. Y., are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maples.

Miss M. M. Emley and Mrs. A. L. Sharpe left a few days ago for their home in New Jersey where they will spend the summer.

The Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Willis Serl were visitors in town over the week-end from Florida en route to their home in Delavan, Wis.

Charles Stevick of Duke Medical School spent the week-end in Southern Pines.

Miss Geneva Hall of Salisbury, was a week-end visitor in town.

Miss Martha Sargent is spending a few days in Durham.

Mrs. Bessie Wiley of Massachusetts returned Thursday to her home there following several weeks' stay in Southern Pines.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Walter spent Wednesday in Southern Pines en route to their home in Philadelphia.

Miss Allie Blue of Richmond, Virginia is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Blue for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Plesses who have been in Florida for the winter were guests of friends in town last Friday enroute to their home in Marlboro, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bird and Miss Myrtle Bird have returned to their home in Massachusetts following a short stay in Southern Pines.

Miss E. W. Hobbs and Miss L. R. Richardson of Florida spent Sunday in town en route to their home in Gloucester, Mass.

W. R. Vann of Wilmington is spending a week in Southern Pines as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Ruggles.

Herman Keber left Saturday for his home in New York City following a winter's stay in Southern Pines.

Howard Hassell has returned to Southern Pines following several days spent in Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Himan Dewinds have returned to their home in New York City.

Mrs. W. E. McCord left Wednesday for New York City from whence she will sail shortly for a summer abroad.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Ramsey are leaving the first of next week for New York City. They will go abroad for the summer.

Father T. A. Williams is spending a few days in Hershey, Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Burns of Rockville Center, New York returned Sunday to their home there following a winter's stay here.

Mrs. Mattie Pickett of Massachusetts returned to her home Monday after spending several months in Southern Pines.

Mr. and Mrs. Heaton I. Treadway and small daughter left Thursday for their home in Stockbridge, Mass.

Miss Bertha Sadler has returned to her home in New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Spear left Tuesday for their home in New York City.

The Senior B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist Church enjoyed a weiner roast at Manley Springs Tuesday evening.

Mrs. William Roth and family spent Sunday in Greensboro as the guests of Mrs. J. D. Whitt.

Judge and Mrs. J. S. Manning of Raleigh were guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Milliken Friday on the occasion of little Louise Milliken's fifth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Pottle and Miss Dorothy Pottle left last Friday for Jefferson Highland, N. H., for the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Davis left last Friday for their summer home in Jefferson, N. H., after passing the winter here.

Mrs. A. R. Wolfe and family left this week for Altoona, Pa., to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Waterman left this week for Bethlehem, N. H.

Mortimer Abbot entertained at five tables of Bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Nichols in Weymouth Heights Saturday evening.

Mrs. Mary C. Brown, mother of Mrs. Lillian Miles returned Friday from the Moore County Hospital.

Miss Ruth Raymond has gone to Statesville to spend several days.

Mrs. Ruth Barkmer returned Monday from a week's stay in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Morell Bentley spent Friday in town with his mother Mrs. Carlton Wicker. With Mr. Bentley were Walter Pettit and Alan Vaughn from Asheville School, here for the tennis matches.

The Willing Workers of the Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Louise Sheipers at her home on Conn. Avenue next Tuesday night at 8:00.

Mrs. Winnie Dodge has returned from a week's visit in Winston-Salem with her daughter, Dr. Eva Dodge.

The Willing Workers of the Baptist Church met with Mrs. A. L. Adams Wednesday afternoon at her home on Rhode Island Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Simonds and Mrs. Harry Lewis motored to Myrtle Beach Monday.

The Baptist Church enjoyed a picnic at Mr. Stinson's Farm last Thursday. About 150 people were present. Games were played and races run. Prizes were given to the winners. After the picnic supper a Prayer service was led by Miss Mary Richardson.

Mrs. B. H. Thompson has returned to her home in Chesterfield, N. H., after spending the winter with Mrs. C. A. Maze.

Next Wednesday night, May 27th, the Baptist Church will serve an outdoor Cafeteria supper and hold a strawberry festival in Mrs. Greason's Grove at the corner of Vermont Avenue and May Street at 5:00. The public is invited. A short program will be given after the supper. In case of rain the supper will take place in the Highland Lodge.

HOEY HITS AT McDONALD
IN ABERDEEN TALK

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put the tax back on land. But to keep from doing that, I believe, we cannot repeal the sales tax entirely at this time. However, I do favor taking it off the necessities of life at once and I believe that the State, with the help of a committee of merchants, can work out a plan to make the sales tax less irritating and objectionable and devise a new method of levying it which will make it much easier for customers and merchants alike."

The candidate also proposed that since the State was already bearing the whole burden of the school system they should logically go a step further and furnish all books to the students; which, it seems, would have admirable results in many ways.

Mr. Hoey was introduced by Judge J. Vance Rowe of Aberdeen.

TAYLOR CHEMICAL PLANT
DESTROYED BY FIRE

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paint on cars parked several hundred feet away were ruined, struck some of the firemen down, overcome and fighting for breath. Among those injured were Norfleet Pleasants, Howard Russell, J. A. Lawrence and Charles Pleasants. The first two named are reported to be still suffering from the gas.

Following calls for assistance fire apparatus and men from Carthage, Pinehurst, Pinebluff, Hamlet, Raeford and two companies from Southern Pines responded for a battle that lasted over three hours. The Taylor plant, with damages estimated at \$25,000 or more, is partly covered by insurance. The warehouse carried a complete stock of spraying and other orchard material, two carloads having been unloaded less than a week ago.

Jack Taylor, owner of the company, purchased it from the Woolfolk Company of Georgia in 1932 and it was one of Aberdeen's largest business concerns. He has already opened another temporary plant in the Sounders' Warehouse, with a full stock of supplies for the peach growers. His plans for re-building are uncertain at present.

CHANDLER GIVES BOARD'S
REASON FOR PURCHASE

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faith and their criticism is appreciated as it has taught me that no matter how hard one tries it is well nigh impossible to please everyone.

"The enrollment for 1936-37 in the first three grades proposed to be placed in this building so far as we can estimate it at this time is 96; of whom 43 live on the East side of the railroad and 53 live on the West side of the railroad. It would appear that the judgment of the committee in respect to location is not far wrong.

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All that is modern in the house is personified in the 1936 Frigidaire which recently went on display here. With the revolutionary "meter-miser," a mechanical unit that cuts operating cost to the bone, the new Frigidaire offers hitherto unheard of economy, style, capacity and freezing ability. Lilyan Graft, left, demonstrates it for Jerry Mitchell, a visitor to Frigidaire's famous experimental kitchen.

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