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Pinehurst

FIVE CENTS

COLORED MAN OF CARTHAGE FIRST MOORE DRAFTEE

Willie Harrington Holds No. 158, Cameron Man Second Number Called by President

3,441 AFFECTED HERE

Willie Elvin Harrington, colored, of Route 3, Carthage, is the owner in Moore county of draft number 158, first pulled from the goldfish bowl in Washington Tuesday by Secretary of War Stimson, George Robert Collins, white, Route 1, Cameron, held No. 192, second called.

registrants were affected in this With himself as president and all the county by the drawing, but only a few of these will be called in the first quota of some 30,000 men. The pres- Shut-In League. ent plan of the government is to have 800,000 by June 15th.

The first Southern Pines number called on Tuesday was held by John Blanks for the afflicted to sign Robert Gilchrist, colored, No. 3294. These blanks read In Aberdeen William Junior Caviness colored had the honor, and in Pinehurst, it was Ernest Jackson Hart- tunity for All. sell, white, No. 2877.

their draft boards in the order in fense Forces NOT on paper, but which their numbers were drawn on into Active Service-on Land, Sea Tuesday, so that Willie Harrington and in the Air. will be the first to face Frank Sham- "A United Nation at Peace with burger of Aberdeen, Clyde Shaw of itself, through Cooperation of Bus-Carthage and Marvin Ritter of Hemp, iness and Government, Labor and members of the Moore county board. Agriculture. This will start the classification of "A Real Business Administration the men enrolled, and the weeding that will give the People a Chance cut process. Men needed in defense to Understand and Control the Vast men with physical diabilities will be spending. excused in the first call, and conscientious objectors will have an op- Men are the Strongest Men, and the portunity to state their cases. If Natural Way of Life is the Demotheir reasons are found valid, they cratic, Self-Governing Way. will be exempted from military seryear spent at work of national im- the principles of Wendell L. Willkie, is one of the main objectives of the portance.

Grill, Southern Pines, heard the section. A nation-wide snow of hands' for Mr. Willkie by shut-ins of hands' for Mr. Will be will be a shut-ins of hands' for Mr. Will be will be will b spoonful of soup halted in midair. It widespread demand for a return to schools. From July 1, 1939 to June 30, a charge of murder. was his. There was a scramble to the responsible government. It would be 1940 our clinic gave 1,100 eye tests An argument between the two men Carthage by those who hadn't learn- campaign." ed what their numbers were. All numbers were posted there.

crder in which all Moore county Willkie Shut-In League_has been ished. draftees will be called up, but the prodigious. From every nook and "During the year 1939-1940 we also He is survived by a wife and two Bird Club Members first 40-odd, which should provide the full quota for Moore county in the have come names, names and more tor who contacted the blind throughfirst call to the colors, are as fol- names, of shut-ins for Wilkie. "It's cut the county and taught many of Southern Pines cemetery. Hainsworth Hear Dr. Johnson of Mattamus- voting for the head of the Republi-

Col. Carthage Route 3; 192 George next President, his name would be kets, baskets, etc. We subscribed to Court. Robert Collins, Cameron Route 1; Wendell L. Willkie." 105. Robert O. McKenzie, Jackson Springs, RFD; 2441—David Vander RED CROSS WORKERS TO Goodson, col., Hemp; 2563-Howard Franklin Davis, Hemp; 188-Caldwell Cameron, col., Cameron; 120_ Hemp R. F. D. 2; 2914 John Willatt 3:00 o'clock at the Civic Club, mission to conduct our clinic this

Springs, R. F. D. 2, Box 61; 2148-present. Kenneth Malcolm Combs, Pinebluff; 2698-Henry Marsh, col., West End; 8846_William Junior Caviness, col.. Cameron, R. F. D. 1; 161—Carlee Mc-Peele Oglesby (daughter of Mrs. Altary. Aberdeen Lions Club, Aber-from Lumberton, Laurinburg, Fay-has made a study of the gulls of his ctteville, Hamlet and other cities. 163; 3011 - Isaac Virgle Johnson Sydney Strother Smith, Jr., of Rich-Cameron, R. F. D. 1; 3294—John mond, Va., was solemnized last Sat- Nathan M. Minton, badly injured in St. Anthony parish hall, after which relating to the story of how in 1848 Bragg, addressing the Fifth District col., Southern Pines; 14-James De- of honor. witt Ritter, col., Hemp, R. F. D. 1; 2259_Wesley Floyd Hart, Carthage, R. F. D., 3; 2771_Silas Monroe Porter, West End, R. F. D. 1.

2502-Thomas Alonzo Cheek, Hemp, deen and Carthage will be closed all to attend. His condition seems some-(Please turn to page four)

Southern Pines Headquarters of National Willkie Organization

John Putnam, Son of Famed Writer, Launched Shut-In League at Pinecrest Manor

Probably not a dozen people know it, but Southern Pines has been the headquarters of a national Willkie-For-President organization during the current political campaign.

Conceived and put into execution by John Francis Putnam, the plan was a novel one. Mr. Putnam, a patient at the Pinecrest Manor Sanatorium here, submitted it to Republican National Headquarters and received the unqualified approval of the party leaders. Putnam, who is a son Willkie's secretary: of Nina Wilcox Putnam, noted writ-Thirty-four hundred and forty-one er, then put his program into effect. other officers_because he needed no others-he organized the Willkie

There are thousands of shut-ins in 400,000 in service by February 28th, the United States. Putnam procured a list of sanatoria throughout the country. To these he sent Roster

"Wendell L. Willkie Stands For "America, as the Land of Oppor-

"An Adequate Defense Program The draftees will be called before with the Driving Power to get De-

industries, men with dependents, and Sums of Money that Washington is Success of Program in Aberdeen sponsored by the Sandpipers Club. they had completed a new building the State Legislature and the five

"Individual Liberty, because Free

Space forbids publication of the Since then his mail—the mail of the pairs of glasses were fitted and furn-No. 158-Willie Elvia Harrington, day, "that if shut-ins could elect the Many of them learned to make blan-next Monday for trial in Superior

Red Cross workers will meet next William Hezekiah Brower, col., Thursday afternoon, November 7th, specialists from the State Blind Combert Caddell, Vass; 2670_Alex Smith. Southern Pines when material for the year. The cost of this clinic will run annual Roll Call will be distributed, from \$2.75 to \$5.75 per child that

SMITH-OGLESBY

BANKS CLOSED TUESDAY

day next Tuesday, Election Day. what better.

Word from Willkie

Bobby Cornwall Hears From Candidate's Office About His Broken Arm

Bobby Cornwall, nine-year old son of Mrs. Beverly Walter, Southern lines, is pretty happy, despite his broken arm. The story of how Bobby broke it in a fight for Wilkie against an army of youthful Roosevelt supporters appeared recently in The Pilot. Bobby sent a copy to Mr. Willkie, and this week received this from Mr.

Dear Bobby: Mr. Willkie was very pleased to have your letter. He wanted to answer it himself, but he knews you will understand his campaign is takng every minute of his time and it

olks who are interested in his election. He wants them especially to now what he is trying to do for the country, since it is persons like yourself who will benefit most through the at the clubhouse. years ahead, if the things he is fighting for can be maintained.

Cordially yours, R. L. JOHNSON.

CONSERVATION OF SIGHT PROJECT OF ABERDEEN LIONS

Prompts Club To Make Countrywide Effort

sponsor a Sight Conservation pro-"We, the Undersigned Shut-Ins of gram in Moore county during the Eugene Hainsworth Held For vice but will still be subject to a (Institution) are in agreement with next few weeks, Sight Conservation We join with him in the cause of United Lions Clubs. The Aberdeen preserving our American Heritage of club has sponsored this work for the Amos Broadway, colored, probapast few years and feels that a great bly West Southern Pines' most wide-Most ears in Moore county, as in Interviewed by The Pilot several deal of good has been accomplished. ly known resident, was shot and faall counties of the 48 states, were glued to radios on Tuesday when President Roosevelt president Roosevelt presided over the

> Mr. Putnam's letters and roster These 53 children were given a comed to have returned to the Broadway cital will be given at 3:30 in the afThe Presidential campaign has bianks went out nearly a month ago. plete examination by experts and 48 emporium to await his man. When

cranny of the 48 states of the union helped secure a State blind instruc- brothers. Funeral services were held apparent," said Mr. Putnam yester- these unfortunate folks a trade, will be arraigned in Recorder's Court the Readers Digest printed in Braille and this was passed around to the K. of C. To Hold State GET ROLL CALL MATERIAL work that has been done during the Convention Here in May past few years.

Hospital last week. His sons, Guy and Daughters. Some 60 were served. Arthur Minton, and Norris Upchurch A movement is on foot to organize The Citizens Bank and Trust Com- are being held in jail pending a a council of the Knights of Columpany, Southern Pines, and the Bank hearing, which will be held as soon bus here. 2489_Lacy Albert Brown, Hemp; of Pinehurst, with branches in Aber- as the elder Minton is physically able

HERE ON SUNDAY

Sandpipers Staging First Golf Event of Season at S. P. Country Club

WOMEN PLAY ON TUESDAY

The Sandpipers, the men's golfing organization at the Southern Pines Country Club, will hold its first tournament of the season this Sunday, November 3rd. Emmett E. Golden, president of the club, has extended an invitation to all visiting golfers at the country club to play in the tournament. It is to be an 18-hole medal event. Plans are being made for a large turn-out. The tournament will be played over the championship course and is expected to be one of the outstanding Autumn golf events.

The first of the women's golfing events is a donkey-elephant tourna-He is always glad to learn of young club next Tuesday, November 5th. ment to be played at the country Mrs. Roy Grinnell, president of the Pine Dodgers, sponsors of the tournament, has announced that the tournament will be followed by a luncheon

Amos Broadway Dies

Murder Following Fracas in W. Southern Pines

was shot in the back.

To Plan Gathering.—May Have Council Here

Henry Baxter Blue, col., Carthage.

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Mr. Hunt announced yesterday. All here are 42,000 geese day getting out the full strength of at the refuge and 35,000 ducks, along 2451 — Cornell Turney, Jackson chairmen and helpers are urged to be test, a thorough examination and a vention in Southern Pines next May. with 5,000 to 6,000 whistling swan, pair of glasses. The cost will vary State officers were here last Sun-and during the winter it takes anyaccording to the condition of the pa- day to make the necessary plans, where from 80 to 90 tons of grain tients eyes. Contributions to the wor- coming from Asheville, Wilmington, to feed them. thy cause are invited and donations Greensboro and Raleilgh. They were Dr. A. M. Woodbury, president of Aberdeen; 2764—Daniel Grady Frye, The wedding of Miss Elizabeth should be sent to T. S. Melvin, secre- joined here by prominent Catholics the Audubon Society of Utah, who The conference was held in the old state gave some brief scientific facts of the new building program at Fort Robert Gilchrist, col., Southern urday in Richmond. Mrs. Norman a shooting affray near Vass on Octo- they adjourned to the new hall on the gulls saved the Mormons' crops Pines: 2470_Jacob Nathian Steel, B. Calcutt of Pinehurst was matron ber 7, was transferred from the Lee East Broad street where supper was by eating the grasshoppers. County Hospital to the Moore County served the group by the Catholic

6:45, close at 5:15.

TOURNAMENTS TO Polls Open Tuesday 2 GET UNDER WAY For National, State, County Elections. - 989 Registered

Willkie 3 to 2

Sandhills Kiwanis Club Poll Gives G. O. P. Candidate 24, Roosevelt 16

In a secret poll taken on the Presidential campaign at the meeting of the Sandhills Kiwanis Club on Wednesday in the Aberdeen Community House the result was as follows:

Willkie, 24; Roosevelt, 16.

OBSERVE FOURTH ANNIVERSARY OF BAPTIST CHURCH

First Worship in New Auditorium in 1936, Though Church Dates Back To '83

The First Baptist Church of Sou-The Southern Pines sports calent thern Pines will celebrate next Sundar, just off the press, lists several day morning the anniversary of its other golf events for November, Sec- first worship in the present church ond on the schedule will be an Ar- auditorium. This first occasion was mistice Day tournament scheduled four years ago, but regular services for Sunday and Monday, November had been conducted in the basement 10th and 11th, A Kickers Handicap fro three months previous. The histournament on Saturday, November tory of the church, however, dates 16th, and a Thanksgiving tournament hack to 1883 when its location was _18 holes medal play_on Thursday, in Manley. In May, 1889 the pastor, November 28th are also on the sche- W. L. Wright together with 32 memdule. All of these tournaments are bers came to Southern Pines where are still with the church.

building is not complete it is free of President Roosevelt presided over the can play a definite part in this comdrawing in Washington and read off the first few numbers pulled from the first few numbers pulled from the heavy A traveling selection. By persuading our visitors and relatives to vote for Mr. to the whole county this year if the churches in the Sandy Creek Bapland Cagle, Republican; Frank in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the tors and relatives to vote for Mr. The local church stood third in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the ber the local church stood third in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the ber the local church stood third in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the ber the local church stood third in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the ber the local church stood third in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the ber the local church stood third in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the ber the local church stood third in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the ber the local church stood third in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the ber the local church stood third in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the ber the local church stood third in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the ber the local church stood third in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the colored settlement for many years, died Sunday noon in the colored settlement for many years, die the bowl. A traveling salesman from Wilkie we are taking a real part dent F. D. Farrell told The Pilot this Moore County Hospital, Hainsworth with Lord to the local church stood third in Con., Gordon Cameron by Henry B. gave himself up to Night Patrolman membership gains and second in per Frye, Dunlap by Roy Garner and

church for the day and an organ re- H. Fry for surveyor.

keet Refuge and Dr. Woodbury of Utah

Pines Bird Club attended the fall me." They are anti-Third Term and meeting of the North Carolina Bird anti-New Deal. A fairly close vote Club held at Charlotte last Friday. is predicted in the county. The race Dr. Maynard S. Johnson, rianager of nationally is expected to be a close 'We have made arrangements for Officials Visit Southern Pines the Mattamuskeet Nation Wild Life one, recent polls showing a decided Refuge, and principal speaker ad- trend to Willkie in the last stages of dressed about 100 bird-lovers from the campaign. various parts of the state. Dr. John-The Knights of Columbus of North son gave some very interesting facts, workers will put in a busy day Tues-

BUYS MERRIT PROPERTY

purchased the F. E. Merrill property on North Ashe street and is repainting, repa-Vote early Tuesday. Polls open at pering and otherwise renovating the

Civic Club, Voting Place in Southern Pines. To Be Open Until 5:15 P. M.

ROOSEVELT OR WILLKIE?

Next Tuesday is Election Day for National, State and county officials. Polls will open in Moore county at 6:45 a. m. and remain open until 5:15 p. m. The polling place in Southern Pines will be at the Civic Club. Pennsylvania avenue and Ashe street -not as in the past at the Municipal Building on East Broad street.

The total registration in the Southern Pines precinct was announced this week by Registrar Hiram Westbrook

The balloting will be on the national offices of President and Vice-President of the United States, the candidates of the major parties being Franklin D. Roosevelt for President, Henry A. Wallace for Vice-President on the Democratic ticket; Wendell L. Willkie for President, Charles L. McNary for Vice President on the Republican ticket.

In the State election, J. M. Broughton of Raleigh is the Democratic candidate for Governor, and Robert H. McNeill of Statesville the Republican candidate.

Congressman W. O. Burgin of Lexington will have as his Repubican opponent F. D. B. Harding. There is no U. S. Scnatorial election this year,

Few Local Contests

The only county contests are for at the corner of Connecticut avenue seats on the Board of County Comand Page street. This remained the missioners, J. Hawley Pooleof West The Aberdeen Lions Club plans to After Jimtown Shooting church's edifice until August, 1936. End is the Democratic candidate for well, Jr., of Carthage the Republi-Since moving to the present loca- can nominee. The entire present memtion the church has experienced con- bership of the County Board, all siderable progress. Although the Democratic, is standing for re-elec-

All friends and past members are J. Vance Rowe of Aberdeen, Demof hands' for Mr. Wilkie by shut-ins of hands' f home-coming and anniversary wor- judge of the Recorder's Court, W. A. second floor of the courthouse at Courthouse at Courthouse by these who hadn't learn. The second floor of the courthouse at Courthouse at Courthouse by these who hadn't learn. would need a thorough examination. about midnight Hainsworth is alleg-

> been a heated one in Moore county, with a reported widespread defection by Democrats from Mr. Rooseat Charlotte Meeting velt to Mr. Willkie. A number of prominant lifelong Democrats are ing their switch in the words of Mr. Willkie himself: "I didn't leave the Four members of the Southern Democratic party; the party left

Both Democratic and Republican

Vote early,

ENGINEER OUTLINES BIG

PROBLEM AT FORT BRAGG

Colonel Lawrence L. Simpson, construction quartermaster in charge of the North Carolina Building and Loan League at its meeting in the Southern Pines Country Club Tuesday night, stated it was almost impossible to visualize the overnight expansion of Fort Bragg from an encampment of a few thousand men to a post of 20,000 at the present, with an ultimate goal of 66,000 by June 1st. 1941.