

Festival of Music, Drama Under Way

Moore County Schools Making "Goodwill" Visits to Present Programs

The annual music and dramatic festival of the Moore county schools is now under way, and as usual is proving quite popular. The purpose of the festival is to bring students of neighboring schools together on a non-competitive basis to promote goodwill. The visiting students give or participate in a program during the afternoon visit.

On March 31, the Cameron groups gave a play and the glee club sang at Carthage; April 1 at Vass there was a play by the ninth grade of Vass-Lakeview, music by local students and three numbers by the Farm Life Glee Club; April 2 the Westmore glee club sang at Farm Life; April 3 Carthage presented its glee club and a play at Aberdeen; April 4, Highfalls gave a play and the glee club sang at Cameron.

Programs yet to come up are as follows: April 7, Pinehurst glee club and play at West End; April 8, Vass play at Hemp; April 9, Aberdeen play and glee club at High Falls; April 10, West End play and glee club at Westmore; April 11, Hemp glee club at Southern Pines; April 14, Southern Pines glee club and play at Pinehurst.

EASTER CANTATA AT CHURCH OF WIDE FELLOWSHIP

The Sandhills Choral Society are entering their final rehearsals on the Easter Festival program to be given at the Church of Wide Fellowship, Easter Sunday night at 8:00 o'clock.

A chorus of fifty voices, with assisting soloists, will present portions of the Cantata, "Cross and Crown" with interpolations of special numbers from Gaul's "Holy City" and from "The Seven Last Words of Christ" by Du Bois.

KEN RICHTER AT CIVIC CLUB TODAY

Ken Richter, a Harvard student working his way, will present "The Primitive West," illustrated with original sound-color motion pictures, at the Civic Club today at 3:00 p. m.

The Black Hills of South Dakota, Sioux Indian ceremonial dances, Yellow Stone Park and many other scenes of breath-taking beauty will be shown. A collection will be taken and tea will be served.

Polo Sunday

Fort Bragg vs. Pinehurst on Pinehurst's No. 3 Field at 3:00 P. M. Everyone Cordially Invited



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Jay-Cees To Sponsor 3rd Annual Golf Event

Many Entries Expected to Enter Championship at Southern Pines Country Club

The Southern Pines Junior Chamber of Commerce will again sponsor the North Carolina Jay-Cee Golf Championship for the third successive year. The event will be played over the difficult No. 1 course of the Southern Pines Country Club and will be held on May 18th.

As usual the tournament will be 36 holes, medal play, with trophies for both low gross and low net and a team trophy for the club with the best aggregate four scores of any four players from their club.

The Jay-Cee Championship, won by Raleigh players the past two years, is expected to be more closely contested than ever. A number of new clubs have been formed in the state and last year's seventy-odd entries are expected to be augmented by many newcomers. Any member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce in the United States is eligible to compete in this event.

STRUTHERS BURT ON PREPARING FOR CRISIS

(Continued from page one) discipline, the will to resistance and organization of civilian populations. In the brilliant and distorted mind of democracy's arch-enemy, this last third, civilian morale, outweighs, as we are now slowly realizing, all other considerations at least as a preparation for campaigns to follow. France was lost not by its army, but by its civilian population. Hitler begins his destruction by months, by years, of what he calls "softening up." Panic, which is the final and dramatic end of this, so crowded the roads of France and Belgium with fleeing refugees that the French and Belgian and English armies could hardly move.

But Americans are not given to panics, and Americans do wonderfully in emergencies. The very best in the American is brought out by an emergency. The further you push him, the more he grins and puts his corner in order for the sound of the gong. Moreover, the American is by nature an organizer. He likes organization, he likes volunteer work, and his frame-work is always on hand: Service Clubs, Red Cross units, American Legions, Spanish War Veterans, Fraternal Orders, Churches, Boy and Girl Scouts countless other cooperative movements have already taught him individual assistance combined with community effort. There is no civilian population in the world that can so quickly organize itself for defence, for the protection of its institutions, for the maintenance of order, for the steadiness of its morale, as the American. Nor must we forget that we have some four million veterans in our midst, most of them trained soldiers, and the majority of them now civilians.

The Sandhills can see to their own interests, and they may also start a great and a sensible nation-wide movement.

PINE CAMP HOLDS OUTSTANDING MEETING

On April 1st Pine Camp No. 851, Woodmen of the World, enjoyed the largest attendance of the 1941 season. The meeting was featured by a number of fraternal talks and a sumptuous dinner. Pine Camp has accomplished many worthwhile tasks during recent months and is considered a very progressive unit.

EASTER PARTY TO BENEFIT SAINT ANTHONY'S CHURCH

Court Judge William Gaston of the Catholic Daughters of America will hold an Easter bridge and bingo party at the Highland Pines Inn on Easter Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock for the benefit of Saint Anthony's Catholic Church. Tickets will be fifty cents. Mrs. James I. Spring is in charge and a large crowd is expected, this being the first party held for the church in several months.

ART EXHIBITION

Around 50 people attended the opening of the Exhibition of Color Reproductions by Contemporary American Artists last Sunday at the shop of Robert and Ann Walker. This collection was loaned to Mr. and Mrs. Walker by the Metropolitan and will be on display until tomorrow, (Saturday). The public is cordially invited to view the exhibit.

March Weather

Average Temperature For Month 6.8 Degrees Below Normal—19 Days Clear

In common with March of 1940, which recorded a loss of 7.5 degrees, the past month dropped 6.8 degrees below the normal average temperature of 53.6 degrees. This was due to the low temperatures of early mornings of which the record of the 18th of the month is a fair example. On this day the minimum temperature was 29 degrees and the maximum temperature 73 degrees a variation of 44 degrees.

Bright sunshine marked nineteen days of the month, six days were cloudy, two days part clear and four days with rain. During the night of the 13th and early morning of the 14th, one and one half inches of snow was deposited. The total rainfall for the month was 4.22 inches, 58 inches more than normal reducing the deficiency for the year to 4.60 inches.

Seventeen days of the month registered 60 degrees or above the highest 73 degrees on the 20th. The lowest temperature for the month was 12 degrees recorded on the 18th. Spring came in on the evening of the 20th, the following day clear maximum temperature 70, minimum 43.

Long time	Max.	Min	Aver.
average	65.6	41.7	53.6
1940	62	30	46.1
1941	62.1	30.3	46.2

CHAIN PARTIES NET OVER \$5,000 FOR HOSPITAL

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erous other affairs. Many friends who could not arrange or attend functions sent their contributions anyway.

The meeting warmly applauded the announcement that Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Razook had contributed to the Auxiliary \$533.75 representing one half the proceeds of the Fashion Promenade presented on March 18, and that they had sent an equal sum to the local chapter of the British Relief.

The directors of the hospital are particularly gratified over the success of the Auxiliary undertakings, and join the Auxiliary membership in expressing thanks to everyone who helped with and supported the entertainments.

The fact has been often stressed that every individual in this section resident and visitor alike, has a personal interest in the maintenance of a good hospital. In the face of urgent appeals from abroad,—appeals of great importance,—we should not forget that health and welfare at home cannot be neglected. To do our part in the national emergency we must first of all be strong.

During the past year over 1900 inpatients were accommodated at the Moore County Hospital. Every effort is made to see that each patient able to do so pays his bill in full, but a large number must be admitted who can pay only a little or nothing. The Duke Endowment's annual gift of a dollar a day for each non-paying patient is an enormous help, but it represents only one fifth of a charity charge that must somehow be met. The hospital carries a very heavy burden, but its work affects directly the security and welfare of every citizen and visitor. To the important part played by the officers and membership of the Auxiliary in helping with that burden, the season's record bears emphatic witness.

FORT BRAGG'S POLO TEAM MEETS PINEHURST SUNDAY

Pinehurst's No. 1 Polo team, composed of Earl Shaw, Merrill Fink, Stanley Taylor and B. R. Brown will meet Fort Bragg for Sunday's polo feature on No. 3 field. The game will open at 3:00 o'clock.

Fort Bragg will have a new player in the line-up, Lieut. Col. Richard B. Willis, commanding officer of the 15th battalion, fifth regiment, Lieut. Col. Willis recently took this command at Fort Bragg, having been transferred by Uncle Sam just recently, from command of the 77th division, New York. Willis has played polo for 20 years, and as recently as last Spring, when he competed in games at Governor's Island.

The other three men on the Fort Bragg team will be Major Eugene Harrison, Capt. Ralph Cooper and Lieut. Milton Untermeyer. Major General Jacob L. Devers, commanding officer at Fort Bragg, is expected to be on hand, to referee the game with Col. George P. Hawes, Jr., of Pinehurst.

Sandhills Young People Win College Honors

Athletic Club Officers and Aberdeen Youth Are "In the News"

Girls from this section captured three of the five offices at a recent Athletic Association election at Greensboro College. They are Miss Nancy Richardson of Pinehurst, president; Miss Mary Jon Thomas of Jonesboro, vice-president; Miss Lamar Spencer of Carthage, secretary. Other officers are Miss Annie Hodges, of Raleigh, treasurer, and Miss Jacquelyn Campen, of Goldsboro, cheer leader.

A large picture of these girls with Miss Agnes Jeter, head of the department of physical education of the college, appeared in Sunday's News and Observer.

Tony Huntley of Aberdeen was also "in the news" in the same edition, his photograph and that of Charles Bradshaw of Raleigh appearing over the caption, "South America Bound."

Young Huntley, who has served as a page during the past several sessions of the legislature and who during the recent session was chief Senate page, and Bradshaw, a fellow student at the University of North Carolina, left Saturday for South America to repay the visit of South American students to the winter "summer school" at the University. They have been invited to visit Ambassador and Mrs. Josephus Daniels in Mexico City. They expect to return in June.

FOUR CALLED TO COLORS 100 GET QUESTIONNAIRES

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James Marvin Blue, Cwet Decker, Hinesley, Marshall Glenn McRae, Earthele McLeod, Marvin Lee Whitley, Charlie Carson Bullard.

Femp: Walter Edas Ritter, Connis Thomas Wallace, Archie Joe Per-son, Willie Melvin Rieves, Robert Al-ton Moore, Joseph Elwood Cox, Carl Franklin Hussey, William Artaur Caviness Johnny Connell Thompson, James Irvin Caviness, John Rufus Williamson, Hubert Cecil Dennis, Joseph Edwin Cheek, Barrie Edwards Simmons, Orman Jasper McCaskill Riley Martin Dunlap, Numie Loyd Snider, Hubert Lee Michael.

Eagle Springs: Albert Thomas Moore, Joe Isral Morgan, Howard Curtis Davis, Hessie Herman Gilbert, Cauley Lindsay Burns.

West End: Steady Leslie Headen, Lewis Delanie Frye, Mack Clyde Gram, Daniel Carl Furr, William Roo-rt Rhyne, Carey Leonard Baldwin, Earl Stewart.

Jackson Springs: Roosevelt Epper-son.

Cameron: John Leon McCrimmon, James Joseph Wallace, Paul Thom-as Parker, Ezekiel Martin, Ordel Mc-Neill, Paul Artemus Thomas, Carl Southern.

Steeds: Aaron Clarence Kennedy, Jasper Roland Sanders, Jimmy Earl Page.

Addor: Drewery Eugene Troutman, Albert Fortune Troutman.

Glendon: Roy Elwood Shields.

Pinebluff: Victor Lilly Bailey, Abram Ardell Van Boskerck, Frank William Boyte, Luther Tyner.

ANNUAL MEETING OF TECHNOLOGISTS MAY 29

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desiring, to go over to Pinehurst, see the exhibits and meet physicians attending the State Medical Society sessions.

Invitations are being extended to interested laboratory workers in the states to the south of us and it is felt that this year may be the beginning of a movement to make this a regional meeting.

There will be some interesting and coveted door prizes in store for some lucky attendants at the luncheon, chief of which, thus far, is a very valuable piece of scientific apparatus donated for such a purpose by Arthur H. Thomas Company Laboratory Supplies, Philadelphia.

Miss Annette M. Callen is chair-man of all local arrangements for this meeting. She is listed on the program to present two scientific exhibits, one of which will be accom-panied by an explanatory paper, giving full scientific and mathematical interpretation of the thirteen colored charts in this exhibit.

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