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Moore County Makes Wonderful Record in Fourth War Loan

Not Only Exceeds Over-All Quota, But Goes Well Over Top in E's

Even incomplete reports offer conclusive proof that Moore County has done a wonderful work in the Fourth War Loan Drive, with total sales to date amounting to \$707,000 or \$175,000 more than the quota. Unlike many counties, Moore has exceeded its E quota by \$61,000, selling \$421,000. Mr. McNair, chairman of this district which comprises seven counties, reported this week that Moore was the only county in his district that had already exceeded its E bond quota.

Needless to say, County Chairman E. C. Stevens is deeply appreciative of the splendid response from every section of the county.

E, F and G series bonds bought between now and the end of the month will be included in this drive.

Paul Jernigan, Southern Pines chairman, reports that he is confident that sales here will reach the \$200,000 mark. The local quota was \$160,000. Mr. Jernigan wishes to thank each member of his committee, the Women's Division and the School under the leadership of Philip Weaver for their fine co-operation and the excellent work done by each one.

The local committee was composed of Mr. Jernigan, chairman, Jimmy Hobbs, Philip Weaver, Dr. J. J. Spring, Billy Wiggs, Frank Wilson, William Flynn and Paul Van Arman.

Pinehurst Selected For Rotary Meeting

The annual conference of Rotarians of the 189th District, embracing 53 clubs from High Point to the coast in the upper half of the State, will be held in Pinehurst on May 7, 8, it was announced Saturday by District Governor Robert Madry of Chapel Hill.

Although informal invitations had been extended from other clubs in the district, Pinehurst was selected by the advisory board, composed of past district governors, because of wartime conditions and lack of adequate facilities in some of the other places considered, the district governor said.

As last year, the conference will be streamlined and compressed into a two-day program beginning Sunday night, May 7.

Several prominent speakers have been secured. They include Governor J. Melville Broughton; Carl Bote, head of the industrial division of the Smaller Plants Corporation, Washington, D. C., who was featured on the international conference program at St. Louis last May and who will be Rotary International's representative; Edmund H. Harding, of Washington, N. C., celebrated humorist; and Dr. Sylvester Green, editor of the Durham Morning Herald.

WAR BOND PARADE

Led by the High School Band, pupils of the Southern Pines Schools staged a war bond drive parade at noon Wednesday which attracted much attention. The pupils marched by grades, each grade carrying a placard proclaiming to all beholders the amount of bonds sold by that grade. Each was accompanied by its teacher, and A. C. Dawson brought up the rear.

The line of march led down New York Avenue, West Broad Street, across the railroad to East Broad and back to the school.

Sales by the school totaled \$12,773.

INCOME TAX

March 15 is deadline for filing returns. Earlier filing is desirable.

Red Cross Nurse's Aides Perform Invaluable Service



Pictured above at the entrance to the Nurses' Home, Moore County Hospital, is a group of Nurse's Aides, each of whom has been rendering invaluable service at the hospital.

On the front row are members of a class in training. From left to right they are Mrs. Lecky and Mrs. Suduth, Pinehurst; Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. P. E. Kennedy and Mrs. Oglevie,

Southern Pines.

Second row: Mrs. Taylor (colored), Pinehurst; Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Knight, Southern Pines; Mrs. Sherrard, Pinehurst; Mrs. Page, Mrs. Carlton Kennedy and Mrs. Grinnell, Southern Pines.

Third row: Mrs. Foster (colored), Pinehurst; Mrs. Burlingame, Aberdeen; Mrs. Scheipers, Southern

Pines; Mrs. Smith, Pinehurst; Mrs. Patch, Southern Pines.

Fourth row: Mrs. Roderique, Southern Pines; Mrs. Kirk, Aberdeen; Miss Bair, Mrs. Ewing and Mrs. Clark, Southern Pines; Miss Battley, Pinehurst; Mrs. Pearson, Miss Southland and Mrs. Kemp, Southern Pines.

—Photo by Hemmer

Red Cross Nurse's Aide Corps Offers Genuine Opportunity for Service in Relieving Staff Shortages at Hospitals

Volunteer Services Conduct Workshop

General Theme Is Co-ordination of Various Corps for Efficiency of Service

At the workshop for chairmen and vice-chairmen of Volunteer Special Services which was called for Thursday, February 10 at 10:30 a. m. at Red Cross Headquarters in Southern Pines, co-ordination of the various corps for efficiency and unity of service was the primary concern.

"How volunteer services function was first discussed. Mrs. Paul Dana, chairman, called attention to the chapter organization chart. Many workers in Red Cross, who have given a fine service, have never taken the trouble to acquaint themselves with the fact that a Red Cross chapter is like a family tree, with each of its branches directly proceeding from the trunk; the trunk in this case being the Executive Committee, with a chairman and vice-chairman to carry out its plans. In the case of volunteer services this chart narrows down to but one of the nine departments, or activities committees, directly responsible to the chairman and executive committee, that of Volunteer Special Services. The services active in Moore County chapter are Surgical Dressings, Canteen, Motor Corps, Nurse's Aide, and Grey Ladies of the Hospital and Recreation Corps.

How these services are pooled for efficiency and unity of purpose was an outgrowth of the first question. None of these services could perform effectively without the co-operation of one or more of the others, so all must be well trained, well staffed and in every way disciplined and responsive, if Volunteer Special Services are to maintain. Red Cross standards. Nurse's Aides and Grey Ladies as well as Motor Corps give daily service, Monday through Friday, to the hospital at Camp Mackall. Nurse's Aides as-

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A SPLENDID SHOWING

H. Clifton Blue, county chairman of the Fight Infantile Paralysis Campaign, stated this week that receipts of \$2,622.07 had been reported to him. The original quota assigned the county was \$765, but the county committee voluntarily raised this to \$1,340. This is a splendid showing for Moore County and each worker in the campaign deserves much credit.

Meeting to Be Held Today at Nurses' Home to Plan Course Starting in March

Red Cross grants no more genuine opportunity for volunteer service than that offered by the Nurse's Aide Corps. There are not enough trained nurses to care for the sick in Moore County or anywhere in the United States. Many have gone out with the hospitals attached to the armed forces to serve their country. Nurse's Aides trained to assist those who carry the heavy burden at home can be assured their help is needed and welcomed. More volunteers are needed now and Moore County Hospital doctors and nurses have graciously consented to train another class.

Army wives and Moore County residents between the ages of 18 and 50, and particularly those who know that after they are trained they can be available for service throughout the year, are encouraged to avail themselves of this opportunity. Interested women are asked to attend a meeting at the Nurses' Home, Moore County Hospital, Friday, February 18 at 10:30 a. m., when a course to start about March 1 will be planned. For any who cannot attend this meeting applications are available at Red Cross headquarters in Pinehurst and Southern Pines, or can be secured by calling Mrs. Stuart Wood, 8834, Southern Pines.

Fifty-eight Nurse's Aides, including those transferred to other locations, have received certificates in Moore County since July 1, 1941. They have given more than 10,000 hours service in Moore County at Moore County Hospital, Camp Mackall Hospital and in the county clinics. From 10 to 12 Prenatal and Well-Baby clinics alone need aides who, at present, are not always able to supply the need because of the limited number of volunteers. Women qualified for this service are asked to thoughtfully consider this opportunity.

RESULTS

"Take 'comforters' out of our ad," requested Mr. McLean at Farrell's Furniture Store in Aberdeen when this paper's representative called on him Tuesday. "The ad brought results. I sold eight to one customer," he explained.

We'll give him this much free advertising: he still had a few comforters left, but too few to advertise.

Women's Division Does Splendid Work

Workers in Carthage and Southern Pines Sell Over \$108,000

"Reports coming in from chairmen of the Women's Division of Moore County show two outstanding features, first, that the women have done an amazing amount of work on this drive, and second, that they were grateful and happy for the chance to do it," says Mrs. Norris Hodgkins, county chairman of the Women's Division.

"I would like to take this opportunity to thank both the women workers and women buyers," continues Mrs. Hodgkins. "Many women (and men also) bought bonds at the beginning of the drive and came in again at the end of the drive to buy another extra one.

"Lacking complete returns it is not possible to know how many of the bonds sold in the county were sold by the Women's Division.

"Under the inspiring leadership of Mrs. Myrton Stewart, chairman for Carthage, and Miss Flora McDonald, vice chairman for the county, the Carthage Women's Division sold \$40,000, of which \$26,000 were "E" bonds. Southern Pines Women's Division sold \$68,065.25, of which \$26,000 were "E" bonds."

GET OUT THE PENCIL

Anyone desiring to enter either the Post War Planning Contest or the Struthers Burt Mystery Telephone Call Contest is invited to get out the old pencil and offer suggestions for constructive planning for this section in order to avert a slump following the war boom, or, if mysteries appeal more, to give a solution to the telephone call that was reported in a recent issue of this paper.

War bonds of \$50 and \$25, and \$10 in stamps are the prizes offered in the first-named contest, which closes Feb. 29, and prizes of \$5, \$3 and \$2 in war savings stamps are offered in the second.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Miss Edith A. Kirkland of Southern Pines and Miss Mary A. Page of Aberdeen were on the Dean's List of Salem College for the first semester. The list was read on Honors Day last week when recognition was given outstanding students.

Southern Pines Will Vote on Bond Issue to Repair Country Club

IMPORTANT MEETING

Walter E. Blue, chairman of the Southern Pines Pulpwood Committee, has called a meeting of committee members and everyone interested in doing his part to help relieve the pulpwood shortage to be held in the Southern Pines High School building at 8:00 p. m. next Wednesday evening, February 23. County Agent E. H. Garrison will be present to give information regarding specifications and prices and pulpwood dealers have been invited to come. Anyone desiring information is urged to attend this important meeting.

R. Tufts Discusses Post War Planning at Kiwanis Meeting

Speaker Thinks Club Is in Position to Render Most Valuable Service

Richard S. Tufts, president of Pinehurst, Incorporated, addressing the Sandhills Kiwanis Club at its luncheon Wednesday at the Pinehurst Country Club, heartily endorsed the post war planning Kiwanis is doing in Moore County. He stated that the Club represents all of the communities of the county and is in a position to render a most valuable service to the county and to work with the various communities.

"Aberdeen," he said, "is the commercial center; Carthage, the center of county government, of agriculture and the lumber industry; Southern Pines and Pinehurst are resorts of widely different and non-competing character, while on the other hand there are many small manufacturing centers such as Robbins, Vass and West End."

Continuing he said, "In approaching the post war problem there are two separate and distinct phases. First, is the re-employment of discharged soldiers. Second, is the development of projects to provide them with employment. Considering the latter phase, it appears that this is primarily a problem calling for individual and community initiative." He cited that a woolen mill in Aberdeen or a new hotel in Pinehurst are matters of interest principally to the respective communities and the private industries of individual towns. He stressed the importance of the Kiwanis Club working with the individual communities.

Mr. Tufts, a pleasing speaker and an executive of many years experience, suggested a possible program. "The first step, it seems to me, is for the Club to take a survey. The survey should include a complete list of names of those in service from this county, their record of previous employment, training, education, etc. Second, the needs and opportunities for post war employment should be determined. This will have to be obtained from employers of labor in the county and should be as complete as possible, showing the names of those to be offered employment, the normal number of opportunities and former employment as well as the number that might be employed as the result of any possible expansion of business. If there should be a surplus of post war labor, the Club should undertake to stimulate interest in development that would best serve to absorb the surplus." He pointed out that we now come to the time when the boys will start returning. He advocated that each of them should receive an offer of assistance from the Club and be provided with a list of available opportunities. Those interested in completing their education or acquiring further training should be assisted. In this connection he said, "The Moore County Educational Foundation has a substantial amount of cash available and it

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New Registration is Called for Election to Be Held March 28

Members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Southern Pines have called a special election to vote on bond issues for financing the acquisition and reconstruction of the Southern Pines Country Club and the acquisition and improvement of the golf course, feeling that the Country Club, which has been used to a large extent as a community house, meets a vital need. The election will be held in the Municipal Building March 28th.

The Board ordered a new registration of the qualified voters of the Town for this election, appointed Mrs. J. H. Tilghman to act as registrar and named Hiram Westbrook and A. S. Ruggles to serve as judges of the election.

Mayor W. Duncan Matthews issues the following statement which explains the Board's plans in full:

"Referring to another section of this paper, you will see notice of a special election authorized by the Board of Town Commissioners of the Town of Southern Pines in the issuance of the following bonds for the acquisition and reconstruction of the Southern Pines Country Club which has been condemned for public use.

"First, is an ordinance authorizing the issuance of \$33,000.00 in bonds for the purpose of making the necessary repairs and to cover the entire club house and to acquire

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Gymkhana To Be Held Sunday

One of the series of entertainments for visitors and members of the armed forces stationed in this section will be an equestrian gymkhana and hunter trials to be held at the Southern Pines Country Club horse show grounds Sunday afternoon, Feb. 20.

The card will consist of six events: A class for middle and lightweight hunters to be run over a typical hunting course of panel fences and rail jumps, a class for open jumpers for men in uniform, a class for amateur riders, a class in children's horsemanship, a knock down and out class, and a potato race.

E. Pancoast, seaman first class, Mounted Coast Guard, formerly of Philadelphia, Pa., but now stationed at Charleston, S. C., will act as judge. Mrs. Francis Van Houton, wife of Lt. J. H. Van Houton, U. S. Air Corps, will present the ribbons.

There will be no charge for parking space, but an offering will be made for the Red Cross.

SEVEN RETAILERS PAY OVERCHARGES TO OPA

Seven voluntary contributions representing overcharges made at retail to unknown persons by seven retailers in four eastern North Carolina towns were reported to OPA by local price panels Saturday.

The seven contributions, headed by one from Southern Pines amounting to \$689.90, totalled \$1,130.13. All checks were made payable to the Treasurer of the United States.

Raleigh District OPA office listed the voluntary contributions as follows:

L. Bazakas, Ed's Cafe, Southern Pines, paid \$689.90 representing overcharges on restaurant items.

M. Rosenberg, 618 Fayetteville street, Durham, paid \$93.12 on wine overcharges as did N. Mellon, of L. & M. Drug Company, 201 E. Main Street, Durham, \$24.75; and Nick C. Liasides, 347 West Main street, Durham, who paid \$29.16.

Louise Frazier, Hillside Sandwich Shop, 111 Pine Street, Durham, paid \$10 on breakfast plate overcharges. O and M Grocery, of Lumberton, contributed \$93.20 representing overcharges on beef cuts.

May-Pine Inn, of Jacksonville, contributed \$180 representing overcharges on beer.