

Seniors Choose "Superlatives"

Opal Baker, Roy Stutts and Josephine Ransdell came out on top in the voting of Vass-Lakeview seniors last week for their "superlatives."

Other "superlatives" in fields not covered by the textbooks were chosen by their classmates as follows:

Opal and Roy were chosen best all-round, most popular and most athletic girl and boy, while Roy was also named best looking boy. Josephine was voted the prettiest, the most artistic and the most musical.

Most intelligent, Peggie Haynes, Henry Bryan; quietest, Ernest McCrimmon, Marian Bailey; most original, Thelma Autrey; most talented, Peggie Haynes; cutest, Mary Bridges; biggest flirt, Doris Lynch; neatest, Della Mae Oakley; wittiest, Lucille Overby; most talkative, Mary Bridges; biggest "hookey" player, Odelle Autrey; most cooperative, Leatrice Simpson; most studious, Vera Prevatte; most likely to succeed, Agnes Boggs; most likable, Lucille Overby; most industrious, Ruth Blue; sweetest, Thelma Autrey; most happy-go-lucky, Odelle Autrey; most optimistic, Doris Lynch; most inquisitive, Lucille Overby; most dependable, Edith Kimball; most courteous, Marian Bailey.

Fellowship Group Meets at Robbins

The Moore County subdistrict of the Methodist Youth Fellowship, organized in March by a Fellowship team from Mt. Gilead, met at Robbins Monday night, with some 90 young people attending from Aberdeen, Eagle Springs, West End, Hoffman, Cameron, Vass, Carthage and Robbins.

Elections were held, and the following officers chosen for 1947-48: president, Iris Williams, Robbins; vice president, Mary Tom Davis, West End; secretary, Sadie Marie Frye, Carthage; treasurer, Ivan McDonald, Hoffman; publicity chairman, Lavene Brady, Robbins; adult advisor, T. Roy Phillips, Carthage.

The Aberdeen group was in charge of the worship service, and following the business a recreation period was held. Refreshments were served and the meeting closed with the Friendship circle.

The next meeting will be at Aberdeen, the Monday after the second Sunday, with the Hoffman group in charge of the worship service.

ROTARIANS

(Continued from Page 1) for the dinner session Thursday night, at which Edmund Harding, of Washington (N. C.) was the featured speaker.

Joseph D. Ross, Jr., of Asheboro, district governor, is presiding officer for the convention. His gubernatorial report was scheduled to open the Friday business session.

Also on today's agenda are a talk by Montgomery Hill, Greensboro, on "Our Obligation to the Community," and nomination and election of the district governor and district treasurer for 1947-4.

Luther Hodges, a Tar Heel now president of the New York City Rotary Club, is today's luncheon speaker, on the topic "The Challenge of Citizenship." Alex Gallaway, Jr., Winston-Salem, will preside at the luncheon.

The conference will conclude with a banquet this evening. Meeting simultaneously with their husbands will be the Rotarians, with Mrs. Alvah Boyles, of Thomasville, in charge of a feminine version of the program. The ladies will lunch today at the Southern Pines Country club.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Howard F. Burns, town clerk, will preside at the luncheon.

Happy Gathering Was Recent Climax Of Hunt Season Here



The smiles above seem to say—"It was a fine season, and we're looking forward to the next!" The group is pictured at the Vernon Valley Farm house entrance, on the recent occasion of the hunt breakfast climaxed the Moore County Hounds' last official hunt of the season. Included are (front row, left to right) Miss Helen Ferguson, Miss Edith Ferguson, William J. Brewster of Pinehurst. Standing in back are Jerry Webb of Middleburg, Va., and Ralph K. Trix.

DR. RONDHALER

(Continued from Page 1)

lina lore. He is a well known feature writer on historic subjects, and author of "The History of Alamance County."

Though Harden's acceptance has not been received, President McKeithen said he has high hopes of presenting this distinguished speaker in addition to the other events already scheduled for this unusual program.

A major event will be the presentation of cash prizes to four students from county high and elementary schools, winners in the contest on Moore County history held recently under Association auspices, through cooperation of the schools. The winners are Lewis Pate, Southern Pines; Viola Fore, Cameron; Ann Davis, Pinehurst, and Mary Lou Cameron, Aberdeen.

Places to be visited following the meeting at the courthouse will be the grave of Governor Williams, the House in the Horse-shoe and Quail farm, home of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Bishop, who have invited the group to be their guests at a social hour. Also invited as a special guest for the occasion is Mrs. W. J. Adams, of Raleigh, formerly of Carthage, widow of the state supreme court justice.

Home From Germany, Joins Hospital Staff

Back home and in civilian nurse's uniform after serving in Germany with the Army Nurse corps, Miss Margaret McKenzie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Colin McKenzie of Pinehurst, has joined the staff of the Moore County hospital.

She has taken the position on the understanding that it is temporary, for a few weeks or months, according to the hospital announcement, as she plans to return to Duke, of whose nurse training school she is a graduate, and continue work toward her degree in nursing education.

SANDPIPERS

Qualifying rounds for the Sandpiper Club championship will begin tomorrow (Saturday) at the Southern Pines Country club, and continue through Thursday, according to announcement by Dick Sugg, president.

AA BANQUET

The Southern Pines chapter of Alcoholics Anonymous will be host to other chapters of the vicinity, and also to any other guests who wish to attend, at a banquet to be held Tuesday evening, May 6, at the Mid Pines club.

A speaker prominent in the AA organization is to be secured, and all who are interested in the AA movement for any reason are invited, according to leaders of the local chapter.

Tickets are on sale at Southern Pines drugstores.

The Public Speaking

Editor, The Pilot

Dear Sir:

I wish to make clear that I am advancing the following ideas as an individual and not as president of Resort Airlines nor as a director of the Southern Pines Chamber of Commerce. The matter has been discussed informally at a recent director's meeting but, of course, without any action on the part of this board.

Pinehurst and Southern Pines have really only one industry. This is tourism. Practically all other enterprise in these two communities is dedicated to the housekeeping needs of the communities themselves. The only new dollars are generated by tourism and if it is desired to raise the general business activity and prosperity level, this is the field that should be exploited.

Any industry that is not compatible will depreciate the actual and potential value of tourism and should not be sought unless it promises to become bigger and more profitable than the tourist industry.

If the thinking people of the communities agree and decide they will cast their lot with, and bank their future prosperity on, this one activity, then it would seem important to seek new markets for our product and to make every effort to keep the tourist plant profitably busy. A logical source of patronage is the convention business, which can also be profitably employed to begin the season earlier in the fall and extend it in the spring. Another market is an air park, or aviation country club. It is conceivable that these communities can become the country club of the southeast. It takes no longer to come from Charlotte by plane for 18 holes of golf here than it does to go from a Wall Street office to the nearest suburban New York golf course.

Both the convention business and the aviation tourist business will bring many people here who would not otherwise come and who may return as vacationists as residents.

In my considered opinion two things are necessary to implement a campaign to reach these new tourist markets. The first is a suitable convention hall situated so that it is equally convenient to the larger hotels. The second is a committee or an agency representing all the varied interests, both private and municipal, which is a dynamic, productive organization operating on a substantial budget according to a definite plan and headed by a well-paid qualified executive.

Prerequisite to this convention hall and to this operating agency is the acceptance on the part of the communities of such a plan as this and unanimous agreement on the objects to be attained. If the return is predictable, there

FOR MOTHERS

Tag day for the Moore County Maternal Welfare committee will be held throughout the county Saturday, May 10, the day before Mother's day, according to announcement made this week by Mrs. James Boyd, chairman.

Mrs. L. T. Avery, secretary, is this week lining up chairmen of the various county communities in preparation for the event by which funds are annually raised for this important branch of the county health department's work.

Golfers Slip From Top League Place

A second loss, at the Fayetteville Country club Wednesday afternoon, pulled the Southern Pines club down slightly from its previous position, in which it had tied with Fayetteville and Wadesboro for top spot in the current Sandhills Golf league matches. With two wins and one loss each, the three clubs had a standing of .666.

Seventeen matches played at Fayetteville resulted in a score of Southern Pines 24, Fayetteville 30.

Net week's destination of the local players is the Wadesboro club, for the fifth match in a series of 10. The rest will be held on the home course.

should be no reason why a bond issue could not be floated to construct a convention hall and why the various hotels and the transportation companies, such as the Seaboard Railway and Resort Airlines, should not substantially subsidize the effort with funds they are already allocating to advertising and promotion.

As the first step to determine whether or not such a plan as this has any merit I advocate:

1. An amalgamation of the Southern Pines and the Pinehurst Chambers of Commerce to be known as the Pinehurst-Southern Pines Chamber of Commerce.

2. An executive committee from this new body charged with the responsibility of soliciting the hotels, the transportation interests and the State of North Carolina in a co-operative advertising and publicity campaign to sell the Pinehurst-Southern Pines area to the tourist and convention markets.

3. A complete study by a planning committee on which each interest would be represented with a view to approaching the electorate on a bond issue for a convention hall and to establish a permanent promotional organization.

I repeat that these are my own views. Please publish them if you see fit and edit them to any degree you wish. I am sending copies to the Southern Pines Chamber of Commerce and the Pinehurst Chamber of Commerce as well as to the Pilot and the Outlook.

Very truly yours, Lewis C. Burwell, Jr.

Recorder's Court Clears Old Cases

With a short docket at recorder's court Monday, the court took action in regard to a number of old cases in which defendants had remained among the missing, or had been found to be dead or in a state institution.

Capias was issued for Rodger Baldwin, Clarence P. Dunn, Joseph Garland Johnson, R. W. Hendricks (a prosecuting witness), Jennings Caldwell, Handy Matthews, Charlie Stewart, Thomas A. Gibson, Thomas Moore, Tom Jackson, Adams Robinson, Robbins (?), James English, Robbins; Addison Burns, Negro, Pinehurst.

The cases of Floyd Dock Cockman, Jessie David Jenkins, Neill Johnson and Lafayette Noll were dismissed, and nol pros was taken in the cases of Macie Thompson, Charlie Fry, John Hoover, Will Kelly, John Arnold, Paul Avery Rich, Hugh Bryant Morgan, Pauline Hollifield Bloom and G. A. West.

Sci fa on bondsmen was taken in the cases of Thomas A. Gibson, G. A. West and Howard Williams.

Judgments were handed down as follows: Alexander H. Thomas, Cameron, careless and reckless driving, colliding with another car, prayer for judgment continued on payment of fine of \$50 and costs; \$25 going toward repairs on Jessup car; Albert Hicks, Lakeview, attempting to forcibly enter a dwelling house, trespass, cursing, breaking and entry, case continued to next Monday, under bond of \$300; Alex Willcox, Negro, Wadesboro, driving while drunk, driving after license was revoked, 90 days suspended, \$75 and costs, license revocation ordered extended to April 21, 1948; Malcolm McNeill, Raeford, careless and reckless driving, driving while drunk, 90 days suspended, \$75 and costs, license revoked for 12 months.

FISH FRY POSTPONED

Due to other community happenings, a benefit fish fry sponsored by the Cameron post of the American Legion, scheduled for today (Friday) has been postponed indefinitely. The event will be held in the next few weeks, however, the date and place to be announced, according to Mack P. Trent, post commander.

In a regular session at the Cameron school Friday night the post adopted and forwarded to Representative C. B. Deane a resolution "strongly urging" the congressman to appoint "any eligible veteran," in preference to any non-veteran, to fill the vacancy of rural mail carrier on Cameron Rt. 2. A civil service examination for the position was held in Carthage April 19, with 14 candidates.

Thet Chesterfield of birds is the great blue heron. To his middle claw is attached a small comb with which to preen his feathers.

Poppy Day Nets \$559 For Veterans

The gratifying amount of \$559.85 was realized through Poppy Day sales throughout the county Saturday, just \$6, short of last year's total which was the largest in history, according to announcement this week by Mrs. L. A. Des Pland, chairman for the event.

The sale was sponsored in Southern Pines, Pinehurst and West End by the American Legion auxiliary, with Mrs. Thomas Black chairman at Pinehurst and Mrs. Sinclair at West End. The gay little poppies, made by patients at the Veterans' hospital in Fayetteville, brought \$99.52, in Southern Pines, \$230.33 in Pinehurst and \$20 in West End. Proceeds will be used for the benefit of veterans and their families.

High school girls who sold the poppies here were Peggy Phillips, Carolyn Chester, Dolores Merrill, Jeanne Overton, Louise Milliken, Helen Eleanor Patch, Edna Lou Bailey, Clara Ann Blue and Sue Hall.

Some 35 Southern Pines elementary and high school students and a good number at Pinehurst, entered the poster contest sponsored in connection with Poppy Day, and their bright posters in window displays downtown made a real appeal. Some were also sent from here to be shown in Pinehurst windows.

A revision of prizewinners previously announced reveals a tie for second place between Danila Frassinetti and Lewis Pate. Dorothy Swisher won first prize and Bill Ennis third. Honorable mention went to Kay Dunlap, Tommy Avery and Harold Collins, Jr.

In normal times, the world's supply of pork, excluding lard, annually averages 27,328,000,000 pounds.

TUESDAY GAME
The Tobacco State league will open its season Tuesday as the Sanford Spinners meet the Red Springs team, supported this season by the Philadelphia Athletics, beginning at 7:45 p. m. at the improved and enlarged baseball park at Sanford. The park seats 2,500 on cushioned bleachers, and an assortment of concession stands will provide refreshments. The Spinners have just completed a series of exhibition games in various leagues of the state.

MOTHER'S DAY

Sale

20% Reduction ON ALL

Costume Jewelry

A New Shipment of **Watches**

There is no finer gift than this beautiful new 19 Jewel Lady Elgin.

Longines — Elgin
America's Foremost
Watches

Compacts . . . Lighters
Cigarette Cases

MAY'S
of
SOUTHERN PINES

Ray's
PINEHURST, N. C.

SALE

MEN'S

ONE RACK OF SPORT COATS

and

SELECTION OF DUNNER SHIRTS

20% Reduction

Women's Spotswear

Dresses — Coats — Skirts

Blouses — Raincoats

From

20 to 50% REDUCTION

THEATRE BUILDING PINEHURST

Remember

WE ARE OPEN ALL YEAR
TO TAKE CARE OF YOUR NEEDS

New Models Arriving Daily

JUST RECEIVED

Larger Size Summer Lawns 16 1/2 to 24 1/2 \$7.95

and a dandy

2 piece Washable Crinkle Crepe Suit

By Henry Rosenfeld \$14.95

Naomi's

Popular Price Dress Shop

OPEN ALL YEAR

Wellesley Building Pinehurst, N. C.