

Carthage Church Plans Homecoming

The Carthage Methodist church will hold Homecoming Day services Sunday, August 10, with a general invitation to attend extended all members and former members, former pastors, members of other Methodist churches of the vicinity and friends of the church in general, according to Rev. John Cline, pastor.

Rev. E. C. Durham of Raleigh will deliver the sermon at 11 a. m., following which luncheon will be spread in the church dining hall.

The Carthage Methodist church was organized in 1837, and during its 120 years of existence has had at least three different homes built by the congregation as the church grew. The present building was built about 1899, with the modern Sunday school annex added in 1938.

There are six living former pastors of the church, all of whom have received special invitations to the Homecoming day: Rev. E. C. Durham, Raleigh; Rev. L. A. Watts, Nashville; Rev. D. E. Earnhardt, Rockingham; Rev. W. G. Farrar, Norlina; Rev. H. A. Chester, Mt. Olive.

Police Chief Views Aberdeen Slashing

In full view of the Saturday afternoon crowds—which included Police Chief Lamar Smith—one Negro man pursued another on an Aberdeen main street last Saturday, caught up with him and slashed him with a knife down the back from the top of his head to a point below the waistline.

Chasing the fleeing men from the post office to in front of Colline Department store, where the attack took place, Chief Smith found himself impeded by traffic and was unable to prevent it.

John D. Graham, the pursued, was taken to the Moore County hospital, where 85 stitches were taken in his wounds. Sonny Boy Daniels, formerly of Raeford, now giving Buie's Creek as his address, was arrested and held Monday morning into recorder's court where he was bound over to superior court under \$1,000 bond.

The men were said to be brothers-in-law and "family trouble" was assigned as the cause.

TO DENTAL MEET

Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Medlin will leave tonight (Friday) for Boston, Mass., to attend the first full scale meeting of the American Dental association since before the war.

Dr. Medlin has recently been appointed a member of the Federation Dentaire Internationale, a world organization of dentists, which will hold some meetings in conjunction with the American meeting. He will also take part in a group forum meeting, staged by the State Councils on Dental Health, Tuesday at the Statler hotel.

Following the convention the Medlins will tour up through the New England states. On their return they will stop over in New York for a visit with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. Robert Vandervoort, arriving back in the Sandhills the latter part of August.

IN BRIEF

G. R. Chatfield left last Saturday to join Mrs. Chatfield for a week's visit at her mother's, Mrs. W. L. Eppes, in Charlotte. He motored there with his son, W. F. Chatfield, who continued on to Asheville.

Dr. and Mrs. James S. Milliken and daughter, Louise, and her guest, Pauline Nichols, will leave Saturday for Virginia Beach. They will stop at Gay Manor for two weeks' vacation.

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Husband Accuses Wife Of Shooting; She Proves Alibi

Displaying a bullet wound in the calf of his leg to police officers Sunday night before last, Chester Morris, Negro, of West Southern Pines, informed them that his wife had come up from Hoke county, had shot him and returned home.

The officers, with members of the sheriff's department, went to Hoke county last week, arrested Annabelle Morris, and brought her back to face trial at recorder's court Monday.

However, Annabelle was able to prove to the judge's satisfaction that she had not come to Southern Pines on the date in question; in fact, that she had stayed home all day. The question; of who shot Chester was never resolved, but Annabelle was acquitted.

County ABC officers and members of the sheriff's department, making a raid in Bensalem township last week, broke up a small distillery, took three gallons of liquor and arrested two men, Ernest Bruce and Carl Horner of Eagle Springs.

Arrested in recorder's court Monday morning, Bruce received a sentence of six months, suspended on payment of a fine of \$150 and costs, and on conditions of non-violation of the liquor laws for the next two years. Horner was sentenced to 60 days, suspended on payment of \$50 and costs.

Bruce, a first offender, was charged with unlawful possession of illicit liquor for sale. Cameron received a sentence of eight months, suspended on payment of a fine of \$250 and costs and on conditions of non-violation of liquor for the next two years.

Other judgments handed down were:

C. E. Williams, Robbins, worthless check, prayer for judgment continued on payment of the worthless check for \$100 and costs; M. W. Davenport, Norfolk, driving while drunk, 60 days suspended on payment \$100 and costs.

Charles Shaw, Sanford, driving while drunk, unlawful possession of taxpaid whiskey, 60 days suspended, \$100 and costs, license revoked for 12 months; Joe Goodwin, Negro, Raeford, public drunkenness, assault and malice injury to property, 60 days suspended, \$100 and costs notice given of appeal to superior court, bond set at \$250.

Sonny Boy Daniels, Negro, Buie's Creek, assault with deadly weapon with intent to kill, inflicting serious injury; probable cause found, bound over to superior court under \$1,000 bond.

Henry Harrington, Negro, Southern Pines, larceny of radio, four months on the roads; Frank Wright, Negro, Raeford, cursing and acting in a disorderly manner in a public place, 30 days suspended on payment of costs; Lela Ransom and Fletcher Smith, Negroes, Elizabethtown, unlawful bedding and cohabiting, 30 days in jail as to each defendant, the male to work on the roads, sentence suspended as to each on payment of \$25 and one half the costs.

Vester McLean, Negro, Carthage, driving while drunk, disorderly conduct, three months suspended on payment of \$100 fine, license revoked for 12 months; Paul York, Negro, Southern Pines stopping auto on hardsurface portion of highway without displaying lights, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs; sentence changed to 30 days suspended on payment of costs, when it appeared defendant wished to appeal; appeal taken to superior court, bond set at \$100.

Hiram Stutts, Cheraw, public drunkenness, 30 days suspended on payment of costs; Myrtle McLaughlin, Carthage, engaging in affray, 30 days, sentence to begin when her baby is weaned, suspended on payment of costs; Alice Gunter, Carthage, assault and battery (assaulting little boy engaging in affray with Myrtle McLaughlin), 30 days suspended on payment of costs; Harrison Foushee, Negro, Glendon, assault on wife, prayer for judgment continued on payment of costs, on conditions of good behavior toward wife and not violate law for 12 months.

The case of Tom Jackson, charged with trespass, several times continued, was cleared from the books as the state took a nol pros.

V-J DAY PLANS

(Continued from Page 1) your contribution with check payable to VICTORY CELEBRATION COMMITTEE, in care of Capt. Jack Reid, treasurer, Southern Pines.

Moore County Victory Celebration Committee. Charles W. Swoope, General Chairman.

Town Team Wins One, Drops Two This Week

By Slim Forsythe

The Southern Pines Town Team won one and dropped two this week.

They toured to Raeford Saturday and took a 7-4 loss. Red Smith pitched six fine innings and had his team out front 4-0. He started to tire in the seventh and the Raeford stickers got to him before Coach Dawson pulled him.

Aberdeen went down Sunday afternoon before the fast ball pitching of Art Pate to the tune of 11-6. The Southern Pines boys knocked Pitcher Davis out of the box and then proceeded to work on Wicker's pitching when he relieved Davis.

The Laurinburg Waverly Mills team, under the able tutelage of Curt Ramsey, pinned another loss on the local team Wednesday afternoon by the score of 8-4. Arch Evans and Slim Watson were the Laurinburg hurlers. Pate and Starnes pitched for Southern Pines.

As far as can be ascertained at the present, Southern Pines is in second place, trailing Laurinburg by a game and a half.

Stolen Car Skids, Makes Hole In One

A '38 Ford, transporting a person or persons unknown, Monday night skidded on the wet highway near Cameron, where a new bridge is being built, and slid nose down into a large hole which had been excavated for an abutment.

Notified Tuesday morning of the car's presence, Sgt. Wendell Kelly of the state highway patrol had the car pulled back to ground level.

No trace of the occupants was discovered. The car was found to be a stolen one and was returned to its owner in Olivia, Harnett county.

Pinehurst Schools Add New Departments

Part of the additional funds accruing to Pinehurst schools through the 30 per cent supplementary tax recently voted, will be used to finance three new departments, it was announced this week by Supt. Lewis S. Cannon.

Industrial arts will be added, the Pinehurst school will have a full-time librarian and Latin will be taught for the first time in several years.

The cafeteria and library are being renovated and much new equipment has been purchased preparatory to the opening of school September 3. Fluorescent lights have been placed in all the classrooms.

Montesanti Sells To Dixie Printing Co.

The stock, name and goodwill of the Montesanti Sales company were sold this week by Dante Montesanti, proprietor, to the Dixie Printing company of Aberdeen.

The stock, consisting of maintenance and sanitary supplies for homes, farms and offices, will be moved to Aberdeen and be added as a new department to the Dixie Printing company, headed by Raymond Wicker.

Remodeling of the Montesanti building is now under way for a new business to be announced shortly.

FIVE INJURED IN CRASH

(Continued from Page 1) and reckless driving. In the Wofford car besides the driver, W. J. Wofford, were his father, J. R. Wofford, and Roy Thomas, both of OJnesboro, Rt. 3. None were injured.

Dr. McDuffie is the second Robbins physician to be seriously injured in an automobile accident this summer. Dr. R. R. Hillborn is also still a hospital patient, though reported improved after several weeks of treatment.

The condition of R. F. Stewart, of Pinehurst, seriously injured in another accident week before last, was also reported at the hospital this week to be satisfactory.

TEEN AGERS ELECT

(Continued from Page 1) bara Page, third base; Barbara Guin, shortstop; Mrs. Doris Monroe, left field; Carol Sue Humphrey, center field; Emily Fowler Gunter, right field; substitutes, Joyce Bailey, Edna Lou Bailey.

The game was part of the girls' summer recreation program under direction of Miss Aline Todd, who reports also some good playing in a badminton tournament held Tuesday morning in which Doroles Merrill and Mary Johns Cameron were winners. Other players were Milburn Stubbs, Nancy Davis, Jean Morrison, Nancy Lou Davis and Elaine Johnson.

In the boys' department, Director A. C. Dawson reported a nice win at Pinehurst Monday morning, when the younger boys'

teams battled for a 13-10 score. The older boys go to Raeford for a game this afternoon (Friday). Open house will be held at the Civic center this evening for the younger boys and girls, to 14 years of age.

SCOUTS VISIT WASHINGTON

(Continued from Page 1) would have taken them a week to see everything. There were some of the first airplanes ever flown, the Spirit of St. Louis, some of the first automobiles, detailed ship models, a whole room showing different kinds of ships hulls, all kinds of uniforms, and thousands of other things. A few of the boys went over to the animal part of the Institute.

At Airport After returning to the hotel and eating supper, the boys took a bus over to the National airport. Here there were planes coming and going all the time. There were planes from Capital Airlines, Eastern Airlines, TWA, and others. There was quite a difference in this and Knollwood airport.

On the observation platform there were telescopes, and through these the boys got a good view of the Capitol lighted up. After seeing the airport the boys returned to the hotel and went to bed.

The hotel rooms had all the luxuries anyone could ask for. There was a radio, fan, and telephone in each room.

After breakfast the next morning, the scouts went out to the Washington monument. (Mr. Kennedy didn't go. He said he had blisters on his feet as big as golf balls.) The boys rode up to the top of the monument in the elevator. Roland Bower was brave enough to walk up and down. Some of the boys took pictures from the top of the monument. The monument is over 500 feet high.

After eating dinner at Childs with Mr. Lang, the scouts went out to see the ball game between Cleveland and Washington. Mr. Lang also got the baseball tickets for them. At first the boys didn't think they would get to see Bob Feller pitch, but Gettle blew up in the sixth inning and he was relieved by Feller. Cleveland won the game, 2-1.

After the game the boys came back to the hotel and checked out, and went to supper at Childs. The boys had good food and service at this restaurant. After supper they sat around on the lawn in front of Commodore. There was a very good view of the Capitol building from this point. At about 11:30 they went over to the Red Circle and had a snack. At 12 o'clock the boys left for home. They arrived home the next morning at 9, after a very pleasant trip.

The scouts are grateful to Mr.

John Lang, Mr. Carlton Kennedy, and Mr. and Mrs. Robbins for making the trip possible.

NEWSFOLK MEET

(Continued from Page 1) vertising staff and Mrs. Nicholson.

Also Elwyn Stouffer, Charlotte News and Observer; Gordon M. Sears, of the Raleigh bureau of the United Press; Clary Thompson, columnist and sometime editor of the Sandhill Citizen; Douglas Cox, editor of the Red Springs Citizen, Lumberton Voice and other Robeson county weeklies; Miss Gertrude Walton, his assistant, formerly with The Pilot; Eldon Thompson, photo-engraver, of this county.

Also Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Premo, Mrs. Clary Thompson, Mrs. Eldon Thompson, James Boyd, Jr., Nancy Boyd, Silas Nicholson, Pfc. Edward Nicholson.

RADIO STATION WSTS

(Continued from Page 1) the transmitter building, which, with its 240-foot tower, was completed last week. The transmitter is located about two miles out of town, on a seven-acre tract on Southern Pines-Pinehurst road.

The tower, topped by a red beacon and held in place by massive guy wires, centers a 500 foot circular area in which 13 miles of copper wire have been plowed deep, radiating like the spokes of a wheel. When present plans for FM broadcasting mature, said Greene, 100 more feet

will be added to the tower.

The radio station is staffed as follows: John C. Greene, Jr., manager; Clyde E. Rhodes, chief engineer; Kenneth Clow, program director and head of the announcing staff; Carl J. McKinney, com-

mercial manager; Misses Veda Bushby and Geraldine Smith, continuity department and office staff.

Two more announcers and an assistant engineer are to be added.

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