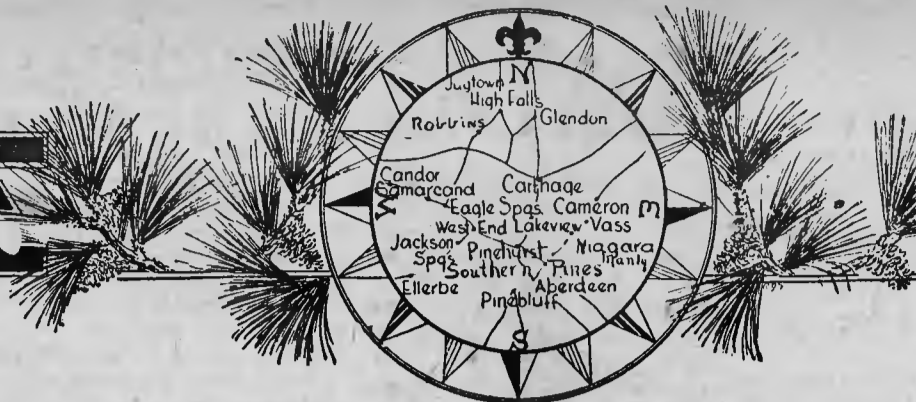


THE PILOT



Session Of High Court Set Monday

Judge Armstrong To Preside At Week's Term In Carthage

With Judge Frank M. Armstrong of Troy scheduled to preside, a one-week term of Moore County superior court has been set for next week at Carthage, opening Monday.

Eighteen defendants on the warrant docket are scheduled to go before the grand jury Monday, including one, Lonnie Mitchell, charged with murder.

Others, with charges, are: Frederick Ross, assault with intent to commit rape; Robert L. Fleming, embezzlement; James E. Waddell, careless and reckless driving; Lendon Sanders, breaking and entering and attempted rape; James F. Kimball, Jr., bigamy; L. C. Allen, forgery; T. I. Sutton, larceny; Lucius Chambers, breaking and entering, larceny and receiving stolen goods; Juanita Gilmore, assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill.

Also: Billy Guin, larceny; Clayton Kiser, larceny; David Ragsdale, larceny—also another case, same charge, jointly with Billy Guin; James Geery, Raymond J. Jones and Al J. Jackson, armed robbery and larceny; Alvin R. Farrington, breaking and entering; David Clyburn, larceny and larceny of automobile.

The cases of over 50 other defendants are calendared on the trial docket for Monday through Thursday, most of them involving alleged traffic and liquor offenses in cases appealed from recorders court.

Defendants charged with other than traffic and liquor offenses, and the days the cases are calendared include:

Monday—Arthur Frye, breaking and entering; Henry Robinson, assault on female; Robert R. Flavin, non-support; Ernest McCrimmon, assault with a deadly weapon.

Tuesday—Robert Peele, forgery; John L. Baldwin, non-support; Will Kelly, non-support.

Wednesday—Floyd Seals, worthless check.

Thursday—Viola Burke, assault with a deadly weapon; Alex Wallace, breaking and entering and larceny; Eugene Junior Lawrence and Forace Layton, hunting law violations.

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Malcolm R. Stout, Sanford Native, On Police Force

Malcolm R. Stout, 29, went on replacing Roland Bowers of Manly, who resigned after serving with the department since September 21.

A native of Sanford, where he has lived most of his life, Mr. Stout was an insurance salesman before joining the Southern Pines police department. He is single and has a room at "Cozy Oaks," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Broadus Smith, 120 E. Connecticut Avenue.

A veteran of World War 2, Mr. Stout served two years with an artillery unit in the European theatre of operations, seeing service in a number of nations.

Mr. Stout is a graduate of Sanford High School. He is also a graduate of Mars Hill Junior College, Mars Hill.

The new officer is at present working on the night shift with Officer H. V. Chandler, Jr.

Church Calls New Minister

The Rev. Wofford C. Timmons, D. D., has been called to become regular minister of the Church of Wide Fellowship. He is expected to begin his work here March 1.

Approval of the call was given by a vote of the congregation at the annual meeting of the church last week. Dr. Timmons visited Southern Pines and preached at the Church of Wide Fellowship January 3.

The Rev. Oswald W. S. McCall, D. D., retired minister of Woodmont, Conn., who has been interim pastor of the Church of Wide Fellowship since about No-



TUNING UP—Stepping out briskly for a practice round on the Pine Needles course last week, Mrs. Peggy Kirk Bell, co-owner of the course, and Mrs. Jackie Pung, also a golf professional, tune up for winter tournaments. With Mrs. Bell piloting the Bells' airplane, the two golfers left Wednesday morning for Sea Island, Ga., to play in a tournament there this week-end. (Photo by Emerson Humphrey)

Col. Hawes Dies Suddenly; Rites Held Wednesday

Prominent Sandhills Resident Active In Sports, Civic Work

Memorial service was held at the Pinehurst Community Church Wednesday morning for Col. George Percy Hawes, Jr., 77, USA retired, who died suddenly of a heart attack Monday morning at his home on the Midland Road. Rev. R. L. Prince, pastor, officiated, and private interment was took place at Mt. Hope Cemetery, Southern Pines.

Colonel Hawes was one of the few survivors of Teddy Roosevelt's Rough Riders, with whom as a young man of 23, just graduated from Virginia Military Institute, he participated in the Spanish-American War. He was commissioned in the Regular Army in 1900 and had a distinguished career, serving in France in World War 1. He moved to Pinehurst following his retirement in 1928 at the close of his service as a member of the staff of General Boley, post commander at Fort Gregg.

At VMI, where he was a member of the class of 1899, Hawes was captain of the company in (Continued on Page 5)

EXHIBIT TO OPEN

An exhibition of paintings by George Kachergis, instructor in art at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, will open Monday at the Southern Pines Library art gallery. An exhibition by Kate Rancke Bue of Rockingham, which has proved very popular, closes there at the end of this week.

Youths Bound To Superior Court In Assault Case

Kennedy, Horner Accused Of Attack On Noah Sheffield

After a hearing before Judge J. Vance Rowe in Moore County recorders court at Carthage Monday, two 19-year-old youths from near Robbins were bound over to superior court to be tried for an assault that gravely injured Noah Sheffield, 30, of the same rural community.

Charles Kennedy was allowed bond of \$1,000 and Russell Horner bond of \$500. Their cases are not calendared for the criminal court term to open Monday.

Kennedy admitted at the hearing that he had thrown a board stick, about an inch and a half wide and two feet long at Sheffield as darkness was falling, near the home of the victim's uncle, Will Sheffield last November.

He denied, however, that he had struck Sheffield with a yard-long, rusty, jagged, tapering iron bar which was found with blood stains on it by two pools of blood near where Sheffield fell, his skull fractured and brain lacerated. Both the stick and the bar were exhibited by Solicitor W. Lamont Brown during the hearing.

The hearing was delayed dur- (Continued on Page 5)

'Flying High' To Be Presented By Local Residents

"Flying High," a peppy musical comedy in three acts, will be staged at Weaver Auditorium on January 20 and 21 under sponsorship of the Junior Woman's Club of Southern Pines, and the various groups that make up the cast are working afternoons and nights, under professional direction, in preparation for the performances. Curtain time will be 8 o'clock each evening.

A large local cast will take part in the production, which is said to be filled with humor, beauty and romance. The scenes are laid in Hollywood, Calif., at the estate of a movie producer, Henry McCullom, who, for the thrill it might give his weekend guests, offers \$1000 to any amateur who will volunteer to make a parachute jump. Much anxiety and excitement are aroused when a mo-iest young man in their midst volunteers for the jump. "Will he jump?" is the question.

Pretty girls in colorful costumes will appear at intervals through- (Continued on page 5)

women golfers are expected to visit Pine Needles during the winter.

Julius Boros, another co-owner of Pine Needles, is playing on the men's winter golf circuit, currently on the West Coast where he finished fifth in the Los Angeles Open Sunday.

A number of other prominent

Old Contract Cited As Knollwood Protests Increase In Water Rates

Proposed Law To Be Given Further Study

Faced with the possibility of legal action by Knollwood residents, if the town raises water rates here by 50 per cent as proposed in an ordinance awaiting attention, the council Tuesday night turned the explosive situation over to Town Attorney W. Lamont Brown. Leland McKeithen of Pinehurst, attorney for Knollwood residents, and City Manager Tom E. Cunningham for further discussion, possibly with town council members sitting in.

In a long and heated but good-natured session during the Tuesday meeting, McKeithen served notice on the council that a 1925 agreement—under which the Knollwood corporation gave the town an easement to run water mains across its property and the town agreed to furnish water to Knollwood at in-town rates—is a "valid and enforceable contract."

It is the contention of the Knollwood residents that the proposed ordinance would violate this contract or deed of easement—in which case the easement granted the town for the water mains across Knollwood property would also be rendered invalid.

Among the Knollwood delegation attending the meeting and backing up the presentation of the Knollwood case by Attorney McKeithen were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cosgrove, operators of the Mid Pines Club; Warren Bell, manager of the Pine Needles Country Club; Harry Menzel, who has represented the Knollwood interests at several recent town meetings; Maj. Gen. Julian F. Barnes and others.

The proposed ordinance has been drawn up by the town to set uniform water rates for all in-town and all out-of-town consumers. At present, according to a report prepared by City Manager Tom E. (Continued on Page 5)

Zoning Ordinance Setting Restrictions In Multiple Dwellings Given Approval

Patch Votes Against Measure, Feels It Is Discriminatory

With one councilman not voting and another opposing the measure, a zoning ordinance was adopted by the town council at its regular meeting Tuesday night.

Viewed as "a beginning" and subject to revision through the zoning board and zoning board of adjustment, as provided for in the law, the ordinance outlines industrial, business and two types of residence Districts—District I in which future construction is limited to one-family dwellings and District II in which two-family and multiple-family dwellings are allowed.

Most of the debate about the ordinance Tuesday night centered around the provision of two types of residential districts, with Councilman C. S. Patch, Jr., who voted against the measure, contending that it is a discrimination to limit dwellings to the one-family category in one part of town.

His solution was to allow construction of multiple family dwellings wherever a majority of adjoining property owners would approve the project. He said he thought it unfair that persons who might want to invest in or live in multiple unit dwellings anywhere in town would not be allowed to do so under the proposed ordinance, so long as the buildings met other provisions of the zoning ordinance, such as yard space, and so long as neighboring property owners did not object.

Under the ordinance, Residential District I, lying generally east of May Street, is restricted as to multiple unit dwellings. Patch said he thought the effect of the (Continued on Page 5)

Meeting Slated To Reorganize Wildlife Club

S. I. Stewart of Raleigh, president of the North Carolina Wildlife Federation, Inc., will attend a reorganization meeting of the Moore County Wildlife Club in the court room of the courthouse at Carthage Tuesday, January 19, at 7:30 p. m.

Haney Harris of Aberdeen, president of the club, has notified members that new activities will be planned at the meeting. There will be several door prizes.

All members and everyone in Moore County interested in the preservation of wildlife, especially hunters and fishermen, are invited to attend.

Mr. Stewart has notified the Moore club that he will bring along a supply of membership cards and it is hoped that a large and active club can be reorganized.

INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE

Farl Hubbard, local representative of the Internal Revenue Department, announces that beginning today (Friday) and continuing until March 15 he will be in his office in the Post Office Building from 8:30 a. m. to 5:15 p. m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays to assist people with their income tax returns.

Janet Spicer Plays Tonight

A brilliant young violinist who grew up in neighboring Vass will play tonight (Friday) in Weaver Auditorium at 8:30.

Janet Spicer, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert G. Rosser of Vass, will appear with her piano accompanist Robert Smith, who is also a soloist. The program will be a combination of piano and violin music.

Both Mrs. Spicer and Mr. Smith come here from the Philadelphia Conservatory of Music where the former Moore County resident won honors and scholarships after graduating from St. Mary's School, Raleigh.

The two artists are presented by the Sandhills Music Association as the second concert of the season. A reception for Mrs. Spicer was scheduled for Thursday night at the Civic Club, given by Magnolia Chapter 26, Order of the Eastern Star, in which she retains membership. Dr. and Mrs. Rosser formerly served as worthy patron and worthy matron of the Chapter. Friends of the Chapter and of Dr. and Mrs. Rosser and Mrs. Spicer were invited to attend.

Mrs. Spicer is now a resident of Haddonfield, N. J., and a member of the faculty of the Philadelphia Conservatory. The next concert to be presented by the Music Association will bring Nelson and Neal, duo piano team to Weaver Auditorium Friday night, February 12.



BREAKING GROUND — Gordon Cameron, chairman of the board of county commissioners who appropriate funds for school buildings, wields the shovel as ground was broken last week for the new Southern Pines High School building at May Street and Massachusetts Avenue. Watching, left to right, are: A. C. Dawson, Jr., superintendent of schools; and local school trustees, John Howarth, chairman; Dr. Vida McLeod, who turned the first shovel of earth, Harry Menzel, L. F. Garvin of Manly, and Norris L. Hodgkins, Sr. In the background are students who witnessed the ceremony. (Photo by V. Nicholson)