

## Crisis in Red Cross Blood Program Discussed in 4-County Session Here

Representatives of Red Cross blood collection program in Moore, Hoke, Richmond and Stanly Counties met here Monday afternoon to discuss lagging collections in areas served by the Red Cross Blood Center at Charlotte, with increased recruitment of donors as the goal.

Use of blood by hospitals exceeded collections in 27 of the 37 Red Cross chapter areas served by the Charlotte Center, in the period from July through September, the group was told.

In Moore, for instance, 324 pints were used during this period and 120 collected, the report by officials of the program showed.

A visit of a bloodmobile to Vass last week collected only 26 pints, said Mrs. Audrey K. Kennedy, executive director of the Moore County chapter, who presided at the meeting.

Present on Monday at the gathering in the parish hall of Emmanuel Episcopal Church were: Mrs. Kennedy, the Rev. Martin Caldwell, rector of the church; Dr. Charles Phillips and Dr. Philip Green, representing Moore Memorial Hospital; Dr. Raymond Daugherty, representing St. Joseph of the Pines Hospital; Robert Cross of Asheboro, past regional Red Cross blood collection executive chairman and a member of the committee; William Cade, director of recruitment for the region; John Petty, blood program chairman for Stanly County; C. A. Hostetler, chairman at Raeford; Mrs. W. R. Wilson and C. A. Royston, of Hamlet; and press representatives.

Under the system used throughout the 37-chapter area, blood is supplied by the center, in types called for, to hospitals of the area, in the expectation that periodic collections by bloodmobiles will return to the center at least the equivalent of the amount sent to hospitals in the territory of each of the chapters. It is this return flow of blood that has been slowing down and threatening to cut off blood from the Charlotte center to the hospitals.

It was apparent from the reports given Monday that the slowdown is not local in Moore County but has affected most of the chapters in the 37-county area. The Southern Pines meeting was one of a series of four regional meetings to discuss the seriousness of the situation and seek for answers that will promote donation of more blood from all of the lagging chapters.

All the officials agreed that many persons who pledge to give blood often don't give and that the burden of giving is falling too much on a relatively few persons who are generous in their donations. Recruitment of new donors; an efficient organization to involve many people in the program; and the help that can be given by clubs and industries—all these were mentioned as important factors in stepping up blood collections in any community.

**BENNETT TO SPEAK**  
Elmer Bennett, Under-Secretary of the Interior and a member of the Republican national "Truth Squad," will address a county-wide Moore County GOP rally on Thursday, October 27, at a place and time to be announced. James E. Harrington, Jr., Moore County Republican chairman, said yesterday.

## Dr. Heinitsh Is President State Wildlife Group

Dr. George Heinitsh of Southern Pines was elected president of the North Carolina Wildlife Federation at its annual convention held at Fontana Dam last weekend.

The State Federation is composed of more than 7,000 members in some 100 affiliated clubs. Dr. Heinitsh has been its secretary for the past two terms. He is also currently serving as president of the Moore County Wildlife club, in which he has been active since its organization a dozen years ago.

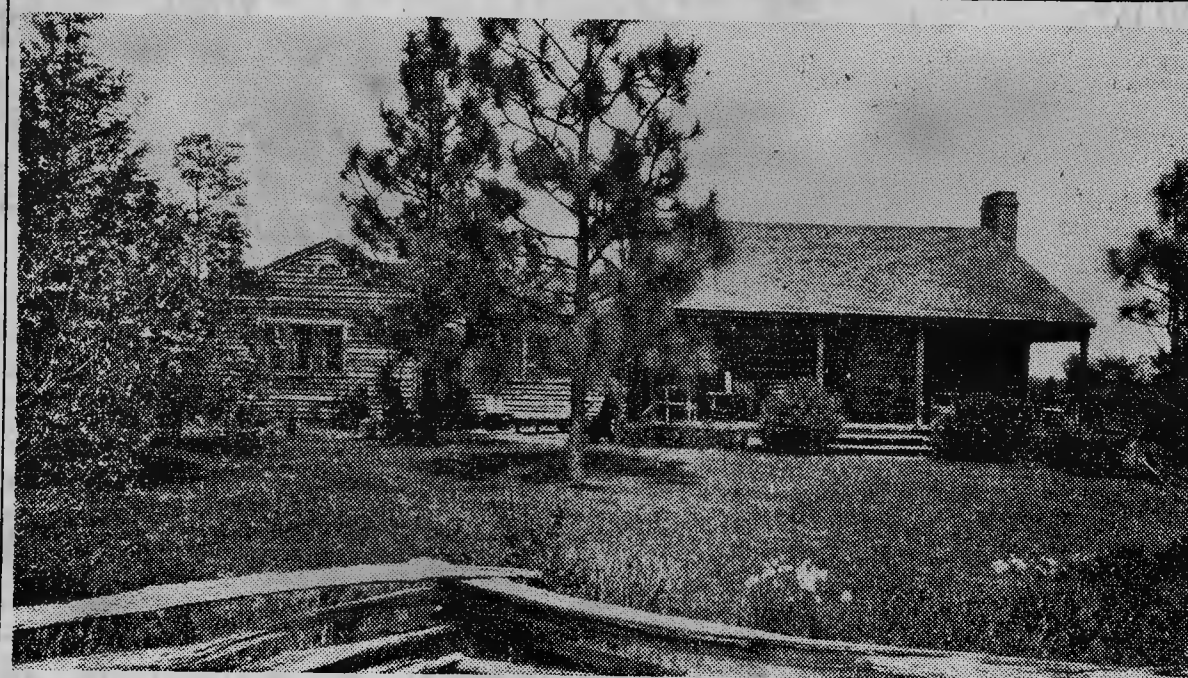
Dr. Heinitsh, who has practiced as an eye, ear, nose and throat specialist in Southern Pines since 1948, is an active hunter and fisherman, expert marksman and collector of firearms, dedicated to the principles of outdoor sports and to the conservation of natural resources for which the Federation stands.

It supports legislation and the program of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission to preserve the benefits of soil, water, forest and stream for the best use of the State and its people.

"A great challenge before us today is the fight against water pollution," he said this week, noting that "the appointment of the State Stream Commission by Governor Hodges last year was a great forward step."

Dr. Heinitsh was born in Spartanburg, S. C., took premedical work and his first two years of medical studies at the University of North Carolina, and graduated from Duke Medical school in 1932, remaining at Duke Hospital for five years for training in medicine, surgery and his specialty of ophthalmology.

He was married in 1932 to Nellie Graves of Carthage. They lived for two years, 1939-40, in Fayetteville, where he was associated (Continued on Page 8)



AT PAINT HILL FARM — This hill-top, restored pioneer cabin residence of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Ives, near Southern Pines, will be the weekend relaxing place for Mrs. Ives's brother,

Adlai E. Stevenson. Also at Southern Pines for the weekend will be two of his three sons, Adlai, Jr., of Chicago, and Borden of Cambridge, Mass.

## Hodges, Sanford To Attend Travel Council Meeting

Governor Luther H. Hodges and Democratic Governor - nominate Terry Sanford will attend the meeting of the Travel Council of North Carolina here Sunday night at which the new survey showing travel to be North Carolina's third largest industry will be released.

Governor Hodges will be the speaker at a dinner beginning at 7 p. m. at the Mid Pines Club. President Lynn Nisbet of the Travel Council said that Governor Hodges would not only receive the first copy of the new survey to come from the press, but would be presented with a special award in recognition of the fact that he appointed the committee which organized the Council in 1955.

Members of the organizing committee will also be recognized. They are: Robert L. Thompson, public relations counsel, Raleigh; Richard S. Tufts, president of Pinehurst, Inc.; S. Gilmer Sparger, executive secretary of the North Carolina Petroleum Committee; S. B. Jones, former president of the North Carolina Motel Association, and Marley M. Melvin, former executive vice president of the North Carolina Association of Quality Restaurants.

The Travel Council, a non-stock, non-profit corporation, dedicated to development of better facilities (Continued on page 8)

## FAIR NEXT WEEK

The Moore County Agricultural Fair will open Monday at Carthage to run through Saturday.

The fair, sponsored by the Carthage Jaycees, will feature agricultural and commercial exhibits; a "Miss Moore County High School of 1961" beauty contest, Wednesday night, with Miss Ann Herring of Winston-Salem. "Miss North Carolina" as one of the judges; and other special events.

There will be a fireworks display each night at 10.

## Many Add Names In Registration

Registration for the November elections is continuing throughout Moore County, with registrars to be at polling places this Saturday and Sunday of next week. The voting will take place Tuesday, November 8.

Registrars reported unusually heavy registration last Saturday. In Southern Pines precinct 85 names were added—51 Democrats, 32 Republicans and two independents. Eighty new names were added at Aberdeen—50 Democrats, 22 Republicans and eight independents. There were 41 new registrations in Pinebluff—20 Democrats, 18 Republicans and three independents.

## Grange Will Open State Convention; Caldwell to Speak

Dr. John Caldwell, chancellor of N. C. State College, will be the featured speaker next Monday night at the Fellowship Dinner at the convention of the N. C. Grange which opens here Sunday. The event will take place in the Southern Pines High School cafeteria.

Special awards will be made on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, with 100 granges expected to receive special recognition for community service and other programs.

A vesper service will be conducted Sunday evening at 7:30 in Brownson Memorial Presbyterian Church. Headquarters for the convention will be the Hollywood Hotel with registration to take place there Sunday.

Granges of Moore and Hoke Counties are hosts for the convention.

The state convention of the American War Mothers is being concluded at the Hollywood today.

## 'PUBLIC SPEAKING'

Two letters to the editor written for "The Public Speaking" column which usually appears on The Pilot's editorial page appear today on page A. One other letter to the editor, however, is on the usual page.

## Stevenson in Sandhills For Rest, Will Speak at Noon Rally on Saturday

### Walter Cronkite, CBS-TV, to Talk With Stevenson

Among the many celebrities due to arrive here for the Stevenson Rally is Walter Cronkite, star commentator for the Columbia Broadcasting System.

Mr. Cronkite is due here Friday, bringing with him from CBS's New York studios a full team of cameramen and technicians. The network will hold a working session Sunday afternoon when, as part of CBS's "Presidential Countdown," a remote videotaping will be made of a meeting between Governor Stevenson and Mr. Cronkite in which the two men will discuss the candidates and the campaign.

Plans were being made for the trip down and visit here by Warren Bush of CBS NEWS who called The Pilot Tuesday to discuss arrangements. Mr. Bush said the performance would be aired by the network Monday, October 24, from 10:30 to 11 p. m. and could be picked up here, he believed, over Greensboro's Station WFMY. A radio broadcast of the interview is scheduled for Tuesday, October 25, at 8:35 p. m.

## Local Children to Collect UNICEF Funds, Halloween

Southern Pines children will join more than two million boys and girls in over 10,000 American communities in collecting donations for UNICEF—the United Nations Children's Fund—in place of the traditional "trick or treat" handout on Halloween, Monday, October 31.

The collection will take place from 5 to 7 p. m. and so will not conflict with the Rotary Club's Halloween Carnival at Memorial Field.

Mrs. J. S. Hiatt, Jr., chairman for the collection, said that all Protestant churches of Southern Pines are participating and urging children of the churches to take part.

At a meeting of leaders in the project last week, the town was divided into territories for groups of children to cover, in an effort to prevent each house from being solicited more than once for UNICEF.

This is the 10th year Halloween collections have been made for UNICEF in the United States. Mrs. Hiatt pointed out, with contributions increasing from \$36 collected by a single Sunday School class in 1950 to \$1,500,000 last year.

UNICEF is the world's largest international organization devoted entirely to the health and welfare of children and mothers.

Dr. Bruce Warlick, Cubmaster of Cub Scout Pack 73, which is sponsored by Brownson Memorial Presbyterian Church, said this week that Cub Scouts of Pack 73 will take part in the UNICEF collection, as the Pack's project for "helping others"—one of four projects the Pack is undertaking in competition for an award in connection with the 50th anniversary of Scouting in the United States.

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## Gifts Lagging in Girl Scout Drive

Persons who have not given in the Central Carolina Girl Scout Fund Drive are asked to send their contributions to Max Rush, treasurer, by the end of October so that the campaign can be closed out.

Mrs. Albert Grove, local drive chairman, said that many persons to whom appeal letters were sent have not responded. Only about 60 per cent of the Southern Pines quota of \$2,500 has been subscribed, she said.

The Sandhills will welcome an old friend and visitor this weekend, who hasn't been back for four years—Adlai E. Stevenson, former two-time Democratic Presidential candidate and Governor of Illinois.

Hundreds of persons will have an opportunity to hear him at a noon rally in the Southern Pines High School gymnasium Saturday, when he will speak on a program that will also feature Terry Sanford of Fayetteville, Democratic candidate for Governor, and A. Paul Kitchin of Wadesboro, candidate for re-election to the U. S. House of Representatives.

While here, Governor Stevenson will be the guest of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Ives at their Paint Hill Farm which for many years has been a favorite vacation spot with the Democratic leader.

The Saturday rally, sponsored by the Moore County Democratic Executive Committee of which W. Lamont Brown is chairman, is slated to start at 11:15 a. m. with a free lunch for all attending. Voit Gilmore heads the rally arrangements committee. The public is invited, regardless of party affiliation.

The rally will be the fourth public appearance of Governor Stevenson in two days in North Carolina. He is expected to address a big rally at Clinton Friday afternoon; will speak at the Duke University indoor stadium at Durham, at 7:15 p. m. Friday; and will appear at a breakfast in Raleigh Saturday morning, winding up the Young Democrats' State convention.

Arrangements for the Stevenson visit to North Carolina are being handled by John D. McConnell of Southern Pines, secretary of the N. C. Democratic Executive Committee.

## Democrats of 8th District to Rally Monday in Sanford

Democrats from the Eighth Congressional District will convene at Central High School in Sanford, Monday, October 24, for a rally led by state Democratic leaders.

J. C. Pittman, chairman of the executive committee of Lee County Democrats, said today Malcolm B. Seawell will be chief speaker at the rally and free barbecue, which begins at 4:30 on the high school campus.

Lee Democrats will be hosts to visitors from the other 11 counties in the district: Anson, Davidson, Davie, Hoke, Montgomery, Moore, Richmond, Scotland, Union, Wilkes, and Yadkin.

Bert Bennett, Democratic state chairman, will present officials and members of the Council of State for their parts on the program. Commissioner of Labor Frank Crane is scheduled to speak, along with North Carolina's U. S. Senators Sam Ervin, Jr., and B. Everett Jordan, Congressman Paul Kitchin, and the Democratic candidate for lieutenant governor, Cloyd Philpott.

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## Work Starts on New Wing of High School

Excavation work for the "Phase C" wing of East Southern Pines High School has begun, with further construction expected to move along rapidly. The wing will run parallel to New York Ave. and join to the north end of the existing high school building.

Cost of the wing will run to about \$180,000, a figure which includes some but not all of the equipment for it.

Classrooms in the wing will enable the four classes now meeting out of the school to be housed on school property.

## Republicans to Stage Carthage Rally Saturday

Moore County Republicans, making their liveliest bid in years for county offices as well as the state and national tickets, will have another free supper and rally Saturday night, at the American Legion hut near Carthage.

Some 300 persons were reported attending last Saturday night's rally and supper at Aberdeen.

Speakers included James E. Harrington of Pinehurst, county GOP chairman and State Senate candidate who stressed the need for a two-party system in North Carolina; A. I. Ferree of Asheboro who spoke on the importance of working in the local precinct; Mayor Robert S. Ewing of Southern Pines who discussed the national phase of the campaign and Drewry Troutman of Pinebluff, candidate for member of the county board of education, from Sandhill and Mineral Springs townships, gave his ideas for improving the county schools.



REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES for state offices are pictured here. They will be touring the state next week as a "campaign caravan" and are expected in Moore County Tuesday morning. They are, seated: Robert L. Gavin, left, candidate for governor, and Kyle Hayes, candidate for the U. S. Senate. Others standing, left to right, are: Paul C. West, candidate for State Supreme Court; Fred R. Keith, candidate for state treasurer; A. H. Farmer, candidate for commissioner of agriculture; Mrs. Walter Zachary, candidate for superintendent of public instruction; Donald L. Paschal, candidate for attorney general; Dallas M. Reese, candidate for state auditor; T. Paul Messick, candidate for commissioner of labor; S. Clyde Eggers, candidate for lieutenant governor; Julian E. Cameron, candidate for commissioner of insurance and David L. Morton, candidate for secretary of state.