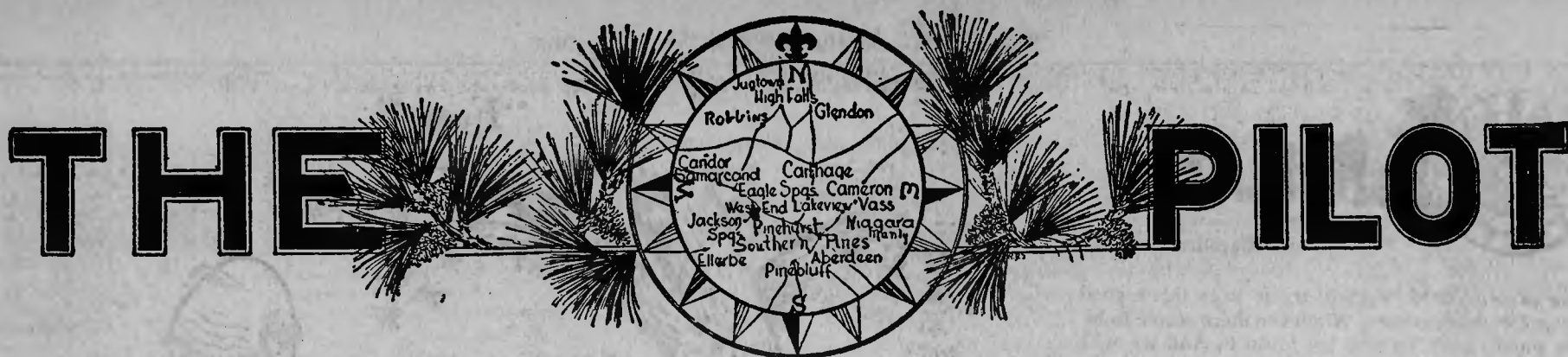


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**Action, Not Words, Set As Democratic Theme As Precinct Committees Meet**

"Short on speech-making but long on action"—that was the theme sounded by Moore County Democratic Chairman W. Lamont Brown to about 50 persons representing nearly all the county's precinct committees, attending a supper meeting at the Carthage Hotel Thursday night of last week.

The meeting opened Moore County's Democratic campaign in the Eighth District Kitchin-Jonas fight, and in the county against a partial slate of Republican contenders for offices now held by Democrats.

**Women Democrats To Hear Leaders In Party Saturday**

Democratic women from throughout Moore County will meet at the Southern Pines Country Club at noon, Saturday, for a luncheon to be attended by several North Carolina party officials, with Mrs. A. Paul Kitchin of Wadesboro, wife of the 8th District representative and Congressional candidate, as guest of honor.

The part that women can play in campaigning for candidates in the November election will be the theme of the meeting. The speakers will include Mrs. J. Henry Cromatic of Charlotte, State Democratic vice chairman; Mrs. Herbert McKay of Chapel Hill, N. C. Democratic national committeewoman; William W. Staton of Sanford, national committeeman; and Mrs. John L. Frye of Robbinston, first woman candidate for the Moore County board of education.

**Sanford Center Offers Technical Training Courses**

Four important technical courses leading to higher skills and better paying jobs will begin immediately without tuition cost at the Lee Industrial Education Center in Sanford.

These courses will be offered in Machine Shop, Technical Drafting, Air Conditioning-Refrigeration and Automotive Mechanics four nights a week: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 7 to 10 p. m.

The courses are 1,440 hours in length and are certified by the State of North Carolina leading to a diploma issued by the state.

Registration for the courses began Monday of this week, but eligible students will be accepted if application is made within the next 10 days. Interested persons should get in touch with W. A. Martin, director of the center, as soon as possible.

This program is being offered to qualified applicants who are unable to attend the Lee Center during the day program. The only cost is for books and supplies.

A new building has been completed near Central High School with every modern facility for technical education.

**DOG THAT BIT GIRL IS SOUGHT**

Donna Traylor, Girl Scout daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Traylor of Weymouth Road, was bitten by a dog at the A & P store Saturday, when she tried to help the animal after it had gotten its foot caught in a door.

Donna was at the store to receive contributions for aid to the blind in the local Lions Club's annual White Caps Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Traylor are anxious to get in touch with the owner of the dog, which was freed and ran off and cannot be accurately described, to ascertain if the animal had been properly vaccinated for rabies.

Any owner of a dog that came home Saturday with an injured foot is asked to get in touch with them. Mrs. Traylor can be reached during business hours at the Austin Business Machine Co. on W. Pennsylvania Ave.

**Unified Support**  
Unified support for the entire Democratic slate was the keynote—the kind of support, Chairman Brown said, which means work to get out the full Democratic vote, and to keep all registered Democrats lined up for the party.

It also, he said, means work to see that all voters are properly informed as to just who is running on the Democratic ticket, and who on the Republican. The chairman castigated the frequent practice of Republican candidates of not mentioning party in their advertising, and billing themselves as candidates of and for "Republicans, Democrats and independents." Only Democrats are running for the Democrats, he declared, "and they are not ashamed to say so."

**Lockey Heads Committee**  
A finance committee has been set up, which Forrest Lockey of Aberdeen has again agreed to head, to secure funds for State headquarters and county campaign expenses, with hopes to get the job done within two weeks. Working with Lockey are a dozen committee members covering all parts of the county.

The Young Democrats will cooperate with the senior party in working to increase the registration and get out the vote. They will set up a county campaign headquarters at Carthage and will staff a Democratic party booth at the Moore County Fair. Campaign materials may be secured either from the Carthage headquarters or Chairman Brown's law office.

**Mrs. Merrill To Head Girl Scout Fund Drive Here**

W. R. Bonsal III, county chairman for the Girl Scout fund drive, has announced the appointment of Mrs. Mildred Merrill as chairman of the drive for Southern Pines.

Mrs. Merrill has been active in scouting for many years as a scout herself and then leader of a local troop for seven years. She attended Edith Macy Training School in Westchester County, New York, and the Girl Scout National Convention in San Francisco, Calif., in 1955.

Mrs. Merrill has appointed Mrs. Sherwood Brockwell as chairman for the residential fund drive with Mrs. W. T. Huntley, Jr., as her co-chairman. Mrs. George Matheson is treasurer and Mrs. J. W. Smith, Jr., will do publicity. Mr. Bonsal is chairman of the drive in the business district.

The drive will start October 7. Solicitation will be by letter and house-to-house canvass. Letters will go out in the mail this week, Mrs. Merrill stated. The goal for Southern Pines is \$4,000.

There are 200 girl scouts in Southern Pines, in 10 troops: three Senior troops, four Intermediate troops, and three Brownie troops, with a fourth in the area.

**Vance A. Derby Opens Law Office**

Vance A. Derby of Southern Pines today announced the opening of an office for the practice of law at 133 N. W. Broad St., in the Citizens Bank building.

Mr. Derby, a 1962 graduate of the University of North Carolina Law School, is a native of Tarboro and grew up in Charlotte. After service in the Coast Guard in World War II, he attended Harvard Junior College and the University of North Carolina, graduating from the University in 1950 with a degree in journalism.

After working in New York City, Washington, D. C., and Waynesville, he came to Southern Pines in 1956 and was news editor of the Pilot until he left in 1959 to enter law school. He and his family lived in Chapel Hill while he was enrolled there, returning a few weeks ago to their home on Saylor Street.

Mr. Derby's wife is the former Bayra Mitchell of Woodbury, N. J., also a graduate of UNC. Their four children are Judy, Penny, Tom and Katie.



**AT AIRPORT**—When Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower arrived at Southern Pines-Pinehurst Airport Saturday, he was besieged by a crowd of onlookers that surged around ropes to get close to the former President who took time to shake hands with many of the throng, paying special attention to the children. He stands in this photo with Rep. Charles R. Jonas of Lincolnton, 8th District Republican Congressional candidate (wearing glasses), whose campaign he came here to support. At extreme left, with head turned, is James E. Harrington, Jr., of Pinehurst, Moore County GOP chairman. (Humphrey photo)

**-- 400 Attend Luncheon --  
Eisenhower Visit To Area Provides Boost To Jonas Candidacy**

In a visit of a few hours to the Sandhills Saturday afternoon, Former President Dwight D. Eisenhower received a rousing airport welcome from thousands of Moore Countians, delivered a mighty boost to the 8th District Republican Congressional candidate, Rep. Charles R. Jonas, made front-page headlines when he cast doubts on the value of the nation's race-to-the-moon program in an address at a Pinehurst luncheon and whizzed around the No. 2 course at Pinehurst in a golf cart to enjoy several holes of play in the Harris-Gray championship match of the National Amateur tournament.

Observers of all political persuasions agreed that it was a red-letter day for the area.

Republicans, including State GOP Chairman Robert Gavin of Sanford, Moore Chairman James E. Harrington, Jr., of Pinehurst and numerous other party officials and supporters, had toiled day and night for several weeks to assure success of the occasion. They could not conceal their pride and pleasure at the outcome. There was no doubt they had struck a telling blow for the GOP in the all-out campaign being waged by Congressman Jonas against Rep. A. Paul Kitchin of Wadesboro for the Congressional seat of the "new" 8th District.

**Adams Will Head Moore Society For Crippled Children**

Luther A. Adams, superintendent of Southern Pines schools, was elected chairman of the Moore County Society for Crippled Children and Adults at the annual meeting of officers, board members and other interested persons, Thursday night of last week. He succeeds Mrs. William Wood of Pinebluff who was named to a reorganized Advisory Board.

Other 1962-'63 officers elected were: Mrs. Graham Culbreth, vice chairman; and W. E. Samuels, treasurer. Both are from Southern Pines.

Mrs. Culbreth, who is service chairman for the Moore County Society and a member of the board of directors of the North Carolina Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Inc., was also named to handle public relations for the Moore group during the coming year.

The dinner and business meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Cotton of Southern Pines. Mrs. Cotton is outgoing treasurer of the county organization.

Members of the reorganized Advisory Board who have accepted appointment, in addition to Mrs. Wood, are: Norris Hodgkins, (Continued on Page 8)

**WEEKEND CAMPOREE SCHEDULED  
Boy Scout Finance Campaign Begins**

About 40 persons met at the Southern Pines Country Club at 7 a. m. today for the annual kickoff breakfast that launches the local Boy Scout finance campaign. All will be active workers in the effort.

E. Earl Hubbard is the community drive chairman for Southern Pines. Assisting him are Bill Gentry, general drive chairman; Jimmy Hobbs, special gifts chairman; Bill Samuels, auditor; Emerson Humphrey, publicity chairman; and David Drexel, arrangements chairman.

Wallace Wood of Raleigh, Occaneechee Council Scout executive, said that the organization and cooperation shown in preparations for this year's local finance campaign has been greater than at any time in the history of Scouting in Southern Pines.

**Camporee at Bragg**  
Boy Scout units from Moore County are expected to take part in the coming weekend's "Fit for Tomorrow" Occaneechee Council Boy Scout Camporee at Fort Bragg which will bring together some 5,000 Scouts and leaders from the 12 counties of the council.

The encampment will run from Friday evening through Sunday morning. Some 500 individual patrols will prepare meals over their own fires.

Lewis Waskey, Moore District Scout executive stationed at Carthage, will be in charge of the Moore delegation, with Jack Starnes of Southern Pines, the district's other executive, joining the group on Saturday.

The program will feature competition in Scouting skills and military demonstrations and displays. At 8 p. m. Saturday, there will be a gala campfire for all the campers.

**Bloodmobile Will Collect In Moore Twice Next Week**

A Red Cross bloodmobile from the Charlotte center will make two stops in Moore County next week.

On Monday, collections will be made at the Elise High School in Robbinston, from 12 noon to 5:30 p. m.

On Tuesday, the collection will be at the Vass-Lakeview High School gym from 11 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

Donations of blood at periodic visits of the bloodmobile make possible the program under which the two hospitals in the county obtain blood of any type from the Charlotte center.

Dr. R. J. Dougherty is chairman of the Vass collection, with Moore County Rescue Squad No. 2 responsible for the distribution and collection of donor pledge cards.

**CEREMONIES FOLLOW VICTORY OVER GRAY AT PINEHURST**

**USGA Head Says Harris Has 'Heart Of Champion'**

A week of golfing upsets, with unexpected losses and wins galore, closed Saturday afternoon on the 18th green of Pinehurst's No. 2 championship course when 20-year-old Labron E. Harris, Jr., of Stillwater, Okla., sunk a five-foot putt that clinched his 1-up victory in the 62nd Amateur Championship of the U. S. Golf Association.

The runner-up was Downing Gray, 24, of Warrington, Fla., who had been 5-up on Harris at the end of the morning's 18 in the 36-hole finals match. Harris, playing as erratically in the morning as had Billy Joe Patton whom he beat 3-up in the 36-hole semifinals on Friday, set the intense, concentrated Gray down with a brilliant performance, winning five straight holes as the afternoon round began.

Gray defeated Charles Coody of Fort Worth, Texas, in the semifinals Friday, also 3-up, while most of the hundreds of persons in the gallery followed the Harris-



**IT'S IN!**—Labron Harris, Jr., drops his putter and throws his arms in the air in a dramatic, spontaneous gesture of triumph as he holes the five-foot, 18th-green putt that spelled a 1-up victory for him Saturday in the National Amateur golf tournament at Pinehurst. His defeated opponent, Downing Gray, stands at right, as Gray's caddie, Charlie Armstrong of Taylortown watches at left, Harris's caddie is Clyde Vamper of Southern Pines. (Hemmer photo)

Press, TV and radio coverage of all phases of the Eisenhower visit was extensive, with many of the photographers and reporters in Pinehurst for the golf tournament doubling on the political story.

At the Southern Pines-Pinehurst Airport, where the Eisenhower plane from Columbia, S. C. (where the general had already appeared and spoken earlier Saturday) landed at exactly 12:15 p. m., a portion of the crowd (estimated at from 2,000 to 4,000 persons) broke around one end of the guard ropes and swamped the former President and his four companions, making arrangements for introductions to local officials and committee members almost impossible.

The high school bands from East and West Southern Pines and Rockingham, played in the background as highway patrolmen and other officers attempted to clear a path for Gen. Eisenhower and Congressman Jonas through a distance of some 30 feet from the plane to a waiting microphone.

In his words of greeting, almost inaudible because of the surrounding din, Gen. Eisenhower noted that he had not been in North Carolina for a long time and, as he repeated wryly at the following luncheon, he was not here to do a lot of politicking but to help get Rep. Jonas elected to (Continued on Page 8)

**Old Bethesda To Have Homecoming On Sunday**

The annual homecoming at Old Bethesda Church near Aberdeen will be held Sunday, September 30, with the Rev. Ernest L. Barber of Raleigh, as the speaker.

The Rev. Mr. Barber is a former pastor of Bethesda Presbyterian Church, Aberdeen.

The homecoming service will begin at 11:15 in the morning. There will be special music by a group from St. Andrews College, Laurinburg.

At the noon hour the usual picnic dinner will be spread on the tables in the grove. There will be no service in the afternoon.

**NCWGA Tourney Set At Pinehurst, Starting Monday**

The 17th annual championship of the North Carolina Women's Golf Association will take place at Pinehurst next week, with the course open for practice on Saturday and a better ball of pair event scheduled for Sunday. The tournament is open to all members of clubs in the Association.

Registration will close at noon, Monday, when the qualifying round will be played. The tournament will be at match play in flights. There will also be: team play, low gross; team play, low net; low putts; and senior tournament for players over 45 years of age.

First round matches in all flights will be played Tuesday and there will be a driving contest with two divisions.

Wednesday's schedule calls for second round matches and first (Continued on Page 8)

**THE WEATHER**

Maximum and minimum temperatures for each day of the past week were recorded as follows at the U. S. Weather Bureau observation station at the W E B studios on Midland Road.

	Max.	Min.
September 20	80	57
September 21	68	42
September 22	70	48
September 23	73	57
September 24	71	47
September 25	77	47
September 26	77	56