



MR. CAMERON

## Gordon Cameron Longtime County Official, Dies

Gordon McGregor Cameron, 75, longtime Pinehurst, Inc., official and former chairman of the Moore County board of commissioners, died Monday evening soon after his admission to North Carolina Memorial hospital at Chapel Hill.

He had suffered a fall about 5 p. m. down some steps in a Southern Pines store which fractured his skull. Rushed to Moore Memorial Hospital at Pinehurst, he was immediately transferred to North Carolina Memorial Hospital and taken there by ambulance.

His 25 years' service on the board of commissioners, most of those years as chairman, had made him one of Moore county's best-known and best-loved citizens. First elected in 1933, he declined in the spring of 1958 to run for reelection, serving until December of that year.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the Pinehurst Community Church, in (Continued on Page 8)

## Football Practice For Blue Knights Starts Next Week

East Southern Pines High School Coach Bill Megginson announced plans for pre-school football drills starting next week, inviting all interested boys in grades 9 through 12 to try out for the squad.

Here's the schedule for next week: Wednesday, August 14—Equipment to be given out at the field house between 2 and 4 p. m. Physical exams to be made by local physicians at the office of Dr. R. M. McMillan at 8 p. m.

Thursday, August 15—Practice begins, with four sessions daily. Backs, ends and centers will work out from 7 to 8:30 a. m. and again from 4 to 5:30 p. m. Line-men's workouts will be from 8:30 to 10 a. m. and again from 5:30 to 7 p. m.

Junior high football practice for boys in grades 7 and 8 will begin after school starts September 5.

A feature announced by Coach Megginson as of interest to all boys going out for football will take place Monday, August 12, at 8 p. m. in the multi-purpose room of the high school: a film of last fall's East Carolina-Lenoir-Rhyne football game. All interested youngsters and adults are invited.

First game of the '63 season for the Blue Knights will be a non-conference contest with Wadesboro here Friday night, September 6.

## 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 E B studios on Midland Road.

	Max	Min
August 1	92	65
August 2	91	66
August 3	97	65
August 4	96	71
August 5	91	71
August 6	92	66
August 7	97	72

## IN SUPERIOR COURT

### Orphan Youth, 16, Facing Trial For Forgery of Checks

A long docket awaits Resident Judge John D. McConnell of Southern Pines at the term of Moore County Superior Court, to start Monday at Carthage, for trial of criminal cases.

Judge McConnell will preside in his home county during the next six months, including next week's term the two civil terms starting September 2 and September 9, and the November criminal term.

Up for grand jury bills are two forgery counts against James Boggs, who has been in jail since his arrest last May, when he was only 15 years old. (He became 16 in June.) County authorities said there was no other place to hold the boy, an orphan, who admitted he left the home of an uncle and lived "in the woods," coming out to cash several \$10 checks he forged on Carthage merchants. Boggs's mother and father, Evelyn and Henry Boggs, were both victims in separate murder cases occurring in the county within the past few years.

The only case involving a capital offense is that of Johnny Johnson, 18-year-old Hoffman soldier, indicted by the Moore County grand jury in April on charges of rape and carnal knowledge of a minor. He was released under \$10,000 bond and returned to Army service. Principal state's (Continued on Page 8)

## Many Enter New Kiwanis Tourney

Entries have been coming in well for the first annual Invitational Golf Tournament for Kiwanis Charities to be played at Whispering Pines Country Club August 17 and 18.

Only a few vacancies remain in the field of 200 for the 36-hole event, it was stated. A \$15 entry fee covers green fees, social hour and dance. Applications should be sent to P. O. Box 6152, Raleigh.

The tournament is sponsored by the Sir Walter Kiwanis Club of Raleigh. Details will be given in next week's Pilot.



BRYAN POE

## Poe Named To Fill ABC Board Post

Bryan Poe of Southern Pines was named Monday to fill the vacancy, caused by the death of J. V. Healy of Southern Pines, on the Moore County Alcoholic Beverage Control Board.

The board directs operations of the ABC sales stores in Southern Pines and Pinehurst, as well as the ABC law enforcement staff headed by C. A. McCallum of Carthage.

Mr. Poe, a Southern Pines native who has been in the service station business here for nearly 20 years, is a member of the town's Planning Board and a Democratic precinct chairman.

The appointment was made by joint action of the county commissioners, board of education and board of health, as required by law, meeting at Carthage Monday.

Other members of the board are James W. Tufts of Pinehurst, chairman; and C. M. Patterson of Carthage. L. J. Hinson of Pinehurst is supervisor for the board. Mr. Poe was on vacation in Florida this week and no immediate date was set for his being sworn into his new office.



RECEIVE TROPHIES—Pictured at end of the Moore County Golf Tournament, at the Whispering Pines Country Club Sunday, are left to right: Mike Cheek, 14-year-old medalist and the consolation winner in the championship flight; George Hafeli runner-up for the championship; Harry Davis, president of the Moore County Golf Association, sponsoring organization; Bill Woodward, 1963 champion; and Avery Beck, pro at Whispering Pines. (Humphrey photo)

## MANY TROPHIES AWARDED SUNDAY

### Woodward Wins Moore Golf Event

Bill Woodward of Robbins defeated George Hafeli of Southern Pines, 2 and 1, Sunday to add another Moore County golf championship to the string of these titles he has acquired over many years.

The championship match, consolation matches and others in seven flights were played at the Whispering Pines Country Club, north of Southern Pines. The tournament has extended over several weeks.

Consolation winner in the championship flight was 14-year-old Mike Cheek of Whispering Pines who had been the tournament's medalist, with one-over-par 73 when the event began several weeks ago.

In ceremonies held at 6 p. m. Sunday, preceding a picnic supper for contestants and guests, engraved silver trophies were awarded flight winners, runners-up and consolation winners. Trophy winners who were not present can pick up their awards at the Whispering Pines pro shop.

Here are results for the other seven flights in the tournament: 1st—B. E. Dotson, Carthage, over Glenn Crissman, 4 and 3.

## Sandhills Tennis Tournament Starts On Local Courts

The 15th annual Sandhills Invitational Tennis tournament for adult players which starts today on the town courts, with finals Sunday, has shaped up as one of the finest of the series, with a new senior division adding special interest.

The seniors (45 and up), will play Saturday and Sunday at the Pinehurst Country Club. In the field of 11—with several more entered for doubles only—Sam Daniel of Columbia, S. C., is No. 1 seed, and Fred West of Raleigh is No. 2.

Daniel former three-time winner of the Sandhills trophy, is currently No. 1 in seniors in his home state, while West is No. 1 in North Carolina.

The men's singles division will be without a defender, as word came Wednesday night from Malcolm Clark, local champion, who is teaching summer school in New Jersey, that he had been unable to get away and could not attend. Clark, a Sandhills "regular" from the tournament's early days made a clean sweep in 1962, winning the singles and sharing trophies in doubles and mixed doubles.

In his place, Ed Hudgins of Greensboro is topseded among the 22 entries, with Buck Archer (Continued on Page 8)

## Pinehurst Power Cut Now Slated August 14

An interruption in electric power in Pinehurst which had been scheduled for Wednesday afternoon did not take place because of the funeral for Gordon M. Cameron.

The interruption is now scheduled for 2 p. m., Wednesday, August 14, to last about 45 minutes.

Reason for the power cut by Carolina Power & Light Co. is replacement of lightning arrestors at the West End sub-station.

Consolation winner, W. W. Welker, Whispering Pines. 2nd—John Marcum, S. Pines, over W. Lester, S. Pines, 1 up, 19th hole. Consolation winner, Lester Bradley, Siler City.

3rd—Dexter Morse, Whispering Pines, over Roland Johnson, Robbins, 6 and 5. Consolation winner, Marshall Ragsdale, Whispering Pines.

4th—Stanley Smith, S. Pines, over George Wirtz, Carthage, 2 and 1. Consolation winner, Billy

Megginson, Whispering Pines. 5th—Percy Reeves, Whispering Pines, over Donald Morse, Whispering Pines, 3 and 2. Consolation winner, Darrell Matthews, Whispering Pines.

6th—E. H. Poole, Aberdeen, over M. F. Creem, Pinehurst, 1 up. Consolation winner, W. L. Batchelor, Aberdeen.

7th—Bobby Von Canon, West End, over L. C. Thomas, Cameron, 5 and 4. Consolation winner, Ken Cox, Aberdeen.

## Carolina Soap and Candle Co. Opening Downtown Retail Store Here Monday

Carolina Soap and Candle Company will open a retail sales store Monday at 127 W. Pennsylvania Ave., Jack Hicks, president, said today. It will be known as The Bazaar.

The location is the building owned by Mrs. H. L. Brown and formerly occupied by Austin Business Machines. Carolina Soap and Candle leased the building several weeks ago and has had its Auditing Department there. This department, in charge of Mrs. Peggy Johnson, has now moved to the former Stevens Building on N. W. Broad St., the south half of which has been leased from its present owners, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hobbs. Claude Thomas of Rockingham, company treasurer, is located in this building.

The new retail location, which will also feature a display of can-

dle hand-dipping and a fountain in the center of the store, is being extensively remodeled. Low openwork brick partitions have been built, to divide displays. The plate glass front has been divided by wooden strips to simulate colonial-style windows. Eddie Cheatham is in charge of construction and maintenance for the company.

The company has not had a local retail outlet since its main plant on No. 1 highway, south, was destroyed by fire last spring. Now employing 125 persons, the company has reached a new peak of output and employment, Mr. Hicks said. It has a nationwide retail store and mail order business.

Its other local locations are: —The former Holiday Restaurant (Continued on Page 8)

## Community College Is Authorized In County; Bond Election Planned

Last week's allocation of one of the state's proposed community colleges to Moore County was a subject of primary interest and considerable discussion at Monday's August meeting of the board of county commissioners in Carthage.

After hearing reports of county officials in the morning session, the commissioners met after lunch with three of the five mem-

bers of the county board of education and County Schools Supt. R. E. Lee. The education board has served as steering committee for the college project and formally presented the county's application for a college to the State Board of Education recently.

All the commissioners were present: Chairman L. R. Reynolds, John M. Currie, Tom Monroe, James M. Pleasants and W. S. Taylor. Appearing for the board of education were Jere McKeithen, chairman, Mrs. John L. Frye and W. H. Matthews. Not present were T. Roy Phillips and Roland H. Upchurch.

## Group Continuing Study Of County's School Bond Needs

The committee named by the county commissioners several weeks ago to study a proposed bond issue for construction of new school buildings will meet here tonight.

The committee is trying to formulate suggestions to be made to the county commissioners as to total amount of a proposed bond issue and how this amount would be divided among the county's three school systems—Moore County, Southern Pines and Pinehurst.

On the committee are: W. S. Taylor of Aberdeen, representing the county commissioners; the board of education chairmen and superintendents of each of the three school systems; and H. A. Brogden of the John C. Muse firm of Sanford, the county's auditors.

The chairmen and superintendents (Continued on Page 8)

## Registration Set For New Students

Glenn L. Cox, principal of East Southern Pines High School, announces that the high school of office will be open beginning Monday, August 12, for registration of new students.

Any student that has not registered for the 1963-64 school year is asked to come by the office prior to the opening of school. Office hours will be from 9 to 12 and 1 to 5.

It is important that all students register so that schedules can be arranged prior to the September 5 opening of school.

Nearly all students who attended school here during the past school year are already registered, Mr. Cox said.

The commissioners authorized a formal resolution, that was to be drawn up by County Attorney M. G. Boyette, commending the board of education for its work in obtaining the community college for Moore County and the progress made with the project to date. When Mr. McKeithen heard this, he said, "we don't begrudge one ounce of the energy we have put into it."

In another formal action, the commissioners commended the work in the 1963 General Assembly by Moore County's two legislators, House Speaker H. Clifton Blue and Sen. W. P. Saunders. The legislators' help with the college project was recognized.

Reporting on allocation of the college, which was formally approved by the State Board of Education in Raleigh last Thursday, Mr. McKeithen told the commissioners that the county is now authorized to call for a bond election to finance construction of the college.

Under the legislation authorizing the community colleges, he pointed out, a county getting a college must construct the buildings. The state will furnish the buildings and the state and fees from students will pay the operating costs. Maintenance and insurance must be continued at county expense. Operating costs are therefore expected to be derived: 65 per cent from the state, 20 per cent from students and 15 per cent from the county.

A \$1 million cost has been estimated for the college and will probably be the amount called for in a bond election. However, Mr. McKeithen pointed out these circumstances in connection with the proposed bond issue may lower the cost to the county.

—No matter what the amount of the bond issue, the county need sell bonds only in the amount needed to do the work.

—The General Assembly approved legislation allotting up to \$500,000 in matching funds to any county building a college, provided there is a surplus permit. (Continued on Page 8)

## Cain Assigned To County As Trooper

State Highway Patrolman Gerald Lee Cain has been assigned to Moore County, stationed at Carthage, according to Sgt. J. S. Jones of Siler City. Cain replaces Patrolman Roger Davis, who was transferred to Wilson August 1 after serving one year in Moore.

The new patrolman, who had his 21st birthday July 29, has completed his 14 weeks' course at Patrol School at the Institute of Government, Chapel Hill. The Moore County position is his first with the Patrol and for several weeks he will be riding with the older troopers, gaining experience and learning the county.

A native of Bladen County, he is married and the father of a three-weeks-old son. His family will move to Carthage as soon as he finds a home.

## Mrs. McColl's Condition Reported 'Comfortable'

Mrs. Katherine McColl of Southern Pines remains at her second home, 1001 West Main St., Bennettsville, S. C., where she is receiving medical care. Although weak at times, she continues to enjoy her family, friends, mail and newspapers. Her condition is comfortable, reports her daughter, Mrs. George Kerr, of Bennettsville. (Continued on Page 8)



JUNIOR WINNERS—C. A. McLaughlin (right), president of the Sandhills Tennis Association and James W. Jenkins (left), new superintendent of schools, presented trophies Sunday, at conclusion of the Sandhills Junior Invitational Tennis Tournament. The girls are Jane Davenport (left), winner, and Lynn Chance, runner-up, in the Junior Girls division. The boys are Clinch Belsler (left), winner and Sam Smithyman, runner-up, in Junior Boys. (Humphrey photo)

## 107 BOYS, GIRLS SET RECORD

### Upsets Feature Junior Tennis

Teen-agers swarmed into town last week—107 entries in the Junior Sandhills Invitational tennis tournament, an unprecedented number in the 15-year history of the event.

Lights were on each evening at the town courts, in order to complete the big schedule of singles and doubles in the junior boys', boys', junior girls' and girls' divisions.

A light shower Wednesday evening only benefited the courts and from then on, it was perfect tennis weather, fair and hot. A number of parents attended with their children, and others came for the weekend matches.

Seeded players fell like ninepins. In the all-South Carolina junior boys' finals, Clinch Belsler, unseeded, of Columbia, beat third-seeded Sam Smithyman of Greenville, 7-5, 7-5. This was Belsler's year. While he was ranked

No. 3 in his home state last year, to Smithyman's No. 1, he had already this summer won the South Carolina High School and Jaycee singles trophies.

In boys' singles, Johnny Zambelli of Goldsboro, No. 2 seed, beat Allen Lassiter of Winston-Salem 3-6, 6-4, 8-6.

Redheaded Jane Davenport of Greensboro, returning for her fourth year in girls' and junior (Continued on Page 8)