

## Seniors Will Get Career, College Guidance Tuesday

The annual vocational guidance and college career day for Moore County's high school seniors will be conducted Tuesday, November 5, according to Howard Broughton, chairman of the Sandhills Kiwanis Club committee which sponsors the program.

Most of the seniors in Moore County's high schools will participate in the program which is to be held at the high school here.

Broughton said that representatives of 29 colleges and universities, several industrial education centers, beauty colleges, business colleges, nursing schools, and other centers of learning would be present for group and personal conferences.

In addition there are a number of business and professional people in the Sandhills and adjoining area who have volunteered to discuss their vocations and the opportunities that exist for seniors who are now making their plans for the future.

Individual lecturers will discuss educational requirements, institutions offering the required courses and estimated cost; opportunities in the area, state and nation; opportunities for advancement, general working conditions and pay scale; and the demand for that particular type of vocation.

College and university representatives will outline the requirements for admission, costs, and opportunities for scholarship.

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**BOOKS PRESENTED**—North Carolina Sanatorium at McCain was the recipient recently of the Grace Ferris Memorial Library, a collection of 100 books presented annually by Alpha Xi Delta, national philanthropic sorority, to a hospital for treatment of tuberculosis. Shown here are, left to right: Mrs. Arthur M. Dixon of Gastonia, a trustee of the Alpha Xi Delta Foundation, who made the presentation; the Rev. C. R. Hopkins, sanatorium chaplain; Mrs. Warren H. Vestal, president of the Charlotte alumnae chapter of Alpha Xi Delta; and Joseph S. Lennon, associate administrator of N. C. Sanatorium, who received the gift which is named in memory of a sorority member who showed notable courage and spirit as a tuberculosis patient about 20 years ago. (Humphrey photo)

## PTA Will Sponsor Marionettes Show

As its chief fund-raising project of the school year, the East Southern Pines Parent-Teacher Association will sponsor a performance of the Nicolo Marionettes in Weaver Auditorium, Monday evening, December 2.

One of the outstanding groups in the American Puppet Theatre, the Nicolo Marionettes will present here "The Emperor's Nightingale," based on a Hans Christian Andersen story.

The admission charge will be small, to assure large attendance, a PTA spokesman said. Further details will be announced.

## Golfer Repeats Hole-In-1 Feat

George Hafeli, local golfer, sunk his five-iron shot for a hole-in-one on the 14th at the Southern Pines Country Club Saturday, while playing with a weekend guest, Jim Smith of Dover, N. H.—repeating a feat performed in the company of Mr. Smith two years ago at Fitchburg, Mass.

Also witnessing the ace were the other two members of the foursome, Barney Avery and Max Forrest, both of Southern Pines.

## VISITING SPEAKERS DESCRIBE PROJECTS

### Mental Health Group Given Charter

About 20 members of the Moore County Mental Health Association attended a luncheon meeting in the Holiday Inn Restaurant Monday to witness presentation of the association's charter and hear two visiting speakers describe state-wide mental health activities.

David Drexel of Southern Pines, president, received the charter from Mrs. J. B. Spilman of Greenville, executive secretary of the North Carolina Mental Health Association. The charter certifies the Moore County chapter as a unit of the State and National Mental Health Associations.

Also speaking to the group was Mrs. Annette S. Boutwell, pro-

gram director for the southeastern region of the N. C. Mental Health Association, who described the "vast improvement in mental hospital facilities in North Carolina" and suggested several mental health promotion projects that could be undertaken by the local association.

Informally installed were the previously elected officers of the Moore County Mental Health Association: Mr. Drexel; Mrs. Donald Scott, vice president; Reid Page, secretary; and the Rev. Maynard Mangum, treasurer. All are of Southern Pines.

Committee chairmen announced at the meeting by Mr. Drexel are:

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### County Clinic Operates Separately

Presentation of an official charter to the Moore County Mental Health Association this week turns attention also to the Moore County Mental Health Clinic, a joint county-state-federal facility actively engaged in the counseling and treatment of emotionally disturbed and mentally ill persons, operating separately from the Mental Health Association.

Located at the Matheson Memorial Center (former Pine Needles Clubhouse) near St. Joseph of the Pines Hospital, the

clinic sees persons seeking help, by referral through physicians, welfare department or other agency, or by consultation with individuals. Fees are charged on a basis of ability to pay, except for welfare patients.

A psychiatrist (physician with special training in treatment of mental illness), Dr. Harvey Horne of Southern Pines, who also has a private practice here, is at the clinic each Monday. A psychologist, Dr. John Schopler of Chapel Hill, is at the clinic each Tuesday.

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## Youth Charged In Robbery At Local Episcopal Church

Police Chief Earl Seawell said this week that a warrant has been sent to Rocky Mount, charging Marvin Bryant Riley, 19, of Durham, with the theft of about \$200 from the office of Emmanuel Episcopal Church here on October 1.

The local warrant is one of several sent from various towns and cities, after Riley reportedly confessed to Rocky Mount police, who had arrested him for breaking into the First Presbyterian Church there, that he has entered and robbed many churches in this and other states.

Chief Seawell, investigating the local church robbery in which the locked office was entered mysteriously with no damage done to the door or otherwise—

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## Vass Rescue Unit To Dedicate New Building

The new squad building of the Vass Unit No. 2 of the Moore County Rescue Squad will be dedicated at 4 p. m. Sunday in a ceremony conducted by the Rev. Dan Norman, chaplain for the unit. The Ladies Auxiliary will serve refreshments. All interested persons are invited, said Max R. Edwards, unit captain.

## 'POWDER BOWL' GAME

An 11 a. m. parade of decorated cars Saturday morning will precede Saturday night's "Powder Bowl" touch football game between teams of local high school girls, at Memorial Field Saturday night at 8 o'clock. There will be a small admission charge for this colorful annual event and the public is urged to attend. Details in High School News column on page 20.

## IN CALIFORNIA

Dr. William F. Hollister of the Pinehurst Surgical Clinic, who is governor of the North Carolina Section of the American College of Surgeons, is in San Francisco, Calif., this week attending a meeting of the nation-wide organization.

## GOOD NEIGHBOR COUNCIL REPORTS

The Good Neighbor Council, local bi-racial group working for the betterment of race relations here, has made a report to the citizens of the town, reviewing its activities and asking cooperation of the public.

The full report appears on page 8.

# County Will Vote Tuesday On \$4 Million In Bonds For Schools, Community College

## State Official Tells Plans For College Project

Preliminary studies are underway looking toward establishment of a broad curriculum in the Moore County Community College and four other colleges which is expected, will be established in North Carolina to open in the fall of 1965, said Dr. I. E. Ready, director of the State Department of Community Colleges, speaking Tuesday night to a gathering of some 250 persons in the courtroom at Carthage.

They were there in behalf of the two bond issues on which Moore County citizens will vote Tuesday, November 5—\$1 million to build a two-year community college and \$3 million for public school construction throughout the county.

Conferences with members of the North Carolina College Conference and with administrators and teachers in many colleges of the State have already begun, looking toward development of a curriculum to meet all needs of

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## Taxes Not To Be Increased

Approval of the bond issues totalling \$4 million next Tuesday will mean no tax raise for Moore county, State Sen. W. P. Saunders, chairman of the county bond issue steering committee reminded voters this week.

"Repayment of the bonds will cost us less annually over 20 years than the pay-as-you-go plan for school construction has been costing up till now," he stated. "On pay-as-you-go, the county commissioners have kept our bonded indebtedness so low we can now afford to improve all our facilities, consolidate our county high schools and extend our education beyond the high school by adding our community college."

He reiterated the figures: \$265,000, maximum bond repayment figure per year, as compared with about \$460,000 now being appropriated; \$36,000 to be paid annually in maintenance for the college; present bonded indebtedness, \$140,000, probably the lowest in the State.

"We are in the best possible financial shape for such a bond issue and it's good business for our county," Saunders added. "We can't afford to pass it up."

The \$4 million figure may be greatly reduced later, as the State has pledged \$500,000 toward the college construction cost of \$1 million, provided State repaves by next July 1 produce a surplus of \$2,500,000. This surplus, he said, he has learned from the Department of Revenue is already in hand.

## IF BOND ISSUES ARE APPROVED

### All Three School Systems To Benefit

All three of the school systems operating in Moore County would share on a per capita (per student) basis in the \$3 million in school bond funds on which citizens will vote Tuesday. They are the Moore County system and the separate Southern Pines and Pinehurst administrative units.

The county system's share of the \$3 million will be \$2,195,700, to complete construction of Union Pines High School (Area 1, Carthage, Cameron and Vass-Lakeview) on the Union Church Road; to build a high school for Area 2 (Robbins, Westmore, Highfalls); and one for Area 3 (Aberdeen, Pinebluff and West End).

These three consolidated schools will replace nine small high schools of the county system.

The Southern Pines and Pinehurst are not consolidating their high schools.

Southern Pines will receive \$554,700, which will be mainly used to complete the new West Southern Pines High School plant and to build a new primary school in East Southern Pines.

Pinehurst will receive \$249,600, to be used in adding both elementary and high school classrooms and renovating parts of the high school building, in Pinehurst; and adding four primary rooms and thoroughly re-

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## Rep. Blue Appeals For 'Yes' Vote

"The two finest bequests we as adults can make to our young people are a Christian heritage and a good education," said Rep. H. Clifton Blue of Aberdeen, Speaker of the North Carolina House of Representatives, to a gathering of some 250 Moore County citizens at Carthage Tuesday night.

"These are about the only things we can leave them we can be sure no one can ever take away," he asserted.

Introducing the guest speaker, Dr. I. E. Ready of Raleigh, director of the State Department of Community Colleges, at a meeting in the courtroom in behalf of county school and college bond issues totalling \$4 million, Blue noted his personal feelings on the opportunity to be offered.

"I am tremendously interested in the passage of all three bond

issue proposals—the \$1 million for the community college, \$3 million for the public schools and the measure which will give the county commissioners the opportunity and privilege of employing such taxes as are already being levied to provide and maintain the facilities to be offered. Please vote 'For' in all three places. This is important," he said.

"I hope we will all make the decision in favor of more education for our boys and girls. I have been tremendously impressed with the spirit of the people who are working in this campaign—the fathers and mothers working hard for a better opportunity for their children, and the men and women, many without and children of their own who are also working for the benefits they know will come to us all."

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## County-Wide Survey Shows Favorable Reaction To Education Bond Proposals

At the final meeting of the countywide bond issue steering committee comprising steering committees in all school districts, held Tuesday night in the courtroom at Carthage, a "straw poll" based on reports from all parts of the county was taken. It indicated a favorable vote of some 92 per cent for the \$3 million in bonds for school construction and \$1 million for a community college, on which Moore County citizens will vote Tuesday.

155 "undecided."

J. C. Robbins, Aberdeen and Pinebluff chairman, estimated "90 per cent favorable" in that district.

School Board Chairman N. L. Hodgkins of Southern Pines, reporting for the committee chairman, Mayor Morris Johnson, who was out of the county at a meeting of municipal officials, described activities in behalf of the bond issue and noted, "We have found no organized opposition. We think the bond issue will go over well."

Brochures have been published, distributed in many places, and this week are going out, with letters and sample ballots, to all voters and taxpayers within the school district.

Supt. Lewis Cannon of the Pinehurst schools reported distribution of literature, one public meeting held and an atmosphere of enthusiasm, adding, "Pinehurst is a very educational community."

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The totals came out to 3,020 persons contacted by personal visitation. Of these, 2,782 were "favorable," 83 "unfavorable" and

## Election Day Voting Hours: 6:30 to 6:30

Moore County voters will go to 19 precinct polling places Tuesday, November 5, to vote "for" or "against" three propositions that will appear in this order on the ballot:

1. Issuing \$3 million in county bonds to pay for construction and expansion of school buildings in the Moore County system and in the Southern Pines and Pinehurst districts.
2. Issuing \$1 million in county bonds to pay for construction of a two-year, comprehensive community college.
3. Giving the county commissioners authority to appropriate funds for maintenance of the college, limiting any tax for this purpose to four and one-half cents per \$100 of property valuation. The commissioners have issued an official statement saying that no new taxes will be necessary, however, for this or any other purpose in connection with the bond issues.

Separate "for" or "against" votes are possible on each of the three propositions, a sample ballot shows.

Polls will be open from 6:30 a. m. to 6:30 p. m.

During a registration period that ended last Saturday, about 1,100 new names were added to the general election books. Saturday of this week is challenge day when the right of any person to register and vote can be challenged.

**Local Polling Places**

The three local area precinct polling places are: North Southern Pines, fire station on New Hampshire Ave.; South Southern Pines, town hall; and Pinedene, Jackson Motors. A list of other polling places in the county appears below.

Steering committees on behalf of the bond issues in all the county's school districts wound up their formal program Tuesday

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## Students Urge Vote For Bonds

Some Moore County school students, appearing on the program of the bond issue meeting at Carthage Tuesday night, spoke—and sang—their feelings on the matter.

Two West End school girls, eighth grader Judy Blue and Dolores Brewer, a high school junior, in brief speeches urged that everyone vote for the bonds.

Said Judy, "Your choice on Tuesday will affect all of our future life. A community college in Moore county at \$120 a year will mean many of us can go to college who could not afford the \$1,000 a year it would cost some other place. It will mean a lot to many adults, too, as there are many who never finished high school and want to do so."

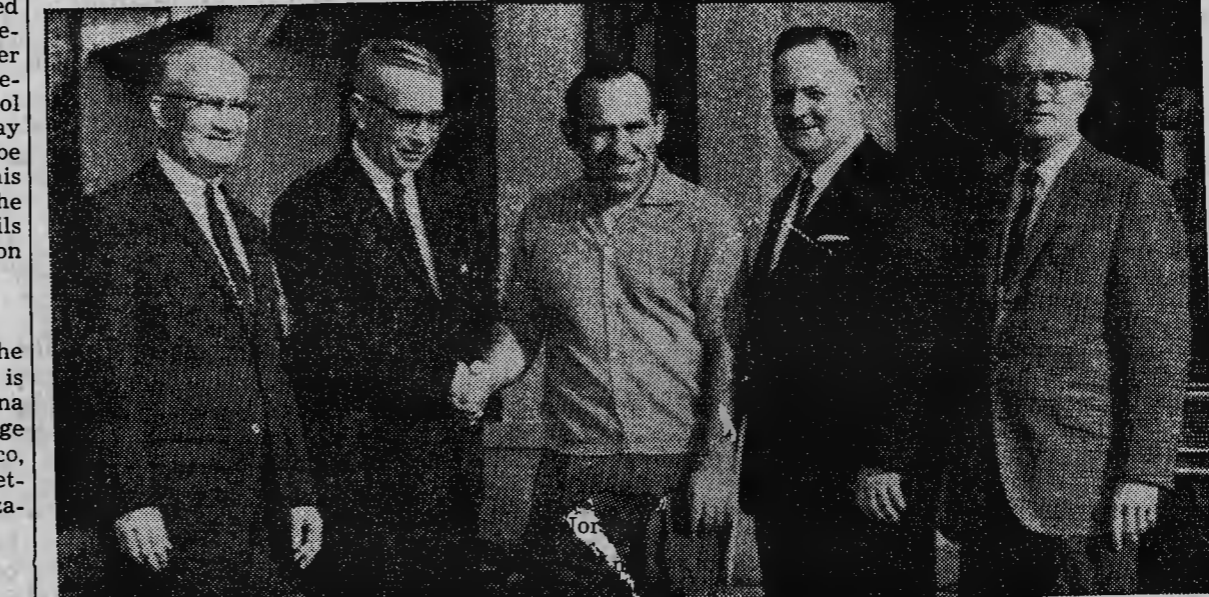
Dolores emphasized the need for everyone to have the best education possible to make his way in the world of today, noting, "There are many people in our own community thirsting for knowledge, denied it because of lack of money. How can a person without good education provide for his family today?"

A quintet of high school students from Cameron—Myrna Rice, Barbara Brown, Ray Denny, Larry Rice and Warren Thomas, Jr.—sang a song backing the bond issues, with words by Mrs. Warren Thomas.

## 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
October 24	70	57
October 25	73	60
October 26	75	62
October 27	82	55
October 28	80	55
October 29	60	43
October 30	61	36



**BERRA WELCOMED**—Paying his annual golfing visit to Pinehurst, Yogi Berra—who last week signed a year's contract to manage the New York Yankees baseball club with which he was a star catcher—was welcomed to the Sandhills and North Carolina by Rep. H. Clifton Blue of Aberdeen, Speaker of the House in the 1963 General Assembly, with whom Berra is shaking hands. At Berra's left is State Rep. Hugh S. Johnson, Jr., of Rose Hill in Duplin County, who was a guest of Rep. Blue on a visit to Pinehurst. Flanking the trio are the McCaskill twins of Pinehurst—J. Hubert, left, who recently became office manager of the Pinehurst Country Club, where this photo was taken, and J. Frank, right, for many years manager of the Pinehurst Laundry. Al Cruce of Aberdeen, another member of the group, is not pictured.

(Hemmer photo)