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## TO START AUGUST 15

### New Scheduled Air Service Slated Here

South Atlantic Airlines will begin a new scheduled air service, including regular flights into the Southern Pines-Pinehurst Airport, on Thursday of next week, August 15, it was announced today by George B. Jones of Raleigh, vice president for marketing and sales.

The flights will link nine cities and resort areas, from

the Raleigh-Durham Airport south as far as Jacksonville, Fla., on 14 separate routes, daily except Saturday, serving the paired system airports with a total of 58 scheduled arrivals and departures, the announcement said.

The full schedule of southbound and northbound flights is given at the end of this story.

High speed Grand Commander aircraft seating up to 10 passengers will be used; and the announcement said that plans are being completed for equipment expansion into the stretched version of the Lear Jet which seats 12.

South Atlantic Airlines is affiliated with Sports by Air Inc., a South Carolina corporation formed last year, with headquarters at Myrtle Beach. Sports by Air, of which Robert Williamson of Myrtle Beach is president, has been serving coastal cities and island coastal resort areas with scheduled airline service between Myrtle

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### 'Family Reunion Day' Sponsored Here By Kiwanis

The first annual observance of Family Reunion Day will be held Sunday, August 11, throughout the United States and Canada, according to Richard T. Mitchell, president of the Sandhills Kiwanis Club. The club, which usually meets in Southern Pines, has county-wide membership.

Family Reunion Day which is being sponsored jointly by Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge, is "a program for all people," Mitchell said. Its purpose is "to dramatize the family as the keystone of national strength and morality," he added.

He went on to explain that people in both the United States and Canada are being encouraged to plan old-fashioned family get-togethers, dinners and picnics. There is no formal, nationwide program. Instead, it is hoped that individual families will use Family Reunion Day to become better acquainted; to "get the family up-to-date" on addresses, birthdays, anniversaries, deaths, and significant events; to arrange patriotic activities; to familiarize young members of the family with revered historical documents; and to emphasize the role of children as the heirs and potential leaders of the future.

Although Kiwanis International and Freedoms Foundation have organized the observance, many other organizations are participating in it. Such organizations as Altrusa, Exchange Club, Optimists, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, American Legion, AFL-CIO, and others, have been asked to join forces with the sponsor.

### Football Drills Open Thursday For '68 Knights

Football practice will start Thursday morning for the 1968 version of the East Southern Pines High School Blue Knights - probably the last grid squad to wear the East Southern Pines colors. Late next summer Pinecrest High School is scheduled to open, consolidating the Southern Pines, Aberdeen, West End and Pinehurst high schools.

Blue Knights Head Coach John Williams will meet the candidates for the varsity team at 8 am Thursday at Memorial Field. The aspirants are instructed to wear shorts, T-shirts and football cleats. Junior Varsity Coach Charles Rose has called on candidates for the ninth-grade squad to practice with the varsity.

Williams said conditioning sessions only will be held the first week of practice. Sessions will run four hours daily in periods of two hours each.

### Trimble Plant's Robbery Checked

The Moore County sheriff's department is investigating a break-in and robbery at the Trimble Products plant here over the weekend.

About \$34 was taken from a cashbox in a locked drawer, which was broken open, and an undetermined amount from two vending machines.

Entry was made through a rear door in which the glass had been broken and was temporarily replaced by a piece of plywood, said Chief Deputy H. H. Grimm, investigator.

## SECOND GRADE

### St. Anthony's Needs Teacher

An experienced teacher for the second grade is needed to complete the faculty of St. Anthony's School here for the coming year, Sister Patricia, principal, has announced.

Interested persons should get in touch with her at St. Anthony's Convent, telephone 692-6241.

Registration of pupils is set for Friday, August 30 and the school will open on Tuesday, September 3. Details will be announced. The school will operate with grades one through seven, the principal said, as prospective registration for an eighth grade is not enough to employ another teacher.



MISS JULIA HORNER

### Pilot Appoints Miss Horner As Women's Editor

The appointment of Miss Julia Abbot Horner as woman's page editor of The Pilot, succeeding Mrs. A. Reynolds Tucker, Jr., who resigned recently, is announced today by Mrs. James Boyd, publisher and editor.

The 23-year-old native of Henderson joined the staff this week. She has an apartment at Highland Lodge on E. Vermont Ave.

In July, Miss Horner received a Bachelor of Arts degree in English at Longwood College, Farmville, Va., where she completed her education after graduating from Stratford Junior College, Danville, Va., with an Associate in Arts degree.

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### Gilmore Speaking On Conventions, Issues

"The Political Conventions and Issues of 1968" is the title of State Senator Voit Gilmore's address to the Sandhills Kiwanis Club at its luncheon meeting here today (Wednesday), in the Holiday Inn Restaurant.

The Democratic nominee for Congress in the Eighth District, Gilmore has attended three national conventions. He is presently campaigning across the 10 counties of the new district.

### Mrs. Kennedy's Will Lists More Local Bequests

Additional bequests were revealed in the will of Mrs. Audrey K. Kennedy when it was filed Friday in the office of the Moore County clerk of court at Carthage.

Cash bequests totalling some \$2 million of the \$10 million estate, including several to local institutions and individuals, had been made known when the will was filed for probate July 23 at Dedham, Mass.

Mrs. Kennedy, a resident of Brookline, Mass., had been a leading figure in Sandhills life and generous benefactor of public and private causes during nearly 30 years in which she maintained a residence on Youngs Road here. She died May 18 at St. Joseph of the Pines Hospital.

Cash bequests previously revealed had included \$500,000 to St. Joseph of the Pines Hospital, \$500,000 to the Penick Memorial Home and \$20,000 to Emmanuel Episcopal church, all in Southern Pines; also \$125,000 to Dr. Francis L. Owens of Pinehurst, her personal physician, and \$25,000 to Hennigan L. Kearns of West Southern Pines, a member of her household staff, along with \$2,500 to each employee with service of more than two years, and \$1,500 to each of those with less.

Published also was the provision that the bulk of the estate would be used to establish the Frederick J. Kennedy

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## MARTIN RENAMED

### Wicks Replaces Edwards, Moore Welfare Board

Two new members of the Moore County Welfare Board were sworn in recently by Assistant Clerk of Superior Court Mrs. Rachel H. Comer, at a regular board meeting.

The new member, Benjamin W. Wicks of Aberdeen, was appointed last month by the State Board of Public Welfare for a period of three years. Mr. Wicks has long headed the Wicks Chevrolet Company of Aberdeen and has been active in civic affairs there and throughout the Sandhills. He is a Presbyterian and a member of the Sandhills Kiwanis Club.

Mr. Wicks replaces J. B. Edwards of Aberdeen, who had served for the past six years. The service he rendered to the county was highly praised by other board members.

Lynn W. Martin of Eagle Springs was reappointed July 1, by the Board of County Commissioners for three additional years on the Welfare Board. Mr. Martin is a former county commissioner.

A. L. Burney, chairman of the Welfare Board, welcomed the new and reappointed members to the five-member board after they were sworn in by Mrs. Comer. The director, Mrs. Walter B. Cole, gave a resume of some of the duties and responsibilities of a board member.

The other two members of the board are Mrs. C. B. Brooks of Robbinston and Mrs. Wilton Brown of Carthage.



DOLLEY MADISON AND DANIEL BOONE meet at Robbinston Farmers Day celebration. Mrs. Maggie Wiles of Central Falls as Dolley and Adam Lambe of Burlington as Daniel won trophies for best-dressed in the old-time parade. The little girl, Carol Dawn Wiles, 10, wearing a replica of her mother's blue satin gown and carrying an antique china doll, also appeared in the parade. (V. Nicholson photo)



CAPARISONED IN SILVER - Malcolm Humble, left, of Randleman Route 2 and his brother, Lewis Humble, of Jamestown, on their handsome mounts in hand-hammered silver gear, were winners of first and second place trophies, respectively, for "best parade horse" at Robbinston Farmers Day. (V. Nicholson photo)

### MODERN FUN ENJOYED, TOO Old Times Revived By Robbinston Events

By VALERIE NICHOLSON It was a historic confrontation at Robbinston Saturday, of Dolley Madison with Daniel Boone—or if it wasn't straight out of history, it should have been. They made a handsome pair.

Mrs. Maggie Wiles of Central Falls as Dolley and Adam Lambe of Burlington as Daniel were winners of trophies for best-dressed man and woman Saturday at the 13th annual Robbinston Farmers Day, the town's version of a time tunnel taking you back to vanished eras.

The long parade ambling through town at leisurely pace convinced you the horse and mule were here to stay, the covered wagon, buggy and

farm cart the best modes of conveyance and old-time rural and western garb the height of style.

Dolley Madison, of course, wasn't either rural or western, but elegant in pale blue satin gown, reticule at her belt containing a jeweled snuffbox such as the real Dolley always carried, with ostrich feather turban and fan and twirling a parasol.

Daniel Boone was the real thing in fringed-leather outfit with—yes—a coonskin cap, powder horn at his belt and carrying a real old muzzle-loading rifle with ramrod, its stock and forearm hand carved from a single piece of maple.

In the parade, one covered (Continued on Page 2)

### Cleaver-armed Woman Robs Cato's Store

A woman armed with a meat cleaver forced the manager of Cato's on N. W. Broad Street Thursday morning to give her all the bills in the store's cash drawer, then forced the manager and sales girl, the only other people in the store, to go to a back room, and fled, Police Chief Earl S. Seawell reported.

The woman had not been found up to this (Wednesday) morning. The investigation is continuing.

Local officers and the State Bureau of Investigation investigated several leads that arose after the cleaver-armed woman fled from the store. The license number reported on a station wagon the woman was believed to have left town in proved to be that of a car which had been parked all day at a farm in Harnett County and was owned by a Harnett farmer who had no other vehicle, police reported.

The woman who robbed the Bank of Leland near Wilmington at pistol point after the Cato's robbery was committed was another person, officers also reported. First reports indicated the possibility it was the same woman who robbed Cato's.

He said about \$50 in cash was stolen in the robbery, which occurred about 9:30 am.

A woman was seen driving a station wagon from the alley behind the store to Bennett Street and then travelling south, soon after the robber was observed running down the alley, the officer said. He said the description given (Continued on Page 2)

### Local Guard Company Wins Award 4th Time

Company C, 252nd Armor North Carolina National Guard, of Southern Pines was presented last Sunday at Fort Bragg the Armor Leadership Award for 1967. This was the fourth year the Southern Pines based company has won the honor in the six it has been given.

The plaque was presented by Maj. Gen. Ivan Hardesty, commander of the N. C. National Guard 30th Infantry Division, to Capt. Fred McKenzie, commander of Company C.

The company, then Company D, also won the plaque for 1962, the first year it was awarded, and for 1963 and 1965.

It is given to the company making the best record of service during the year of all armor companies of the 30th Division.

The presentation was made formally at a battalion formation Sunday morning at the pistol range on Manchester Road. Company C men had been firing on the range earlier in the morning.

The battalion of which Company C is a unit is commanded by Lt. Col. Paul Dickson of Raeford.

## COURT TO BEGIN

A term of Moore County Superior Court, for the trial of criminal cases, will open in Carthage, Monday, August 12, with Judge Thomas W. Seay, Jr., of Salisbury, presiding.

## Feasibility Study For County Water System Authorized

A Moore County feasibility study to determine the practicality of a county water authority was authorized Monday by the board of county commissioners. The action was taken at the commissioners' regular meeting for August in the courthouse. (See stories elsewhere in today's Pilot about the meeting.)

The adoption of a motion to

### Investigator Aide For Grimm Is Authorized

The employment of an investigator assistant for Moore County Chief Deputy Herman Grimm, who has been bearing virtually the entire load of investigative work of the Sheriff's Department was authorized by the Board of Moore County Commissioners last Monday.

The investigator, an additional deputy, will be under Sheriff W. B. Kelly, as are all the deputies, but the sheriff told the commissioners he wanted the extra officer specifically to relieve Grimm of some of the burden of making investigations.

The commissioners provided that the new deputy's salary and travel expenses be left unspecified for the present.

In other action, the commis-

Approved beer and wine sales permits for Jack's Restaurant and Floyd G. McDonald of 893 W. Pennsylvania Ave., both in Southern Pines. Jack's Restaurant on S. W. Broad St., in business since 1934, has a new owner, Mrs. Murray Kaufman of 845 N. Bennett St. and reopened last Thursday after being closed since July 1 when its longtime owner and operator, O. R. (Jack) Conrad, retired.

Appointed members to the new Moore County Com-

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WILLIAM B. CREWS, JR.

### Crews To Head County's Heart Group, 1968-69

William B. Crews, Jr., has been named president of the Moore County Heart Association, succeeding E. O. Brogden, Jr. Both are of Southern Pines. Mr. Crews, an attorney, was born in Oxford. He attended the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, where he received his B.A. degree, and Wake Forest University in Winston-Salem, where he graduated as an L.L.B.

Crews served two years in the armed forces and is a member of Emmanuel Episcopal Church and Sandhills Kiwanis Club. He is secretary and director of the Humane Society of Moore County and in 1967 served as chairman of the Heart Fund for the Moore County Heart Association. The (Continued on Page 2)

## COUNCIL TO MEET

The August meeting of the Southern Pines Town Council is scheduled for its regular "second Tuesday" date—in the courtroom and council chamber of the municipal center, Tuesday, August 13, at 8 pm.

authorize the study was made after the commissioners heard expressions of approval from officials of county towns and a planning study report by representatives of Hennington, Durham & Richardson, Inc., a Charlotte architecture, engineering and planning corporation. The same firm will make the feasibility study for the county. It is scheduled to be completed in three months at a cost of \$1,200 to \$1,800. County officials will explore the possibility of obtaining federal money to pay part of the cost. However, commissioners agreed that the study should be made.

The idea of a county water authority or commission for all or large sections of the county was advanced last year when the planning study was authorized. Hennington engineers pointed out that the advantages would include an elimination of some expensive water-system improvements for participating municipalities.

They pointed out that the county, for example, could establish a single treatment plant, with provisions for adding units, and thus eliminate the necessity for a small town to burden itself with the ex-

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### Gardner Feted Saturday At Eagle Springs

Republican Governor-nominatee Jim Gardner of Rocky Mount appeared last Saturday as guest of honor at a picnic-dinner rally at the home of Arthur Williams of Eagle Springs after riding in a buggy that morning in Robbinston in the Farmers Day parade with his two children.

An observer who attended the rally at the Williams home estimated the number of guests at several hundred, including Montgomery and Moore County Republican leaders and nominees running in November general election contests.

David Drexel of Southern Pines, GOP nominee for one of the two State Senate seats of this district, was in charge of the program with host Will-

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## IN SEPTEMBER

### Shrine Parade Here Planned

Officials of the Moore County Shrine Club met here Saturday with delegates from Oasis Shrine Temple of Charlotte to make preliminary plans for a ceremony expected to bring about 1,400 Shriners here from throughout the Oasis Temple area on Saturday, September 14.

Of special interest to the public will be a colorful parade with the famous Oasis Temple Band, motorcycle corps and clowns. About 125 candidates for Shrine membership will be initiated in ceremonies to be held in the Dawson Gymnasium at East Southern Pines school.

It will be the first such event held here since 1952, said Dick James who is handling publicity and made the announcement. Joe Thomas and Walter Harper are the local club's co-chairmen for arrangements.

The Oasis Temple area extends from Moore and Lee Counties to Charlotte.

## THE WEATHER

Maximum and minimum temperatures for each day of the past week were recorded as follows at the US Weather Bureau observation station, at WEEB, on Midland Road.

	Max.	Min.
July 31	86	69
Aug. 1	90	67
Aug. 2	90	70
Aug. 3	93	70
Aug. 4	95	72
Aug. 5	93	66
Aug. 6	96	67