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Moore Runoff Shows Flaherty, Green Win



WINNER OF \$40,000 — Raymond Floyd, a Fayetteville native, holds his \$40,000 first prize check and trophy after winning the 1976 World Open at Pinehurst in a sudden death playoff with Jerry McGee. William Bru, president of Diamondhead Corporation, is at left.—(Photo by Glenn M. Sides).

Moore County voting dropped to 26 percent in Tuesday's second primary, but in most instances voters followed the statewide trend in their ballots.

David Flaherty, the front-runner in the first primary on August 17, won handily over challenger Coy Privette for the Republican nomination for Governor, polling 992 votes to 229 for Privette.

Jimmy Green was the winner over Howard Lee for the Democratic nomination for Lieutenant Governor, with 2,483 votes to 1,664 for Lee.

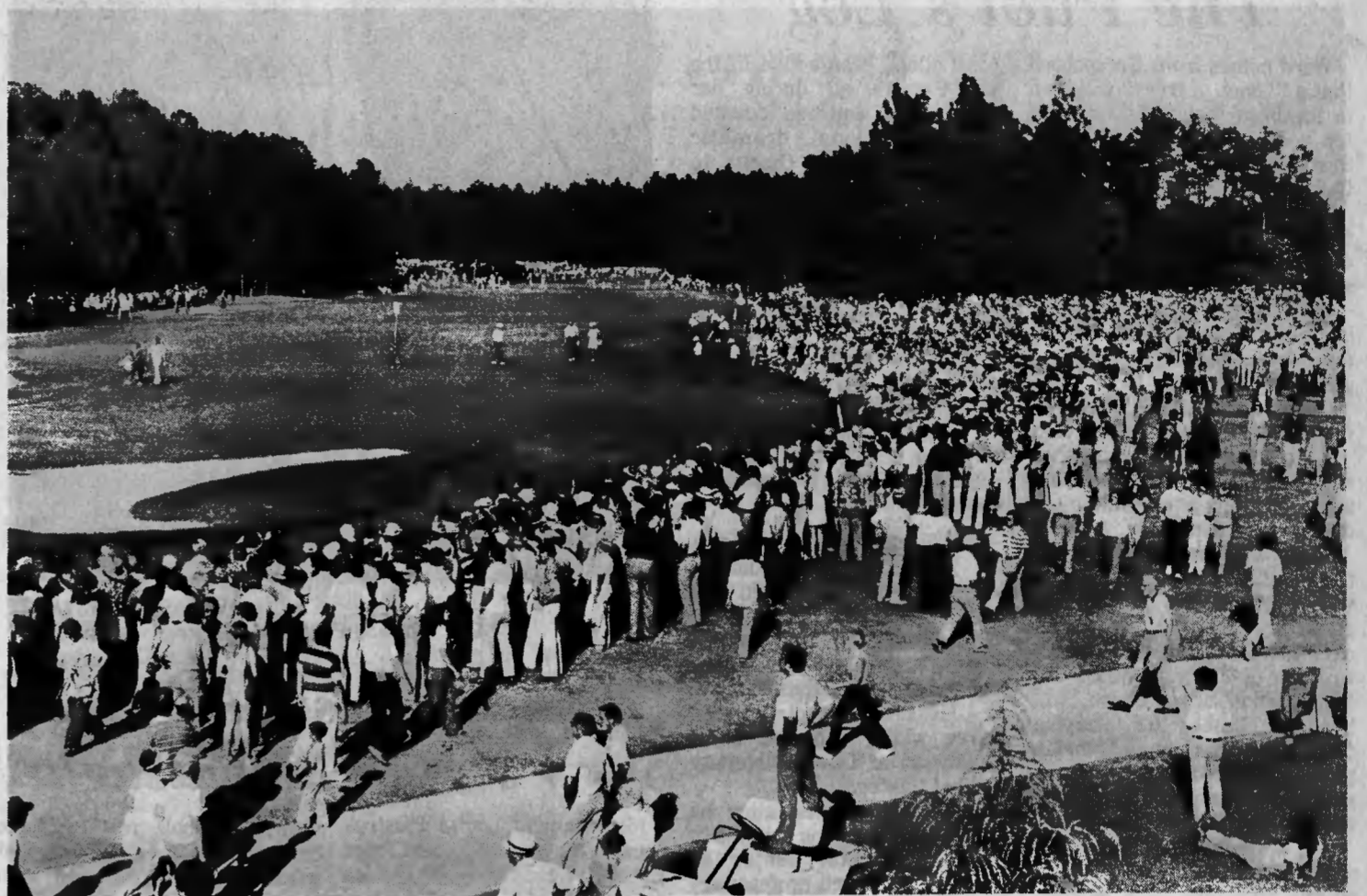
In the race for the Democratic nomination for State Auditor the incumbent, Henry Bridges edged out challenger Lillian Woo by 2,001 to 1,938 votes.

Jessie Rae Scott again proved popular in Moore, polling 2,291 votes to 1,609 for John Brooks, who won the Democratic nomination for Commissioner of Labor in the statewide runoff. Mrs. Scott had been the leader in the first primary.

Chairman C. Coolidge Thompson of the Moore County Board of Elections said the ballot counting was over shortly after 9 p.m. He said the total vote was 5,388 out of more than 19,000 eligible voters in the Democratic and Republican primary.

Complete returns in Raleigh this morning, with all 2,345 precincts reported showed the

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WORLD OPEN RECORD CROWD — It was a record crowd for the Fourth Annual World Open at Pinehurst and here's a part of the more than 25,000 persons who turned out Sunday for the tournament finals. Director Lou Miller estimated the crowd for the week at 65,000.—(Photo by Emerson Hymphrey).

Record Crowd At '76 World Open; August Date Sought Next Year

It was a record crowd—an estimated 65,000 for the week—and a movie script finish, but it appeared this week that if the World Open is to return to Pinehurst next year another date

will be required.

Pinehurst and tournament officials hope to know in two weeks if there will be a fifth annual World Open.

But they couldn't have been more pleased with the way the Fourth Annual tournament turned out.

As Lou Miller, tournament director, expressed it, "The weather was outstanding, the play was good, there was a movie script finish and the crowd was terrific."

More than 25,000 were on hand Sunday when Raymond Floyd, a Fayetteville native, came from behind to win the \$40,000 prize for first place in the \$200,000 tournament.

Again it was a sudden-death playoff—the third in a row—with Floyd winning over Jerry McGee, who collected \$22,800 for his runner-up finish.

Finishing third was George Burns, the rookie and former North-South champion here who had led the first three rounds of the 72-hole event, but who dropped to a 73 on Sunday to finish with a 275. Burns won \$14,200.

William Bru, president of Diamondhead Corporation, the owners of the Pinehurst resort and tournament sponsor, called a

press conference to announce that they had hoped to have an announcement about next year but Deane Beaman, the commissioner of the PGA's tournament player division, had been ordered to bed because of an illness and could not be present.

"We are very excited by the gallery this year," Bru said. "It shows we can get a gallery. We are looking for an August date, before the football season when we can get national TV."

Pinehurst is hoping for a late August date which might be vacated by the American Golf Classic at Firestone in Akron. Bru would like that, or a spring date.

The contract with the PGA has expired. (Continued on Page 16A)

Taylor's Resignation Is Asked By Republican Commissioners

BY VALERIE NICHOLSON

Two Republican Moore County commissioners, Floyd Cole and John B. Womack, last Friday issued a joint statement concerning the recent use of a county-owned vehicle for social purposes by the Interim County

Administrator, W. S. Taylor, and calling for his resignation from the appointive post. They are not suggesting that he resign as a member of the board of county commissioners, which he continues to serve as chairman, since this is an elective

office in the hands of the people. However, this dual public office-holding, though sanctioned by North Carolina law for county government, has played a part in the people's being disturbed over the situation, since it appears too much power may have been placed in the hands of one individual, they said.

The commissioners appointed Taylor to the administrator's post April 1, at a salary of \$18,480 a year.

Cole and Womack said that, in (Continued on Page 15A)

Why German Firm Here Is Told At Dedication

For those who want to sell, America represents the quality market of the future.

So said Wolfgang Gloger, president of How Enterprises Ltd. and George W. Little of Southern Pines, N.C. Secretary of Natural and Economic Resources at the dedication Friday of the big 5 million dollar textile plant in Aberdeen.

"Labor costs, social climate, political reasons and confidence in your stability have sent industries 'Westbound,'" Gloger said.

"The real international political and business leaders know that the United States

continues to be a primary force in the world market," he continued. "If anything, there seems to be promise here for a resurgence...perhaps even unparalleled growth in your country...The real buying power is here in America."

The textile role of North Carolina, the process of the company which leads to adaptation here, and the cooperation of state government were instrumental in bringing the West German plant here, Gloger said.

"We are proud to follow in the long line of Europeans that have come to America to seek this (Continued on Page 11A)



HOW — They cut the ribbon. How Enterprises, Ltd., represented by Wolfgang Gloger, President, left, and George Little, N.C. Natural and Economic Resources Secretary, of Southern Pines, cut the ribbon at the dedication Friday of the German textile plant on Taylor Street in Aberdeen.

Candidates To Speak At Forum

Candidates seeking important county and state offices in the November 2 General Election will discuss critical issues at a public meeting to be held at 8 o'clock on the evening of Wednesday, September 29 at the Southern Pines Civic Club on Ashe Street at Pennsylvania Avenue.

The following candidates have accepted the Civic Club's invitation to participate. Seeking places on the Moore County Board of Commissioners are A.E. "Tony" Parker (Dem.), Southern Pines; John B. Womack (Rep.), Southern Pines; Mrs. Carolyn Blue (Continued on Page 11A)

Aberdeen Numbering Requested

The Town of Aberdeen is launching a drive to get all houses in the town numbered.

The matter was brought before the meeting Monday night of the Board of Commissioners and Commissioner Cliff Blue Jr., presented the request from the police and fire departments and rescue squad that houses in the town limits be numbered so that they can be quickly identified in case of emergency.

The board instructed the town office to send letters to all home owners stating that an ordinance requires numbers, and the letter will give the number assigned each house so that owners can proceed with the plan.

In other action the Commissioners appointed Mrs. Barbara Jean Gay as assistant town clerk to succeed Mrs. Ann S. Pigg, who submitted her resignation as of Sept. 10. (Continued on Page 11A)

Council Defers Decision On TV Rate Hike Request

Discussion of the request from the Sandhills Community Antenna Television Corporation, asking the Town Council to amend the Company's franchise to allow them to increase their monthly service rate to \$8 and to increase the charge for additional outlets to \$2 per month ended with a motion, passed by the Council Tuesday night to defer the decision until the next regular meeting.

Mayor Pro-tem Emmanuel Douglass suggested the Council "discontinue discussion, since it cannot be decided intelligently at this time," after more than an hour had been spent reviewing the problem, with no obvious solution in sight.

A representative of the

Company, J. E. Doolittle, was present at the meeting to present some of the facts requested by the Council at the August meeting, at which time they called the public hearing on the request held last night.

Doolittle admitted that the company is not in a bankrupt situation, and that they even made a profit this year, "but we lost money in previous years," he said.

The request, representing a 14 percent increase, is needed, said Doolittle, because of rising costs involved in providing the service, coupled with the low density (potential customers per mile) of Southern Pines. The density of Southern Pines is estimated at 37 (Continued on Page 5A)

People Learning To Read Through Laubach Method

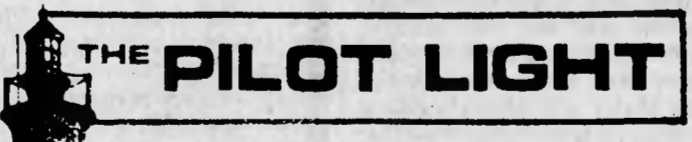
BY PALMER HILL

Moore County citizens who want to help "save the world" or just make life a little more enjoyable and easier for a few people in it could do so by becoming tutors of the Laubach Method of teaching reading and writing.

The Laubach Method, which was designed for adult pupils rather than children, was invented by Dr. Frank C. Laubach who as a young ordained minister taught the Moro Tribe

in the Philippines to read.

When Dr. Laubach had to leave the islands he told a Moro chieftain to have each student teach another person, so that his efforts could be continued in his absence. The chieftain vowed that anyone who had been taught and didn't share his knowledge would have his throat cut. Thus "Each one teach one" became the by-word of the Laubach Literacy Program which was founded in 1950. Through his (Continued on Page 15A)



LIQUOR—There is no organized effort to get another liquor-by-the-drink bill for Moore County, but it looks like another attempt will be made by Mecklenburg County in the next General Assembly.

Rep. Carl Stewart of Gastonia, who is expected to be the next Speaker of the House, said last week he is "confident there will be a local option liquor-by-the-drink bill" introduced in the next Legislature.

Five of Mecklenburg County's nine legislators say they hope a bill will be passed.

Mecklenburg voted for such a bill by a good margin at the same time it was being turned down in Moore County. In the statewide referendum in 1973 a bill providing for local option was

defeated.

DEMOCRATS — Eighth Congressional District Democrats will officially kick off the 1976 general election campaign with a rally at Catawba College in Salisbury on Saturday, Sept. 18, beginning at 5:30 p.m. Congressman Bill Hefner and Lt. Gov. Jim Hunt will head a list of Democratic candidates, with Council of State and several local office candidates expected to be on hand.

Tony Parker of Southern Pines, Hefner's Moore County campaign manager, said he and several others from the county are planning to attend.

Party officials said it would be a fun affair at no cost to anyone. (Continued on Page 16A)

RUDAT Visit Set For Oct. 9

A special planning study with a report making recommendations for future development will be made of Moore County and the Sandhills on October 9-10-11 by RUDAT (Rural Urban Development Assistance Team) of the American Institute of Architects.

Announcement of the forthcoming visit by the team was made this past week by Voit Gilmore to the Sandhills Area Chamber of Commerce. Gilmore and E.J. Austin and co-chairman of the special committee for the study.

Committees have been appointed for the visit which will see an intensive study of all aspects of life in the area. Members of the RUDAT group will include architects, city planners, sociologists, economists, and others who will, in Austin's words, help us plan for the future.

At Thursday's meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, it was also reported by Dick Davenport that the Par (Continued on Page 16A)

Vandalism Reported Rampant

"Management, instead of making six or seven thousand dollars each year lost \$28,000 last year (at half-way houses on the East and West courses at Whispering Pines)."

"New insurance rates are higher than those of a neurosurgeon with a tremor and are prohibitive.

"Vending machine companies will no longer install coin machines, they must be bought and are uninsurable."

So says F.A. Ruoff, member of the Board of Governors in the current issue of the Whispering Pines Pitch.

The blame? (Continued on Page 11A)

Ninth Grade Going Back To Pinecrest Next Fall

BY CRAIG LAMB

In a special meeting that lasted nearly two hours, the Moore County Board of Education on Tuesday voted to move the ninth grade class in Area III (Southern Pines, Pinehurst, West End and Aberdeen) back to Pinecrest High School and also move the fourth grade back to the elementary schools, effective in the Fall of 1977.

The special meeting was called at the request of three of the board members to discuss the reorganization of Area III. Since it had recently been revealed that there are adequate facilities at Pinecrest now to accommodate the ninth grade, and with enrollment totals at other schools supporting the reports of over-crowded conditions some board members thought it necessary to reopen the question of transferring the ninth grade back to Pinecrest. (Continued on Page 15A)

Old Bethesda

Old Bethesda Homecoming will be held on Sunday, Sept. 26, with service beginning at 11:15 a.m. More details next week. Old Bethesda Church is located near Aberdeen.

Hartshorne Dies At 78; Funeral Slated Thursday

James Hartshorne, 78, Southern Pines Realtor, was dead on arrival at Moore Memorial Hospital Tuesday at 6:30 a.m. after being rushed by the Rescue Squad there following a heart attack while working as a precinct judge at the North Southern Pines polling place at the Fire Station.

A funeral service will be held at Emmanuel Episcopal Church, of which he was an active member, Thursday at 11 a.m. by the rector, the Rev. Mr. George R. Laedlein. Burial will be in Bethesda Cemetery in Aberdeen.

Mr. Hartshorne was a colorful man of many interests. Born in a suburb of Philadelphia, the son of an Episcopal minister, he came to Southern Pines in October, 1950 as manager of the Highland Pines Inn, a training hotel for Navy officers. After the hotel burned, he joined the staff of Resort Realty and Development Company, and later formed the Hartshorne Realty. He is a past

president of the Moore County Realtors. He and his wife made their home at 245 East Vermont Avenue. He was active in civic (Continued on Page 11A)



James Hartshorne