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Tri-City High School science students board chartered bus for trip to Duke University. B. B. Olive, representative of the Fieldcrest Technical Seminar, is at left, front.

## Local Students See Engineering Show

**Fieldcrest Technical Seminar Lends Assistance To Boost Interest In Engineering**

A group of 35 science students from Tri-City high school attended the annual engineering show at the Duke University College of Engineering in Durham, Friday, March 16. After visiting the engineering show where they saw many engineering and scientific exhibits, the students were given a tour of the west campus where they visited the physics and science laboratories, the Duke Chapel and other points of interest.

Members of the Fieldcrest Technical Seminar, comprised of the graduate engineers in research, engineering and development work at our mills, assisted in arranging for the local students' visit to the engineering show in the interest of furthering student participation in science and engineering.

B. B. Olive, a member of the steering committee for the seminars said, "There is currently a nationwide movement to encourage the youth of the nation in a better understanding of science and engineering. We believe that the Fieldcrest Technical Seminar has made a contribution along this line by helping local students to attend the engineering show."

## Bedsread Mill Gets New Smoking Booths

For the convenience of employees and to minimize the danger of smoking in congested areas or in places where there is a definite fire hazard, smoking booths have been installed in the carding, spinning, winding and weaving departments at the Bedsread Mill and will go into use Tuesday, April 3.

Such booths have been found effective in eliminating congestion and loitering in rest rooms and in improving housekeeping, making a cleaner and better place to work.

Smoking booths earlier were installed in some departments at the Towel and Blanket Mills. A booth in the Karastan weave room will be put into use during this week.

## Jr. Council Meeting

Dr. R. O. Respass, pastor of the First Christian Church, Spray, will speak to members of the Junior Carolina Council at their meeting Tuesday, April 10 at 7:30 p. m. at Central Y.M.C.A.

Announcement of the meeting was made by Hilda Grogan, program chairman, who urged all members to attend. Officers will be elected to serve during the new Council year.

Dr. Respass came to Leaksville-Spray from pastorates in Florida. He received his doctor's degree from the College of Philosophy, Kansas City.

## Fieldale Clubs Will Sponsor Talent Show

**Plan Fund-Raising Project To Benefit Swimming Pool**

B. K. Rives, president of the Fieldale Service Club, and Bruce Cox, president of the Rotary Club, have announced plans for a "Talent Show" to be presented Friday, April 27. The show will be a joint undertaking of the two clubs for the benefit of the Community Center swimming pool fund.

A search for talented young people to appear in the show is already under way. Application forms for contestants may be obtained from members of both clubs and at Martinsville and Henry county high schools.

Contestants will be entered in three classifications—popular, novelty, and classical. First prizes are \$50 war bonds and second prizes of \$25 bonds will be awarded in each classification.

Coupled with the "Talent Show" will be a baby contest in which residents will be asked to vote for king, queen, prince, and princess. D. E. Simons is baby contest chairman.

Members of the talent committee are the Rev. C. T. Boyd, chairman; Allen Bobbitt, Oren R. Counts, Grover Overby, J. M. Rimmer, Mr. Rives and Leonard Stultz.

Other committees are as follows: Tickets, D. A. Purcell, chairman; Jim Carrico, Walter Danhoff, Willard Gourley, R. D. Hundley, Eugene Minter, Lawrence Nester, John Schleuter, Alfred Stegall, George Webster;

Arrangements, Curtis Martin, chairman; Mr. Boyd, Mr. Counts, O. D. Fox, J. W. Koontz;

Staging, Mr. Boyd chairman; Harry  
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## Alfred Takes Part On ABC Network Program

D. L. Alfred, department sales manager, Electric Blanket Mill, and chairman of the electric housewares section of the National Electrical Manufacturers association, participated in a program over the ABC 300-station network March 29.

He was interviewed by Jo Halpin on the "Your Better Tomorrow Show" in a presentation recreating the recent "Fashions in Electric Housewares Living" show at which Maggi McNellis was the hostess.