

Elks Contest:

Shamkin Is Oratorical Champion

By J. B. HARRIS

PHILADELPHIA — An overflow audience of more than 1700 eager listeners heard seven outstanding high school students from as many different districts...

First place winner of the contest was JAMES WHEELER SHAMKIN, who lives at 151 West Lane, No. 453, Valley Falls...



MRS. ERNEST LOFTON, JR.

At St. Matthews A.M.E. Church:

Jones-Lofton Vows Spoken

Bruchilda L. Jones of Raleigh was married to Ernest Lofton, Jr. of Goldsboro Sunday, August 18, at St. Matthews A. M. E. Church here...

Wedding music was presented by Miss Margaret Holt, organist, and Miss Ernestine Lewis, soloist. Given in marriage by her brother, Leon Lawson...

Wilkins Gives Views

LOS ANGELES (AP) — On the lecture platform and in interviews last week, NAACP's Roy Wilkins declared that making the Civil Rights measure into a Federal law was at least a start in the right direction.



OFFICERS AND MEMBERS of the Chatham County Y.M. & W. Council plan future activities at the inauguration of their annual fall. Standing, (left to right): Joe Louis Currie, president...



EDD BURNETT, of Route 1, Pittsboro, is a general farmer producing tobacco, cotton, small grain and hay. He says his main source of income is from his 1000 laying hens from which he sells hatching eggs to a local hatchery...

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Chatham Fair's Beauty Pageant To Feature Girls From Over NC

PITTSBORO — According to information furnished by Mrs. Mattie Paige, Home Demonstration Council president, the Beauty Pageant, which will open the 1957 Chatham County Fair, at Pittsboro, September 14th, at 3:00 p.m. will feature girls from throughout the state.

The young lady judged "Miss Piedmont" will receive \$25.00 in cash, two other prizes of \$15.00 and \$10.00 will be awarded respectively. No unusual arrangements have to be made to enter, all one has to do is to wear an evening dress and look her best.

The fair will continue through the week and the awarding of prizes will be made on Saturday night. From all indications more than 30,000 persons are expected to see the many exhibits that will be displayed.

His popular singers will also appear on this program. At 8:00 p.m. Thursday, a "Battle of Song", featuring many of the outstanding singing groups of the state, with old and new songs, that bid fair to attract people from all walks of life, will be held.

The youngsters are expected to take over at 8:00 p.m., Friday night when a Rock 'n Roll concert will be held. Prizes will be given to the best dancers, who will feature the latest steps and tricks, as they tip to the light fantasies.

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