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**DEMOCRATIC PROJECT**  
Reports reaching us are that the Vance-Aycock Democratic fund-raising project to be held in Asheville Saturday will attract approximately 1,000 party faithfuls.

This would be a larger crowd than any Jefferson-Jackson Dinner held in Raleigh for any year prior to 1961. In the old days, we used to feed 500-700. But this year the number ran closer to 2,500 and the party was held at the Coliseum instead of at the Hotel Sir Walter.

Nevertheless, at the same time we are worrying about how we are going to look after such a huge gathering in Asheville we are worrying about the bond issue coming up on November 7.

We must have as much enthusiasm for the bond vote as for the political rallies. Defeat of the \$65.1 million bond vote will mean almost irreparable loss of face for the Democratic Party in North Carolina.

**BEARING UP** . . . This is from an article by Jim Shumaker in the sharp twice-a-week Chapel Hill Weekly:

"Rep. Charles R. Jonas, North Carolina's Republican taint in Congress, has been making it a practice to send letters of condolence to families in his district who have lost loved ones.

"Now that he is in the same district with Jonas and probably

will but heads with him in the next Congressional primary, Rep. Paul Kitchin figured he'd better start doing the same.

"Last week, a resident of Mt. Gilead wrote to her grandson here in Chapel Hill that she had received a letter from Rep. Kitchin expressing sympathy over the loss of her husband. Rep. Kitchin hoped that she could 'Bear up through these trying times'.

"She has been bearing up pretty good, too, ever since her husband died in 1914."

**THE DECEASED** . . . We hope neither of the Congressmen will ever have happen to them what happened to a local political leader recently in Raleigh.

The Hayes Barton Baptist Church and the Hayes Barton Methodist Church here are only about a block apart and are sometimes confused with each other.

This man died a few days ago. His daughter-in-law is the long-time secretary to the lawyer-politician. She asked to be off the following afternoon to attend her father-in-law's funeral at the Hayes Barton Baptist Church.

The attorney knew the deceased—and because of this and out of respect to his employee he suddenly decided the next afternoon he would take a few minutes from his busy schedule to attend the funeral.

In his rush, he went to the wrong church—Hayes Barton Meth-

odist.

Now the interesting thing about it was that a funeral was being held at this church, too, and in fact was already underway when our hero arrived.

He tip-toed in hurriedly, hat in hand, and found a seat near an old acquaintance on the back row. As the organ played softly, he looked down at the front where lay the body in the open casket. He looked again. Then after putting on his glasses for a third inspection, he turned to the friend at his side and whispered: "Mr. — just doesn't favor himself at all."

The acquaintance, knowing now what he had surmised before—that his friend was somehow in the wrong church—was afraid one word might literally break up the funeral.

As he determinedly worked at regaining his composure over the hymn the attorney leaned over and said, "Sorrowful job of undertaking I ever saw."

At this point, both left the church, the friend firmly holding an arm and pushing while the attorney muttered: "What the hell!"

He partially made up for his absence at the other funeral by solemn presence at the graveside service.

**THE BEST?** . . . Although the International Trade Fair at Charlotte probably paid out financially—the crowds were larger than anticipated—it will be some weeks yet before its more solid accomplishments can be determined. It was well handled, beautiful, and quite inspiring. Most educational; and truly made one proud of North Carolina's industrial progress.

We also attended the N. C. State Fair, an annual must for our family, and it seemed to be better and cleaner than ever before. Agriculture Commissioner L. Y. Balentine did a masterful job as the manager. We, for one, hope he will see fit to continue in this capacity.

**DOUBLE TROUBLE**

Albemarle, N. C.—A 47-year-old carpenter was bitten by a copperhead and rattlesnake within 90 minutes.

The copperhead struck him first, Lennie Thompson said. He and a companion were walking near the Pee Dee River when he was bitten on the hand.

The companion took him to a doctor in Mount Gilead. Later they returned to the river and encountered a rattler. Thompson tried to trap it and was bitten on the other hand.

The companion took him back to the doctor who ordered Thompson to the hospital for treatment.



**UNICEF Meets Needs Of Destitute Kiddies**

In many of the developing parts of the world, the initials UNICEF have become synonymous with the well-being of children. This is hardly surprising. Originally set up in 1946 as a temporary measure to meet the emergency needs of children in the war-devastated countries, the United Nations Children's Fund now gives aid to more than 55 million needy children and mothers in over 100 countries.

UNICEF is governed by a 30-nation Executive Board which meets regularly to set policy, consider requests, allocate aid and evaluate results. The fund, a semi-autonomous permanent part of the United Nations, is the only agency in the world organization exclusively devoted to the welfare of children. At present, UNICEF assists over 400 projects spread around the globe on four contin-

ents. The governments concerned remain responsible for the projects, many of which are to become part of permanent health service for their children.

UNICEF aid is dispensed without regard to race, nationality, creed or political belief. It has become most effective thanks to a close cooperation between the fund and the beneficiaries of its aid.

UNICEF also works hand in hand with other branches of the United Nations and its specialized agencies, especially the World Health Organization (WHO), the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), UNESCO and the United Nations Bureau of Social Affairs.

UNICEF allocations are matched dollar-for-dollar with equivalent value in local resources; in practice this matching principle has



**DISTINGUISHED SERVICE**—Mrs. Howard D. Robertson of Forsyth county, and Walter E. Fuller of Raleigh, were honored Monday night for their work in the N. C. State Grange. Engraved bronze plaques were presented at fellowship dinner held in connection with the 33rd annual State Grange convention. Mrs. Robertson is a charter member of the Clemmons Grange, served as secretary for 25 years and is presently treasurer. Mr. Fuller is executive manager of the Tarheel Electric Membership Association. He served as master of the Gold Sand Grange in Franklin county for many years, and is presently a member of the Capitol Grange.

been so successful that assisted governments now provide an average of \$3 for every dollar of UNICEF aid. Besides, 65 of them are also contributors to the Fund.

UNICEF helps free children from disease and hunger in many ways. Its projects can be grouped in four major categories: Disease control and eradication projects designed to combat such scourges affecting large numbers of children as tuberculosis, malaria, yaws, leprosy and trachoma; Health Services for Children, including environmental sanitation, care for handicapped children and premature babies; Nutrition, which includes supplementary child-feeding, nutrition education, milk conservation and development of high-protein foods; and Family and Child Welfare Services, which include social services for children and mothercraft and homecraft projects. UNICEF also gives emergency aid in times of natural or other disaster.

To make all these projects effective, trained people—doctors,

nurses, midwives, sanitation technicians, nutrition experts, etc. are of essence; UNICEF helps governments with their training programs conducted in hospitals, health centers or schools.

To give aid UNICEF depends exclusively on voluntary contributions. In 1960, 84% of the Fund's income was contributed by 88 governments; the rest was donated by individuals, organizations, voluntary agencies and national committees such as the U. S. Committee for UNICEF. Worldwide UNICEF greeting card sales help inform the public on the Fund's work and contribute to its resources.

The world's most important fund-raising event for "all the world's children" is Trick or Treat for UNICEF, a program through which 2.5 million American boys and girls raised \$1,750,000 in about 11,000 communities last Halloween. President Kennedy has described this program as "an outstanding example of active citizen concern in the work of the United Nations Children's Fund."

**MATH IS FUN**  
Honolulu—School-teacher John Flanagan, who once taught mathematics with a dashboard, believes arithmetic can be fun.  
He hopes soon to publish a numbers dictionary and textbooks "to eliminate completely all work, drudgery and boredom from arithmetic and make it fun and games for the kiddies."



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