Group Discusses Income For 194

Extension Service Representatives Visit Chowan

On Tuesday afternoon of last week representatives from the State Extension Service and other agencies

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discussed what might be done in the way of planning for improved agri-cultural practices and maintenance of farm income in 1948.

If farmers operate under present peanut allotments and the present proposed 28% cut in tobacco allotments, Chowan County will have approximately 3,000 acres of land coming out of these crops and from these crops the gross income for 1948 will possibly be cut 15% or more.

Fred Sloan, program planning specialist, told the group that people in North Carolina consumed only half as much milk as the average person in met with the Chowan County farm the United States, and yet we annuagents and a few leading farmers and ally produce 80% of the milk we use. "We eat only half as much meat per person as does the average American," said Mr. Sloan, "and yet we don't produce all the meat we consume. In a State whose annual gross ing students, Misses Susan Thigpen, farm income is one-third highest in Marion Harrell, Joyce Webb, Heilig the nation, we are faced with a short-age of 400,000 tons of hay and 700,000 tons of grain this year. Our great Mary L. Browning, is newly organized problem is to keep our gross income high and produce our own food and feed stuff at home, thereby increasing our net income. Since North Carolina is predominantly an agricultural State, the quickest and surest Holmes. way to raise the standard of living is to increase the annual net farm in-

Agricultural Economist Pike of the State office presented charts showing the distribution of farm labor in the production of various crops. In the production of various crops there is a farming an expensive operation.

"We need more livestock in this State to balance our agricultural program from the labor standpoint as Coston, \$42.90; Birdie Spivey, \$41.40; well as the standpoint of economy,' said Mr. Pike.

It was the opinion of the group that everything possible should be done to encourage farmers to look at farming as a business. A most important part of this business is the production of an adequate supply of food and feed crops on the farm for Funeral Held For the family and livestock. It was emphasized that there is need for a considerable increase in family cows and good pasturage for these cows. Home gardens should also be improved and it was pointed out that some farm families do not produce their family supply of meat. These may be tenants or laborers, but it was felt that these families should be encouraged to come nearer producing their home food supply

acreage to a good advantage is in in-creasing the corn production and hogs. Sad and sudden was the call, creasing the corn production and hogs.

The Chowan group felt that a more opportune time to begin working on opportune time to begin working on As in the hour you passed away.
this problem will be in January rath- The blow was hard, the shock severe er than the rush season at present.

The law is reason free from pas--Aristotle.

Program At Meeting

New Group Being Directed By Mrs. Mary L. Browning

Members of the Junior Woman's Club were delighted with the Christmas program rendered by the Edenton High School sextet at their luncheon last week.

The group, composed of the follow and Mrs. Browning is to be highly commended on the remarkable progress made by them.

A reading, "Why the Chimes Rang," was given by Mrs. Frank

The regular business meeting fol-

Colored Homecoming Day Netted \$321.20

As the result of the recent homelabor peak at which time all available coming day observed by the colored labor is used. After this peak is over, high school in which Elizabeth Robunless there is livestock on the farm erts was chosen "Miss Edenton", the and other crops, then there is a sur- total amount of money raised was plus of labor which makes one crop \$321.20. The queen turned in \$66.30, while her attendants were credited with the following amounts:

Geneva Armstead, \$54.50; Annie Doris Johnson, \$31.60; Vandora Murdough, \$30.50; Ethel Johnson, \$25.50; Annie Johnson, \$17.30; Elnora Hall, \$11.20.

The homecoming day was one of the most outstanding events staged by the school this year.

Emmett L. Byrum

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at Ballard's Bridge Church for Emmett L. Byrum, 53, who passed away Tuesday afternoon following an illness of four years. The Rev. W. C. Francis and the Rev.

IN MEMORIAM In loving memory of our dear son and brother, James Carson Stallings, Another possibility of using some who departed this life six months ago Of one so dearly loved by all,

Your memory is as sweet today We never thought death was so near But only those who've lost can tell The pain of parting without farewell. He little thought when leaving home That he never would return. Then he sweet in death would sleep And leave us here to mourn and weep. Always so true, unselfish and kind, Few in this world his equal to find. A beautiful life that came to an end, He died as he lived, everyone a friend. Deep in our heart is a picture Worth more than silver and gold.

It's a picture of you, our dear, Your memory will never grow old. If you could have lived just six months and four days longer, you would have been twenty-six years old. But we know you were bound to us for just a short while. Although it seems so hard, we know God knew

-Mother, Daddy, Sisters and Brothers.

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Deceased is survived by his wife; three sons, Emmett, Jr., Joseph and W. D. Byrum, and two daughters, Mary Elizabeth and Ola Mae Byrum. Two brothers, E. N. Byrum of Winston-Salem and W. W. Byrum of Yorktown, Va., and two sisters, Mrs. E. B. Ward and Mrs. Emmett White of Corawaske, also survive of Corapeake, also survive.

Pallbearers were Hurley Ashley Thomas Sawyer, Willie Ashley, Titus Byrum and Charlie Monds.

N. C. Symphony Will Appear In Windsor

Mrs. Earl Goodwin, president of the Junior Woman's Club, announces panied by his wife, who is serving that the North Carolina Symphony, as secretary and housekeeper on the Orchestra will appear in Windsor in tour. the early spring. Not having been presented in Edenton up to date, the opportunity arises for everyone inerested to hear the symphony.

Memberships may be obtained by calling Mrs. Goodwin. One advantageous feature of this organization taking his campaign direct to the is that any parent buying a member-ship may take a child free of charge.

Senior Class Sponsors Sale Next Saturday

Sponsored by the Senior Class of Edenton High School, a cake and pie sale will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. The sale will be held on the porch of the old Moore house on Broad Street, opposite Pender's store. The proceeds will go toward purchasing stage interiors.



Mayne Albright In Edenton Dec. 13

Candidate For Governor Coming In Trailer "Challenger"

North Carolina's youngest candidate for Governor in the Democratic Primary, R. Mayne Albright, will visit Edenton on Saturday, December 13th in his trailer field headquarters. the "Challenger". He will be accom-

The "Challenger" will be parked downtown during the day and open for visitors.

Chowan is the 51st county visited by the "Challenger" in its 100-county tour of North Carolina. Albright is people-in country stores, filling stations, farms, docks, offices, mills, civic clubs; women's organizations, veterans' groups, labor organizations, as well as in Court Houses and City Halls. With this method he expects to talk personally with more individuals then any other candidate ever has, or will in this campaign.

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