

Safety Chief Says Speeding Causes Most Accidents

"Don't learn traffic rules by accident," was the word today from Director Tarvia Jones of the State Highway Safety Division who is waging a personal war on North Carolina auto deaths and injuries.

The safety chief bolstered his battle against fatalities and injuries with the flat statement that speeding last year caused the greatest number of deaths on the highways with reckless driving close behind.

In 1953, Jones said, there were 40,117 cases of speeding and 18,134 of reckless driving. Speeding alone caused the greatest number of fatalities.

"That's why knowing and obeying traffic laws is so important, Jones continued. Seventy-eight per cent of all fatal accidents involved at least one violation of a traffic law.

We refer to the fact that people can make laws designed to keep them safe and free from accidents, and then turn around and break every one of the laws they or their representatives have made for their own protection."

Last February, Jones recalled,

Mrs. James Stalcup Heads HD Club

Mrs. James Stalcup was elected president of the Martin's Creek Home Demonstration Club Tuesday, Jan. 27, in the meeting at the home of Mrs. O. B. Ellis.

Other new officers are Miss Lucille Chastain, vice-president; Mrs. Furman Anderson, secretary and treasurer; and Mrs. A. G. Smith, publicity chairman.

The new project chairmen are: Miss Lucille Chastain, foods and nutrition; Mrs. T. C. Ellington, home gardens; Mrs. A. B. Stalcup, home dairy; Mrs. A. G. Smith, home poultry; Mrs. Roy Lee, food preservation; Miss Elza Graham, house furnishings; Mrs. B. E. Warner and Mrs. Furman Anderson, home management; Mrs. Frank Stalcup, family life; Mrs. O. B. Ellis, home beautification; Mrs. James Stalcup, clothing; Mrs. Ben Warner, arts and crafts.

Club community chairmen are: Mrs. O. B. Ellis, community service; Mrs. Judson Chastain, health; Mrs. James Stalcup, education; Mrs. T. C. Ellington, citizenship; Misses Lucille Chastain and Elza Graham, recreation; Mrs. A. G. Smith, 4-H Club leader; Mrs. Furman Anderson, music.

Miss Edna Bishop, home agent presented the following program, which was accepted by the members: Feb. 24, Food Production and Gardening; March 24 Pattern Alteration and Fitting; April 28, community Dress Review; May 26, It's Smart To Be Well-Fed; June 23, "Dairy Food, with 4-H girl Demonstration.

Also July 28, Lamp Shades; Aug. 25, Picnic, Educational Exhibits; Sept., Make Your Ironing Easier; Oct. 27, Swedish Dining; Nov. 24, Attitudes Are Important; Dec. Christmas Party and Music Appreciation.

Following the business session guests were invited to look over the newly decorated home of the hostess, after which she served refreshments to the 14 members and visitors present.

The club will meet with Mrs. James Stalcup in February.

there were 78 killed and 1,143 injured in traffic mishaps.

"I know everyone will agree this leaves a tremendous lot of room for improvement. If every driver will only remember to know and obey all traffic laws, and assume an individual responsibility for safety, this month's fatality and injury score could be greatly reduced," he said.

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VS.
FRANK MOORE

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