

Need For Stronger Organization Cited By Bureau Leaders

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that the revenue raisers will turn to the relief program and agriculture for the money," Arnold said. "While I am in favor of defense, I don't think it right for them to turn to the hungry on relief and the farmers on the farm to finance the program." Arnold continued. He intimated that unless North Carolina came to the front with a substantial membership gain that much of the program would be lost.

"Next week a meeting is being held in Washington in the interest of the lowly peanut. Gentlemen, there are only a few congressmen in the peanut territory, but the American Farm Bureau with its followers in Illinois, California, Iowa and other thousands in the 40 Farm Bureau states went to bat for the peanut farmer and helped you get a peanut program for the past three years. It is embarrassing to go to Washington and appeal to the Farm Bureau Federation for help when we have hardly more than a handful of members who stand ready to join with other members in upholding the rights of American agriculture," the secretary concluded.

The Southeastern director of the American Federation, R. G. Arnold, stirred his listeners with a "hot" speech that was patterned along strong unionism lines. "The farmer has had to pay a 60 per cent parity to the manufacturer for clothes, machinery and nearly every other type of article as a result of the tariff," Director Arnold said, "and it is only fair for the farmer to get parity payments for the crops he produces."

The drive for farm bureau membership continues in this county as a result of the meeting last night the membership teams pledged their continued support for the campaign. Next Thursday night, the membership teams will file a report on their

Thousands To Get Insurance Checks

Shortly before Christmas, 2,331 men and women in North Carolina are going to be notified that they may be entitled to monthly old-age insurance checks for the rest of their lives. R. S. Marshall, manager of the Social Security board field office at Rocky Mount, announced today. Approximately 10 per cent of this number live in the 16 counties serviced by the Rocky Mount office, he said.

Mr. Marshall explained that this notice will be sent to those to whom lump-sum benefits have been paid since the Federal old-age insurance system was established January 1, 1937. The amended act, he said, moves the date for monthly benefits up two years to 1940 and makes it possible for a wage earner to qualify after he is 65 years old, even if he has already received a single cash settlement.

Beginning January 1, 1940, qualified annuitants will receive monthly benefits instead of the lump-sum payment provided under the present law.

"This means," said Mr. Marshall, "that the age barrier to obtaining Federal retirement insurance has been removed. Even the man who was already 65 when the old-age insurance system was set up and who therefore has never been under the Federal program may now qualify for monthly benefits. To qualify for retirement insurance in 1940, it will be necessary for him to show that he has worked in six calendar quarters and received during each three-month period, at least \$50 in wages and has retired."

Mr. Marshall explained that if a man has already received a lump sum it will be deducted from the monthly payments which will be paid him.

Methodists Holding Great Conference At Fayetteville

Marking the end of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, and leading into the newly created Methodist church, North Carolina Methodists are holding a great conference down in Fayetteville this week-end. A new Methodism, embracing all branches of the church, North and South, comes into being today.

Just prior to the Civil war, the church divided along territorial lines at a conference held in Fayetteville. The work of that conference is being reversed in the same city this week.

Farmer A. Tommie Whitley, of Farm Life, was a business visitor here this morning.

It was pointed out in the meeting last night that farmers are waking to the importance of a strong organization and are advancing a loyal support to the Farm Bureau. In a single night this week, more than 500 farmers in Pitt County joined the organization, it was pointed out at the meeting here last evening.

Hitler Escapes With Life By 11 Minutes

Adolf Hitler, apparently a scheduled victim of an assassin's plot, missed death by a matter of only eleven minutes last Wednesday evening when an explosion killed six old guard Nazis and wounded a number of others in a beer cellar at Munich. Immediately the Jews and British were charged with the attempt to end the dictator's life, a reward approximating \$360,000 having been offered in an effort to track down the plotters.

Several have been arrested in connection with the explosion, but none has been charged with the plot.

Peace efforts, advanced by several of the smaller neutral countries, received little or no attention as warring activities on the Western Front gained momentum this week. Belgium, learning of an increased mobilization of Germans along its border, has boosted its forces to more than half a million men, and England is now looking for Hitler to fight in earnest or call off the war.

Finnish and Russian negotiations were said to have broken down today, and the little country now awaits whatever action Russia will take. Fearful of German action along the Dutch border, England and America urged their nationals to vacate Holland today.

Long Session Held By the Recorder's Court Last Monday

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sentenced to the roads for six months. He appealed to the higher courts and bond was fixed in the sum of \$300.

John Stokes, charged with violating the liquor laws back in January of this year, came into court for the pronouncement of a delayed sentence. The court learning that he had not complied with a judgment rendered in the case charging him with drunken driving back in 1936, sentenced him to the roads for three months on the liquor law violation and two months in the drunken driving case, the sentences to run concurrently.

Judgment was continued for another twelve months in the case charging Jasper Williams with non-support. The defendant is to continue the payment of eight dollars monthly for the use and benefit of his child.

In a civil suit growing out of an automobile accident on the Jamesville road back in December, 1937, the court awarded a judgment in the sum of \$85 to J. O. Bland against Daniel Moore. The plaintiff, suing for \$300 personal and property damages, maintained that his car was struck by James R. Moore, son of the defendant.

Jurymen Are Drawn For One Week Term Of Superior Court

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iff Roebuck states that the plans are to turn the two men over to him for trial in this county and possibly later to officers in other counties in this section where the two men are also wanted for alleged meat and chicken thefts.

The names of the jurymen drawn by the commissioners at their last regular meeting are, as follows, by townships:

- Williams: O. S. Green.
- Griffins: James A. Hardison, N. S. Roberson, Raleigh Lilley, K. Hugh Coltrain, Nathan Eugene Roberson.
- Bear Grass: Roy Ward, Opheus Bailey, Charles M. Beacham, M. D. Taylor and Arthur Peel.
- Williamston: H. L. Daniel, C. D. Pittman, Roy Bailey, W. Clyde Manning, Timon Coltrain, A. S. Roberson, Edward Cox, Ralph Taylor, J. C. Norris and John R. Peel.
- Cross Roads: A. L. Williams, J. B. Barnhill and S. W. Keel.
- Robersonville: H. L. Roberson, P. C. Wildman, G. D. Grimes, G. D. Ward, Leo Everett and Silas House.
- Poplar Point: J. A. Rawls, D. A. Roebuck and R. H. Harrison.
- Hamilton: E. R. Edmondson and R. E. Downs.
- Goose Nest: J. S. Johnson.

President Roosevelt To Launch Drive for Red Cross Members

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drive beginning next Monday morning. The roll call chairmen are maintaining offices in the Branch Bank building and they are anxious to complete the drive in two days. The names of the canvassers here are, as follows:

- Messdames W. H. Carstarphen, L. B. Wynne, D. V. Clayton, R. H. Clayton, J. C. Cooke, J. Paul Simpson, Herman Taylor, R. G. McAllister, Charles Bowers, I. M. Margolis, Mack Simpson, J. G. Barnhill, Charles Godwin, Jr., F. E. Wilson, Herman Seawell, W. H. Williams, Jr., John Wier, C. B. Leggett, Ernest Etheridge, H. S. Manning, Arthur Bertolett, Frank Carstarphen, Marion Cobb, J. B. Glenn, Joseph Griffin, Julian Harrell, D. L. Hayman, Jack Horner, A. J. Manning, Jr., D. G. Modlin, Roy McClees, B. B. Rogerson, R. L. Smith, S. V. Tallman, K. D. Worrell, S. P. Woolford, C. D. Pittman, Misses Trulah Page, Ruth Norton, Sara Cooke, Mary Taylor, Josephine Harrison, Irene Tetterton and Natalie Gould.

Town Is Assured A Championship Team

The curtain on a promising basketball season here will be hoisted next Monday night when the newly organized and promising Williams-town town team goes into action in the high school gymnasium. Made up of such players as Ace Villepique, Pap Diem, Breezy Beard, Jeff Grant, Oscar Anderson, Fenner Wallace and other local boys, the team is certain to cut a big ripple on the basketball pond in eastern North Carolina this season.

Windsor's crack team has been tendered the honor of opening the season with the locals. However, no direct reply had been received from the lads across the swamp, and in the event they can't come, another quint will be booked tomorrow, Ave Villepique announced this morning.

The opening game, scheduled strictly as an exhibition event, will be played free to all, and all the fans and lads and lassies in these parts are cordially invited to see the stars in action.

County 4-H Girls Active In October

Five girls from two clubs entered the dress contest this year. They were as follows: Miss Vera Pearl Williams, Miss Lala Smithwick, Miss Lillie Marie Revels from the Farm Life 4-H club, and Misses Margaret Weaver and Ruby Ayers from Oak City Senior 4-H club. Judging for the county contest was done by Misses Emeline Evans, Mary Carstarphen and Mrs. David Modlin. Miss Vera Pearl Williams was winner of the contest and competed in the State contest among 55 girls. Miss Williams entered her outfit at the State Fair receiving a \$5.00 prize which was third place. The five girls entering the contest were given the trip to Raleigh to attend the State Dress Contest. This contest contributed much to improve standards in workmanship, design and construction of all in attendance.

Regular meetings in all 4-H clubs stressed the importance of well kept records. The last meeting in the home beautification project was held in all clubs. "Flower Arrangements of Interest and Correct Containers" was the demonstration.

The County 4-H council in its regular session in September made a new ruling—that all clubs have competitive booths at their Achievement Day held in November. The Farm Life 4-H club is the first club to start a precedent by putting on a local achievement booth at the P. T. A. meeting held in their school. The booth was well arranged and made a real addition in interest to the program. The 4-H club members were entirely responsible for the booth.

There were 13 club meetings held with girls during the month with 294 in attendance.

New Rockefeller Building Finished

The depression-born project of erecting a new amusement and office center in Manhattan was completed last week, as John D. Rockefeller, Jr., drove a silver rivet into the final building of the skyscraper-cluster bearing his name. Lasting civic value have been made literally out of thin air. The two city blocks covered by the 14 buildings, which cost \$100,000,000, are owned by Columbia university. They formerly brought in \$300,000 a year rent. Rental now is \$3,300,000 annually. Assessed valuation of land and improvements is \$86,000,000—contrasted with \$32,000,000 ten years ago. The development contains the largest theatre in the world, seating some 6,000. Time has played strange tricks with this property. First acquired by Columbia as its university site, rapid development of mid-Manhattan prompted building the college farther uptown. It was rented by the Rockefellers for a new opera house, but the depression put the quietus on that project. So a new and growing industry—radio—was chosen as the nucleus for an office and amusement project.

Army Worm Damages Soybeans In Bladen County

Foliage of velvet and soybeans has been damaged severely this fall in Bladen County by the army worm, reports Assistant Farm Agent R. M. Williams.

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By A. LAURANCE AYDLETT
Wider use by the counties of the facilities afforded by North Carolina's training schools would eliminate much of the necessity of keeping youthful delinquents in county jails, is the opinion of W. C. Ezell, director of the division of institutions and corrections of the State Board of Charities and Public Welfare.

"Sometimes children are detained in county jails where they come in contact with professional criminals because of the impression that the training schools are filled but the institutions for such delinquents have not been crowded for many months," Ezell stated.

Morrison Training School for Negro boys, he pointed out, has had a waiting list almost since it was founded, while there is no place for the care of delinquent Negro girls since the closing last March of the institution in Efland operated by the Federation of Negro Women's Clubs with a small subsidy from the state.

Stonewall Jackson Training school for white boys under 16 years old has a capacity of 500, yet its population generally runs in the neighborhood of 440 boys, while Eastern Carolina Training School taking white boys under 20 years, has increased its capacity through recent construction to 180, despite the fact that its population ordinarily runs in the neighborhood of 130.

The average population of Samarcand Manor for white girls under 16 is about 170 in spite of its normal facilities for taking care of 200 delinquent girls.

In view of these facts, Ezell says, there is the possibility of taking at least 140 children that ordinarily spend from one day to two months in county jails all over the state out of their unwholesome incarcerations in buildings resembling medieval bastilles.

Another fact Ezell points out is that the North Carolina attorney general has ruled that it is illegal under the present law for a child under 16 years of age to be placed in a jail where he will come in contact with hardened criminals.

"North Carolina will never make any real progress toward crime prevention until those kindergartens of lawlessness are shoved overboard and children under 16 years of age given a decent chance to get the

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There are openings for a number of Martin County men in the service, it was announced.

Increases Egg Production By Turning On Lights

Since turning the lights on his flock of 300 white leghorn pullets, Howard Huffman of Clarkton, Bladen County, says the egg production has increased from 40 to 100 in just a few days.

Improving Conditions affecting the consumer demand for farm products continued to improve during the past month, reports the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

right attitude toward life.

"When the taxpayers of the counties come to realize that it will cost them less for law enforcement by preventing these youths from learning the ropes of the jailed criminals, the state will have made a great forward step," Ezell said.

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