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## Pitt and Greene Annual Meeting Here Tomorrow

Pitt and Greene Electric Membership Corporation will hold its 14th annual meeting on Saturday at 2:30 in the Farmville High School Gymnasium. Manager Gilbert Whitley said he expects a record turnout.

Progress and financial reports, plus election of seven directors to serve for the next twelve months will be on the program in addition to lively entertainment, refreshments, and prize awards.

Fourteen candidates have been nominated by the nominating committee. One director will be elected to represent each of the seven districts in the Cooperative's service area.

Entertainment will be by a trio composed of Eddie Murphey, master of ceremonies, comedian, and singer; Johnnie Holland, pianist; and Ruby Earle Riggs, vocalist. Eddie and Johnnie have performed in clubs around Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, and Detroit. They promise a program of popular and hill-billy music.

Arrangements have been made for a supply of soft drinks as refreshments.

Many valuable attendance prizes have been made available by the Cooperative and firms trading with its members.

Pitt and Greene Electric Membership Corporation serves 2,663 members over 442 miles of line. Plans are now in progress for enlarging the system's capacity to care for the increasing use of electricity by its members and the addition of around 800 consumers in a few weeks, when it starts operating the C. L. Hardy lines.

The Cooperative's facilities were operated by the Town of Farmville, under an operating contract until June, 1950, at which time it assumed operation of its lines and opened an office in Farmville.

Gifts and donors are:

25 pounds of flour, Gray Brother's Store, Rt. 2, Snow Hill; Pen and pencil set, Carolina Office Equipment Co., Rocky Mount; 25 pounds of lard, C. S. Whitley Market, Stantonsburg; Pair of table lamps, Farmville Furniture Co., Farmville; 1 set plastic shower curtains and window curtains, Snow Hill Plumbing and Heating Co.; table lamp, Quinn-Miller, Snow Hill; Westinghouse Electric Iron, Westinghouse Electric Co.; 1 dozen creosoted pine fence posts, Taylor-Colquitt Co., Wilmington; Waffle iron, Line Material Co., Raleigh; Wash, grease and oil change, Moore and Speight Service Station, Farmville; Electric iron, Batts Furniture Co., Stantonsburg.

1 Sparton Fence Charger, Rex Accessory Shop, Stantonsburg; Carton of cigarettes, Jim Bill Applewhite, Stantonsburg; 6 infrared heat lamps, Eastern Electric Supply; Electric toaster, General Electric Supply Corp.; Ball-Point pen (Sheaffer), Tippecanoe Press; Table electric clock, Centre Hardware, Farmville; Waffle Iron, Southern Engineering Co., Atlanta, Ga.; Electric floor fan, Southern Supply Co., Farmville; Thermic jug, Western Auto Associate Store, Farmville.

Electric vacuum cleaner, electric roaster, electric mix master, electric deep frier, electric radio (table), electric steam iron, 2 electric kitchen clocks, electric table clock, 201 100-watt bulbs, electric fan, Pitt and Greene E. M. G.; 242 100-watt bulbs, Baker Engineering Equipment Co., Richmond, Va.; 137 100-watt bulbs, Ernest Hover, Silver Springs, Md.; 1 box of groceries, E. E. Nethercutt Store, Rt. 1, Snow Hill; electric clock, Duncan Felts, Hickory; 5 pairs of hose, Scott-Parrish Electrical Supply Co., Raleigh.

Nominees for directors are:

District 1—J. C. Parker, C. B. Phillips, both of Rt. 1, Fountain.

District 2—O. L. Erwin, Vernon Mozingo, both of Rt. 2, Farmville.

District 3—Sam V. Tugwell, Rt. 1, Farmville; Horace T. Herring, Rt. 2, Walstonburg.

District 4—Seth Barrow, Rt. 1, Farmville; Roy Graves, Rt. 1, Snow Hill.

Distri uct5—Joe Edmundson, Rt. 3, Snow Hill; Ralph H. Jones, Rt. 2, Stantonsburg.

District 6—Jarvis Harrison, David Corbett, both of Rt. 3, Snow Hill.

District 7—E. E. Nethercutt, Rt. 1, Snow Hill ;C. E. Vause, Rt. 1, Hookerton.

### BAPTIST TO OBSERVE WAKE FOREST DAY, SUNDAY

Wake Forest Day will be observed in the local Baptist Church, Sunday morning. Dr. J. Allen Easley, acting dean of the school of religion at Wake Forest, will deliver the sermon at the special service. Wake Forest Day is observed in the church in recognition of the paying of pledges made to the Greater Wake Forest program and the removal of the college to Winston-Salem.

## About Farmville People

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll D. Oglesby and children, Dean and Sally, Mr. and Mrs. Allen M. Harris and son, Al, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gibbs spent the week end at the Oglesby's cottage on Bogue Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Dixon and children, Barbara and Billy, of Wilson visited Mrs. Dixon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Windham, Sunday.

Mrs. Lloyd Smith returned to her home this week after a two weeks visit with her brother, R. E. Clements and family in Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Finch of Wilson visited Mrs. Finch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harris, Sunday.

Miss Louise Harris, of Washington, D. C., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cooke and family of Mt. Olive spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Herring of Wilson spent Sunday with Mrs. Fred Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Smith and son, Richard, arrived Wednesday from Greensboro, for a visit with Mr. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith. Julian Smith is coach and Physical Education Instructor at the Greensboro Schools. They will spend part of the summer vacation in Farmville.

Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Aycock, Jr., spent the week end with Mrs. Aycock's brother, Dan Player and family in Baltimore, Md.

Miss Bessye Harrell of Ahoskie, will spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Carr.

E. C. Carr, Jr., arrived Tuesday from State College, Raleigh. He will leave Sunday for Orangeburg, S. C., where he has accepted a position for the summer months.

Mrs. M. V. Horton returned Thursday of last week from a trip to points of interest in Louisiana, Texas and New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. David Parker and children of Suffolk, Va., spent the week end with relatives here.

Mrs. Mollie Murphrey, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carraway and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Murphrey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fitz McKeel and family in Walstonburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Bundy visited Mrs. Bundy's sister, Mrs. Lee Williams, in Pactolus, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Spell had as guests last week end, Mr. and Mrs. Addison M. Sprague and sons, James and David, and Mrs. W. D. Copeland of Durham, and Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Spell, Jr., and sons, Glenn and John of Wendell.

Mrs. Joseph Batchelor returned last week from a visit with relatives in Shelby. Mrs. Batchelor attended the reunion of her college graduating class at Mars Hill last week end.

Mrs. Wyatt Tucker, Jr., and son, Tommy, returned last week from a visit with relatives in Charlotte.

Lt. and Mrs. Joseph C. Bridges and sons, Joey and Rusty, enroute from San Diego, Calif., to Camp Lejeune, visited with his uncle, J. E. Russell, and family and his aunt, Mrs. L. J. Williford, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Owens of Norfolk, Va., visited with relatives here and in Fountain, the past week end.

Mrs. L. W. Batchelor of Rocky Mount returned to her home last week after a visit with her son, Joseph Batchelor, while Mrs. Batchelor was visiting with relatives in Shelby.

Mrs. Joney Taylor and son, Mike, Mrs. J. B. Joyner and daughter, Jane, were Rocky Mount visitors, Monday.

Mrs. J. L. Ammons and daughters, Martha and Linda, of Rowland, spent last week with Mrs. Ammons mother, Mrs. J. R. Lewis.

John R. Joyner arrived Tuesday from State College, Raleigh, for a weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Joyner, Sr., before enrolling for the summer semester at the college next week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Greene were visited this week by their son, Carl Greene. Mrs. Greene and children, Jackie and Judy, of Gainesville, Texas; their daughter, Mrs. James Yates of Dunn and daughter, Mrs. Robert Dodson, and children, Susie and Martha, of Lumberton. Mrs. Yates and Mrs. Dodson and family will leave for their homes this week end. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Greene and family will remain for a longer visit. Mrs. George Hancock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Greene, Mr. Hancock and children of Newport News, Va., and son, C. T. Greene of Rocky Mount will spend Sunday with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Murdock of Mebane will arrive at the home of Mrs. Murdock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kemp, tomorrow night, to accompany them to Raleigh for the graduation of Douglas Kemp at State College, Sunday.

Mrs. Hulda Covert of Torpin Springs, Fla., and Mrs. Ada Young of Henderson, visited Mrs. C. E. Case, Sr., Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. W. E. Lang, Sr., of Walstonburg, visited Mrs. Cora Barrett and Mrs. Z. M. Whitehurst, Monday.

Mrs. H. B. Hart and children, Bart and Nancy, are visiting Mrs. Hart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McKinney in Dublin, Ga. Mr. and Mrs. McKinney accompanied the Harts to Dublin after a visit with them here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Joyner, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harris and son, Jimmy, were Atlantic Beach visitors, Sunday.

Mrs. J. F. Hart of Emporia, Va., is visiting her son, H. E. Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Baucom, Sr., visited relatives at Davidson College and Ellerbe last week.

Mrs. James E. Holloman of the Carraway Church community is a patient at Woodard-Herring Hospital where she underwent an operation Monday a week ago. Mrs. Holloman is recuperating satisfactorily.

Mrs. Alan Gawthrop and daughter, Grace, of Jacksonville, spent the week end with Mrs. Gawthrop's brother, Hal Winders, and aunt, Miss Rosa Williams.

Mrs. David Harris and children, David, Jr., Betty Lou and Lyman of Wilson, were the guests of Mrs. T. S. Ryon and sons, Shipley and David, at their Cool Point cottage near Washington, Tuesday.

Miss Janet Stansill and Robert Rollins were guests at a house party at Myrtle Beach this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Burke and son, Billy, spent the week end with Mrs. Burke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Brady at Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Burke accompanied their son, Billy, to Camp Morehead yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Harris and daughter, Elizabeth, of Louisville, Ky., were the recent visitors of Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Holmes. Mr. Harris is the brother of Mrs. Holmes.

Mrs. Frank Crews, Jr., and children, Betsy Harris and small son, Frank Wayne, of South Boston, Va., are visiting Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Holmes, parents of Mrs. Crews.

Mrs. Lizzie Bundy and grandson, Charles Bundy, are visiting relatives in Charleston, S. C.

Mrs. Paul W. Matheson of Winter Garden, Fla., arrived Saturday to spend several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. T. Eli Joyner, Jr., and family.

Mrs. R. F. Watson of Tuskegee, Ala., arrived last week for a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Joyner and family.

Mrs. F. M. Davis, Jr., and Mrs. Henrietta Williamson were Greenville visitors, Tuesday.

Miss Mary Thorne Tyson of Richmond, Va., visited Wednesday through Sunday with her mother, Mrs. C. A. Tyson.

Will Jones, III, attended a dance at the Wilson Country Club, Friday night. Rebecca Webb was the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kemp and Mrs. Frank Williams attended the commencement finals at Wake Forest College, Monday. Miss Lois Grey Kemp was among the graduates.

Lt. Chester Langley of Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md., spent the week end at his home here.

Dan Morgan of Philadelphia, Pa., spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. D. R. Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brock spent the week end with Mrs. Brock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Fornes, near Greenville. Carolyn Jean Stokes, niece of Mrs. Brock, returned with them for a visit.

Mrs. Edward May and sons, Alfred and Robert, attended the graduation exercises at Flora Macdonald College in Red Springs, Monday. Miss Elsie May, who was a student at the college, returned with them to spend the summer vacation at her home.

Miss Rachel Barrett of Boston, Mass., arrived Friday for a visit of several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Barrett.

Mrs. W. G. Allen, Sr., entered Pitt Memorial Hospital, Sunday afternoon. She is receiving treatment and is improving slowly.

## Walstonburg, Maury School Cafeterias Under Consideration

At their meeting on Monday, June 2, the Greene County Board of Commissioners gave the Greene County Board of Education the green light for the re-advertising for construction bids for the cafeterias at the Walstonburg, Maury and Hookerton Schools. State money in the amount of $35,000 each had been earmarked for each of these cafeterias.

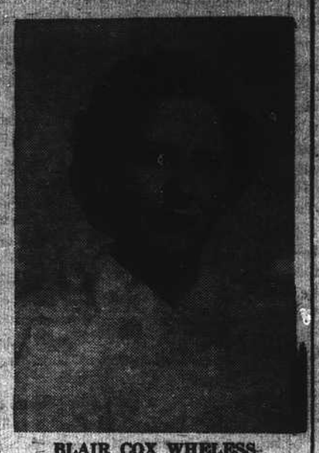
Bids on these buildings were received July 19, but at that time the County Commissioners were unable to furnish the Board of Education with the sufficient funds needed to accept the low bids on construction and equipment.

The Board of Education has requested their architect, William Coleman, to make plans for a re-advertisement which is expected to be made in the near future.

It is estimated that it will take approximately $50,000 to $60,000 above the $105,000 of state money to construct and equip these three cafeterias.

## Blair Wheless Gets Overwhelming Victory In 4-Way Register's Race

### Leads Ticket



BLAIR COX WHELESS

As had been anticipated, voting in the Democratic primary last Saturday was lighter than usual and the contests, with two exceptions, were unusually close.

The only walkaways came in the races for Register of Deeds and State Insuranuce Commissioner. In the former, Mrs. Blair Cox Wheless, who holds the position by appointment of the Board of Commissioners, easily won the four-way contest, amassing 4752 votes against a total of 2614 for her three opponents. In the latter race, Waldo Cheek defeated John N. Frederick of Charlotte, 4304 to 1592.

Keenest race of all and the one which caused most comment was the gubrnatorial contest. William B. Umstead defeated Hubert Olive, 3960 to 3336.

In the second county race—there were only two Pitt offices at stake in the primary—Brown Hodges of Grifton emerged with a 600-majority over R. Guy Jackson of Ayden for county commissioner. Hodges has been serving on the board for 10 years.

Following are the returns for Farmville and Fountain townships, and the totals for the county:

FARMVILLE

Governor: Umstead 456, Olive 356, Dunaway 1.

Lieutenant Governor: Rowe 316, Hodges 310, McDonald 51, Kurfees 35.

Insurance Commissioner: Cheek 554, Frederick 145.

Supreme Court (short term): Efird 21, Parker 372, Bobbitt 76, Valentine 229.

Supreme Court (long term): Efird 232, Gwynn 122, Phillips 12, Parker 277, Bobbit 82, Valentine 204.

Register of Deeds: Averette 35, Wheless 749, Jones 25, Little 3.

County Commissioner (district 5): Hodges 438, Jackson 328.

FOUNTAIN

Governor: Umstead 90, Olive 78, Dunaway 0.

Lieutenant Governor: Rowe 69, Hodges 39, McDonald 15, Kurfees 13.

Insurance Commissioner: Cheek 84, Frederick 35.

Supreme Court (short term): Efird 5, Parker 82, Bobbitt 9, Valentine 50.

Supreme Court (long term): Efird 4, Gwynn 6, Phillips 3, Parker 89, Bobbitt 7, Valentine 35.

Register of Deeds: Averette 14, Wheless 135, Jnes 10, Little 6.

County Commissioner (district 5): Hodges 92, Jackson 53.

COUNTY TOTALS

Governor: Umstead 3960, Olive 3336, Dunaway 42.

Lieutenant Governor: Rowe 2428, Hodges 2893, McDonald 520, Kurfees 331.

Insurance Commissioner: Cheek 4304, Frederick 1592.

Supreme Court (short term): Efird 553, Parker 2911, Bobbitt 498, Valentine 2076.

Supreme Court (long term): Efird 486, Gwynn 593, Phillips 192, Parker 2554, Bobbitt 435, Valentine 1860.

Register of Deeds: Averette 1984 Wheless 4752, Jones 431, Little 199.

County Commissioner (district 5): Hodges 3722, Jackson 3098.

### Sunday Will Be Homecoming Day At Maury Church

Homecoming will be celebrated Sunday at the Brooks Frizzelle Memorial Methodist Church in Maury.

Dedicated two years ago, the Maury church is a handsome structure of which the community is justly proud.

Rev. J. H. Miller of Laurenburg, a former pastor, will be among those returning for Homecoming and will deliver the sermon at 11 a'clock. Rev. C. T. Rogers is currently serving as pastor of the church.

Friends and former members of the Maury church are cordially invited to attend the special service and to enjoy the special occasion with those who worship there regularly.

### Claude Joyner Heads State Red Men

Claude Joyner's 22-year service record to the Red Men of North Carolina was rewarded two weeks ago when the State Convention at Durham elected him Great Sachem of the Great Council of North Carolina. Joyner was elected for a one-year term. The next state meeting will be held in May in Greensboro.

Joyner, who is also active in the Masonic Lodge and serves as a member of the Board of Stewards of Wesley Methodist Church, is a member of Farmville's Board of Commissioners.

During his years as a member of the Red Men Lodge, he has filled every office in the local lodge and has filled every office in the district.

### Orphanage Head To Preach Here Sunday

Rev. L. C. Larkin, superintendent of the Methodist Orphanage in Raleigh, will preach Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in the Farmville Methodist Church. Rev. Larkin will substitute for Rev. H. L. Davis, local pastor, who is holding a series of services this week on the Hudson charge.

### REV. TOMMY TYSON TO CONDUCT REVIVAL SERVICES AT BETHLEHEM CHURCH

Rev. Tommy Tyson will be the revivalist at special services at the Bethlehem Church in Bell Arthur, beginning Sunday and continuing through the week. Vernon Tyson of the home community and Albert (Ap) Tyson of Chicago, Ill., will be singing directors. Mrs. Tommy Tyson will be the pianist. Mr. Albert Tyson is a religious education and music director in a Chicago church. The revival begins at 11 o'clock Sunday morning and services will be held on Sunday night at 8 o'clock and on every night of the week at the same hour.

### DONALD BAUCOM TOURING EUROPE THIS SUMMER

Donald Baucom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Baucom, Sr., and a classmate at Davidson College, George Bason, will tour several countries in Europe this summer. Bason is the son of Professor Emeritus George F. Bason, Sr., and Mrs. Bason of Chapel Hill.

The two young men embarked at Hoboken, N. J., Thursday of last week, on the Ryndam of the Holland-American Line. They will reach Le Havre, France on June 6, and from there will travel to Paris for a stay of three weeks. While in Paris they will reside at the University of Paris.

Continuing their tour they will visit Cannes in the southern part of France, Milan, Florence, Rome and Venice, Italy, and Vienna, Austria.

On the return trip to sail for home from Rotterdam, Holland, August 20, they will spend some time in Switzerland and Belgium.

### CARL CREECH RETURNS FROM GERMANY

Pfc. Carl Creech returned to the United States last week after 38 months with the European Army of Occupation. Private Creech, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Creech, was stationed at Erlangen and Bamberg while serving with the army infantry in Germany.

Creech arrived at Camp Kilmer, N. J., Tuesday of last week and was immediately transferred to Fort Bragg. He spent the week end with his family here and returned to Fort Bragg on Monday to await further orders.

### DOUGLAS KEMP TO GRADUATE AT STATE COLLEGE, SUNDAY

Douglas Kemp, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kemp, will graduate Sunday, with a degree in Electrical Engineering at State College. He has accepted a position with The Bailey Meter Company in Cleveland, Ohio, and will assume his duties there the latter part of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemp, Miss Lois Gray Kemp and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Murdock of Mebane, will attend the graduation exercise.

### Triple Play

Fast baseball is played in the Little League these days.

The first, and only, triple play of the season was pulled off early this week in a game between the Kiwanis and Rotary. The Kiwanians had the bases loaded. Brady flied to Irvin Allen at first base, who put Johnny Thorne, base runner at first, and then threw to Sam Wainwright at second, who put out Billy Bason.

The Little League plays four games a week, Monday through Thursday, at 4:00.

### Graduates

LOLA GREY KEMP

Miss Kemp graduates this week from Wake Forest. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kemp.
—(Photo WFC News Bureau)

## Delegation Asks Board to Improve Local Cemeteries

Acting as spokesman for a group of representative citizens interested in obtaining permanent improvements for Farmville's cemeteries, J. W. Joyner Tuesday night asked the Board of Commissioners to budget $3,000 for the project and requested that a committee, appointed by Mayor Walter Jones, be vested with authority to spend the money, subject to the approval of the town board.

Joyner, a former mayor and an ex-member of the board, called the Commissioners' attention to the need for such improvements as a gateway and the completion of the circle in the new cemetery. Specifications for a fountain in the circle and a gate were left with the board which, at a former meeting, had discussed the project and then tabled it because funds for the work were not available.

Joyner said that the cemeteries are now kept in better condition than ever and praised J. B. Taylor, superintendent of streets, for the maintenance and work carried on. He added, however, that additional improvements were badly needed.

Mrs. Ted Albritton, one of the members in the delegation, asked the mayor and board how funds received from the sale of lots are expended. Using the monthly budget sheet compiled by Treasurer Cleveland Paylor as the source of his information, Jones stated that the town has received $2,300 in revenue from the cemetery in the first 11 months of the fiscal year and had expended $1,750, with bills for May and June still to be paid. The board had budgeted $2,000 for the cemetery and anticipated a revenue of $1,000. Paylor, who keeps a breakdown of all money expended by the town, stated that most of the $1,750 was for labor.

Curtis Flanagan, also an ex-member of the board, stressed the necessity of the improvements and expressed a belief that they should be done in the near future. Lack of funds was given as the reason for the work having been delayed thus far. Others in the group were W. J. Rasberry, Leroy Bass and Mrs. A. C. Monk, Sr.

Members of the board instructed Paylor to allocate $3,000 for the improvements if the amount could be worked into the budget without increasing the tax rates.

### TOTSVILLE KINDERGARTEN REGISTERING PUPILS NOW

The Totsville Kindergarten is registering pupils for the nursery and kindergarten classes next fall. For admittance to the nursery a child must be 3 years old before October 1. To register for the kindergarten a child must be 4½ before the same date. Parents wishing to register their children can call Mrs. Lyman Bass, Mrs. Chester Outland or Mrs. Carroll D. Oglesby.

### ALL-STAR GAME HERE JUNE 20

An all-star baseball game between players of the Bright Belt League will be staged here Friday, June 20. A team composed of players from Ormondsville, Greenville and Pinetops will play a team of players from Farmville, Stantonsburg and Fremont. Garland Little of Ormondsville will manage the easterners and Pete Pietsrak will manage the westerners.

Proceeds will be used to pay umpires. Everyone is expected to pay.

### ATTEND VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE CONVENTION

E. P. Bass of the local school faculty and David Starling of the Walstonburg School, attended the convention of the North Carolina Vocational Agriculture Instructors at Carolina Beach this week. The convention convened on Monday and will close today.

## Mayor Cautions Against Too-Rapid Extension of Town

As one fiscal year draws to an end and the time for a new budget approaches, Mayor Walter Jones Tuesday night advised the Board of Commissioners to proceed cautiously in approving or taking under consideration projects involving sizeable sums and expenditures that might throw the budget out of kilter.

The mayor's comments were touched off when some mention was made on extending the city limits to include new developments. Jones said he was in somewhat of an embarrassing position, since his home was taken into town limits only 18 months ago, but he felt impelled to ask the board to consider all angles to extension before definite action was taken.

He told the commissioners of a meeting attended recently with Clerk Cleveland Paylor at which Leigh Wilson, an official of the State League of Municipalities, explained what various towns in the state were doing about extending their corporate limits. Wilson explained that towns were not taking in new developments until water lines and streets had been laid and improved. The degree of improvements required before admission varied in the towns involved.

Reason for the caution exercised in expanding was attributed to huge sums the town must spend on streets and water systems in outlying developments. Jones stated that property valuations were so low that the income received in taxes was far too low to warrant such expenditures for improving undeveloped property.

Mention had been made at a previous meeting of the board that owners of the Langdale and Davis developments would petition the town for annexation.

The town's fiscal year ends June 30.

### SAM D. BUNDY ATTENDS CLASS REUNION AT DUKE

Sam D. Bundy was among the members of the class of '27 who met at Duke University, Saturday, for the 25th reunion. Mr. Bundy was accompanied to Durham by Mrs. Bundy and sons, S. D., Jr., and James Henry. They remained over the week end for the graduation ceremony, Monday.

Mr. Bundy was elected permanent treasurer of the class.

### FIVE GOLFERS DEFEAT BEN HOGAN, THE CHAMP

Graydon Liles, with a sizzling 66, only one stroke above the course record held by him, led five Farmville golfers who defeated Ben Hogan last Saturday in a nalien-wide contest. The others, all of whom played with handicaps, were R. F. Paylor, 67; Neal Owens and Joe Maples, 69; Bob Fiser, 70. Liles got off to a fast start, with an eagle on the first hole, a par 4.

Others participating were Howard Harris, A. R. Drake, Jim Darden, A. C. Gay, Ellis Rabil, Neal Howard, Arthur Joyner, Jr., Ike Pollarl and H. H. Bradham.

### LEGION TO INSTALL NEW OFFICERS TONIGHT

New officers of the Farmville American Legion Post will be installed tonight at the regular monthly meeting in the Post's home on West Church street. Horton Rountree succeeds Bobby Rouse as commander. A. W. Bobbitt is the first vice-commander and J. C. Brock, Jr., second vice-commander.

Another feature of tonight's meeting will be the presentation of a film, "Dare—The Birthplace of America."

### Paving Contracts

Contracts have been awarded for paving several more blocks in Farmville and for installing curbs and gutters on a portion of the street, as well as curbing an undeveloped portion of Hollywood Cemetery.

The White Construction Company of Kinston was awarded the paving contract. Clark Construction Company of Greenville will install the curb and gutters. Price for the project will be about $2.60 per running foot for property owners, with the town paying a like amount.

Davis Drive, from Grimmersburg to Church streets will be paved, and Church will be paved from Davis Drive to Pitt street. The block in front of the C. B. Mashburn house on Pitt will be paved also. The section of North Greene street from Grimmersburg to the cemetery will be paved.

The town's share of the street improvements will be paid with Powell bill money. The town, however, can not spend the Powell money for improvements in the cemetery.