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FARMVILLE, PITT COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA FRIDAY, SEPT. 26, 1952 VOLUME FORTY-THREE

IN MALE AND A STREET OF THE STREET

# Bonner Stresses Importance, Need For Women's Vote

Speaking to clubwomen of the 15th District, here, Wednesday, Congressman Herbert C. Bonner of the first district said, "The only problem in voting is the responsibility of it."

"Informing Voters on Voting," the topic of the address, was requested by the officers to emphasize one of the Women's Clubs' four projects, encouraging women of the state to vote in every election.

Bonner explained that material concerning the requirements of voting is accessible through the state and national headquarters of both parties; and that such material is both clear and plainly written.

Using, at length, facts and figures, the speaker drew a graphic picture of the wealth and ever-increasing prosperity of the nation and particularly of the state of North Carolina He concluded these remarks with the question, "Isn't it worth voting for?"

He stated his belief that the vote of women has done much to keep the nation strong and drew the comparison between the poverty-stricken countries of the Far and Near East where women have recently received the vote or do not vote.

Frankly admitting he found it difficult, after 30 years in political life, to keep his speeches free of politics, he spoke strongly of the necessity of "voting with clean and unpurchased hands. We must weed out the weak and the wrong doers." He asserted that those seeking offices of trust should not, directly or indirectly, obligate themselves.

On the Korean campaign he expressed the belief that our part in it was the only way to protect our two outstanding and sustaining powers religion and economy.

The speaker was introduced by Mrs. Joseph G. Brickhouse of Columbia, district president.

Mrs. J. Wilbur Bunn of Raleigh, state president, challenged the women in a gracious and inspiring manner, to find their places in the work of the federation. She declared, "We have done much, but we haven't done enough." She urged the ladies to vote and to contribute to the \$50,000 Endownment Fund that will mark the 50th anniversary of the federation this year. Three characteristics. sponsibility, self-sacrifice and worldvision, symbolize the ideal clubwoman, according to the state presi-

Mrs. Fred B. Bunch, Jr., and Mrs. Henry L. Harkey, federation vicepresidents, spoke briefly and reports were made by Miss Marion Perry, district vice-president, and Mrs. Brickhouse who also presided at the

Rev. E. S. Coates, pastor of the Presbyterian Church where the annual meeting was held, gave the invocation. Special music was rendered by a quartet composed of Mrs. C. F. Baucom, Mrs. A. W. Bobbitt, Mrs. E. W. Holmes and Mrs. B. B. Turnage. Mrs. Turnage sang a solo number. Mrs. G. Alex Rouse was organist.

Mrs. H. D. Moye, president of the Pitt County Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs and Mrs. Chester Outland, president of the Farmville Junior Woman's Club, gave the

During the meeting, Miss Annie Perkins, of this city, was recognized and applauded. Miss Perkins, a teacher in the local schools for 48 years, has also served in official capacities in the state federation, the district and in the local Woman's Club work. Mr. Bonner praised Miss Annie highly and referred to a former occasion when he was a speaker at Annie Perkins Day held here in honor of her several years ago.

A nominating committee composed of Mrs. J. H. B. Moore of Greenville Mrs. Jack Speight of Fountain and Mrs. W. Jesse Moye was appointed by the district president. Columbia won the attendance award.

Hostess clubs for the me the Junior Woman's Club, Literary Club and the Social Service League. Around 150 women attended

Resolutions of respect were read during the luncheon as were resolutions dealing with the control of alcohol and habit forming drugs at they concern the youth of the state or was anno eting place.

### Kiwanis Carnival

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Monk Memorial Will Be Dedicated Sunday

Monk Memorial Methodist Church, two miles north of Farmville on the Fountain highway, will be dedicated in special services
Sunday morning. The church was officially organized on February 27, 1949, and the name changed to Monk Memorial, in honor of
one of its greatest benefactors, the late A. C. Monk, Sr. The dedicatory sermon at 11 o'clock will be preached by Dr. A. J. Hobbs,
district superintendent. Rev. H. L. Davis is pastor of the church.
Rev. E. R. Clegg, first pastor of the church, will be among the
visitors here Sunday. No services will be held in the local Methodist church Sunday morning. dist church Sunday morning.

#### Snow Hill Next Foe For Local **High Gridders**

With one-sided wins over Norlins and South Edgecombe already in the record books, Coach Charles Tucker's local high school gridmen will be seeking their third victory of the season when they play Snow Hill tonight at 8 o'clock in the Farmville park. Last year's game between these two ended with Farmville winning, 12-7.

The locals have been busy this week, polishing up the rough spots uncovered in the first two contests. The team drilled indoors Monday, but had scrimmage sessions on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Several new boys have reported for the first time. In the scrimmage sessions, time has been taken to point out mistakes and improve them. Down field blocking has been stressed and it is hoped that there will be improvements shown Friday night.

Thursday a light workout was held with signal drills, pass protection and extra point work. There was a bruising scrimmage held Tuesday night Jimmy Allen, big 190-pound tackle has been shifted to help strengthen the end positions.

The team seems to be in

#### **Jaycees To Sponsor** Midget Football Team

Action on a motion made by Horton Rountree, at the Junior Chamber of Commerce meeting Thursday night of last week, resulted in the club sponsoring a Midget Football team.

Members of the Jaycee Little Lea gue Baseball team and Edwin Mall were special guests at the meeting and were welcomed and recognized by Emerson Smith, president. Herbert Moore, chairman of the

Ladies' Night committee, reported on the progress made. The club voted to give the committee full authority in planning the special event. Others on the committee are: C. W. Casper, Harold Rouse, Joney Taylor, Ed Davenport and Marvin Speight.

A lengthy discussion followed by law recommendations proposed by Mr. Rountree and R. D. Rouse, Jr. The discussion was tabled for further consideration. During the business the meeting time was changed from 7 to 7:80.

#### Farmville Defeats South Edgecombe

Farmville high school football team defeated a light South Edgecombe team last Friday night, 34-0, with Coach Charles Tucker's second stringers playing most of the game, after the first stringers had amassed a

Teddy Allen continued his scoring impage, adding three touchdowns to his season's total. Charlie Fitzgerald and Sigbee Dilda each scored one. Jesse Joyner continued his steady ground gaining.

After the Farmville team ran 26 points in the first half, the sec reserves took and played a rough,

defensive game.

Outstanding linemen were B. F.
Bateman, Freddy Thorne and a host Bateman, Freddy Thorne and a host of others. In the backfield, Curtis Worthington, Mac Holmes and Billy Ellis, reserve quarterback, handled the ball well and showed potential strength for the tough games ahead,

#### Another Fire Reported From Oil Mill Sector

For the third consecutive week end, Farmville firemen were called to the western section of town last Saturday night at 11:30 to extinguish a fire that bore all the ear-marks of having been the work of a "fire-bug."

One of the houses on the yard of the Morgan Oil and Refining Company was the victim. A small pile of hay had been heaped and lighted, but the fire was discovered within a few. minutes after its start and was extinguished before damage had been

The fire Saturday night brought to four the total that had taken place within three weeks in that section.

#### Sunday Is Leadership Day At Baptist Church

Sunday will be Leadership Day in the Baptist church. Church officers, Sunday School officers and teachers, Training Union officers and sponsors Woman's Mission Union and Fellowship club leaders have been requested by Rev. E. W. Holmes, the pastor, to II with the U. S. Navy Construction attend the morning worship. Rev. Holmes will speok on "The Leader's Responsibility."

Two new deacons will be formally ordained at the morning service. Assisting the pastor in the ordination will be members of the present board, and those who have formerly served.

Promotion time will be observed at the Sunday School. The entire school will assemble in the church auditorium at 9:45. Department superintendents will be recognized, and will in turn present pupils who are to be promoted. Pins for perfect attendance will he awarded by Rom Webber, superintendent, who will direct the program and who will personally present the diplomas and pins. The Junior Choir will sing at the

evening worship, at 7:30, and the pastor will speak on the subject, "The Answer to the Fool's Declaration."

Leaders of church organization who will assume office on Oct. 1 are: Sunday School Superintendent, Geo. W. Davis; Training Union Director Carl Beaman; WMU President, Mrs. Dalton Corbett. Arthur F. Joyner, Jr., is president of the Fellowship

#### Farmville Lions Ready For Opener

The Farmville Lions of H. B. Sugg High School have been vigorously preparing for their first game of the son. The squads have been very lusty in their scrimmaging. They have been practicing on blocking and ackling and have shown very good progress. Both defensive and offen-tive teams have shown considerable improvements during the past two weeks. The ucoach stated that his offensive backs have been practicing

offensive backs have been practicing on the split-T and I formations. Both have considerable strength.

The opener will be played at Farm-ville, Friday, September 26, (today) at 12:30 o'clock. The opposing team is Frink's High of LaGrange.

#### Menu of School Lunch Room For Next Week

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#### Local Men Ask Continuation Of (Disp) (GEO SCHOOL

ay and W. T. Smith attended Express asked the Interstate Con papent franchise to contin orized express service in this sec-of the state. The route involved in the hearing serves points betwee Norfolk and Raleigh, points that wer served by the Norfolk-Southern prior to the removal of its express trains.

Thurston Motor Lines of Wilson is protecting the granting of the franchise.

The express company had about 25

who asked that the Commission approve the request.

C. E. Blair of Greenville repres ed the Blount-Harvey company.

#### District Conference To Meet At Local Church Thursday

District 2 of the North Caroling Presbyterial will meet at the local church Thursday. The meeting will convene at 10 in the morning with Mrs. H. G. Clayton, of Wilson, district chairman, in charge. Lunc will be served at the church.

Churches in the 2nd district are Ballard's, Berea, Bethlehem, Carra-way's Chapel, Falkland, Fountain, Grace Chapel, Macclesfield, North Wilson, Pinetops and Westminister.

#### "Doc" Russell Succumbs After Long Illness

Johnnie Ernest "Doc" Russell, of 405 W. Wilson street died at his home Monday morning at 4 o'clock following an illness of several months

Mr. Russell, known to all of Farmville as "Doc" was born in Edgecombe county, son of the late Mattie Edwards and John William Russell. He came to Farmville at an early age and spent the remainder of his life here. He was a member of the Farmville Masonic Lodge and a member of the V.F.W. He served in World War years. He was a member of Farmville Christian Church and employed by the A. C. Monk and Com-

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Farmville Christian Church, conducted by the Rev. Z. B. T. Cox. The choir, composed of Mrs. C. R. Townsend Mrs Bert Smith, Jr., Miss Sue Flanagan, Miss Fay Mewborn, Miss Janice Atkinson, Miss Marcia Forbes, Miss Martha Holmes, Miss Clara Flanagan, Miss Sybil Crumpler, Glenn Bundy, Harold Flanagan and Elbert Holmes sang "In The Garden", "The Old Rugged Cross" and "How Firm A Founda tion." Mr. Holmes beautifully sang "Sunrise". Mrs. Henrietta William son was the organist.

Employees of the A. C. Mank Company and members of the Masonic Lodge served as honorary pallbearers. Serving as active palibearers were Fred Moore, Lynn Eason, W. C. Garner, Joe Flake, John King and Frank

Williams. All were his brethren in the Masonic Order. At the graveside in Hollywood Cem tery, the Masons gave their brother s burial with Masonic rites.

Surviving are his wife, Bertha Cox Russell, one daughter, Jane; two sons, Pfc. Bobby Russell of Ft. Jackson S. C., and Billy Russell of the home two sisters, Mrs. L. J. Williford Farmville and Mrs. C. B. Owens Stantonsburg; and one brother, L J Russell of Fountain.

#### Christian Church Notes

Rev. Z. B. T. Cox has chosen th topic, "God's Eternal Light," for the light o'clock hour, Sunday. Specia music will include a solo by Miss Barbara Shytle of Washington, D. C. Subject of the Sunday night services. mon will be, "Work and Pray." The service last Sunday night was the first of the winter months. It is be ieved that members will enjoy the evening services and will find them course of strength. They will am hasize music and singing, leading up to the revival, which will begin fovember 16 with Rev. C. Manley Aorton the revival preacher, Homecoming will be observed the church, October 5.

#### DR. AYCOCK DISTRICT DESCRIPTION SOCIETY

or S. L. Ayes ant of the North Eastern Distri-otometric Society, at a meeting, leigh, Wednesday right. Mrs. Ayesch assempanied Dr. A

# About Farmville People

G. A. Newton and son, Bob, accompanied by his brother, E. C. Newton of Fountain, visited Dr. and Mrs. William K. Newton in North Wilkesore, Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wainwright

and sons, of Wilson, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Weinwright, Sunday. Mrs. Marvin Cobb and son, Walter, pent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. K. Z. Cobb and family near Farm-

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Spell, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Spell spent Sunday in Durham with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sprague and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davenport spen

the week end with Mrs. Daven parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Manning, in Plymouth. Mrs. O. G. Spell, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harris of Green-

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harris of Green-ville, were Raleigh visitors, Saturday. A/2c Tom Joyner, who is stationed at at Donaldson Air Force Base, Greenville, S. C., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Joyner of Walstonburg. Mrs. Ray Joyner, of this city, and Mrs. and Mrs. Jimmy Joyner of Found

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Joyner, of Fountain, visited Pvt. Ray Joyner at Fort Jackson, S. C., Sunday.

John R. Joyner left Monday to resume studies at State College,

Raleigh Miss Hannah Proctor of Greenville spent the week end here with her aunt, Mrs. Louise Harris. Mrs. Knott Proc tor, her mother, visited Mrs. Harris.

Sunday afternoon, Mrs. S. G. Gardner was a Greenville isitor, Tuesday. Mrs. W. A. Poliard and Mrs. Clarence Moye, the latter of Maury, accompanied Robert Pollard to Chapel Hill, Tuesday.

Mrs. Colvin Meadows of Jackson-

ville, visited her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Carraway, Sunday and Monday. Mrs. C. L. Beaman and her sister Mrs. David Golin, of Richmond, Va a house guest, visited their mother.

Mrs. Mary E. Taylor, of Goldsbore who is a patient in Lenior County Hospital, Kinston, Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carraway and Miss Lena Carraway, visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ragiand and family in

Kinston, Saturday afternoon. Jay Flanagan left for Raleigh, Monday, where he resumed studies at State College,

Miss Sara Lamar Everette of Monroe, Miss Florence McGowan and her grandmother, Mrs. Lizzie McGowan. both of Franklin, Va., were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Ewell. Mr. and Mrs. Earl McGowan. also of Franklin, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Sunday afternoon and accompanied their daughter and Mrs. McGowan home.

Otis Lee, of Raleigh, returned to his home, Sunday, after a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. George W Davis. Miss Mary Lee, also of Raleigh, was a week end visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gay of Wal-

stonburg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bundy. Mr. and Mrs. George Allen left by

#### Kiwanians Plan For **Convention In Charlotte**

The Kiwanis club of Farmville will be represented at the 1952 convention of the Carolinas Kiwanis District at Charlotte, October 5-7. Club President J. Glasgow Smith has

The local delegates are George Allen, Harvey Jeffries and Glasgow Allen, Harvey Jeffries and Glasgov Smith. Delegates at large are, Past Gov. Sam Bundy and Lt. Gov. Frank day, September 29.

Miss Lucy Steele of Peace College

H. W. Driver, trustee of Kiwanis

official representative of Kiwanis In-ternational at the meeting, is a past gov: or of the Ohio Kiwanis Dis-He has served seven years on 12:80. the Euclid Zoning Board, and is a member of the Cleveland Citizens League and of the Board of Managers of the Y.M.C.A.

#### ILLNESS DIAGNOSED POLIO

An illness of Nancy Britt inguissed as polic at Pitt Memori Iospital, yesterday. 4-year-old Na y, one of the twin daughters of h and Mrs. Russell Britt, was taken aturday and carried to the home

#### EPISCOPAL NOTICE

nd the funeral of Mrs. Allen's

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll D. Oglesby pent several days this week in Rich-

C., will spend the week end with Mr and Mrs. C. B. Mashburn. Miss Shytle and Mrs. C. B. Mashburn. Miss Shytle is a niece of Mr. Mashburn. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Craig, Jr., en

route to their home in Lincolnton, from a wedding trip to Cuba and Plorida, spent Monday night with Mrs. Craig's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Rollins. Mrs. J. E Warren is with the Ed

Nash Warren family. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor E. Barrow and sons of Greensbore spent Sunday with the Barrow family.

Mrs. G. F. Beam of Richmond, Va. is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Allen, this week,

#### Churches Observe **Promotion Day Sunday**

The churches of this community will observe Promotion Day Sunday. At the Presbyterian Church Promotion and Rally Day will be observed jointly. Miss Jen Easley is in charge of the special program. Theme of the program is the newly revised edition of the Bible. The primary group will have a part on the program and others who will participate

are, Mrs. James Bennett, Joyce Dilda, Jess Spencer and Pat Beregon. At the Christian Church the Primary department will be in charge of the program and the promoting of children to the various classes will

also take place.

The Methodist Church will observe Promotion Day and the teachers of the departments will take part in the exercises. Baptist plans are included n another article.

#### **Attention Boys**

Boy Scouts of the Eagle Patrol are nxious to increase their membership and are inviting all boys between the ages of 11 and 14 to attend their meeting at the hut Saturday night at 7:30. Scouting has much to offer in learning, adventures, good times and

character building. George Cannon is president Cecil Modlin, III, is secretary-treasurer of the patrol. Other members are Sunny Mall, Jimmy Smith, Billy Eason, Joe Flake, Autry Vandiford and Jimmy Nichols.

### **Attention Jaycees**

The Jaycee banquet and dance marking the completion of the very successful membership drive recently undertaken by the club, will be held Saturday night

The banquet begins at 8 o'clock in the school cafetoria and the dance follows immediately at the Country Club. A college orchestra has been engaged for the evening.

The events are given jointly as a Ladies' Night and in honor of new members. All Jaycees, their wives or dates, are expected to attend.

#### **Bible Study**

The women of the Presbyterian Church wish to remind the women, and pastors of the other churches in town of the invitation to join them in an intensive Bible Study on Mon-

Raleigh, will conduct the study on the subject of the "Holy Spirit." Miss International and sales executive of Euclid, Ohio, will be a featured speaker during the three-day meeting at the Hotel Charlotte.

The presiding officer will be Joseph happy too, that we can share this O. Tally, Jr., governor of the Caro-lins Kiwanis District and mayor of nations and neighboring Presbyterian

> The time is 11:0 a.m. to 2:15 p.m. A covered dish luncheon provided by those attending will be served in the Fellowship Hall of the church at 图 145000

#### **Birth Announcements**

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wainwright of Wilson, announce the birth of a son, on September 22, at Carolina General Hospital. Mrs. Wainwright is the former Miss Beatrice Ellis of

cokerton, announce the birth of a n, Ronnie Lee, September 23 at ome. Mrs. Wainwright is the for-er Miss Mildred Baker of Hooker-

#### ATTENDING HEART CLINIC

Farmville tobacco market will reach ts half-way mark this week end, and for the first time this season averages are dropping below the cor-responding period of 1951. Through Wednesday of this week, the market had sold 12,603,934 pounds, for an average of \$51.26. In the corresponding period last year, 24 selling days, the market had sold 14,135,728 pounds for an average of \$51.85. Monday's sales totaled 621,585

ounds and averaged \$55.25. Sales Supervisor Fred Moore states that the Stabilization Corporation is getting from 8 to 9 per cent of the offerings on the market this week. The tobacco on all floors is fair to

medium in quality, with leaf predominating. Full sales were sche duled for yesterday, and will continue today and Monday.

#### At The Rotary Club

Most of the program time at the Rotary Club Tuesday night was taken up with a discussion of the business of the club. However, program chairman, G. A. Rouse made some concise remarks about the growth of the Farmville Building and Loan Association in recent years.

Charlie Rasberry, president, ducted the business during which there was a lengthy discussion of a club project and the planning of the Ladies' Night. A date for the special night will be decided at the next

George Creekmur won the dance prize.

METHODIST YOUTH SUPPER A supper will be given for Methdist youth at the church, Sunday night at 6 o'clock. All youth between the ages of 12 and 23 are invited to attend. A large attendance is ex-

## At The Kiwanis Club

Herman Baker had charge of the program at the Kiwanis club Monday night and presented Mrs. Baker, who, in turn, introduced Mrs. Perkins, an instructor at East Carolina College in portance of proper enunciation and

President Glasgow Smith presided at the meeting.

## Scout Activities

Troop 1 of the Intermediates met Thursday afternoon of last week at the hut with their leader, Mrs. Edgar Barrett. The girls continued their folk dancing badge work and made

plans for the coming year. Brownie Scouts met Tuesday aftersoon with their leaders, Mrs. Edgar Thomas and Mrs. W. R. Burke, present. Mrs. Thomas related an English folk story concerning the origin of the Brownies. Patrol leaders elected were Susu Dixon and Nancy

Thomas. Troop 6, met Wednesday afternoon Following the election of officers, Georgia Tull Hockaday, patrol leader; assistant, Kay Allen; scribe, Anne Palmer Hodges, and treasurer, Caro-line Lewis; Mrs. J. P. Scott, read a story about Juliette Low, founder of the Scouts. Mrs. Scott and Mrs. W. R. Burke, co-leaders, were present.

#### Mrs. Holmes Assisting With Bible Clinic

. Mrs. E. W. Holmes is assisting with the Bible clinic of the Stanley Association being held at the First Baptist

Church in Albemarle this week. Mrs. Holmes, an approved worker of the Sunday School department of the North Carolina Baptist Convention, is in charge of the intern

#### Mrs. Stilley In Hospital

Mrs. Corrine Stilley, a former resi dent of this city, is a patient in St. Elizabeth Hospital, Richmond, Va. Mrs. Stilley recently underwent a major operation and is reported as

Mrs. Stilley, who for a long time, was receptionist and bookkeeper for Dr. R. T. Williams, has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. C. S. Hotchkiss and family in Elizabeth City. Mr. and Mrs. Hotchkiss and son, Charles, are also former residents

Mrs. Hotchkiss has been at the be ide of her mother since she was tak o the hospital.

#### MOVE INTO NEW HOM