

Along the Way

By Emily Killeff

Each session of the General Assembly opens with many statewide issues waiting to be taken up along with local level concerns which pass through the legislature relatively unnoticed. The United Press news service issued a poll of the 1937 North Carolina legislators listing their top concerns.

The session opened January 6 and a poll of 200 legislators from North Carolina appeared in the January 14, 1937 issue of THE DUPLIN TIMES. Listed among the top priorities of the legislators were better pay and conditions for school teachers, labor laws and shifting some financial obligations of the counties to the shoulders of the state.

Many of the issues scheduled to be taken before the 1937 North Carolina General Assembly have had a great impact on our state and its citizens. Other 1937 issues are still unsettled and appear before us today needing re-evaluation and up-dating.

Topping the list was education. The legislature wanted to pay school teachers by the month instead of the term. And, educators hoped for a pay raise and provision of a retirement fund.

Legislators hoped to pass a law for an eight-hour day and a 40-hour work week in North Carolina's industry and the banning of women working in factories at night.

The issue of shifting county and district school bonds to the shoulders of the state was among the top concerns of legislators, along with clarification of the state's divorce laws.

Regarding capital punishment, the legislators proposed discontinuing the use of the gas chamber and restoring the electric chair. Clarification of the duties of the state parole board was

also among the issues to come before the 1937 General Assembly.

Reapportionment was to come before the legislators in order to provide North Carolina citizens with equal representation as stated in the constitution. The legislature was also to face a bill to abolish the absentee ballot.

Legislators were to face the decision of placing the state highway commission under a separate administrative unit and whether to provide an automobile for each member of the patrol. The issue of authorizing the state to issue county license tags, at a substantial decrease in license fee for trucks and trailers used only within the limits of the county, was to come before the legislators.

Taxing scrap tobacco off the market was proposed to the legislators in 1937 and establishing interstate compact for control of the peanut crop was to be settled in the session.

Many legislators were polled favoring free fishing and hunting licenses for all adults over 65 years of age. A state school of forestry at Cullowhee College in Jackson County was proposed for discussion and ballot in the 1937 General Assembly.

And, along less serious notes, the legislators wanted to prohibit patent medicine shows in the state. Medicine shows are not common today, but in the past miracle cures were said to be just a spoonful away by taking a dose of the medicines carried by the traveling men who often called themselves doctors. The medicines were cures of a sort, often containing high amounts of alcohol; the patient would become slightly intoxicated and forget his or her affliction.

Mount Olive College Dean's List

Sixty students have been named to the Dean's List at Mount Olive College.

The Dean's List includes students who are attending college on a full-time basis and achieve a quality point average of 3.2 or higher. A student must not have received a grade below a C in any subject.

Named at MOC are: Linda S. Alley, Mount Olive; Kimberly Anderson of Pink Hill, Charles K. Carter, Magnolia, Judith E. Conner of Mount Olive, Mary A. Ficken of Mount Olive, Rickey S.

Grantham, Mount Olive, Gena R. Lupton of Kinston, Tammy L. Marshburn of Beulaville, Barbara M. Masoner of Mount Olive, Linda A. McGowan of Faison, Norma F. Reardon of Mount Olive, Deborah B. Smith of Mount Olive, Jeanette Sullivan of Mount Olive, Donnell W. Taylor of Faison, Judith O. Taylor of Deep Run, William G. Tyner of Seven Springs, Darryl W. Walter of Mount Olive, and Carolyn J. Williamson of Mount Olive.

Duplin School Menus

Breakfast

In addition to assorted cereals, fruit or juice and milk, the following is scheduled:

Mon. - apple cinnamon muffin
Tue. - cheese toast
Wed. - ham biscuit
Thur. - cranberry nut muffin
Fri. - buttered toast

Lunch

Mon. - sausage pizza, beans & franks with cornbread, french fries, greens, applesauce, fruited gelatin
Tue. - barbecue sandwich, beef over rice with roll, sweet

potato fluff, fried okra, fruit cup

Wed. - combo sandwich, beefaroni with cheese roll, fried squash, green beans, peaches, pears

Thur. - peanut butter sandwich, vegetable-beef soup or hamburger steak with roll, creamed potatoes, vegetable sticks with dip, fruit cobbler, fruit cup

Fri. - fish portion with hushpuppies, chick filet sandwich, french fries, baked beans, fruited gelatin, mixed fruit

Each lunch is served with a choice of chocolate or plain milk.

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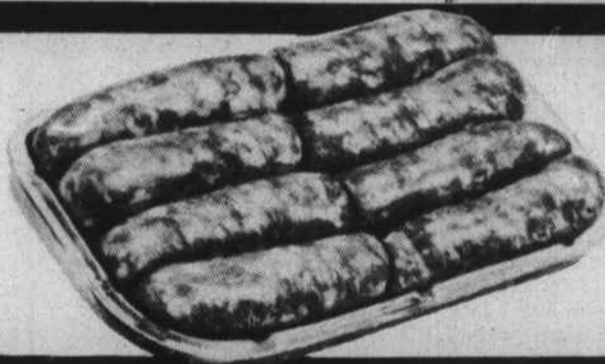
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