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THE WEEK IN GOLDSBORO

By E. A. THORNTON

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Thornton, Mrs. Ophelia Grantham, and W. A. Colley visited relatives and friends in Greenville, Hodges, Rex, Harris and Newton Grove Sunday, March 20.

The Rev. M. W. Morgan, president of the United Citizens Organization is urging every unregistered citizen to register and get his name on the registration books on Saturday, March 26, as this is the last day of registration in order to vote in the coming City election on April 9th, 1949.

Citizens, don't fail to take advantage of this opportunity and use your privilege to register and vote.

WAYNE COUNTY SCOUTS HOLDS COURT OF HONOR

A court of honor was held Thursday night, March 17, at Dillard High School Auditorium, directed by Scout Executive A. P. Cox. Scout Master Charles I. Bland was master of ceremonies. Assisting were the Rev. M. W. Morgan, The Rev. B. R. Richardson, Mrs. Arlene Parks who sang the Star Spangled Banner, James Edson Scoutmaster Troop 167, Dr. R. O. Weathers, chairman of the council; Dr. W. H. Green, Prof. W. A. Foster commissioner, M. R. Zachary, chairman of camping activities, T. L. Parks scoutmaster, troop 109 and Maurice Edwards, life scout.

Scouts receiving second class awards were: Howard Smith, Edward Smith, John L. Coley, Edward Worrell, William Sauls, Charlie Coggill, Johnny L. Price, Willie Fay Randolph, Johnny Lane, Earl Richardson, James Smith, William Smith, and Harold Smith of Troop 167, Floyd Hollingsworth, Charley Cox, Norwood Holliman, Harvey Cook, George Milton, Thomas Starke, and John Cox of Troop 119, Thos. Robinson, Benjamin Grimes, Benjamin Mercer, A. J. Jones, and Arvie Cobb of Troop 111.

Conrad Saunders, Thomas Dickinson and Eugene Barnes of Troop 163, Devone Newsome, Benjamin Hearth, of Troop 164, Fred Braswell, John W. Thomas of Troop 165, Alphonse Grice, Elbert Isler, Jim J. D. Newsome, Irvin T. Price, Ophelia Grantham, and W. A. Colley, Junior Coley, Isaac Newsome, George Hodges, Rex Harris, and Newton Grove Sunday, March 20.

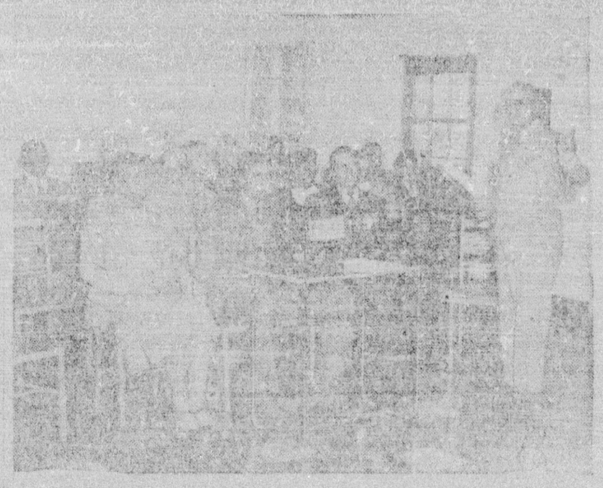
The following were awarded first class badges, John Lee Coley, and L. B. Pitt, Troop 104, Scot Brooks, John L. Millard and James Coley, Troop 164 Life Scout Edwin Knight, Merrit Badges John L. Millard, Horace Newsome, James W. Coley, Maurice Edwards, Edwin Knight, and Hugh Horne. Other Scouters present were: Scout executive Bruce Beavers, John M. Tarcinac, W. Smith, B. Newsome, E. A. Brown, Chester Lee Lewis, Nelson Mann, Gurney and Gaston M. Crocker of Fremont.

WAYNE COUNTY HOLDS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

The Wayne County High School Class B basketball tournament was held at the community center in Goldsboro March 15 and 16 with the following schools participating: Fremont High School, boys and girls; Pikeville Training School, boys and girls; Central High School, boys and girls; and Carver High School, boys and girls. In the opening game of the tournament, Fremont High School girls defeated Pikeville Training School by the score of 21 to 19. Carver girls defeated Central High girls by the score of 30 to 23. Boys Central High School 37, Fremont Blue Devils 37. Carver Yellow Jackets 35, in the finals, Carver girls defeated Fremont girls by the score of 36 to 22. Boys Central defeated Fremont Blue Devils by the score of 38 to 21 and was crowned the Wayne County Champions. Miss Odessa, Fremont girl, Robert A. Reid, Calvert W. Woodard, H. H. Matthews and C. Lane, Fremont Blue Devils, J. Dickson, W. Reid, Pikeville, D. Barnes, Central, W. Best, T. Best, and M. Jackson, Carver Yellow Jackets, T. Lane, Kornegay and Johnson.

THORNTON'S TEEN-AGE TOPICS

HEAVY GROUND FOR NEW CARVER LAUNDROMAT — Carver Foundation Trustees broke ground recently for a new Laundry building at Thurgood Heights to replace the laundry destroyed by fire on November 24, 1947. Construction of the new modern building will begin during the summer. Shown above, left to right, Rev. and Mrs. Charles W. Parker, D. L. Mitchell, S. P. Christian, R. C. Nowell, L. A. Pope, L. H. Foster, B. W. Brown, F. D. Patterson, and J. Henry Smith. (ANP)



PROF. WILLIAM LEO HANSBERRY, head of the department of anthropology at Howard University, is shown giving an illustrated lecture on "Ancient and Medieval African Civilizations". He is a native of Mississippi. (ANP)

SCHOOL NEWS

CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

AMERICAN LEGION HONORS BASKETBALL TEAM

FREMONT HIGH SCHOOL

CHICAGO MINISTER TALKS TO BAPTISTS

PHILLY POSTMAN IS CITED FOR HONESTY

PHILADELPHIA (ANP) — William T. Lloyd, 56, a postman for 25 years was commended last week for the return of $2,185 worth of jewels which he found in a letter box.

Lloyd turned the gems over to the superintendent of the 30th Ave. station from which he works. The superintendent notified police.

The jewels belonged to Mrs. W. Morgan Churchman of Chestnut Hill. They had been missing since the Saturday before when her home was ransacked.

Police concealed Lloyd's part in the recovery of the jewels on the pretext that they wanted to keep the mailboy under watch to see if the theif would return.

However, Postmaster Joseph F. Gallagher revealed the role Lloyd played by publicly commending him. He referred to him as a man "with exceptional record in our department."

Very modestly, Lloyd said it was the only thing to do.

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CAMPAIGN NOTE

BY E. A. THORNTON

We have a friend. He is Hayden Staurt a candidate who looks forward to a progressive and clean government.

He is the choice of the colored people of Goldsboro. He knows our needs and is willing to stick his neck out for us.

Born in Harnett County 40 years ago Mr. Staurt came to Goldsboro ten years back. He had been working for an Insurance Company. Through his work he came in close contact with our people and sympathize.

Now although successful in business, operating a beauty parlor he has found time to enter the local city government elections to bid for us.

He is for colored policemen for colored people. Swimming Pool and better Recreation facilities for Negroes.

He is for better living conditions.

He is for us.

If this is the thing we think we need we have to help our selves. He is supporting other candidates who are progressive, such as John Green and he wants us to support him.

CATHOLIC CHURCH GAINED 8857 RACE CONVERTS IN 1948

WASHINGTON, D. C. (ANP) — A total of 8857 Negroes were received in the Catholic Church in the U. S. during 1948, it was disclosed here last week.

The report placed the number of Negro Catholics in the U. S. at 769,327.

Convert among the Indians numbered 621, the report disclosed, bringing the total Indian Catholic population to 95,353, which represents about one-third of the Indian population.

Catholic Choir boys in Forsyth county have listed more than 600 individual projects for 1949. Corn, canning and gardening are the most popular, with about 90 of each in county.

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