

N. C. Farm Bureau In Full Support Of Huge Bond Issue

Vice President Says Ru- ral People Realize Great Need

The North Carolina Farm Bureau has thrown its full support behind the bond referendum for schools and mental hospitals, which will be held throughout the State on October 3.

Executive Vice-President R. Flake Shaw of Greensboro, speaking on behalf of the organization's 71,000 farm families, announced this week that the Farm Bureau plans to leave no stone unturned in the rural areas to obtain a record turnout at the polls in favor of the bond issue.

The North Carolina General Assembly during its last session authorized the election, which will give all citizens of the State an opportunity to vote on the issuance of \$50 million in bond for public school improvements and \$22 million for mental hospital improvements.

Shaw said the Farm Bureau is acting in accordance with its resolutions concerning schools and rural health in rendering its support to the bond issue referendum.

"Rural people recognize the need perhaps more than any other group for better school and hospital facilities in our State. When we look at the outstanding work now being carried on in other states, we find that the people of North Carolina must also assume a greater responsibility for improving these institutions," he declared.

The Farm Bureau chief pointed out that the schools of the State are 7,783 classrooms short this fall, which makes it necessary for 250,000 children to be crowded into inadequate or substandard classrooms.

Shaw emphasized that the population in North Carolina's mental hospitals has increased from 8,300 patients in 1945 to 11,300 in 1952. "Our facilities for taking care of these patients are far from adequate when we consider this 25 per cent increase," he added.

No special registration is required for voting in the school-hospital bond referendum on October 3. Citizens who have not already registered will have the opportunity of doing so on one of three Saturdays—September 5, 12, or 19.

JOHN THOMAS DOBSON WILL ENTER DUKE AS FRESHMAN

A total of 457 undergraduate scholarships worth more than \$170,000 have just been awarded by Duke University, the Scholarship Committee has announced.

The awards range in value from \$1,150 to \$100 per year. They are given on the basis of academic achievement as shown by high school and preparatory school records in the case of incoming freshmen, and on past academic records at Duke in the case of upperclassmen.

Among those to receive a scholarship, is John Thomas Dobson, son of Mrs. C. O. Sawyer, who will enter Duke as a freshman this fall.



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CIVIC CALENDAR

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Thursday night, September 17, at 7 o'clock in the Penelope Barker House.

Women's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will meet this (Thursday) afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Parish House.

Rocky Hock and Colerain play a five-game series with the first two games to be played on Hicks Field Friday and Saturday nights.

DAR meeting in the James Iredell house Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Edenton Aces play first football game of the season on Hicks Field, Friday night, September 18 at 8 o'clock with Columbia High School.

Fall term of Chowan Superior Court begins Monday, September 14th.

Chowan Tribe, No. 12, Improved Order of Red Men, will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock.

VFW meets in Post's home on old Hertford Highway Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

Edenton Rotary Club meets today (Thursday) at 1 o'clock in the Parish House.

Chowanoke Council, No. 54, Degree of Pocahontas, will meet Friday night at 8 o'clock in the Red Men hall.

Wesley Halsey Kills Wife, L. T. Dunbar

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10 years ago to open the Western Auto Associate Store and more recently started the Western Gas Service.

Funeral services for Dunbar were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Methodist Church, which was filled to capacity. The pastor of the church, the Rev. E. B. Edwards, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Gordon Bennett, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church. Masonic rites were conducted at the graveside in Beaver Hill Cemetery under the direction of H. A. Campen.

Mr. Dunbar, aside from his business connections, was a steward in the Methodist Church, a member of Unanimity Lodge, No. 7, A. F. & A. M., and a member of Chowan Tribe of Red Men.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Irene Dunbar; a daughter, Sharon Dunbar; three brothers, Henry R. Dunbar of Augusta, Ga., and J. Vincent Dunbar and Alfred R. Dunbar, both of Columbia, S. C., and a sister, Mrs. David Knight of Mulberry, Fla.

Masons serving as pallbearers were Thomas Francis, John Mitchener, Vernon Barrow, J. A. Curran, Ernest Kehayes and J. Edwin Bufflap and honorary pallbearers were other members of Unanimity Lodge, No. 7, A. F. & A. M.

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Halsey at the Williford Funeral Home Monday morning at 11 o'clock, with the Rev. Mr. Rainey, pastor of the Oak Grove Baptist Church at Roper, of which she was a member, officiating. Burial was in Beaver Hill Cemetery.

Deceased is survived by her husband, Wesley E. Halsey; her father, L. M. Hartley of Tampa, Fla.; two sons, Eugene Halsey and William Morris Halsey; a daughter, Doris Elaine Halsey; two brothers, K. Frank Hartley of Chicago and Julian Hartley of Tampa, Fla., and two sisters, Mrs. W. E. Ambrose of Falls Church, Va., and Mrs. E. T. Yount of Reidsville.

Pallbearers were Wilbur C. Ambrose, Ray Jones, C. F. Hartley, Chas. Hartley, E. T. Yount and Harold S. Woodley.

Pocahontas Changes To Weekly Meetings

Chowanoke Council, No. 54, Degree of Pocahontas, at its meeting Friday night voted to hold a meeting each Friday night in the week instead of twice a month. This week's meeting will begin at 8 o'clock in the Red Men's hall and Mrs. Virginia Barfield, Pocahontas, urges all members to attend.

ROTARY MEETING TODAY

Edenton's Rotary Club will meet this (Thursday) afternoon at 1 o'clock in the Parish House. The program will be in charge of W. T. Harry and with cooler weather President John Kramer urges a 100 per cent attendance.

State Treasurer Gill Endorses Bond Issue

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On this important day, North Carolina will tell the world that she is able and willing to take care of her own. Every humane and progressive instinct that has characterized the spirit of North Carolina for the past 50 years predicts that we will vote 'yes' on October 3.

"There is no question about the need. Those best informed as to the state of our mental hospitals, and those who have given their lives to leadership in education, tell us that these funds are absolutely essential to the maintenance of minimum standards and requirements. What they say to us is underscored by those of the mentally ill who are still held in jails and in other places not suited to their condition — and by crowded school rooms, in some cases inadequately ventilated and lighted and without satisfactory sanitary facilities.

"In my opinion, we are not only faced with the demands of a great cause which lie heavily on our heart and conscience, but we are faced with an opportunity to make a sound investment in our own future. Like physical resources, our human assets require judicious conservation and development."

ERROR IN P & Q AD

An error was detected in the P & Q Super Market advertisement before all of this week's issue of The Herald was printed.

Pet milk is listed at 4 tall cans for 28 cents and 4 small cans for 55 cents. These prices are reversed. The correct price is 4 tall cans for 55 cents and 4 small cans for 28 cents.

TAX COLLECTIONS

Sheriff J. A. Bunch reported to the County Commissioners Tuesday morning that 1952 taxes collected during August amounted to \$700.95. Total 1952 taxes collected to date total \$165,616.19.

According to Sheriff Bunch 1952 taxes still on the books amounts to \$13,213.25.

Classified Ads

IF YOU SMOKE YOU NEED OLAG Tooth Paste. Buy at the drug store.

LADIES, EARN EXTRA CASH BY addressing advertising postals at home. Write, Vali Co., Box 1042, Muncie, Indiana. 1tpd

WANTED AT ONCE—MAN WITH car for Raleigh business nearby. Buy on time. Write immediately to Rawleigh's Dept. NCI-310-301, Richmond, Va. Sept10pd

FOR SALE — PUPPIES. HALF Cocker Spaniel and half Collie. Cheap. Also Beagle running dogs and puppies. Call R. Clvde Privott. Route 1. Sept10,17pd

FOR SALE — COLLARD PLANTS. Apply Louis E. Francis, RFD 3, phone 507-W, Edenton. 1tc

HOUSE TRAILER—26-FOOT PAGE Caravan, beautiful inside and out; new awning, modern; sleeps four in comfort. Electric brakes. Being discharged and must sell before October 1. See anytime at Edenton trailer park and make me an offer. Capt. Don R. Anderson. 1tpd

FOR SALE — 1 BOAT TRAILER, will accommodate 12-14 foot boat; 650:16 tires. Also 1 all-metal trailer, size of pick-up body, 600:16 tires. Both have license and ready for use. Phone 240-J. Sept3,10c

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SEWING MACHINE REPAIRS—on all makes. Free estimates in advance. We will loan you a machine while yours is being repaired. Singer Sewing Center, 605 East Main Street, Elizabeth City, N. C., phone 4306. Sept3,10c

FOR SALE—BLACK HEAD CONTROL for turkeys. Sulmet for chickens. Cod liver oil, lump charcoal, roost paint and lice powder, baby chicks. Special prices on large orders. Halsey Feed & Seed Store, "The Checkerboard Store." ttc

WANTED—MAN OR WOMAN FOR insurance debit. Life, hospital, and health and accident. No experience necessary. Guaranteed salary or salary and commission. For interview, write to J. W. Whitfield, Box No. 1292, Rocky Mount, N. C. Aug27,Sept3,10pd

SINGER SEWING MACHINES—New Singer machines may be purchased for as low as \$94.50. Budget terms. Liberal trade-ins. Singer Sewing Machine Center, 605 East Main Street, Elizabeth City, N. C., phone 4306. Sept3,10c

WANTED—WHY WORRY ABOUT Athlete's Foot, Boils, Burns, Itch, Eczema, Impetigo, Pimples, Psoriasis, Ringworm or any known skin disease. Ask your druggist about V-J-O. ExpFeb20, 1954pd

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Three Charged With First Degree Murder

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of breaking and entering and larceny. James Edward Toller, careless and reckless driving.

Howard Jordan, eight charges of breaking and entering.

Robert Louis Smith and Jackie Ray Pegg, larceny of an automobile. Herbert Basnight, alias Fred White, bribery, having no automobile license and allowing another to use his license.

Lieut.-Comdr. Karl Erick Johansson of Norfolk, drunken driving. Johansson was found guilty in Recorder's Court Tuesday morning. He was sentenced to 60 days, suspended upon paying \$100 fine and costs. He appealed to Superior Court and was released under \$250 cash bond.

On the court docket the following cases appear:

Wallace Goodwin vs. Richard Greene.

Harris Landing Fish Co., vs. Lenie Perry.

A. E. Harless vs. Ray Byrum.

W. J. Daniels vs. Hoyt Hollowell.

Carrie S. Chappell vs. Joe Chappell.

Nora Ellis Jordan vs. Murray Polinger.

Woodrow White vs. Grady Mercer.

John R. Henderson vs. Erwin J. Lane.

Mary Privott Baird vs. M. G. Brown Co.

John F. White vs. Horace Carter.

Two divorce proceedings, Estelle Chappell Sawyer vs. Harold Sawyer and Richard Palian vs. Mary Gibbons Palian.

TWO MASSES NEXT SUNDAY IN EDENTON CATHOLIC CHURCH

Due to the arrival Tuesday at the Edenton Marine Base of Father Edward J. Kelly (Lt. jg. Ch.C.), the new military Catholic Chaplain there, Father F. J. McCourt, Auxiliary Chaplain and Pastor of St. Ann's Catholic Church, Edenton, stated that coming Sunday, September 13, the Most Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered in St. Ann's at 8:30 and 11 A. M., EST., each including sermon on "The Nature of the Catholic Church," Holy Communion, followed by Sunday School, with Confessions for half hour before Services, everybody invited to all Services.

64 JAILED IN AUGUST

According to the monthly report of Jailer Herman White, 64 persons were locked up in the Chowan County jail during August. The expense amounted to \$361.62 which includes jail and turnkey fees, scouring the jail, telephone bill and soap.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Miss Lena Jones returned recently from Montreat, N. C., where she has been hostess at Glen Rock Inn during the past 9 weeks. Miss Jones traveled from Asheville to Elizabeth City via the Capital Airlines.

Mrs. Lonnie Boyce, Mrs. Etta S. Walters of Hertford, Miss Lena Jones and Mrs. M. W. Jackson have recently visited Williamsburg, Virginia, where they saw the pageant "The Common Glory".

Mr. and Mrs. Emilio A. Rodriguez will leave Friday for their home in New Orleans, La., after spending two weeks' vacation visiting Mrs. Rodriguez' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ross. Mr. Rodriguez is a member of the faculty at Tulane University.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bufflap of York, Pa., spent the Labor Day week-end visiting Mr. Bufflap's brother, J. Edwin Bufflap, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Garrett and two children of Rocky Mount spent the week-end as guests of Mr. Garrett's mother, Mrs. John Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Garrett and three children of Deep Creek, Va., spent the Labor Day holiday with Mr. Garrett's sister-in-law, Mrs. John Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moore and children, Shirley, Cliff and Linda, of

Aiken, S. C., were week-end guests of Mr. Moore's mother, Mrs. W. C. Moore.



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