

SENATOR JORDAN REPORTS

From WASHINGTON

Raleigh—Last week I had the pleasure of attending the dedication of the new sewage disposal plant at Gastonia, the dedication of this plant, a \$2 million installation designed to serve the needs of 71,000 people, offers a good example of the outstanding progress we are making in North Carolina in the development of our water resources.

The Gastonia plant is one among many major stream pollution control projects built in North Carolina through the cooperation of local, State, and Federal governments. Under Public Law 660, the Federal government assists cities and towns in constructing sewage disposal plants as part of the nationwide effort to clean up our rivers and streams. In North Carolina, 14 such projects have already been completed. Another 28 projects are in the construction or engineering stage, and another 36

are awaiting approval. These figures show the growing awareness in our state of the importance of water. We in North Carolina are blessed with an ideal rainfall, and we have plentiful supplies of water in the numerous rivers and streams that criss-cross our state. But, unfortunately, we have neglected to a great degree our water and in far too many cases, our rivers and streams are clogged and dirty. Consequently, a great deal of the water we do have is useless. We have learned that unless we put our water to full use, we will fall behind in all areas of economic development.

The dedication of the new plant at Gastonia impressed me as an example of what communities can do in the way of water conservation when the need arises. Now that the new plant in Gastonia is in operation, this community can discharge into the Catawba River water that is 90 per cent pure rather than raw sewage. The effect of this is striking, because it means that instead of contributing to the further pollution of Catawba River, the community of Gastonia is now returning to the stream water that can be used again.

The same thing is being accomplished in many other North Carolina communities, and it means that we are making real progress in solving a problem that has harassed the entire state.

More communities need to do the same thing. It is very careful in choosing those areas where there are abundant supplies of clean, usable water. The communities that are today cleaning up their streams and thereby creating fresh supplies of usable water are the communities that will bring in new people and grow and expand in the future.

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Hospital Notes

Visiting Hours: 10:00-11:00 A. M., 2:00-4:00 P. M., 6:00-8:00 P. M. Children under 12 not permitted to visit patients.

Patients admitted to the Chowan Hospital during the week of September 21-27 were:

White

Mrs. Jessie Colson, Hertford; Mrs. Anna Cross, Edenton; Master Don Insoce, Hertford; Mrs. Gertrude Rogerson, Edenton; Mrs. Barbara Atkinson, Edenton; Mrs. Marjorie Mack, Roper; Jordan I. Boyce, Tyner; Mrs. Patsy Evans, Elizabeth City; Miss Inez Felton, Edenton; Paul Edwards, Columbia; Master Billy Ray Nixon, Winfall; Henry F. Sawyer, Hertford; Charles Cherry, Washington, N. C.; Mrs. Clara Jane Bunch, Tyner; Mrs. Bertha Mizelle, Edenton.

Negro

Virgie Whitehurst, Belvidere; Virgie Jordan, Tyner; Infant Lonnie Lee Valentine, Edenton; Jessie Badham, Edenton; Calvin Morning, Edenton; Edward Skinner, Hertford; Andrew Littlejohn, Jr., Edenton; Vivian Lee Creighton, Edenton; Sim Burke, Belvidere; Claudie White, Hertford; Esther White, Tyner.

Discharges from the hospital during the same week were:

White

William D. Fuller, Edenton; Oscar M. Elliott, Edenton; Mrs. Ella Mae Ward, Ryland; Mrs. Alverta Shumaker, Merry Hill; Miss Margaret Copeland, Tyner; Miss Betty Ayers, Merry Hill; Mrs. Anna Cross, Edenton; Master Don Nichols Insoce, Hertford; Mrs. Lucy White, Hertford; Mrs. Jessie Colson, Hertford; Mrs. Marjorie Mack, Roper; Mrs. Celia Goodwin, Edenton; Charles W. Cherry, Washington, N. C.; Master Billy Ray Nixon, Winfall; Mrs. Karene Griffin, Edenton; Jordan I. Boyce, Tyner; Mrs. Patsy Evans, Elizabeth City; Leon Davenport, Creswell; Merle Daniels, Edenton; Mrs. Barbara Atkinson, Edenton.

Negro

Carolyn Dunlap, Hertford; Infant Lennie Valentine, Edenton; John Bryant, Columbia; John Perry, Edenton; Virgie Whitehurst, Belvidere; Virgie Jordan, Tyner; Bernetta Pullen, Edenton; Calvin Morning, Edenton; Vivian Lee Creighton, Edenton.

Births during the same week were: Mr. and Mrs. William Edward White of Hertford, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whitehurst, Jr., of Belvidere, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Gene A. Cross of Edenton, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Richard S. Atkinson, Jr., of Edenton, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. William Carl Bunch of Tyner, a son.

ASC NEWS IN A NUT SHELL

1. Chowan County is still accepting applications for cover crops and pasture on farms that have not already received assistance in 1959.
2. The County Office will be accepting applications from now through October 9, 1959, for the 1960 Conservation Reserve Program. If you are interested in this program, visit the Chowan County ASC Office. Your application will have to be signed by the above date.
3. Tobacco Farmers—When you have finished selling your tobacco, please return your marketing card to the ASC Office.
4. Peanut Farmers—You may pick up your peanut marketing card at anytime if you are not overplanted.
5. 1959 Average Support on peanuts is 9.00c per pound.
6. Farmers do not have storage facilities to handle shelled corn and are thus forced to sell it as soon as it is harvested. The truth is, too much corn is being produced and sold in too short a time, therefore dropping the price. You are urged to make plans to secure storage facilities before another harvest season. Loans can be obtained through the Chowan County ASC Office to finance up to 80% of the unrecruited cost of needed storage bins and drying equipment.
7. Farmers can also obtain a price support loan on corn if it is stored in an approved bin. The price support rate for the 1959 crop of corn is \$1.21 per bushel.
8. Some farmers are making up to \$35.00 per bale by ginning their cotton.
9. If you have already made application for cover crop or pasture, but have not picked up your marketing card, you may do so at anytime.

BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

October 5, November 2, November 30, December 28, January 25, February 22, March 21, April 18, May 16: 9-9:15, Mrs. Georgie Toppin; 9:20-9:40, Mrs. Bertha White; 9:45-10, Belch Station; 10-10:25, Mrs. Helen Hollowell; 10:30-10:50, Mrs. Elton Jordan; 11-11:25, Mrs. Daisy Jordan; 11:30-11:50, Mr. Monds; 12:25-12:45, Mrs. Dale; 12:45-1, Happy Home Church; 1:10-1:20, Mrs. Dorsey Boyce; 1:25-1:40, Mrs. Dorothy Chappell; 1:45-2, Mrs. Thomas Asbell; 2:05-2:15, Cross Roads; 2:25-2:40, Henderson Peele's Store; 2:45-3, Mrs. W. B. Elliott; 3:05-3:15, Herbert Lee Jordan; 3:20-3:45, Mrs. Herbert Lane.

October 6, November 3, December 1 and 29, February 3, March 22, April 19, May 17: 9-9:30, Mrs. Rodney Bass; 9:30-9:40, Mrs. Everett Wilson; 9:40-9:50, Mrs. Nixon; 9:50-10, Mrs. Clarence Bass; 10-10:20, Mrs. Bass; 10:30-11, Mrs. David Ober; 11:05-12, Spivey's Store. Lunch: 12:45-1, Tynch's Store; 1:30-1:45, Mrs. Ray Smith; 1:45-2, Mrs. Gurney Harrell; 2:30-3, Mrs. Carlton Privott; 3-3:10, Mrs. Cassie Lane; 3:15-3:20, Mrs. Emmett Bunch; 3:25-3:40, Mrs. Sam Nixon.

October 7, November 4, December 2 and 30, January 27, February 24, March 23, April 20, May 18: 9-2, Chowan School; 2:50-3, Mrs. James Ward; 3:05-3:20, Hinton and Morris; 3:25-3:40, Mrs. Marcella Ward; 3:50-4, Sherry Baker.

October 8, November 5, December 3 and 31, January 28, February 25, March 24, April 21, May 19: 9-9:20, Mrs. Brady Hare; 9:25-9:35, Mrs. Louis E. Francis; 9:40-9:50, Mr. Francis; 10-10:15, Mrs. Small; 10:20-10:40, Mrs. Waff; 10:45-11, Mrs. Bembridge; 11:15-11:20, Mrs. Emminger; 11:25-11:40, Mrs. Smith; 11:45-12, Mrs. Ruth Skinner; 12:05-12:15, Mrs. Gilbert Harrell; 12:15-12:45, Mrs. Parker; 12:50-1, Cale's Store; 1:05-1:15, Mrs. John Pearce; 1:20-1:30, Mrs. Bryant; 1:40-1:50, Mrs. O. C. Long; 1:55-2:10, Mrs. Paul Ober; 2:15-2:25, Mrs. Parrish; 2:35-2:45, Mrs. Thomas Nixon; 2:55-3:15, Mrs. Marvin Edwards; 3:25-3:40, Belinda Perry's home; 3:45-4, Mrs. Bell Barker.

October 12, November 9, December 7, January 4, February 1 and 29, March 28, April 25, May 23: 9-9:30, Mrs. Asbell; 9:40-10, Mrs. Henry Spruill; 10:05-10:15, Mrs. Larry Lane; 10:25-10:30, Mrs. Harry Davenport; 10:35-10:45, station; 10:50-11, Mrs. Webb; 11:05-11:15, Mrs. Blanchard; 11:20-11:45, Mrs. Vernon Lane; Lunch; 12:30-12:45, Mrs. Nora Davenport; 12:50-2, C. T. Nixon's Store; 2:15-2:45, Miller's Store; 2:50-3, Peebles.

October 22, November 19, December 17, January 14, February 11, March 10, April 7, May 5: 9-9:15, Mrs. Leroy Harrell; 9:20-9:40, Mrs. Tom Brabble; 10:10-10:30, Mrs. Carl Cease; 10:40-11, Mrs. Barrington; 11:15-11:25, Mrs. Jethro; 11:35-11:45, Mrs. Ross Inglis; 12:10-12:30, Alexander Store; 12:40-12:50, Wright's Service Station.

Contest Scheduled At Kadesh AMEZ Church October 11

The Albemarle Conference District presiding elders' contest of the A.M.E. Zion Church will be held Sunday night, October 11, at 8 o'clock at the Kadesh A.M.E. Zion Church on East Gale Street. The contest is sponsored by the Christian Education Department.

Presiding elders, pastors, Christian education workers, local church members and all friends are urged to attend this outstanding event.

Each church will be represented by a queen and a musical number. The district queen will not be determined until the night of the contest, after reports have been made. The queens are expected to be present and dressed for the occasion. The queen reporting the highest amount of money in the district will be chosen queen for the district and will be crowned along with her presiding elder.

For further information, the following should be contacted: The Rev. E. L. Burton, presiding elder of the Elizabeth City District; the Rev. H. F. Simons, presiding elder of the Edenton District; Miss H. E. Reid, director of the Elizabeth City District; Mrs. E. L. Byrd, director of the Edenton District or Mrs. E. L. Barnes, Edenton.

The cooperation of all churches is encouraged in order to make this project a success. Mrs. Elizabeth Luton Barnes is the Albemarle Conference director of the African Methodist Episcopal Church for the Fifth District.

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Tuesday, Oct. 27—7:30 P. M.: Rocky Hock at home of Mrs. Tommy Leary.

Wednesday, Oct. 28—Public relations meeting at Washington, N. C., for all local and county publicity leaders.

Thursday, Oct. 29 — Training school for foods and nutrition leaders at Advance community building.

Covered Dish Supper Featured At Meeting Of Center Hill Group

A covered dish supper was a feature of the quarterly meeting of the Center Hill Community Progress meeting held Wednesday night, September 23, at the Center Hill Community Building. Many residents of Center Hill gathered at the appointed time to enjoy delicious foods of all kinds, fried chicken, beef, ham, deviled eggs, salads, vegetables, breads of every kind and an assortment of cakes and pies.

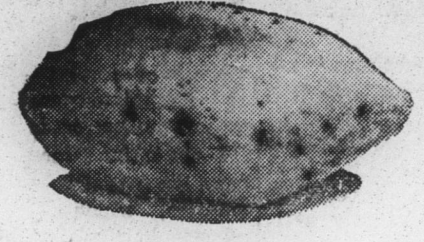
E. P. Jones, Chairman of the Center Hill Community Progress program, welcomed the guests, Mrs. Lorraine Rogerson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Venters and family and the entire group. Mr. Joe Wiesins delivered thanks.

After the dinner, Mr. Jones passed out mimeographed copies of the selected projects and the group discussed each project separately and plans made to strengthen the week points.

Mrs. Lorraine Rogerson, a member of the agricultural workers' council, was a special guest at the meeting and urged everyone to keep working and complimented Center Hill on its achievements.

Approximately 50 people were present and a wonderful feeling of fellowship felt in such a group working for the betterment of the community.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer by Mr. Jones.



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