

Rocky Hock Section News

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Preparations for revival services beginning this morning Sunday morning high light the week's news in Rocky Hock this week. Evangelist Clarence Nida, coming from Greensboro, sent his message to the community in the form of a brochure that the pastor mailed out to all families this last week. In it he reminded the church that God says "If you will . . . I will" . . . and it is the conditional promise of revival that is found in II Chron. 7:14. Prayer is vital, he reminded the people through his written message. Special prayer services have already been in progress and

one was scheduled for the whole church family to come for "special revival prayers" in this past Wednesday evening.

Friday night of this week 30 different groups will be meeting in homes in Rocky Hock among the members, praying definitely for Revival. (We understand also that another prayer meeting will be held at Nags Head among the vacationing families down there) making 21 different group meetings. These will be held in the homes of Melvin Harrell, Willis Ray Peele, Dick Byrum, Albert Peele, Clyde Pruitt, Milton Evans, R. T. Harrell, W. A. Harrell, K. J. Worrell, Mrs. Nola Smith (Goodwins), Stillman Leary, Mildred and Mattie Byrum (Mona Hoffer), John Layton, M. J. Tynch, Josephine Nixon, Ellie Bunch, Henry Bunch, Carey Evans, Marvin

Smith, Mrs. Myrtle Peele and the Nags Head meeting at Lois and Thurman Ashley's we believe. The families of the church membership have been assigned to a host home for this Friday evening prayer hour (meeting at 8 P. M.). Approximately 10 family groups have been assigned to each home, giving our entire membership a place of prayer on this night. We need to put forth every effort to be present for this most important preparation Sunday morning's service will begin the week's emphasis and there will be services each night beginning at 7:45 continuing through the Sunday morning services on September 5.

We are missing the Robert Harrells these days, away on a much needed vacation, but we look forward to the September 1st date when Mrs. Janie Harrell will formally begin her duties as Director of Music. We ask the parents of children of all ages to begin listening for word of choir rehearsal plan for your age youngster. We will be reactivating all choirs this fall and want only those members who will be faithful in attendance at rehearsals and times of presentations.

Very important recommendations for a five year spiritual growth from 1966 to 1971 were unanimously approved by the church in a brief conference on Sunday morning. This covers 5 areas of growth in such matters as Outreach, Christian Maturity, Church Financing, Community Needs and Cooperative World Missions. Much more will be heard of this important work in the coming days.

Vacations still claimed a good number from our attendance on Sunday morning, but again the visitors to our area helped to take up the "slump". Visiting with our family this week (and enjoying the Harrell cottage on the river during the week)

is my brother and his family from Little Rock, Arkansas. Frank (Coble) is district manager of the International Harvester Truck Division in Little Rock and has worked with this company in several parts of the country. His wife Betty, daughter Carolyn and two sons J. Frank and Phillip, all have enjoyed this first visit to Eastern North Carolina and the Chowan region.

J. Frank, who was in school at Hargraves Virginia last year, will be entering Carolina this next month, and we are sure will be making headlines before long on that football team.

Wallace Evans, just back from two weeks of Reserve training, said it got mighty hot down there on maneuvers. He looked pretty brown and mighty glad to be home again.

We were delighted to find the Billy Learys in the congregation Sunday morning. Billy and Mag have been camping down at Sandy Point some this past week and enjoying some family get togethers at the same time.

Emily (Leary) Nock is home this week, too, with her big boy. We are not sure at this writing if Monty is along but think this is a "family" visit.

For all those who keep inquiring . . . the Sides baby has evidently not arrived as yet! We'll surely make that announcement when we receive it.

Tuesday night of this (past) week was set for Earl Smith's annual fish fry. I am writing this before that time of course . . . so I can't really say anything about it except that if the crowds come that he had last year, some 600 folks will eat fish and all the trimmings "on Earl" that night and thoroughly enjoy it! We're really looking forward to it (and hope you were able to attend).

Jr. G.A.'s 1 and and Crusader and Pioneer R.A.'s were to have their meeting Wednesday and the Y.W.A.'s on Monday night of this past week. Hope you were there if you were involved.

Have you written your letter to your Senator or Representative on the Judiciary Committee asking them to vote for the resolution concerning "The Year of the Bible"?

We hear Henry Bunch had a surprise birthday dinner in his honor at Loretta and Frank's over the weekend. Jackie came down from Winston on Friday night and took her mother on down to the Evans' on Saturday. Henry followed for what he thought was just a family get-together. Turned out he was the "honored one" . . . Many happy returns, Mr. Henry!

Agricultural Workers Sought

Many new Peace Corps programs in agriculture will start this fall, reports C. W. Overman, County Extension Chairman.

Nearly a hundred more agricultural volunteers have been requested for programs beginning training in September and October. These volunteers will be sent to Chile, Ecuador, Kenya, Cameroon, Thailand and the Philippines.

The types of jobs vary greatly for these programs. In Thailand and the Philippines the request is primarily for farmers with several years of experience. In Kenya, several soil and crop specialists have been requested along with three veterinarians. Ecuador has requested rural youth with 4-H or FFA experience and backgrounds in livestock and crop management.

A college degree is not necessary for many of the current fall agriculture programs. Married couples may serve together, if they have no dependents under 18.

For more information on these upcoming Peace Corps programs and a questionnaire, see Overman or Harry Venters, County Extension Agents, located in the Joseph Hewes Hotel building, or write directly to the Agricultural Desk Officer, Peace Corps, Washington, D. C. 20525.

The women, we admit, have it on the men when it comes to dressing with good sense in the good old summer time.

New Books At Local Library

New books received at the Shepard - Pruden Memorial Library this week are:

Quadrille, a novel by Frank Swinerton.
The World of Bees by Murray Hoyt, a vivid account of the remarkable life of the bee.

Princess Margaret, a biography by Dennis Bardens.
Of Time and Space and Other Things, 17 essays on science by Isaac Asimov.

Another Path by Gladys Taber, author of Stillmeadow Road.

Too Many Americans, Tomorrow's issue by Lincoln and Alice Day.

Daughter of Eve by Noel B. Gerson.

The Founding Father: the story of Joseph P. Kennedy by Richard J. Whalen.

Beginning next Wednesday, the library will be open on Wednesday afternoons.

Elementary School Lunch Room Menu

Menus at the Edenton Elementary School Thursday and Friday, September 2-3 are:

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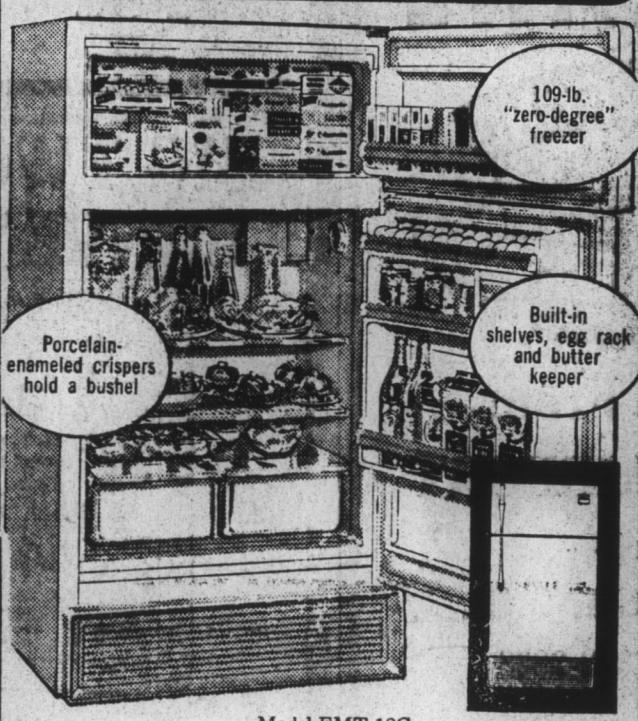
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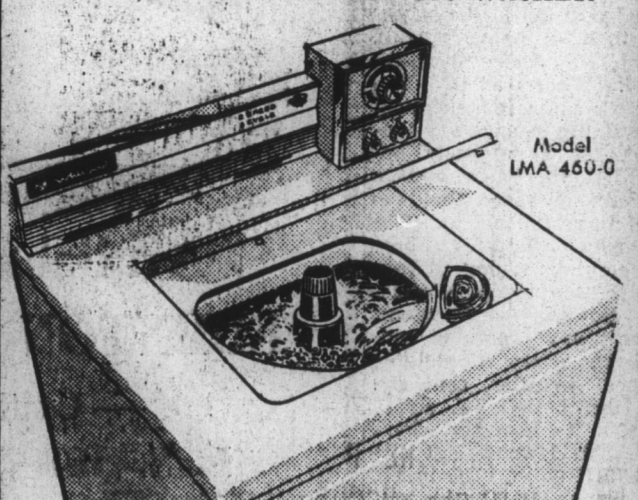
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