

# Rocky Hock Section News

By MRS. T. W. ALLRED

Several Rocky Hock folks have had "bump ups" lately and we're glad to report that none of them were serious... at least not to the person. I imagine the expense was a little serious!

Isn't this a "thriving looking community" when you ride along and see all the remodeling and painting and repairing going on. Shelia and Jack are going to have a lovely "renovation and addition" real soon by the looks of the progress... and Tommy is watching his roof go on the new house next door to the old one. I think Clyde and Shirley Bunch's new one is about to be finished. We hear there are others in the "planning stages." Sign of progress!

We wish all the mothers of the Junior girls (who had charge of the WMS program last week) could have been there and seen them do so well in their "MK" program. (If you don't know what an MK is you should have been there to find out!) The girls are enjoying their continuing mission study in Brazil at regular meeting times this month. Last week they went out in the churchyard when they finished and had a "pinata" which is common in Brazil and Mexico. (Wonder what that is? Ask your Junior G.A.). The Intermediate girls are planning to have their book this next week we think on a Wednesday evening. Not certain of those plans... YWA's will be coming to hear the Adult Book taught by Rev. David Harris next Monday night November 22 at the church at 7:30... all men and women invited. (We didn't realize when we passed on the word that David was teaching this book at our

church that he would wind up doing it for almost every Baptist church in the county!).

Such remarks as "Best turkey dinner I ever ate" "Wasn't there a good crowd... best we've ever had for a husbands' supper" "good speaker..." etc., wa all that was heard following the good Husbands' Supper (for the County) last week at Rocky Hock Center. Gum Pond Club was hostess we think, and we're sure that all the ladies of the several clubs in the area helped as well as many of the young girls who served (and it was those slim and trim ones that get through the tight place with all the tables that had to be used for 200 to eat... and then some turned away!). The fall decorations, done by the Oak Grove Club I believe, were quite the loveliest we have seen. An excellent program... good speaker... delicious turkey dinner with all the trimmings... and many door prizes donated by a sizeable number of area merchants and businesses made for a very enjoyable evening. We have a feeling that there may be a request for a "repeat" on this!

Circles meeting this week... Brotherhood tonight November 18 Thursday evening at Community Building Chicken... we hear with Lloyd Peeler and Carlton Nixon chief cooks! 7 P. M. Sunbeam meeting Wednesday and R.A.'s Wednesday night.

The Royal Ambassadors were honored in a recognition service Sunday morning at Rocky Hock. This was Royal Ambassador week November 7-14. Tony Leary representing the Crusader Chapter, and Jerry Peele, for the Pioneer group, read the Scriptures and led in prayer.

About two dozen of the boys sat in a group. Hope you are planning now for the Brotherhood Ladies' Night and Christmas supper... Thursday night, December 16th... Even more important dates before then... week of prayer for Foreign Missions November 28th through December 4. All organizations will be participating and the Lottie Moon Christmas offering IS DUE TO BE TURNED IN DURING THIS TIME! Our church goal this year is over 1,000. Let's give Christ our gift first this year on His birthday by making our offering above gift to Foreign Missions (every dime of which is used for mission causes that must wait for this offering). This is a church-wide offering again as it was last year and it will be sent in before the end of December so PLEASE see that all members of your Sunday School Class, your Circle, Sunbeams, your Brotherhood, your R.A. group,

Training Union or any other group knows that the week of prayer for foreign missions is the time that this offering comes in. This is the purpose of the Week of Prayer. We meet in special prayer for the many causes of Foreign Missions, we learn about the needs, we pray for them and then we give.

Would you like a delicious cake or a pie or some other sweet for Thanksgiving? The Rocky Hock Community Center is sponsoring another one of those fabulous "Bake Sales" at the Belk-Tyler entrance on Wednesday, November 24. Better get by there early if you want those "first to go" specialties. Better yet... call one of the ladies and tell them what you want and they will save it for you. Mrs. W. H. Saunders or Mrs. O. C. Long will be glad to put you in touch with any of the group if you have a preference for some special cake or pie.

## Farm Election Is Important

RALEIGH—The future of cotton as a basic farm commodity in North Carolina and the Southeast depends to a large extent on the outcome of two grower referendums to be held November 23.

That, in substance, is the opinion of many top-level Tar Heel agricultural leaders as expressed in the past few days.

In the voting, growers throughout the nation's cotton belt will decide whether marketing quotas are to remain in effect on the 1966 crop. In addition, growers in the Tar Heel State will determine whether to assess themselves at the rate of 15 cents a bale on the next three crops to continue their support of the North Carolina Cotton Promotion Association.

A referendum on peanut marketing quotas for 1966, 1967 and 1968 will be held on the same date.

In each referendum, approval by two-thirds of those voting is required for the issue to carry. Polling places will be those designated by Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service county offices.

A number of farm leaders in North Carolina have released statements in the past few days strongly endorsing the program on the Cotton Promotion Association, according to John F. Campbell of Raeford, chairman of the organization's public relations committee.

State Agriculture Commissioner James A. Graham termed the association "one of the most vigorous and dynamic agricultural commodity associations" in North Carolina. "We need this program to stay ahead," he asserted.

The organization "has provided vital leadership for all cotton producers" in the state, commented Dr. George Hyatt, Jr., director of the V. C. Agricultural Extension Service. He praised its

sponsorship of important cotton research and said it legislative program has made a real impact on current cotton policies.

G. D. Arndt, general manager of the Carolinas Cotton Growers Association, said the Promotion Association "has been a most important factor in bringing about increased interest in growing cotton" in North Carolina.

Arndt credited the association with saving the cotton acreage release and re-appointment program despite strong opposition from western states. He also said the promotional organization has served effectively as a liaison agency for all who are interested in the welfare of cotton in North Carolina.

"To me it would be unthinkable for any cotton grower in the state to fail to vote for the nominal assessment needed to continue the work of the association," Arndt said.

J. C. Whitehurst, Jr., of Greenville, president of the Southeastern Pesticide Formulators Association, said that without the vigorous legislative efforts of the Cotton Promotion Association "there is no doubt that North Carolina and the Southeast would have lost most of their cotton acreage."

David S. Weaver, former extension director, said the association "has rendered significant service" and "is recognized for its influence across the South in maintaining cotton as an important segment of the economy."

Harry B. Caldwell, executive vice president, Farmers Cooperative Council of North Carolina, said the association's efforts to protect growers' income, encourage research and stimulate production and ginning of better quality lint "has been most beneficial to the entire industry" in North Carolina.

## Historic Hope Benefit Is Set

WINDSOR.—The prisoners are coming to Bertie County. The North Carolina Central Prison Variety Show, which has been billed as "The Greatest Show in North Carolina," and features comedy and dancing, will be staged at the Bertie County gymnasium on Friday, November 20, at 7 P. M.

The two-hour show will include a swing band, country and western music, minstrels, cloggers and the Sons of Prayer.

Proceeds from the variety show will be used by the Historic Hope Foundation, Inc., for the purchase and restoration of Historic Hope, the home of former North Carolina Governor David Stone. Historic Hope Foundation is seeking to raise \$15,000 to match a \$5,000 grant from the Richardson

Foundation and a \$20,000 grant from the General Assembly.

Approximately 40 inmates of Central Prison will be featured in the show. Harrington Manufacturing Company is bearing the expense of bringing the show to Bertie County. Senator J. J. Harrington, president, promises there won't be a dull moment during the evening.

Tickets may be purchased in advance from members of Historic Hope Foundation and will also be available at the door on the evening of the performance as long as seats are available.

Story Time  
Restless youngster (at 5 A. M.): Mommy, tell me a story.  
Mother: Hush, dear. Daddy will be in soon and tell us both one.

## Hospital Patients Public Parade

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Visiting Hours: 10-11 A. M., 2-4 and 7-8 P. M. Children under 12 are not permitted to visit patients.

Patients discharged from Chowan Hospital during the week of November 9-16 included the following:

White — Mrs. Ada Baringer, Mrs. Achsa Copeland, Willie Cecil Matthews, Mrs. Ida Ella Owens, Mrs. Julie Parker, Mrs. Patsy Privott, Mrs. Geraldine Madrey, Mrs. Frankie Spruill, Mrs. Clara Jane Harris, Mrs. Barbara Junch, Mrs. Wilma Spencer, Lloyd Chappell, Mrs. Ell. Ambrose, John Wesley Winborne and Mrs. Nora Hassell.

Colored — Miss Delores Johnson, Mrs. Barbara Holley, Thomas Griffin, Aildred Liverman, Master Walter Woodard, Mrs. Eva Wilder, Master William Davenport, Jr. and Mrs. Georgie Nixon Wilson.

Births  
White—Mr. and Mrs. LaDell Parker, a son.  
Colored — Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lee Holley, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Lee Liverman, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Felix Rudolf Winston, a son.

above, \$1 million a year. Anyone with a vote in how this money is being spent to educate the children of our county should be willing to face the taxpayers every four years, asking the question: "Do you approve of the way I am doing this job?"

The majority of those who took the time to participate in the recent straw poll agreed. But, like the road bond issue, we feel there is more interest in our schools than the poll indicated.

Progress continues to be made in our school system, one that will be strengthened even more with a merger of the two administrative units. Both the city and county boards are pledged to this merger and the question of how to select the board members in the future is but one of the questions to be resolved. This should be done in the fairest possible way so a united front can be presented to the people.

OUR LOSS—This week's "News From Rocky Hock Section" arrived on schedule Monday afternoon. However, the envelope was a mite heavier.

Included with the regular dispatch was a note which we rather had omitted. We'll share it with you:

"With this week's column on 'News From Rocky Hock Section' I am completing almost a year of this kind of community and church news because time has become a problem in getting this column done each week (and I don't think we have missed one all year, even though we have been away many times) I find it necessary to end this kind of writing with 'his edition of The Chowan Herald.'

There are many other things involved in this decision, but so I will not be 'misquoting' as I have been done a few times in the past" I want to make it clear that I am terminating the column (at least for awhile) because it has been taking time from other things that I feel are more pressing, and because I think someone else could do this kind of reporting just as easily as I have done it. It is with regret that we have decided this.

I appreciate, more than I can say, the courtesy of The Chowan Herald staff in allowing me so many editorial liberties in my reporting and in allowing me almost unlimited space in doing it. I appreciate also the many kind things that several of you have said about reading and enjoying the 'news column.'

Mrs. Thurman Allred. Mrs. Allred has been a faithful correspondent for The Chowan Herald and she has gone the second mile to report events from the Rocky Hock section. She is a busy lady and we are sorry the demands on her time were such she had to make this decision.

We haven't found a replacement for her but hope to do so in the very near future. We wish her well in her future endeavors.

## County News

By Mrs. Roland Evans

A Thanksgiving service will be held at Edenton Baptist Church Thursday morning, November 25 at 11 o'clock.

The WMU held a mission study Monday night November 15 at 7:30 o'clock. The book, "Which Way In Brazil," was taught by Rev. David Harris, pastor of Center Hill Baptist Church.

Duward Murphy preached Sunday night at Edenton Baptist Church. The junior choir rendered special music.

Rev. and Mrs. R. N. Carroll are attending the Baptist convention this week.

Edenton's Christmas parade will be held Friday, December 3.

The Junior Department of the Training Union of Edenton on Baptist Church will have a social at the Edenton church Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Any of junior age are urged to join.

Mrs. Lena Evans was hostess to a Stanley Party on Monday afternoon.

Rev. Thurman Allred, pastor of Rocky Hock Baptist Church, is attending the Baptist state convention in Charlotte this week.

Mrs. Thurman Allred is attending the Advisory Council sessions of the American Bible Society at the Commodore Hotel in New York.

Mrs. Sam Nixon and Mrs. Lena Evans visited Mrs. Jerry Evans Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Perry of Virginia Beach and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bunch of Norfolk visited Mrs. Ethel Perry Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Evans, Mrs. Milton Evans, Carolyn and Ronda, Mr. and Mrs. Fred White and Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Briggs, Mr. Britton Byrum, the Foylers of Ryland and Mrs. Margaret Hoffer and Roberta were in Suffolk Saturday.

Sympathy goes out to the Nixon and Moore families.

Mrs. Gladys Byrum, Gramam Farless, Will Williams, and Mrs. Callie Evans are on the sick list.

Mrs. Carrie Swanner and Mrs. Alton Elmore had the misfortune to get hurt.

The fall production of Edenton Little Theater will be presented November 18 and 20 in the John A. Holmes High School auditorium.

be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 16th day of November, 1965,  
MARTHA L. LANE,  
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Clerk of Superior Court

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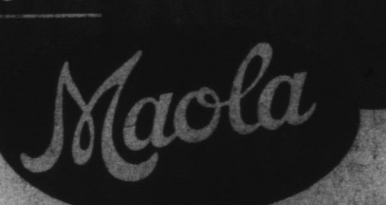


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