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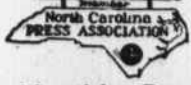
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Regular polling precincts will be used in conducting the Tobacco Referendum in Franklin County Saturday, July 20. Polls will be open at 8:00 A. M. and will close at 7:00 P. M. Referendum Committee consisting of three tobacco producers will conduct the referendum in each Community. By marking question No. 1, farmers will cast their vote for tobacco marketing quotas for 1941, 1942 and 1943. By marking question No. 2, farmers will vote against marketing quotas for 1942 and 1943 but for a 1941 program. By marking question No. 3, farmers will vote against marketing quotas. In order to carry the program for three years, 66 2-3 percent of farmers voting must mark question No. 1. If this is not done, then a one-year plan could be in effect if the sum of ballots cast for three year plan and those for one year plan equal as much as two-thirds of all the votes cast. If more than one-third of votes are cast against marketing quotas, farmers will not have either the three-year or one-year plan in effect in 1941.

Franklin County farmers are urged to vote at the balloting place in the community in which they reside. Places for balloting in Franklin County will be as follows:

Cedar Rock Township, Edward Best School; Cypress Creek, Seven Paths; Dunn, Pine Ridge, Pearce; Franklinton, Mayor's Office; Gold Mine, Centerville; Harris, Harris School; Hayesville, Epsom School; Louisburg, Court House; Sandy Creek, Gold Sand School; Youngsville, Mayor's Office.

There are many issues involved in the Referendum on Tobacco Marketing Quotas to be conducted Saturday, July 20, and I believe at this time it is proper that the major issues be summarized for the consideration of voters. Mr. E. Y. Floyd, State Executive Officer, has summarized the issues as follows:

1. Stocks on Hand. — Stocks of flue-cured tobacco in the United States is 50 percent above any previous record.

2. Decline in Price. — The previous past five-year average of tobacco was 22.9 cents per pound. The large crop of 1939 which piled up this surplus and the recent war caused the price to drop from 22.9 cents per pound down to 14.9 cents.

3. Loss of Export Trade. — For the immediate future we have lost 80 percent of our flue-cured export business, which means the market is dead for that amount of tobacco in the warring countries for the present time. No one can tell at the present time just when this business will be regained.

4. What can the producers do under the existing circumstances? Congress has made it possible for producers to have quotas in effect for three years. The advantages of having three-year quotas are:

a. Domestic manufacturers can pay fair prices for their tobacco without fear of excessive production during the period.

b. The Commodity Credit Corporation will aid in the buying of a sufficient amount of the 1940 flue-cured crop so that the market average will be equal to last year's price or better, if the three-year quotas are voted by a two-thirds majority.

c. Farmers are assured under this law, if three-year quotas are voted, that their allotments for 1941 will not be reduced below the 1940 allotments.

d. Even if conditions get worse the producers would not be required to make in excess of a 10 percent reduction for the period of 1942 and 1943, combined.

Congress also provided for one-year quotas and if the three-year quota fails and the one-year quota is approved, it will be necessary to make a 10 percent reduction in acreage from the 1940 allotments and the price would be 2 or 3 cents per pound less than it would if three-year quotas were approved.

Small producers are protected under either the three-year or one-year plan to the extent that a producer with 2 acres or less will not be asked to make any reduction. This does not mean that every producer will get 2 acres. It means if a man has an allotment of 1.9 acres in 1940, he will not be reduced below 1.9 acres or if a producer has 1.0 acre he would not be reduced below the 1.0 acre.

If business conditions improve quotas will be increased under the three-year plan.

5. If Quotas are not approved by a two-thirds majority of the farmers voting in the referendum, there will be no Government loans on flue-cured tobacco. This would mean disastrously low

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prices and would bring suffering and distress to the tobacco farmers and their families.

The Governor, leading farmers, businessmen and professional men of all professions think the three-year plan offers the greatest advantage and more security to

the farmers. They have stated that it would be suicide to do other than vote for the three-year plan.

Won't you think this thing through in the next day or two and go out to your polling place and vote, and see that your neigh-

bor does likewise.

Only tobacco producers who share in the proceeds of the 1940 crop will decide this question.

About 700 deaths occurred last year in collisions between bicycles and motor vehicles.

DON'T SQUANDER TAX NICKELS NOW

The current world crisis, which has come home with a bang to the United States, should have at least one beneficial effect—and that is to discourage the proponents of certain costly, unnecessary and highly dubious political schemes.

One such scheme is the St. Lawrence river project, whereby the United States government would spend hundreds of millions for hydro-power development which we don't need, and for inland water transport facilities which would simply divert business from existing private carriers.

According to dispassionate surveys, the St. Lawrence project would result in cheaper transportation and cheaper power only if a large part of the cost were charged off to other purposes—only, in other words, if government subsidized the business with the taxpayers' money. If all costs were honestly figured, including the loss in wages and purchasing power that would result from displacement of existing business, the power and the transportation would prove to be excessively expensive.

We need the St. Lawrence project about as much as a cat needs five legs. Private industry in this country is prepared to give us all the transportation and power service we can possibly use. It will give it to us by spending private money, not tax money. It will create new and important sources of taxation, instead of destroying sources of taxation. It will provide real jobs in real productive industry—not political sinecures.

Even in times of world peace and bounding prosperity, it is doubtful if we can afford political projects to destroy private business. Certainly we can't afford them now, when every possible tax nickel must be turned to national defense.

WAKE FOREST DIVIDES IN NEUSE BARGAIN BILL

Table with 3 columns: Name, W, L, Pct. Rows include Riley, Rolesville, Wake Forest, Franklinton.

Franklinton, July 14.—Wake Forest squared off against two opponents in a Neuse River League doubleheader here this afternoon—and broke even.

Rolesville edged a 3-2 margin over Wake in the opener of the bill, winning behind the fine pitching of Dafford Suggs and Bill Murray. They yielded four hits, one less than the winners made off Bill Catlett.

In the second game, Wake Forest slugged a 13-2 victory over Franklinton. Frazier, two doubles and a single for five and Frank Timberlake, three singles for five, led a 14-hit attack. Willis Woodlief held the losers to five hits, and he set down 14 batters on strikes.

First game: R. H. E. Rolesville. 110 000 001—3 3 3 W. Forest. 000 000 110—2 4 2 Suggs, Murray and Watkins; Catlett and Timberlake.

Second game: R. H. E. Frank. 000 000 101—2 5 3 W. Forest 500 322 10x—13 14 2 Freddy and Ross; Woodlief and Timberlake.

Riley Defeats Wake With Run In Ninth

Wake Forest, July 17.—Riley's league-leaders collected a run in the ninth inning, on three straight hits, and defeated Wake Forest, 3-2, here this afternoon.

Lefty Jack Gay held the locals to six safeties and struck out 8 batters. Bill Catlett was on the losing end of the mound battle.

Three Riley players—Brodie Lloyd, Woodrow Frazier, and Doc Frazier—batted .500, with two hits. Lewis Davis and Bill Frazier led Wake Forest with two for four.

Score: R. H. E. Riley. 100 000 011—3 9 1 W. Forest 002 000 000—2 6 0 Gay and Frazier; Catlett and Timberlake.

Rolesville Wins Rolesville, July 17.—Rolesville pulled into the runner-up spot in the Neuse River League by defeating Franklinton, 5-2, here today. Dwight Rogers, 15-year-old schoolboy, hurled five-hit ball for the locals and struck out 10 batters.

Buck Holmes batted 1.000, with a triple and two singles, to lead Franklinton. Barham, three for four, and Averette, two for four, were Rolesville's leaders.

Score: R. H. E. Frank. 000 000 020—2 5 3 Rolesville 100 011 20x—5 11 2 Curfew and Harris; Rogers and Buffalo.

PRETTY WEDDING CEREMONY (Continued from Page One)

ed profusely. In the dining room the table was beautifully decorated with a lace cloth and crystal candlesticks holding white tapers and with the lovely three-tiered bridal cake in the center. The cake bore white ribbon streamers, and at the end of each streamer, as it was pulled, was found a trinket. A miniature bride and groom adorned the top of the cake.

The receiving line was composed of Mr. and Mrs. Fuller, Miss Edith Wagstaff Harris, the bride-elect, Mr. Frank Martenis Park, Jr., of Greenville, the bridegroom-elect, and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cleveland Harris, parents of the bride-elect. Miss Jane Fuller greeted guests, and Miss Jean Fleming showed them to the library where Miss Fannie Belle Woody, of Roxboro and Durham, cousin of the bride-elect, presided over the bride's book. Miss Peggy Ford was at the dining room door, while Miss Rose Malone and Miss Mamie Beam received in the dining room. Punch and cake were served throughout the evening by Misses Imogene Phillips, Betty Harris, and Martha Ann Stroud, with Mrs. James E. Fulghum presiding over the punch bowl. Good-byes were said by Miss Athlea Boone.

BECK PITCHES VICTORY FOR RALEIGH METEORS

The local Seaboard Meteors, turned in their fourth straight victory by defeating Louisburg All-Stars, 3-1, at Raleigh on Sunday.

Lefty Beck won over George Earp in the battle of pitchers. Earp, who yielded eight hits, struck out nine batters and passed none. Beck limited Louisburg to five hits. He struck out eight and walked two.

No Louisburg player made more than one hit. The Meteors leaders were B. O. Smith, with two singles and a triple for four, and Carl Iddings, with two singles and a double for four.

Singles by Brantley, Dickens, and Thompson produced Louisburg's run, made in the eighth.

Score: R. H. E. Louisburg 000 000 010—1 5 2 Meteors 100 001 01x—3 8 3 Earp and Griffin; Beck and Murray.

Negro 4-H Club Boy Attends Wild-Life Camp

Thomas B. Alston, Jr., of the Copeland Perry 4-H club is attending the State wild-life camp at Whispering Pines in Wake County this week. On his return the delegates will set up a wild-life demonstration on his home farm as was announced by J. E. Tuck, Negro County Agent.

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LAST TIMES TODAY: Irene Dunne - Cary Grant, Randolph Scott - Gail Patrick in "MY FAVORITE WIFE"

SATURDAY, JULY 20 (Double Feature Day) JOHN WAYNE in "HAUNTED GOLD" and WALTER PIDGEON in "PHANTOM RAIDERS" Also Chapter No. 12 "Drums of Fu Manchu"

Sunday-Monday, July 21-22: Jon Hall - Nancy Kelly, Joan Davis - Wally Vernon

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