

Report Given By Harnett Grand Jury

The Harnett County Grand Jury in its report made late yesterday recommended that the county employ a full time electrician for the county schools. The job would be a new one.

Grand jurors reported that G. T. Proffit, county superintendent of schools, told them of the great need for a larger maintenance crew, particularly an electrician, to keep the school plants in good condition.

For the third or fourth time, the grand jury reviewed its call for legislation to be passed this term of the General Assembly which will provide an adequate number of paid deputies to assist the Sheriff's office in proper law enforcement.

Nicholas A. Joseph, foreman, signed the report which was read

by Clerk of Court Robert Morgan and drew the comment from Judge Paul Frizelle that "it can be seen by the report that Harnett County has an excellent grand jury."

THE REPORT

The text of the grand jury report follows:

"We the Grand Jury of Harnett County, Superior Court, submit this our final report for the week beginning January 5, 1953. We have carefully considered and passed upon all bills of indictment sent to us by the Solicitor and have made returns on the same.

The following places were visited and their condition is as follows:

Prison Camp—Good. Lillington Jail—Roof is being repaired and should take care of leaks in the old roof. This Grand Jury recommends that the inside of the jail be looked after in places where plaster is breaking.

Angier Jail—Good.

Dunn Jail—Good. Mr. G. T. Proffit, Superintendent of Harnett County Schools, gave us a report of progress and several improvements have been noted. Mr. Proffit stressed the need for a larger maintenance crew and a full time electrician (which they do not have at the present time) and this Grand Jury recommends that the necessary steps be taken to provide the same.

Once again we strongly recommend that legislation be passed to provide an adequate number of paid deputies to assist the Sheriff's office in proper law enforcement.

This Grand Jury is pleased with the manner in which His Honor is conducting this session of court. Respectfully submitted, this the 7th day of January, 1953.

Signed Nicholas A. Joseph, Foreman

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IKE DISCUSSES HAWAII'S STATEHOOD



THE OLD QUESTION of statehood for Hawaii is taken up with President-elect Dwight D. Eisenhower by Republican Senators Arthur Watkins (left), of Utah, and William F. Knowland, of California, at a conference in the general's New York headquarters. A measure to make Hawaii the 49th state was defeated in the last session of Congress. (International)

Teen Tattle Tales

By LINDA AYCOCK

The New Year came bouncing in to help the old year hobble out last week. Everyone celebrated the big event with big doings if only by themselves. Nearly everyone waved goodbye to 1953 at 12:00 midnight December 31. Several attended the services at the Methodist Church while others listened to the New Year come in at New York, Chicago and other big cities or a group of friends celebrated by gathering at Lee Motors showroom that glorious night. Everyone danced and listened to the sweet music of the "C Notes."

These are just a few of the many ways the Dunn teenagers welcomed the New Year. Hope we can welcome many more as we did 1953.

Looking at it from all sides it may not be such a bad proposition after all. Certainly has some good points.

DAFFYNITIONS:

Amateur photographer — A person who takes a dim view of things.

Girdle — The difference between facts and figures.

Marriage license — A certificate that gives a woman the right to drive a man.

Bargain — Anything that costs no more than it's worth.

Modesty — The act of encouraging people to find out for themselves how important you are.

Incongruous — Where our laws are made and how they appear.

The Teenage Club wasn't very active during Christmas but we really started out on the right foot for the New Year. First of all we had a big dance Saturday night with just everyone there. We all had a swell time and were grateful to Jim McMillan and Emile Hall for the work they've done so we can have dances as we did Saturday night. We didn't realize just how much fun a small immaterial teenage dance could be until they

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stepped in and set us on our feet again. No longer are the dances uninteresting, they are well-planned and certainly looked forward to by every member.

Second - - a new addition is coming to the Teenage Club. Through the profits of the production of "Shooting Stars" we're getting our own canteen in the park. Oh, how long we have hoped and prayed for this? We can only say thank you to the people who have helped and supported us in the fight for our canteen. And we do thank you so much. Yes, come March maybe Dunn won't be so dull and dead as it used to be. Aint' it a miracle????

Basketball practice has resumed school (and we to dear 'ole Dunn

and the teams are struggling to make ready for the oncoming games. Tuesday night the J. V.'s played their first game of the season against Lillington. The games were played in Lillington, who took all three of them and sent us to defeat. Then Friday night we met unbeaten Lafayette. Hope to see everyone out to support our teams and pull them through to a victory. Come on boys and girls, let's show them how!

Doesn't seem like Dunn without all the college folks or military school boys home. Now that the holiday season is over everyone has returned to his or her respective school (and we to dear 'ole Dunn

Dunn High). Really though, we can't wait till you folks get back to Dunn.

Friday morning at seven-thirty, three cars will leave Dunn for Lumberton. These cars will be crowded with band students heading for the annual Lumberton Band Clinic. These students plus Mr. Burrage will practice diligently Friday and Saturday in order to get ready for a concert Saturday night. They are Ann Bassford, Patricia Johnson, Frank Wilson, Anne Britton, Raymon West, Jerry Pope, Lindy Wood, Gerald Frix, Kathryn Thomas, Harold Bass, Joyce Godwin, Linda Aycock and Burke Uzzie. Friday night all will

attend the big dance that will be thrown for them. This is the most anticipated event of the trip. And then you always get to meet new people this way. Hope to see many spectators from Dunn for the concert Saturday night. I can only predict one thing... Lumberton will be glad to see us leave!!! Joyce Godwin is the "Lonesome Gal in Town" since Walter Byrd left for the Air Force. He left Tuesday morning. Hate to see him go!

Woody Hill says "O Happy Day" to Anne Jernigan for the fun he's had with her. They've been going together a good while now. I look sooooo cute. More power to you, Woodrow!

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