Democratic Convention Of County On Saturday

To Name Delegates To State Meeting: To Pick Chairman

Vance county Democrats will meet in their county convention at the court house here next Saturday at noon and will elect delegates to the Democratic State Convention in Raleigh on Thursday of next week, May 4. So far as could be learned in advance, election of delegates was the principal business in prospect for the meeting.

A. A. Burns, county chairman, will call the meeting to order and the first business will be select an temporary chairman and secretary.

The county is entitled to 24 delegates to the State convention, allotted on the basis of one delegate for each 150 votes cast in the last gubernatorial election. Twenty-eight alternates will also be named.

It is expected that a large number of Paul Dickens's friends will be here for the convention, as usual. The State meeting will be held in the Raleigh Memorial Auditorium and will be called to order by Manly Rodwell, of Henderson, State chairman. John H. Kerr, of Warrenton, only speaker of the House of Representatives, is to be the keynote speaker at the convention.

Following the county convention here Saturday, the Democratic executive committee will meet to elect a county chairman. Mr. Burns recently gave notice of the early initiation of his 1944 campaign for a seat in the House of Representatives and asked that he be given a free hand in the selection of a campaign manager.

Political Notices

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I am a candidate for County Commissioner to a four-year term in the Democratic Primary, Saturday, May 27, 1944. Your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

J. W. STRANGE
South Henderson

FOR RECORDER

I hereby announce my candidacy to succeed myself as Recorder of Vance County, subject to the Democratic Primary on May 27, 1944. Your vote and support for my reelection will be greatly appreciated.

R. E. CLEMENTS

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I am a candidate for County Commissioner to a four year term in the Democratic Primary, Saturday, May 27. Your vote and active support will be much appreciated.

G. W. KNOTT.

FOR CONSTABLE

I announce my candidacy for constable of Henderson Township, subject to the Democratic Primary on May 27, 1944. Your vote and support will be appreciated.

BATTLE S. EASTWOOD.

State
Tomorrow-Saturday
TEX O'BRIEN
GEO. NEWILL
—in—
"FRONTIER LAW"
BILL ELLIOTT SERIAL
And Chap. One
"SKY RAIDERS"
2 SERIALS AND A FEATURE

The STEVENSON
Today Only
JUDY GARLAND
VAN HEFLIN
—in—
"PRESENTING LILY MARS"
SERIAL & NEWS
Friday-Saturday
Johnny Mack Brown
—in—
"RAIDERS OF THE BORDER"
Late Show
SAT. NITE — 11:30 P. M.
"CHAN IN THE SECRET SERVICE"

Speaks at State

DR. WALTER R. MILES

Raleigh, April 26.—Dr. Walter R. Miles, professor of psychology at Yale University and a member of the board of permanent officers of the Yale School of Medicine, will speak on "Problems in the Where Hall auditorium at State College Saturday night at 8. His appearance here is sponsored jointly by the College Chapter of the Society of the Sigma Xi and the Public Lectures Committee.

Hospital To Get $1,508 Duke Funds

Maria Parham Hospital here will receive a donation of $1,508 from the Duke Endowment, according to announcement by the Endowment's trustees in Charlotte. The donation, based on free care given by eligible hospitals during the past year.

This donation was one of 33 to hospitals in North Carolina and South Carolina in a supplemental award, amounting in the aggregate to $78,056. The trustees developed plans at their March meeting in New York to a great number of other hospitals in the two states. Justice hospital for colored here shared in the March distribution to the amount of more than $1,000, so that total funds from the Endowment during the calendar year 1943 will amount to close to $6,000 in this county.

Hospital patients for which increased to $775,339 for the year, a record for the Duke Endowment, more than $67,379 in North Carolina hospitals and 40 patients in the free wards at their March meeting in New York.

The distribution for last Tuesday included $34,223 for 23 North Carolina hospitals and $21,721 for South Carolina hospitals.

Altogether, 130 Carolina hospitals have been assisted, based on free work for 1943.

DRAFT BOARD STILL LISTS MISSING MEN

The local Selective Service board has sent mail to the following registrants, and it has been returned to the office undelivered, the board announced today. Any person knowing the whereabouts of these registrants is asked to notify the board.

Eurise Fugester Long, James Ellis, Frank Barney Hawkins, Daniel Hargrove, Henry Lee Perry, Sam Peoples, Dewey Davis, Alexander Williams, Albert Manson, John Calvin Evans, James Sylvester Wiggins, James Cree Jackson, Pete Raven Davis, Edward C. Bobbitt, Major Hampton Towns.

Meeting at Colored Church

There will be a union of the Woman's Home Mission Society, Sunday, April 30, at Saint Andrews Christian church, colored, it was announced today. Services will begin at 11 o'clock and will continue throughout the day. Dinner will be served at the grounds of the church. The public is invited to attend.

Books Open On Saturday For Election

Registration Will Continue Two Weeks For Coming Primary

Registration books for the Vance county Democratic primary will open on Saturday of this week and will be open for three Saturdays, or through May 13, it was stated today by D. T. McLendon, chairman of the Vance County Board of Elections. The same dates will be observed for registration throughout the State.

On Saturday, May 20, the books will be open at polling places for challenges. Registrars will be at polling places from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. on the three Saturdays to enroll qualified voters. They may be contacted at their homes at any other time during the period.

Registrars and judges of election were named by the elections board several weeks ago, and books have been turned over to registrars for use in the enrolling period.

The elections board is mailing absentee ballots to soldiers who are away and cannot be here for the primary. Mrs. George T. Pegram, clerk of the board's office in the court house, said today some forty or fifty ballots had been mailed, on application of soldiers themselves or relatives. A few have been sent overseas for the State primary, but not for the county primary, as the lists were not complete in time.

Some ballots have already been returned from soldiers now in posts in this country, and these will be kept and voted in the May 27 primary.

Grange Meets At Middleburg Hut Wednesday Night

The Middleburg Grange met at the community house last night with an attendance of 26 reported. The program was in charge of C. B. Basset.

Travis Credle made a talk on the work of the National Farm Loan Association. Charlie Bassett talked on the food production plans.

Following their talks a quartet from Spring Valley gave special music and Mrs. J. K. Reid presented several stunts.

Misses Emma Lee and Ruby Hawkins, Eugene Bassett, and Mrs. Howard Currin were received as new members at the meeting last night.

Ice cream and cake were served at the conclusion of the meeting.

SERVICES WEDNESDAY FOR MRS. J. H. HOYLE

Funeral services for the late Mrs. John H. Hoyle were held from the home on the Henderson-Kittrell road Wednesday afternoon at 4:45 o'clock, in charge of Rev. O. W. Mathison, pastor of Gillburg Methodist church, of which the deceased had been a member for many years. Burial was in the family cemetery near the home.

Mrs. Hoyle died suddenly of a heart attack Sunday night about 10 o'clock. She was a native of Granville county but had lived in the Sandy Creek section for many years.

Services were delayed pending arrival of a son, Corporal Wilson Edson Hoyle from his post at Tacoma, Wash., who came home Tuesday night.

Active pallbearers were named as follows: G. T. Robertson, Harold Fuller, J. B. Satterfield, B. M. Newman, Tollie Smith and Edward Lloyd. Honorary pallbearers were selected from among friends of the service.

FARMERS RECEIVE 410 TONS OF LIME

Farmers of Vance county have received seven carloads of limestone in the amount of 401 tons, Walter L. Wilson, secretary of the AAA, reported today. This material has been received by 83 farmers thus far on the 1944 program, he stated.

Orders for three carloads of superphosphate have been made, and are expected to arrive soon.

Any farmer who expects to order any limestone or superphosphate through the AAA for the 1944 year should do so at once, he urged, as it will probably be the latter part of the summer before the material can be obtained. All limestone ordered will be delivered to the farm but all superphosphate will have to be called for at the railroad siding when it arrives, it was stated.

Only farmers are eligible to receive this material.

LOST ON TUESDAY, YOUNG ALLIGATOR

The firemen's alligator is lost and they want it back. Lyman McLean recently received the alligator from a friend in Florida and gave it to the firemen to keep in their fish pool.

And before they could even decide on a name for the alligator, it got itching feet and wandered off Tuesday night. It is not big enough to make either a pair of shoes or a bag, so it wouldn't be of much use to anybody.

If any one sees a brown spotted alligator, about one foot long, aged one year, wandering around, the fire department would appreciate their sending it back home.

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Thursday-Friday
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"Madame Curie"
Also — LATEST WAR NEWS

Feed Markets Mostly Quiet

Raleigh, April 25.—By the war food administration, office of distribution and the North Carolina Department of Agriculture. The April 18 stocks and processing report of the bureau of agricultural economics shows about one and one-third million pounds of farmers' stock peanuts milled farm September 1, 1943 through March 31, 1944. The quantity of peanuts cleaned and shelled during this period was about 6 percent higher than for the corresponding period last year, while the quantity crushed was about 10 percent higher.

There has been practically no movement of farmers' stock peanuts for edible trade in any section. In the Virginia-Carolina area only cleaned fancys and jumbos were available. Sales for shelling point, per pound—Virginias, jumbos 13 1-4 cents; Fancys 15 cents.

Feeds

Feed markets were mostly unchanged during the week with prices remaining firm at ceiling levels. What millfeeds were in urgent demand. A slight advancement in price which the brewers asked in this section for brewers dried grains advanced the index number of wholesale foodstuff to 193.6 compared with 193.5 for the previous week and 171.8 for the corresponding period last year.

Contrary to expectations, the overall hog marketing situation has shown no improvement during the current month to date at local markets and at the leading terminal markets. During March prices rose to the highest levels since November, 1943, but most of these gains were lost by the first of April, and, in the face of continued seasonal heavy receipts values have sagged to around the support level at practically all markets. Considering the fact that on April 15 the support weight was narrowed from the previous 200 to 240 pound range to 200 to 270 pounds, price averages generally below February averages as weights from 270 to 330 pounds are now mostly from 25 cents to 75 cents below the previous support price on these weights.

Cotton

Cotton prices in the 10 spot markets averaged 20.03 cents on Friday, April 21, against 21.06 a week earlier and 21.21 a year ago. Prices retained some ground following a mid-week slump of about 25 points. Premiums and discounts for grade and staple lengths were mostly unchanged this week but Memphis premiums for some of the longer staples (1-1 3-inch and longer) narrowed somewhat.

Reported spot sales in the 10 markets this week totaled 85,100 bales against 102,900 in the previous week and 65,100 a year earlier. Domestic mills continue to buy on a hand-to-mouth basis. Offerings by farmers were small in volume and the recent decline in cotton prices will tend to restrict sales by farmers and repossession from the 1942 and 1943 loan stocks.

AROUND TOWN

MAPLE STREET LOT

John W. Thomas and wife sold to John K. Brown and wife a lot on Maple street for $40 and other consideration in a deed recorded yesterday at the register of deeds office.

DRUNK CASE

Henry Grissom, white, was tried in police court today for being drunk in a public place. His sentence of 30 days was suspended upon payment of a fine of five dollars and costs of court.

ROOSEVELT ENTERTAINS AUSSIE PRIME MINISTER

Washington, April 27. (AP)—The White House announced that President Roosevelt had entertained Prime Minister John Curtin of Australia and President-elect Teodoro Picado of Costa Rica at luncheon at his vacation residence in the South.

The two official visitors to this country were accompanied to the luncheon by their wives. Mrs. Roosevelt also was present.

After the luncheon the Prime Minister and Mrs. Curtin, Senor Picado and Senora De Picado and Mrs. Roosevelt returned to Washington. The first lady is entertaining the Curtin at a White House dinner tonight.

Prayer Meeting Friday Night

Prayer meeting will be held in the home of W. H. Casper, at the fairgrounds, Friday night at 7:45 o'clock, it was announced today. Services will be conducted by A. L. Hogan. The public is invited to attend.

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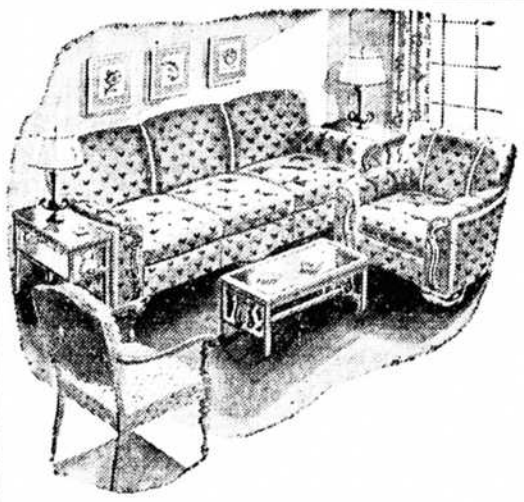

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