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# **\$5000 IS LIMIT TO**

Law Says Not More Than \$5,000 Can Be Spent by a Candidate in Election for Congress in 8th District.

Neither C. B. Deane nor John R. Jones can spend more than \$5000 to get elected this Nov. 8thprovided either can get hold of anywhere near that amount!

The Federal corrupt practices act limits Congressional expendi tures to \$2500 where the total Congressional vote in the previous election was less than 83,334 votes. That would be at the rate of 3c per vote.

But where the total vote was over 83,334, then the maximum is raised to not over \$5000-or not over 6c per vote.

In this 8th district election in 1936, a total of 85,545 votes were cast, and so our district will come under the \$5000 bracket. other words, the Federal law will! much as \$5000 to get elected, but not a cent more.

In only four district in North Carolina can \$5000 be spent by a candidate—the 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th districts. In the other seven districts, and in all six districts in South Carolina, only \$2500 can be spent by a candidate, inasmuch as the vote in those districts was less than 83,334 votes.

Of course this spending refers to legitimate expenses-advertising, organization, letters, etc. and at his home in West Rockingham not to what we jocularly referred Sunday afternoon at 4:30, Oct. to as "six cents a vote".

#### FREIGHT WRECK

Westbound Seaboard freight No. 87 was wrecked a mile east of Wingate about 9:30 Tuesday flowers. The interment was in night. 17 cars in the middle of the train were derailed, and 150 yards of track torn up. There were 80 cars in the train; traffic Thomas, Benton Thomas, Crawwas blocked for over 6 hours.

#### LISKE REUNION AT BETHEL

There will be a reunion of the Liske clan at Bethel Baptist church, two miles west of Mount Gilead, on Sunday, Oct. 16th. Every member of the clan is urged to be present, and bring din

#### 'Leggers Caught in Oxford

The Mayor of Oxford recently employed the Branch Detective as, was born Nov. 25, 1827, and Agency to ferret out bootleggers in that town. Four under cover men worked there for three days, and on Oct. 10th swooped down Dec. 14, 1915. on 19 violators-and all of them were sent to the roads. Only two and sisters: Mrs. W. J. McDiramid Oxford restaurants were unre- of Red Springs; Walter S. Thompresented in the lot.

#### W. O. W. OSYTER SUPPER

The members of Charter Oak camp No. 5. W. O. W. are invited Thomas and Crosland Thomas. to an oyster supper at the hall Friday night, Oct. 21st, at 7:0.— W. M. Hale, Fin. Sec.

#### Vice Pres. of Glee Club

J. E. McCall, of Ellerbe, is vice president of the State College Glee Club. The club will make a winter tour to many of the high schools, and it is possible the club may come to Ellerbe for a concert

#### SUPPER AT LEDBETTER'S

Friday night, 14th, at 7 o'clock. and Mrs. Will McDiarmid, Hall The public is most cordially in- Lackey, of Raeford; Grady Thomvited.

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Battery Radio SET COMPLETE \$24.95

750-HOUR BATTERY

**Economy Auto Supply** L. C. Maske, Mgr.

# DEATHS

OUTLAW Child ED. C. THOMAS MRS. J. J. WARD Dr., H. W. LILLY

#### DR. H. W. LILLY

Dr. Henry Walter Lilly, 82, died at Fayetteville Oct. 11th. He was a retired banker and manufacturer. He was son of Edmund Jones and Hannah Picket Leake Lilly. His wife and 5 children survive, and a sister Mrs. R. T. Gray of Raleigh.

#### MRS. J. J. WARD DEAD

#### Formerly Miss Mae Stubbs.

Mrs. J. J. Ward of Chattanooga, Tenn., died Oct. 4th at the age Sept. 28th. It shows total reof 49. Mrs. Ward was before her marriage Miss Mae Stubbs, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. \$247,730. M. R. Stubbs of Rockingham.

Surviving are one son, Claude permit a candidate to spend as Meacham of Atlanta, one brother O. J. Stubbs of Rockingham, and three sisters: Mrs. F. M. Bush of Orlando, Fla., Mrs. J. B. Miller of Jacksonville, and Mrs. W. C. ing 37 people, that can be avail-through West Rockingham. Smith of Rockingham.

Smith attended the funeral which Hill Oct. 29th-if as many as 37 was held in Chattanooga.

#### Ed. C. Thomas

#### Died at Home Here Oct. 9th.

Edward Crosland Thomas died 9th. He had been in especially poor health for the past year.

The funeral was held from the Pauls. home Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. M. C. McLamb. Many friends were present, and lovely Old Eastside cemetery beside his parents and other kindred.

The pall-bearers were Marshall Thomas, Jr., of Red Springs: John and Grady Thomas of Reckingham -all nephews of the deceased.

Ed. Thomas was born June 29 1872, son of William Jackson and Mary Jane Covington Thomas, two miles west of Ellerbe. There were eight children in this family-four now dead: Wm. Jackson Thomas, William Preston Thomas, James Crawford Thomas and now Edward Crolsand Thomas. His father, W. J. Thomdied Dec. 30, 1893. His mother, Mary Jane Covington Thomas. was born May 31, 1841, and died

Surviving are four brothers as, clerk of court; John W. Thomas and Miss Mary Thomas.

His wife survives, the former ed children-Miss Carrie Byrd

Mr. Thomas was a quiet, unassuming gentleman, diligent in his farming pursuits and with perhaps not an enemy in the world. His death now is a regret to many friends.

Among the many friends from out-of-town who came for the lay, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ingram, of Mt. Gilead; Mr. and Mrs. Griggs, News has Marks Creek. of Wadesboro; Mrs. Alice McRae and daughter from Augusta; Mr. and Mrs. Benton Thomas of Rae-The ladies of Ledbetter's Me- ford; Mr. and Mrs. Stephen F. thodist church will give a "Vari- Thomas of Maxton; Mrs. James C. ety" supper at the church this Thomas and son Crawford, Mr. as of Cheraw; Mrs. Inez Lebtz and family of Raeford: Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Hallie McRae, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brady, Miss Mamie Baldwin ington; Miss Virginia Kelly of deen Oct. 24th, with R. Liberty.

#### Outlaw Child Dies From Burns

Grady Outlaw, 2 1-2, died Oct. 9th from burns suffered when he fell into a tub of hot lye water Duke hospital from head injuries the day before. The little boy received at Chapel Hill Oct. 9th. was son of Mr. and Mrs. Brock Lester Donathan, of Ellerbe, was burial was at Mizpah Monday.

Sanford to Be Played at Sanford Tomorrow (Friday).

Games Already Played: Sept. 30-Rham 13; L'berton 7. Oct. 7-R'ham 24; Elise 0. Oct. 14-R'ham ?; Sanford

Unloosing a good running at tack, Rockingham high school's football team smashed its way to a 24 to 0 victory over a heavy Elise Academy eleven from Hemp here Friday, Oct. 7th.

#### The locals were superior (Continued on page eleven)

#### BANK STATEMENT

In this issue appears the statement of the Farmers Bank, as of sources of \$1,227,887. The posits amount to \$994,942, loans Cash in vault and due from banks \$524,769.

#### BUS TO CAR-DUKE GAME?

provide a brand new bus, hold-than by the regular highway able for those wishing to attend Mr and Mrs. Stubbs and Mrs. the Carolina-Duke game at Chapel can be secured. The roundtrip will be \$2.75. If you would like to take this cheap and combe secured to get the bus.

#### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Oct. 5-W. L. Stricklin Hamlet, Gladys Gibson 27, St.

To the Democratic Women of Richmond County:

the State Democratic Women's He invites you to see the new Rally will be held in Raleigh, models finer than ever but much North Carolina, and we hope that cheaper. ford Thomas of Raeford; Tebe Richmond County will be well represented at this Rally by the Democratic Women of the County. We urge all Democratic Women in the County that can possibly do so to attend this Rally on next Saturday.

J. C. Sedberry,

Chairman. Mrs. Archie McDougald, Vice-Chairman Richmond Dem. Ex. Com.

#### Pegram is Registrar for Hamlet No. 1 Precinct

J. W. Pegram is the Registrar for the Hamlet No. 1 precinct, taking the place made vacant by the resignation of Felix Cannon. Mr. Cannon served as Registrar in the last two primaries, and was re-elected for this Nov. 8th election, but felt it too big a sacrifice to lose his higher pay Annie Byrd Davis; and two adopt- from the railroad work in order to get the \$3 per day allowed as Registrar.

#### DELINQUENT TAX LIST

The annual delinquent tax lists are being printed, the sale to be Nov. 7th. The Post-Dispatch is printing the lists for Rockingham, Black Jack and Steeles and Corporations. The Journal funeral were Mrs. Aulay McAu- has Wolf Pit, Mineral Springs and Beaver Dam. The Hamlet

#### FOX HUNTERS MEET

The N. C. Fox Hunters Association is in annual meeting this week in Burke county, at Morganton. Sheriff H. L. Mays, of Taylorsville, was president for this past year.

#### B. & L. District Meeting

The B. & L. Associations of of Ellerbe; Loyce Kelly of Wash- this district will meet in Aber-Chandler of Southern Pines in

#### WHITE IN DUKE HOSPITAL

Vernon White, of Ellerbe, is in ing further developments.

### Oil Treated Roads

Steele Street and Hamer Hill 3-mile Road Nearly Finished.

The State highway forces at long last have oil-treated the Hamer Hill road and the westward extension of Steele street.

Or rather the job is nearly done. The first coat of gravel and oil-cement has been laid and of the Greensboro News won the the roads again opened to traffic. The second layer of the gravel and oil will be put on in about ten days.

ern edge of town, and runs north scores were: for a bit over three miles to connect with the Ellerbe-Rockingham hard surfaced road at the Minnie Hicks home.

The Steele street work started at the edge of town and extends with it westward by Pee Dee No. 1 office and across Hitchcock Creek to connect with the Hamer Hill road.

Both jobs are worth while, and most welcome to the public. In fact, the distance from the Farmers Bank corner to the Hicks intersection is about half a mile The Queen City Coach Co., will nearer by the Hamer Hill road

#### LADY KILLS A DEER

Mrs. Vernon Dowless down in Bladen county last week killed a 200-lb. 8-prong buck, bringing him fortable trip, get in touch with down with one shot. And on Agent R. L. Pryce, as 37 must the same day, Mr. Dowless killed a smaller one. Mrs. Dowless was the former Carrie Mae Williams of Rockingham.

#### **NEW PONTIAC CARS**

already received and sold four of On Saturday, October 15, 1938, the new cars-beautiful creations.

#### CIVITANS FOR TRACHERS

ven, and T. C. Hollowell of Rock- see it. ingham.

#### DIESEL DEMONSTRATION

Wednesday morning, John L Everett, Jr., was host to some thirty manufacturers and ginners from this locality, at a demonstration of the power and efficiency of the new General Motors Diesel power plant.

Mr. Everett, who is the representative for the Power Engine and Equipment Co. of Asheville in this section, was very enthusiastic over the performance of the model which was being dempower plants." The engine was In 1937 it totalled 8,878. mounted on the same truck which brought it here and altho ginned to Oct. 1st as compared it was set up only for the tem- with 217,862 to that date last power necessary to run both the with last year, are: Grenaco mill and the grist mill.

Following the demonstration, a p delicious barbecue was served to the guests. Among those present were Bill Murphy, who is the Vice-President of the Power Engine and Equipment Co., and Joe L. Hunter, who is the Sec .-Treas. of the same company.

#### HIGHLAND PINES AUCTION

Highland Pines development, be- from 3 P. M. until 5 P. M. tween East Rockingham and Hamlet, will be held this Saturday, Oct. 15th, at 10 o'clock. Free prizes, brass band, etc. J. T. West, Realtor, invites you to this sale.

#### U. D. C. CONVENTION

The annual U. D. C. convention

### FOOTBALL GUESSES

Wake Forest Student Wins \$1. Comes Nearest to Oct. 8th Wins.

> Carolina 14, Tulane 17. Duke 7, Colgate 0. State 0, Alabama 14.

On Oct. 1st, Laurence Leonard dollar for guessing closest to three games that day.

lar for guessing Oct. 8th three prizes, on the Public Square. The Hamer Hill job starts at games is Ben B. Ussery, student Hitchcock Creek bridge, on noth- at Wake Forest. His guesses and

7.73	ctual Score	His Guess
Carolina	14	14
Tulane	17	7
Duke	7	7
Colgate	0	0
State	0	0
Alabama	14	20

Bill Everett, now working in Charleston, guessed the State-Ala. score exactly, 14-0, but fell down on the other two. Ben Ussery exactly guaged the Duke-Colgate score-7-0. John Hammond was nearest to the Carolina-Tulane score; the actual score was 17-14, and he guessed it to be 13-13.

And, by the way, that Carolina-Tulane game was well scouted. In all, there were 1500 "scouts" -Boy Scouts from all parts of the State on their annual Jam-

Send the Post-Dispatch your guesses for the games for Saturday-week, Oct. 22nd - between Duke-Wake gave the \$10. Forest, State-Furman. Fill in Next, Miss Evelyn Yates was Carolina-Davidson, The first of the new 1939 model your guess and send to the Postcars is being advertised through Dispatch. A dollar is given to the Post-Dispatch this issue-the the one predicting closest to all Pontiac. Penegar Motor Co., has three games. Costs you nothing to guess.

### FOUR DAUGHTERS" COMING names of patrons of the stores

written on slips. When the name The new picture, "Four Daught of Miss Loyce Little, teacher in ters," will be shown at the Rich- the Cordova school, was called, mond theatre Wed Thurs, and Fri. of next week. It features The 43 teachers of the Rocking- the three Lane sisters and Gale ham schools are to be guests of Page. This is a splendid picture, the Civitan club at their meeting one that you will regret if you at 6:30 next Thursday night, Oct. miss it. Keep the three days in mind, and see the four daughters. At the meeting of the club Oct. It is not often that "Cotton" 6th, the guest-speaker was Marcus comes out with a 4-star o. k. on Ham of the Morven club. Other a picture, but this is one time he guests were Mr. Stegall of Mor- has a right to. It is really tops;

#### TEACHERS TO MEET

Courthouse at 10:30 a. m.

The white teachers of the county will meet at the Courthouse this Saturday, Oct. 15th, at 10:30, called together by Supt. L. J. Bell. Those interested in joining an extension class will let that fact be known Saturday.

#### COTTON GINNINGS

1,501 bales of cotton were ginonstrated. This was the 90 h. ned in Richmond county to Oct. p. model, and is, as Mr. Everett 1st, as compared with 4,169 to so aptly put it, the "leader in its the same date last year. The field-in fact the criterion of county crop will not reach 5,000

In the state, 74,707 bales were porary demonstration, proved its year. Ginnings in neighboring worthiness by supplying the counties to Oct. 1st as compared

Oct.	1, '38.	10-1-'37
Richmond	1,501	4,169
Anson		8,157
Montgomery		1,270
Scotland		12,329
Robeson		17,543

Charity League Book Shelf The Charity League Book Shelf will start new hours of opening. The Shelf will be opened every An auction sale of lots in the Monday, Wednesday and Friday

#### Deane-Burgin No Change

The Deane-Burgin matter at present seems tied up in Wake Superior Court at Raleigh, but Deane forces are optimistic.

The State Board has found that Deane has a majority of the legal votes cast, but a Court mandamus Outlaw of East Rockingham. The released under \$2000 bond pend- met at Newbern Oct. 12th and by Burgin is holding certification

### TEACHER IS WINNER OF \$25 FIRST PRIZE

**Econemy Auty Supply Rates First** in Window Lighting Contest.

The "Better Window Lighting" Contest, initiated by the Carolina Power & Light Co., and sponsored by the Merchants Association for the stores of Rockingham, came to its climax the night of And now the winner of the dol- Oct. 7th with a drawing for the

> The Rockingham band, under Prof. Ponish and managed by Townsend Smith, made excellent music for forty minutes prior to the drawing. This band is really good, and contributed no little to the success of the evening. President Bill Fuher, of the Association, had arranged for the Morse big truck to be placed, with lights, by the curb at the Confederate monument. And from this platform the band playedand at 9:15 the drawing started. Supervising the drawing was Tom Wheeler, with Isaac London as announcer. Mrs. Ruby Burroughs had charge of the prizes.

> In all, 43 prizes from the various stores were given. Then the announcement in the Better Window lighting contest-\$10 to the Economy Auto Supply store. Claude Maske was called to the plaform to receive the award for his artistry and energy in winning first place. And it might be added, that Claude took the award modestly, and said he felt the real credit belonged to his two assistants, Letha Gardner and Herdis Copeland to whom he

> presented \$10 for writing the best 50-word essay on why better windows are an asset to a store. And finally the Grand Prize-\$25 in cash. Four numbers were drawn before the winner-they were not numbered-merely the

> sent" and received the \$25. In all, the week of "better window lighting" proved very successful, and has impressed

upon merchant and customer the advantages of having better lighting effects, and more care in window display.

#### LEGION OFFICERS

Installed on Oct. 7th, 1938.

Officers of Post 147 were installed the night of Oct. 7th at HERE THIS SATURDAY the Courthouse, conducted by Judge Don Phillips.

The officers for the ensuing years are: M. T. Pooey, Commander.

W. H. Bullard, Robt. Stansill and M. J. Pate, Vice. Com. Zebulon Gibson, Adjutant. Carl Cox, Service Officer. H. B. Knowlen, Sergeant-Arms.

Rev. J. F. Herbert, Chaplain.

Lonnie Cole, Historian. R. L. Saunders, Athletics. Dr. T. B. Henry, Welfare. M. E. Stewart, Americanism J. H. Haywood, Graves Reg.

R. D. Ackerman, Emplymt.

### BOBBY GOING GOOD

W. H. Eubanks, Legion Sons.

Bobby Saunders is going swell. as half-back on Kentucky Military Institute, at Lynwood, Ky. In the opening game with Columbia M. I., Bobby's team won 14-12. Bobby did the punting, averaging 55.6 yards in 15 punts.

## RICHMOND THEATRE

FRIADY and SATURDAY Gene Autry in "Prairie Moon" Also POPEYE

MONDAY and TUESDAY Morning Show Tuesday Charlie McCarthy and Bergen "Letter of Introduction"

WED., THURS., FRIDAY "Four Daughters"