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Carter's Column

By—W. Horace Carter

FISHING: Rucy Hewitt, Ralph Inman and I tried an October fishing trip to Florida last week. While in the past we have made the trip many times and had some outstanding success on a number of occasions, we had never tried the fishing there in October before. The chances are that we won't try it again either. We just didn't catch 'em. There's no doubt about it, we would have caught considerably more fish if we had stayed right here and fished in the millpond. It just happens to be the wrong time of year for Florida fishing.

But we were impressed with the fine spirit of cooperation the Florida folks showed us and their extraordinary efforts to try to help us catch fish even when they were not biting.

The new management of Shady Acres fishing resort at Leesburg were the most cooperative and helpful folks we have ever run into while down there fishing, and we look forward to visiting with them again around Christmas time. We know that the fish bite then from past year's experience.

One of the fishing problems in Florida now is the extreme

low water. The lakes and streams are four feet or more lower than we have ever seen them before and they just haven't had any rain to speak of in central Florida for months. The citrus groves are laden with green fruit and irrigation is going on everywhere but as one can't irrigate water to land, it's a pretty dry day in Leesburg now would be one in which it rains all day.

It's dry here in Tabor City but nothing to compare with the Florida drought.

But be that as it may, and even though we caught the only one caught fish to eat, we enjoyed the trip. And while the fish weren't biting, it gave us an opportunity to explore a number of new fishing holes and creeks that look mighty good. We will give them a try later on when the fish get in the mood for eating something.

FOOTBALL: The heads lost by a narrow margin at Lumberton last Friday in a game that was anybody's until a minute or two before the final game. The game was indicative of the excellent season that is being enjoyed by the Red Devils. We don't know how many years it has been, but it has been several since a team had a won-lost record here to compare with this aggregation. They have only one more game to go and they are against the unbeaten, unscathed team, Elizabethtown. We don't believe the local team will hold very long and they will be against Elizabethtown even if their record is unscathed. We had no choice game that can go to either side. And regardless of how good Elizabethtown might be, the Red Devils might remember what the late famed Knute Rockne told one of his teams, "They can't play but eleven men at the time and they put their pants on just like we do."

But win or lose this coming Friday, we hope the team and its followers will keep in mind that the season is already a great success from every angle.

THANKSGIVING: It's only a few more days until Thanksgiving. It's close enough to make everyone stop a moment and take a little inventory of his life's things since last Thanksgiving. Farmers have had a good year generally and local business men may not all want to admit it, but their business has been good too. Just invent some inventory can think of a number of reasons why he should rejoice this Thanksgiving. For that matter, every Thanksgiving and every day.

MISTAKE: It was too late to even make a note about it on the front page, but we came up with an error in Baker's Red and White advertisement last week when we listed steak at 29 cents a pound instead of 29 cents a pound. We hope Baker's customer's didn't give him too much trouble about the mistake which was ours and not his. Steaks are rightfully distributed over errors like this because when a customer comes in to make a purchase of the item and he has to pay, it was an error, some folks have the idea the wrong price was in the ad on purpose just to attract the customer. Let us assure you that such is not the case with Mr. Baker nor is it true with any of the other advertisers that we have in The Tribune.

FIRE: The loss of Cox Brothers Furniture plant here by fire last week is a catastrophe for its owners and the community as well. This fine little locally-owned industry had come along fine since its beginning and was just getting into real production when fire snuffed it out. The Cox Brothers received a lot of credit for starting this Tabor City industry on their own and without assistance from anybody. They deserve a great deal of sympathy now and if they dare to rebuild the plant, we hope the local citizenry will provide all the support it can to the undertaking and help in the rebuilding if its owners ask for such assistance. This industry deserves just as much support as any of the other prospects that we hunt for and trace down in an effort to entice them to locate here. Perhaps this deserves even more consideration.

17-Jewel Shockproof Expansion Band
LADY'S WRIST WATCH 21.50
including federal tax
—choice of yellow or white gold case—
DORMAN JEWELERS
Tabor City

Editorials...

THE BOND ISSUE

As North Carolina continues to grow and expand in industrial development and improved agricultural production, the demand for services from an enlarging population requires that state government and its many functions also expand the agencies and services to keep pace with the demand of the citizens.

Unfortunately these governmental functions have not kept pace with the requirements of the progressive people. Even a progressive state such as North Carolina — that fails to plan ahead — soon finds itself behind.

Realizing this and the desperate need for improvements, the 1961 General Assembly authorized a bond issue, subject to the vote of the people on November 7, to provide the needed essential capital improvements. When

approved by a majority vote of the people, the \$61,665,000 will provide ample room and facilities in ten different areas.

The method of paying for these necessities was also worked out by the General Assembly of 1961. The legislators provided that the bond payments will be made in an orderly manner out of current taxes.

The plan of paying for these state wide improvements is much the same as the way that the average family buys a new car and pays for it as it is being used.

The need for these improvements is apparent — the method of paying for the improvements with no new taxes has already been approved. All that is needed now is an outpouring of the people approving this plan on election day — November 7th.

James Floyd Pledges Lambi Chi At E.C.C.

James Floyd of Loris has been pledged to Lambi Chi social fraternity at East Carolina College, Greenville, N. C., according to an announcement by John Matthews, of Hertford, chapter president.

The Lambi Chi chapter is planning a busy year.

Activities and projects proposed include sponsoring a

giving a Christmas party for underprivileged children; and sponsoring an Easter egg hunt for other underprivileged children. Plans are also being made for Mother's Day to be observed at the fraternity home. Highlighting the year's social activities will be the annual Crescent Girl Ball to be held here on campus and the state dance to be held in Durham.

Gilbert Miller, presently in the Navy, was home over the weekend.

Stuart Milligan was home from Wingers.

Twin City CAP Aids In SARCAP

The Twin Cities Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol was alerted Friday morning for the practice Search and Rescue (SARCAP) mission to be held at the Florence municipal airport.

The Air Force put out five parachutes as targets and three of the targets were found Saturday and the other two were found Sunday.

With the cooperation of the airport personnel, the Air

Agriculture in Action

Members of the local unit participating were: Capt. Robert Elliott, Wendell Vaughn, and Derrell Van H. Commanders-Capt. Ernest Elliott, S/M Dewey Vaughn, S/M Wynon Lupo, S/M Dan Reeves, S/M Billy Gore, S/M Marion Hart-

Cynthia Carter was home from Winthrop.

To The Editor

Dear Sir:

Enclosed you will find the \$3.00 to pay for my next year's subscription to the Tabor City Tribune. I want to thank you for continuing to send my paper, even after my subscription ran out. We do really enjoy having your paper come to our home, more than any other paper we have ever read. I sure do thank you for continuing my paper. I don't know of any other paper that would have done that much for one of its subscribers.

Thanks a lot to all of you.
Sarah B. Cribb
Route 3, Box 225
Whiteville, N. C.

Rea Dalton Boyd, 65

Rea Dalton Boyd, 65, father of the Broadway section of Horry County died in a Loris Hospital Sunday night.

Funeral services were held in the chapel of the Hardwick Funeral Home Tuesday at 3 p. m. with the Rev. Wilbur Squires officiating. Burial was in Cape Branch Cemetery.

Surviving in addition to the widow are a daughter, Mrs. Kathleen Fowler of near Conway; two brothers, Thurman Boyd and Harvey Boyd of Loris; and two sisters, Mrs. J. F. Misher and Mrs. M. N. Todd of overseas troops, for the use of Loris.

The Very Best In Fully Guaranteed Used Cars

- '61 FORD STARLINE — A Showroom car, approx. 6 months left on factory warranty. A beauty in black, fully equipped with Fordomatic drive, radio, heater. Low mileage! \$2695
- '59 OLDSMOBILE — No nicer car in the country! Red and black, with radio, heater, power steering and power brakes — only \$2295
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- '59 OLDSMOBILE Convertible — A showroom car with radio, heater and straight drive \$2195
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- '59 PONTIAC CATALINA — A two - door hardtop in red finish. In excellent condition \$2195
- '60 FORD STARLINE — A one - owner car. Red finish with cruise-o-matic drive, power steering, radio and heater \$1995
- '59 PANELED VOLKSWAGON — In tip-top shape! New Motor \$1295

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- '59 FORD — Four-door Sedan Custom 300 with automatic transmission, radio and heater \$1295
- '55 MERCURY — Four-door Sedan with power steering and power brakes. A ONE-OWNER CAR \$545
- '56 FORD — Your choice of red two - door Fairlane with power steering and brakes or blue four-door Sedan, fully automatic. Each for \$395
- '52 BUICK — Four-door Sedan. A ONE-Owner Car \$395
- '55 MERCURY — Two-door Sedan with radio, heater, and automatic transmission \$345

It's Coming Soon!

The All New FAIRLANE 500 you've been hearing so much about! IT'S the car that's just about right for everybody — Just between the Galaxie and Falcon in size and price.

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And In This Corner ---

By CHARLES YOUNG

Only The Feet Footed

A group was gathered and they were drinking coffee and talking about the fire out at Cox Brothers Thursday night. Some one asked how it was that the volunteer firemen could get the truck out and on the way so soon after the alarm was sounded. Another told him that when the apartment members hear the siren, they race to see who gets to drive the truck.

Partner In A Growing Business

The more we hear about building fall-out shelters, the more we are conscious of an ad we saw in a dolly newspaper a few weeks ago.

The ad showed a picture of the Grim Reaper in his shroud, carrying his scythe in the ready position. It appeared that he was doing the talking.

He offered an adequate inexpensive family shelter, he said it was a real bargain. No down payment and no 20 years to pay. He was grinning, as usual. His bony hands were clasped in expectant glee.

He didn't quite get away with it. 20 years? Who's figuring what?

On The Way Into Town

We had been talking with Venoy Stephens at his Builder's Sunday. We went out and started to get in the car. A big new shiny black Oldsmobile came slowly along the highway, toward Tabor. At almost a snail's pace. A well dressed man and woman sat in the front seat.

As the car passed, the man turned up a colored glass bottle with a long neck (you know, one of those kind) and took a long pull. We could see his Adam's apple bobble. Then he passed the jug to the woman, and she turned it up and drank likewise. She made a face and handed it back to him. He turned it up again and the last of it drained down his throat. He reached out the window on his side and with a flick of a practiced wrist, tossed the bottle into the weeds beside the road. It bounced and shattered.