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A VIEW OF A LOVELY CHEST



Marilyn Monroe, appearing in the 20th Century-Fox Technicolor production, "A Ticket to Tomahawk," takes her jewelry from her miniature Lane Cedar Chest during a visit to New York. The Lane miniature chest is an exact duplicate of those to be presented tonight to high school graduates by Whitley Furniture Company of Zebulon.

There's Plenty of Time in a Man's Life for Him to Act Like a Fool

Well, Little River Township was fairly well represented at the precinct meeting with 23 good Democrats present, including Loomis Parrish, who was converted from a damyankee Ohio Republican. At the county convention in Raleigh we had eight people from this township, and at the State Democratic convention two folks from Little River showed up.

The precinct meeting concerned itself with reelecting all the precinct officers. The county convention reelected all the county officers. But the state convention did more. Everybody present had a wonderful time lambasting the Republicans.

There were plenty of supporters in evidence for all three of the senatorial candidates. Ribbons fastened to lapels read "Graham" or "Smith." Everywhere you looked, you saw ribbons. The lady who sat directly in front of me peered at one gentleman's ribbon and asked, "What is Mr. Reception running for?" The gentleman explained that he was ushering as a member of the reception committee.

A delegate who sat near me wondered out loud how they always managed to have those conventions either on the hottest or the coldest days of the year.

Seemed like everybody was happy about that convention yesterday, especially the hotel men, who had all their beds filled.

One of the 13 candidates for the House from Wake County told a lady she was wondrous handsome.

"I thank you for your good opinion," she replied, "and wish I could say as much of you."

"You might, madam," said the candidate, "if you lie as readily as myself."

There were plenty of arguments breaking out all over between supporters of Frank Graham and Willis Smith. We heard one particularly fiery one between a lady and gentlemen in the Memorial Auditorium. Finally the lady testily remarked, "We cannot agree on anything!"

"You are wrong," said the gentleman. "If you should go into a room in which there were but two beds, a woman in one and a man in the other, with whom would you sleep?"

"With the woman, of course," she snapped.

"So would I," the gentleman replied.

So it goes. If there were no disagreements about the best man for an office, there would be no need of political campaigns, and half the fun of living in America would be gone.

At one of the caucusses, we saw one young man standing in his seat, trying mightily to make himself heard. Finally an old grizzled politician, scarred veteran of many a political fracas, said, "Young man, sit down, and keep still—you will have plenty of chances to make a fool of yourself before you die."

Well, the time has come for me to shut up, too.

—Barrie S. Davis.

Scouts to Put Up Flags

The Explorer Scouts met Tuesday night with J. P. Arnold, Tommy Temple, and George Massey and spent the evening passing off tests for higher ranks and badges. Also, plans were made for them to put up all the flags in town Sunday morning for Mother's Day. Plans were made for the first Court of Honor to be held here in Zebulon on May 23.

On Tuesday night the Scouts

met with Bobby Kitchings, Harry Patton, Craven Brown, and Gordon Temples. Five boys passed the tenderfoot ranks, and the rest will pass them next week. Scoutmasters Temples and Patton purchased new camping equipment in Raleigh Monday, and the Scouts are looking forward to their first trip. All the boy scouts will wear their uniforms to church and elsewhere Sunday in honor of Mother's Day.

Combined Sections Of National Guard To Train for Camp

Rod Horton and Connie Mack Bunn enlisted in the National Guard this week to bring Battery A of the 113 Field Artillery Battalion to within four men of its allotted strength. WOJg Clifford Gilliam stated yesterday that four vacancies remained in the battery for men who will be able to participate in the 15-day summer encampment at Ft. Jackson, S. C., starting July 2.

Monday night the men concentrated on aiming the carbines, so that they will be prepared for the weekend firing at Camp Butner June 10.

The last two drills in May will stress combined sections training, with every section in the battery participating in the operation.

Under the supervision of the executive officer, Lt. Philip Pearce, the firing sections will drill with the 105mm howitzer. Sgts. Vonnie Gay and Frank Massey are chiefs of section for the cannoneers.

The firing section will take its orders over the telephone, which will be set up under the direction of wire section chief, Cpl. John Clark. He will have three telephones and a switchboard in operation.

The transmitter and receiver have been installed on the jeep for use by the radio section, which is headed by Cpl. Wesley Pearce.

Capt. Barrie Davis announced that plans for Armed Forces Day Saturday, May 20, are progressing, and a full display of equipment will be presented in Zebulon.

Dr. Massey to Hold Clinic at Pinehurst

Dr. L. M. Massey of Zebulon is among a number of leading North Carolina dentists who will conduct clinics at the annual convention of the North Carolina Dental Society at Pinehurst May 18, 19, 20, according to an announcement just received here from Dr. Walter McFall, Asheville, president of the Society.

The clinics will be held at the Friday morning, May 19, session, and will be an important feature of the convention.

An attractive program of lectures and entertainment has been planned for the three-day sessions.

Rotarians Will Play Baseball on Donkeys

Rotarians of the Zebulon and Middlesex Clubs are sharpening their spurs and toughening their south sides in preparation for the hilarious game of donkey baseball scheduled for Monday night, May 15, under the floodlights on the Middlesex diamond.

Several members of the Zebulon Club make passing acquaintance with the little ornery critters on the Wakelon basketball court in two nights of basketball played last fall. They also made a bouncing acquaintance with the floor in the same game.

Club to Meet

The Zebulon Woman's Club will on next Tuesday afternoon, May 17, hold the final meeting for the present club year. With Mrs. A. S. Hinton, newly elected president, in charge, a short program will be presented, giving some of the plans for next year's work.

The hour of meeting is 3:45.

CANDIDATE



Mrs. John T. Richardson, (nee Mary Laurens Withers), housewife, office secretary, and former public school teacher, announces her candidacy for the State House of Representatives subject to the Democratic primary.

Born and reared in Wake County, Mrs. Richardson attended Wiley School, graduated from Hugh Morson High School in the class of 1927. Graduate of Saint Mary's School, and the University of N. C., Class of 1931.

Rev. Lee Pridgen To Be at Wendell

On Wednesday evening, May 17, at 7:30 o'clock, the Rev. Lee Pridgen, world traveler, will give an illustrated lecture on the Holy Land at the Wendell Baptist Church.

The pictures to be shown by the speaker were taken by him during a recent trip he made to this interesting and hallowed country.

The public is invited to avail themselves of the privilege of hearing Mr. Pridgen, who is a forceful speaker.

Junior Club Party

Members of the Junior Woman's Club will entertain their husbands at a party at the Woman's Club House on Tuesday night at 8:00 o'clock. It is hoped that all the members and their husbands or guests will be present. If for any reason it will be impossible to come, please notify Mrs. Charles Hawkins or Mrs. Haywood Jones.

Barbecue Supper

The Senior Class of Wakelon High School is sponsoring a chicken barbecue on Thursday night, May 18, from 6:00 to 8:00 o'clock, in the Wakelon School Cafeteria. There will be plenty of barbecue plus all the trimmings. Tickets are on sale for \$1.00.

Swim Class Dates Given

Louis H. Gray, Chairman of Water Safety for the Wake County Chapter, American Red Cross, announced today that the 1950 Red Cross Aquatic Schools have released the following dates of schools to be held in the southeastern area:

Northwestern State College, Natchitoches, Louisiana—June 4-14.

Camp Carolina, Brevard, North Carolina—June 7-17.

Roosevelt State Park, Chipley, Georgia—June 14-24.

Tennessee A&I State College, Nashville, Tennessee (Negro) — June 20-30.

Methodist WSCS Holds Meeting Here Last Friday

Methodist women from this area met in the Zebulon Methodist Church last Friday for the spring meeting of the Central Zone of the Raleigh District, Woman's Society of Christian Service.

Highlights of the meeting included an officers' training clinic, a noon-day meditation, and reports from the 25 societies in the zone.

The Rev. S. E. Mercer, local pastor, led the opening devotional. Mrs. Garland Richardson, president of the hostess society, extended the welcome, to which Mrs. O. W. Hooker, Raleigh, responded. Mrs. William Johnson, Varina, zone leader, presided.

Fairmont Methodist Church in Raleigh will be the scene of the fall meeting.

The officers' training clinic and its leaders included: presidents and promotion secretaries, Mrs. T. G. Stem, Oxford, and Mrs. H. A. Davis, Raleigh; vice-presidents, Mrs. P. C. Perdue, Louisburg; spiritual life, Mrs. H. C. Smith, Raleigh; missionary education and service, Mrs. H. C. Turlington, Dunn.

Youth work and missionary personnel, Mrs. W. A. Davis, Clayton, and Mrs. Sam Maxwell, Oxford; Christian social relations and local church activities, Mrs. W. E. Denning, Benson; children's work, Mrs. Millard Warren, Knightdale; supplies, Mrs. T. C. Johnson, Jr., Raleigh; literature and publications, Mrs. L. D. Gill, Wake Forest; status of women, Mrs. T. R. Smith, Henderson; student work, Mrs. J. Warren Smith, Raleigh.

Basing her remarks on Psalm 84, Mrs. R. E. Prince of Fuquay Springs said in her noon day message, "As we pass along the road of life, we come in contact with

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Fidelis Class Holds Meeting on Monday

Mrs. J. C. Debnam was hostess to the Davis Fidelis Class on Monday night, with Mrs. J. S. Buffalo associate.

Directed by Mrs. Thurman Murray the following children gave a missionary program:

Patricia Murray, Brenda Wheelless, Kay Eddins, Ann Creech, Paul Brown, James Gainey and Randy Long.

Mrs. Wilson Brswell presided over the business session. It was decided that all books which have been bought by this class for study or reading be donated to the church library.

A social hour with refreshments was enjoyed after the meeting.

Camp Carolina, Brevard, North Carolina—Aug. 21-31.

Roosevelt State Park, Chipley, Georgia—Aug. 21-31.

Camp Mondamin, Tuxedo, North Carolina (Small Craft)—June 4-14.

First Aid and other safety courses are also offered at these schools.

Anyone interested in attending one of these schools may contact the local Red Cross office for information regarding the fees, entrance requirements, etc. The Red Cross office is located at 304 S. Salisbury Street, Raleigh, N. C., telephone 3-3015.