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GIRL SCOUT WEEK



The largest membership in Girl Scout history—more than a million and a half girls and adult advisers—will celebrate Girl Scout Week Oct. 29-Nov. 4. The Week is made up of Seven Service Days: Girl Scout Sunday; Homemaking Day (Monday), Citizenship Day (Tuesday), Health and Safety Day (Wednesday), International Friendship Day (Thursday), Arts and Crafts Day (Friday), Out-of-Doors Days (Saturday).



CAPITAL REPORTER

Scott Summers

Slickest maneuver of the week was by Conservation and Development Board Members Eric Rodgers of Scotland Neck and Roy Hampton of Plymouth. At the C&D meeting in Charlotte, they railroaded a resolution through favoring erection of a dam on the Roanoke River by the Virginia Electric and Power Company instead of by the government.

The coup was staged in the last five minutes of the four-day session.

VEPCO showed no interest in building the dam at Roanoke Rapids until the federal government had built the Buggs Island dam, which regulates the flow of the water at Roanoke Rapids and makes the new dam possible.

The federal government has plans for a dam there, too, and the Federal Power Commission has held extensive hearings on whether the dam should be built by private enterprise or federal funds.

Ignoring the private-public power fight, you would think that the North Carolina C&D board would not want an out-of-state firm to move into North Carolina.

If private power is to build the dam, it looks as though Carolina Power and Light Company or Duke would be the logical outfits to dam the site.

All of which makes the last-minute move by Rodgers and Hampton take on new significance. They simply are siding with the private power companies in their running fight with Governor Scott.

At the Charlotte C&D meeting, Interior Department officials charged that there is not ample power and that public power development is necessary in our expanding economy and war effort.

Hampton, presiding over the meeting, called for questions or statements by private power representatives — headed by Louis Sutton, CP&L prexy. They said nothing at the public meeting.

But immediately afterward, Sutton held a press conference, where his statements could not be challenged, and reiterated his statement that there is plenty of power and that private companies are doing a fine job.

CP&L, incidentally, has been putting on quite an advertising (Continued on Page 2)

CONSERVATION NOTES

Saving on Alfalfa

G. L. Winchester
S. W. Holleman

Due to the inclement weather and the rush of farm work, Woodrow Smith of Bethlehem Church Community failed to cut his three acres of alfalfa late in July. He was determined not to lose entirely on the deal so when the seed had matured, he cut it, allowed it to dry, windrowed it, and then combined it by picking it up with the combine from the windrows. He harvested 143 lbs. of clean seed from the three acres. These seed were used to sow additional acreage. He now has a perfect stand on this critical slope. Woodrow sowed this steep slope because it was difficult to cultivate in row crops without losing large amounts of topsoil. He is practicing good land use by sowing it to a soil conserving crop that will produce a large amount of good hay to be used for cattle on his farm.

Several farmers in the county are sowing tall fescue (Ky. 31) with their grain in a tobacco rotation. This grass should improve the physical condition of the soil by increasing its organic content. It should be very effective on soils inclined to be heavy or fine textured soils. The following farmers are sowing tall fescue in a rotation this year: Joe Tippett of Zebulon; L. C. Liles, Jr., of Knightdale; M. M. Ferrell of Morrisville; Exum Hare of Holly Springs; and A. C. Meadows of Garner. A two-year rotation of (1) tobacco and (2) small grain (tall fescue) will be followed. The tall fescue is being sown with the grain and will grow after the grain is harvested. It may be grazed during the summer and fall. It will be turned for tobacco the following year. On steeper land the tall fescue may be allowed to grow the second year, making it a three-year rotation.

Portraits to Be Made Of Zebulon Business Men Tuesday Afternoon

Next Tuesday afternoon from 4:00 to 8:00 a photographer will be in the Theo. Davis Sons office to make pictures of Zebulon business and professional men. From the pictures single column engravings will be made for the Zebulon Record, to be used in conjunction with news stories and special features during the coming year.

Woltz-Allen studios, specialists in this type of work, have been secured to take the pictures and furnish the engravings.

Letters were mailed today to business men in Zebulon asking their cooperation. In addressing the letters, some business and professional men were probably missed. Those who do not receive a letter are asked to notify the Zebulon Record before Monday.

The studio will supply extra prints of the portraits, but they emphasize that no one is obligated to take them unless they want them.

Wives of business and professional people are also invited for a courtesy sitting, though no engraving will be furnished. Additional prints from the studio may be obtained, however.

Appointments may be made for any time from 4:00 until 8:00 by calling the Zebulon Record. Sitings will not take longer than five minutes.

Wakelon 4-H Club Elects New Officers

Billy Green was elected president of the Wakelon 4-H Club at the meeting held on Wednesday of last week. He will head the organization during the coming year.

Other officers include Fan Green, vice-president; Ann Strickland, secretary; and Charles Finch, club reporter and treasurer.

Two song leaders, Jimmy Medlin and Bruce Wood, were also selected during the elections.

Last Home Football Game to Be Tonight

The last home game of the 1950 season will be held tonight on the Wakelon gridiron when the Bulldogs meet Apex. Coach Herb Appenzeller's huskies sporting a four win, two loss record for the season, expect a close contest. Kick-off is at 8:00.

All this week the Wakelon team has been working to iron out the mistakes made against the victorious Garner eleven last Friday night, when the local gridders lost 12-0.

The team is expected to be at full strength tonight, and a large crowd is expected to be on hand to see them in this last home appearance.

One more game is scheduled. Next Friday night the Bulldogs journey to Cary for the season's last contest.

Jr. Woman's Club Hears Frank Coiner

Frank Coiner gave an interesting talk on International Relations to the Junior Woman's Club Monday evening at the Club House. The speaker was well versed on the subject and opened the floor for discussion after his talk.

Miss Elizabeth Salmon sang two selections, accompanied by Miss Anne Allman.

SACKS TO COLLEGE



Here's a coed who's already educated in the ways of both fashion and thrift. She made this charming campus outfit from three cotton feed bags. Using the plaid cotton skirt, she dyed a plain white bag in a solid shade to match.

Final Rehearsals Held For Second Presentation Of PTA Minstrel Show

Final rehearsals are being held for the command performance of the Wakelon PTA Minstrel Show on Tuesday night, November 7, at 8:00 in the high school auditorium. So many requests for another performance were received by the sponsors of the production that the second showing as been arranged.

M. L. Hagwood, versatile Mr. Interlocutor, and End Men, W. A. Allman, Frank Kemp, Gilbert Beck, and Fred Beck are brushing up on their side-splitting dialogue.

The proceeds of the two shows will be used to supplement the salary of a music teacher who will direct the high school glee club. Previously the Record stated that the proceeds would provide a music teacher for the lower grades, but this was an error.

Wakefield Baptists Have Harvest Sale

The Harvest Day and auction sale held at the Wakefield Baptist Church last Saturday was acclaimed by members to be one of the best ever held. A total of \$1,006.10 was raised and added to the church building fund.

Organization of Safety Patrol Is Planned by Parent-Teacher Group

The Wakelon P. T. A., under the leadership of the Safety Committee, is attempting to organize a patrol to assist school children across the highway one hour in the morning and one hour in the afternoon. In order to carry these plans out satisfactory, the Safety Committee will need the cooperation of every mother available.

The following have offered their services: Mesdames W. A. Allman, Woodrow Watkins, Billie

Approval Recommended By Democratic Leader For Five Amendments

Approval of the five proposed Constitutional Amendments which will be voted on next Tuesday, November 7th, is urged by Robert R. Williams of Asheville, President of the Young Democratic Clubs of North Carolina who said that the amendments had been carefully studied by officers of his organization, and that the State Convention held recently in Asheville had endorsed all five of them. A committee led by James B. Garland of Gastonia has been hard at work spreading information concerning the amendments and urging their adoption.

Mr. Williams was joined in his statement here today by Everett Jordan, Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee, who likewise urged that all five amendments be approved. Both agreed that the amendments are in the interest of sound, progressive government in North Carolina.

Three of the five amendments are intended, their joint statement said, to bring the Judicial System of North Carolina out of the "horse and buggy stage," so as to meet present day requirements. One of these will give an accused person the right to waive indictment in all charges except capital cases which in effect speeds up court procedure and removes the possibility in many cases of an accused person being held in jail pending action by the Grand Jury.

Another of the amendments would provide for the election of more than one Judge of the Superior Court in a Judicial District, this having for its purpose the proper handling of the work of the courts.

The third amendment would transfer from the Governor to the Chief Justice of the Superior Court the authority to assign judges of the Superior Court Judges.

The fourth amendment has for its purpose the safeguarding of the funds of the Teachers and State Employees' Retirement system (Continued on Page 2)

Special Movie Show To Be Wednesday

A special moving picture will be shown in the Wakefield Baptist Church Wednesday night, November 8, at 8:00 by the manager of the Montlawn Memorial Park. The subject of the movie will be of interest to all church people.

No collection will be taken before, during, or after the picture; but the Montlawn manager has promised to contribute liberally to the church building fund for each person present.

Privette, Ed Kitchings, Russell Williams, Waite, Lionel Bunn, Agnes Perry, Judith Parker, Wilson Braswell, Wallace Temple, Lumas Strickland, Ed Richardson, Ruric Gill, Carl Matheny, E. V. Rountree, Clarence Hocutt, Rochelle Long, Craven Brown, Garland Godwin.

If you would like to add your name to this list, please call the town office, telephone 2211, and give your name to Kenneth Hopkins. These names must be in by Tuesday, Nov. 7th.