

## Commissioners Postpone Action On Terracing Unit

### Decide To Delay Action Until August Meeting Of Board

#### FAVORABLY IMPRESSED

Though the County Board of Commissioners was favorably impressed with the proposition concerning the terracing outfit as submitted to them at their regular meeting on Monday, they decided to postpone action until the August meeting of the board. Several considerations entered into this decision.

It was felt that the best course would be to hold up a little while and see how crops in this county were going to pan out and also to see how tobacco is going to sell on the other markets that open prior to this one.

As pointed out in previous discussions of this project the cost of the machine will run to approximately \$4,400, which would be paid for out of the work that the machine does in the county, cost of operation running from \$2.80 to \$3.00 per hour to the farmer having terracing work done. Figuring on repaying \$1.25 to \$1.50 of this amount it would take about two thousand acres per year for the next two years. The first two thousand has already been signed up. Other counties that have tried this plan have signed up enough to pay for their machine without any additional solicitation after the unit has been in operation, sometimes for less than sixty days.

The Commissioners considered only routine business otherwise in its meeting on Monday.

## Allot \$15,306,117 To Two Carolinas

Washington, June 5.—North Carolina will get \$9,544,131 and South Carolina \$5,761,986 from the works program found for construction of highways, roads, streets and grade crossing eliminations.

The allotments were announced yesterday. A total of \$400,000,000 was apportioned among the states, the District of Columbia and Hawaii for these purposes.

North Carolina's allocation was divided as follows: \$4,720,173 for highways, roads and streets, and \$4,823,958 for grade crossing elimination.

South Carolina's was divided \$2,702,012 for highways, roads and streets and \$3,059,956 for grade crossing elimination.

## Child Severely Burned

Little Miss Cornelia Young, eleven-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Young of the Providence community, had the misfortune to get severely burned Tuesday morning when she went to put some oil on the fire. The blaze caught more quickly than she had anticipated, burning her severely about the face, singeing her hair and burning her hand.

As most of the burns were of a superficial nature she was not injured seriously, though suffering considerable pain.

## Fishermen Return

Dr. G. W. Gentry and Messrs Gordon C. Hunter, D. W. Ledbetter, Osby Gentry and Reade Gentry returned yesterday afternoon from Manteo, where they had spent several days fishing; and the boys brought back the fish; each being duly sworn says, they did not buy a single one, but made the catches themselves. They were displaying some fine ones.

## GRADUATES WITH HONOR

Mr. Maurice Clayton, son of Mr. W. G. Clayton, finished the regularly prescribed academic course at Wake Forest College in three and one half years, finishing his work at the end of the fall semester, this term. He graduated "Cum Laude" which, to the uninitiated, means "with praise". It is understood that Mr. Clayton is planning to teach this fall.

## CARRIED TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. W. W. Morrell, who has been ill at her home in Jalong for the past week, was carried to Watts Hospital Tuesday afternoon where she will remain for several days for a complete examination.

## FIGHTS FOR SEAT



WASHINGTON . . . U. S. Senator-elect Rush D. Holt (above), of West Virginia will be 30 years old on June 19th, at which time he hopes to be seated. He has occupied a seat during this session of congress but could not vote. If seated he will be the youngest U. S. Senator.

## Mother And Son About To Die Upon Gallows

### Delaware People, Scheduled To Be Hanged Friday, Find Solace In Religion

Georgetown, Del., June 5.—A mother and her eldest son, preparing to die on Delaware's gallows Friday, have found solace in religion.

For the slaying of the woman's brother more than seven years ago, a crime which the court termed one of the "most vicious in the criminal annals of the state," Mrs. May H. Carey, 52, and Howard Carey, 27, must pay with their lives.

The victim was Robert Hitchens, 55, the motive, his \$2,000 insurance policy. A second son is serving a life term.

### Turns Down Plea

The pardon board has turned down their plea for clemency, Governor C. Douglass Buck has shown no inclination to intervene.

Mrs. Carey and Howard spend much time pondering the Bible and the words of their spiritual advisors, the Rev. Richard K. White of Georgetown and Rev. J. C. Bolton, of Frankford.

Only once before has Delaware hanged a woman, Sarah Jane Bradley, a negro, in 1869. The only other woman sentenced to capital punishment in Delaware was Patty Cannon, notorious kidnaper who cheated the gallows by taking poison in the Georgetown jail in 1829.

The hangings probably will take place in the early morning.

Witnesses will be restricted to 30 persons, including the jury of 12 which returned the convictions. News men are barred.

Mrs. Carey at her trial admitted shooting Hitchens and bludgeoning him to death in his home near Omaha in November, 1927.

Liquor was poured on his body to create the impression his death was the result of a drunken brawl, and for seven years the slaying was a mystery. Last December, Lawrence Carey, the woman's youngest son, was arrested for breaking and entering and a statement attributed to him re-opened the case.

## Coolleemee Mill Closed Indefinitely Following Strike

Durham, June 5.—The Erwin Cotton mills at Coolleemee, scene of today's strikes of between 150 and 200 weavers, were closed indefinitely tonight, W. H. Ruffin, secretary and assistant treasurer of the Erwin mills, announced here late today.

"We have no statement to make except to say that we have not increased at all the work assignment," Mr. Ruffin stated when questioned about the Coolleemee situation, adding "it is true that about half of our weavers left their jobs. No other departments of the plants were affected. Having operated unprofitably for some time we are closing our Coolleemee mill at the regular closing time tonight for an indefinite period."

## Kiwanis To Meet At Bushy Fork

The regular meeting of the Kiwanis Club will be held Monday at 6:00 P. M. at Frank Whitfield's Store at Bushy Fork. The losing side in the attendance contest staged sometime ago will entertain the club at a barbecue supper.

## Scoutmasters Training Course Organized Here

### Troop Leadership To Be Taught In Three Sessions

### MEETINGS TO BE HELD AT COMMUNITY HOUSE

Under the direction of O. B. Country, Gorman, a Scoutmasters Training Course was organized here Tuesday night at the Community House with Clyde Swartz as Senior Patrol Leader, Anderson Timberlake being named leader of the Wildcat Patrol and Dr. Robert Long as head of the Silver Fox Patrol, and Carl Bowen as an instructor.

In this troop, which is Scout Troop No. 101, the leaders and prospective leaders taking the course were divided into patrols just as the boys are divided. Beginning with the meeting on Tuesday night and continuing for two more consecutive Tuesday evenings troop will meet in the Community House at 7:30 o'clock to be put through the various fundamentals that good scouts are supposed to know how to do.

There were twelve men who started the course and it is hoped that each patrol will be able to fill out its quota before the end of the training period. A scribe for the troop was named who will keep an accurate account of the attendance at the meetings.

### Court Of Honor

With Carl Bowen in the chair and Robert Long and Clyde Swartz as members of the Court, the Scout Honor Court met in the basement of the Methodist Church Monday night to pass classification tests and also to award merit badges. From Troop No. 32, George Cushman, Jr., and Lawrence Clark passed the Second Class Scout test, as did Kiley Wade and Curtis Long of Troop 49. Basil Riley was awarded merit badges in Bird Study and Cooking. John Bradsher was awarded merit badges in Handicraft, Woodwork and Carpentry. Before a boy may be awarded a merit badge he must become a first class scout.

## Four-Year-Old Boy Dies of Pneumonia

### Buddy Rhew Died Wednesday Following Illness Of Two Months

Buddy Rhew, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ruffin Rhew of Roxboro, Route 3, died Wednesday morning at 1:30 o'clock following measles and pneumonia. The child contracted measles about two months ago and pneumonia more recently. After contracting pneumonia, he failed rapidly until the end came Wednesday.

Besides his parents he is survived by three brothers and three sisters.

Funeral services were conducted this afternoon at the graveside in the J. S. Clayton family cemetery on the Oxford highway. Elder Lex Chandler was in charge of the services. Immediately following the little body was laid to rest in the cemetery.

### HAS OPERATION

Mr. Carl Winstead left Sunday for Charlotte Hospital in Charlotte, N. C., where he had an operation on his knee. Mr. Winstead injured his knee about six weeks ago and since that time has been unable to use it very much. He expects to return some time the latter part of the week.

## ANTI-SALES TAXERS WILL PUT UP CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

### Charlotte Newspaper Says It Has Been "Definitely Decided" That Either Senator Burrus Or Representative McDonald Will Head Ticket

Charlotte, June 4.—The Observer says it was "definitely decided" today that either Senator John T. Burrus, of Guilford, or Representative Ralph W. McDonald would be a candidate for governor next year on an anti-sales tax platform.

Representative Willie Lee Lumpkin, of Franklin, was said to have been fixed upon as candidate for lieutenant governor on the same ticket.

The paper quotes an unidentified source, described as a participant in the conference leading to the decision, as saying:

"A series of conferences has been held, the result of which is the formation of a well conceived campaign to take the anti-sales tax cause, along

## Harris Appointed To Textbook Group

### R. L. Harris And R. Gregg Cherry, Both Members Of 1935 House, Appointed

Governor Ehringhaus last night appointed Messrs. R. L. Harris of this city and R. Gregg Cherry of Gastonia as members of the new state textbook rental commission.

These men, together with State Superintendent Clyde Erwin, Attorney-General A. A. F. Seawell, and A. S. Brower, director of purchase and contract, will form the commission. The others were provided in the act creating the commission.

Under the law it is empowered to set up its own plans for distribution of the texts, and provision is made for the council of state to authorize the issuance of short term bonds or notes to supply funds for initial purchases of books, if necessary.

## \$1,980,401 For N.C. During April

Raleigh, June 5.—North Carolinians received a total of \$1,980,401.17 for all purposes in April, according to Mrs. Thomas O'Berry, state relief administrator, whose office released these figures today.

The pressure has been lifted in part, but Mrs. O'Berry's office shows that there were 67,008 families on relief during the month with a total of 70,857 cases aided. This figure represents 327,825 individuals and shows North Carolina still to be a low, in percentage, among the states whose citizens must be helped by the government.

### CARRIED TO HOSPITAL

Charlie Clayton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Clayton, was carried to McPherson's hospital last Saturday for a tonsil and adenoid operation. He is improving nicely. Charlie recently had a mastoid operation on both sides.

## Kiwanians Debate Sun. Movie Issue

### Program Also Features Two Numbers By Local Talent

Under the direction of Messrs. Jack Strum and R. B. Dawes the Kiwanis Club put on a very entertaining program Monday night at the Community House when four members of the club debated the Sunday movie issue both pro and con in a no decision discussion.

Kiwanians Merritt and Winstead upheld the affirmative side of the query: "Resolved That Sunday Movies Are Not Morally Objectionable In Roxboro" with Kiwanians Dawes and Carver appearing for the negative. Each side presented an able defense for its contention.

Messrs. Morgan and Owings gave two delightful numbers which were very pleasing to their audience. They were accompanied at the piano by Mr. Linwood Carver.

The Ladies of the Brookdale church served a most bountiful and delightful meal of fried chicken with all its accessories, a vote of thanks being accorded them for the very excellent dinner. A vote of thanks was also given those who mapped out the program and those who took part in it.

Guests for the evening were: Rev. George Atkinson of Columbia, S. C., Messrs. Russell Owings, Bill Morgan, and Linwood Carver.

## CITY DADS MEET FOR THE ELECTION OF TOWN OFFICERS

### Only 25 Cents

#### BUT IT TURNED THE TRICK

In Tuesday's issue there appeared a little Want Ad which cost only 25 cents, but it did the work. It read:

For Sale—One refrigerator in good condition. \$5.00 will buy it. See Alec Bass at Charles Holman Company.

Mr. Bass says he sold it before he left the store that night. Look around and see what you have which you do not need, and then try our Want Column. Alec is \$4.75 better off, because he tried it.

## Postponed Ball Game To Be Played Tuesday Afternoon

### Rotarians And Kiwanians To Engage In Ball Game On High School Field

The softball game that was scheduled to be played between the Rotarians and Kiwanians on this past Tuesday afternoon has been called for next Tuesday afternoon at 5:30 P. M. on the high school grounds.

It was called off Tuesday on account of the uncertainty of the weather during the morning and early afternoon, and also for other reasons. But, barring some more inclement weather, it will be played on schedule this time.

Much interest has been manifest in this game as it will feature some real old-time baseball players.

The ball and bat to be used are at Long and Bradsher Hardware Co. It is not known whether the Rotarians plan to do any practicing before the game or not, but with such formidable opposition as the Kiwanis line-up offers it is felt that they would be wise to limber up before hand. Herbert's pitching is untried as yet but he comes well recommended and Bowen's catching is known to be of the first quality. It will be really a treat to watch them in action as it will be to witness the Rotarian batteries: Riley Hambrick and Billy West, who are doped to offer real resistance to the Kiwanis attack.

## Sunday School Class Visits Roanoke, Va. On Annual Outing

### Methodist School Class Take Annual Trip Wednesday.

Every year the class of the Methodist Sunday School taught by Mr. F. O. Carver plans an outing to some nearby point. This is known as the annual picnic of the class and on some occasions they have been known to go quite some distance, one year going to Natural Bridge, Va.

Usually all the members provide ways and lunches and they go out and have a good time together, but this year they decided to take a slightly different method. They chartered a bus from one of the lines and took the whole group to Roanoke, Va., to spend the day. Though this was not the first time the class had chartered a bus to go on this picnic, it is the longest trip they have taken by bus.

Twenty-eight people went along yesterday, most of them, but not all, being members of the class, and they report a very nice day's holiday.

### BACK HOME

Mrs. M. G. Johnson returned Monday from Watts hospital where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. Mrs. Johnson is recuperating at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Allen, on Main Street.

### RETURNED FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. McIver Featherston returned Monday from Watts Hospital where she was operated on for appendicitis more than two weeks ago. She is convalescing satisfactorily at her home on Oak Street.

### Most Of The Present Force Continued In Office. New Health Officer Appointed

### REFUNDING PLAN IS FORMALLY APPROVED

Meeting in extraordinary session this morning the City Fathers turned their attention to the personnel of the town for the coming term, and to the refunding plan which was submitted to the Finance Committee Tuesday night for study and recommendation.

Proceeding with the election they made Mr. I. O. Abbitt superintendent of Water Works and Streets, S. A. Oliver, chief of police, L. K. Walker fire truck man, J. M. O'Brian, fire chief, electrical and building inspector, Dr. B. A. Thaxton, health officer, and Mrs. Hattie Carver clerk in the city office.

Heretofore the office of Health Officer has been filled by the Sanitary Inspector, which has been held jointly with the Fire Chief's job, but this board abolished the Sanitary Inspector's office altogether, combining the Fire Chief and the Building and Electrical Inspector offices, thus throwing the Health inspection into this new office. Mrs. Hattie Carver was re-appointed to her present office, subject to the approval of the new city manager when he is elected and takes office. The board took no action on the city manager's position at this meeting. Nor did it elect a night policeman.

The Refunding Plan that was submitted to Finance Committee Gordon Hunter and Preston Satterfield Tuesday night at the regular monthly board meeting was reported back to the full board this morning who adopted a resolution formally approving it. Now it will have to go to the North Carolina Local Government Commission and to the North Carolina Municipal Council for formal approval.

## Alterations Begun On Winstead Warehouse

### Front Will Be Torn Out And Service Station Substituted

Alterations began on the Winstead Warehouse the first of the week. Plans are to tear out the entire first floor front of the building and put in a modern service station. These changes are being made by the Person Oil Company, local Shell distributors, and it is understood that they will lease it to some operator.

The rear of the building will be used for the same purpose that it is now used for, and the driveway will be maintained in its present place leading to the floor of the house.

## Miss Harris Leaves For Mountains

Miss Katye Harris will leave this week with her aunt, Mrs. Dolan Harris of Durham, for the mountains of Western North Carolina where they will spend the summer. While in the mountains Miss Harris will take a study course in Supervision Methods and Public School Music at State Teacher's College.

### WALLACE WOODS INJURES HIS EYE

Mr. Wallace W. Woods, manager of the City Ice Plant, had the misfortune to be struck in the eye Monday afternoon by a flying nail. Mr. Woods was doing some repair work at his plant when the hammer glanced, causing the nail to fly upward into his eye. Fortunately it struck sideways rather than at either end, and although it bruised the ball of his eye, it is not thought that the sight is impaired.

### RETURNED HOME

Judge J. C. Pass returned Saturday from Watts Hospital where he was carried Monday for a few days of observation. He is reported to be improved from his recent illness.

### YOUNG PEOPLE'S COUNTY UNION

The Caswell-Person Methodist Young People's Union will meet at the Methodist Church in Brookdale at 6:30, Friday June 7th. All the Methodist Young people of Caswell and Person Counties are urged to come and participate in the Union meeting.