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MRS. COTTEN IS N.R.A. DIRECTOR IN THIS DISTRICT

Chapel Hill Already Has Compliance Board Which Makes Inquiry into Complaints

CHAIRMAN IS E. C. SMITH

At the meeting of the State Recovery Board Tuesday in Greensboro Mrs. Lyman Cotten of Chapel Hill was assigned to the district composed of Orange, Durham, Person, and Chatham counties. Her task will be to maintain contacts with county and town N.R.A. committees already organized and to aid in organizing new committees where they are needed.

"Mr. Shuping, the chairman of the State Board, has requested from Washington more specific authority for dealing with violations of N.R.A. codes," said Mrs. Cotten yesterday, "and he has also asked that N.R.A. headquarters assign to North Carolina an accredited representative to work with the state organization.

"The duties of the district members of the State Board have not yet been thoroughly defined. We are to get detailed instructions later. Meanwhile we are to cooperate with the local boards."

Chapel Hill is one of the communities where a Compliance Board has been organized and is functioning actively. The members are E. C. Smith (chairman), Clyde Eubanks, Marvin Utley, G. M. Hill, James Foister, and P. S. Randolph.

"Our Compliance Board," said Mr. Smith yesterday, "receives a complaint from anybody who wants to enter one, either in writing or orally. Every case is investigated by a committee of citizens whose names are not known.

"Of course what we want to do is to settle every disagreement peaceably, without taking any formal action against an employer, and thus far we have been able to do that. Our local board has no authority to take away anybody's Blue Eagle. If there were a violation which we could not put an end to, we would have to refer the case to Mr. Shuping, chairman of the State Recovery Board, and he would have to get an order from Washington before the possessor of a Blue Eagle could be forced to give it up.

"Our local board has been getting its instructions as to the procedure it must follow, from Mr. Shuping. The idea back of the whole scheme is to seek to attain the objectives of the N.R.A. by persuasion and cooperation, not by compulsion."

Auxiliary to Meet Tuesday

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet at 3:30 Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. S. Lawrence, 501 Rosemary lane. All veterans' wives, mothers and sisters who are not members of the Auxiliary are cordially invited. This is to be an informal open meeting to welcome new members.

Engineering Experimentation

Graduate students in sanitary engineering have designed and assembled just back of the University filter plant an experimental water purification. The same group of students has also completed designs of a plant for sewage treatment.

Chapel Hill Chaff

Since coming here to live seven years ago I have been struck with the hard-to-explain circumstance that I see less of some of my oldest University friends than when I lived in Raleigh. At the state capital I once induced Prof. M. C. S. Noble to take a meal with me—I remember it was lunch and there was nothing except worked over corn-cakes and sorghum—and Frank Graham now and then sat down while he talked, as did Howard Odum, Bob Madry, and whoever happened to be alumni secretary.

Now I see Billy Noble only when I call on him and he hasn't eaten in my home since I've been here. Frank I glimpse only in passing or at a faculty meeting which calls for a committee report from some other member of my golf foursome, while Howard Odum, whose office is on the floor below me, is too busy for anything save "Howdye."

I thought when John Umstead moved here I'd see something of him and Sally; but Sally confines her missionary efforts to the foreign fields affected by the Methodist church, and John uses his week-ends at home primarily for catching up on sleep he has lost while telling the world at large what a fine thing it has in its University.

Paul Green, who is now in Hollywood helping the folks who bought the movie rights of his "House of Connelly" get in focus on the screen version of his play and at the same time polishing up the script of his adaptation of "David Harum" featuring Will Rogers, went down to see another Will Rogers play of his (Paul's) contriving at Raleigh recently. "Dr. Bull" was such a hit at Raleigh that it played a day or so over its engagement at one theatre and stayed on for a couple of days at another. But Paul was not overcome by the work of his hands; he walked out of the show before it was finished, and asked himself in the presence of friends and relatives how he could have written some of the "drivel" to which he had been listening.

When he got to Hollywood he learned that "Dr. Bull" was playing to packed houses all over the country, and was the best money-maker Will Rogers has ever played in. He probably feels the same way about the lines he regrets having written; but we doubt if he has deemed it worth calling to the attention of Fox Corporation, his employers.

Mrs. R. P. McClamroch of Senlac road was the lady bountiful of her own section of the village last week and, indeed, overflowed it. To an accompaniment of broiling steaks, she cheerfully told and retold how she survived the serious business of snagging and landing six ceros three of which were over thirty pounds in weight.

The cero is a resplendent, glittering mackerel which is the big bad wolf of smaller fish who prey on shrimp and such. Unlike the general run of the mackerel, the cero refuses to stop growing and when he is fully matured he is a delight to eyes and hearts of them that go down to the sea with rod and reel.

A steak cut an inch to two inches thick from a 30-pound (Continued on page six)

The Freshman Game

First-Year Eleven Meets State College At Greensboro Tonight

The University freshman eleven tonight meets the State College team in the Greensboro memorial stadium in the first electrically-lighted football contest which Carolina has helped to stage.

Both teams opened their seasons last Friday with two-touchdown victories, the University freshmen defeating Louisburg College 12 to 0 and the State College yearlings overcoming the Davidson first-year team 14 to 0.

Local interest in the game is heightened by the presence in the University line-up of Dick Dashiell, a first-string halfback who made one of the touchdowns against Louisburg.

Lilac Blooms in Fall

Warrens' Bush Has an October Yield of White Flowers

The J. A. Warrens' yard on Hillsboro street is adorned with a white lilac in full bloom.

This is not in conformity with the usual course of nature. The time for lilacs to bloom is in the spring.

"Mine has flowers in both spring and fall," Mr. Warren said yesterday, his chest bulging with pride. "The same thing happened in October of last year."

Mr. Warren is the University treasurer. He sits all day among auditors and book-keepers, and in this circle, no doubt, the lilac's performance is described as the declaration of an extra dividend.

One of Mr. Warren's neighbors in the South building is Miss Josie Pritchard. In October a year ago, when she was president of the Garden Club, Mr. Warren walked into her office and told her he had a white lilac in bloom.

"It's not so," she said, to convince him that she was not to be spoofed.

"I didn't want to give her the lie," says Mr. Warren, "so I just gathered some of the flowers and brought them to her."

\$50,000 for Government Study

Prof. Albert Coates of the law school this week announced that the institute of government of which he is director has been guaranteed \$50,000 with which to carry forward for three years its study of the workings of popular government in divers North Carolina units. Acceptance of the subsidy has been voted by the institute's board of advisors. By request the names of the donors are withheld.

A board of trustees will be selected to administer the fund, which is conditioned, says Professor Coates, only on the contribution by those who have joined the institute of any amount from one dollar up as an expression of their continuing belief in the movement.

Relief Administration

Dr. Roy M. Brown of the school of public administration is to help with the holding of a series of district conferences on constructive social work. The first conference was held at Waynesville Tuesday.

Dr. Brown, who will speak at each of the conferences, is just now devoting his principal attention to the administration of social relief.

Dr. J. M. Bell Ill

Dean of Applied Science School Suffering from Severe Heart Attack

Dr. J. M. Bell, dean of the school of applied science, who suffered a heart attack Saturday of last week, is still critically ill. His condition has improved greatly within the past few days, however, and there is hope that a period of rest and quiet will restore him to health.

His ailment is an affection of the arteries known as coronary thrombosis which seems to lie in wait for men of middle age. It came upon him suddenly, but not wholly without warning as he had recently found that nine holes of golf were considerably easier than 18 and that any considerable exertion was apt to result in shortness of breath accompanied by pain.

Concert at Duke

North Carolina Symphony Opens Season Friday Evening, October 27

The North Carolina Symphony orchestra composed of 60 selected musicians, under the direction of Lamar Stringfield will play its first concert of the season at Page Auditorium at Duke University, Friday evening, October 27, at 8:30. John Powell, internationally famous pianist composer will be guest artist, playing the piano solo part of his composition, "Rhapsodie Negre." This composition has been played fifty-five times in this country and abroad but this is the first performance it has received in North Carolina. Other numbers on the program are Marriage of Figaro, Mozart; "New World Symphony," Dvorak; and "Marche Slave," Tchaikowsky.

Reserved seat tickets may be obtained from Mrs. H. R. Totten in Chapel Hill or Mrs. Victor S. Bryant, Jr., 1012 Vickers Ave., Durham. This concert is sponsored by the Charity League of Durham.

Salute to Chapel Hill

Stringfield, Weatherford, McCall and Foushee to Broadcast Over WPTF

A civic salute to Chapel Hill will be broadcast by Station WPTF of Raleigh Saturday evening from 6:30 to 7 o'clock.

After a five-minute talk by Mayor John Foushee of this village, Lamar Stringfield, flutist, Ralph Weatherford, cellist, and Adeline McCall, pianist, will present a program of two concert pieces by Rameau, "Nocturne" by Cui and "Mountain Sketches" by Stringfield.

Mr. Stringfield and Mrs. McCall were on the air from the Carolina Pines, at Raleigh, a couple of Sundays ago in a flute concert which greatly pleased those of their neighbors who had tuned in.

Next U. D. C. Convention Here

The North Carolina department of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will hold its convention next year in Chapel Hill.

Prof. E. G. Hoefler was called last week to Freeport, Ill., by the death of his father, A. G. Hoefler, retired manufacturer, who after an extended period of ill health succumbed to a heart attack. Mr. Hoefler went by train to Washington and from there made his first air voyage. At Freeport he found E. G., Jr., (George), who is employed by Crum & Foster, manufacturers of machinery.

Murchison Lectures

Third in Series of Discussions Dealing With Recovery Program

Dr. C. T. Murchison, director of research in the school of commerce, last night gave the third of a series of lectures which the commerce, law, and public administration schools are presenting on the National Recovery program? His subject was "Monetary and Banking Reform and Inflation," his discussions having to do with the resumption of the gold standard, reorganization of the banking system and international financial problems.

The lectures will continue during the fall quarter each Thursday night. Next week's will be delivered by Prof. G. W. Forster of State College. The others will be by members of the University faculty.

Walks Into Truck

Texanna Neville Killed in Unavoidable Accident on Franklin Street

Texanna Neville, a Negro woman of about forty years of age, was struck and almost instantly killed Monday night at 7:15 when she walked into the trailer of a truck which was passing along in front of the colored Baptist church on West Franklin street.

The truck was driven by Ed Nixon, Smithfield Negro employed by the Austin Ogburn Cotton company of that town, who promptly stopped and awaited an investigation. Dr. S. A. Nathan, coroner, quickly held an inquest, at which a jury composed of John Thompson, W. M. Durham, T. E. Best and B. R. Smith returned a verdict of "unavoidable accident."

Brown and Baldwin Improve

C. R. Brown and P. G. Baldwin, university painters who were injured in a thirty-one foot fall from the rear of Phillips hall last week are reported as getting along nicely. Baldwin, who suffered a broken right ankle and chest bruises in the accident, was returned to his home here Sunday. Brown, more seriously hurt with both arms and his right thigh and skull fractured, will have to remain in Watts hospital at Durham for some time yet.

Liberty Bonds Called

For the information of Liberty Bond holders in Chapel Hill, M. E. Hogan, cashier of the bank, has sent in the following notice:

"The Treasury Department has called for payment April 15, 1934, bonds bearing the numerals 9 or 1 or 0 in the last digit and the distinguishing letters J or K or A, of the issue of 4 1/4% Liberty bonds due Oct. 15, 1938-33.

"Holders of 'called' bonds are entitled to exchange for a new issue dated October 15, 1933, and due October 15, 1945-43, bearing interest at the rate of 4 1/4% for the first year and 3 1/4% thereafter. If this exchange privilege is not exercised within the time allotted, bonds will automatically be retired April 15, 1934 at 100 and interest."

Battle Park Ass'n. Supper

There will be a picnic supper meeting of the Battle Park Association at 5 o'clock this (Friday) afternoon at the picnic grounds in the park.

CHAPEL HILL IS TO HAVE NINE MONTHS SCHOOL

Additional Tax Levy of 18.5 Cents Carries by a Substantial Majority.

SMALL WAGE INCREASE

By a vote of 729 against a registration of 1239 the Chapel Hill special school district last Thursday approved an additional tax levy of 18.5 cents on the \$100 property valuation. As a result the children get an extra month beyond the state-supplied eight-months term and the teachers a small supplement to the salaries paid them under the state schedule.

The issue was in doubt up to the end, for there had been insistent opposition to the levy from many quarters. Thorough canvassing of their neighbors by mothers of some of the children affected was perhaps the deciding factor.

The result places Chapel Hill among a small group of North Carolina communities—Durham, Rocky Mount, Roanoke Rapids, and Southern Pines—which will have nine months school for the 1933-34 term. Greensboro and Charlotte voted down additional levies; Raleigh authorities refused to put the matter to vote.

There is evident on all sides a feeling of relief that the election is past and gone. Advocates of the proposal are quietly content; there has been no public outcry from those who did not feel that conditions justified the increase in their budgets.

School Football Today

Chapel Hill and Apex Elevens Will Meet on Emerson Field

The Chapel Hill high school football team will play Apex at 3 o'clock this (Friday) afternoon on Emerson field.

It appears that the team here has a good chance to win the Class B championship.

The team lost to Durham, a Class A team, in a non-conference game last Friday by the close score of 19-13. Durham, Class A champion in 1931, is considered one of the State's strongest teams and has given up two touchdowns in one afternoon to only one team besides Chapel Hill in the seasons of 1932 and 1933.

Another Class A team, Rocky Mount, lost to Chapel Hill 14-0; and Chapel Hill played to a scoreless tie with Oxford, regarded by Coach Auburn Wright as its hardest Class B opponent. The tie will be played off to determine the district winner in the event, which is likely, that both teams win all their other scheduled games.

Opposing teams encounter a constant threat in Raymond Andrews, blocking halfback and pass receiver. Basil Taylor and Benson Partin do Chapel Hill's punting, while Bill Canada does the punting. Canada and Herman Lloyd are strong in the line.

During the last three years, under the coaching of Mr. Wright, Chapel Hill teams have occupied a strong position in the Class B conference, where the state championship is decided by elimination. Last year the team was defeated by Elizabeth City in the eastern division semi-finals.