

TO START ON PULP PLANT ADDITIONS MONDAY

Weather Holds Down Size of Crowd at Drawing for Prizes Here Wednesday

Cooler weather held down the number usually attending the mid-week drawings for cash prizes in the business-boosting campaign sponsored by the Plymouth Merchants Association...

Two tickets were next drawn without the holders being present, but on the third trial Mrs. Hubert Owens claimed the first of the \$5 prizes with a ticket from Pender's Store...

The first prize of \$10 was won by Mrs. A. T. Darden, her son-in-law, Roy Swain, holding the lucky ticket, which came from Campbell's Store...

The campaign continues with nine drawing between now and Christmas, with the grand prizes to be awarded on Wednesday, December 27...

Wage-Hour Changes Will Increase Payrolls

Superior Court To Convene Monday

A one-week term of the Washington County Superior Court, for the trial of civil cases only, will convene here Monday morning...

Minimum Wage Is Raised To 30 Cents Hour on October 24

Means Increase of 20 Per Cent in Payrolls at Two Local Plants

With the new provision of the Federal wage and hours law becoming effective next Tuesday, it is believed that the minimum-wage portion of the act will serve to increase the payrolls of various industries in Washington County...

Woodmen of World In District Meet at Scuppernon Farms

Large Crowd Attends All-Day Session There Last Thursday

The Tidewater Log Rolling Association of the Woodmen of the World met with Scuppernon Camp, No. 1015, in the community building on the Scuppernon Farms last Thursday...

Attempted Criminal Assault Charged by Girl Against Negro

Committed To Jail Following Hearing in Recorder's Court Tuesday

Charged with assaulting a white girl with intent to commit rape, Lee Roy Wynn, young colored man of the Creswell section, is in jail here today awaiting trial at the January term of Washington County Superior Court...

May Organize Boy Scout Troop at Galilee Mission

Creswell.—The boys of Galilee Mission, near Lake Phelps, met at the mission Friday with the Rev. Wood Gaither, Episcopal minister, to discuss scouting as the preliminary to organization of a troop there in the near future...

Farm Bureau Plans Drive for Members

Committees Named To Collect Dues and Seek New Members

Dues Increased From \$2 To \$3, in Order To Raise Local Funds

Plans were made for a membership drive by the Washington County Farm Bureau at a meeting held Monday night, when it was decided to increase dues from \$2 to \$3 per year in the future to order to raise some money for the local treasury...

Golden Wedding Observed Sunday

Roper.—Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McAllister celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, October 15, at their home here, from 2 to 5 p. m., with 100 persons, including their children, grandchildren and friends attending the event...

Fiddlers' Convention at Cherry School Friday

Creswell.—The senior class of the Creswell High School will sponsor a fiddlers' convention at the Cherry school Friday night, October 27...

Louis H. Lucas, 45, Died Last Thursday After Long Illness

Funeral Held Saturday in Local Church for Highly Respected Citizen

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon in the Plymouth Baptist church for Louis H. Lucas, 45, who died Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, following a lingering illness of three years, the last three weeks of which he was confined to his bed...

A member of the Baptist church for many years, Mr. Lucas was a retired farmer and connected with one of the oldest and most prominent families of Washington County. He was well known and generally very popular among those with whom he had contact in business and social life...

About 15 years ago he was married to Miss Margaret Edwards, of Chocowinity, who, with two children, Jackie and Louis Edward, survives.

Mr. Lucas is also survived by his mother, Mrs. Frank S. Lucas; three sisters, Mrs. Herbert Swain, of Charlotte, S. C.; Mrs. Addie Merck, of Charlotte; and Miss Pauline Lucas, a teacher in the Durham schools; and four brothers, Bill Lucas, of Durham; T. S. Sam and the Rev. R. H. Lucas, all of Plymouth.

Camp Site for Boy Scouts Is Sought

Efforts are being made by Sidney Smithson, sr., Creswell scoutmaster, to procure an acre of land with a house on it at the edge of Lake Phelps for a camp ground for the Washington County troop of Boy Scouts...

An application has been placed with the resettlement division of the Farm Security Administration for the scout troop to rent the land from the Federal agency for 99 years at an annual rental of \$1 per year.

If this application is approved, and officials think it will be, then the scouts will have charge of the site for their camping, games, and other events.

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Contract Let Last Week-End To Muirhead Construction Co.; Calls For Completion by February 1st

Country Club Members Meet Monday To Consider Campaign to Reduce Dues

The Plymouth Country Club will inaugurate a membership campaign next week to secure a substantial increase in members looking toward a reduction in the annual dues, it was stated by a member of the board of directors today, following a meeting yesterday afternoon...

The board has already worked out a new scale, according to the informant, which will become effective with reasonable interest and cooperation. Under the plan, entrance fees will be waived on all applications of new members or for reinstatement of old members, if they are made before November 1...

H. M. Kieckhefer States 500 To 800 Workers Required

Construction Work Will Be Rushed, Plant Official Says in Interview

Workmen will begin breaking ground next Monday morning as the first step in the construction of several new buildings called for by the addition of filtering, bleaching and finishing units at the plant of the North Carolina Pulp Company here, it was announced today by H. M. Kieckhefer, secretary and treasurer of the Kieckhefer Container Corporation, parent company of the local concern...

Local Committeemen Will Be Elected by Farmers of County in Next Few Days

Schedule of Meetings Outlined for Three Polling Points in County

Rules of Eligibility

Meetings for the election of local committeemen for 1940 and of delegates to the county convention will be held in each of the townships under the Agricultural Adjustment Administration Farm program next week, it was learned from Stuart Blow yesterday...

Three regular committeemen and two alternates will be elected at each of the township meetings. These committeemen will have the responsibility of administering the 1940 program in the townships for which they are elected. The delegate to the county convention will represent his township in the selection of a county committee for the coming year...

The schedule of meetings is as follows: Scuppernon Township, at the school building in Cherry, Thursday night, October 26; Plymouth Township, at the agriculture building in Plymouth Friday night, October 27; Lees Mill Township, at the school building in Roper Monday night, October 30...

There will be no meeting for Skinnerville Township, since, as was the case last year, this community will be divided between Lees Mill and Scuppernon by a line drawn at Pritchard's Store...

All meetings will begin promptly at 7:30 p. m., and it is hoped that as many as possible will attend and vote, since it is very important that a large representation of the farmers be present in order to insure the election of men desired by the majority...

Eligibility Requirements

It was stated that any person who participated or cooperated in any current program to such an extent as to receive a payment, or who has an interest in a farm in the county and who states in writing on a form provided by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration his intention to participate or cooperate in the 1940 program is a member of the association and is entitled to vote...

Any person is eligible to serve as a committeeman if such a person: 1. Is engaged in farming or derives a substantial part of his income directly from farming; 2. Is a resident of the community for which the committeeman or delegates is elected; 3. Has during the current year qualified for a payment or grant of aid in connection with the Agricultural Adjustment Administration program (or has stated in writing that he will participate in the 1940 agricultural conservation program)...

4. Is not holding any Federal, State or major county office or is not or has not been during the current year and does not become a candidate for any such office; 5. Is not, has not been, or does not become during the current year an officer or employee of any political party or political organization; 6. Has not been removed for cause from office as committeeman, delegate, officer or employee of any association or like organization or from public office or convicted of any fraud, larceny, embezzlement or felony...

Revival To Begin Monday At Old Chapel Hill School

Monday night, October 23, Rev. P. B. Nickens will begin a series of revival services at the Chapel Hill schoolhouse. Services will be held each night at 7:30. The public is cordially invited to attend.

June Rose Speaker At Legion Banquet Here Last Thursday

Plea for America To Stay Out of War Made by Department Commander

Fifty members of the American Legion and Legion Auxiliary heard June Rose, of Greenville, state department commander, urge that America stay out of the war now raging in Europe during the ceremony held here last Thursday night, when new officers of both organizations were installed. The department commander was the chief speaker at the banquet held in the community hall...

Mr. Rose recounted the horrors of the last war America was engaged in, fought on foreign soil, and then pointed out to that apparently everything fought for in that struggle had been lost now...

He said that while he was in Chicago attending the national meeting of the organization that the convention of legionnaires would not go on record as favoring any particular measure by any senator or group of congressmen, but that it did adopt a resolution favoring neutrality...

Further, the speaker said, while the legionnaires were against engaging in foreign wars, they strongly supported a program to increase the armed forces of the United States as a defense measure...

The speaker concluded his remarks with the information that the Legion was in favor of a program that would...

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B. & L. Stock Sale Continues This Week

Baptist Services for Sunday Announced by Mr. Nickens

Rev. P. B. NICKENS, Pastor

Regular services will be held Sunday, with the pastor preaching at both services.

State Mission Day will be observed Sunday in the Sunday school, and all members are urged to be present.

Tobacco Average Showing Increase

Officials figures for sales of tobacco as reported by sales supervisors yesterday show that the price continues to increase slowly as the better grades are being offered in larger quantities...

Z. V. Norman Says Report Last Week Not Fair To Team

Claims 86 Shares Subscribed Instead of 46; Series Is Still Open

Sales of stock in the eighth series of the Plymouth Building and Loan Association continued this way, although the directors concluded their intensive campaign Wednesday night of last week, when reports were made that over 200 shares were sold in the new series, bringing the total in force to 1,177...

The report published last week that Z. V. Norman's team sold 46 shares and J. R. Manning's team 162 shares in the campaign was taken from the list of those who had actually made payments on the stock subscribed. Mr. Norman said later that he did not feel his team's work was presented fairly in the report, as they had obtained subscriptions for a total of 86 shares, although some of those subscribing had not then paid the entrance fees and installments on their stock...

Mr. Norman further stated that Mr. Manning's team was supposed to canvass that part of the town...

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