

STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS CHAIRMAN EXPLAINS CHANGES IN LAWS ON REGISTRATIONS

Names Will Be Entered on Books According to Party Affiliation

By W. A. LUCAS
Chairman State Board of Elections

One of the far reaching changes in the election laws made by the 1939 General Assembly has to do with setting up a new system of registration in primary elections.

Heretofore, only the general election registration book has been used for both primaries and elections. Under the new law there will be separate registration books for primaries and elections.

The voter will be entered on the primary registration book of the party of which he is a member and hereafter only the primary registration books will be furnished the registrars for the primaries.

There will be either a complete re-listing of voters or a new registration in each county in the state, as may be determined by the County Board of Elections of each county, at the meeting of such on Saturday, March 23rd.

In the new registration the voter

'Emergency Squad' On Here Wednesday

The screen has found time to glorify the army, navy, racket busters, fire-fighters and police, but until now has neglected a group of men who brave death every time they go out on an assignment and battle a thousand terrors on the streets of every big city!

But the story of these fearless, fighting heroes has finally been told on film, and comes to the screen as "Emergency Squad," which Paramount will present next Wednesday at the Plymouth Theatre, with a cast topped by Louise Campbell, William Henry, Richard Denning and Robert Paige.

will registered on the general registration book and also on the appropriate primary registration book in accordance with his party affiliation.

Independents will not be registered on any primary book.

In those counties in which a re-listing of voters instead of a new registration shall be ordered, the Chairman of the County Board of Elections, with such assistance as may be necessary, will begin on April 2nd to transcribe to new general registration books the names of all persons shown by poll books to have voted in the elections or primaries of 1936 and 1938.

A list of all names on the old regis-

NORSE ARTILLERY ON THE MOVE



A Norwegian artillery detachment is shown on the move during recent maneuvers at Roros. Courageously the little country is now resisting Germany's invasion although the Norse army totals only 90,000 men compared to Germany's millions. The Allies promised immediate aid.

To Choose Four Boy Scouts of District For Service at Fair

Leave With Others of Council on June 3 for Stay of One Week

Four Boy Scouts of the Albemarle District of the East Carolina Council will be chosen to go with others of the council June 3-10 to the New York Worlds Fair in the service troop. This year two troops will go, John J. Sigwald, scout executive, said on his visit to the local district. W. S. Moore, chairman of leadership training and chairman of the 1940 Patrol Camporee, has been appointed by Roy Manning the district chairman, to select the scouts. Mr. Moore has the proper registration papers.

The total cost excluding the uniforms necessary, is \$25 and includes railroad fare to and from New York from Wilson.

Scoutmaster B. M. Potter is one of the two scoutmasters of the service troop selected by Roy M. Campbell, council chairman of the World's Fair.

Scouts were selected as to a specific number from any district based on the number of troops within the district. Greenville and Rocky Mount will have 12 scouts each, Wilson 9 scouts, Kinston, New Bern, Roanoke Rapids and Washington 6 scouts each, and 4 scouts each from Plymouth, Tarboro and Williamston. Only 3 scouts will be chosen from that part of the council not in district organization.

A scout must be at least of first-class rank, in good standing as of January 1, 1940, a leader in the troop, and have the consent of his parents, scoutmaster, World's Fair chairman, and the ability to pay his own way.

While at the fair the scouts will serve in many ways, such as guides

Traffic Accidents Caused by Speed

"Don't be a speed maniac," said Inspector M. J. McLeod, of the State Highway Safety Division, who was here today examining applicants for driver's license.

"In 1939 there were 32,100 persons killed and 1,210,200 injured in automobile accidents in the United States. Of this number, 7,990 were killed and 179,980 were injured by exceeding the speed limit. A total of 3,220 were killed and 92,970 were injured by reckless driving," said the inspector.

"When you leave home, drive safely so that you can return. It does not pay to drive reckless or to speed. Slow down at night, especially in bad weather; be courteous to other motorists; don't take unnecessary chances; check your car in good mechanical condition," concluded and keep your car in good me-

Mr. McLeod.

to school children, counters of attendance at state buildings, assisted to notables etc. Last year, Ammon Smithson, of Creswell, Wilford Whitley and Roy Manning jr., of Plym-

outh from this district. Any of them will gladly give scouts and parents information desired.

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tration books, not shown by the poll books to have voted, will be published or advertised and such as are thus published or advertised will have to appear during the regular registration period and show their right to remain registered. After the names have been listed on new registration books, separate primary registration books will be made by the County Election Board Chairman.

Auxiliary Plans First-Aid Room

By MRS. FRANK JORDAN
Secretary, American Legion Auxiliary

Along with many other necessary things, a first-aid room has been needed in Plymouth school for a number of years.

There is need for a quiet comfortable place, where the sick pupil may rest until he feels better or can be taken home. This need has become more acute since a large per centage of the students are transported to the schools from rural sections.

If a local child becomes ill while at school, the parents can be notified and the pupil can be quickly taken home; however, the illness of a rural child becomes more of a problem, for both the student and teacher.

With the suggestion coming from Mrs. J. K. Reid, president of P. T. A., the American Legion Auxiliary, under the leadership of Mrs. Wade Johnson, will furnish and equip a first-aid room at the local high school.

Furniture and first aid supplies will be placed in this room for the comfort of the sick child or any emergency that may occur.

Service programs of the American Legion Auxiliary must be definitely classified; this particular service overlaps from child welfare into community service, and the two coordinating become Americanism.

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