

### Seek To Raise \$75 in County To Apply on Deficit of Democrats

Plate Reserved at Edenton Dinner for Every \$25 Collected

As chairman of the Washington County Democratic Executive Committee, W. Ronald Gaylord is charged with the responsibility of raising \$75 in this county to apply on the \$20,000 quota of North Carolina in liquidating the debt remaining from the last national Democratic campaign.

If this fund is raised in the county, then three persons from here will be invited to participate in the Washington Day dinner to be held in Edenton Saturday night, with 14 other counties also invited to send delegates.

The plates at the Edenton Washington Day dinner are being reserved at the rate of one plate for each \$25 raised in the respective counties. The county quotas are determined on the basis of population, and it is hoped the quotas would be exceeded by at least 10 per cent. Mr. Gaylord urges that all con-

### Five Get Certificates For Tires This Week

The Washington County Tire Rationing Board issued certificates to five persons and firms to buy tires and tubes at its weekly meeting Wednesday afternoon. Six truck tires and tubes and two passenger car tires were authorized to be bought. Certificates were issued to the following:

- C. S. Vanlandingham, mail bus driver, two passenger car casings.
- C. T. Tarkenton, of Creswell, two tires and tubes for trucks hauling materials to a defense industry.
- L. C. Tarkenton, of Creswell, two tires and tubes for a truck used in hauling employees and material to a defense industry.

Halsey Hardwood Company, two tires and tubes for truck hauling material to a defense industry. Carolina Telephone & Telegraph Company, two tires and tubes of obsolete type for truck used in maintenance of telephone lines.

### REGISTRATION

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The 1942 goal for the Army is 3,600,000 men, and this number may be more than doubled during 1943. Nearly 1,000,000 men have been inducted from the two previous registrations, boosting the total in the Army at the present time to around 2,000,000.

It is estimated that about 9,000,000 men registered Monday, bringing the total number of registrants in the nation to 27,000,000, since 18,000,000 men had been listed at the two preceding registrations.

Another registration will be held in the spring to list all men between the ages of 18 to 20 and 45 to 65, age brackets representing some 15,500,000 in all. It is believed the men in this age group will be held for possible civilian protection and war production jobs, and they will bring to more than 42,000,000 the total registered manpower of the nation.

Local selective service officials express their appreciation to the volunteer workers, both white and colored, who assisted in the registration Monday. Most of the registration took place in the morning. About 20 men registered Saturday in anticipation of being out of town or unable to do so Monday. The names of any who failed to register will be turned over to FBI agents for investigation, it was said.

Contributions to this fund be made to him as soon as possible. E. W. Spires, of Edenton, is in charge of the district dinner, which will be held at the hotel in Edenton.

THE BEST TIME TO FIX 'EM IS NOW



While the farm machinery repair drive is moving rapidly in many sections of the state, reports indicate that farmers in some areas still are lagging in getting their equipment ready for a record production of vital foods this year, according to G. Tom Scott, of State College, chairman of the State USDA War Board. It is imperative, the War Board chairman said, that every available piece of farm machinery in the state be made usable for the coming production season to meet the record goals of food crops asked by the Secretary of Agriculture. This machinery can be assured, he pointed out, by ordering repair parts immediately and getting the equipment in shape for use.

### Legion Auxiliary in Meeting Here Monday

Mrs. W. C. Jones and Mrs. H. A. Williford entertained the members of the American Legion Auxiliary Monday evening at the home of the former.

Mrs. Ed Jackson was enrolled as a new member.

A social hour was enjoyed during which a dessert course was served.

### Seven Cases Before Recorder Tuesday

Seven cases came before Recorder W. Ronald Gaylord and Prosecuting Attorney W. Blount Rodman in recorder's court last Tuesday. Nearly the entire day was required to try them.

The proceedings follow:

- James McNair, 23, violating highway laws; \$5 fine and costs.
- William Tarkenton, abandonment and non-support; continued.
- Richard Fleming, 35, colored, violating highway law; \$5 fine and costs.
- Henry Bryant, 35, colored, violating highway law; \$5 fine and costs.
- Noah Barnes, 35, white, forcible trespass, breaking and entering; six months on roads and \$50 fine and costs. The road sentence was suspended conditioned on good behavior for two years.
- Joe Gray Browning, 18, white, violating highway law; \$5 fine and costs.
- Clarence Holley, 48, colored, violating highway law; \$5 fine and costs.

### Crop Land Sales Must Be Reported at Office Here

Every person who has bought or sold any farm land in Washington County since the last crop season is urged to immediately notify County Agent W. V. Hays' office here immediately of such transactions, in order that changes made be made in Agricultural Adjustment Administration contracts before March 1, according to Nick Porter, chief clerk. Both parties interested in such transactions are asked to come to the county agent's office in person. Mr. Porter said, so that farm maps may be changed before the land is measured. Crops allotments are affected by land transfers, it is pointed out.

### Program of Services For Baptist Church Outlined

Rev. J. M. JOHNSON, Pastor  
Friday afternoon, February 20, at 4:30 o'clock, the ladies of the various missionary unions of the Plymouth churches will meet together for observance of the "World Day of Prayer." The meeting will be held this year in the Ludford Memorial Baptist church. It is hoped that this meeting will be well attended by all members of the various societies.  
Program of services at the Baptist church:  
Sunday, February 22: 10 a. m., the church teaching the Bible; 11 a. m., the church at worship; 8 p. m., evening worship.  
Wednesday, 8 p. m., prayer service.

### Mrs. H. E. Harrison Entertains Thursday

Mrs. H. E. Harrison was hostess at a pretty Valentine bridge dinner last Thursday evening. The menu consisted of a baked chicken course, followed by molded ice cream and cake. In the progressions of bridge, Mrs. C. C. Hardison received a Valentine box of candy for high score prize, and Mrs. W. C. Chesson, second high scorer, was presented a box of toilet articles.



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### Juniors Organize Auxiliary Unit To Fire Department

Composed of 22 Boys Between Ages of 14 and 17; Meet Each Monday

A junior fire department, composed of 22 boys between the ages of 14 and 17, inclusive, has been organized as an auxiliary to the Plymouth Fire Department, the aim being to render such assistance as may be needed at any time during an emergency. Fire Chief Miller Warren is drill master for the youthful organization.

The junior department will hold its meetings on Mondays, while the regular firemen will continue to meet on Friday night. The juniors plan to limit their membership to 25, as does the senior organization. They will pay dues at the rate of 10 cents per meeting.

Although the youngsters are not permitted to ride on the fire truck, due to the danger and insurance regulations, they may attend fires and assist in any duties to which they may be assigned by the chief. They will also drill with the truck, but must be accompanied on each trip by a drill master from the senior organization.

Officers of the boys' new organization follow: Clarence E. (Skinner) Ayers, jr., chief; Charlie Bratten, assistant chief; and Harry McLean, secretary and treasurer.

Four new members were added at the meeting Monday, including Henry Dixon, Cecil Lilly, Alton Mayo, and Tom Hampton. Other members are: John Hays, Charles Hill, Jack Horton, Ralph Howell, Bob Collins, Dewitt Darden, Charles Robbins, Lee Landing, Shelton McNair, Loma Peele, Junior Rath, Sonny Williford, Lloyd McNair, Leon G. Sexton, and Zeb Norman.

### Unit of Army Engineers Stationed Here Moves On

"When the time comes for us to do our jobs, we will be physically fit, mentally alert, and technically trained for the task," Lieut. W. H. Toy, of the first platoon, Company A, 649th Engineers, told the members of the Lions Club, as he and his men bade Plymouth good-bye last Thursday night after being stationed here for two weeks while engaged in mapping this section.

Forty-five of the men attended the club meeting last Thursday. While here the soldiers were entertained at a dance at the country club and two banquets.

### Classes in First-Aid Now In Progress at Creswell

Creswell.—Classes in first-aid instruction, as outlined by the Red Cross, are in progress at the Creswell High School, with Principal A. T. Brooks and A. H. Tucker as instructors. It is the intention of the instructors to prepare those taking the course to assist in first-aid work in time of emergency.

### Mrs. Rasser Edwards Hostess to Bridge Club

Mrs. Rasser Edwards was hostess to the Ace of Clubs Bridge Club last Tuesday evening. A George Washington's Birthday motif was used. The living room was decorated with red and white carnations. Mrs. C. C. Hardison scored high for the club and Mrs. Eddie Getsinger for visitors. Other prize winners were Mrs. John Williams, Mrs. W. E. Waters and Mrs. Getsinger. Prior to the game a dessert course was served. Visitors were Mrs. C. L. Blount and Mrs. Eddie Getsinger.

### Returns To Louisville From Newport News

Miss Naomi Swain returned to Louisville College Monday after spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Swain.

### Spend Week-End Here

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Swain and family, of Newport News, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sanderson.

### NOTICE OF SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY UNDER LIEN

Under and by virtue of the Mechanic's Lien conferred by Section No. 2435 North Carolina (Michie) Code, the undersigned will, on the 9th day of March, 1942, at 12 o'clock noon in front of his place of business on Water Street, Plymouth, N. C., sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the following personal property:  
1 1930 Model A Ford Sedan, Motor No. A 2595628.  
The said personal property was left at the place of business of the undersigned for repairs and material to be furnished and has never been called for or paid for by the owner, Ross Jones, Mackeys, N. C., and which said property has been held by the undersigned since August 1, 1941.  
This the 6th day of February, 1942.  
House Chevrolet Co., Inc.,  
f12 26 By W. C. HOUSE, Pres.

### NOTICE OF SUMMONS

North Carolina, Washington County: In Superior Court.  
James Basnight vs. Leora Rowan Basnight  
The defendant, Leora Rowan Basnight, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Washington County, North Carolina, for an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant named above; and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County, North Carolina, within thirty

### Three From Here In All-Star Band

Three students and the director of the Plymouth High School Band will participate in the activities of the Eastern All-State Band, invited to go to Fayetteville Saturday and to Fort Bragg Sunday for concerts.

The local students are: Mary Lillian Campbell, clarinet; Skinner Ayers, trumpet; and Shelton McNair, drums. Other local band members unable to attend are Zeb Norman, Gertrude Woolard and Carl Bailey. L. W. Zeigler, director, will accompany the three local students.

Members of the all-star band will be guests of the Fayetteville band members Saturday night. The schedule calls for registration, sectional rehearsal, practice, banquet, concert, reception and dance Saturday, and a planned tour of Fort Bragg, dinner and concert at Fort Bragg at 2 p. m. Sunday.

days from the 6th day of March, 1942, and answer or demur to the duly verified complaint filed in this cause by plaintiff on December 20, 1941, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

Witness my hand, this 6th day of February, 1942.  
C. V. W. AUSBON,  
Clerk Superior Court,  
Washington County.

### EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE

Having qualified as the executrix of the last will and testament of Spencer P. Halsey, deceased, late of Washington County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Creswell, N. C., on or before the 17th day of January, 1943, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment to undersigned.  
SADIE TARKENTON,  
Executrix of last will and testament of Spencer P. Halsey. J29 6t

### NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Having qualified as joint administrators or executors of the last will and testament of Mrs. Mary Jane Elliott, late of Washington County, North Carolina, all persons having claims against the estate of, or interested in the will of, the late Mrs. Mary Jane Elliott, are notified to exhibit the same to the undersigned at the addresses given, or this no-

will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said Mary J. Elliott's estate are requested to make immediate settlement to the undersigned.

This 14th day of February, 1942.  
M. T. Elliott, Susan, Va.; J. L. Elliott, Flemington, N. J.; and Mrs. C. W. Mitchell, 2316 Rosewood Avenue, Richmond, Va.  
Executors.

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