

Mrs. Robertson To Head Seal Sale

Mrs. Charlie Robertson today was named chairman of the 1956 Christmas Seal Sale in Washington County.

"Great progress against TB has been made in the first half-century of the Christmas Seal Sale," Mrs. Robertson declared.

pay for many things such as X-raying in schools, industry, hospitals, research, mass education concerning the disease, etc.

Band Boosters To Launch Campaign For Needed Funds

Plan for Door-to-Door Solicitations Next Week in Effort To Raise \$2,500 Announced

A door-to-door drive will be launched in Plymouth next week seeking a minimum quota of \$2,500 for the benefit of Plymouth High School band.

Letters addressed to business and professional people were to be mailed the last of this week.

The campaign is being sponsored on behalf of the band by Plymouth Band Boosters in an effort to raise money badly needed for such items as repair of band uniforms, money for band trips, more instruments, director's supplement, etc.

The drive will be under direction of Mrs. Robert M. Bruce, president of the sponsoring organization.

The band has been functioning with the aid of the Band Boosters, an organization of parents of band members, but it has been found necessary in the past to decline several invitations for the band to participate in major events here and there because of lack of funds with which to take trips.

The resolution from the corps would place responsibility for any work accidents or possible disputes concerning rights-of-way, etc., squarely upon the county and protect the federal government from such in connection with proposed drainage projects in the county using federal funds.

The commissioners decided that Chairman Frank L. Brinkley of Plymouth should first write to General Edward S. Griffin, state civil defense administrator, Raleigh and to Lt. Col. J. H. Jackson, Wilmington, for more information.

Specifically, the county board would like to know why only three small projects in the county are open for bids and also why the federal investigating committee on such projects has not visited the county as has been stated.

This county made application through the proper channel for an allocation in federal funds of about \$300,000 of the amount appropriated by Congress for use in clearing streams and drainage channels of hurricane-caused debris, but received an allocation of only \$10,000, while some other counties on the fringe of the storms and with nothing like the swamps to be found in this county, received far greater consideration, it has been pointed out.

If the investigating committee has ever visited the county the commissioners were not informed of it, it was brought out during the discussion.

Hurricane damage was unusually

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Officers Named By 4-H Clubs in County Recently

J. L. Outlaw, Assistant County Agent and Supervisor of Boys' Club Work, Sees Good Year

Organization of 4-H Clubs for the new school year has been completed in this county and names of officers for the various clubs at Creswell, Roper and Plymouth were released this week by J. L. Outlaw, assistant county agent who is supervisor of boys' 4-H work in the county.

Mr. Outlaw expresses an optimistic outlook for progress of club work this school year.

Listed by clubs, the officers are: Creswell Junior Club — Shirley Huffon, president; W. B. Gregory, vice president; Peggy Baynor, secretary-treasurer; Barry Tyson, reporter; Linda Oliver and Jimmy Goodman, song leaders;

Creswell Elementary Club — Lynch Chapel, president; Hoyt Davenport, jr., vice president; Verna Jean Haire, secretary-treasurer; Ray Coston, reporter; Dottie Nooney and Michael Chesson, song leaders;

Roper Senior Club — Daphne Snell, president; Alvin Jones, vice president; Carol Ann Davis, secretary-treasurer; Allen Modlin, reporter; Jenny Lamm and Tony Chesson, song leaders;

Roper Junior Club — Mary Tarkenton, president; Howard Davenport, vice president; Neil Freeman, secretary-treasurer; Buddy Freeman, reporter; Webb Hardison and Wally Lamm, song leaders;

Plymouth Senior Club — Glenda Stotesbury, president; Wayne Mobley, vice president; Nelda Stotesbury, secretary-treasurer; Frank Skiles, reporter; Mary Virginia Dixon and Phillip Styons, song leaders;

Plymouth Junior Club — Naomi Soloky, president; Charles Bowen, vice president; Mary Ann Peed, secretary-treasurer; Vance Harrison, reporter; Judy Mobley and David Smith, song leaders;

Plymouth Elementary Club — Marlain Harris, president; Logan Womble, vice president; Mary Alice Barden, secretary-treasurer; Stan Brewer, reporter; Lynette Mobley and Pat Ezell, song leaders.

HOMECOMING DAY COMING UP SUNDAY HERE



Plymouth Presbyterian Church, pictured above, will be the scene of Homecoming Services Sunday and also of special nightly services during the week.

A former student pastor, the Rev. Jesse Parks of Willow Springs, will be the guest speaker at the week-night meetings, while Dr. Harold Dudley, Presbyterian Church notable, will speak Sunday.

Nearly 100 Attend Republican Rally Here Last Night

Kyle Hayes, Candidate for Governor, Main Speaker; Brief Talks Made by Other Party Leaders

Upwards of 100 Republicans of Washington and surrounding counties greeted the touring caravan of state leaders and candidates at a First District Republican rally held in the courthouse here last night.

J. Richard Carr opened the session at the courthouse and after a welcoming address presented J. Ray Jennings, of Taylorsville, chairman of the state Republican executive committee, who presided and introduced candidates for state offices, each of whom made a few remarks.

Kyle Hayes, of North Wilkesboro, candidate for governor, was the principal speaker. He asked for help in the Republican campaign for a two-party system in the state and outlined his 10-point program for leading North Carolina forward.

He also spoke for teacher salary increases of 10% the first year, with an additional 5% for each of two following years.

First mention of Eisenhower was made by C. E. Hyde, of Murphy, and brought warm applause by his hearers.

Name 34 for Jury Duty in November

Names of 34 county citizens to serve as jurors at the November 12 term of Washington County Superior Court were drawn here Monday at the meeting of the county commissioners.

The list includes 16 persons from Plymouth Township, 7 each from Lees Mill and Scuppernon, and 4 from Skippersville Township.

Names, by townships: Plymouth — Garland Gardner, David G. Williams, T. M. Bowen, F. R. Harris, M. J. Jack, Jesse D. Haddock, James Boyce, Charles L. Corpening, James P. Gurganus, I. T. Sawyer, Shelton McNair, Henry Hines, James R. Bullock, jr., Roy Phelps, Bonnie W. Coburn, Harold Nelson;

Lees Mill — T. H. Rosenthal, Thomas E. Marriner, G. G. Gaylor, W. A. Knowles, Russell Chesson, A. N. Sawyer, Golden Williams; Scuppernon — R. A. Gibbs, Charlie S. Phelps, Theodore D. Ambrose, Dennis H. Phelps, F. Roy Davenport, J. W. Nooney, Hoyt R. Davenport;

Skippersville — S. L. Davenport, C. A. Alexander, Harold Patrick, Roy V. Patrick.

Canvassers Asked To Report Monday

All canvassers in the annual Farm Bureau membership drive in this county are requested to be present at a check-up meeting to be held Monday night of next week at the Agricultural Building, county unit officials announced.

The first check-up meeting since opening of the campaign was held here Monday night of this week with only a bare handful of canvassers present, it was said.

J. L. Rea, sr., of Roper, is president of the county unit and T. R. Spruill, also of Roper, is chairman of the membership drive.

The meeting next Monday will begin at 8 o'clock, it was announced.

Larger Farm Credits Aim of Agency Here

SPEAKS HERE SUNDAY



Dr. HAROLD J. DUDLEY

Dr. Dudley Will Speak at Church Homecoming Here

Editor of The Presbyterian News To Bring Morning Message at Local Presbyterian Church

Dr. Harold J. Dudley, executive secretary of the North Carolina Synod of the Presbyterian Church, United States, will preach at Plymouth Presbyterian Church Sunday morning.

The occasion will be the first observance of Homecoming at the church.

Immediately after the morning services there will be a picnic dinner on the church grounds for members, friends and former members.

Mrs. Kennard S. Trowbridge, director of music for the church, will be in charge of all the special music.

This Homecoming service marks the third year the Plymouth church has been organized.

The present building was designed by the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, United States, Church Extension committee. The building now being used eventually will become the Fellowship Building, with a Church School Building wing added, and finally a beautiful colonial-style sanctuary will be built, church officials say.

Dr. Dudley, who is well known among local Presbyterians, is editor of the Synod's official paper, The Presbyterian News. He is a graduate of John Marshall High School in his native Richmond, Va., Hampden-Sydney College, and the Union Theological Seminary at Richmond. He received the Th.M. degree in 1941 from the latter institution, and in 1945 Southwestern Presbyterian College, Memphis, Tenn., conferred on him the degree of Doctor of Divinity. He served in 1953 as moderator of the Synod of North Carolina.

Final Rites Held For Lanny Mobley

Lanny Mobley, seven-month-old son of Bill and Nancy Long Mobley of Plymouth, died at 3:30 p. m. Sunday at the home of his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Long of Plymouth.

The child was born in this county February 7 of this year and spent his life here. Surviving, other than parents and maternal grandparents, are his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Mobley of Williamson.

Last rites were held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Long Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Rev. Paul B. Nickens, minister of Ludford Memorial Baptist Church here, assisted by Cary Dannelly of Elizabeth City, minister of Plymouth Church of Christ. Burial was in Ware's Chapel Methodist Church Cemetery, Dardens.

Announce Birth, Death Of Daughter on Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Bennett of Jamesville Rt. 1 announce the birth and death of a daughter in Washington County Hospital Sunday at 1 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard T. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Walker returned to Plymouth from Charlotte Monday night after having attended a dealer preview of the new 1957 Plymouth automobile models. The Messrs. Walker expressed much enthusiasm over what they termed revolutionary changes in the new models which will be shown in dealer showrooms all over the country in the near future.

Miss Dot Lynch, Christian educational area worker, left last Wednesday for her next assignment after having completed an assignment at Plymouth Presbyterian Church. Miss Lynch, while here, observed the Church School in action, offered counsel to the teaching staff, and conducted training sessions. She is an Albemarle Presbytery worker.

A Social Security representative was in Plymouth Wednesday of this week and will make one return trip in October, it was said. Contact station is the courthouse and anyone having business with the Social Security office and who would like to see the representative while here may do so on Wednesday, October 17. The representative will be here that day between the hours of 9 a. m. and 12 noon, it is announced. Claims may be filed with him or information concerning Social Security may be obtained.

Miss Miriam Ausbon, county ASC office manager, and Mrs. Florence P. Oliver, county ASC treasurer and performance clerk, attended a peanut buyers' meeting held Wednesday of this week at Roanoke Country Club, Williamston. Beaufort, Bertie, Chowan, Edgecombe, Gates, Hertford, Halifax, Martin, Nash, Northampton, Perquimans, Pitt and Washington Counties were represented. Miss Ausbon and the county ASC committee chairman, J. C. Snell, of Plymouth, will attend a meeting Friday of this week at the same place to discuss reclassification of office personnel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cobb, Matilda Alexander, Pauline Moore, W. E. Bateman, Grace Cox, all of Creswell, have sacrificed their intention of attending the meeting of the Albemarle Schoolmasters Club Monday night of next week at Edenton, County School Superintendent Roy F. Lowry stated. The meeting will be held in the cafeteria of Edenton Junior-Senior High School, beginning at 6:30 o'clock. Dr. J. Harris Purks will be the speaker.

Conservationist Henry J. Bragg said yesterday that work had commenced Tuesday of this week on the Mt. Pleasant drainage project, under the direct supervision of L. A. Williams, of the Creswell section. Melvin Respass is contractor for the job. Mr. Bragg estimates that the undertaking, a joint enterprise of several landowners in the area, will be completed in about a month. Another such project expected to be launched soon is the Blount Swamp one, committee for which is composed of A. Lloyd Owens, W. H. Gurkin and Miss Ruth Satterthwaite.

Councilmen Hold Routine Meeting

The Plymouth City Council held a routine meeting at the regular time Monday. A number of matters were discussed, but no formal action was taken.

Mayor A. J. Riddle said Tuesday morning that he forgot about the meeting, which was presided over by Councilman E. D. Keel, mayor pro tem. All the councilmen were present, including Mr. Keel and W. C. Hall of the first ward, Ralph Hunter and J. B. Latham of the second ward, C. B. Holliday and J. D. Mallory of the third ward.

Considerable time was spent in discussing fruit and vegetable hucksters displaying their products on the sidewalks. It was brought out that there is an ordinance against this, and Police Chief P. W. Brown was directed to have the practice discontinued. Councilmen said it was all right to show merchandise on their trucks, but it is against the law to use sidewalks for display purposes.

Lawrence Jones, of the fire department, discussed getting a two-way radio for one of the fire trucks. He was directed to find out if a state surplus radio could be secured and what the cost would be.

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Graveside services were conducted at Woodlawn Cemetery, Williamston, that afternoon by the Rev. W. B. Harrington, Martin County Baptist minister.

Surviving are the parents; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hollis of Oak City, and the paternal grandfather, Leonard Bennett of Rt. 1, Plymouth.

PLAN HOMECOMING DAY PROGRAM AT E. C. C.



Miss Ann Mayo of Plymouth (front row second from left) helps plan East Carolina College's Homecoming Day for Alumni, to be held at the college in Greenville on Saturday, October 13. Alumni Secretary James W. Butler (seated, right) is general chairman for the celebration. Miss Mayo is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mayo of Plymouth. Representatives of the college student government association who are assisting Mr. Butler are (left to right): Front row, Jay B. Nichols, Greenville Homecoming Committee chairman; Miss Mayo, Ann Peed of Williamson and Mr. Butler; second row: S. David Carson and Eddie N. Harris of Williamson, Edwin A. Dennis of Durham, and James E. Phelps, jr., of Greenville.