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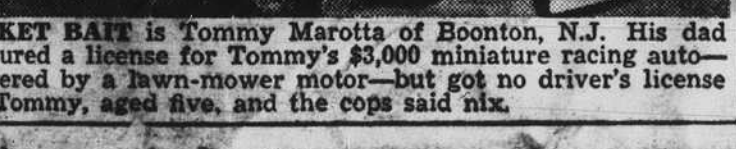
People, Spots In The News



SLICK CHICK meets slick sink in model California home where Barbara Bates, movie starlet, tries out for herself the easy-cleaning properties of ceramic-tiled drainboard and wainscot in all-tiled kitchen.



NEW ERA was seen at hand in American tennis as big, crashing, 20-year-old Richard "Pancho" Gonzales of Los Angeles emerged as new national champion at Forest Hills as many veteran top-notchers—Parker, Mulloy, Talbert—were tumbled in early rounds.



BUCKET BAIT is Tommy Marotta of Boonton, N.J. His dad secured a license for Tommy's \$3,000 miniature racing auto—powered by a lawn-mower motor—but got no driver's license for Tommy, aged five, and the cops said nix.

Carrboro P-TA Committees Named For School Year

Carrboro.—The first meeting for the school year of the Carrboro P-TA was held on last Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Carrboro school auditorium.

Mrs. Jesse West, president of the Carrboro association, presided and announced the following committees for the year:

Mrs. Amelia Thompson, program chairman; Mrs. Thomas Goodrich, secretary and treasurer. Membership Committee—Mrs. Clara Farrell, chairman; Mrs. Edward Pepper, Mrs. Clifton Boyd, Health, and Summer Round-Up—Mrs. Pauline Ferguson. Magazine—Mrs. Clifford Featherer, Mrs. John McLaughlin, and Mrs. Bourroughs Hogan. Publicity—Mrs. Frank Maddy. Recreation—Raymond Kiddoo, Bourroughs Hogan, and Philip Andrews.

Goals for Standard Association—Mrs. Sam Lockhart. Safety—Mrs. Hand. Finance—Mrs. Dewey Sparrow, Mrs. Henry Hogan, Troy Hackney and Edward Pepper.

Library—Miss Agnes Andrews. Character and Spiritual Education—Mrs. Troy Jones. Music and Art—Mrs. Ira Mann. Parent Education—Mrs. R. B. Studebaker. Social Committee—Mrs. Carl Ellington, Miss Agnes Andrews.

Cooley Address To Head Farmers Mutual Program

Farmers Mutual annual stockholders meeting will be held in Durham Friday, in the Duke gymnasium, according to an announcement by C. W. Tilson, general manager of Farmers Mutual. The program will start promptly at 10 o'clock and will be followed by a barbecue dinner.

Congressman Harold Cooley, a member of the House Agricultural Committee, will be the principal speaker. Mr. Cooley will be introduced to the stockholders by U. S. Senator William B. Umstead from Durham. Other speakers on the program will be C. W. Tilson, who will report to the stockholders on last year's operation of Farmers Mutual along with the financial condition of the organization.

Contests and group singing are other features to appear on the program. Prizes will be awarded to the winners of various contests and an attendance prize will be given to the lucky ticket number holder.

The decision to have one big annual meeting in Durham rather than one in each of the five counties that Farmers Mutual operates in was made by the community directors at a meeting held recently in each county. This group felt that the facilities of the Duke gymnasium along with being able to secure a better speaker and the need for all stockholders to get together made it advisable to have one big meeting.

Invitations have been mailed out to 12,000 stockholders and at least 5,000 are expected to attend the meeting and barbecue dinner. For 14 years, Congressman has been very active in helping to formulate the nation's agricultural policies. He has worked hard to see that fair support prices have been established for agricultural products.

Congressman Cooley and his committee have had the all-important job of working out a long-range farm program. This committee held last year 12 regional meetings throughout the United States to get the farmers' views on what a long-range agricultural policy should include. One of these meetings was held in Rocky Mount and farmers representing all phases of agriculture from North Carolina, Virginia and South Carolina appeared before Congressman and his committee and presented our agricultural needs.

Change Being Made In Indexing Method

A change is being made in the indexing system in the register of deeds office in Hillsboro to give more space for filing the papers brought to the office.

More papers are being filed in the available books because there is no more space in the vault to place additional books.



Larger Number Turn Out In Chapel Hill To Hear Thurmond Than In Any N.C. City

A larger audience turned out for States' Rights Presidential Candidate J. Strom Thurmond in Chapel Hill Tuesday than at any other point in North Carolina during his one-day swing through central Carolina.

Thurmond spoke in Chapel Hill under the auspices of the Carolina Forum to approximately 1,500 people.

Thurmond's most enthusiastic audience was also at Chapel Hill, but there was more than a hint that the Carolina students were taking the South Carolina governor with tongue in cheek. They laughed uproariously at his sallies directed at President Truman; Senator Alben Barkley, Truman's running mate and Thomas E. Dewey, the Republican presidential candidate. At the mention of Henry Wallace there were some cheers and a loud chorus of boos.

A light wave of laughter swept across the student audience when Thurmond declared, "I have no race prejudice."

In most places, Thurmond's audience applauded vigorously and frequently, but the applause came generally only from a portion of those present.

He attacked Senator Barkley, claiming that the Democratic can-

didate for vice president had "betrayed" the South by attempting to secure passage of some civil rights proposals by preventing a filibuster.

He also attacked Dewey, claiming that the Republican candidate should not get a vote from the South because of his opposition to equal freight rates for the South.

Without mentioning Secretary of the Army Kenneth Royall by name, Thurmond made note of Royall's recent visit to Columbia, S. C., where he made a speech in support of Truman.

Thurmond said Royall was a man "for whom we all have great admiration . . . but I sincerely believe he was acting rather boldly when he said, from the platform, that President Truman would not, or could not, carry out his promises to the minorities to break down segregation in the armed forces and in our factories and business."

The States' Rights candidate reiterated his belief that he could win the election by securing enough electoral votes to throw the selection of President into the House of Representatives.

"The Republicans would rather have us than Truman," he explained, "and the Democrats would rather have us than Dewey."

Hillsboro High Loses To Oxford, 19-0; Asheboro Is Opponent For Tomorrow

By BILLY MANGUM



MRS. CORRINE GRIMSLEY

Family Life Expert To Be Here Tuesday

Mrs. Corrine Grimsley, family life specialist for the late College Extension service, will speak in Hillsboro Tuesday, October 12, at the Hillsboro First Baptist church, when members of Orange county home demonstration clubs will act as hostesses to club members from Alamance, Caswell, and Durham counties.

Approximately 65 family life leaders in the various clubs are expected to attend. Family life leaders in the P-T.A., Grange, Farm Bureau, and missionary societies are invited to attend.

X-RAY CLINIC

The regular monthly X-ray clinic will be held at the health department in Hillsboro on Monday, October 11, from 2 to 4 p. m.

County Commissioners Name Committee Of Citizens To Study Needs Of Orange Regarding Capital Outlay Expenditures

First step in laying plans for a bond issue election next year in Orange county were made at a joint meeting of the Orange county board of commissioners and board of education Monday in the courthouse when a committee of representative citizens from all sections of the county were named to make a study of the needs of the county.

In appointing the committee the combined members of the two boards made an effort to select

members of the two dominant political parties in the county and of both races. Both men and women were named to the committee.

James Webb of Hillsboro, State senator for Orange and Alamance counties, was asked to assume the chairmanship of the group. The committee is expected to complete its study of the county's needs within the next two months and make a report to the commissioners at the December meeting.

That limit was set by the commissioners because they felt that the study should be completed before Webb assumes his duties in the State legislature.

Others named on the committee and the areas they represent are: B. C. Corbett, Negro of Cedar Grove; Hubert Robinson, Negro of Chapel Hill; Z. C. Burton of Cedar Grove; Mrs. Clarence D. Jones of Hillsboro; J. Lucius Brown, Jr., of Hillsboro; Lemuel R. Cheek of Route 1, Chapel Hill; John L. Efland, Jr., of Efland; Raymond Andrews of Carrboro; J. B. Johns of Chapel Hill; Mrs. Clyde Walker of Route 2, Rougemont; Mrs. M. R. Evans of Chapel Hill; and H. G. Coleman, Sr., of Hillsboro.

Each person appointed was written the following letter:

"At a joint meeting of the county commissioners and the board of education you were appointed a member of the committee of 15 people from all sections of Orange county to make a thorough study of the needs of Orange county, particularly those requiring capital outlay.

"This is an important assignment and presents an opportunity to the members of the committee to make a real contribution to Orange county.

"The committee chairman, Mr. James Webb of Hillsboro, will call a meeting of the committee at an early date, and it is hoped that the committee's report can be completed within the next two months."

The letter was signed by Collier Cobb, Jr., chairman of the board of commissioners, and J. S. Compton, chairman of the board of education.

The committee will be expected to delve into all phases of the county's needs in regard to more room in the courthouse, more school buildings and other functions of the county's government.

All employees of the county have been instructed by the county commissioners to give all aid possible to the committee members when they seek information about the county and the functions their office plays in the overall county picture of government.

Becky Huggins Is Named Queen Of Durham Festival

Miss Becky Huggins of Chapel Hill was crowned Queen of Tobacco at the coronation ball of Durham's annual Merchants Association Tobacco Festival last Friday night in the city armory. Lyndon Hobbs, Miss Huggins' escort, who is also from Chapel Hill, reigned as king of the festival.

Miss Huggins, winner of a beauty contest sponsored by the daughter of Vic Huggins, president of the Chapel Hill-Carrboro Chamber of Commerce and Merchants club. Both the king and queen are students of the University.

Miss Elizabeth Lyons also represented Chapel Hill at the three-day festival. Miss Huggins was chosen queen from among 22 girls from the Durham area.

Junior Health Educators Here For Orientation

According to Dr. O. David Garvin, district health officer, Miss Mildred Oakley of Oxford and Miss Margaret Drennan of Boston, Mass., have been recently assigned to the Orange-Person-Chatham-Lee District Health department at Chapel Hill to work under the supervision of Miss Elizabeth Lovell and Howard Fitts, health educators for the district.

As recent graduates of N.C.C. and U.N.C. schools of public health they are at Chapel Hill for orientation to the services of a local health department and local health education activities. Part of their program while here will consist in giving assistance to schools and community groups in planning and organizing health programs; conferences and field trips with the health department staff; visits to local voluntary agencies; carrying out special projects with schools and community groups; and in general, fit into the already very active program of the health department.

At the close of their orientation period Miss Drennan will return to Massachusetts as health educator with the Massachusetts Tuberculosis league, and Miss Oakley will remain in North Carolina as health educator with the State Board of Health, division of tuberculosis control.

Stone Is Named Orange County YDC Organizer

Appointment of Jerry Stone, attorney at law, of Hillsboro, as YDC organizer for Orange county, has been announced by Bedford W. Black, state organizer for the Young Democratic clubs of North Carolina.

In announcing Stone's appointment, Black said that the Young Democrats have established offices in State Democratic headquarters and that their goal is the organization of every precinct in the state to roll up the greatest Democratic majority in history on November 2. (Statewide YDC story on inside.)

Brunswick Stew Meal Planned Oct. 9

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of New Sharon church will sponsor a brunswick stew supper at St. Mary's schoolhouse on Saturday, October 9, beginning about 5 p. m.

Artificial Breeding Ring Is Planned For County Dairymen

At a meeting held in the County Agricultural building last Monday, John Brown, extension dairyman from State College, explained how Orange county farmers could form an artificial breeding ring. If such an organization is perfected, farmers can breed their cows to some of the best proven bulls in North Carolina and Indiana by means of artificial insemination.

Brown stated that in order to make the association feasible, 1,000 cows would have to be signed up. Five meetings will be held on Wednesday night, October 13, at 7:30 o'clock, to find out how many cows farmers will breed if these services are available.

A steering committee composed of C. W. Stanford, G. F. Limer, C. E. Teer, and P. B. Lloyd, together with all agricultural workers in the county, will have charge of these meetings which will be held at the following places: Farmers Dairy in Chapel Hill; Grange Hall at White Cross; Grange Hall at Orange Grove; agricultural building at Cedar Grove; agricultural building at Hillsboro.

All farmers, no matter how few cows they have, who are interested in obtaining this service should go to one of these meetings.

Repairs Under Way On Clock Tower

Repairs were started this week on the clock tower of the Orange county courthouse in Hillsboro. Rotten timbers are being replaced and a copper roof put on the tower.

The work is being done under the direction of Curry Roberts on a cost-plus basis contract.

Considerable Interest Being Displayed In Heifer Show, Sale, Scheduled Oct. 29

Considerable interest is being shown by Orange county 4-H and members as well as adults in five-county dairy heifer show sale to be held at the livestock market in Hillsboro on Friday, October 29.

A number of entries have already been received at the county office for animals which will be entered both in the show and in the sale. It is expected that 100 purebred and grade heifers up to two years of age will be shown and that about 40 of the animals will be offered for sale at an auction to be held in the afternoon.

Farmer or club member may enter an animal in the show in which the following prizes will be awarded: Blue ribbon, \$8; red ribbon, \$4; white ribbon, \$2. If the farmer wishes, he may enter this animal in the auction sale which will be held in the afternoon. No fees or commissions will be charged out of the proceeds of the sale and the owner may no sale animal if he so desires.

Another feature of the sale will

be that any heifer fresh with first calf by her side may be entered in the sale without charges or commission.

This is the first event of its kind ever to be held in North Carolina and each farmer, dairyman, or club member who has a heifer of good dairy breeding, either grade or purebred, is urged to fit the animal and enter it in the show. Those who have surplus heifers of good breeding are urged to fit and show the animal, and also enter her in the sale.

This show and sale will be held at the livestock market in Hillsboro and all pens will be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected with new litter on the floor prior to the time of the sale. This is being done in order to insure that no contagious diseases may be contracted or spread by this event.

If sufficient interest is shown by the farmers, club members, and dairymen, it is hoped that this show and sale can be held at Hillsboro each year. Counties participating are: Person, Granville, Durham, Chatham, and Orange.

Recent Rains, Unsettled Weather Retard Work On Roads In County, Board Is Told

Community Chest Drive Starts October 17

The Community Chest drive, inaugurated for the first time this spring, as an annual campaign, will begin October 17 with a house-to-house canvass for donations. Funds will be contributed by the Community Council to the Boy Scouts, Boy Scouts, white and colored recreation centers, colored nursery, Emergency Medical fund, Crippled Children's League, the Children's Library association, and the Humane Society, all service organizations.

Roy Armstrong is in charge of this year's campaign, assisted by Community Council members. Paul W. Wager is head of the committee, and Orville Campbell is publicity director.

Recent rains and unsettled weather have retarded the work of the highway workers in keeping the state highway system in the county in good repair, Clarence Walters, superintendent, reported to the commissioners Monday.

Walters appeared before the commissioners and gave an informal report on the condition of the roads in the county. He said that every farmer who voted for Kerr Scott in the recent elections was expecting a hard-surfaced road by his front door.

The commissioners approved the addition of one-seventh of a mile of road in the Chapel Hill area to the state system. The road is known as Coolidge street and seven people live on it, according to the petition presented to the commissioners.

A meeting of the State Highway commission will be held in Roxboro on October 13 at which time petitions approved by the county commissioners will be presented for the okay of the state board.

Bread grain production in the Soviet Union is forecast to be larger than in 1947, but still well below average.