

H. Claytor Funeral Rites Held Friday

Hillsboro.—Funeral services for Hume Claytor, 64, superintendent of Orange County for 30 years and one of the county's best known citizens, were held last Friday afternoon at Hillsboro Presbyterian Church. Interment was in the New Hope cemetery, six miles south of Hillsboro.

He died suddenly last Wednesday night following a heart attack at his home here.

Relative of this county, son of David A. and Frances E. Claytor was an active member of the New Hope section, Hillsboro Presbyterian Church, in which he served as elder, and the Hillsboro Club, in which he had been a past president. He was a graduate of the University of North Carolina.

Survivors include his wife, the late Rosa Thomas of Durham; daughters, Mrs. Edwin Hammon, Miss Mary Clayton of Hillsboro, four sons, Robert Hume Claytor of Durham, John Wilcox Claytor of Shelby, Dorch of Winston-Salem and Clayton of Elon College; and Mrs. Margaret Thompson of Hillsboro.

Irving E. Birdseye was the officiating minister. Pall bearers were Glenn Auman, Ernest Patterson, W. W. Teer, R. J. Smith, and Eskridge and Carl Davis.

Funeral services were held at 4 o'clock today at Moore's Chapel Baptist Church in Alamance County with Rev. R. J. Newton, Rev. Henderson and Rev. N. S. Richardson officiating. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

The body will remain at the home of his son here until 2 p. m. today when it will be removed to the church to lie in state until the funeral hour.

Son of the late Charlie and Elizabeth Brown of Chatham County, he is survived by four daughters, Mrs. E. B. Edwards of Graham, Mrs. Clyde Thornburgh of Burlington, Mrs. J. C. Holt of Burlington, RFD, and Mrs. Ned Richardson of Philadelphia, Pa.; two sons, Charlie Brown of Cary and G. A. Brown of Hillsboro; 36 grandchildren and 37 great-grandchildren.

Warden Warns Violators Again

Hillsboro.—Wordie R. Fitzgerald, county warden, warned yesterday that he must clamp down on violators of state regulations governing burning of woodlands.

He pointed out that some people continue to burn areas without first obtaining permits. Such violators, he said, are subject to prosecution. Permits may be obtained without cost from the warden or at a number of distributing points throughout the county, which have been previously announced.

Mary's Shop Changes Hands

Mrs. Mary Boggs has sold her interest in Mary's Shop, which she has operated on Churton Street opposite the Courthouse in Hillsboro for some time.

Mrs. D. T. Butler of Greensboro, her sister, who had previously been interested in the firm, is now sole owner, according to the announcement of the transfer made this week.

Miss Frances Harper has arrived here to assume active management of the business, which will continue to carry the same line of merchandise as previously.

P.T.A. Honors Past Presidents Here In Observance Of National Founders Day

Hillsboro.—Founder's Day of the National Parent Teacher Association was observed at the February meeting of the Hillsboro P. T. A. last Wednesday in the High School auditorium.

Mrs. Clarence Jones, president, set the keynote for the evening by quoting a challenging verse which closed with the words, "Be the best of whatever you are." Mrs. Mitchell Lloyd, past president, gave an account of the work of Mrs. Burney and Mrs. Hurst, founders of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, advising that "the best tribute we could pay these founders would be in carrying on their aims and ideals in our local organization."

A list of the former presidents of the local group was read, and those who were present were honored by a rising vote of thanks for their service. At this time special recognition in the form of a gift was given to Mrs. Allen Whitaker as a token of appreciation for her long and faithful service; Mrs. Whitaker has the unusual record of not having missed a meeting for 13 years. She has also served as president of the local chapter and is now president of the Orange County Council.

The theme of the fulfilling of obligation through service was emphasized in the program presented by the Vocational Agriculture Department, which at that time was celebrating Future Farmers of America Week. Among the students taking part were James Horn, winner of first place in the recent seven-school speaking contest, and Bobby Strayhorn, who has achieved county-wide fame for his home projects. Elmer Dowdy, agriculture teacher, made a brief talk on visual aids in education and showed slides and film strips made in Orange County, as well as scenes from the 1948 F. F. A. convention in Kansas City. After the program, a tour was made of the Agriculture Department.

Past Presidents—1919-1949
Mrs. J. S. Spurgeon, 1919
Mrs. C. D. Jones, Cr., 1920
Mrs. Marvin Lockhart, 1921-23
Mrs. T. N. Webb, Sr., 1924-25
Mrs. R. H. Claytor, 1926-27
Mrs. C. H. Robertson, 1928-29
Mrs. O. M. Bivins, 1930-32
Mrs. F. S. Cates, 1932-34
Mrs. B. S. Carr, 1934-36
Mrs. C. H. Walker, 1936-38
Mrs. J. G. Godwin, 1938-40
Mrs. Allen Whitaker, 1940-42
Mrs. H. H. Brown, 1942-44
Mrs. B. F. Forrest, 1944-46
Mrs. Mitchell Lloyd, 1946-48
Mrs. C. D. Jones, Jr., 1948-49



G. A. Brown's Father Passes; Funeral Today

Hillsboro.—N. S. Brown, father of G. A. Brown, principal of Hillsboro Schools, died in Winston-Salem Tuesday night at 10 o'clock following an illness of some duration.

Funeral services will be held at 4 o'clock today at Moore's Chapel Baptist Church in Alamance County with Rev. R. J. Newton, Rev. Henderson and Rev. N. S. Richardson officiating. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

The body will remain at the home of his son here until 2 p. m. today when it will be removed to the church to lie in state until the funeral hour.

Son of the late Charlie and Elizabeth Brown of Chatham County, he is survived by four daughters, Mrs. E. B. Edwards of Graham, Mrs. Clyde Thornburgh of Burlington, Mrs. J. C. Holt of Burlington, RFD, and Mrs. Ned Richardson of Philadelphia, Pa.; two sons, Charlie Brown of Cary and G. A. Brown of Hillsboro; 36 grandchildren and 37 great-grandchildren.

Final Services Held Monday For J. C. Merritt

Chapel Hill.—Funeral services were held for J. C. Merritt Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at St. Carmel Baptist Church with services being conducted by his pastor, the Rev. W. O. Wagoner, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Dorsett of Carrboro. Burial followed in Merritts family cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Callie Andrews Merritt; two sons, Leo Merritt and Joe Merritt of the home; two sisters, Mrs. W. E. Stone of Chapel Hill and Mrs. A. C. Holt of Durham; one brother, Clifton Merritt of University Station.

The following nephews served as pallbearers: A. Seaton Holt, Jr., Alfred Sparrow, Howard E. Stone, William Edgar Stone, Jr., Mallie J. Stone, and Jack Merritt.

Honorary pallbearers were members of the Junior Order Post No. 52, Dr. John B. Riggsbee, Dr. George L. Crane, Norman Sparrow, Floyd Dollar, Ralph L. Blackwood, Charlie Sparrow, Thurman Sparrow, Forney Andrews, E. T. Hearne, John Willford, Robert Willford, and R. H. Marks. Nieces served as floral bearers.

Sheep Meeting Set Tomorrow

Hillsboro.—There will be a field meeting of farmers interested in raising sheep on the farm of Dr. Joseph Beard at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

L. I. Case, sheep extension specialist from State College, will discuss the future of sheep raising in this section. Dr. Beard has some of the new Corriedale breed of sheep, especially noted for their wool.

Swine Program Brings 60 Here; Lloyd President

Hillsboro.—A swine production meeting, sponsored by the Orange County Spotted Poland China Breeders Association, was held in the Agricultural Building Monday night.

Dr. H. A. Stewart of the Animal Husbandry Department of State College talked to a group of 60 Orange County farmers and club members on the possibilities of increasing farm income through the production of swine.

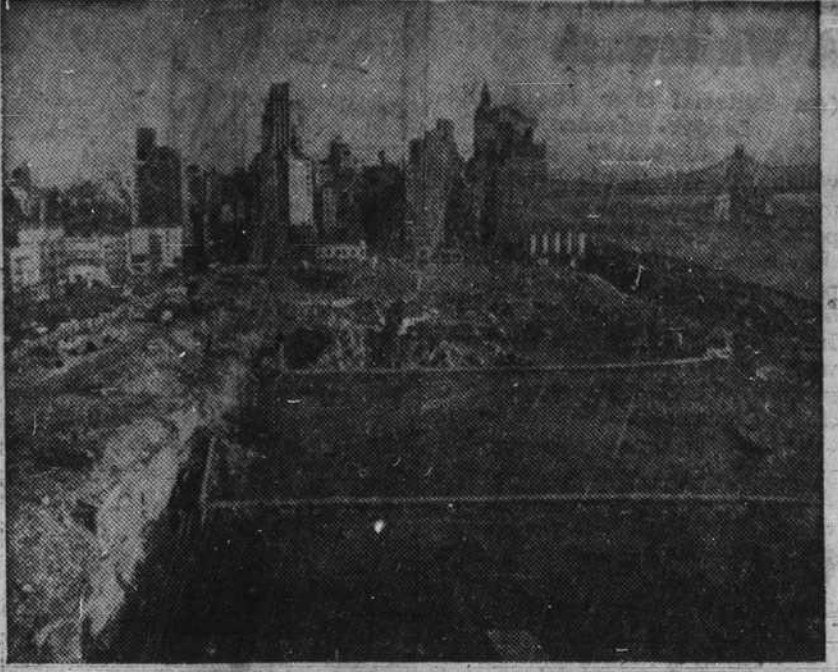
Dr. Stewart pointed out the first requirement of a good swine program was ample pasturage and some hog "know how" on the part of the farmer.

Following the general meeting a re-election of officers was held by the local association. Truitt Lloyd, Mebane Route 2, was re-elected president; Ed Latta, vice president; R. L. Mohler, secretary; C. J. Dunn, treasurer, and E. P. Barnes, recording secretary.

The organization voted to hold a show and sale of bred and open gilts the latter part of the year or early 1950. Thirty-five animals to be farrowed this spring, summer, and early fall were consigned to the sale by those present. It is expected that 50 sows of this breed will farrow some 400 pigs during this period.

Excavations in the six-block site where the permanent headquarters of the United Nations are to be built in New York City are nearly complete. Meanwhile, U.N. signed a contract for \$23,809,573 for the construction of the 39-story office building which will house its staff. The building is to be completed in the autumn of 1950.

Where World Capital Will Rise



Excavations in the six-block site where the permanent headquarters of the United Nations are to be built in New York City are nearly complete. Meanwhile, U.N. signed a contract for \$23,809,573 for the construction of the 39-story office building which will house its staff. The building is to be completed in the autumn of 1950.

Mayor Madry Proclaims World Government Week

Mayor R. W. Madry Tuesday proclaimed the week of Feb. 27 through March 5 as Chapel Hill World Government Week.

First, it is universally recognized that the problem of securing a stable world peace is the most vital problem today, and failure to solve that problem may endanger or destroy the democratic way of life, the proclamation stated.

There is constantly increasing sponsorship for the creation of a world federal government as offering the best opportunity for a solution of the problem, the proclamation continued.

The proclamation pointed out that it is of cardinal importance that all Chapel Hill citizens familiarize themselves with such proposals in order that they may form intelligent opinions and reach wise decisions with respect to them.

"I urge all of our citizens, whether of voting age or not, to make a serious and sincere effort during World Government Week to devote study and thought to the reasons prompting the issues involved in, and the practicability of the proposals for world federal government," Madry said.

Madry urged civic, religious, and other organizations to devote their meetings scheduled during the designated week to study and discussion of world federal government proposals.

Public Invited To AAUW Meet

Chapel Hill.—The public is invited to the meeting of the Chapel Hill chapter of the American Association of University Women next Monday in the staff room of the University library to hear a discussion of two legislative proposals made by the State Legislative Council. This will be the last in a series of three such meetings, sponsored by the recent graduates' group of the AAUW.

The proposals under discussion will be to provide for minimum wage and maximum hour standards for women and minors, and to strengthen marriage requirements and divorce laws, with special attention being given to the care and custody of children involved in divorce cases.

Approximately \$30 was raised by the recent graduates' group through its white elephant sale last Saturday morning. The proceeds will go into the fellowship fund and the graduate loan fund for University students.

Reporter Learns Of Polished Prisms At Basnight Store

By WILLIE GEE
S. H. Basnight Hardware Company, Henderson Street, Chapel Hill, has a very beautiful and choice collection of lighting fixtures on display. Among them are chandeliers imported from Czechoslovakia with prisms dangling therefrom. Incidentally, Mr. Sorrell told this reporter that young Czech boys go home after their day's work and spend the evening polishing up the prisms on the lighting fixtures. How is that for a novel way to spend the evening? Mother would be surprised but she wouldn't mind a bit if the young son of the house would go in for this worthwhile amusement.

Mr. Basnight also pointed out interesting lighting effects. The Basnight company is furnishing the knobs and other items for the new cottage being erected at the Kennedy home. Their craftsmen fill the order from the architect's blue print.

Orange Is High In Vet Assistance

Hillsboro.—According to the biennial report of the North Carolina Veterans Commission, only three counties in the state ranked above Orange in the amount of monetary benefits to veterans and dependents during the fiscal year 1947-48.

Only Wake, Guilford, and Wilson county veterans received larger total sums of monetary assistance than veterans in Orange. However, according to Walter G. Wrenn, Veterans Service Officer for Orange County, all three counties have much larger numbers of veterans, and on the basis of the number of dollars per veteran, Orange ranks first. There are 3,509 veterans in the county. During the fiscal year 1947-48, they received benefits of \$263,405.87. In cases where payments are made on a monthly basis, this includes initial payments only.

Credit for this volume of vet assistance is generally attributed to the presence of the full-time veterans officer, Walter G. Wrenn, who assumed the position as Orange County Veterans Service Officer in November, 1947.

Because of his interest in the welfare of veterans, Wrenn resigned his position as agent for Imperial Life Insurance Company to accept the veterans service post. He is a veteran of World War I, and served as Commander of the Hillsboro Post of the American Legion in 1945-46.

Wrenn's headquarters are in the American Legion hut in Hillsboro. On Thursday afternoons, Charles A. Beddingfield, a representative of the N. C. Veterans Commission, discusses tentative cases and assists Wrenn in interviews.

"Difficulties of all sorts arise in getting these claims through," Wrenn stated. "One case required 14 months' work before initial benefits were received."

Charlie Phillips, chairman of the Charter Night committee, discussed the progress that the group is making toward the proposed March 17 celebration at the Carolina Inn. Many guests as well as wives of Jaycees will be present for the festivities.

Kenneth Putnam reported on further progress of the tree planting committee and arranged a future date at which time more trees will be set out in the business sections of Carrboro and Chapel Hill. More than 100 trees have already been set out.

The club voted to accept funds amounting to \$750 which were turned over to the Jaycees by the Rotary and Kiwanis clubs to be used toward permanent improvements in the local high school athletic facilities.

Orange County Hog Brings Top Price At Show

Hillsboro.—A six-months-old Spotted Poland China boar belonging to Richard Roberts, Hillsboro Route 1, was the runner-up in a class of boars exhibited and sold at the North Carolina State sale of SPC hogs at Lumberton last Friday.

This boar, carrying the blood lines of Grandview Supreme, was purchased by A. M. Holland, Luccama Route 1, for \$105. This was the top price paid for any boar in the sale. The grand champion, a year-old boar belonging to Dr. Paul Whitaker of Kinston, brought the same price.

Dr. Stewart of the State College Swine Department declared that this young boar had some exceptional qualities.

The following SPC breeders from Orange County attended the show and sale: J. E. Latta, C. J. Dunn, Jack Dunn, Truitt Lloyd, R. L. Mohler, Clyde Roberts, H. S. Walker and E. P. Barnes.

Brawl Sends Pair To Jail

Hillsboro.—Two West Hillsboro men, Wilbur Walker and Bill Stallings, half brothers, are in Orange County jail following a brawl in the Sports Shop, local billiard parlor, Monday night.

They will be charged with assault on an officer, resisting arrest, public drunkenness and possibly one or two other charges, officers said.

Exchange Boys Win Opener

The Exchange girls were beaten in the finals of the C. B. A. basketball tournament at Stem last week by Gann Hosiery of Durham.

The Exchange boys were beaten in the semi-finals by Erwin Auditorium of Durham. Earp led the scoring for Auditorium with 24 points while Swartzberg had 19 for the Exchange Club.

On Tuesday night of this week, the Exchange boys won their opening round in the Goodfellows tournament at Camp Butler over Youngsville by the score of 40 to 24; Fred Swartzberg led the Hillsboro scoring with 17 points.

A game between the Carolina Clowns and the Hillsboro Exchange Club is being arranged for the Hillsboro gym, on Monday, March 7.

Seed Growers Are Reminded To Return Cards

Hillsboro.—A. K. McAdams, secretary of the Orange County Seed Growers Association, stated today that there are many farmers in Orange County who have not returned their 1948 marketing cards to the AAA Office.

McAdams said that he wished to remind all tobacco producers of these marketing cards are the property of the Production and Marketing Administration and should be returned. All persons who have these cards in their possession are urged to mail or bring them in to the County Office as soon as possible.

Below are the names of the growers to whom may be taken orders for seeds and/or fertilizers to be filled under the program: Farmers Mutual of Hillsboro and Carrboro; Douglas with N. B. Berry, Sutt, J. C. Monk and L. J. Snipes as the agents; American Chemical Co. with W. A. Snipes, N. G. Wilkerson, G. G. Merritt and J. L. McAdams as agents; The Mebane FCX Mebane is also a vender for materials.

Miss Cora Harris To Address Chapel Hill Garden Club Monday

Chapel Hill.—Miss Cora Harris of Charlotte will speak to the Chapel Hill Garden Club next Monday in the Parish House on the corner of Orange and Fraternity streets, at 7:30 p. m.

She will also show colored slides of her garden. Charles Cannon's herb garden in Concord, which Miss Harris planned and tended. Garden Club members will bring their own recipes using herbs. Mrs. Totten is in charge of the program.

The meeting last Friday, Mrs. Totten spoke to the club on how to prepare garden soil using natural soil as opposed to special soil.

A special group is meeting at the home of Mrs. Totten on Laurel Road every Tuesday and Thursday to study a course in rose growing. Special bulletins and outlines are supplied by the State Extension Division. Mrs. Totten is directing the group with the aid of the county's information.

The meeting last Friday, Mrs. Totten spoke to the club on how to prepare garden soil using natural soil as opposed to special soil.

A special group is meeting at the home of Mrs. Totten on Laurel Road every Tuesday and Thursday to study a course in rose growing. Special bulletins and outlines are supplied by the State Extension Division. Mrs. Totten is directing the group with the aid of the county's information.

The meeting last Friday, Mrs. Totten spoke to the club on how to prepare garden soil using natural soil as opposed to special soil.

A special group is meeting at the home of Mrs. Totten on Laurel Road every Tuesday and Thursday to study a course in rose growing. Special bulletins and outlines are supplied by the State Extension Division. Mrs. Totten is directing the group with the aid of the county's information.