

Hillsboro Garden Club Prepares For Big Event



Among the busiest people around these days are members of the Hillsboro Garden Club, who are preparing for their Purple Ribbon Flower Show, which this year is being combined with the annual Pilgrimage. The combined event is expected to bring hundreds of visitors to Hillsboro on April 23 and 24. Above is the latest photograph of the club and below may be seen a Victorian arrangement by Mrs. George Gilmore, Pilgrimage chairman, which is similar to many to be on display in the homes here during the two-day period. The club membership includes:

Left to right, first row: Mrs. Mack Gilmore—Chm. Pilgrimage, Mrs. Charles S. Hubbard—President, Mrs. H. W. Moore, Leila Laire—University of N. C., Mrs. D. Jones, Mrs. J. W. Richardson, Norfleet Webb.

Second row: Mrs. T. E. Lynch, Mrs. Robert Masterton, Mrs. L. W. Grayhorne, Don Matheson, Mrs. Robert Forrest—Chm. Flower Show, Mrs. R. H. Mohler, Mrs. L. Brown, Sr.

Third row: Mrs. Charles Walker, Sr., Mrs. Garland Miller, Mrs. Verette Forrest, Mrs. Ben Johnson, Mrs. T. P. Hoffee, Mrs. Grover Bivins, Mrs. Glenn Auman, Mrs. C. W. Sharp.

Fourth row: Mrs. Don Matheson, Mrs. James Webb, Mrs. Paul Davis, Mrs. B. N. Roberts, Mrs. John Gattling.

Fifth row: Mrs. Fred Cates, Mrs. Oscar Parsley, Mrs. E. R. Dowdy, Miss Virginia Gattis.

Members not pictured: Mrs. Alben Walker, Mrs. D. E. Forrest,



Mrs. B. B. Forrest, Mrs. M. B. Roberts, Mrs. S. A. Johnson, Mrs. Felix Forrest, Mrs. Brown Gordon, Sr., Mrs. Charles Robertson, Mrs. Randolph Brown, Mrs. J. C. Webb, Mrs. T. N. Webb, J. S. Spurgeon, Mrs. Van Kenion, Miss Maude Brown.

Madry And Lanier File For Mayor In May Election

Chapel Hill.—Interest in Chapel Hill's municipal election, scheduled for May 3, picked up this week with the announcement that four more candidates had filed.

Mayor Robert W. Madry, who announced a week ago that he would be a candidate to succeed himself, formally filed Tuesday, and so did Edwin S. Lanier, a member of the Board of Aldermen, who will oppose him.

John Manning filed as a candidate for Judge of Recorder's Court, a post now held by Judge Henry Whitfield, who says he will be a candidate to succeed himself.

Two more candidates had filed for the Board of Aldermen: Bernice Fitch, an incumbent, who put in his application last Friday, and Kenneth E. Putnam, who announced for the first time.

Robert L. Fowler, an incumbent, and Mrs. Roland McClamroch, who is running for the first time, had announced for the board a week ago.

"I'm sorry that Ed Lanier, a good friend of mine, has decided to run, for both of us are too busy—or ought to be anyway—to spend much time on a campaign," Mayor Madry said. "My decision was based on an informal survey which indicated that my supporters in previous campaigns wanted me to offer again. I hope this survey doesn't turn out to be another Gallup Poll."

"My platform for the future is indicated by the past performance. The town's financial condition is better now than it has been in many years; the tax rate was not increased last year, despite the fact that a \$260,000 bond issue for permanent improvements was voted, and no tax increase is contemplated for the new budget beginning July 1."

"One of the most satisfactory things about this job is that Chapel Hill has one of the ablest boards of aldermen in the state," he said.

Hillsboro Area Seen Lagging In Fund Drive

Hillsboro.—The final big push in the Orange County Red Cross Fund Drive began this week. Though the campaign goal is still to be reached, the final push by all captains and solicitors gives promise of surpassing the county quota. The citizens of Orange County, led by Campaign Chairman A. K. McAdams, are determined that they shall do their part in this most worthwhile undertaking.

Campaign leaders announced that the township of Hillsboro was lagging just a bit behind its goal. However, the record of Hillsboro in the past has proven that it will not fail any humanitarian undertaking—and certainly the varied work of the Red Cross deserves the attention and support of all of our people, campaign leaders believe.

They issued the following appeal: Remember, "You do not give to the Red Cross . . . you give to your fellow men through the Red Cross." Help some unfortunate polio victim, tornado, flood or fire sufferer. Give today to the Red Cross. Send your check to Red Cross Fund, care of A. K. McAdams, Hillsboro, Or, call the AAA Office for someone to pick up your contribution. If you haven't given to your fellow men through the Red Cross, you owe it to yourself to do so now—the next disaster victim may be close home."

Orange Court Conditions Worst In State--Nimocks

Hillsboro.—The Grand Jury meeting last week in connection with the term of Superior Court, issued a stinging denunciation of conditions in some of the county schools and at the county courthouse.

In commenting upon their report, Judge Q. K. Nimocks termed conditions at the courthouse the worst in North Carolina and described facilities in that building as "completely inadequate." He said he hoped the people of Orange County would "wake up" to the serious conditions existing there and the urgent need for better court facilities.

The Grand Jury report appeared in many respects a rehash of the recent Fact-Finding Committee's report and considerable space was devoted to minor school building needs, too numerous to

enumerate in their entirety. The report referred to the Fact-Finding report itself and urged its adoption after noting it was "appalled by the number of recommendations which appear immediately necessary."

"Orange is not a rich county," it stated, "but it can, we believe, carry out the plan proposed for us by this committee of citizens. We cannot afford not to do it."

Regarding the courthouse, it said in part: "The county courthouse needs much to make it a suitable place for carrying on efficiently the business of the county." The offices of Clerk of Superior Court and the Register of Deeds do not give room for efficient work by the personnel necessary for these offices. This is not

Hillsboro Citizens Urged To Clean, Beautify For Forthcoming Pilgrimage

Hillsboro.—Mrs. J. L. Brown, Sr., chairman of the Hillsboro Garden Club's clean-up committee, has appealed to citizens of the community to cooperate in cleaning and beautifying their premises for the forthcoming Pilgrimage and Flower Show, during which a large number of visitors are expected.

Her statement: "The date of the Hillsboro Garden Club Pilgrimage is drawing near and all home and business owners are asked to cooperate in cleaning and beautifying their premises in order to give our out-of-town visitors the best possible impression of our town. There were about a hundred visitors last year during the Pilgrimage and even more are expected this year. The Garden Club is working hard to help put Hillsboro on the map" as well as making it a more attractive place for those of us who live here—therefore, every citizen should feel a responsibility to assist in making this year's tour a success."

New Insurance Agency Opens

Chapel Hill.—Carolina Insurance Agency, new agency handling general insurance, has located in the Dawson Building, across from the Bus Station in Chapel Hill. The new agency will represent a number of leading companies and will specialize in fire, casualty, marine, all types of auto and truck insurance, in addition to hospitalization, health and accident insurance.

Dyson E. Patterson and Mervin H. Dyson are partners in the Carolina Insurance Agency. Patterson is owner of Patterson Auto Supply, located at 421 W. Franklin Street; and Dyson is sales manager for the firm. They will operate the insurance agency in addition to the Patterson Auto Supply. Keith Lewis has been added to the staff of Patterson Auto Supply.

New Jewelry Opens Friday

Hillsboro.—Dub's Jewel Box, a new store to be operated in Hillsboro by W. H. Senter, will open for business tomorrow.

The new firm will be located in the building owned by C. C. Cole next door to The News office and formerly utilized by him in the operating of an eating place.

Senter, formerly with Wilkins Jewelry here, will specialize in watch repairing and repairs to jewelry of all kinds. All work will be accomplished here in Hillsboro, he says. The building is now undergoing repairs prior to the change-over.

Mr. Cole, who has been in business here for many years, says he plans to concentrate on his garden, and has no immediate plans for further business enterprises.

Baptists of Two Counties Plan Evangelistic Drive

Hillsboro.—Twenty-one Baptist churches of Alamance and Orange counties, with an aggregate membership of over 8,200, will engage in simultaneous evangelistic campaigns the week of April 3-10.

The campaigns will be under the general direction of Dr. Earle Bradley, of Raleigh, a general missionary of the Baptist State Convention, but each church will conduct its own campaign in its own way. Dr. Bradley will conduct the campaign in the First Baptist Church of Graham.

Preparations for the campaigns have been under way for several months, with five committees of the pastors at work on general preparations and the individual churches making specific preparations. Some of the churches have made religious surveys, and most of them are having cottage

prayer meetings this week and visitation in the homes of prospective converts.

The campaigns will bring to this area a number of outstanding pastors and evangelists. The following is a list of the churches and pastors and visiting evangelists for the campaigns:

Graham, First Church, Guy S. Cain, pastor, Earle Bradley, of Raleigh, evangelist; Andrews Memorial, Graham, Eugene Hancock, pastor Harold Menke, of McLeansboro, Ill., evangelist; Alamance, J. M. Wright, pastor, will be the evangelist; Burlington, First Church, Carlton Prickett, pastor, F. Orion Mixson, of Raleigh, evangelist; Calvary, Luther A. Nall, pastor, Truitt Cox of Durham, evangelist; Glencoe, Ralph A. Wilson, pastor, B. L. Gupion of Greensboro, evangelist; Glen Hope, G. W. Swinney, pastor, Ralph Barnard of Winston-Salem, evangelist; Grove Park, E. C. Chamblee, pastor, Henry Walden of Wake Forest, evangelist; Hocutt Memorial, Tom M. Freeman, pastor, Worth Grant of Weldon, evangelist;

Southside, J. H. Waugh, pastor, Fred Forester of Drexel, evangelist; Haw River, Walter V. Brown, pastor, D. E. Couch of Lincoln, evangelist; Mebane, First L. H. Hollingsworth, pastor, W. Perry Crouch of Asheville, evangelist; Moore's Chapel, C. H. Henderson, pastor; Charles Parker of Franklin, evangelist; Swepsonville, Ben W. Cox, pastor, Robert L. Costner of Knightdale, evangelist; Altamahaw, C. H. Stanfield, pastor, R. C. Shearin of Greensboro, evangelist; Tabernacle, Clyde Parnell, pastor.

Carrboro, Troy Jones, pastor, Walton M. Page of Fuquay Springs, evangelist; West Hill, Hillsboro, Floyd Paschall, pastor, Paul Hester of Hudson, evangelist; Hillsboro, First Church, T. Paul Deaton, pastor, John Moore of Amherst, Va., evangelist; Mount Carmel, W. R. Wagoner, pastor, Woodrow N. Brookshire of Wilkesboro, evangelist; Glen Raven, Coy Thompson, pastor, Meacham of Monroe, evangelist.

Septic Tank Owners Gypped

Chapel Hill.—The District Health Department with headquarters in Chapel Hill has received reports from each of its four counties—Orange, Person, Chatham, and Lee, as well as surrounding counties—about "racket septic tank cleaner-outers."

Travelling operators of trucks carrying pumps for cleaning out septic tanks are doing business, charging high fees for services which may or may not be needed. Some are even using the claim of being from the health department.

Dr. O. David Garvin, health officer, stated, "These operators are charging high prices for their services and then creating a nuisance by dumping sewage from the tanks into convenient creeks and streams." Household having septic tanks should shy away from this service unless the operators are known to them. The usual price for the average home septic tank cleaning should not be more than \$20 to \$30.

Dr. Garvin further stated that these are legitimate operators who are complying with health laws and operating a real service to the people. He advised consulting your local health department before having work done.

District Health Office Will Be Training Center

Chapel Hill.—Dr. O. David Garvin, district health officer, announced today that the Orange-Person-Chatham-Lee District Health Department will serve as a field training center for eight trainees in public health. The eight trainees include four public health education students and four public health nursing students who arrived in the district last week and will carry out field training activities for the next ten weeks in the district.

After a short period of orientation, the trainees will become engaged in the work of the District Health Department. The health education trainees will be under the supervision of Miss Elizabeth Lovell, health education supervisor, and the nursing trainees will be under the supervision of Mrs. Edith Brocker, nursing supervisor.

The health education trainees are: George W. Gehres who will be assigned to Orange County; Charles Owens and William Darity who will be assigned to Lee County; and Millicent Jackson who will be assigned to Person County.

The nursing trainees are: Mrs. Letha Rouse and Mrs. Statia Watson who will be assigned to Orange County; Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Findley who will be assigned to Chatham County; and Mrs. Margaret Campbell who will be assigned to Lee County.

The ten weeks of supervised field training which will be done by the eight trainees is part of their work toward receiving advanced degrees in Public Health from the University of North Carolina and the North Carolina College. Following this period of training in the health district the students will return to the schools to complete their scholastic work or report for future work with health departments.

New Building And New Loan For REA Here

Hillsboro.—Construction is expected to begin almost immediately on the new building for the local Piedmont Electric Membership Corporation, REA, on East Queen Street.

The building will cost an estimated \$55,000 and contract has already been let to the George W. Kane Company of Durham.

The co-op has recently been allotted an additional loan of \$167,000 for extending its lines and service to 500 additional farms in the six counties it serves.

The building, in addition to its general offices, garage and storage rooms, will contain a completely furnished model kitchen and other samples of electrical equipment for display to its customers and others.

Col. G. B. Cline Recruiting Aide

Chapel Hill.—Colonel George B. Cline, reserve officer, has been appointed by the State Headquarters of the Army Recruiting Division to serve as recruiting adviser for Orange County.

Colonel Cline, one of the most active of the county's reserve officers, will visit schools in the county in an effort to bring the Army's needs to the youth of the county and will be available to advise young men at all times in connection with enlistment problems.

C. Y. Blalock Succumbs At 78

At Caldwell Home

Hillsboro.—Funeral services for Charlie Y. Blalock, 78, retired merchant of Caldwell community, Orange County, were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Berry's Grove Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. L. H. Hollingsworth and the Rev. J. R. Green. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Tom Velnes, Robert Murray, Tom McKee, Lee Miller, Clyde Walker and Eugene James.

Broughman Acquitted In Murder Case; Roy McAdams Case Winds Up In Mistrial

Hillsboro.—In two much publicized murder trials heading last week's Superior Court docket, one ended in mistrial and the other in acquittal for the defendant.

Joseph Broughman, charged with killing his "step-son," Avery McGraw, was judged not guilty after testimony indicated the gun went off accidentally as he lifted it.

The Roy McAdams case ended in a mistrial after the jury was unable to arrive at a verdict after all-day deliberations. In official court language, "10 jurors announced they could not arrive at a verdict if given more time." The jury was composed of J. B. Fayette, Raymond L. Andrews, Floyd Miller, M. J. Dawson, Wallace Womble, Robert Maynor, J. T. Thompson, Charlie Miller, Charles Watkins, Charles Childress, W. P. Berry and John Cates.

In other cases disposed of during the final day's session prior to adjournment Thursday night, James Lane and Thomas Irby received a year's sentence and were allowed probation after being found guilty of breaking, entering and larceny; Robert Rogers was given a year in the State Prison for assaulting a female and Argus Faucette got a six months road term suspended for five years for assault with a deadly weapon, the suspended sentence on condition the defendant pays court costs and medical expenses growing out of the assault.

Ina Erickson received a directed judgment in her action against E. E. Erickson et al, granting her \$4,000 in full settlement of alimony and support claims.

Rube Lee, 61, Passes; Final Rites Yesterday

Hillsboro.—Audie Z. (Rube) Lee, 61, of Hillsboro died at Duke Hospital Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock after an illness of several days.

He was the son of the late John and Lucile Lee of Lincolnton. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Kate Harriell Lee of Hillsboro; two daughters, Mrs. Helen Reiss of New York, N. Y., and Mrs. Betty Deputa of Boston, Mass.; one son, Harold M. Lee of Hillsboro; two sisters, Mrs. A. B. Brown of Gastonia; Miss Louella Lee of Belmont; one brother, Coleman Lee of Gastonia; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Hillsboro Baptist Church by the pastor, the Rev. T. Paul Deaton, the Rev. Floyd Paschall and the Rev. W. V. Brown. Interment was in Hillsboro Cemetery.

Members of the Hillsboro Post No. 85, American Legion, served as honorary pallbearers. Active pallbearers were James Freeland, Curtis Williams, Ervin Konkin, J. G. Goodwin, Jack Vanynck and Earl Walker.

Prayer Meeting Series Precedes Carrboro Revival

Carrboro.—Beginning next Sunday, April 3, revival services will be held in the Carrboro Baptist Church each evening beginning at 8 o'clock.

The visiting minister who will assist the pastor, Rev. Troy E. Jones, in these services is the Rev. Walter M. Page, pastor of the Fuquay Springs Baptist Church.

Cottage prayer meetings were held on Tuesday evening of this week in the following homes in preparation for the revival: Mrs. M. W. Andrews, with Mrs. I. F. Hardee as leader; Mrs. Earl Perry, with Mrs. Troy Jones, leader; Mrs. Ashwell Harward, with Mrs. R. B. Studebaker as leader.

Tonight, meetings will be held with Mrs. E. T. Hearne, with Mrs. G. N. Harward, leader; with Mrs. I. F. Hardee, with Miss Doris Lindsay, leader; with Mrs. Lillie Ray, with R. B. Studebaker as leader; at the home of Mrs. E. F. Humphrey with Mrs. E. W. Hamrick, leader.

Ten In Orange Plan Grade "A" Dairy Bams

Hillsboro.—Ten Orange County farmers are building, or intend to build grade A dairy barns by the fall of the year. This will bring the number of grade A dairies in the county to 100.

Charlie Berry of the Walnut Grove community has recently completed the conversion of an old out-building of little utility to a five-cow milking barn with milk and feed rooms. He has done this work himself at very little cost.

EVENING SERVICES

Chapel Hill.—Rev. B. V. Munger, pastor of the Congregational Christian Church, 211 Cameron, Chapel Hill, announces that evening services will be held at the church at 8 p. m. each Sunday evening from now to Easter.