

Breeding Industry Flourishes In Orange



For of the rural winter land- in Orange County has aged rapidly in the past three s as more and more Spotted and China have been bred or hanced and placed on green

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endless chains" of chickens, and dairy calves, and pigs sprung up in all parts of h Carolina during the past years. Most of these chains e been limited to 4-H Club bers, although some have to all rural boys and girls. have been designed to encour- the development of livestock rprises and a more balanced ulture in the State.

ne of the most successful of e projects has been a pig chain ed in Orange County just e years ago. "Dr. W. O. sman, Chapel Hill veterina- led the way in getting the ary Club of that town to dis- ute Spotted Poland China gilts 0 4-H Club members, each of m agreed to return a gilt from first litter of pigs produced.

argely as a result of this pro- Orange today boasts a flour- ing Spotted Poland China eeding industry which is becom- ing known throughout the State. The success of the young club members has caused adult farm- to become interested. At the present time some 40 families are engaged in breeding and have made sales in nearly a dozen North Carolina counties as well as to several farmers in other states.

The original pig chain has grown to 35 members, and a new chain has been started by the Spots Foundation. The latter project was begun in the spring of 1947 when gilts were distributed to eight boys who agreed to pay back the price of the original animal after the first litter had been raised.

A county breeders association organized in September, 1947, has a membership of 35 farmers from all sections of the county. These own about nine boars and 80 bred sows and gilts of breeding age.

Dr. P. Barnes, genial assistant county farm agent for the State

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stures. Above, two litters of pigs feed on oats, barley, and crimson clover for winter grazing. Owner T. W. Brown and son, Kenneth, 16-year-old 4-H Clubber, Route 2, Chapel Hill, are de-



Dr. P. Barnes, assistant county agent for the State College Extension Service, is shown at his desk. He has been pushing the

veloping a pasture program which includes permanent and temporary grazing crops and corn for hogging down," as recommended by the State College Extension Service.

development of the Spotted Poland swine industry in Orange for the past three years.

County Cancer Drive Underway

Women Voters Will Organize On State Basis

Chapel Hill.—A state organizing convention of the League of Women Voters is scheduled to get under way today in a two-day session in the Grail Room of the Student Union Building.

The Chapel Hill chapter, one of the pioneer chapters in the state, will be host to the delegates and Mrs. John P. Gillin, its president, is in charge of arrangements.

Eight To Attend N.C.E.A. Session

Hillsboro.—A delegation of eight from Orange County will attend the meeting of the North Carolina Education Association in Asheville Thursday through Saturday.

The delegation includes: E. F. Cude and Mrs. C. H. Pender from Aycock; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cates and Mrs. Betty T. Hubbard from Efland; Mrs. Gladys H. Harris from West Hillsboro; Raymond J. Kiddoo of Carrboro, who is president of the Orange NCEA unit; Glenn T. Proffitt, county superintendent, and C. W. Davis, Chapel Hill city superintendent.

HIGHWAY HEARING

Hillsboro.—Highway Commissioner George W. Kane and Engineer T. A. Burton will hold a hearing in the county courtroom Wednesday on requests for road improvements.

Strudwick Has Major Role In Joan Of Arc Movie To Play Here

Hillsboro.—Joan of Arc, a motion picture that has won wide acclaim in the motion picture industry and wherever it has been shown, comes to a local theater, the Gem, today and tomorrow with interest centered around a local man, Shepherd Strudwick, who has a leading role.

The movie has previously been given three Academy awards and Strudwick's role has been described as next in importance to that of the star, Ingrid Bergman.

Lions Sponsor Yard Contest At Carrboro

Carrboro.—The Carrboro Lions Club is sponsoring a yard improvement contest in this community.

Two large first place trophies, and two smaller second place trophies will be offered as prizes. The Community Betterment committee, with M. M. Watts as chairman, is in charge of the contest. One first prize and one second prize will go to the yards showing the most improvement since 1947.

A committee will inspect yards in the next few days, and the same committee will again make a tour of inspection of yards late in July. Improvements made between these dates will determine the winner.

Famed Sermon On Chapel Hill Church Schedule

Chapel Hill.—Next Thursday night, April 14th, at the Maundy Thursday service of worship at the Congregational Christian Church, the Rev. Bernard Munger will read the late Rev. Peter Marshall's famous sermon, "Weise You There When They Crucified My Lord?"

The late Senate chaplain first preached this sermon to his New York Avenue Presbyterian Congregation in the nation's capital. Later he was persuaded to deliver it to a nation-wide radio congregation, and to publish it. Since then, it has been used in Holy Week services in many parts of the country. Those who have heard it will want to hear it again, it is believed, and those who have not heard it have this opportunity to hear this dramatic presentation of the Crucifixion story. The worship service will begin at 8 o'clock.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Hillsboro.—The Hillsboro Methodist Church this week announced plans for evangelistic services each evening during Holy Week at 7:30 o'clock. The pastor, the Rev. Charles S. Hubbard, will preach and all persons are invited to attend.

Hoop Skirted Junior Hostesses To Lend Colonial Atmosphere To Pilgrimage Here

Hillsboro.—Eighteen junior and senior girls of Hillsboro will help receive and act as junior hostesses in the historic homes and gardens of Hillsboro for the Garden Club Pilgrimage.

There will be two girls in each home. Each will be attired in colonial dress, with a lovely hoop skirt. These girls will do their best to make each guest feel welcome and lend an air of hospitality similar to that of colonial days.

The Pilgrimage and Flower Show are being held together this year, April 23 and 24, and will give visitors a chance to see the interiors of the lovely homes as well as to enjoy a well-planned flower show. Gardens are on the schedule too, the beauty of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Collins' garden is especially outstanding and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jones' garden

No Fight At Hillsboro As Election Interest Mounts At Chapel Hill

Proffitt Named By School Board For 2-Year Term

Hillsboro.—The Orange County Board of Education this week re-appointed Glenn T. Proffitt for another two-year term as county superintendent and heard a delegation of Cedar Grove citizens interested in retaining the high school at Aycock.

It was the hold-over board in session inasmuch as the state omnibus bill appointing the new school boards over the state has not yet finally passed the General Assembly.

The appointment of school district committeemen, usually made at the April meeting, was delayed pending the appointment and activation of the new board.

The Cedar Grove delegation, composed of Z. C. Burton, L. J. Rogers, J. W. Tolar, J. E. Hawkins, Rev. H. B. Lewis, Mrs. James Compton, Mrs. Ormond

Woods, and Mrs. James McDade, appeared as friendly petitioners, asking the board for information as to what could be done to retain the school for the community in the face of the recent State Education Commission's recommendation that 300 students be a minimum for operating senior high schools. The Aycock high school has only 86 students enrolled during the current year with five teachers, two of them vocational.

Among recommendations given were that the school's attendance area be enlarged, that the community do everything possible to create good will for the school over the entire area, and that an outstanding school program be carried on at the school.

No action was taken by the board.

While interest in the Chapel Hill municipal election continued to mount as Robert W. Madry and Edwin S. Lanier began to campaign in earnest for the post of Mayor, neighboring Hillsboro had trouble rounding up enough candidates to fill out the slate as filing time closed at noon Monday.

The five candidates for the Town Board, who will be unopposed, include four incumbents, T. N. Webb, V. M. Forrest, R. J. Smith and H. Broadwell, and W. M. Chance, who will succeed Dr. B. N. Roberts, who was out of the community as filing time closed. Mayor Ben Johnston was the only one to file for that position.

Meanwhile at Chapel Hill, the candidates for Mayor, the municipal judgeship and the board of aldermen, appeared dead serious as the campaign got under way, with two candidates for the first two posts and four for the board already in the field. City Hall reported feelers also from several other prospective candidates. Closing date for candidates' filing is not until April 18.

Lanier, who has been an Alderman since 1945, appealed to voters in a statement in which he stated his reasons for running and his platform. He said:

To the People of Chapel Hill: I would like to serve as your Mayor, subject to your approval in the May 3 election.

As one of your Aldermen since 1946, I have tried to be a useful, impartial representative of all the residents of Chapel Hill, to help make our municipal government serve well and economically all the people and deserve their respect. I am grateful for that opportunity.

My decision to be a candidate for Mayor is based solely on the fact that I like to work with and for people and to participate in the community's civic efforts. Chapel Hill's inevitable rapid growth in the next few years, will bring many municipal problems. I would like to help try to meet them.

If elected, I will, to the utmost of my capacity and energy, listen to any citizen's expression of opinion; dig for and study facts when questions and problems are raised; try to perform impartially, faithfully, and vigorously a Mayor's duties to all the people in this town, in cooperation with the Board of Aldermen and the City Manager.

I would appreciate your vote and your help.
(Signed) Edwin S. Lanier.
March 28, 1949.

Special Events For Holy Week At Presbyterian

Hillsboro.—The Hillsboro Presbyterian Church will begin its traditional Holy Week services next Wednesday, April 13, at 8 p. m. in the Church School building.

The Wednesday night program will feature excerpts from Handel's "Messiah," recorded by the Handel Oratorio Society of Augustana College and outstanding soloists.

On Thursday, Holy Communion will be celebrated with the pastor, the Rev. I. E. Birdseye, officiating and delivering the meditation. Good Friday night, the annual candlelight service in remembrance of the Crucifixion will culminate the special services of the week.

Services will be held at 11 o'clock on Easter Sunday morning with special music by the Chancel Choir under the direction of Mrs. Clarence D. Jones. Mr. Birdseye will preach.

Presbyterian Church Begins Redecorating

Hillsboro.—The Hillsboro Presbyterian Church began an extensive project of redecorating the interior of the church this past Monday. The church will be plastered overhead and completely painted in a colonial church style and color scheme.

The services next Sunday will be held in the new educational building as the project will not be completed until just before Easter Sunday. Holy Week services will also be held in the Church School building.

Ward, Kenion Named To Posts

Hillsboro.—The County Commissioners, in a busy session filled with routine business, this week named Van Kenion as county electrical inspector and reappointed Ira Ward as county accountant for a new term.

Kenion succeeds Charles Williams, who resigned. Kenion re-

sides just north of Hillsboro and is a faculty member at Duke University and an experienced electrician.

In other business, the board heard reports from county officers and approved a deferment of the general property revaluation scheduled for this year. It approved a tentative appropriation

of \$1,232 for the county's part in the overall budget for aid to the blind.

Purchase of a new electric stove was authorized for the county jail.

An annual report was received from the Production and Marketing Association, headed by A. K. McAdams, which showed \$22,149

was spent in material and services under the soil conservation assistance plan, which has as its purpose the increase of production of food and feed by replacing the life-giving plant foods removed each year.

A new jury for the next term of Superior Court was drawn.