

Citizens Protest Water Rate Hike

Hillsboro—A bitter protest over the recent increase in the water rates to be charged out-of-town customers of the Town's water system resulted in a mass meeting of citizens at the Town Hall Monday night and the scheduling of another at West Hillsboro School tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

Spokesman for the group seeking revision of the new rates Monday night was Rev. J. F. Kernodle of West Hillsboro who requested a hearing before the Town Board in an effort to ascertain the reasons for the increase. Mayor Ben Johnston, only member of the municipal government present, told the group he would transmit their request for a hearing to the board after indicating action by the full board would be necessary before any change of policy could be made. He suggested any proposals of the protesting group, numbering in the neighborhood of 100 citizens Monday night, be made at the regular meeting of the board next Tuesday night.

At tonight's meeting at West Hillsboro, at which all groups of out-of-town residents are expected to be present, a committee to formulate the recommendations and ideas of the outsiders and present them to the Board will be set up.

New Policeman Is Authorized At Chapel Hill

Chapel Hill—A new policeman will be added to the Chapel Hill Police Force as a result of action taken by the Board of Aldermen last Monday night.

The Board authorized Town Manager Rose to hire the man and purchase a new three-wheel motor cycle or Servi-car for the force.

Also approved unanimously was a motion to have the Institute of Government make a survey of the town ordinances and make an estimate of the cost of codifying such ordinances.

At the beginning of the meeting residents of W. Cameron Ave. appeared before the Board to ask that the street not be left open to heavy truck traffic as had been proposed at an earlier meeting. Spokesmen stressed the point that the street is completely residential and that the pavement could not stand the weight of heavy trucks for long. They also pointed out that although in reality, a wide street, it is seriously congested with parked cars belonging to members of the several fraternities in the area.

Mayor Ed Lanier asked the board to begin a prompt study of the provisions of the Federal Housing Act so that in case the 1950 census made Chapel Hill eligible for such aid, the board might be able to act quickly and wisely on the matter.

Regular reports were made to the board by Town Manager Tom Rose, Town Attorney C. P. Hinchshaw, and Auditor E. E. Peacock.

Presbyterian Church Centennial Program Ready

Chapel Hill—The Rev. Charles M. Jones, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, here announced that the program for the celebration of the church's 100th birthday on October 14-16 is virtually completed and that when it is made public it will have several unique features.

In the interest of the centennial observance Mr. Jones has begun a series of visits to ministers and churches in neighboring towns, and this coming week will make a tour through the eastern part of the state.

In connection with the October celebration, the church hopes to raise a centennial fund of \$10,000, a great part of which will be used to forward work among the 1400 Presbyterian students now attending the University of North Carolina.

"These 1400 boys and girls," said Mr. Jones "make up the largest body of Presbyterian students to be found on any campus in the state. Our regular membership, however, is only about 22 percent as large. Hence we are asking the help of all friends of the little church here to enable us to meet these needs."

Mr. Jones' church is itself probably unique in that two services are required every Sunday morning to accommodate the thronging students. Both sermons are preached by Mr. Jones.

Chapel Hill Win Over Orphanage Pleases Locals

Chapel Hill—Three touchdowns in the second half gave the Chapel Hill High School Wildcats a sweet 21-0 victory over Methodist Orphanage of Raleigh last Friday afternoon on the local high school's new football field.

Playing on a slippery field, neither team could hit pay dirt until late in the second quarter when Penno McGinty passed to James Smith for a Chapel Hill score only to have it nullified by a backfield in-motion penalty. The first half ended soon with no score.

The second half was a different story, however, when Chapel Hill received the kick-off and marched to the 20 where McGinty passed to Eddie Mann for the first score. Smith ran for the extra point and Chapel Hill led 7-0.

Later in the same quarter, Bill Hogan and Howard Stewart blocked a Methodist punt on the visitors 28. McGinty ran the whole distance on the first play and scored for Chapel Hill. After a 15 yard penalty on the first extra point attempt, McGinty again connected with Mann for the 14th Chapel Hill point.

In the fourth quarter, McGinty again led the way to a score and passed to Jim McGlaughlin for the marker. Smith ran the ball across for the final point. That ended the scoring and Chapel Hill won the ball game, 21-0.

Carrboro Firm Puts In Television For Customers

Carrboro—A Philco television set was installed on Monday of this week at Ivey's Cafe, on Main Street in Carrboro.

This is the first television set in Carrboro and the others in this area are owned by the Bruce Strouds at their home near Mann's Chapel Church and the Joe Buck Dawson at their home in front of the Navine Veterinary Hospital on the Chapel Hill-Durham highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivey had many of their friends in for the opening programs beginning at 7:30 to 10:30 on last Monday evening. Their television screen is larger than those used in most homes. Each frame has 525 lines per frame and there are 30 frames per second shown. Many programs are shown just as they are taking place, but some of the pictures are films.

Every Thursday evening Ivey's will show the highlights of the football games of the week before, and on every Wednesday night the Arthur Godfrey show will be shown.

When television was first shown in Chapel Hill at Ogburn's Furniture Store, the television station serving this area was in Charlotte, but now a station has been installed in Greensboro, and all pictures are much clearer and all the service is greatly improved.

The three sets in this area have all been installed by Edd Lamb, who has been with the Ogburn Furniture Company for the past four years. He is the only television service technician in Orange County. He holds a diploma from the television school in Greensboro and was a radar technician for four years in the Army, and before that he was trained in the Midland Radio and Television School in Kansas City and the Westinghouse Experimental Laboratories in New York.

Township Units Get Responsibility For Selecting Roads To Be Paved



These three young 4-H Club members in the above picture proudly displaying their five Holstein heifers that will be entered in the 200 annual Livestock Boosters Show and Sale to be held at Farmers Mutual Livestock Market in Hillsboro today. The Livestock Boosters organization is made up of the agricultural workers and interested livestock farmers from Durham, Chatham, Granville and Person Counties. The show will get underway at 10 o'clock and the sale at 1 o'clock.

Livestock Boosters' Dairy Heifer Show, Sale To Be Held At Local Market Today

Hillsboro—The annual Dairy Heifer Show and Sales sponsored by the Livestock Boosters will be held at the Livestock Farm and Market of the Farmers Mutual at Hillsboro today. The show will start at 10 o'clock in the morning and the sale at 1 o'clock the same day.

The Livestock Boosters is composed of the County Agricultural workers and Dairy and Livestock Field men in Durham, Orange, Chatham, Granville, and Person Counties. The slogan of this group is "Breeding, Feeding, Showing and Selling Livestock." They are working with small farmers, dairy farmers, 4-H Club and Future Farm boys to get them to use the best pure bred sires they can afford for breeding their livestock. The feeding phase consists of encouraging the production of abundant pastures and feed on the farm, and properly feeding the young livestock. Then the show and sales, which are being sponsored, will give all of these farmers, young and old, the opportunity to compare their dairy heifers with those bred and grown by others and of course, the sale is to give anyone who wishes the opportunity to put their heifers on the market. In the dairy heifers sale, the real object is to present heifers that will freshen in the fall and be ready for those dairymen who need them for maintaining or increasing their milk production. Valuable cash prizes are offered in every class of dairy heifer shown. These cash prizes are being provided by Farmers Mutual and milk processing plants which operate in these five counties.

Small farmers who could produce dairy heifers profitably as well as the dairy farmer and young farmer should attend this show and sale, if at all possible, even if they have nothing to put in this year, the county agent advises. They will get some information that would help them to start in the breeding and production of good dairy heifers. Dr. Colvard, head of the Animal Industry Department of N. C. State College will be the judge for the dairy heifers in the show. He will also assist in classifying the heifers for the sale.

Among those entering calves and heifers from Orange County are: Harold Latta, Sr., Lantham Latta, Harold Latta, Jr., Crawford Breeze, Van Kenon, W. J. Buckner, Victor Walters, Ted Martin, Jesse Martin, Bill Dickey, Freeman Dickey, Jim McAdams, and Robert Nichols.

Godwin Address Features Legion's Veterans Reunion

Hillsboro—An informal program featuring entertainment and an address by R. C. Godwin, State Commander of the American Legion, highlighted the veteran's reunion, sponsored by the local post Tuesday night.

Introduced by A. H. Graham, the state commander discussed the various benefits to be derived from Legion membership, the assistance programs it sponsors, and the value of the organization to community, state and nation.

The entertainment program included presentations from participants in the forthcoming American Legion Talent Show to be held here next week as a benefit event.

AGIN THE I.A.W

Hillsboro—Those decorative birds being attached to windshields these days are against the law, the highway department advised this week.

Patrolman T. P. Hoffer said that beginning tomorrow drivers found with the birds attached to windshields will be cited to court since they constitute an obstruction to view.

Phipps Named Co-Chairman Of Steering Committee For November Bond Election

Hillsboro—Organization activities preliminary to the campaign in behalf of a million and a quarter bond issue for construction of schools and a new courthouse in Orange County continued this week with the appointment of additional members of the original steering committee and the selection of Judge L. J. Phipps of Chapel Hill as co-chairman.

He will serve with Robert O. Forrest of Hillsboro who was named chairman by the Board of County Commissioners earlier this month.

Additional members of the steering group are G. O. Reitzel of Hillsboro, Manly Snipes of Orange Grove, Manly Snipes of Orange Grove, Reid Roberts of Hillsboro, Route 1, Mrs. J. S. Henninger of Chapel Hill, E. T. Hearn of Carrboro, F. M. Durham of Carrboro and A. K. McAdams of Mebane, and I. K. McAdams of Mebane.

Committees appointed to get the program underway included: Publicity: Gordon Blackwell, James Webb and Rev. C. S. Hubbard. Speakers: Bonner D. Sawyer, Mrs. R. M. Grumman and Rev.

PTA Designates Third Tuesday For Meetings

Hillsboro—The first meeting of the Hillsboro P. T. A. was held last week during which the Association voted to have all night meetings this year, and designated the third Tuesday night, 7:30 as the time.

The Roll-Call prize went to Miss McCauley's second grade.

As Mrs. Clarence Jones, president, introduced the executive committee, each gave a report.

Mrs. Alton Williams, Finance Chairman, announced the P. T. A. would give a play in the high school auditorium the night of the Halloween Carnival.

G. A. Brown introduced the new teachers to the parents.

Announcement was made of the Sixth District P. T. A. Meeting Oct. 5, in Chapel Hill beginning at 10:00.

R. O. Forrest, Chairman of Orange County Bond Issue, made a brief talk explaining that the election had not been called on spur of the moment. Last year a committee made a study of the needs of the schools. There have been community meetings of citizens to explain how the \$1,400,000 bond issued money will be spent. Mr. Forrest cited the improvements to be made to the present buildings, and told which schools would get new buildings.

At the close of the meeting, parents were invited to visit each classroom, lunchroom, library, and music room.

Funds Available For Pastures

Hillsboro—\$5,000 in additional funds for pasture and pasture improvement practices are available this week only to Orange County farmers who have had no assistance this year under the Production Marketing Administration program.

This announcement was made yesterday by A. K. McAdams, PMA secretary, who said the money would be issued on a "first come, first served" basis. After this week, the money will be available to any applicants as long as it lasts for the purpose specified, he said.

Road Meetings And Leaders

Hillsboro—Committeemen have been selected in two townships to handle the rural roads program in accordance with the plan adopted here Monday night and chairmen were named in the remainder.

Meetings to elect the remaining members of the committee and consider roads to be paved will be held as follows:

Cedar Grove: Ayeock school tonight. E. C. Compton and L. J. Rogers, co-chairmen.

Little River: Schley Grange hall next Tuesday night, October 4. W. S. Hunt, chairman.

Cheeks: Efland school tonight. Bill Dorsett, chairman.

Bingham: White Cross school tonight. C. W. Stanford, chairman. Monday night October 3 at 7:30. Chapel Hill: Chapel Hill school, 7:30 o'clock. Committee: Henry J. Hogan, chairman, J. R. Pulley, Lemuel Cheek, Glenn Snipes and Leonard Sparrow.

Hillsboro: No date set for meeting. Committee: Van enion, chairman, C. F. Wilkerson, H. F. Latta, J. R. Kennedy and W. L. Smith.

Eno: No date set for meeting. Clarence Link, chairman.

The steering committee, headed by John W. Umstead and composed of representatives of various farm, civic and municipal groups in the county includes the county commissioners, the county board of education, representatives of town governments of Hillsboro, Chapel Hill, Carrboro and Efland, six members of the Grange, six members of the Farm Bureau, designated representatives of the civic clubs and merchants associations of Chapel Hill, Hillsboro and Carrboro, the Women's Auxiliary of the Farm Bureau, the PTA's, both white and colored, and the school superintendents and principals.

Carrboro Church Sets Homecoming

Carrboro—Next Sunday, October 2, has been set aside by the Carrboro Baptist Church as "Homecoming Day." It is the 47th anniversary of the founding of the church.

All members, former members and friends of the church are given a cordial welcome. Special music will be a feature of the all-day services, former pastors will be special guests. All visitors and members are invited to bring picnic baskets for spreading lunch at the noon hour.

RECRUITING

The USA and USAF Recruiting Station of Durham has announced that a Recruiting Sergeant will be in Hillsboro each Tuesday for the purpose of interviewing U. S. Army and Air Force applicants.

Interviews will be held at the Mayor's Office from 9:30 A. M. till 4:00 P. M.

Chapel Hill To Get Town Bus Service October 15; Board Approves Franchise

Chapel Hill—Chapel Hill will get a town bus service on or about October 15. Approval of a franchise contract with the Chapel Hill Transit Lines, Inc. came at the Monday night meeting of the Board of Aldermen.

The contract gave the company a franchise in Chapel Hill for twelve months after which the company may take up the option for five years. If at any time the company fails to provide modern equipment, employ courteous and experienced drivers, maintain reasonable schedules or does not provide adequate liability and damage insurance the town reserves the right to revoke the contract.

The contract also provided that the schedules, loading signs, and insurance policies be approved by the Town Manager.

The Bus Line, incorporated in the office of Secretary of State Thad Eure on Tuesday as the Chapel Hill Transit Lines, Inc. will be managed by Clyde Hastings, owner-operator of the Hastings Bus Lines.

Hastings, who is one of the three stockholders in the new corporation, said that the company would operate three busses in and about the town when the service opened. Definite schedules had not yet been drafted, but Hastings said that they would include service to Victory Village, the GI-student area, Carrboro, and the new apartment development on the Raleigh Road.

Tentative fares, which have to be approved by the N. C. Utilities Commission, have been set at 10 cents in the town and 15 cents outside the town.

The new corporation has been chartered with an authorized capital stock of \$100,000. The subscribed stock is listed as \$300 and is held by Hastings, James Bowling, and George McAbee all of Durham.

There have been several attempts to provide Chapel Hill with bus service in the past 10 years, but all these attempts have met with failure, Chapel Hill officials have expressed the hope that the experience of Hastings in the transit business and the amount of capital stock in the new adventure will insure the new company from failure.

Williams Heads Chapel Hill FFA

Chapel Hill—Eddie Williams was elected president of the Chapel Hill High School chapter of the Future Farmers of America at the chapter's first meeting of the school year this week.

Other officers elected were: Bill Hogan, vice-president; Tommie Bradshaw, secretary; Howard Stuart, treasurer; Delbert Mayse, reporter; Stanford Teer, sentinel; and Mr. C. K. McAdams, advisor.

Some meetings of the township committees have already been held in their communities and others are scheduled for the next few days.

Barnwell, in remarks tending to clarify misunderstanding on the part of many present that final authority was being turned over to the committee, said this authority was not being turned over to anyone, that the commission will hold final say-so and that "politics-ridden recommendations" were not to be considered.

Considerable debate and confusion preceded the selection of the type of organization desired and considerable sentiment favored an outright township form of committee instead of the steering committee recognizing the various groups of the county, including the municipalities. A vocal minority favored a group composed entirely of "country folks," after the term of "dirt farmers," used originally by spokesmen was objected to.

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