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## Happy Goalies 'Dimes' Duel

Hillsboro—The hilarious high-point of the season has been set for Monday night in behalf of the March of Dimes here.

The occasion will be a re-enactment of the historic battle of the football court, the Hillsboro "Ph Girls" vs. the local Exchange girls team at 7:30 o'clock. The girls' big show, which sent 500 howling spectators home from laughter at the antics of the Hillsboro bigwigs in female attire, brought demands for a repeat performance in behalf of the March of Dimes campaign, which appears to be lagging as result of failure of citizens to realize the need for funds to fight this dreaded disease right here at home.

The show Monday night is being sponsored by the Hillsboro Exchange Club, members of which are making an all-out appeal to Hillsboro and this section of Orange County over the top in the Dimes Campaign.

Among the stellar attractions are Vernon (Tiny) Elrod, the referee, and Clarence (Dimmy) Jones, coach of the "Oomphs." On the team are Regnus (Bugs) Smith, Allen (Delores) F. E. (Sophie) Joyner, Carl (Flossy) Davis, Alton (Flossy) Adams, Irving (Minnie) Birds, Dr. H. W. (Gert) Moore, John (Fannie) Moulton, Charles (Fannie) Baker, T. N. (Agnes) Webb, Ed (Mimi) Laws, C. B. (Mimi) Pills, and the trainer, Jake (Pills) West.

For those who like their basketball in the serious vein, the strong change boys team will play in Hillsboro, featuring a large collection of former college stars, in the final attraction.

## Fifth Division Completes Tenth of Rural Paving

Hillsboro—The Fifth Highway Division completed 10.7 percent of the year of its portion of the total secondary road paving program proposed by Governor Scott, James A. Barnwell, Fifth Division Commissioner has announced.

Last year Governor Kerr Scott called for hard-surfacing of 12,000 miles of secondary roads during the next four to six years. Commission forces and private contractors completed paving of 56.8 miles of county roads during 1949. They also added 240.9 miles to the state's numbered system of highways for a grand total of 1,497.7 miles.

Barnwell stated that during the past year his division hard-surfaced 13.2 miles of state highways and 126.3 miles of county roads and stabilized 181.4 miles of county roads.

Only a small portion of the 20,000,000 bond issue fund is allocated in work completed during 1949, Barnwell pointed out as most of the roads that were financed were either planned or begun last year.

Dr. Henry Jordan, chairman of the highway commission stated that the "Commission is not prepared for its greatest year of rebuilding and more miles of roads were let for contract on January 31, than at any regular highway letting in history."

It was stated by officials that the road construction in this area will be begun in a few months and will be announced shortly. It has been previously announced that work will be started this spring on widening and re-surfacing Highway 70 from Eland to New River.

## Mrs. Roosevelt Sees Need For More Personal Relations Among UN Groups

Chapel Hill—Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, addressing some 1,200 students at the University Tuesday night, declared that one of the most important needs of the United Nations is increased personal relations and understanding among its delegations.

Tracing the organization of the United Nations, Mrs. Roosevelt, who is one of five United States delegates to the General Assembly, stressed the point that the United Nations is an organization of "people" rather than "government."

Mrs. Roosevelt's address in Memorial Hall at the University was

## Have You Given To Dimes Drive?

Have you contributed to the March of Dimes? If you have, give more, and if you haven't, do it today. Your dimes and dollars are needed to fight the ever-increasing rise of polio throughout North Carolina and the nation, also here in Orange County.

The Orange County chapter is broke. Down to its last dime. Help fill the coffers again and see that some child—or adult—will walk again. Several thousand dollars more than was collected was spent in Orange County for polio aid from June 1948 to June, 1949. One patient has received care totaling over \$5,000 and continues under the care of physicians.

Get in the battle now. Who knows—your cash may be needed to fight a polio battle in your own home. The disease is not a respecter of persons and is subject to take a stab at any citizen from one to 70.

## Merchants Urged To Make Plans For Influx

Chapel Hill—Dr. Reece Berryhill, in an address to the Chapel Hill-Carrboro Merchants Association Monday evening, stressed the importance of a program to prepare the town for the increased number of persons and businesses coming to the community during the extensive building program set up for the University.

Dr. Berryhill reported that the medical expansion program should be completed by Fall, 1951, and that the approximate increase in population due to transients coming here to the hospital as patients, visitors, and personnel, would amount to an average of 200 per day.

The Merchants Association, headed by Wilbur Kutz, discussed plans for a promotional program to be carried out this year by the association.

## Carrboro Church Serving Supper Each Saturday

Carrboro—Members of the Carrboro Methodist Church are serving suppers every Saturday afternoon beginning at five o'clock in the Methodist Church hut on Main Street in Carrboro for the benefit of the drive to build a new Methodist church in Carrboro.

Different organizations of the church are sponsoring the suppers each week. In the last two weeks more than a hundred dollars has been cleared by these suppers for the church fund. Every one who has taken a part in this drive has been pleased with the home-cooked food prepared by the ladies of the church and every one is cordially invited to come to the hut for supper beginning each Saturday afternoon at five o'clock and continuing until all food is sold. The suppers will be sold each Saturday at least until Easter.

## Boy Scouts Mark 40th Anniversary



**40th Anniversary  
1950  
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA**

Official poster marking the 40th birthday.

The 40th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America will be observed Feb. 6 to 12 in every part of the nation by more than 2,300,000 boys and adult leaders. "Strengthen Liberty" is the birthday theme. The Boy Scouts' "Crusade to Strengthen the Arm of Liberty" continues through 1950.

During Boy Scout Week, units will hold "Crusade Night" meetings when 1949 Crusade Awards will be presented. Representing the 12 Scout Regions, 12 outstanding Boy Scouts will make a "Re-

port to the Nation" at Washington, D.C., where the Movement was incorporated Feb. 8, 1910. They will also take part in an impressive ceremony at Independence Hall in Philadelphia.

The highlight of 1950 will be the Second National Jamboree which will see 40,000 Scouts and Leaders camping together at Valley Forge, Pa., from June 30 to July 6, including Scouts of other lands.

Since 1910 more than 16,500,000 boys and men have been identified with the Boy Scouts of America.

## Time to Enter Big Contest Now

When the clock strikes it is time to go to work, especially for you who work by the hour or by the day.

In The News of Orange County cash offer campaign you do not have to work by the clock, neither by the hour, nor by the day, but you get bigger pay by far in this campaign and work when you want to. It is time to go to work now if you want to win. This goes for the folks who have already entered their names as well as those who are thinking about entering. The contest will officially open Monday, February 6, 1950, and the names of those who have already entered will be published in the next issue of THE NEWS so it is to your advantage to get your name in the first list and be one of the big prize winners. Yes, it is true that the first grand prize is \$600 dollars. The second prize is \$300 and the third award \$150.

All other active contestants who work in this campaign for the next few weeks will receive one-fifth of all the money collected by them. Everyone is paid and all you have to do is get subscriptions, both new and renewals, to The News of Orange County, a newspaper that has been in most of your homes for many years.

There may be something that is not clear to you about this campaign and you would like to know more about it so that you too can share in this good money. Drop us a post card and we will send you full details or call upon us and talk this campaign offer over,

or better still drop in to see us. All details will be cheerfully given. Don't wait, do it now. Regardless of where you live, you can enter.

The advantage in working now is that you receive more votes or credits on subscriptions sold between now and the 11th of February. This is known as the biggest extra vote offer of this entire campaign. No time will subscriptions count as much as now. For each \$15.00 worth of subscriptions you sell now you will receive 150,000 Extra Votes in addition to the regular votes that appear on the face of your receipt book. When you accumulate sales amounting to \$15.00 start to work on another \$15.00 club, for each \$15.00 in subscription money entitles you to this winning vote. Sell as many \$15.00 clubs as you can.

The campaign office is located in the office of The News of Orange County and will be open Saturday afternoons. Make your reports at this time. Those of you who live outside Hillsboro and can not come to the office, be sure to mail your reports on this day to the campaign manager, c/o The News of Orange County, Hillsboro, N. C.

### SUIT FILED

Chapel Hill—T. Ruffin Pendergraft of Chapel Hill filed his long awaited \$10,000 suit against the Town of Chapel Hill, E. G. Danziger, and W. G. Fields, Sr., in Superior Court Friday for water damage to his property.

## Plan County-wide Event Celebrating Scout Week

### REA Members From Six Counties Here Saturday

Hillsboro, N. C.—The Piedmont Electric Membership Corporation of Hillsboro, will hold its eleventh annual meeting February 4, 1950 in the Hillsboro High School, Hillsboro, N. C., Co-op Manager F. E. Joyner, announced this week. He said he expected a record turnout.

Progress and financial reports, consideration of an increase of the debt limit and election of directors for the next twelve months will be on the day's program, in addition to lively entertainment, lunch, and prize awards, Mr. Joyner said.

"It's going to be a great day for everyone who comes," the Co-op manager promised. "We're going to have a good time, but we are also going to transact some important business, including the discussion of plans to take electric service to as many of our neighbors as soon as possible," he said.

Mr. Joyner pointed out that the cooperative has planned a new \$150,000 line construction program designed to bring electric service to 300 farms and other rural non-farm rural establishments such as schools, churches and small industries. The cooperative is now operating 1000 miles of line serving 3600 consumers in Orange, Durham, Person, Caswell, Alamance and Granville counties. To date the cooperative has borrowed \$1,493,000 from the REA and has paid back \$105,000 as principal, including \$20,000 paid in advance of the due date.

The nature of this meeting is of utmost importance and the management and officials urge each of the cooperative's 3600 members to be present.

### Brothers Bound Over In Murder Of Lewis Cobb

Hillsboro—Alexander and Jesse Boldin, brothers of Chapel Hill, Route 1, are free under \$500 bonds each for the murder of Lewis Cobb in a Chapel Hill tavern affray January 13.

The pair were bound over to Superior Court after pleading not guilty to the charge.

Evidence presented tended to show that following a fight inside an eating and drinking place, on the outskirts of Chapel Hill Route 1, Cobb came outside threatening to kill Alexander Boldin. In a scuffle which followed over possession of Cobb's gun, Jesse rushed in with his knife and in the affray, Cobb was cut on the leg and bled to death from the deep slash.

The Boldin brothers are sons of Mattie Boldin, who several years ago killed their father and is now serving a term in the penitentiary.

### March Of Dimes Campaign Extended

Chapel Hill—The March of Dimes campaign has been extended for two more weeks, Mrs. Phillips Russell, Director of Organization for the State announced Monday.

Mrs. Russell said in announcing the extension of the drive, that "people in North Carolina are generous, and we feel sure they will contribute all they can to help our young people recover from polio. Even if we do not have any polio this year, it will take \$500,000 to continue to treat those who were stricken in past epidemics."

### Commerce Bulletin Shows Increase in Employment

Taxable payrolls under the old-age program of the Federal Security Agency rose 71 per cent in Orange county between 1946 and 1948, according to information received here from C. Parker Persons, Regional Director of the U. S. Department of Commerce in Atlanta.

Taxable payrolls under the program in 1948 totaled \$1,363,000 compared with \$797,000 in 1946.

The information is included in booklets prepared by his agency entitled "County Business Patterns," now on sale at all field offices of the Commerce Department. Mr. Persons said: "The information, he pointed out, was compiled for the purpose of helping businessmen to achieve greater

### ABC Clerk Gets Too Much, Winds Up In Trouble

Hillsboro—An ABC store clerk went on a drinking spree last Sunday and got himself into a heap of trouble with the law along with scaring women and children who were his unwilling passengers in a station wagon on Highway 70 near here.

Returning to Durham following a visit here, J. B. F. Woods, Jr., 519 Willard St., Durham, slipped under the wheel when the driver went into a service station for some cigarettes and took off with two terrified women and four children screaming for help before he had gotten very far.

Finally halted by Patrolman T. P. Hoffer, Woods was charged with drunken driving.

Placed in jail here, he continued to raise a disturbance until in the evening Deputy Sheriff Rainey Roberts smelled smoke and found the mattress in his cell on fire and two other prisoners nearby on the floor partially suffocated. Prisoners said they had been unable to attract attention to their plight because of the noise and disturbance being raised by Woods.

### Two Seriously Hurt In Wreck With Cola Truck

Hillsboro—Two men were seriously injured Friday afternoon when they crashed into a heavily loaded drink truck making a left turn from Highway 70 into Jack's Barbecue at the intersection with Highway 86.

The men, passengers in a 1946 Ford coach, were Julius Sykes, 58, Mebane, and Robert Lynch, Mebane, Route 2, who was the driver. Both men are at Duke Hospital suffering from broken legs, facial lacerations, fractures and other minor injuries.

The driver of the drink truck, Lester Mooney, Jr., 811 Ramseur St., Durham, was cited by investigating Patrolman T. P. Hoffer for reckless driving. Lynch, one of the injured men, was cited for driving with improper license.

### Minor Cases Fill Court Docket

Hillsboro—Two assaults, whiskey and traffic violations occupied the County Records roster this week.

The record: Ed Davis and Henry A. Davis, both assault on female, costs; Helen Wheeler, no operators license, \$25 and costs; Robert L. Huffman, allowing unlicensed driver to drive, costs; June Cates, illegal possession, three months' road, cursing in public, costs; Lee Corbett, illegal possession, six months' road suspended and \$25 and costs; Monroe Baker, failure to comply with previous sentence, 12 months term ordered into effect; Robert E. Page, parking on highway without lights, not guilty; Isaac Currie, driving under the influence, 90 days on roads, suspended, and \$100 and costs (payment at rate of \$15 per week allowed.)

Chapel Hill—An Award Court of Honor will be the first county-wide event in Boy Scout Week, 1950.

Scouts, Scouters, friends and parents from all the troops in Orange County will assemble Sunday night at eight o'clock in the University Methodist Church of Chapel Hill. A spot-lighted replica of the Statue of Liberty will focus attention upon "Scouting's Crusade of the Year to Strengthen the Arm of Liberty." A birthday cake, topped by 40 candles, will proclaim the Fortieth Anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America. A union reading of the "Declaration of Purpose" will lead all Scouts to a rededication to the Scout Oath and Law.

The address of the evening will be delivered by Chancellor Robert House of the University of North Carolina. Norman Cordon, former Metropolitan Opera star will sing. The Rev. Wm Howard of the University Methodist Church will deliver the prayer of invocation.

The awards to Scouts who have completed Merit Badge work and who have earned advancement, will be given by James Webb, State Senator from Hillsboro, John Umstead, State Representative from Orange County, and Roy Armstrong, Director of Admissions of the University of North Carolina and serving this year as Chairman of the Orange County District, Boy Scouts of America. The Court of Honor has been planned and will be conducted by the members of Alpha Phi Omega, campus service fraternity, under the supervision of Rev. Bernard Munger, Advancement Committee Chairman, Orange County Boy Scouts. The public is invited to share in this "birthday" celebration for the Scouts. A special invitation is extended to all parents of Scouts.

### Chairman Calls Associated Farm Women To Meet

Cedar Grove—A meeting of the Orange County Associated Farm Women will be held next Wednesday, February 8, at 7:30 p. m. in the Home Economics Building at Aycock School, Mrs. Z. C. Burton, Chairman, announced this week.

Delegates will be elected to attend the State convention at Raleigh February 12 through 15, and several matters of business will be discussed.

In announcing the meeting, Mrs. Burton urged that all members attend, and also make plans to go to Raleigh for the convention.

Of special interest at the Raleigh meeting will be an address Monday morning, February 13, by Dr. Jane S. McKinnon, N. C. Extension Service. Mrs. Charles S. Sewell, Administrative Director, Associated Women American Farm Bureau, of Chicago, Ill., will speak Monday afternoon on "Farm Bureau As a Family Affair."

### CENSUS JOBS

Hillsboro—Need a job? Some 25 census takers and other workers will be needed to handle the 1950 census in the next few months, according to J. D. Rogers of High Point, supervisor for the Sixth Congressional District.

### Basketball Tonight

Hillsboro—The Hillsboro Exchange basketball team will meet Louisville College here tonight at the High School gymnasium. In a previous game, the local team nosed out Louisville by six points.

## How To Enter

All you have to do to enter The News of Orange County's Cash offer Campaign and win a \$600.00 cash prize or other awards is: Bring or mail your name and address to the Campaign Manager at the office of The News of Orange County.

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