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## Election Produces Few Surprises As Two Out Of Three Orange Voters Stay At Home



George R. Tilghman, seaman, USN (right), son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Tilghman of 321 MacCauley St., Chapel Hill, raises his right hand to accept the oath of reenlistment in the U. S. Navy for six months from the personnel officer at the U. S. Fleet Activities, Yokosuka, Japan. Tilghman, who is assigned to the Print Shop, has completed six years in the Navy. (Official U. S. Navy photograph.)

## Readers Laud Retiring Wilson

Hillsboro — Ben F. Wilson of Orange County Township ended 12 years of public service as a member of the Orange County Board of Commissioners at the November session amid ringing praise from colleagues and other county officials.

## Clubs Hold Annual Exhibit

Hillsboro — Orange County Federation of Home Demonstrations is sponsoring a group of exhibits and a Farm Family Progression at the Hillsboro High School auditorium on November 10 and 11.

## 100 Bushels Corn Yield Per Acre Wins First Prize

Hillsboro — The corn growing contest was climaxed at the Central High School in Hillsboro, Wednesday night, November 1.

## RECUE SUPPER

Hillsboro — The American Legion Post No. 85 will sponsor a Recue supper at the Legion hut on Nov. 18 at 6:00. The proceeds from the event will go towards paying off the debt on the hut.

## Knight Draws Long Suspended Terms For Spree

Hillsboro — William S. Knight whose drunken spree terrified a neighborhood here several months ago finally got his sentence in the County Court Monday and a chance to make a good citizen of himself since sentences in each of the cases were suspended, depending upon the defendant's behavior.

He has just completed serving a 60-day suspended sentence in a previous case which was invoked at the time of his trial on the five charges growing out of his entry at gunpoint into the home of Mrs. Flora Dickson and J. W. Dickson, his robbing the house of Bessie Dority and his subsequent theft of an automobile and wrecking it.

Terms of Judge L. J. Phipps were that he leave Orange County by Friday night and keep out for a two-year period, pay a fine of \$25 and costs, and remain of good behavior or risk the invoking of suspended road terms totalling one year upon violation of any law.

## Wedding Play To Be Presented At Aycock School

Cedar Grove — The "Womanless Wedding" will be presented at Aycock School Friday, Nov. 17 at 7:30.

## NEW MEMBER

Chapel Hill — Jack Bright of Chapel Hill has been recently pledged into the Rho Chapter of Alpha Phi Omega, national Scout service fraternity at the University.

## Rural Telephones To Be In By Jan. 1

Chapel Hill — Most of the telephones planned for the rural communities in Orange County will be installed by the first of the year, according to J. S. Bennett, director of operations for the University Telephone Company.

The lines for these telephones have been up for some time and the utilities office has been waiting on switchboard equipment before installing the telephones. The equipment was ordered some two years ago and is now being installed in the Chapel Hill office.

Within the next ten days, a telephone will be installed at the home of Charles W. Stanford, Bethlehem community, as an experimental unit. The telephone is being installed there because it is at the end of the line and utilities officials want to iron out any defects or faults that may occur in the operation of the phone.

## CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

St. Matthew's Parish Guild will hold its annual Christmas Bazaar at the Colonial Inn in Hillsboro on Wednesday, Nov. 15 beginning at 3:00 p. m. The items on sale will include fine hand work, costume jewelry, Christmas cards, toys, doll clothes and novelty items for the children, good food and a table of "White Elephants."

## New Directors Reverse Decision To Sell American Legion Hut; Elect New Officers

Hillsboro — A new board of directors, elected at a Superior Court-ordered meeting of stockholders of Legion Memorial Hut, Inc., Monday night reversed a decision of the previous board of Legionaires to sell the Hut and took steps to pay off the remainder of the indebtedness on the building without recourse to further private sale of stock to members of local Post 85.

This was resolved apparently a controversy which split the Post and threatened a serious breach in activities of one of most active units of the North Carolina Department.

At Monday's meeting A. H. Graham was named president of the corporation of Legionaires which own the building. A. Max Browning was elected vice president, Arnold Hastings, secretary-treasurer, and Jerry B. Stone, assistant secretary. Other directors are Ben G. Johnston, James Ches-hire Jr., Walter Wren, Robert Earl Hughes, Sim Efland, B. N. Roberts, Sam Gattis and Clarence Rosemond.

## Carrboro Man Is Ordained By Baptist Body

Carrboro — Following a request from the Carrboro Baptist Church, presbytery was called October 24th 1950 by the Mt. Zion Association Ordination Committee, to be composed of ministers and deacons of the Mt. Zion Association, for the purpose of examining E. W. Hamrick for the ministry.

Mr. Hamrick was carefully questioned concerning his conversion, call to the ministry and doctrinal beliefs. Following a most satisfactory examination, the presbytery voted unanimously that Mr. Hamrick be recommended for the ministry.

The following ministers participated in the examination service: Dr. Samuel Habel, Chapel Hill; Rev. Guthrie Colvert, Burlington; Rev. Walter Brown, Haw River; Rev. Guy Cain, Graham; Rev. W. R. Waggoner, Mt. Carmel; Rev. G. N. Harward, Carrboro; Dr. O. T. Binkley, Louisville, Ky. and Rev. Troy E. Jones, pastor of the Carrboro Baptist Church.

## Bishop Peale Announces New Methodist Pastors

Hillsboro — Only one change in Methodist pastoral assignments in this area was announced by Bishop W. W. Peale, of Richmond, in the 12th annual convention of the North Carolina Methodist Church Sunday in Kinston.

C. B. Dawsy, Jr., was named to fill the Durham Circuit left vacant by C. J. Huneycutt. Huneycutt resigned to take foreign language courses at Yale University. The Durham Circuit includes McMannen's Chapel and Pleasant Green Church.

## School Board Discusses New Building Sites

Hillsboro — Routine business, most of it dealing with new school sites, occupied the members of the school board at their regular meeting November 6.

## October Adds 6.7 Miles Paving To Orange Roads

Another 6.7 miles of secondary road have been paved in Orange County during the month of October, the State Highway Commission announced this week.

The Commission finished the following projects: On Buckhorn Road from Cheek's Crossroads to Bukhorn, 2.2 miles; On Rower Plant Road from US 70 to Cole Mill Road, 2.6; Cole Mill Road from Durham County line to Power Plant Road, 1; West Hillsboro streets, 0.9.

More than 30.5 miles of new hard-surfacing have been added to Orange County's road system since the start of the accelerated construction program last summer, according to James A. Barnwell, Fifth Division Highway Commissioner.

## Adult Farm Club To Be Organized

Hillsboro — Farmers in the Hillsboro school area are invited to meet with Elmer R. Dowdy, teacher of agriculture, at the high school agriculture building Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

The purpose of this meeting will be to organize an adult farm club, which will meet weekly for a series of twelve classes. The agriculture subjects to be taught will be chosen by members of the club. It is expected that instruction will be given in the shop as well as the class room.

## Groups Observe Art Week

Chapel Hill — The Chapel Hill Parent Teacher Association, University of North Carolina Art Department, Friends of Person Hall, and the Carrboro-Chapel Hill Merchant Association are co-operating in the observance of American Art Week, November 6-13.

Hillsboro — Orange County voters concoted no upsets Tuesday during a day of listless voting which saw only roughly a third of the registered voters go to the polls.

The cut-and-dried Democratic victory was reeled off as expected and a usually light General Election vote was made even lighter with the absence of all Republican opposition at the county level. In other contests Orange voters merely added their bit to the comfortable margin the Democrats were piling up in the State as a whole.

Five constitutional amendments on which the citizens were asked to express their opinion were carried in the affirmative, generally to the tune of about 3 to 1, with the legislators' pay raise amendment getting more opposition than the others.

Most unusual on the voting record was the unusually large write-in support accorded fellow-townsmen Frank Graham by Chapel Hillians. His 19 votes at Carrboro also deprived Primary Opponent Willis Smith of a clear-cut majority in that box. Write-in votes were 183 for Graham in Chapel Hill, Northside, and 171 in Chapel Hill, Southside precinct. Smith got 417 and 257 respectively in the two precincts and E. L. Gavin, his Republican opponent, polled 293 and 216 respectively.

Write-in exponents had a field day generally as is usually the case in lightly contested elections. Albert Coates got votes for the post of Senior U. S. Senator, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, and the Associate Justice's post sought by Jeff Johnson and Guy Weaver. Both Mayne Albright and Dougald McMillan got a vote for Senator. Donald Hayman, also of the Institute of Government staff, picked up a vote for Carl Durham's Congressional seat. Henry Whitfield, Chapel Hill attorney, had one supported for Superior Court Judge of the 4th District, and Rupert Jernigan one for the House of Representatives.

Robert O. Forrest, county Democratic Chairman, picked up a Republican vote for Sheriff and William Henry Jordan, the Efland political sage, got one for State House of Representatives.

Ralph Scott's Alamance majority for State Senator for this district composed of Orange and Alamance received a substantial boost on the basis of returns from 12 of the 16 precincts which gave him 2441 votes to Thomas C. Carter's 142.

Carl T. Durham polled his expected majority over A. A. McDonald of Durham with the incomplete returns giving him 2361 to 567 for McDonald. Other returns on the basis of the 12 precincts reporting gave the following totals: William H. Murdock for Solicitor 3630, J. Ed. Laws for Register of Deeds 2657, Edwin M. Lynch for Clerk of Court 2640, S. T. Latta for Sheriff 2684, Allen H. Walker for Coroner 2699, John W. Umstead for General Assembly 2617, Collier Cobb Jr. for commissioner 2629, H. G. Laws for commissioner 2604, and Sim Efland for commissioner 2642.

Other totals gave Clyde R. Hoey 2462, Halsey B. Leavitt for U. S. Senate 649; Willis Smith 1840 and E. L. Gavin for U. S. Senate 900; and for Supreme Court, Walter P. Stacy 2512, Sam J. Ervin Jr., 2372, Robert H. McNeill 586, Emery B. Denny 2427, Jeff Johnson 2480, Guy Weaver 662, Waldo Cheek, insurance commissioner 2479, and for Superior Court Judges, R. Hunt Parker 2447, Clawson Williams 2440, W. C. Harris 2408, J. H. Clement 2382, F. Donald Phillips 2409, Frank M. Armstrong 2394, Justus C. Rudisill 2384, Julius A. Rousseau 2380, J. Will Pless 2385, Zeb V. Nettles 2384, and Dan K. Moore 2355.