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Eight Pages This Week



The Safety Patrol at Efland Elementary School has given valuable assistance this year in discipline and safety problems, according to school officials. Above, Herbert Terrell, captain of the Patrol, receives his new safety Patrol belt from T. P. Hoffer, district highway patrolman. Other members who received belts and school leaders are shown from left to right: Faye Webster, Sherley Linner, Helen Linner, Charles Langford, Mrs. Sally Horton, teacher, Louise Graham, lieutenant, W. B. Wilder, principal. Other members not shown are: Donnie Miller, Charles Hughes, Donald Wayne Harris, Roger Oldham, Mason Sykes, Lindsay Efland, John Ward, Glenda Newman, Chrisco, Kay Efland, Kenneth Karrar, Ronnie Mabrey, Virgie Howard, Betty Walters, James Hoffer, Jimmy Oldham and Patsy Palmer.

Writing Writers Wanted Essay Contest

Chapel Hill — A reminder that a prize of \$100 plus additional prizes might be won by an Orange County high school student was sent out this week by President Roland McClamroch of the NC Wildlife Federation, who also urged all entrants to remember that the contest closes March 1 next.

The prizes will be awarded to winners in the wildlife essay contest who write on this subject: "The Value of Wildlife to me and my community." in 2500 words or less. There will be a second prize of \$60 and a third of \$40, and a cash award will be awarded by the Orange-County Wildlife Club. Small, rabbits, foxes, hawks, hares, and other familiar birds and animals of our fields and woods are likely subjects. Papers should be sent to Roland McClamroch, Chapel Hill, N. C., with name, school, grade, and age given in upper left corner of title page. The sponsors offer these suggestions:

In writing an essay you might consider two values of wildlife. First, its value in increasing the wealth of the state and community as a result of money spent by people who hunt and fish or who enjoy being out-of-doors to watch birds and animals. How much money is spent in your community or your county because people hunt and fish? You can find the answer to this question by talking to the business people in your community who supply sporting goods, meals, and all the things sportsmen spend money on. You can find out whether wildlife is really of money value to your home community.

Besides its money value, wildlife has esthetic value that cannot be measured in dollars and cents. Some people like to go on hikes and picnics to enjoy the scenery and the wild birds and animals in the woodlands, in the fields and along the streams. Here is where you can use your imagination in an essay—to tell about the esthetic and recreational value."

Civic Club Loses Funds In Robbery

Hillsboro — Approximately \$75 in money belonging to the local exchange club was stolen in a break-in at Gordon Grocery here last Wednesday night.

Entrance by the thief was said to have been made through the rear by the removal of a panel from the door. Nothing other than the civic club funds was taken, it was said. The money was kept in a desk.

Fingerprints in the area where the money was kept were taken but no information as to the identity of the thief has been obtained.

BRUNSWICK STEW SUPPER

The Guild circle of the Efland Methodist Church will sponsor a brunswick stew supper Friday night, February 23 at the Efland High School. Pies, cakes and refreshments will be served with the meal beginning at 6 o'clock. The public is invited to attend.

FIRE TRUCK MEETING

Hillsboro — There will be a meeting at the Courthouse in Hillsboro of all persons interested in getting the fire truck Monday night at 7:30 for the purpose of electing permanent officers and directors and hearing the report of the finance committee.

Don Matheson, chairman of the committee, has reported to date a total of \$3380 received. The two largest contributors so far have been Eno Cotton Mills \$530 and W. V. Fryer \$100. George Gilmore, chairman of the committee in charge of purchasing equipment, will give a report on prices of equipment.

All members and other interested parties are invited to attend. A group from Chapel Hill will be present also in the interest of a similar project in that area.

Health Program, Founder's Day Features PTA

Hillsboro — A Health Department program showing screening scenes during examinations of pre-school children featured Tuesday night's meeting of the PTA here, which also marked the observance of PTA Founder's Day.

Mrs. J. S. Spurgeon, first president of the local PTA after its organization in 1919, was present. Mrs. C. D. Jones spoke briefly in local recognition of the event.

G. A. Brown, discussing the current legislative program on schools, urged parents to write their representatives requesting more financial aid for schools. He estimated an additional \$10,000 would be required to maintain Orange County school during the next biennium and described the imperative need for a trustee officer to enforce attendance laws.

A committee composed of Mrs. Bill Warren, Mrs. C. D. Jones and Charles S. Hubbard was named to seek appearance of the N. C. Symphony orchestra in the Hillsboro school, each Spring following discussion of the matter by Brown and Mrs. Warren, the music teacher.

Dairy Devotees Asked To School

Hillsboro — All farmers interested in dairying are invited to attend a dairy school to be held at the high school agricultural building in Hillsboro next Tuesday.

The following program has been planned: 10 A. M. — "How the Dairyman Can Control Mastitis", Dr. C. D. Grinnells, Prof. of Veterinary Science; 10:30 - 11:00 A. M. — "A Successful Calf Raising Program", Dr. R. K. Waugh, Prof. of Dairy production; 11:00 - 11:30 A. M. — "Controlling Cattle Insects", Prof. G. D. Jones, Extension Entomologist; 11:30 - 12:00, "Increase Herd Income Through Good Management", J. A. Arey, in charge of Dairy Extension; 2:00 P. M. — "Green Pastures for North Carolina", a twenty-two minute film in technicolor, Remarks by S. H. Dobson, Extension Agronomist; 2:30 - 3:00 P. M., "Breeding Cattle Artificially", John F. Brown, Extension Dairyman.

Mrs. Jesse West Heads Carrboro Civic Club Slate

Carrboro — At the regular February meeting of the Carrboro Civic Club the following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs. Jesse West, president; Mrs. J. S. Gibson, vice president; Mrs. Douglas Duke, secretary; Mrs. H. C. Riggsbee, treasurer.

Members present in addition to the officers included the following: Medames L. R. Sturdivant, Ernest Wilkins, H. A. Tilley, William Fife, Winslow Williams, John F. McLaughlin, Earl Settlement, William Wilkins, R. B. Studebaker and Mrs. Richard Silverthorne.

The Carrboro Town Library sponsored by the club is open on Tuesday afternoons each week from 2 to 4 o'clock. Mrs. Reese Jones is the newly appointed librarian since the former librarian has resigned. Mrs. J. S. Gibson, chairwoman of the library committee reported that new books had been purchased for adults as well as for children, and urged every one to take advantage of the library. The library is also visited regularly by the Bookmobile, which lends additional books each trip for the townspeople.

The members went on record as favoring the United Forces for Education, and to maintain schools at a high level, and voted to send a telegram to this effect to Representative John Umstead.

A well Baby Clinic, sponsored by the club, is conducted on the first Wednesday in each month with nurses and doctors in attendance. Mrs. Raymond Andrews is chairman of the clinic and all babies and young children are welcome to attend. The committee urges all mothers of babies to visit and take advantage of this professional group.

Civic Club meetings are held on the second Wednesday of each month at 3:30 in the Club building near the Carrboro school.

Tribute Is Paid To Carl McDades

Cedar Grove — The Aycock School Parent Teachers Association by resolution ordered by the membership has paid tribute to the late Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. McDade for their work and interest in school affairs.

Drafted by a committee composed of Mrs. Irene O. Pender and Henry B. Lewis the tribute was as follows: "In the recent deaths of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. McDade the Aycock high school community has felt a keen sense of loss due to the fact that these two faithful servants have worked toward the betterment of our school, both maintaining a strong interest in its welfare. Mrs. McDade being a member of the Parent Teachers Association for years and having served as president; Mr. McDade having served for years on the school board.

"Therefore, be it resolved that the Parent Teachers Association so record their loss and send their expressions of sympathy, requesting the secretary to send a copy of this resolution to the family, a copy to the paper, and to place a copy in the minutes."

Suspended Term Fails To Deter Man On Rampage

Hillsboro When Willie Lee Day, Negro, decided to violate the terms of a suspended sentence he had received for assault on a female with a deadly weapon, he went all out, according to the cases tried before Judge L. J. Phipps Monday morning.

Day, who pled guilty to charges of speeding at 82 miles per hour and to charges of operating a car while under the influence of an intoxicating beverage, said he was not guilty of carrying a concealed weapon and threatening the life of his wife. The judge found him guilty of all charges and sentenced him to 12 months on the roads in each case, the sentences to run concurrently.

In other cases the results were as follows: Howard Roberts, illegal possession, \$10 and costs; Julius Ivey, failure to dim lights, \$10 and costs; Clifton T. Bennett, failure to dim lights, \$10 and costs; Victor William Cauthorn, passing another vehicle without having 500 ft. clearance, \$10 and costs; Harris "Ike" Wilson, public drunkenness, 30 days on roads and costs; Edgar Mack Carden, no driver's license, \$25 and costs; John and William Herndon, larceny, six months on roads, suspended; Henry Lassiter, capias ordered for arrest for failure to make support payments; John Ed Thompson, no driver's license, \$25 and costs; Marvin T. Terrell, non-support, 12 months on roads suspended on condition defendant pay \$15 per week for support of wife and minor child; Nello Atwater, illegal possession, pleads nolo contendere, \$25 and costs; Charlie Eugene Alston, illegal possession and transporting whisky, \$35 and costs; Willard Henry Swan, operating car while under influence of whisky and hit and run, two days in jail, \$100 fine costs and surrender driver's license; Harvey Ray, disorderly conduct, not guilty; M. B. Holsenback, public drunkenness, costs; Charles L. B. Lowndes, Jr., speeding, \$5 and costs; Henry Frank Slater, Jr., speeding, \$10 and costs; Zeb Terry, failure to stop for stop sign, \$5 and costs.

Last Rites Held For J. H. Finley

Cedar Grove — John H. Finley, 89, died at his home in the Cedar Grove community Sunday at 2:45 P. M. after an extended illness. Mr. Finley, a life long resident of Cedar Grove, was the son of the late A. T. and Chatherine Finley of Orange County.

Funeral services were held Monday at 2:30 P. M. from the Cedar Grove Methodist Church conducted by the Rev. Henry B. Lewis. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Survivors are one sister, Mrs. Della Allison, Cedar Grove, one niece and two nephews. Pallbearers were the members of his Sunday School class.

WARNING ON AUTO TAGS

Hillsboro — The Town of Hillsboro this week warned automobile owners this week of "the additional fine and cost" for violation of the town ordinance regarding city auto tags. February 1 was the effective date for the new tags.

Swine Show And Sale Big Success

Hillsboro — The third pure-bred swine show and sale held at the Farmers Mutual Livestock Market by Orange County Spotted Poland China breeders was the most successful ever held.

The popularity of "spots" was evidenced in the fact that the 31 animals entered in the sale averaged \$90.00 per head, with the 20 bred gilts averaging \$110 per head. The top price of \$135.00 was paid for a bred gilt sold by Vic Walters. This animal went to H. W. Umstead of Durham County.

The show held during the morning was judged by Prof. E. H. Hostlieter, head of the Animal Husbandry Department at N. C. State College, and Mr. M. T. Lamm, secretary of the State Spotted Poland China Brds. Assn. from Louisville. Both judges stated that the animals exhibited were of excellent quality and type and paid high tribute to the breeding program being carried on in Orange County. The Hillsboro Merchants Association gave \$50.00 in prize money to the following winners in the different classes. Boars — (1) R. L. Mohler, (2) Larry Coleman, Open Gilts — (1) Carl Walters, (2) Malcolm Latta, (3) H. S. Walker, Bred Gilts

Plans Made For Orange County To Sell \$3-4 Million In School Bonds In March

Unemployment Estimates Orange Recruitable Labor Supply 700

Raleigh — Pressing need for more workers in defense and essential civilian industries at this time of tightening labor market in many areas in this and other states has caused the Employment Security Commission of North Carolina to undertake a study of the recruitable labor in every county in the State. Information in this study is to be revised and issued in tabular form, with shaded State map by counties each two months.

Orange County, the January 15 estimate shows, had 700 workers recruitable under the conditions prevailing then; 100 white males; 300 white females and 100 non-white males. This county had an estimated 225 in the skilled and semi-skilled groups, while 300 were under 45 years of age and were considered trainable for jobs requiring skills.

Chairman Henry E. Kendall announces that the study is being compiled by Hugh M. Raper, director of the Bureau of Research and Statistics, on data supplied by local Employment office managers and staffs throughout the State. This study, Chairman Kendall explains, is general in nature and is not as complete and detailed as the Commission is prepared to make for any interested industry which may be seeking labor market information for possible location of any specific type of plant in any locality in the State.

The estimates of recruitable labor in each county are more than the number of job seekers and those at present unemployed. They include potential workers from such groups as: 1. Housewives who would take jobs if wages and working conditions were more favorable than presently existing in the area; 2. Workers now commuting to other areas, but who would remain at home if better work opportunities should develop; 3. Youths expected to join the labor force; 4. Older employables not now in the labor force; 5. Minority groups that would readily accept employment; 6. Agricultural workers seasonally unemployed; and 7. Other smaller groups deemed recruitable for industrial employment.

Estimates which are believed to be on the conservative side indicate that as of January 15, the State had about 163,000 workers who could be recruited under favorable conditions for defense and important civilian industries. Of these, 56,250 were white males and 50,000 were white females, while 28,600 were non-white males. An estimate places the skilled and semi-skilled in this count at more than 60,000, while 54,200 are classed as those under 45 years of age who are considered trainable for jobs requiring skills.

Civic Clubs In Joint Event At Schley Grange

Hillsboro — The two local civic clubs, Lions and Exchange, will hold a joint meeting tonight at the benefit turkey supper being held at Schley Grange Hall. The evening's program will be a showing of the film "First Thirty Days in Korea."

Profits from the supper will be turned over to the E. G. Moss Fellowship Fund to promote further study in tobacco research, such as curing processes and the control of the many diseases which tobacco farmers must fight. The supper, to be held from 6 to 8 p. m. is open to all and tickets are \$1. A child's plate also will be on sale.

Tickets are available at Smith's Ready-to-wear, Coleman - Laws Store, Carr's Super Market, Giles Long's Fillington Station, Murray's Store in Caldwell, and from Mrs. J. E. Latta or Mrs. Louis Kennedy, or W. O. Mincey.

Captains Named By Chairman For Fund Drive

Hillsboro — B. P. Gordon, Jr., chairman of the 1951 Red Cross Fund Drive, which will take place during the month of March, announced the names of a number of campaign captains. The quota for the drive has been set at \$2100, which is \$500 more than that scheduled for collection last year. Mr. Gordon pointed out that the increase is due to the defense emergency situation.

Captains, who will name the workers to serve under themselves are as follows: W. C. Mangum, business; Ira Ward, county offices; Mrs. Joe Hughes, residential; Ted Smith, White Furniture Company; Vernon Elrod, Bel Vue Cotton Mill; John Simpson, Fairview residential district; Mrs. Tom Yates, Palmer's Grove district. The schools' drives will be under the supervision of the respective principals.

Wildlife Club Invites Granges To Schley Supper

Chapel Hill — The Orange County Wildlife Club will hold a supper meeting March 9 at the celebrated Schley Grange Hall, it has been announced by B. W. Clark, recently elected president.

Members of all the granges in this section, along with others interested, are invited to attend, Clark said. Following the supper, scheduled from 6:30 to 7:30 o'clock, the entertaining and instructive moving picture, "North Carolina Wildlife," will be shown. Another feature of the session will be a talk by Roland McClamroch, president of the North Carolina Wildlife Federation, who is a member of the Orange County Club.

Clark said that those wishing to attend the supper part of the program should purchase tickets and make reservations with him or Jack Hogan, vice-president.

The Schley Grange Hall is located six miles northeast of Hillsboro on the highway to Roxboro.

The Orange County Wildlife Club plans a regular series of meetings the remainder of the year, Clark said, and dates are now being arranged by members of the executive committee. The club has hopes of enlarging its membership and scope of activity during the coming months. Hogan is chairman of a membership drive.

Mrs. Roland McClamroch is secretary of the club and Ed Vasnav is treasurer.

COMPLETES COURSE

Gran P. Childress, a representative of the Jefferson Life Insurance Company branch in Chapel Hill, has completed a career school course for life underwriters at the home office in Greensboro.

Hillsboro — The Board of County Commissioners made plans at a session Monday night to proceed with the sale of \$750,000 in school building bonds and make the money immediately available to the Board of Education to push the improvement program authorized by the 1949 bond election to a rapid conclusion.

This action came as result of a request from the Board of Education, acting as result of a concerted movement originating with school committees of Efland, Aycock and Caldwell.

The bond sale, probably the largest in the county's history, will be held early next month under the direction of W. E. Easterling of the Local Government Commission. A bond sale order setting the date of the sale should come up for formal action of the board at its next meeting on the first Monday in March.

The March sale will include all bonds to be sold under the construction program with the exception of \$160,000, set up for a white elementary school at Chapel Hill and \$105,000 set up for elementary school purposes at Hillsboro.

The \$750,000 sale includes \$735,000 in school bonds authorized in the bond election and \$15,000 authorized several months ago by the Commissioners without a vote of the people to complete the addition to the Hillsboro Negro School.

Under the proposed maturity schedule, first payments on the new bonds will fall due in the fiscal year 1952-53. Payments on the new bonds with existing indebtedness will bring annual debt service obligations ranging from \$49,000 to \$53,000 annually through 1978 after which the sum will drop to \$40,000 in 1979 and \$32,000 in 1980.

The \$15,000 for the Hillsboro addition would have been paid under the next fiscal year's budget to include this in the big bond sale was made in view of expected heavy requests for equipment in the new schools.

In recapitulation, the following is a division of funds as set up under the bond program: Hillsboro White, \$135,000; Efland Negro, \$29,179; West Hillsboro, \$25,000; Carrboro, \$40,000; Efland White, \$17,000; Aycock, \$62,500; White Cross, \$14,750; Caldwell, \$14,726.12; Chapel Hill White, \$375,000; Chapel Hill Elementary White, \$169,000; Lincoln High School \$126,876.31.

In addition the following amounts are being used in the construction from State funds: Cedar Grove Negro School, \$147,000; Hillsboro Negro School, \$100,000; Efland Negro School, \$44,820.40; and Lincoln High School, \$108,123.69.

PTA Members Hear Artist At Chapel Hill

Chapel Hill — "What art does for the child is more important than what the child does to art", Mrs. Callie Braswell, Greensboro art instructor told members of the Chapel Hill Parent Teacher Association here last Friday night in the elementary school auditorium.

Mrs. John M. Foushee, art chairman, was in charge of the program, and Mrs. John Alcott introduced the speaker. Mrs. Arthur Fink gave a brief report on the history of art activities in the Chapel Hill schools. PTA President Clyde Carter presided at the meeting.

Mrs. Braswell showed her audience pictures which children in the Greensboro schools had painted. She also had an exhibition of some of her own work. Mrs. Braswell has taught art in the city schools of Greensboro for a number of years and was also art supervisor. At present she is teaching at Greensboro College and in the schools of Guilford county.

In her talk Mrs. Braswell stressed the importance of allowing children to express their emotions and their experiences through the medium of art. "Children paint what they feel rather than what they see," she told the parents. "Art in the schools develop the children physically by helping their coordination and socially by teaching them to work together."

She warned against the use of commercial color books, which hamper a child's freedom to draw what he wants, and also advised that teachers should not impose adult ideas of realism on children.