

## Contest Looms for Mayor, Town Board at Carrboro

Carrboro — In the Carrboro municipal election to be held on May 7th, two persons have filed for the office of Mayor. Mayor I. F. Hardee who has served the town as Mayor for the past year is filing for re-election. The other candidate for mayor is J. Sullivan Gibson, a University of North Carolina professor. He listed the formal intention to run and paid their one dollar fee on Wednesday last week. The deadline for all candidates to enter the race for the mayor and four commissioners is April 28. These offices are for a two-year term each. Others may enter their names within a few days. Registration of new voters is to begin next Saturday, April 14, and continue through April 28.

Mr. Hardee, a supervisor at the University Laundry and local resident for the past 15 years, is competing for his first term as Carrboro's Mayor. He made no public statement with his bid for re-election.

Dr. Gibson, a resident of Carrboro for more than three years, is making his first race for public office. An associate professor of geography at the University, he came to Carrboro to make his home from the University of Wisconsin in Madison. He is a native of Texas and a graduate of Abilene State College.

Dr. Gibson entered the race for mayor of Carrboro at the request of a number of friends. He stated, "I am not running as a reformer, I am not going to make a lot of promises. I am 100 per cent concerned with civic improvements and first want to make a study of what the town needs and its possibilities."

None of the incumbent four commissioners have as yet filed for re-election. However, the following three persons, all running for their first public office, formally filed for these following positions several days ago.

## April 22 Set for Waste Paper Drive in Hillsboro

Hillsboro — Plans for a waste paper drive in Hillsboro and vicinity were announced today by officials of The Exchange Club of Hillsboro.

Trucks will tour the town and the surrounding area to collect waste paper Sunday, April 22nd. The collection will begin around 3:30 p. m. Citizens of this area are urged to put all scrap out for collection on this date.

Funds received from the sale of this paper will be used to further the club's recreation program during the summer months. All types of paper can be used. It is requested that cardboard be separated from other types of paper.



Robert O. Forrest, New County Commissioner.

## Alexander New Jaycee President At Chapel Hill

Chapel Hill — William M. "Pokey" Alexander was last week elected president of the Jaycees for the coming year. He succeeds Charlie Phillips who now automatically becomes a director of the club.

Other officers elected, all of whom will be officially installed next month, were: First Vice-President, Richmond Sloan; Second Vice-President, W. J. Ogburn; Secretary, Bill Waston; Treasurer, J. C. Fox; Directors, Dr. J. Kenneth Jones, William Sloan, Kenneth Putman, Roland Giduz, and J. H. Koon.

A local home and auto supplies dealer, Alexander is at present secretary of the two-year-old civic group. He is a graduate of the University of North Carolina and a former Durham radio station announcer.

Plans were announced at the meeting for completion of the street markers project by filling in block numbers at the top of each marker. As soon as stencils can be cut for these numbers, project chairman Herman Ward announced, this last step will be started.

## Farm Youths Will Take Part in Durham Festival

Hillsboro — Orange County 4-H members will take an active part in the annual Durham Farm Youth Festival, April 25, 26, which over 2,000 farm boys and girls are expected to attend at the invitation of the sponsoring groups.

Five county school groups will have floats in the parade which will be featured at 10 o'clock Thursday morning. These are: Hillsboro High School, Chapel Hill High School, Aycock Elementary and High School, Carrboro Elementary School, and Efland Elementary School. The Hillsboro High School band also will take part in the morning's show and a number of Orange County young people will march in the parade.

The festival features a cattle show, stock show and sale, banquet and square dance with entries in various events from Alamance, Franklin, Granville, Orange, Person and Durham counties.

On Wednesday, April 25, festivities open with the breeding cattle and swine show at 10 a. m. followed at 2 p. m. by the fat stock show, sponsored by the Durham Kiwanis Club, and at 7 p. m. by a banquet for exhibitors and parents.

Following Thursday's parade, a fat stock sale will be held at 1 p. m. Climaxing the two-day event will be the square dance at the city armory, the entire program sponsored annually by the Durham Merchants Association and Kiwanis Club.

Last year, Orange County had three winners in the stock show: Patsy Martin, owner of the grand champion hog; Carl Walters, owner of a reserve champion calf.

# Robert O. Forrest Is Named To Fill Vacancy On County Commission

## Price Control Clinics For Area Are Announced

Hillsboro — Price control clinics for the instruction of retail merchants in this area who sell wearing apparel and house furnishings, will be conducted by the District Office of Price Stabilization on Monday, April 23, in Durham, and on Tuesday, April 24, in Burlington, Director John G. Clark announced this week.

The Durham clinic will be held in the Crystal Ballroom at the Washington Duke Hotel at 2 p. m. and at 8 p. m. for merchants in Durham, Hillsboro, Chapel Hill, Roxboro, Oxford, Macon, Norlina, Creedmoor, Henderson, Warrenton and other communities.

The Burlington clinic, on Tuesday the 24th, will be at 2 and 8 p. m. and will be for Burlington, Graham, Hillsboro, Roxboro, Haw River, Mebane and other communities.

The clinics are designed to explain C. P. R. 7 which covers the retail sale of all wearing apparel, accessories, piece goods and all house furnishings. Merchants covered by this regulation are encouraged to attend the most conveniently located clinic, Director Clark said.

C. P. R. 7 requires that all merchants under its coverage must file complete price charts with the Eastern District O. P. S. 700 Tucker Street, Raleigh, by April 30. There will be no further extension of time for filing price charts under this regulation, Mr. Clark stated. Acknowledgement of price chart filing will be made by O. P. S. direct to individual merchants. Those who do not receive acknowledgement must stop the sale of merchandises covered by the regulation on May 30.

## Carl Forrest Succumbs At 68; Last Rites Today

Efland — Stephen Carl Forrest, 68, prominent business man of this community, died yesterday morning at 7 o'clock at Duke Hospital after a short illness following a heart attack.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at the Efland Methodist Church with the Rev. D. K. Christenberry in charge. Interment will be in Fairfield cemetery.

Mr. Forrest is survived by his wife, Carrie Turner Forrest; three daughters, Mrs. D. E. Forrest and Mrs. Joe Hughes of Hillsboro; Mrs. W. H. Underhill of Greensboro; two sons, T. J. and S. C. Forrest Jr. of Efland; two brothers, T. J. Forrest of Jacksonville, Fla. and E. G. Forrest of Winston-Salem; three sisters, Mrs. A. Y. Kelly of Raleigh, Mrs. O. E. Bivins of Hillsboro, and Mrs. M. P. Efland of Efland; and eight grandchildren.

## Commissioner Opposition Kills Proposal To Permit Single County Prosecutor

Chapel Hill — Last Friday, Representative John W. Umstead introduced a bill in the legislature which would have permitted one man to serve as prosecutor for both Orange County and Chapel Hill Recorders Courts.

Monday afternoon, he asked his colleagues to kill the measure after opposition developed from the Board of County Commissioners, which had apparently not been consulted prior to the introduction.

The bill was introduced by request of the Board of Aldermen of Chapel Hill and would have been without legal effect completely if the two boards failed to act on the matter later.

In three brief sections it provided that: Upon resolution of the aldermen and county commissioners the two groups were jointly to appoint one person to serve as prosecuting attorney for both courts; the term of office of the new prosecutor would be determined by the two boards, and no such appointment could be made during the present term of the prosecuting attorney of the County Court.

The attitude of the County Board was that it did not wish to act hastily on the matter and felt that the measure should have further study.

## Omar Bradley Is Scheduled For Local Address

Chapel Hill — General Omar N. Bradley, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff of the Army, Navy and Air Force, will deliver a public address at the University next Thursday night, under sponsorship of the Carolina Forum, non-partisan student organization. He will speak in Memorial Hall at 8 o'clock.

So far this year the Carolina Forum has brought General Mark Clark, Radio News Commentator Edward R. Murrow and Senator Leverett Saltonstall of Massachusetts to the University campus.

## NEW ASSISTANT CLERK

Hillsboro — Sam Gattis has been appointed assistant clerk of Orange County Superior Court by Clerk Edwin M. Lynch to succeed Lucius Cheshire, who resigned. Gattis is the son of the late S. M. Gattis II, a former attorney here, and Mrs. Gattis of Hillsboro. His grandfather, S. M. Gattis, was an outstanding Masonic leader and prosecuting attorney for this Judicial District.

## Rural Fire Body Sets Deadline At Old Fees

Hillsboro — New members in what is now called the Orange Rural Fire Department No. 1 will be accepted at the original fee up to May 1. After that time, new members will be accepted in accordance with the discretion of the Board of Directors of the organization.

That was the decision made this week by the newly elected Board of Directors of the organization which was formed recently to purchase fire fighting equipment for the rural sections of the county surrounding Hillsboro.

The truck and some equipment has been purchased and is already here. An additional \$1500 to \$2,000 will be needed to purchase hose, ladders, axes, chemical extinguishers and insurance coverage before the truck will be ready for service.

Since the original membership meeting, the influx of new members has lagged and there are still several hundred property owners in the area to be served who have not joined.

To those potential members, the board of directors, by decision at this meeting, announced that the fire truck will answer no calls except to members of the association. In return for the Town of Hillsboro's furnishing of gasoline, oil, greasing, washing and housing the truck will be used as a supplementary truck in Hillsboro in cases of emergency.

T. C. Ellis of Cedar Grove is president of the association. The treasurers report indicated that the membership now totaled 279 persons and firms who have contributed \$4,770 to the project.

## Masonic Leader To Address Public At Chapel Hill

Chapel Hill — One of the country's outstanding Masonic leaders and speakers, Justice George E. Bushnell of the Michigan Supreme Court, will give a public address at the University next Monday night, at 8:30. His subject will be "Masonry As A World Force."

His appearance will be the opening feature of the two-day 164th annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Masons of North Carolina set for April 17-18 in Chapel Hill.

Presiding over the sessions will be Dr. W. E. Caldwell, head of the University History Department and this year's Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina.

Hillsboro — Robert O. Forrest of Hillsboro, chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee in Orange County, has been appointed a member of the Board of County Commissioners to fill the unexpired term of Commissioner H. G. Laws.

Forrest was appointed by Clerk of Superior Court Edwin M. Lynch, who indicated Forrest would probably be sworn into office by him today.

Laws attended his last official Board meeting here Monday, a special session called primarily to approve agreements with the Durham Bank and Trust Company relative to the deposit of close to half million dollars realized from the school bonds recently sold by the county to be spent on school construction projects now underway. He submitted his resignation to the Board and the Board in turn approved a formal resolution commending him for his long and valuable service on the Board covering several terms.

Laws will take office as town policeman in Hillsboro next Monday.

Forrest has been prominent in civic and political activities for many years and has served for several years as County Chairman of the Democratic Party. He is a native of the county.

The Commissioners at their Monday meeting also appointed three new members of the Chapel Hill Zoning Commission Enlarged, in accordance with the provisions of the special enabling act recently passed by the legislature, which was promulgated primarily to enable zoning of the new Durham-Chapel Hill boulevard area in Orange County to prevent commercialization along the four-lane thoroughfare.

The appointees included: Alastair L. Muirhead, Glen Lennox, one year; D. W. Loomis, Hidden Hills, two years; and Dr. Lucy Morgan, Gooseneck Road, three years.

Formal action was taken designating the Durham Bank and Trust Company the official depository for Orange County funds effective until December 1951 and agreements were signed by the Commissioners and the bank to insure the safety of the bond money deposit as required by law.

The bank was required to establish sufficient collateral in other banks to cover the \$489,000 left for deposit after the county paid off bond anticipation notes and interest on funds secured prior to the three quarter million dollar sale last month.

## Plans Proceed For Talent Show

Hillsboro — Plans are going forward rapidly for the Lions-PTA sponsored talent show to be held Friday evening, April 20 at the School Auditorium.

A full length show is being lined up by the sponsors and proceeds will go toward a new curtain for the high school stage.

## Classroom Procedures Take On Newer Trends In Orange Negro Schools



Although poor buildings, inadequate facilities and impassable roads are still present in many cases in the small one-and-two-room Negro schools of Orange County, fewer than ever classroom situations are now being observed where isolated subject matter is being imposed upon children. Rather, more stress is being placed on important aspects of living with information being gathered from many areas, thus enabling the child to gain a richer understanding into human relationships and social progress. The children are being taught to live rather than a few isolated facts from books.

And, while the buildings are dismal and ramshackle in many cases, as was shown on this page not so many months ago, their interiors in numerous cases are attractive and conducive to the new type of instruction being carried on. The scene at left, above is at Carr School, a two-teacher unit in Northern Orange, and shows a well planned classroom for the primary grades, the type of environment which stimulates the child to work. The scene at right, above, is at Ridge Road, a

two-teacher school just north of Hillsboro. Here concern for others and group participation are developed in situations important to children.

Through the Negro Schools of Orange County, increasing attention is being given to ways in which children grow, develop and learn. Teachers and school authorities are putting forth more effort in seeing that the curriculum is so designed that children may experience in classroom and community the important aspects of living and be given opportunities for creative expression. In so doing, their aim is to develop a more useful and responsible citizenship for the benefit of the whole community.