

William B. Umstead ended speculation regarding his candidacy for Governor with an announcement this week that he was definitely a candidate. This means he and his family will be much in the spotlight both in Orange County and throughout the State during the next few months before the Democratic Primary. A two-year-old picture of the family, thus, was dragged from the files of The News to illustrate this story which, although a couple of days old, is of interest to many citizens in this county which has always given the candidate strong support in all his previous campaigns.

Two Minor School Bus Accidents Occur Despite New Driver Program

Name Committee Leaders For PTA

Hillsboro — The Executive Committee of the Hillsboro Parent Teacher Association met recently at the home of Mrs. B. P. Gordan, Jr., to make plans for the year's work.

G. A. Brown opened the meeting with prayer and Miss Annie Cameron read "A Pledge to Children" from the White House Conference.

J. B. Midgett, president, listed the following as chairman of committees for the year 1951-1952: Program, Mrs. Van Kenyon; finance, Mrs. Glenn Auman; grade parents, Mrs. J. W. Dickson; luncheon, Mrs. Taylor Bivins; hospitality, Mrs. Vance Isenhour; membership, Van Kenyon; music, Mrs. Helen Warren; educational standards, Miss Emma Lee Davis; publicity, Mrs. Fred Blake; Summer roundup, Miss Annie Cameron; health, Mrs. Phil Thomas; auditorium, E. R. Dowdy; safety, G. C. McBane; yearbook, Mrs. C. D. Jones; goals, Mrs. Everette Forrest; scrap book, Mrs. Wallace Bacon; citizenship, Mrs. Harry Woods; rural service, Mrs. Roy Kennedy; recreation, C. S. Hubbard; and publication, Miss Rebecca Linder.

The first P. T. A. meeting of the year will be held Tuesday, September 18, in the high school auditorium. The speaker for the evening will be G. Paul Carr, superintendent of Orange County Schools. All meetings during the year will be held on the third Tuesday of the month at 7:30 o'clock.

For the past two years the local P. T. A. has strived for a large membership. This year the slogan adopted was "Every member attend P. T. A." So much can be accomplished by the working together of parents and teachers for the betterment of the child. Now if we can get those parents who joined last year to attend the meetings this year, we shall feel that we have reached one goal.

How To Write Korean POW's

Hillsboro — W. G. Wren, veterans service officer, said that any families who have relatives in enemy prisoner of war camps now can write to them by way of China.

The letter should be addressed in care of Chinese Peoples Committee For World Peace, Peking, China. The address should include the full name and rank and serial number of the prisoner.

No postage is necessary. In the upper righthand corner of the envelope, where the stamp ordinarily goes, write "Prisoner Of War Mail."

In the upper lefthand corner should be your name and return address.

Hillsboro — Two minor school bus accidents in the county Tuesday struck an early blow at the county schools' safety record.

A bus from the Hillsboro school and ran over a 12-year-old girl, Ann Long, in front of Arthur Minniss' home in the Oak Grove section but no serious injuries examination. The wheels of the bus did not roll over the child, who suffered bruises and minor cuts. The girl was said to have run out in front of the bus, which was driven by Robert Marine, who broke a brake rod in attempting to avoid striking the child.

A bus from White Cross school collided with an automobile at Dobson's Cross Roads, causing slight damage to the car and none to the bus. Berry Gene Andrews was the driver. There were no injuries.

Meanwhile, County Superintendent G. Paul Carr revealed that a systematic program to improve the safety record of county school buses would be intensified. Last year there were nine bus accidents in the county system. As part of the safety program which was begun prior to the opening of school, a banquet was promised for all bus drivers of each school not having an accident during the year. A bus driver's agreement was incorporated in the safety program this year following meetings held before school opening attended by Lloyd V. Capps, bus driver-trainer of the Highway Safety Division, Highway Patrolman R. R. Thomas, bus maintenance personnel, principals and bus drivers.

In addition, efforts will be made to eliminate hazards on the routes and Clarence Walters, highway maintenance chief for Orange County, promised his support in this phase of the program in which bus drivers and school principals will keep him constantly informed of danger spots which can be eliminated by maintenance personnel.

The agreement which all the bus drivers signed, which was approved by the Board of Education and is subject to enforcement by the Superintendent of Transportation, is as follows:

Knowing the responsibility to which I am entrusted as driver for school bus No. _____, I do hereby promise to the best of my ability to abide by and fulfill the following rules and regulations relative to the safety, care and operation of the bus. I also understand that failure to comply with the rules and regulations as listed in this agreement makes me subject to a fine, removal, or both.

Bloodmobile Sets Next Visit

Chapel Hill — The Red Cross Bloodmobile from Charlotte will make its third stop of the year in Orange County here on Oct. 10 and 11.

Local Red Cross Chapter Blood Chairman Robert H. Wettach, said a quota of 400 pints will be asked from volunteer donors. The unit will be set up in Graham Memorial again as it was on the earlier stops here last winter.

Persons willing to give a pint of their blood are already being recruited, and are asked to telephone the Red Cross office, in Alumni Building to make an appointment.

1. To sweep the floor of bus daily, to keep bus in a neat and sanitary condition, and to see that children do not play and eat in the bus.

2. To keep my bus at least 300 feet behind any school bus that may be in front of me while on highway or road.

3. To see that bus does not stop at stores and lunch counters for children to run errands or make purchases.

4. To prohibit smoking and the use of profane language on my bus.

5. To keep the radiator filled with water at all times while bus is in operation.

6. To see that there is plenty of gas and oil in the bus so that bus will not be detained on the road because of carelessness.

7. The bus is governed at 30 miles per hour; however, I agree that this does not mean that I must drive that fast. I promise to use good judgment, comply with all traffic laws, and use every precaution of safety. Under no circumstances will I tamper with the governor of my bus.

8. I agree to bring school bus to a complete stop at all railroad crossings and highway intersections, and proceed with caution on entering the same.

9. Under no condition will I push another bus or any vehicle with front bumpers nor allow my bus to be pushed by another bus.

10. To report the mechanical condition of my bus to the principal's office daily.

11. I will not allow any other person to operate bus when it is in my custody.

12. I agree to check the brakes on my bus carefully and refuse to drive it unless brakes are safe for driving.

13. In case of an accident which is adjudged my fault by the Bus driver Trainer and State Patrolman I agree to give up my bus license willingly and stop driving a bus.

14. I promise faithfully to follow all suggestions and directions as given in the bus driver's school.

Another Bond Road Completed

Raleigh — The State Highway Commission completed the paving on a 5.7-mile bond issue project in Orange County during August, Chairman Henry W. Jordan announced.

The newly-surfaced road is the Mebane-Oaks Road from the Alamance County line to NC 54.

District Leaders Are Honored By Eastern Star

Hillsboro Chapter No. 180 O. E. S. held its regular meeting Thursday, September 6, at 8 o'clock.

Prior to the meeting the members gave a picnic supper in honor of the District Deputies, Mrs. Charles Bartlett, Chapel Hill and Harvey Byrd, Durham, N. C. They were accompanied by other visitors from Durham and Chapel Hill. We also had visitors for the meeting from Mebane.

Mrs. Bartlett made her official visit to the Chapter. She was presented a beautiful corsage from the Worthy Matron Mrs. Gertrude Pope and the Worthy Patron, Mr. G. W. Lloyd.

Hilton Pope, husband of the Matron, was initiated into the order. Mr. H. O. Bivins conferred the degrees. Later in the evening after a most inspiring talk, Mrs. Bartlett was presented a gift from the Chapter, as was Mr. Boyd. Refreshments served at the close of the meeting.

Book On Chapel Hill Nearing Completion

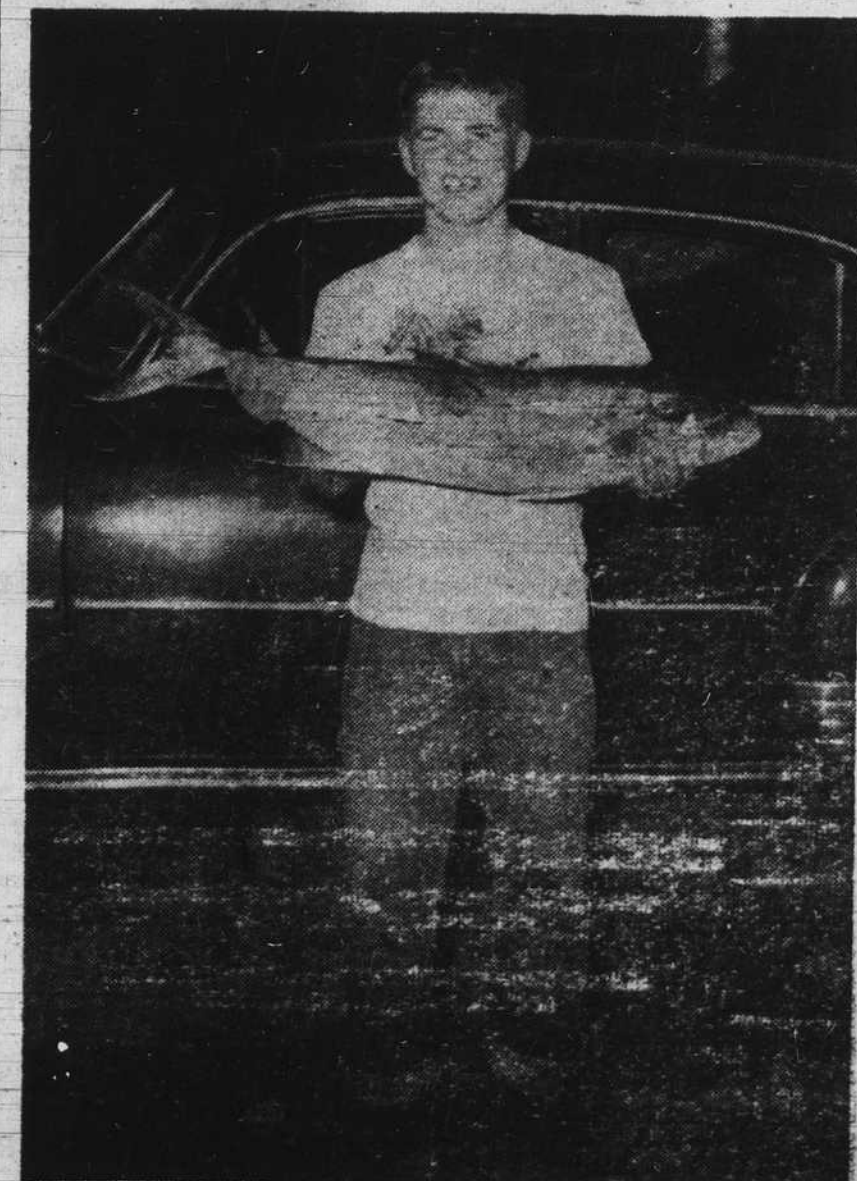
Chapel Hill — Archie Daniels, Chapel Hill artist and member of the staff of Person Hall Art Gallery in the University of North Carolina, has almost completed a book he has been working on for several years and hopes to have it published soon.

Entitled "Sunshine and Shadows," the book will have 300 pages.

In the foreword, the author explains that the book presents a close scrutiny, or perspective, of how Chapel Hill looked to him in 1940, the year he came here to live, and how it gradually changed from a college village to a wide-awake cosmopolitan community with thousands of busy, happy inhabitants, including a large number of celebrities.

In another passage from the foreword, Daniels says, "The twin sister to sunshine is shadow. At night darkness overshadows half of our planet. This magical drama is in operation all the time. On this fascinating subject I have based the fundamental principles for the title of my book. In the bewitching drama of human life, an occasional shadow will fall across the path of each individual."

Daniels said that the book has four general themes: art, education, religion and temperance.



Bobby Hinson, star carrier for The News of Orange County in Hillsboro, became a star fishman also on Labor Day when he pulled in a 15 1/2 lb. amberjack while fishing with other members of his family and friends in the Gulf Stream off Morehead City. Altogether the party of 10 from Hillsboro caught 250 pounds of fish. Rudolph Dixon caught a 14 pound amberjack and A. L. Hinson, father of Bobby, and Doris Riley, both caught large trout weighing eight pounds and six ounces. Members of the fishing party included Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hinson, Mr. and Mrs. Roland J. Riley and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Dixon and their families.

Freedom Crusade Drive To Be Opened With Demonstration Saturday At Hill

Social Security Not Affected By Lien Law

Mrs. Nina Matthews, Manager of the Durham Social Security Office, stated today that her office has been receiving a large number of inquiries regarding the law passed during the 1951 session of the North Carolina Legislature which provides, in effect, that a lien will be attached to the real property if those persons who are receiving public assistance payments through the Welfare Department, effective October 1, 1951.

She reminds people who are receiving old-age insurance payments through her office that the new law does not apply to these payments. These are insurance benefits payable as a result of the worker's having participated in a contributory insurance system where the worker and employer contributed equally. It appears that a great deal of confusion exists in the minds of many beneficiaries of old-age insurance.

All questions relating to old-age or survivors insurance should be referred to the Social Security Office located in Room 214 Post Office Building, Durham, N. C.

Leaders Named For Referendum On November 3

Hillsboro — Henry S. Hogan, prominent dairyman from Chapel Hill, was elected permanent chairman of the "Knickerbocker Know-How" campaign and Don S. Matheson, County Farm Agent, was elected co-chairman at a mass meeting held in Hillsboro last Friday night.

Two committees were also elected — one to have charge of informing the people about the purpose of the program, Elmer Dowdy, Vocational Teacher from Hillsboro, chairman, and the following members of the committee: E. P. Barnes, Mrs. C. W. Stanford, M. C. Burt, Mrs. Paul Long, and Dupree Smith.

The other committee will be in charge of holding the election on November 3rd. This committee has as chairman Clem Cheek, teacher of Veteran farmers, and the following members: Mrs. Victor Walters, Z. C. Burton, Mrs. Clyde Roberts, H. M. Carter, John Poteat, John Williams, and M. A. Wilkins.

JURY MEETS

Hillsboro — A coroner's jury was scheduled to meet last night at eight o'clock to review the autopsy made on the body of Miss Rachel Crook.

Coroner Allen Walker had the report in his possession yesterday but refused to reveal any of the contents or offer any reason for withholding the facts contained in the report.

Other sources, however, revealed that nothing of any importance to the solution of the case was revealed, nor did it contain any information affecting the case against Robert Lee, the Burlington man who has been charged by Sheriff S. T. Latta with the murder of Miss Crook.

The coroner's jury first met following the finding of the body and was adjourned pending the receipt of the autopsy.

Pre-season Rush Is On

Chapel Hill — Although this is the quietest time of the year on the University of North Carolina campus, there is much activity going on in preparation for the opening of the fall term September 15.

Painting, cleaning up buildings, moving furniture, getting the grounds in shape, and general preparation are keeping a portion of the University maintenance staff in constant attendance.

Orientation for freshmen and new students is scheduled for September 15-17, with registration for freshmen set for September 17. Upperclassmen will register on the 18th and 19th and classes will start on Thursday, September 20.

Preceding the orientation program, the YMCA will hold its annual Freshman Camp at the New Hope camp ground near Chapel Hill September 12-14. Many H-L leaders and others interested in YMCA work will participate. All incoming freshmen have been invited to attend.

Enrollment this fall is expected to be around 5200, which is somewhat lower than last fall's registration due to a large number of students going into service. The largest drop came just after Christmas last year, but no material decrease has been noted since.

Approximately 300 freshmen entered the University this summer instead of waiting until the fall term. The majority of them hoped to be entering a full quarter ahead of schedule to get as far along in their college careers as possible before entering service. The University is in the midst of one of its biggest building programs, but none of the new structures is to be ready for use by the time school opens. However, the new addition to the Library is expected to be dedicated in February.

Including in the building program which was made possible by the \$20,000,000 appropriated by the last two State Legislatures, are a four-year Medical School and Teaching Hospital, the Dental School, Nursing School, a new School of Business Administration, a new men's dormitory, and additions to the Library, Law School and chemistry building. The Medical School is expected to be completed in January, 1952.

With a faculty of around 500, the University will offer courses in more than a dozen distinct and different schools and colleges. Upwards of 1000 students will be enrolled in the Air Force ROTC and Naval ROTC units.

SEE EXPERIMENTS

Hillsboro — County Agent Don Matheson and five leading tobacco farmers of the county yesterday conferred with officials of the Oxford Experiment Station and discussed the latest findings and recommendations on tobacco diseases.

To Sell Food

The Sunday School Class taught by Mrs. R. H. Marks of the Carrboro Methodist Church will sell Brunswick stew with all the fixings and many other home cooked food items, on next Saturday afternoon, Sept. 15th beginning at five o'clock at the Carrboro Methodist Church Hut, on Main Street in Carrboro. These suppers given for the benefit of the church building fund have always proven very successful in the past. The food is always excellent. Every one is cordially invited.

Chapel Hill — The second Crusade for Freedom campaign to combat Communism will be launched in Orange County Saturday, September 15 with a dramatic demonstration of how Freedom Weapons operate to pierce the Iron Curtain.

The statewide campaign was started in Asheville last week with a kickoff dinner at which the Hon. Harold Stassen, National chairman, was the main speaker. And starting last Monday morning, a Crusade for Freedom motorcade took from Murphy to across the state to Manteo holding demonstrations to promote the drive, which in Orange County is being sponsored by the Chapel Hill Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Gran Childress, Orange County Crusade for Freedom chairman, said the motorcade will arrive in Chapel Hill Saturday morning from Burlington and will give a show on Franklin St. at the Methodist Church at 11 o'clock.

This motorcade will tell the story of the Crusade for Freedom including details of the operation of Radio Free Europe, the Winds of Freedom Balloons and other devices used in the war of truth against Communism. All school children and adults are invited to attend the show to see the release of each type scientific balloon now being used in the program.

Detailed plans for a fund drive to begin September 20 and continue to the end of the month will be announced later. Goal has been set at \$500.

The Crusade this year will seek enrollment of 25,000,000 U. S. citizens and contributions of \$3,500,000 to expand its Radio Free Europe truth broadcasts to the people behind the Iron Curtain.

Last year a total of 16,000,000 joined the Crusade for Freedom and contributions made possible the establishment of a powerful new radio station in Germany, which is doing a wonderful job of spiking Communist lies and of undermining the Red puppet regimes.

The independent Radio Free Europe broadcasts expose Communist collaborators and informers and keep hope alive for free people in Europe.

John Harden, of Greensboro, is state chairman of the drive this year.

Tourney

The first round of the Exchange Club Tennis Tournament began Monday night on the new town court. Bill Warren defeated H. Walton Moore, Jr. 6-3, 6-1; I. Birdseye took the match from Sam Hughes Jr. 6-4, 6-3; John Moulton walked away from Allen Walker Jr. 6-0, 6-1; Dr. Moore came from 3 games behind in the first set to win his match from James Richmond 6-3, 6-3; Don Walker was defeated by Dick Hensley 7-5, 3-6, 6-3; and in a hard fought battle Bill Lynch defeated Randy Brown 7-5, 7-5.

The first match of the women's singles was played under the lights Tuesday night with Nellie Ruth Lloyd defeating Jan Mitchell 6-3, 6-3.

Play will continue each night this week with the finals following on Friday and Saturday night if rain does not interfere with the present schedule.

Tonight should see some lively action as the men's doubles get under way along with some semi-final play in the singles division.

REVIVAL

West Hillsboro — The Rev. conduct a two-weeks revival at Charles Stout of Asheville will the Pilgrim Holiness Church September 16-30, the pastor, the Rev. J. F. Kernodle, announced yesterday.

An evangelist well known in this community by reason of previous appearances here, Mr. Stout has recently attended Bible schools in Cincinnati, Ohio.

TO ATTEND CONVENTION

Chapel Hill — S. H. Basnight, Chapel Hill hardware dealer, will fly to Chicago, Ill., September 16 to attend a four-day convention to be held jointly by the Architectural Hardware Consultants and the National Contract Hardware Association. He is a national director of the Architectural Hardware Consultants and a past president of the Carolinas branch.