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RALEIGH Round-up

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DEMOCRATIC PREDICAMENT

Not in many a year have Democrats of North Carolina been in such a dither. In the first place, they have no nominee for President. Within the past twenty years North Carolina has been in the middle of the Democratic rotations in Washington, our sons having filled scores of positions as assistants to Presidents, in cabinet, as ambassadors, as heads of large and small departments and as general confidants of kings and queens.

The balance of nature. The forests are no longer there to absorb the heavy rains and swollen streams. They can no longer serve as millions of tiny dams to hold back the murmuring branches and thus prevent the deluge.

Groups Combine Local Talent In "Cinderella"

Chapel Hill—The School Art Guild's production of *Cinderella* to be staged in the Elementary School Auditorium in Chapel Hill at 8 p. m. Friday, May 2 and 3:30 p. m. Saturday, May 3 will present the combined talents of the elementary and the junior high schools as well as representatives from the University and the town.

The cast is made up of 25 children from the schools, the construction of the scenery is by students in manual arts at the high school under the direction of Ray Sizemore; the author, the director, and the scene designer, Harry Davis, Anna Graham and Deborah Kline, respectfully, are from the University; and the posters are by Mrs. John Foushee and Mrs. J. D. Thayer. Tickets are 75 cents for adults and 35 cents for children on sale at Ledbetter Pickard's in Chapel Hill or from members of the Art Guild.

The author of *Cinderella*, Harry Davis, wrote it and other plays for children out of his feeling "that dramatic production is coming to be recognized as a sound educational and recreational device, and the demand for good plays, designed primarily to meet the needs of the child actor, is a very real one. Children are the real masters of imagination and whimsy, and the young actor should have something to bite into—a play worthy of his skill, a play with an intelligent pattern that he will respect and admire and strive to achieve."

Hillsboro FFA Gets Banner As Top Chapter

Hillsboro—The Hillsboro Chapter of the Future Farmers of America has been named the outstanding chapter of the Durham-Orange FFA Federation by virtue of points compiled in its various judging, speaking and other contests held during the past year.

This honor in the form of a banner was presented by an officer of the State Department of Vocational Agriculture last Friday night at the annual Parent-Son Banquet of the Hillsboro chapter held at Schley Grange attended by some 200 parents, guests and educational leaders from State College. The Rev. Charles S. Hubbard was the principal speaker.

Bob Strayhorn, chapter president, was toastmaster and Teacher E. R. Dowdy, Edward Scarlette, Mrs. Mitchell Lloyd, Richard Armfield, Ann and Buck Roberts, Mrs. W. P. Twaddell and Bennie Houser had parts in the program.

All phases of county activities and most county officials were represented in the guest list attending in tribute to the work of the FFA chapter.

CLIMAX OF FORUMS

Chapel Hill—Radio and television listeners will get an opportunity to hear all presidential candidates in an appearance before the National Convention of the League of Women Voters tonight from Cincinnati, local chapter officials reminded yesterday.



Typical of Home Demonstration activities throughout the year is this scene in which Mrs. Kathryn Hamrick, county home demonstration agent, goes over plans for a club event with club women of the various communities. Orange County HD club women join this week with their counterparts throughout the State and Nation in observing National Home Demonstration Week. The event being planned in the above picture is the Schley Banquet to be held next Wednesday night at 7 o'clock, among the invited guests being Norman Cordon, the singer, and Miss Verna Stanton, assistant State Home Demonstration Leader. From left to right above are Mrs. Leonard Wilson, Mrs. Hamrick, Mrs. R. L. Mohler, club president, and Mrs. Allen Latta. Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Latta are committee chairmen in charge of phases of the forthcoming program.

Rural Women Plan Program On Civil Defence

Chapel Hill—Orange County residents will have an opportunity to learn more of the Civil Defense program at a meeting to be held next Thursday, May 8, in Gerrard Hall at Chapel Hill. The meeting will begin at 2 o'clock.

The program is being sponsored by the Orange County Home Demonstration Clubs as part of the activities during National Home Demonstration Week.

Mrs. Sarah Boyd Weaver, Deputy Director of Public Affairs for the North Carolina Council of Civil Defense, will present the "Woman's Role in Civil Defense."



SARAH BOYD WEAVER

Mrs. Weaver will give the general structure of the Civil Defense organization and the duties women will be called upon to fulfill. Two films will be shown, "Survival Under Atomic Attack" and "Duck and Cover." The latter is a cartoon character selected by the Civil Defense Council to show school children how to protect themselves in case of emergency.

Included on the program will be the County Red Cross secretary, Mrs. Mabel Brittain, and County Civil Defense chairman, R. L. Mohler. Mohler will summarize the program as it applies to the county and local programs.

Presiding during the afternoon will be Mrs. Paul Long, Orange County Home Demonstration Council president. All interested persons and representatives of organizations are cordially invited to attend. Present for the meeting will be leaders from Durham and Chatham Counties.

PARTY MEETINGS

Democratic party organization procedure for this election year will begin to form on May 10 when precinct meetings will be held at each of the county's 15 polling places. There, precinct officials, a chairman and vice-chairman, will be elected along with delegates to the County Convention, which will follow on May 17 at the county courthouse. An outstanding Democrat will be chosen as keynote speaker for this occasion, the time for which has not yet been set. The State Convention will be held May 22.

H. D. Club Week Being Observed

Hillsboro—Some 455 Home Demonstration Club women in 16 clubs of Orange County this week are joining with club members throughout the nation, Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico in observance of National Home Demonstration Week.

The theme for this particular week is "Today's Home Builds Tomorrow's World." It was adopted for the first special observance in 1946 and since it met with nationwide approval, it has come to be accepted as the theme for all Home Demonstration work.

National Home Demonstration Week is set to focus attention on and to let you know about the program. Home Demonstration work is that part of the North Carolina Extension Service that deals with the home. Extension work is a cooperative project of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, State Colleges of Agriculture, county and local governments and local organizations.

Orange County Home Demonstration Clubs since their inauguration here 16 years ago have continued to grow in number and to influence the development of more attractive, efficient homes. Voluntary local leaders have contributed greatly in promoting good nutrition, health, sewing techniques, good reading, music, and wholesome recreation for the entire family.

Then there is the community side of Home Demonstration work. The club women have taken the logical step from better homes to better communities. They have sponsored community centers, home beautification projects, first aid courses, an outstanding music program, and have taken a leading role in the Rural Progress Program. Hardly a community in the county is now without its Home Demonstration Club.

Patsy Martin Exhibits Grand Champion Hog For Third Year

Hillsboro—Patsy Martin, Hillsboro 4-H Club member, for the third time in four years, has had her Spotted Poland China barrow declared the Grange Champion hog at the Durham Fat Stock Show.

This 200-lb. animal was bought by the Farmers' Mutual Livestock Market at 70c per lb.

Home Demonstration Club women are learning to be better citizens through cooperative projects. They are attending citizenship training schools, discussing the problems of good government and studying their responsibilities as informed and active citizens. They want to be better world citizens and their interest in building understanding and friendship has gone into many countries through letter friend and exchange programs.

Jaycees Install William Sloan President Tonight

Chapel Hill—William Sloan, local druggist and civic leader, will be installed tonight as the new president of the Chapel Hill Junior Chamber of Commerce at the meeting to be held at Carolina Inn.

Carson Bain of Greensboro, a vice-president of the State organization, will conduct the installation ceremonies.

Other officers to take office tonight include: Bud Fox, first vice-president; J. Hank Koon, second vice-president, Richmond Sloan, secretary, and Taylor Thorne, treasurer, and the following directors: Sandy McClamroch, Walter Baucom, William S. Stewart, Buster Ogburn, and Kenneth Cheek.

The new president is a charter member of the local jaycees, a former director, a UNC graduate of the class of '39 and the father of three children. He is a graduate of Hillsboro High School and the son of Chief of Police W. T. Sloan of Chapel Hill. As fourth president here, he succeeds William "Pokey" Alexander.

Pitman. Fifth place calf in the show was owned by Billy Latta. All of these calves brought an average of close to 40c per lb. The following club members had calves: Bobby Ball, James Ball, Jimmy Liner, Billy Wilkerson, Nelson Parker, Jimmy Smith, Jimmy Tillman, Oliver and Olivia Roberts, Winfred Walker, Ted and Pat Martin, Bobby Wright, Dwayne Perry, David Hall, Betty Lou Andrews, Betty Latta, Carl Pittman, Barney Pittman, Philip Pittman, Mary Smith, Bobby Carroll, Jane Bradshaw, Tommy Hogan, Eddie Williams, Donald Bowden.

Registration Starts Saturday

County Election Officials Named

THE RAINS CAME

Tobacco farmers have stopped looking skyward now and the county fire warden rests easier as result of the generous rains which have fallen during the past few days.

The several inches of rain which began falling last Friday and continued intermittently through the early part of this week ended the forest fire season and farmers are busy getting ready for planting.

Pastures will go ahead and make their Spring growth now, say the farmers, provided they get warmer weather in addition to the moisture. This they had also by yesterday when the mercury returned to the normal 70's or better. Tobacco farmers, however, are being warned to be on the lookout for more blue mold because it is under these conditions that this disease strikes hardest.

Orange Countians who want to vote in the May 31 primary and the November 4 general election will have a chance to get their names on the registration books beginning Saturday, May 3, if they are not already registered.

The registration period will close at sunset on May 17. Persons already registered on the general registration books are not required to register again.

Registrars in the county's 16 precincts will be at the polling places on Saturdays during the registration period and on other days the voters may go to the registrar's homes or business places to register. Saturday, May 24, is challenge day.

The Board of Elections has appointed a slate of registrars and two judges of elections for each precinct, including one Republican Judge and one Democratic Judge. A few places are still unfilled as result of inability of one or more appointed officials to serve. The list as announced by the Boards is as follows:

Patterson: Hollow Rock Service Station—J. R. Whitfield, L. A. Hogan.

Cole Store: Midway Station—Mrs. Mitchell Lloyd, Mrs. Janie Blackwood, Mrs. A. W. Minnis. Carrboro: Carrboro Town Hall—W. Benson Ray, L. R. Cheek. Cheek's Crossing: Pender's Store—H. R. Heath, Vernon Jones, E. L. Cheek.

Efand: Frank Pratt's Service Station—H. E. Mayes, T. M. Crutchfield, Mrs. C. W. Brown.

Rock Springs: Manly Snipes Store—Mrs. Manly Snipes, T. D. Lloyd, John F. Howard.

White Cross: Junior Order Hall—Melvin Lloyd, W. V. Copeland, J. M. Pendergrass.

University: Doc Griffin Service Station—W. R. Link, W. P. Andrews, Tom Johnson.

St. Mary's: St. Mary's School—Mrs. Wallace Bacon, D. S. Walker, Mickie Hill.

Caldwell: Caldwell School—W. O. Mincey, Clyde H. Berry, Richard Gates.

Tolars: Kennedy's Service Station—Mrs. Hattie L. Stack, Mrs. Alma Breeze.

Cedar Grove: High School—Mrs. Robert E. Hughes, Mrs. Clair McDade, Miss Aurelia Dark.

Carr: Compton's Store—E. C. Compton, R. B. Ward, Clarence Cates.

Hillsboro: High School Gym—H. G. Coleman, Jr., Garland F. Miller, Harvey Watkins, J. F. Rosemond.

Chapel Hill: North Side—Gran Childress, G. S. Baldwin, Mrs. Coy Durham, J. T. Lloyd.

Chapel Hill: South Side—Mrs. Irene Scroggs, Mrs. W. A. White, L. W. Sparrow.

Those wishing to register must meet the following qualifications: (1) They must be 21 years old or will be 21 by Nov. 4, (2) they must be able to read and write any section of the state constitution unless they were registered under the "grandfather clause" prior to Dec. 1, 1908, (3) they must have been a resident of the state for a year and of the precinct four months preceding the Nov. 4 general election. Idiots, lunatics or persons convicted of felonies whose citizenship has not been restored are not eligible.

The last legislature made only one important change in registration procedure. Formerly, voters moving from one precinct to another in the same city, town or township had to go to their old registrar and get a certificate to transfer their registration. Then they had to present the certificate at their new precinct. Now they sign the transfer certificate at their new precinct and it is sent back to their old precinct so their names can be eliminated from the registration book there. This makes it unnecessary for the voter to return to his old precinct.

BROADCAST ON COOKBOOK

Hillsboro—Mrs. Harriet Pressley, the well-known women's commentator of Station WPTF, Raleigh, will talk about the forthcoming Hillsboro Cookbook in her regular broadcast today at 2:30 o'clock.

The cookbook, which is scheduled to go on sale May 5, is the work of the women of Hillsboro Presbyterian Church and contains recipes and other data contributed by cooks of this area.

Mrs. C. D. Jones New President Of PTA Council

Chapel Hill—Mrs. Clarence D. Jones of Hillsboro was elected the new president of the Orange County P.T.A. Council here Tuesday night in the new library of the Chapel Hill High School.

Mrs. Frank McDade of Cedar Grove was installed as vice-president, and Mrs. Bruce Ray of Carrboro took office as secretary-treasurer.

Principal speaker for the occasion was Dr. Gordon Ellis, who talked on the "Parent's Role in the Guidance Program of the Schools." In an enthusiastic discussion period which followed, reports of recent progress in school safety were given by each principal and a general discussion of the problem was held. All schools of Orange County were represented except the West Hillsboro unit.

Mrs. J. E. Adams presided and Mrs. J. M. Guthrie of the Chapel Hill P.T.A. welcomed the visitors and invited them to the social period which followed the meeting. G. P. Carr introduced Dr. Ellis.

Gubernatorial Race Still One Man Show In Orange

Hillsboro—The campaign for governor at this point, one month before the Democratic primary, continues to be a one-man show in Orange County from all indications.

No activity has yet been reported from the forces supporting Hubert Olive and Orange County remains one of about 10 counties, according to an Olive spokesman yesterday, that is still unorganized.

Ross Craver, young Lexington attorney, who is a member of the Olive campaign staff, visited Hillsboro and Chapel Hill Tuesday admittedly attempting to make contacts in his candidate's behalf.

Meanwhile, Umstead's campaign staff has been named and has been functioning for some time in behalf of the Durham man. A big rally and barbecue attended by upwards of 1,600 people has been held and an active Umstead-for-Governor Club has been formed since the day he announced his candidacy.

Umstead campaign managers in Orange County include: R. O. Forrest and L. J. Phipps, co-managers, Mrs. Allen Latta and Mrs. George Shepard, assistants.

CROSS ROADS BAPTISTS OPEN REVIVAL SUNDAY

Revival services will begin at Cross Roads Baptist Church Sunday, May 4.

Rev. W. Bryant Carr, pastor of the Edgemont Baptist Church of Durham will be the guest minister. Services are planned for each evening during the week at 7:30 p.m.

Rev. Mr. Carr is returning to his home community for these services. Formerly a member of this church, Mr. Carr was ordained by the church.