

KIDD BREWER'S  
*Raleigh Roundup*

CONSTITUTION... We  
ing a lot of Newness  
here—such as the motor  
Governor's parlor, the  
ent of Administration, and  
concept," whatever that  
there may be a slight de-  
ne new State Constitution.  
e instructions to the Con-  
Commission to report to  
ernor with its recommen-  
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ance that the 1959 Leg-  
will take any action.  
difficult for any Governor  
e up with far-reaching  
during his second Legis-  
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You won't get one of  
admit it, but there is real  
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g the "undoctored" teach-  
the new Wake Forest Col-  
us, we'd rather have—at  
ur alpha mater, or Wake  
a straight AB or MA man  
ws the school and its peo-  
n one of those traveling  
from Timbuktu.  
are those at Wake Forest  
who would trade tradition,  
armth, love, and the other  
feelings that built it for  
who know nothing of its  
care little for its future.  
es, like human beings, can  
too immaculate. When  
the Soul of the School is  
nished, dead, and done. We  
to know some influential  
forest alumni—supporters of  
old Tribble, too—who are  
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More on this later.

WINE, AND WHISKEY  
is getting so that alcoholic  
es stay in the papers al-  
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leumore, Tom Allen, Wil-  
e, and no-mo-re-free-liqu-  
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Bill Johnson is out as  
e secretary of the N. C.  
ion of Beer Distributors.  
is not Bill's fault, exactly.  
words he could have stay-  
ed wanted to. But he has  
ood political connections, a  
in-law of Secretary of State  
ey—they married sisters—  
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sary for the State's out-  
insurance company.

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ative of Wilkes County and  
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le was reported in the hos-  
e days ago.  
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ication—that he was turn-  
e of bad health. Hend  
U. S. Brewster in North  
personable Ray Gallo-  
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So, the beer person-  
is unsettled; the whiskey  
ems unstable; and nothing  
d from the wine industry.  
y are having their troubles,  
a different kind. There is  
e lovable figure in public  
North Carolina than Capers  
He is one of these old men  
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knows his way around. Dif-  
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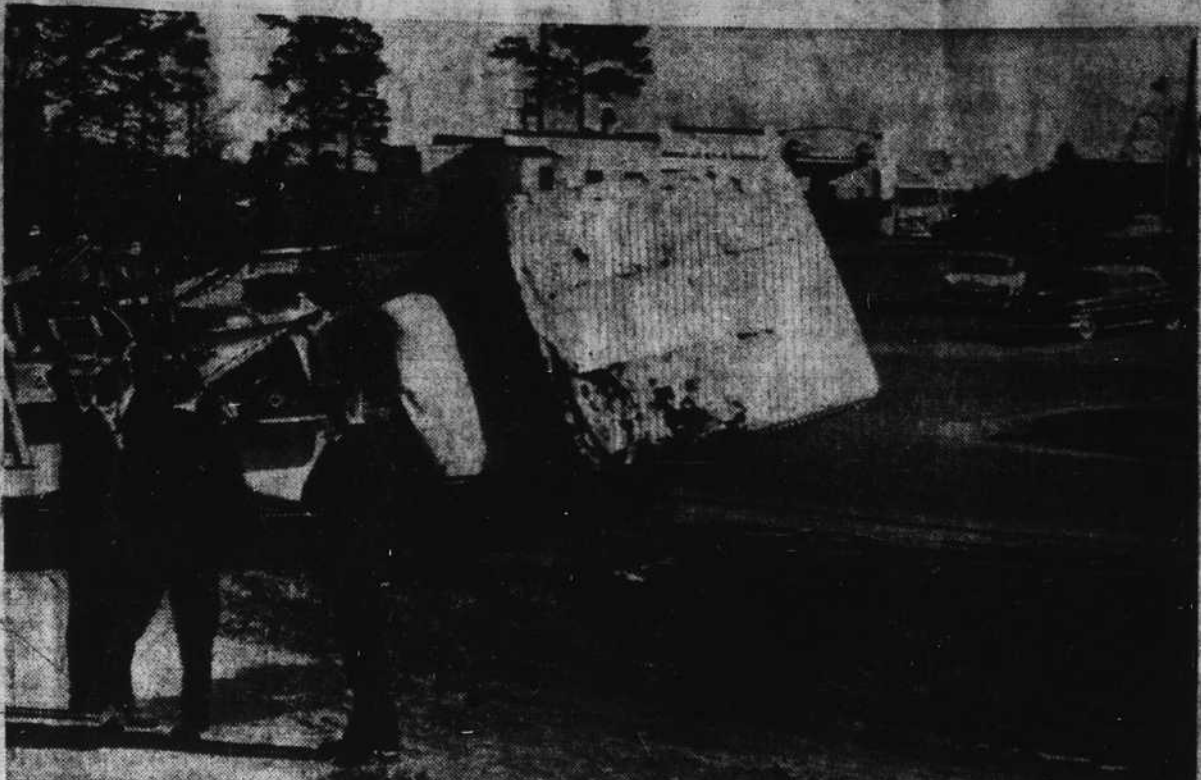
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among Assistant Ed Ran-  
re-treasurer Edwin Gill, C&D  
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# The News of Orange County

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WHERE TWO DIED—Orange County's first traffic deaths of the new year occurred Saturday at the dangerous intersection of the old Durham Road and the Durham boulevard two miles from Chapel Hill when an automobile crossing the boulevard (from spot where car in right background is stopped) drove into the path of a Chapel Hill-bound Long Meadow Farms dairy truck. Two passengers in the car, Mr. and Mrs. William Edward Parrish of Route One, Durham, were killed, and both vehicles seriously damaged. Above, a wrecker pulls the overturned milk truck upright. Photo by Gupton

## Two Residents Of County Die In Boulevard Crash

A smash-up on the Durham Boulevard early Saturday afternoon brought death to an elderly couple from the Mt. Moriah community.

Mr. and Mrs. William Edward Parrish were returning to their home just a short distance from the boulevard about 1 p.m. when the car in which they were riding was struck broadside by a Long Meadow Farms dairy truck as the auto crossed the southbound lane of the highway. Mrs. Parrish, 63, died several hours later in Watts Hospital, apparently from shock, or a possible heart attack.

**Husband Hit Full Force**  
Mr. Parrish, 67, received the full force of the collision, since he was seated on the right side of the 1937-model Packard, owned and driven by Claude Orton Prime, 46, of Carrboro. Mr. Parrish suffered a crushed chest and skull, and died about 11 p.m. Saturday.

**Highway Patrolman E. S. Robinson said there would be no charges against the dairy truck driver, August Powell Reinhardt.**

## More Museum Gifts Reported; Open Sundays

Three donors have presented gifts enabling the Orange County Historical Museum to reopen this coming Sunday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. It will continue to be open each Sunday at the same time.

Miss Robina Mickle of Winston-Salem, through the courtesy of Mrs. J. C. Webb, has donated a number of beautiful personal items. Miss Mickle is a granddaughter of Robina Norwood and Thomas Webb. They were also the grandparents of John Graham Webb of Hillsboro and of James Webb of Hillsboro and Greensboro. The Norwoods lived at Oconeechee farm, then called "Poplar Hill," at the time of the wedding in 1827 and the Webbs were married there. Among the items donated are the "second-day" dress of Mrs. Webb's trousseau, infant baptismal dresses, and a taffing cap; a chemise, a "housewife," and a coin silver spoon wrought by Lemuel Lynch of Hillsboro who was a noted silversmith both here and abroad.

Mrs. John Umstead of Chapel Hill has also contributed some attractive kitchen wares: three-legged pots, a carding comb, and a hand-forged cobbler's last.

Mrs. Sam Gattis Sr. has contributed a split-bottomed rocking chair and a hand-woven coverlet. This bedspread was woven by Alexander Gattis after he was seriously wounded in the Battle of Alamance and therefore disabled.

The Museum would like very much to have an old pine table for the kitchen, and iron for the kitchen as well as for the "company" fireplace, a colonial churn, and a colonial coffee grinder.



HUGH L. LINER

## Hugh Liner Takes Stanly Farm Post

The highway patrolman said Mr. Prime told him he stopped for a stop sign before crossing the first lane of the boulevard, but did not stop as he entered the southbound lane, and that he did not see the Chapel Hill-bound milk truck.

**First Of New Year**  
The fatalities, Orange County's first of the year, brought the new year's toll for the Chapel Hill area up to equal that of 1957 for this end of the County.

**One of the two local deaths last year occurred at the same crossing when a boy on a bicycle was struck down. The other occurred at the town limits on the Pittsboro highway hill.**

Funeral services for Mr. and Mrs. Parrish were conducted Monday at the Ephesus Baptist Church by the Rev. Kenneth Wilson. Burial was in Old Maplewood Cemetery in Durham.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. W. B. Medlin Jr. of Route One, Durham, and Mrs. Bonnie Blackwood of Carrboro; one son, James E. Parrish of the home and two grandchildren. Mr. Parrish is survived by one brother, J. F. Parrish of Richmond, Va.

## Response Heavy, 190 Sign Up For Soil Bank

Response was heavy at the local ASC office last week as farmers began signing up for benefits under the Soil Bank Acreage Reserve program on tobacco and cotton.

Donald Roberts, office manager, said a total of 190 farms have been signed up with 366.58 acres of tobacco being put in the Soil Bank out of allotments totaling 368.95 acres. Payments will amount to 381,192.06.

The majority of the farms put all their tobacco acreage in the bank. One, however, agreed to keep only part of his allotment out of production.

Signups began last week and will continue through March 7. No limit is set on the amount of land one can put in the bank, but a maximum of \$3,000 per person is provided.

The Soil Bank provides for payments ranging from \$182.16 to \$284.58 per acre to farmers who are willing to take their tobacco land out of production. Average payments on tobacco is around \$221 per acre in Orange County.

Roberts said agreements signed by farmers last week will not be approved by the county committee until the designated acres have been checked in the field.

# Super-Charged Labor Hearing Underway Before Full House

## Betty June Hayes Announces For Re-Election As Register

## Tax Listing Still Slow, Says Gattis

Orange taxpayers have been slow in listing property to date, said Tax Supervisor Sam Gattis yesterday, estimating that only about 40 percent have listed with less than eight days remaining before the January 31 deadline.

Gattis said he had no detailed breakdown of where listing has been lightest but warned that the penalty for late listing would become effective the first day of February. He issued an urgent request that citizens go to the listers at once and avoid the rush during the last few days of the month.

The penalty for late listing is 10 per cent of the taxes on personal property listed or \$1.00, whichever is more. Last year some of the County's property owners were "converted" when they had to pay as much as \$40 for late listing. Persons who have a sizeable amount of property can be penalized a considerable sum for failure to list at the proper time.

The last General Assembly passed a law making it a misdemeanor for failure to list property, and the tax supervisor is required to issue a warrant for each person who fails to list his or her taxable property. He said this would be done in late February before Justices of Peace.

## Phipps Heads First Federal As President

Judge L. J. Phipps, Chapel Hill Attorney, was elected president of the First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Durham, at the January meeting of the association.

He succeeded C. F. Williams who had served as President since the organization was formed in 1922. Mr. Williams was named President emeritus. Judge Phipps has served on the Board of Directors of this association for eight years and was re-elected to the board for a three-year term at the annual shareholders meeting.

The January statement of the association shows assets of a little more than twelve and one-half million dollars.

## BARBECUE SUPPER

A barbecue chicken supper will be held Saturday night from 5 to 8 o'clock in the Schley Grange Hall under the sponsorship of the Grange Youth Center. Tickets are: children 65c and adults \$1.25. This is a project of the Schley Youth Center and proceeds will go towards the State Grange building.

## Carrboro Agrees To Re-Study Its Doubling Of Rates For Out-Of-Town Water Customers

The doubling of out-of-town water rates in Carrboro this past year is being re-studied in Carrboro as a result of recent Supreme Court action in this field.

At their regular meeting last week the Town Board asked Attorney Jim Phipps to investigate the recent court decision which declared that the City of Asheville was out of order in charging out-of-town water customers a higher rate than municipal residents paid. In this case the out-of-town group had set up a tax district to support a bond issue for extension of the system, contingent on the levying of the



MISS BETTY JUNE HAYES

## Bad Checks On Increase, Cole Warns

Merchants were warned again to be extra careful of cashing checks for strangers, as the number of bad checks is increasing every day, Wilson Cole of the Durham Bank and Trust Co. told the Hillsboro Merchants Association last Thursday at a luncheon meeting at the Hillsboro Lunch.

A merchant has nothing to gain by cashing these checks, as the banks usually do not pay anything much. Cole stated that checks drawn in the name of the Inland Gas Co., Inc., of Durham are not good.

Phil Thomas, chairman of the financial committee, reported that the Christmas lights have been paid for.

The following committees were appointed by W. C. Brewer, president of the Association: Sale Committee: J. L. Brown Jr., Mrs. Will Smith, Mrs. N. D. Crabtree, and Nelson Arrington, Funeral closings: Marshall Cates Jr., R. J. Smith Sr. and Alan Lloyd.

## Savings & Loan Reports 'Good Year' To Owners

The Hillsboro Savings & Loan Association, now in its 45th year, continued its record of substantial growth during the past year, but not at the pace of the three prior years.

That was the gist of the annual report to stockholders of the local association made by Executive Vice President Ira A. Ward at its annual meeting Tuesday night.

He attributed the slow-down generally to the effects of the tight money situation, but declared, "We have had a good year in 1957." Assets of the association were increased approximately \$100,000 during the year as compared to over \$500,000 increase the previous year.

Assets reported at the end of

Miss Betty June Hayes, first Orange County woman to win a major elective office at the polls, yesterday announced for her second term as Register of Deeds.

Said Miss Hayes:

"It has been a privilege and a pleasure to serve the people of Orange County as your Register of Deeds during the past three years. My first campaign was based on the platform of experience, and again on this basis I am announcing my candidacy for a second term. I now feel that with this additional experience, I am still better qualified to serve the people of this county as Register of Deeds."

Miss Hayes, who was swept into office with a large vote plurality in her first venture into politics, has been active in civic and political affairs here and on a state-wide level. She has held several offices in the Orange County Young Democratic organization, served as middle district vice president for the State YDC in 1956 and just recently was inducted into office for her second term as National Committee-woman for the State Young Democratic Clubs. She served as program chairman for the Register of Deeds Association in 1955 and 1957-58. She was second vice president of the Register of Deeds Association for 1957-58.

She has served several terms on the Board of Directors of the Durham-Orange Heart Association, helped with the Red Cross drive, Boy Scout drive and the Cancer Drive. She is an active member of the Hillsboro Business and Professional Women's Club and the First Baptist Church.

## SEEK ACCREDITATION

Efforts are being made to secure an accredited rating for the Cedar Grove Elementary School from the State Department of Public Instruction, inasmuch as the school is now believed to have met all of the required standards.

## Legal Battle, Hot Testimony Feature Day

Charges, counter charges and legal maneuvers by a battery of lawyers representing three different parties occupied the spotlight at the county court house this week as a super-charged National Labor Relations Board hearing on union charges against Reverie Lingerie, Inc. got underway Tuesday.

By late yesterday the Union side was still having "its day" with prospects that the hearing being conducted by the NLRB trial examiner, Louis Libbin of Washington, D. C. would continue at least through today and possibly longer.

This week's hearing resulted from an NLRB complaint handed down in December at the instigation of the International Ladies Garment Workers Union charging the strike-bound company, which last September was burned out in a mysterious fire and explosion, with refusing to bargain in good faith and with intimidation of union members.

Prosecuting for the government is the NLRB general counsel for the case, Gerald Sindler of the Winston-Salem regional office. Representing the union interest and prompting the general counsel is Union Attorney Robert Cohn from Atlanta. Attorneys James Latham and T.-D. Cooper Jr. are representing the Reverie company.

The small grand jury room on the second floor of the courthouse has been filled to overflowing by former employees of the firm, both strikers and non-union sympathizers.

While most of the drama of the case is in the legal battle being waged, most sensational testimony of the first day's session came when Union witnesses, over strenuous objections of the company attorneys, succeeded in getting in the record statements that a Reverie official proposed the use of "the influence" of racketeer Johnny Dio and highly publicized Jimmy Hoffa to reopen the strike-bound plant. This information came during testimony by Morton Shapiro, Greensboro, ILGWU business agent, and Elmer T. Kehrer of Atlanta, Ga., Southeastern regional director of the union.

Others testifying as part of the government's case attempting to prove the unfair labor charges were former plant manager Fred Weiss Jr. and the following striking employees: Mrs. Peggy Albert, Mrs. Evelyn Hicks, Mrs. Marian Jean Wrenn, Mrs. Katie Hawkins and Mrs. Virginia Weingard, all of Hillsboro.

## Mrs. Matheson To Head Library To Cotton Phase

Mrs. Donald S. Matheson has been appointed Orange County Chairman of the National Library Week Committee. The appointment was made by Mrs. Grace Taylor Rodenbough, State Chairman.

Members of the Orange County Committee will be announced by Mrs. Matheson.

National Library Week will be celebrated March 16-22, 1958.

Its purpose is to encourage the people of the United States to do more reading. "Wake Up and Read" is the theme for the first year. Marchette Chute, biographer and member of the National Committee wrote, "We cannot afford a country of lazy minds and the boredom that comes from knowing little and caring less. We cannot afford a nation of non-readers." The sponsors of the nation-wide effort to encourage reading are the National Book Committee, Inc. and the American Library Association.

A Gallup poll of 1955 revealed (See LIBRARY, Page 8)