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CAPITAL REPORTER
Scott Summers

Much to the surprise of many people, the governor's suggestion that the state take over operation and maintenance of city streets has won the acclaim of many rural folks. Lots of the "branch-head" boys have written the governor saying they favor the proposal. And the idea has gained support of lots of city leaders, too. Oil lobbyists in North Carolina already are scowling over the prospect of an added gasoline tax and are packing their carpet bags with greenbacks preparatory for a trip to Raleigh.

It is interesting to note that slightly less than one-fifth of the secondary roads to be constructed under the \$200,000,000 program already has been built. And this despite the fact that in the past three months North Carolina built more roads than at any like period in the history of the state. There's still a fair-sized amount to go around getting folks out of the mud. Some \$170,000,000 to be exact.

After the J. B. Moore fiasco, the administration realized that it had to have quite a man as prison director. He had to command the respect of prison department employees, administration backers, and opponents. Like Caesar's wife, he had to be above reproach.

So they went all out in their hunt. And in Police Chief John Gold of Winston-Salem they think they found their man.

Acting Director H. H. Honeycutt had a lot of backers for the post, but his age (78) kept him from being named. Honeycutt will remain with the department, however, and in a high position. Incidentally, he has pledged his support to the new director. That pledge was made to "whomsoever was named" and was given prior to the highway commission's selection of Gold.

Honeycutt, in all likelihood, will be second in command. His 47 years of experience in prison work can be very useful.

The Gold appointment also seems to be the answer to the feud between Ex-director J. B. Moore and Central Prison's Warden Joe Crawford. Crawford was one of the first to pledge his active support and cooperation to the new director.

Little known fact: Prisons Supervisor J. G. Sawyer (asked to resign) and Maintenance Foreman A. W. Lov-

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longer will not get any important committee appointments.

One concrete result of the visit to Washington by Governor Scott and members of his staff: Two days after their return, Highway Commission Chairman Henry Jordan was approached by a man who offered delivery of a boatload of cement to a North Carolina port to be used as a stockpile in the event the cement supply becomes more critical.

Purchase will be made in a move to protect the roadbuilding program against a complete shutoff of cement supplies from other sources. It also will assure completion of State buildings already construction.

If Washington rumors—that Senator Graham may soon resign to take a special assignment—are true, Gov. Scott again will be squarely on the spot.

Supporters of Willis Smith already are clamoring for the Raleigh man to be named to serve out Senator Graham's term so that he may gain the personal seniority which would assure him of better committee assignments. These appointments, as you know, are based on length of service.

The additional few months would put Smith ahead of Senators elected this year for full and regular terms.

On the other hand, the governor faces pressure from other large groups—still bitter over the type of campaign which brought about the Democratic party's nomination for Smith—who want the governor to appoint anyone but Smith if Graham should resign.

BIRTHDAY SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Erwin entertained their son, Bill, last Friday evening at a dinner party. The table was beautifully decorated with a white cake, topped with 19 lighted candles. Everybody gathered around the table before being seated and sang "Happy Birthday" to Bill.

Those present for supper were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Erwin and Jimmie Ward of Hookerton, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Erwin, Mrs. S. W. Erwin, Mrs. J. D. Jones and Miss Bette Johnson.

Bill received many useful gifts.

NOTICE TO CITIZENS AND RESIDENTS OF THE TOWN OF FARMVILLE AND TO THE CITIZENS & RESIDENTS LIVING JUST NORTH OF FARMVILLE ON FOUNTAIN HIGHWAY AND N. MAIN STREET

Under and pursuant to the power and authority granted in Article 36, Sub-chapter 6 of Chapter 160 of the North Carolina General Statutes, and pursuant to a resolution unanimously adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Farmville in regular session held on Tuesday, August 1, 1950, notice is hereby given to the citizens and residents of the Town of Farmville and to the citizens and residents living just north of the Farmville, N. C., city limits and especially to those living on the Fountain highway and North Main Street

and more specifically living in the territory hereinafter described, that the Board of Commissioners at their regular meeting to be held on Tuesday, September 5th, 1950 at 8 o'clock, P. M. in the court room of the Town Hall in Farmville, N. C., will consider the annexation of the territory hereinafter described to the corporate territory of the Town of Farmville and intend to adopt an ordinance extending its corporate limits by annexing thereto all of the land and buildings thereon described as follows:

BEGINNING at a stake on the east side of Main Street, opposite the present city limit sign on the west side of Main Street and along the present city limit line in a northwesterly direction to Horne Avenue; thence along Horne Avenue and being the present city limit line to the Fountain Highway and continuing along the same course as the Horne Avenue extended and along the present city limit line to the edge of the East Carolina Railroad right of way on the east side thereof; thence along the East Carolina Railroad right of way on the east side of the said railroad in a northerly direction to a stake; thence N 64-45 E crossing U. S. Highway No. 258, 465 feet to a stake; thence S 23-15 E 1535 feet; thence S 6-45 W 230 feet to Horton Street, extended; thence S 45-30 East 200 feet to U. S. Highway No. 258 right of way; thence along the U. S. Highway No. 258 right of way in an easterly direction 40.5 feet; thence along Horton Street extended N 45-30 E 172 feet; thence S 74-15 E 150 feet; thence S 64-20 East 108 feet; thence N 22-45 East 50 feet; thence S 63 East 417 feet; thence S 56-30 East 74 feet; thence S 44 East 491 feet; thence S 64-30 East 1875 feet to the east side of Main Street, to a point on the present city limit line; thence along the east side of Main Street along the present city limit line 215 feet to the point of beginning, according to a map made by Jack McDavid, C. E., in July, 1950, and being proposed Extension A of

the proposed property proposed for annexation to the territory of the Town of Farmville, N. C.

That no part of said tract of land is embraced within the Corporate limits of any other municipality.

Original or copies of the map and resolution relating hereto may be seen at the office of the Town Clerk upon request.

An election may be demanded on the question of annexation, upon petition by 15% of the qualified voters in either the town or the territory proposed to be annexed.

This the 2nd day of August, 1950.

WALTER B. JONES,
Mayor of the Town of Farmville.

C. M. PAYLOR,
Clerk of the Town of Farmville.

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Miss Robert Joyner was hostess to the Grayson circle and presented the devotional. Miss Mamie Davis led the program.

A joint meeting of the two circles will be held in September with Mrs. T. I. mas Rollins and Mrs. Robert Fields as hostesses.

NOTICE TO CITIZENS & RESIDENTS OF THE TOWN OF FARMVILLE AND TO THE CITIZENS & RESIDENTS LIVING JUST EAST OF FARMVILLE IN THE DAVIS SUBDIVISION:

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BEGINNING at the southeastern intersection of Pine and Pitt Streets on the present city limit line and runs thence along the east side of Pitt Street extended to the eastern side of the right of way on the south side of the Norfolk Southern Railroad and runs thence along said railroad right of way in a southeasterly direction 680 feet; thence N 41-30 E 1635 feet to Grimmsburg Street extended; thence along Grimmsburg Street N 54 West 390 feet to the present city limit line; thence in a southeasterly course along the present city limit line, crossing Wilson Street on to Church Street and thence along Church Street in a northwesterly direction to Pitt Street; thence along Pitt Street in a southeasterly direction to the point of beginning, according to a map made by Jack McDavid in July, 1950, and known as Section B of the Plots purposed for annexation to the Town of Farmville, North Carolina.

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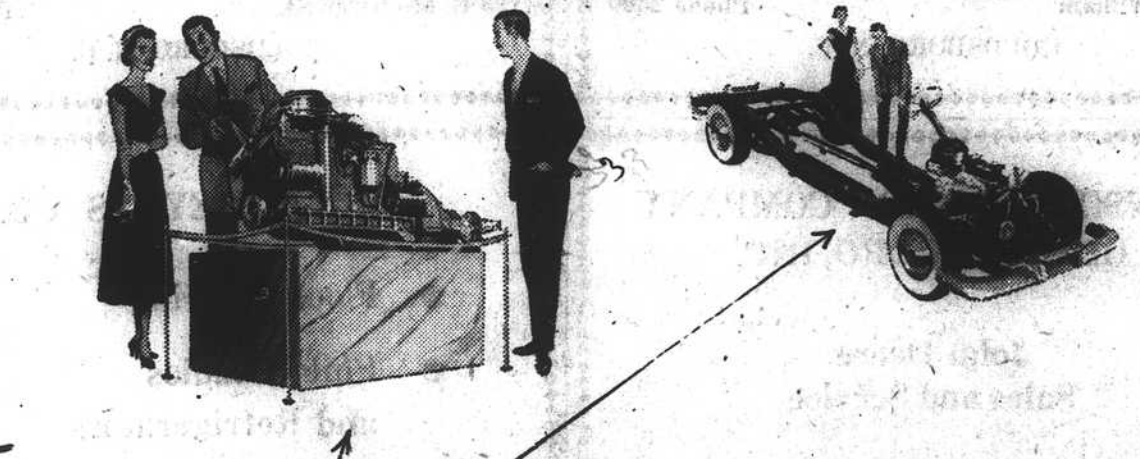
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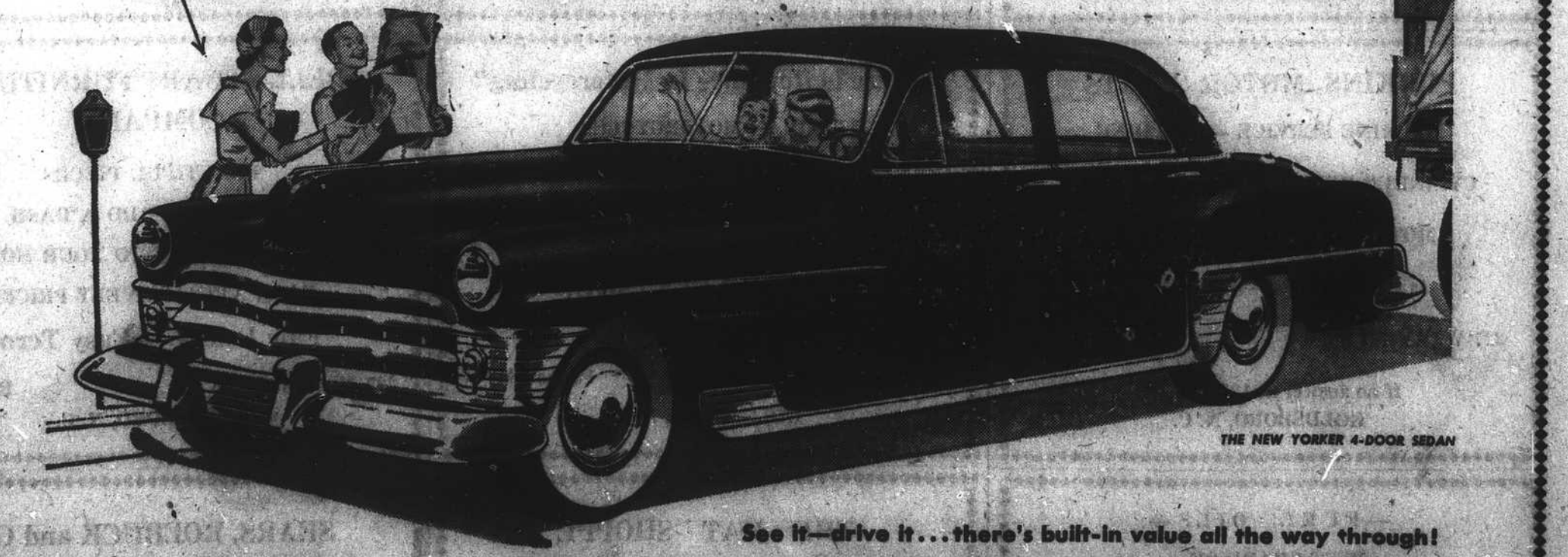
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