

Attend National Democratic Meeting

Local Delegate Favors Senator Russell as the Nominee

J. Emmett Winslow, former State Senator, will leave here Saturday morning for Chicago, where he will attend the national Democratic Convention as a delegate from the First Congressional District.

The convention which will select the Democratic nominees for the Presidency and Vice Presidency will convene next Monday in the huge amphitheater in Chicago.

Selected as a delegate for the First District at the State Convention last May, Mr. Winslow stated Wednesday he is a backer of Senator Richard Russell of Georgia, and will vote for Mr. Russell's nomination to lead the Democratic ticket in 1952. He added he has no second choice for the nomination and is hopeful Senator Russell will win the nomination.

John Clark is the other delegate representing the First District at Chicago and alternates for Mrs. Winslow and Mr. Clark are Lloyd Griffin of Edenton and Leroy Martin of Williamston.

The North Carolina delegation to the convention will have a total of 32 votes, and it is believed most of the delegates favor Russell. Senator Clyde H. Hoey has been pointed out as likely chairman for the State's delegation.

THIS WEEK'S HEADLINES

Democrats are moving into Chicago in preparation for the opening of the national convention next Monday. Frank McKinney, chairman of the party's executive committee, reports plans for short, orderly sessions unlike those the GOP observed last year. The Republicans nominated General Eisenhower as the GOP presidential candidate. It is reported some 12 to 15 names will be placed in nomination for the Democratic honor, but as it now is it appears to be a race between Russell, Kefauver and Stevenson, with Stevenson being a reluctant candidate.

Efforts to work out a settlement in the 46-day-old steel strike continue to fail as both sides hold fast to their views. The strike has affected thousands of workers in allied occupations, resulting in lay-offs in many industries producing such items as cars, electrical appliances, etc. Union officials have come to agreement with some smaller steel manufacturers but the dispute between the big industry continues.

The United States, on Tuesday, ordered Russia to cease publishing a magazine at its embassy in Washington for distribution throughout the United States. The action was taken, a report said, because of Communist curtailment of a magazine published by the U. S. in Moscow. Russia has obstructed the circulation of the American pamphlet inside Russia for the past three years.

The OPS on Monday lifted the ceiling prices on 90 per cent of all processed fruits and vegetables. OPA Director Ellis Arnall said the action will mean higher prices for a number of items.

Farm Agents Planning Summer Tour Again

Farm Agents of Perquimans, Currituck and Dare counties are planning a tour for farmers again this summer similar to the one taken last August. It was announced today by I. C. Yagel, local Farm Agent.

The tour this summer will be through Western North Carolina and will include a stop at Coles Seed Farms at Hartsville, S. C.

Mr. Yagel announced the trip will be made by chartered bus, starting August 4 and returning August 9th. Tentative hotel reservations have been made and anyone interested in making the trip should contact the county agent's office before Monday, July 28th.

Local Firm Opens Store in E. City

The Harrell, Galt & Galt Company is announcing the opening of a new store in Elizabeth City. The company, which has been in operation in Hertford since 1910, is moving to the new store in Elizabeth City.

FRONT LINE ACTION—Here is a photograph of a typical scene during the fighting on Korean terrain. (Department of Defense photo.)

Nine Cases Listed On Court Docket Tues.

Nine cases were listed on the docket of Perquimans Recorder's Court at the session conducted here Tuesday morning.

Costs of court were assessed against James Readon, George Braun, Braister Denning and Richard Bylandt, each of whom entered pleas of guilty to charges of speeding.

Thurmon Harper, Negro, was ordered to pay a fine of \$50 and costs after entering a plea of guilty to a charge of speeding. Harper was charged with speeding 85 miles per hour.

Dewey Pearson submitted to a charge of driving an overloaded truck and paid the costs of court.

A fine of \$25 and costs were taxed against Harrison Robinson, Negro, who entered a plea of guilty to a charge of driving without a license.

Minnie Eason, Negro, entered a plea of guilty to a charge of assault with a deadly weapon and paid a fine of \$15 and costs of court.

Court costs were taxed against Jessie Skinner, Negro, prosecuting witnesses in the case in which Clinton Skinner, Negro, was charged with assault with a deadly weapon.

Veterans Benefit By New Law In Effect

Almost 120,000 blind, crippled and tuberculous veterans of all wars and peacetime service will receive increased payments in their compensation checks due September 1, 1952, under Public Law 427 signed by the President June 30. Veterans Administration has announced.

VA said the increases are automatic for those veterans who are receiving compensation checks for the disabilities specified by the new law. However, veterans who are not on the compensation rolls and are covered by the new law should apply at their nearest VA regional office.

The new law goes into effect on August 1, and the increase will be reflected in the checks usually received by the veterans on September 1.

Veterans who will receive the increased checks are those who have been awarded statutory allowances for the loss, or loss of use, of either or both hands or feet, for blindness and for total deafness (in combination with total blindness).

Veterans who are receiving a minimum monthly rate of compensation for arrested tuberculosis will also receive increased checks.

Statutory allowances are paid in addition to the basic compensation rates which are based on the degree of disability and range from \$15.75 to \$112.50.

The new bill authorizes for the first time for World War II veterans and veterans with service since the beginning of the Korean conflict a minimum monthly rate for arrested tuberculosis and a statutory allowance for the loss, or loss of use, of a creative organ. Up to now these benefits have been available under existing law to certain World War I veterans only.

County Youth Seeks State 4-H Office

A Perquimans County 4-H Club leader will seek the office of president of the State 4-H Clubs at the convention to be held in Raleigh beginning next Monday, it was learned here today.

The county youth who aspires to the state office is Clarence Chappell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chappell of Hertford.

Clarence has been a top leader in 4-H work in this county for several years and was, many high honors, especially in connection with his work projects. He has won many honors and prizes at various state shows, in the eastern part of North Carolina.

BPW Club Members Hold Business Meet

The Perquimans Business and Professional Women's Club met with Mrs. Doris T. Riddick at her home on Dobb Street Friday night, July 11, for its regular monthly business meeting. The entire lower floor was made attractive with vases of summer blossoms.

Mrs. Grace Costen presided in the absence of the president and Mrs. Alice M. Towe read the minutes. Reports were given by Mrs. Emily T. Herrell, treasurer, and Mrs. Nettie Lee Caravello, membership chairman. Miss Hulda Wood reported the purchase of two hospital beds, which will be ready to loan as soon as mattresses and mattress covers are bought.

The club will have on sale china plates as soon as they are made up with interesting scenes of Hertford on the front and historical facts printed on the back, such as "The Town of Hertford was chartered in 1758." These plates, as well as the hangers and easels, may be bought from any club member.

A talent show was discussed and suggestions made to cooperate with the Home Demonstration Clubs to work out a show to be presented in October.

An unique silver seated tea will be held in the home of Mrs. Sallie M. Lane as soon as plans can be completed. The prizes will be given as follows: To the person wearing the most unusual handmade hat, and to the person wearing the oldest (antique) hat.

After the meeting adjourned, Mrs. Riddick served homemade cake, ice cream and nuts during the social hour.

Towns Seek Relief From Power Failure

Seeking to avoid the possibility of an extended power blackout, such as was experienced here two weeks ago, the Hertford Town Board, at its meeting Monday night adopted a resolution petitioning the Virginia Electric & Power Company to take steps to prevent a recurrence of the power failure.

The resolution requests the power company to arrange a cut-in to their power lines south of the Albemarle Sound which will provide power to customers north of the Sound in event of a power failure in this area.

The resolution was drawn and presented by the Town of Edenton which requested the Town of Hertford and Elizabeth City to join, along with other customers, in petitioning the Virginia Electric & Power Company for relief in event a storm or some other incident occurs which will interrupt power supply to counties in the Albemarle.

Final Warning Given By Rabies Inspector

G. C. Buck, County Rabies Inspector, today issued a final warning to dog owners who have not complied with the law and had dogs vaccinated this season.

The rabies inspector reported the deadline has passed when all dogs in the county should have been vaccinated and advised the owners if they contact him and make arrangements for vaccination of dogs the owners may save themselves possible court action.

Dealer Announced New Tractor Line

Two new heavy-duty John Deere tractors will be announced Saturday, July 18, by J. C. Blanchard & Company, local dealers.

According to L. C. Winslow, manager of the firm, these new tractors feature a host of engineering advancements and major improvements which make them the greatest values ever offered by John Deere. One of the new models will be on display at the Blanchard showroom Saturday, and the public is invited to stop in and see this new tractor.

Bloodmobile Visit Scheduled Here Friday, July 25th

Chairman Urges Public Cooperation In Red Cross Program

Arrangements are now being completed by the Perquimans County Red Cross blood program committee for the next visit of the Red Cross bloodmobile, which will come to Hertford on Friday, July 25.

Announcement was made today that Mrs. W. C. Cherry is serving as chairman of the committee sponsoring the blood program. She will be assisted by the same committee members who served the program when the bloodmobile visited Hertford last March.

The committee is now endeavoring to enlist the assistance of blood donors, who will give one pint of blood to the Red Cross. The county quota has been set at 150 pints of blood. Solicitors assisting Mrs. Cherry have pledge cards, which donors are asked to sign in making an appointment to give blood to the Red Cross.

As reported on previous trips of the bloodmobile to this community, a large part of the blood collected here by the Red Cross is made available to the Armed Forces, for use in saving lives on the battlefields in Korea. The remainder of the blood donated is made available to hospitals in this area, to provide free transfusions to patients needing blood.

The public is urged to cooperate with the Red Cross and aid the county to meet its blood quota. In the event an individual is not contacted for an appointment with the bloodmobile, he or she may volunteer by going to the bloodmobile headquarters at the Methodist Church between the hours of 9 A. M., and 4 P. M., on July 25.

Miss Faye Butt Weds George C. Eure, Jr.

The marriage of Miss Faye Butt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Butt of New Hope, to George Curtis Eure, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George Curtis Eure, Sr., of Route 3, Hertford, took place Sunday afternoon, June 29, at 2 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage at Winfall.

The Rev. H. M. Jamieson, pastor of the Perquimans charge, performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a two-piece turquoise dress with pink linen accessories and a corsage of pink roses showered with baby breath.

The couple were attended by Mrs. Ralph D. Harrell, cousin of the bridegroom, and Ronald Butt, brother of the bride.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for a wedding trip to unannounced points. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Eure will make their home in Elizabeth City.

The bride attended Perquimans High School. The bridegroom is a graduate of Perquimans High School and is an employee at the U. S. Coast Guard Air Station at Weeksville.

Licenses Granted To Solicit Funds

During the month of June licenses were granted by the State Board of Public Welfare to four organizations to conduct fund-raising campaigns through public solicitations for the support of their programs it is announced by Dr. Ellen Wineton, Commissioner.

Three of these organizations were re-licensed under provisions of the State Solicitation Law. These are the Children's Home Society of North Carolina at Greensboro and the Boys' Clubs of America and the National Probation and Parole Association, both of which maintain headquarters in New York City.

The Stokes County Hospital Fund at Danbury, North Carolina received a license to solicit for the first time.

The total amount which these four organizations will seek from the public at large in North Carolina is \$220,082.00.

It was also announced that during the month of June the Boys' Athletic League and the Save the Children Federation of New York City, Father Flanagan's Boys' Home at Boys Town, Nebraska, the Gold Star Wives Foundation at Chicago, Illinois and the National Elks' Day Foundation of Hollywood, California, solicited citizens of this state. The State Board of Public Welfare is pointing out that such solicitations are in violation of the North Carolina Solicitation Law since these five organizations are not licensed in accordance with the state statute.

Hertford Board Voices Determination To Crack Down On Speeders Within Town

New Town Building Nearing Completion

Hertford's new municipal building is rapidly nearing completion, according to reports made to the Town Board last Monday night. Workmen are now finishing up the interior of the building and estimates indicate the building will be ready for occupancy early next month.

The interior of the building is being finished off with cypress paneling and contains three spacious rooms for the use of the Town Clerk, Police Department and Town Board.

Total costs of the construction of the building to date was given as approximately \$15,000, and Mayor V. N. Darden told the Board members he believed the final cost of the building will be less than originally estimated.

Child Needs Health Certificate Upon Entering School

The District Health Department advises that North Carolina law requires that every child entering school must have been immunized against diphtheria and whooping cough and successfully vaccinated against smallpox.

"If this work was performed by a private physician," says Dr. B. B. McGuire, health officer, "be sure to bring a certificate signed by the doctor, no matter where (or in what State) the work was done. If it was performed at one of the district health offices, please ask the secretary to give you the certificate to present to the teacher when school opens. We have a record of these immunizations if it was given in the local health offices.

"If your children have not had the protective measures mentioned above, be sure to go to your doctor at once. If you cannot pay your doctor, come to your health office, where it will be done free, according to State law."

The immunization clinics at Elizabeth City Health Center are 4 to 5 o'clock Monday through Friday; in Camden, Fridays from 1 to 4 o'clock; in Hertford, 1 to 5 o'clock Thursdays; in Edenton, 3 to 5 o'clock Tuesdays and 1 to 5 o'clock Fridays.

Farm Accidents Take Huge Toll Annually

Farm work accident for the past year reached a staggering total both in persons involved and in financial loss. Figures compiled by the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Economics show that 4,000 persons were involved in fatal farm work accidents.

This is pointed out by I. C. Yagel, county farm agent for State College Extension Service, in connection with observance of National Farm Safety Week, July 20-26.

Permanently disabled totaled 250; loss of arm or leg, 11,400; loss of finger or toe, 30,900; and temporary disability affected 378,000. Farm accidents affected a total of \$424,560 persons.

Accidents affecting farmers are expected to cost about one billion dollars this year—including fire and motor vehicle and property damages. For example, four farm buildings will burn every hour of every day, according to the National Protection Association, and every 24 seconds a disabling injury will strike some unlucky farm person.

About 15,000 farm residents die and about 1,300,000 are injured in rural accidents each year. The farm motor vehicle accident rate strikes down about 6,000 persons and leaves 320,000 to suffer injuries from operating motor vehicles each year.

Red Cross Group Maps Disaster Plans

A meeting of the Disaster Committee of the Perquimans Chapter of the American Red Cross was held here Wednesday morning, at which time Mr. Walters, field representative for the national organization, met with Mayor V. N. Darden, C. C. Banks, the Rev. A. L. Chaplin, Mrs. W. C. Cherry and John T. Biggers for the purpose of discussing plans of the local committee in event disaster strikes this community.

Mr. Walters pointed out this is the time of year storms usually strike this area, and he urged the local committee to be prepared to cope with any eventualities which might arise.

MASONS MEET TUESDAY NIGHT
Perquimans Lodge, No. 106, A. F. & A. M., will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

Police Ordered to Cite Violators to Court; Tax Rate Is Set

Voicing a determination to crack down on speeding within the limits of the Town of Hertford, members of the Town Board meeting here last Monday night expressed themselves as being dissatisfied with efforts expended during recent weeks to bring a halt to traffic menace within the town.

Commissioners Robert L. Hollowell and Ray White stated they had received complaints from local residents concerning speeding within the town and the entire Board took part in the discussion to draft action which will bring a stop to the practice of motorists speeding through the town.

The police department came in for some criticism for lack of action for failing to make more arrests than have been made.

Immediately following the meeting of the Board Mayor V. N. Darden met with members of the police department and orders were given that each police officer was to cite to court any motorist who in the opinion of the officer was guilty of violating the speed laws.

Mayor Darden also indicated that some changes will be made during the coming weeks, and these changes will be made as part of a plan to bring about a curtailment of violation of the speed laws.

The Board tabled action upon a suggested motion that the Town install traffic laws at the corner of Church and Dobb Streets and Dobb and Edenton Road Street and the removal of the signal at Dobb and Hyde Park Streets.

A tentative tax rate for the Town of Hertford for the current fiscal year was adopted at \$1.35 per hundred dollar valuation, subject to approval by the auditor. This rate is the same as levied during the past year.

The Board was advised the local Firemen's Association had named B. C. Berry and F. T. Britt as delegates to the State Firemen's Convention to be held next month in Greensboro.

Mrs. Nonnie Nowell Passes At Norfolk

Mrs. Nonnie Simpson Nowell, 79, died at the home of her grandson, O. W. Britton, in Norfolk Monday night at 11:05 o'clock after a lingering illness.

She was a native and lifelong resident of Perquimans County, the daughter of the late George and Elizabeth McReynold Simpson and the widow of the late Walter W. Nowell. She was a member of the Winfall Methodist Church and of the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. C. O. Fowler, Mrs. Edwin Holmes of Norfolk, Va., Mrs. William Powell of Hattboro, Pa., and Mrs. Johnnie Lee of Winfall; one son, L. J. Morgan of Hattboro, Pa., four stepchildren, George W. and J. W. Nowell of Winfall, A. B. Nowell of Savannah, Ga., and Mrs. E. A. Twine of Berkley, Va.

The body was removed to the Lynch Funeral Home in Hertford pending funeral arrangements.

Winners Announced In Local Boat Races

Winners in the series of outboard motor races held last Sunday at Hertford Beach were released Monday by Jake Mathews, owner of the beach, as follows:

A Hydro Class: Bert Munden, Jimmy Dunn, Ned Carlson; B Hydro Class: Bert Munden, William Cooper, Otis Smith; AU Runabout: H. L. Nixon, Robert Mitchell, Robert Cooper; BU Runabout: George Freedy, B. L. Boush, Bill Williams; CU Runabout: Carl Dowe, P. E. Seeley, Pete Rountree; Free for all: Bert Munden.

Mr. Mathews said the next series of races will be held at the beach on July 27, at which time the sponsors are expecting between 50 and 60 boats, some from as far away as New York.

Ruritans Retain Top Spot In Softball Play

Softball fans were treated to a twin bill here this week when the Ruritans tangled with the Lions and the Jaycees played the VFW. The Ruritans Club continued to lead the league with a total of six wins to one loss. In Monday night's games the Ruritans defeated the Lions, while the Jaycees won over the VFW outfit.

Standing in the league is as follows:

Team	W	L
Ruritans	6	1
VFW	4	2
Jaycees	2	3
Lions	0	6