

# The Old Eye Opener

BY BILL BOWSER

FAYETTEVILLE—Precinct chairmen and vice-chairmen met as prescribed by law this week to select three persons to recommend to the State Board of Elections. They were emotionally touched by the thought of retiring Mr. Edgerton, the present chairman of the Cumberland County Board of Elections. They feel that it would be unfair to relieve him of his duties now that it is a paying job. But, what about the poor Negroes in Judson and other precincts that Mr. Edgerton kept from voting. Hundreds, yes, hundreds of Negroes who thought they were registered, because they went through the process of registering, were turned down by Mr. Edgerton when Richardson Preyer ran. I tried with all my might to get something done. The powers that be said, "Wait until time to change him." I waited, and today I got my answer. We tried to get Mr. Edgerton to appoint Negro deputy registrars, but he refused, even though the other two members agreed.

Mr. Edgerton set up booths in Eutow Shopping Center, and in Highland Shopping Center but none in Negro areas. Mr. Edgerton let almost a hundred Negroes in line at the Cumberland County Courthouse at 12 noon on the day the books closed, people who were already in line at 12 o'clock and at 3 o'clock opened both at Highland and Eutow Shopping Centers. Forty-three percent of the population of Fayetteville is Negro according to a recent survey. Yet there were only four Negroes among the precinct chairmen and vice-chairmen who voted for Mr. Edgerton. There is not a single Negro on the board of the Cumberland County Democratic Party. No Negro in Cumberland County has a job in the high salaried jobs.

The Democratic Party decided not to split its ranks at the last minute Mr. Bramble bowed out. They completely ignored 40 percent of the voting population, and they think they have unity. What can we do? Get petitions signed with thousands of voters names, sign complaints and send them to Washington, call in CORE, the NAACP, legal defense and civil rights investigators, and vote if necessary for Republican candidates and Hoke County candidates. If you want to join the fight, call 483-2569 or 483-8677.

The Attorney General has ruled that the voters of Cumberland County will be allowed to single shot in the judge's race, the state Senate race, and the state House of Representatives race. This means that it is no longer mandatory that you have to vote for as many persons as there are offices to be filled.

In the judge's race, you may vote for one, two, three, or four, but you must not vote for more than four. In the state House of Representatives race, you may vote for one, two, three, or four, but you must not vote for more than four. In the state Senate race, you vote for one. Single shooting is the act of voting for one person in the race and leaving the others blank. It is the only way Negroes can elect a candidate as long as the whites vote for white candidates only. This means Negroes will not have to vote for unwanted candidates this election.

## Lewis Chapel Elementary School

FIRST SEMESTER HONOR ROLL 1965-1966

- 1st Grade "B": Boney, Elton, Carter, Rockney, Clark, Juanita, Lockamy, Michael, McBride, Gwendolyn, and Wilson, Stenice.
- 2nd Grade "A": Durden, Theodore, and Foster, Joyce.
- 2nd Grade "B": Black, Tracey E., Clark, Sheila, Coleman, James, Lockamy, Berry Ann, McCain, Lisa A., McPhaul, James Oscar, Phuris, Marela, Sims, Cynthia, and Woods, Nigel.
- 3rd Grade "A": Hughes, Leonard.
- 3rd Grade "B": Cox, Janette, Freeman, Celestine, Graham, Michael, Johnson, Darlene, King, Jo Ann, Lewis, Gwendolyn, McBride, Iris, McDougald, Hattie, McNeill, Cherye, Rushing, Henry, Simmons, Shelva, and Williams, Lofton.
- 4th Grade "A": Black, Pamela, Holliday, Karen, Johnson, Dianne, Lewis, Anthony, McBride, Valonzia, McDonald, LaFrance, McKinnon, Lena, McLaughlin, William, McMillan, Linda, McMillan, William, McPherson, Virginia, and Ross, Terry.
- 4th Grade "B": Sims, Roger, Wardlaw, Vincent, William, Lorraine, and Davis, Stephen Moore.
- 5th Grade "A": Crisp, Russell, McLaurin, Rosemary, and Ray, Yvonne.
- 5th Grade "B": Campbell, Medra, Clark, Kenneth, Coleman, Carmen, Davis, Vanessa Dale, Graham, Barbara, Jones, Jacqueline, King, Clarence, Major, Robert, McDougald, Brenda, McGill, Rosa, Ross, Gloria, Salone, Leslie, Shropshire, Gerald, and Simmons, Malcolm.
- 6th Grade "A": Crouch, Floyd, Graham, William, Lovett, Marshall, Medlin, Londale, Monroe, Elsie, Montgomery, Yolanda, Ray, Hubert, and Wardlaw, Harold.
- 6th Grade "B": Bernard, Julia, Clark, Sandra, Foster, Robert, Hughes, Glen, Jones, Yvonne, Mack, David, Melvin, Mary, McKinnon, Deborah, McLean, Hanna, McNeill, Jarvis, McQuaige, Malcolm, Shaw, I-nette, Shaw, Jynette, Wardlaw, Louie.
- 7th Grade "A": Harrington, Bobby, Harris, Amy, and McBride, Carolyn.
- 7th Grade "B": Boykin, Freddie, Boykin, Michael, Campbell, Geraldine, Haynes, Ozell, Isabel, Jo Ann, Jones, Priscilla, Melvin, Shirley, Milligan, Joyce, McKay, Ozell, Salone, Ryan, Sherlock, Edwin, Ruthledge, Janet, and Simmons, Ira.

ACTIVITIES OF GRADE 6-3  
Planning for a class magazine is the major activity in our language class. First we selected members for the following groups: Managers Committee, Art Committee, Editors Committee. The Manager's Committee is in charge of doing the planning. The editors committee is to choose the best materials and to edit (criticize and correct) all "copy." The art committee is to choose or prepare illustrations or comic strips. We hope to finish by March 15.

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BILL BOWSER'S

In our social studies class we are studying modern and ancient China. We divided into three groups to make a thorough study of it, namely, North China, South China, Western China and Formosa.

Some important facts about ancient China were the Great Wall which was built for protection. It stretches 1500 miles across China.

We are also securing information on the size of China. Some books say that China is the second largest country and some say the third. We have found out that China is the third largest country in the world. It holds about 1/5 of Asia and 1/15 of the world.

Grade 6-3 reporters: Floyd Crouch and Harold Wardlaw. Promoting Self-Discipline Through Bulletin Board Interest. Room 1, Grade 7-1, BULLETIN BOARD CAPTIONS

1. Our Version of Cupid.
  2. Basic Values in Goodness.
  3. "Belong": learn, think, relate and do.
  4. You Can Be Somebody.
  5. Learning To Communicate.
1. OUR VERSION OF CUPID  
Captains: Priscilla Jones; Helpers: James Stubbs; John Blunt, John Malnor, Donnell Graham, and William Roberts.
- A winged baby used as a symbol of love.
- On our board pertinent information is found.
- If we begin the day with love in our hearts, the guides will help to see us safely through.
2. BASIC VALUES IN GOODNESS  
Captain: Vandion Simpson, Helpers: Jesse McDougald, James Stubbs, Donnell Graham, John Malnor.
- The captain created a dimensional paper clown, the helpers drew hearts from construction paper and placed them on around the clowns. Each day we pick out the most outstanding happening that shows desirable growth and write the same on a heart. So far: Feb. 2nd - Best conduct of the year. Feb. 3rd - Everyone tried to learn something worth while. The room was quiet while working out evaluations. William Roberts recited without being told. He read the lesson without being asked. Donnell Graham contributed to the discussion. Feb. 4th - Donnell Graham was "Belonging." He decided to get on a committee to help fix the bulletin board. Feb. 7th - Those who were not trying to belong have taken a new interest.
3. "BELONG": LEARN, THINK, RELATE AND DO.  
Captain: Amy Harris, Helpers: Clifton Ray Patricia Stewart, Herman McGill, Linda and Wanda Shropshire.
- We are displaying an educational symbol that has steps leading up to it.
- Our members drew silhouettes, made signs, etcetera and placed them near the steps.
- A leader places a silhouette on the bottom step. Everyone is encouraged to take part in the discussion, using reliable information, about what is placed on the step.
- The object of the game is to move to the top of the stairs without stumbling.
- In my community, (Hollywood Heights) we have formed a club called the FF's (Fantastic



THIRTEENTH ANNUAL ZETA LITE BALL IN THE MAKING—The following young ladies from Southeastern North Carolina will make their bow to society on February 26 in the Lilly Gymnasium of Fayetteville State College. They are: left to right, first row—Catherine White, Susie Frink, Alice Little, Gloria Gairy, Sarah Reese, Lena McMillan, Marlene Cordell, Gwendolyn McRae, Gloria Threatt. Left to right, second row: Ora Jones, Sandra Smith, Clara Jones, Sadie Smith, Eva Smith, Vickie Campbell, Joyce Manuel, Nancy Smith, Mildred Chase. Left to right, third row: Cynthia King, Evelyn Jones, Kay P. King, Mitchell Thompson, Emma Hill, Maggie Washington, Doris Jones, Portia McCornack, Irma Jean Bunch. Left to right, fourth row: Shirley Bell, Brenda Zwillingen, Constance Williams, Brenda Sims, Barbara McDonald, Helen Williams, Ann McCullough, Mildred McDougald. Left to right, fifth row: Sandra Hardee, Alma Fuller, Carlita Smith, Mabeline Bacon, Lorraine Baker, Wanda P. Walker, Grateben McMillan, Dorothy McCornack. The Ball is an annual affair of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority and Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity. The proceeds from the Ball are used for scholarships to deserving young women who exemplify qualities of finer womanhood and scholarly attainment. Other projects of the sorority include adopting 10 or more welfare children and providing Christmas cheer for them. Thanksgiving Baskets to the needy will be for the County and City Schools, to be given to children who do not purchase milk, shoes for needy children and work on the National Project—The Prevention and Control of Juvenile Delinquency. Prior to the Ball, the girls are briefed in several Charn Schools on the proper conduct, dress and behavior of a deb. Mrs. Arnette Robinson, Mrs. McCallum, Mrs. Sweet and Mrs. Voneye Davis have had charge of these activities. Three Charn Schools have been held. The next two will be held February 18th and 25th. Mrs. D. A. Williams is Business and Mrs. Frances C. Jones, chairman of publicity, Zeta Phi Beta Sorority.

## -Bill Bowser's Top 20 Records-

- 1 SCRATCH MY BACK - Slim Harpo
- 2 CRYING TIME - Ray Charles
- 3 DEAR LOVER - Mary Wells
- 4 TOO FAR GONE - Bobby Bland
- 5 UPTIGHT - Stevie Wonder
- 6 YOU DON'T KNOW LIKE I KNOW - The Marvellettes
- 8 GEORGIA ON MY MIND - The Righteous Brothers
- 9 RECOVERY - Fontella Bass
- 10 PLEASE DON'T HURT ME - Jackie and LaVerne
- 11 AIN'T THAT PECULIAR - Marvin Gaye
- 12 CAN'T STOP LOVIN' YOU - Solomon Burke
- 13 I'VE GOT TO GET BACK - Jackie Wilson
- 14 DO THE BAMBAN - Gene Wesley and Band
- 15 634-5738 - Wilson Pickett
- 16 IF YOU COULD READ MY MIND - Bobby Bland
- 17 DON'T FORGET ABOUT ME - Barbara Lewis
- 18 THIS IS MY ANSWER - Jimmy McCracklin
- 19 A SWEET WOMAN LIKE YOU - Joe Tex
- 20 RAINBOW '65 - Gene Chandler

porters are urged to redouble their efforts to dispose of the 50,000 tickets which are on sale for this worthy cause.

AT HOME a man is known by his follies; abroad, by his works.

FEW EVENTS begin on time and non end on time, except via radio and television.

## Day Students Fund Drive Deadline Is Extended At Fayetteville State

FAYETTEVILLE - Edward McDonald, president, Day Students Organization at Fayetteville State College, issued a memorandum on February 4 to all supporters of the \$50,000 Day Students Academic Scholarship Fund Drive, local as well as state, regional and nationwide boosters.

The contents of the memorandum was the notification of the extension of the drive from the original February 18, 1966 date, to Friday, April 15, 1966.

Because of extreme inclement weather during the last days of January, and the interruption of the scholarship fund drive efforts during the first week of February, the Scholarship Dance culminating the efforts of the \$50,000 Day Students Academic Scholarship

Fund Drive has been rescheduled for Friday, April 15, 1966.

The executive committee of the Day Students Organization, Dr. W. H. Pace, advisor, Day Students Organization, and Dr. Rudolph Jones, president, Fayetteville State College, deem it appropriate to extend the fund drive to the above-mentioned date so that the true objectives of the drive may be realized. All students and other sup-

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