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WHEN CHARLES LAUGHTON VISITED LOST COLONY



CHARLES LAUGHTON, one of the great movie actors, visited Roanoke Island Sunday night to see the Lost Colony, and having sampled it, pronounced it good. In the above picture by Aycock Brown, he is shown talking with some of the prominent persons of the Lost Colony. Reading from left to right: Director Sam Seldon, Charles Laughton, Albert Bell, who, like Laughton, was born in England, and not so far apart. Last is Manager Bill Hardy. Everybody seems to be having a good time.

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MANTEO, N. C.  
WEEK OF AUG. 18

SATURDAY  
Johnny Weissmuller  
in  
"FURY OF THE CONGO"

SUNDAY & MONDAY  
"I WAS A COMMUNIST  
For The FBI"  
starring  
Frank Lovejoy

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY  
"TARZAN'S PERIL"  
with  
Lex Baker as Tarzan

THURSDAY & FRIDAY  
Joan Crawford  
in  
"GOODBYE MY FANCY"

FHA TO LEARN  
HOW LOST COLONY LIVED

Teen-age girls from all parts of North Carolina will gather on Roanoke Island Friday, August 17, to get a dramatic idea of how the first English colonists to reach the New World lived and made homes 364 years ago. It will mark the first annual Lost Colony Future Homemakers Day, and heading what promises to be the largest youth gathering to ever attend a special performance of the drama will be Miss Catherine T. Dennis, State Leader of the FHA.

No set day for the program has been announced. As Lost Colony officials have put it, "The general idea behind the special day for the FHA groups is for the Future Homemakers to see through the dramatic scenes of Lost Colony, the problems which faced homemakers of the late 16th Century when they made attempts to establish a new nation in the wilderness of Roanoke Island."

Many of the FHA groups, some as far away as Swannanoa in Western Carolina have made arrangements to stop overnight at the 4-H Club Encampment on Roanoke Island. One of the larger groups will be headed by school officials of Robersonville, N. C., bringing more than 50 club members from that area of the State. Many groups from any other sections of the State have also indicated they would be present for the Special Lost Colony Future Homemakers Day.

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HD PLANNING GROUP  
ANNOUNCES PROGRAMS

Dare County Council to Meet at Rodanthe November 1.

The program planning committee for the Dare County Home Demonstration Clubs met at the office of Mary Kirby, home demonstration agent, Aug. 7, to discuss plans for Home Demonstration programs during 1952. Tentative plans were set up to produce more effective work through Home Demonstration Clubs in the county during the coming year.

It was decided that a long time program of work should be followed, with a program beginning this year to be followed for a period of several years. More work should be accomplished in Clothing, House Planning and Home Management, Health, and Nutrition. "Make Good Cornbread Better" will be the September demonstration and Living Room arrangement will be the October program. Other programs which will be given during the year will be bathroom planning, lighting, making slip covers, buying, selection and alteration of ready made clothing. Making a tour of homes in Dare county was discussed.

To Meet at Rodanthe  
The second meeting of the Dare County Council is planned at Rodanthe, November 1. The Rodanthe-Waves Home Demonstration Club will serve lunch. Miss Ruth Current, State Home Demonstration Agent will be the main speaker.

GARDEN CLUB DIRECTORS TO  
TOUR ISLAND SITE AUG. 17

The Board of Directors of the Garden Club of North Carolina will hold its first meeting of the year at Manteo, on August 17, with the local club, one of the newest in the state, acting as hostess to the group. During the day, members of the Club from all parts of the state will tour the site of the proposed Elizabethan Garden which if plans carry, will be created on Lost Colony property adjacent to Fort Raleigh.

The program of the day includes a meeting of the executive committee of the State Garden Club in Manteo Methodist Church at 11 o'clock. At 12:30 o'clock the group will have luncheon at Roanoke Inn here followed at 2 o'clock by another meeting of the Board of Directors.

Railroads serving North Carolina applied to the State Utilities Commission Monday for another freight rate increase. Their proposal would boost the state's intrastate shipping costs by six per cent, or an estimated \$300,000 a year.

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