

Education Board Acts On Request Made By Parents

Perquimans County Board of Education had a called meeting Tuesday to take action on a request made by patrons of the Perquimans Central Grammar School for a change in the teaching program at the school for the coming year.

The Board of Education, in setting up an additional section of the 8th grade at Perquimans High School transferred a teacher from the Central Grammar School for this purpose and assigned some teaching duties to the principal. A delegation of parents representing the school protested this latter action and requested the Board of Education to provide a part-time teacher for the school to relieve the principal of some of the teaching duties.

After receiving permission from the County Commissioners to amend its 1960-61 budget the Board of Education voted to secure the services of a part-time teacher for the school and employed Mrs. Ann Nowell for the position.

Other action taken during the meeting included the approval of the election of Robert Carter as teacher at Perquimans High School, Geraldine Edgerton as teacher at Perquimans Union School and Edith Walker as teacher at the King Street School.

The Board also approved a request submitted by Patsy Sawyer, a married student, granting her permission to complete her course at school this year.

Auman Resumes Pulpit Following World Seminar

The Rev. James A. Auman, pastor of the First Methodist Church, has returned from a six-weeks Christian World Seminar, which took him over 25,000 miles into 15 countries in three continents. He arrived in Hertford late Saturday night after flying from Paris, France, that day. Last Friday he was in Oberammergau, Germany, to see the Passion Play, which began at 8:30 A. M. and was concluded at 5 P. M. with a two-hour recess for lunch. This was the last phase of his around-the-world trip.

This Sunday at 11 o'clock Mr. Auman will preach on the subject "Christianity Around the World." This is a direct follow-up of last Sunday's informal report on the summer travels, which did not deal specifically with the place of Christianity in the lives of the people of the world.

In speaking of his travels, Mr. Auman has commented that the 25,000 miles was covered with a variety of transportation. Although the major part of the tour was made by plane, in local situations the group found it more advisable to travel innumerable other ways: by camel, elephant, burro, rail cars, automobiles, bus, rickshaw or pedicab. Thinking back over his experiences, he remarked that he was glad to be back in a country which is free and which is blessed with plenty.

Mrs. Annie Monds Died Thursday A. M.

Mrs. Annie Dail Monds, 79, died Thursday morning at 3:15 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. I. C. Butt on Route 3 following a long illness. A native of Chowan County, she had lived on Route 3 for 10 years and was a member of the Chapel Hill Baptist Church. She was the widow of Thomas F. Monds.

Surviving are one son, J. Clinton Monds of Norfolk, Va.; five daughters, Mrs. T. A. Truitt, Mrs. Grace Laffler, both of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Mary Carter of Elizabeth City and Mrs. Margaret Butt and Mrs. I. C. Butt of Hertford.

This Week's Headlines

Two former U. S. code clerks turned up in Russia Tuesday after having been missing for several weeks. Bernon Mitchell and William Martin, reports said, sought Soviet citizenship. The pair appeared at a Russian-staged news conference and said the U. S. spies on its friends, which policy may lead to war.

Hurricane Donna, fourth storm of the season, may hit the U. S. mainland, according to weather forecasters. The storm started in the Leeward Island area last Saturday and has wrought death and havoc with its 125-mile winds. Donna hit Puerto Rico Tuesday resulting in 86 deaths and more than 200 missing. Miami Weather Bureau officials reported the hurricane is moving in a north-northwest direction.

The President of African Congo fired Premier Lumumba Monday but the Premier refused to quit his post. Much of the Congo trouble of the past month is blamed to Lumumba and the President, Joseph Kasavubu, said he sought to bring about order in the area by removing the Premier from office. Lumumba in turn said Kasavubu was no longer the head of the nation as he called upon Congo troops to back his position as Premier.

Earl Long, three times governor of Louisiana, died of a heart attack early Monday, only a short time after having won the nomination to Congress from his home district. Long was unsuccessful in seeking the office as Lieutenant Governor in the primary last summer, then came back to win the Congressional contest.

With Labor Day come and gone, political activity is now expected to be stepped up considerably by candidates Kennedy and Nixon as each seeks election to the Presidency. Senator John F. Kennedy has made appearances in California, Alaska and Michigan since the adjournment of Congress last week and Richard Nixon, hospitalized for the past 10 days, is expected to hit the campaign trail next week.

Jury List Drawn For October Term Of Superior Court

The names of 80 residents of the county were drawn for jury duty at the October term of Perquimans Superior Court during the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners on Monday. The court term will open on October 31.

Drawn for duty were C. S. Jackson, William Spruill, Redmon Perry, Jr., Martin Towe, Walter Dail, David Nixon, Clifford T. Howell, William A. Winslow, J. R. Webb, Claude Williams, J. Eugene Winslow, E. Ellis Stallings, Wayland Howell, Willie B. Moore, Percy E. Winslow, Jack Phillips, Ralph Proctor, Aldred P. Morris, Oscar A. White, Jessie V. Rountree, Robert S. Stallings, Joe Harrell, Charlie H. Elliott, Watson Eare, D. M. Jackson.

Thurman R. Harrell, James P. Jordan, J. H. Stallings, Jr., J. Alton Pierce, J. M. Fleetwood, Jr., Thomas A. Proctor, R. S. Monds, Jr., Ernest E. Morgan, E. Lee Hurdle, Jr., Charlie Wilder, Joe P. White, Alfred Kanton, Howard Copeland, Herbert Williams, Brenton Winslow, Thomas E. Harrell, J. Ray Hasbrett, Stanley Spruill, W. W. Bundy, George T. Carter, Ernest Elmore, Joseph A. Winslow, Broughton Dail, G. W. Cassin, John Q. Walls.



MEMORIAL FOR PEACE—West Berlin's most famous post-war landmark, the burned-out tower of the Emperor Wilhelm Memorial Church, dominates the skeleton of a new church rising in the foreground. The structure will be octagonal, with colored glass plates. The ruin will be left standing as a warning memorial to World War II.

Indians Open Grid Season On Friday Night With E. City

Perquimans High School will take the wraps off its 1960 football team here Friday night when the Indians play the first of a 10-game schedule meeting the Elizabeth City Yellow Jackets.

Perquimans Coach Ike Perry, and Assistant Coaches Bob Carter and Gil Underwood, are reluctant to make any predictions concerning the opening football game but do state Perquimans boys are rounding into shape and should make a good showing against Elizabeth City.

In last year's opening contest, with the Jackets, the Indians came home with the victory, and no doubt Elizabeth City will be out this season to gain revenge for that loss.

The opening game will be played in Hertford, on Memorial Field, with game time set for 8 o'clock. A large crowd of Elizabeth City fans are expected to follow their team here, as will the Elizabeth City High School Band which will present musical numbers at half time.

The Indians have been practicing for the past four weeks, with about 50 candidates out for the team. Coach Perry announced the starting team against Elizabeth City will include Carlyle Woodard, Franklin McGoogan, Edward Matthews, Waldo Winslow, Carson Spivey, Douglas Sawyer, J. C. Spear, Billy White, Donald Madre, Jerry Chappell, Charlie Fowler, Reed Matthews, Julian Nixon and Ed Nixon.

Other home games for the Indians are listed as follows: Sept. 16—Central Sept. 30—Tarboro Oct. 14—Williamston Oct. 21—Edenton Principal E. C. Woodard announced this week the Indians have secured Greenville High School as an opponent this year and Greenville will replace Mantoo on the schedule; the game is to be played in Greenville October 28.

Nickels Program Dinner September 16

With the "Nickels For Know How" election coming up, September 30, officials of the School of Agriculture, N. C. State College, are planning a dinner to be held in Elizabeth City next Friday night during which plans for the election will be discussed for the benefit of agriculture leaders and the press.

The "Nickels For Know How" program was started by North Carolina farmers for the purpose of financing research and development of farm production. The program is continued through voluntary assessment following approval by the farmers in an annual election.

Bond Order Given Approval By Board Of Commissioners

County Free From Holiday Accidents

Perquimans County went through the long Labor Day week-end without a serious highway accident, according to Patrolman B. R. Insoe of the Highway Patrol. Insoe reported there was one motorist who ran into a ditch to avoid a collision but no accidents reported where there was property damage.

AREM Corporation To Conduct Annual Meeting Here Sat.

Members of the Albemarle Rural Electric Membership Corporation will gather in Hertford Saturday, September 10, for their annual meeting and election of directors for the corporation during the coming year, it is announced by A. T. Lane, president of the organization. The meeting will begin at 2 P. M.

All members of the corporation are urged to attend this meeting and participate in the selection of directors and other activity scheduled on the program.

Members will select nine directors for the corporation and nominations for the posts include Joe Hastings, Charles Walston, J. A. Whitehurst, Frank Williams, W. E. Meigs, Camden County; W. S. Bass, John N. Bunch, V. D. Hare, Lloyd Overton, Jr., and J. A. Wiggins, Chowan County; W. R. Lowry, J. A. Spence and Tommie Temple, Pasquotank County; Ben Chambers, A. T. Lane, Floyd Matthews, Louis Spivey and Charles E. White, Perquimans County.

Topping the entertainment program for this meeting will be Ernest Bivens and his Playboys.

The officers of the corporation urge all members to be present for this important meeting and the public is also invited to attend.

The official notice of the annual meeting releases figures for the operation during the past year and also reported assets of the corporation have grown to \$1,322,005. During the past year the AREM had a gross income of \$258,390 while operational expenses ran to \$199,071.95, leaving a net margin of \$41,936.25.

Episcopal Church Schedule Announced

This Sunday Holy Trinity Episcopal Church will resume its regular schedule: Holy Communion at 8 A. M., Church School at 9:30 A. M., morning prayer at 11 A. M. (Holy Communion on first Sunday at 11 A. M.)

Beginning this Saturday, there will be confirmation classes weekly for children at 10:30 A. M. Beginning this Sunday at 4 P. M. there will be confirmation instruction for adults. Attendance at classes does not obligate one to be confirmed. Often this is called an "inquirer's" class. The subjects discussed in this series include: The place of the Episcopal Church in the history of churches; how the Episcopal Church is both Protestant and Catholic; the meaning of sacraments and their importance (especially the Holy Communion), the content and use of the Prayer Book.

The place for the classes for children will be at the rectory, 206 Market Street. That for adults will be at the church.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Tilson Chappell of Orlando, Fla., announce the birth of a daughter, Anita Ann, born Thursday, September 1, at Orange Memorial Hospital at Orlando. Mrs. Chappell is the former Miss Edna Earl Cobb.

Commissioners for Perquimans County, meeting here in regular session last Monday, cleared the way for holding a special bond election under which it is proposed to issue \$265,000 in bonds to provide funds for construction of school class rooms, a cafeteria and install additional water lines to Perquimans High School. The election is set for November 8, 1960.

On Monday the Commissioners conducted a public hearing for the purpose of hearing county residents who desired to oppose or boost the proposed bond election. No one appeared to be heard on the matter and the Board ordered the hearing closed and instructed the county attorney, S. M. Whedbee, to proceed with steps for holding the election.

After consulting with Landing Supply Company and receiving bids for installation of floor covering in the Court House lobby, and painting the lobby of both floors, the Board authorized the Landing firm to proceed with the work.

On motion duly passed the Board appointed W. S. Long as chairman of the Civil Defense Committee for Perquimans county. Long will succeed Charles M. Harrell, who resigned the post several months ago.

The Board of Education appeared before the Commissioners seeking advice concerning funds for employment of a part-time teacher at Central Grammar School. The Commissioners authorized the Board of Education to change its school supplement fund budget in the amount of \$1,500 to provide these extra funds, the money to be allocated for that purpose from surplus shown at the close of the last fiscal year.

C. Edgar White, Superintendent of Public Welfare, in reporting to the Commissioners advised the Welfare Board has adopted a new ruling concerning recipients of welfare checks owning automobiles. Mr. White informed the Board effective in November no person receiving welfare aid may own a car unless the vehicle is essential in providing medical care and is used for the purpose of supplementing the individual's income.

Reports were also received from the local Extension Service offices.

Sawyer Funeral Friday Afternoon

Mrs. Lillie Adelaide Gibson Sawyer, 65, died Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Harrell on Route 3, following a lingering illness. A native and life-long resident of Perquimans County, she was the wife of the late Trim Sawyer and daughter of the late John Anderson and Sarah Elizabeth Spivey Gibson. She was a member of the Berea Church of Christ.

Survivors are two sons, Nathan Sawyer and Levina Sawyer of Route 3; two daughters, Mrs. Nanniet Umphlett and Mrs. Nellie Harrell of Route 3; one sister, Mrs. Minervia Corbett of Hertford; 16 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

The body will be taken from the Swindell Funeral Home Friday afternoon to the Berea Church of Christ for funeral services to be conducted at 2:00 by the Rev. Charles Prestley, pastor. Burial will be in the Church Cemetery.

The family will be at the home of Mrs. Robert Harrell on Route 3.

Recorder's Court In Recess Tuesday

Perquimans Recorder's Court was in recess Tuesday when the Board of Commissioners pre-empted the courtroom for its September meeting. All cases on the docket were to be heard at the court house on September 14.

Schools Here Gain Slight Increase In Pupil Enrollment

Carroll McDonnell Represents County At Norfolk Event

Perquimans County schools had a net increase in enrollment for the 1960-61 term of 89 students, according to figures reported Tuesday by J. T. Biggers, county superintendent.

Attendance at the local schools for the first official day were very much in line with those predicted by the school officials prior to the opening this week. Total enrollment for the five schools was 2,390 students.

Comparing enrollment figures with last year, Perquimans High School gained six pupils, Hertford Grammar School lost two students, Central Grammar School lost 10 students, King Street School gained 23 and Perquimans Union School gained 77 students.

The enrollment figures for the opening day, as reported by Mr. Biggers, were:

	1960	1959
Perquimans H. S.	428	422
Hertford Grammar	249	251
Central Grammar	413	423
King Street	408	385
Perquimans Union	892	815

The schools, according to Mr. Biggers, opened smoothly on full class schedules following the enrollment last Friday, when students were assigned classes and issued supplies and instructional policies for the new term.

British Guest At Rotary Meet

Douglas Clift, members of the City Council of Lancaster, England, who is visiting Mrs. Elizabeth Skipey here, was a guest at the meeting of the Hertford Rotary Club on Tuesday evening.

In a brief talk, Mr. Clift told the Rotarians he was impressed very much by his visit to this country and his conception had changed some with opportunities to spend some time in New York, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and Hertford. While in Washington, Mr. Clift was one of the visiting English barristers attending the convention of the American Bar Association.

He pointed out to the Rotarians the importance of continued friendship and partnership between the United States and England which has been the foundation of the development of the free world. He reported, in giving some comparison of the two countries, wages are higher here than in England, but at the same time prices were also higher and the average standard of living a bit higher in the U. S.

Herbert Bonner Here On Tuesday

Congressman Herbert C. Bonner was a visitor in Hertford on Tuesday enroute from Washington, D. C., to his home in Washington, N. C. Mr. Bonner issued an invitation to local citizens to attend the political rally in Greenville September 17 when Senator John F. Kennedy will be the principal speaker.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Felton announce the birth of a daughter, Sharon Reed, born Thursday, August 18, at the Albemarle Hospital. Mrs. Felton is the former Miss Judy Winslow.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. James B. McMiller, Jr., of Chapel Hill announce the birth of a daughter, Elizabeth Ann, born Thursday, August 18, at the Albemarle Hospital. Mrs. McMiller is the former Miss Judy Winslow.