

Functions For Executive Committee And Cupola House Library Trustees Separated

E. W. Spires Elected President of Corporations, While Three Trustees Are Elected For Shepard-Pruden Memorial Library

In accordance with a resolution adopted at the June 2, 1954 meeting and with action taken at a meeting held September 23, a meeting of the executive committee and the stockholders of the cupola House Library and Museum, Inc., was held in the Cupola House Thursday, October 7.

Upon motion duly carried it was decided that the committee on investigation as to the portrait of Napoleon be continued.

At the meeting the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, that confusion has arisen due to the fact that the executive committee of the corporation and the three trustees of the Shepard-Pruden Memorial Library are the same persons:

"It is, therefore, moved that the functions of the executive committee and the three trustees of the said Shepard-Pruden Memorial Library be—and they are hereby separated.

J. A. Holmes Speaker At Initial Meeting Of PTA Association

Largest Attendance In History of Edenton Organization

John A. Holmes, superintendent of Edenton schools, was the principal speaker at the first meeting of this year of the Edenton Parent-Teacher Association held Tuesday night of last week when in the neighborhood of 200 persons attended. It was the largest number ever to attend a PTA meeting in Edenton. Mr. Holmes was introduced by Mrs. Frank Holmes, co-chairman of the Program Committee. The devotional program was conducted by Mrs. C. W. Overman.

Mr. Holmes stated that the primary concern of teachers and parents should be the welfare of the child.

"I would like to say," said Mr. Holmes, "that you are all teachers and you cannot escape that responsibility. The American youth is a hero worshipping youth and every person here is the hero of some child.

"You are the mirror that reflects to that child his ideal of the American life. Be sure that the influence you give that child by word, action and deed will be an influence that will complement and supplement the in-school experiences that our teachers provide.

"As we have begun to evaluate education in the last quarter of a century, we find the child has as many outside experiences as he has in-school experiences. Teachers must acquaint themselves with some of these outside experiences and supplement them in in-school experiences or they may neutralize or negate them. Teachers must know home environment, community life and other out-side experiences.

"The same is true with parents. It used to be that parents didn't have to know about in-school experiences. Now they have to know about those in order to be able to help that child and the teacher."

W. T. Harry, president, presided over the meeting during which it was pointed out that the executive board included \$500 in the 1954-55 year's budget, of which \$200 was earmarked to go toward purchasing a new school activities bus.

Betty Salisbury, first grade teacher, was elected secretary, succeeding Mrs. Louis Ferguson, who has moved to Memphis, Tenn. Various committees presented reports and teachers introduced by Principals Ernest Swain and Gerald James.

Mrs. Myrtle Jenkins' third grade won the attendance prize for the year. A proposition by Jimmie Earnhardt was enthusiastically received in which he will give free passes to the local theater to pupils in the room which wins the attendance prize. This offer will last for three months.

At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed which was in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Cammen, co-chairmen of the Hospitality Committee. Assisting them were Mrs. Guy Hobbs, Mrs. Joe Thorud, Mrs. Worth Spencer, Mrs. C. T. Griffin, Mrs. W. B. Wilkins and Mrs. Bert Willis.

MASONS MEET TONIGHT

Unanimity Lodge, No. 7, A. F. & A. M. will hold a stated communication at the Masonic Temple tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock. W. M. Rhoades, master of the lodge urges all members to be present and extends a cordial invitation to visiting Masons to attend.

ROTARIANS MEET TODAY

Edenton's Rotary Club will meet this (Thursday) afternoon at 1 o'clock in the Parish House. The program will be in charge of W. B. Rosevear. Up to last week's meeting the local club had 100 per cent attendance for six of the last seven meetings, so that President Gilliam Wood is urging another hundred percent.

ed, so that the executive committee and the three trustees of the said Library shall not necessarily be the same persons."

Subsequently the Committee on Nominations placed in nomination the following as officers of the corporation who were elected for the ensuing year:

President, E. W. Spires; vice president, Mrs. Lina P. Mack; treasurer, Mrs. Gertrude S. Rosevear, and secretary, Miss Lena M. Jones.

Unanimously elected to serve as trustees for the Shepard-Pruden Memorial Library were:

Mrs. Lina P. Mack, six years; Mrs. Anne S. Graham, four years, and Mrs. S. M. McMullan, two years.

As members of the executive committee of the corporation, the following were unanimously elected:

John Graham, who was elected in 1949 for a term of six years, so that his term will expire in 1955; Frank Holmes, four years and Mrs. Inglis Fletcher, two years.

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