

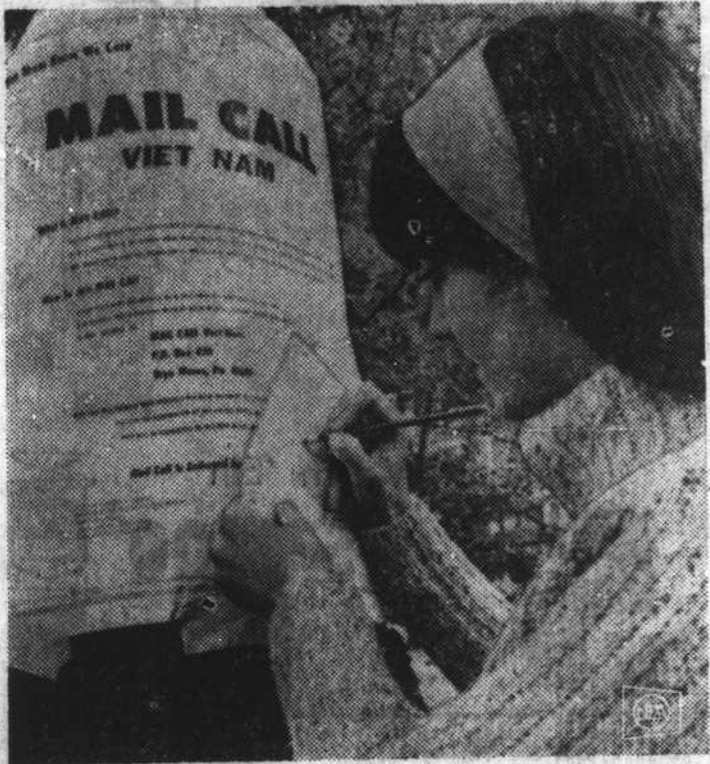
Weather

Increasing cloudiness and somewhat warmer tonight. Lows 42-52. Thursday, variable cloudiness and mild.

The Daily Record

The Record Gets Results

LINDSAY ELECTED IN NEW YORK



MAIL CALL VIET NAM — Janice Ward, 19, of Philadelphia signs up for a program to send Christmas cards to Viet Nam. Goal is a card from an American at home for each of the some 140,000 U. S. servicemen in Viet Nam. (NEA Telephoto)

GOP Wins City Hall For First Time Since 1945

NEW YORK (UPI)—Rep. John V. Lindsay, a youthful anti-Goldwater Republican, today won his energetic bid to become mayor of the nation's largest city, turning out an entrenched Democratic regime which blamed its defeat on a large Conservative vote.

A near-record turnout of more than 2.5 million voters enabled Lindsay to defeat Democratic city controller Abraham D. Beame by the closest margin in history to become the first Republican mayor since Fiorello LaGuardia. Lindsay, tall and handsome in the John F. Kennedy image, emerged as a potential GOP presidential candidate in 1938 or 1972.

Buckley Aids
Ironically, it may have been William F. Buckley—candidate of the Conservative party which Lindsay said was out to "destroy" him—who made election of the liberal congressman possible.

Buckley, an articulate, millionaire editor who supported Goldwater's presidential bid, ran a disarming third. But in doing so captured sizeable votes in Irish-Catholic and Italian districts which were traditionally Democratic.

Beame was endorsed by President Johnson and received active support from Sen. Robert F. Kennedy in his campaign.

How Harnett Voted

| | ROAD BOND | | COURT ISSUE | |
|----------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| | YES | NO | YES | NO |
| Anderson Creek | 33 | 52 | 25 | 58 |
| Averasboro 1 | 29 | 78 | 24 | 81 |
| Averasboro 2 | 51 | 131 | 56 | 127 |
| Averasboro 3 | 70 | 96 | 83 | 80 |
| Averasboro 4 | 115 | 190 | 120 | 172 |
| Barbecue | 76 | 31 | 75 | 27 |
| Black River | 153 | 97 | 147 | 79 |
| Buckhorn | 28 | 32 | 23 | 43 |
| Duke 1 | 30 | 39 | 29 | 38 |
| Duke 2 | 20 | 40 | 22 | 37 |
| Duke 3 | 29 | 52 | 33 | 49 |
| Grove 1 | 48 | 51 | 32 | 57 |
| Grove 2 | 59 | 97 | 52 | 99 |
| Hector's Grove | 79 | 57 | 79 | 50 |
| Johnsonville | 25 | 25 | 27 | 20 |
| Lillington | 197 | 80 | 199 | 73 |
| Neill's Creek 1 | 44 | 7 | 30 | 20 |
| Neill's Creek 2 | 112 | 42 | 102 | 40 |
| Stewart's Creek | 49 | 44 | 44 | 44 |
| Upper Little River 1 | 97 | 60 | 54 | 60 |
| Upper Little River 2 | 38 | 34 | 34 | 35 |
| TOTALS | 1382 | 1335 | 1291 | 1289 |

Invest Set For Monday

Head-On Crash Kills Welfare Case Worker

Mrs. Ruth Salmon Ballard, 56, of Route 3, Lillington, died instantly Tuesday about 5:20 of injuries received in an automobile accident when her car was struck by another on Highway 421 one-half mile west of Buies Creek.

According to investigating officers, Mrs. Ballard, a case worker for the Harnett County Welfare Dept., driving a 1963 Ford, was headed west and was struck by a car driven by Eugene Ferrell, 60, of Coats, who was traveling east. He was driving a 1957 Ford.

She was a life-long resident of Harnett County.

Paul Drew Ferrell was passing a vehicle on a hill near the Jake Lamm home and met Mrs. Ballard head-on.

He said an inquest will be held next Monday night.

She is survived by her husband, Mack M. Ballard; three sons, Tommy and Bonny, both of Lillington, and Samuel Ballard, with the U. S. Army in Italy; her mother, Mrs. J. A. Salmon of Lillington; two sisters, Mrs. James Rafferty of Auburn, Mass., and Mrs. Charles Edwards of Rt. 3, Lillington; one brother, Woodrow Salmon of Rt. 1, Bughlevel; and two grandchildren.

Issues Barely Squeak By; Win Only 8 of 21 Precincts

Harnett Gives Road Bonds Margin Of 47



WINNER, WIFE VOTE — John V. Lindsay, Republican wears a confident smile as he ballots in the city's mayoralty election. Mrs. Lindsay is at left. His victory ended two decades of Democratic rule in New York.

Harnett County citizens Tuesday voted in favor of the \$300 million State road issue by a razor-thin margin of only 47 votes and the vote on the court amendment was even closer, carrying by only two votes.

Only two counties in the State, Greene and Franklin, voted against the bonds. According to unofficial returns, Harnett probably came closer than any other county in the State to defeating both issues.

The vote in Harnett: For the road bond issue, 1382, against 1335, for the court amendment, 1291, against 1289.

Twelve of the county's 22 precincts voted against the bonds, eight precincts favored the issue, and the vote in Johnsonville was a tie.

Harnett elections chairman Donald McRee proved right in predicting that less than 3500 votes would be cast. The total was only 2717, an unusually small percentage of the county total.

Fatality Ruled Accident Driver Is Cleared In Cotton Death

A jury impaneled by Harnett County Judge Paul Drew Tuesday night absolved John Bruce Morton of Charlotte of any blame in the highway death of Mrs. Ruby Wilbourne Cotton of Lillington, Route 2.

Mrs. Cotton, 53, well-known and popular president of the area, was struck and killed instantly by a pickup truck driven by Morton in front of her home on Highway 27, four miles south of Lillington.

Mrs. Cotton was raking leaves in her yard in search of money which had blown from her billfold and crossed the road in the path of the oncoming vehicle.

Shot Down In Office Building

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. (UPI)—A convicted murderer serving a life term in prison jumped from a car taking him from his father's funeral today and was shot down as he tried to escape through the Indiana State Office Building.

Airport Project Meets Enthusiasm

Nathan M. Johnson, Jr., chairman of the newly-formed Harnett Airport Committee, said today that work on the committee's program is progressing nicely and that he has been well pleased with reaction to the announced project.

News Roundup

JOHNSON CITY, Tex. — President Johnson wided his congratulations Wednesday to John V. Lindsay in winning the New York City mayoralty race, saying Washington would work with city officials "to make New York a good place to live."

LINCOLN, Neb. — A prosecutor demanding the death penalty charged today that Duane Earl Pope "coldly, methodically and with premeditation" killed three persons in the bloodiest bank robbery of modern times.

Simmons Is Named Director Of Bank

Hector MacLean, President of Southern National Bank, announced that Lamar Simmons of Lillington has been elected a member of the Lillington Board of the bank.

For Community Development

County Seat Gets Visit By Judges

Judges in the Community Development division of the Capital Area Development Association visited Lillington, Monday afternoon to her the Lillington Improvement Council tell the story of community development in their town.

The meeting was held at the Harnett County agriculture building with members of the Lillington group presenting oral reports on the various areas of improvements in the town.

Capt. C. R. Menches, 6301 Dorset Ave., Fayetteville, was the winner of the \$100 bond given by Sacred Heart Catholic Church at its annual festival Thursday night.

Bond Winners Are Announced

The church supper and festival was hailed a big success and a massive crowd attended the luncheon and evening meal.

Memorial To Dunn Woman

Rosa Baer Weinstein Lecture Held At UNC

CHAPEL HILL — Dr. Harry Orlinsky, professor of Bible at Hebrew Union College—Jewish Institute of Religion in New York City, was the featured speaker at B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation's third annual Rosa B. Weinstein Memorial Lecture Monday night at Howell Hall.

\$30,000 Already Pledged

Plans to form the Benson Industrial Development Corporation were announced at a meeting held at the courtroom there.