

Officials Are Selected For City Election May 2

Registrars and Judges Named for Municipal Voting When Mayor and Four Aldermen Will Be Chosen; Dates for Registration Are Fixed by Order

Officials were selected and other provisions made for the annual municipal election by the Henderson City Council at its regular monthly meeting for March, held Monday evening. The election will be on Tuesday, May 2, in accordance with the city charter, and will be for the election of a mayor and four aldermen, one from each of the four city wards.

It was ordered that the registration books be opened on Friday, April 14, and through the following Friday, April 21, or seven days in all, excluding Sunday, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. except that on Saturday, April 15, the books shall be open until 9 p. m. The books will be open on Saturday, April 22,

for challenges.

The places where registrars may be found during the registration period, and which will also be polling places on election day, together with the registrar and judges, are as follows, in the order named, with the first named in each instance being the registrar:

First ward—Municipal building, H. C. Anderson, J. V. Nuckles, T. E. Stegall.

Second ward—Farmers Warehouse, E. A. Latta, H. A. Grissom, C. H. Eppes.

Third ward—Big Henderson Warehouse, Charles Davis, W. D. Masee, E. W. Pegram.

Fourth ward—High Price Warehouse, J. R. Carter, Jr., C. F. Tankersley, Sr., and Roger Powell.

Pre-School Clinics Are Being Held

Full Schedule Covers All White Schools of City and County in Few Weeks

Pre-school clinics for the city and county will begin with the one at Clark Street school at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Dr. A. D. Gregg, county health officer, announced today. All children who will enter school next fall for the first time are to be brought to these clinics for examination and for disease-preventing vaccinations.

Dr. Gregg said that, since diphtheria vaccination will in the future be as compulsory as smallpox, the health officer will give both vaccinations unless the teacher is notified to the contrary, if the child has not had the treatments before. If the child has had toxoid, the Schick test will be given to determine the state of immunity.

Dates for the visitations to the several schools were scheduled as follows:

Clark street, Wednesday, March 29, at 1:30 p. m.
Zeb Vance, Friday, March 31, 9:30 a. m.
Central school, Monday, April 3, at 1:30 p. m.
Middleburg, Wednesday, April 5, at 9:30 a. m.
Aycock, Friday, April 7, at 9:30 a. m.
Dabney, Friday, April 7, at 1:30 p. m.
West End, Friday, April 14, at 1:30 p. m.
Townsville, Friday, April 21, at 1:30 p. m.
North Henderson, Friday, April 28, at 1:30 p. m.

PERKINSON GUILTY IN MAYOR'S COURT

Bennie Perkinson had municipal court all to himself today before Mayor Henry T. Powell.

Perkinson was guilty of being drunk and disorderly and destroying property. He was given 30 days on the roads, commitment not to issue upon payment of the costs and damage.

OFFER INSURANCE FOR B. & L. STOCK

Henderson Building & Loan Sponsors Protection for Shareholders

A plan of insuring stock held by individual shareholders against loss in the event of death has been approved by the Henderson Building and Loan Association of Henderson, and will be offered in a few days to shareholders. It covers both investment and mortgage stock.

The Security Life and Trust Company of Winston-Salem will underwrite all stock desired by shareholders at fees that are considered low and beneficial. The association is offering the feature solely for the convenience and safety of those desiring the protection. It is stated. Announcement of the plan was made today by Al B. Wester, secretary-treasurer of the Henderson association.

In the event of death, insured stock would immediately be paid in full as of maturity to a shareholder's heirs. It is available to those between 10 and 65 years of age who can give an acceptable health certificate. Payment for the insurance will be handled along with building and loan payments, it is stated.

According to the plan, insurance can be taken out on stock already subscribed and partially paid for as well as on new subscriptions. It was explained that the taking of the insurance is wholly optional on the part of the stockholder.

Representatives of the association will call on stockholders shortly to explain the plan. C. D. Welster, a representative of the Security Life, is in the city this week to write stockholders desiring the protection.

There are now less than 700 grizzly bears in the United States. Just another shortage we'll just have to make the best of.



Tax Listing For City To Begin Apr. 1

Council Orders Procedure for Annual Assessments; Mass of Routine Business

The annual listing of taxes for 1939 was ordered by the City Council Monday evening, to begin on next Saturday, April 1, and to continue through the month of April.

The work will be done for the city, as usual, at the office of the city clerk, and will be in charge of S. B. Burwell, city clerk, and W. G. Royster, assistant city clerk. All property listings will be made as of April 1, the same as for the counties throughout the state.

A mass of routine business was transacted by the Council in addition to ordering the city election and the listing of taxes.

The supervisor of finance and the supervisor of public works was given power to act on a request of John D. Rose for a fence to be erected at the rear of his home to keep pedestrians out. A path had been beaten along the property as the result of the underpass pipe line there, it was stated.

Taxicab liability insurance policies were received and filed for Algine Williams, Arthur Poole and Ollie B. Lutsey.

The Council instructed the mayor to execute a formal contract with Paul M. Vancamp, engineer employed in connection with the construction of the sewage disposal plant.

An appeal of the Western Union Telegraph Company for permission to string a wire across Garnett street was refused.

Payment was ordered of a claim for \$2.50 from W. K. Sturgis for damages to the fender of his automobile done when a street department employee dropped a garbage can on the fender.

C. M. Hight, supervisor of public works, and the street supervisor J. E. Hamlett, were given power to act to cooperate with Al B. Wester in staking off the area of the city dumping ground.

The mayor, the supervisor of public works and the supervisor of finance were named a committee to confer with D. T. Beckham in connection with an exchange of land in the vicinity of Beckham's store near the standpipe, with a view to improving the street in that vicinity.

Mayor Powell reported that the grass needed cutting in King's Daughters' Park, and Councilman T. W. Ellis said he would have it done.

Alderman F. B. Hight brought to the attention of the Council the matter of the right of way for the pipe line to the new sewage disposal plant. He said the Highland Home Realty Company and the Kittrells, as owners, had asked for \$500 to give the city the right-of-way. Mr. Hight was given power to act in the matter.

Permission was granted to the Bullock-Fisher Post of the American Legion, colored, to hold a spring festival, or dance, in a local warehouse one night during the first five days of May.

A letter was received from S. T. Peace asking reduction of a water bill of \$38.10 to \$20. He claimed the bill arose from an outlet that was not disconnected at the proper time when the old Parker homeplace adjoining him was torn away. The Council refused to allow the claim.

The usual balance sheet and filter plant report of the waterworks department were presented by Mayor Powell as manager, and were received and filed. General city and waterworks bills were read and approved.

Two members of the Council were absent from the meeting, the first time in a long while a meeting was held without all members being present. The meeting was a lengthy one and lasted until well after ten o'clock.

Boston Merchant Dies Of Injuries In Wreck Here

C. Crawford Hollidge, 62, of Milton, Mass., Fatally Injured Monday Afternoon North of City; Son in Hospital Less Seriously Hurt

C. Crawford Hollidge, 62, prominent Boston, Mass., merchant, died in Maria Parham hospital at 4:15 today of head and chest injuries he suffered in an automobile wreck five miles north of the city about 5 o'clock Monday afternoon. His son, John M. Hollidge, about 30, only other person in the car, and understood to have been the driver, was still in the hospital with injuries to his chest and back, but he was expected to recover.

The father and son were traveling northward returning to their home at Milton, Mass., a Boston suburb, after visiting Mrs. Walter A. Lane, daughter of the elder Hollidge, at Fort Lauderdale, Fla. The two men had been on a trans-continental tour by motor that took them to the Pacific coast and to Florida.

Mr. Hollidge was the owner of the C. Crawford Hollidge Company, ladies ready-to-wear store at 141 Tremont street, Boston. The son injured is understood to be a partner in the business, one of the leading retail stores of the Boston district.

on the national highway at the Mabry's store vicinity. The car, a 1939 Lincoln Zephyr convertible sedan, was almost demolished, after turning over several times. Both men were thrown clear of the wreckage. The elder Hollidge was unconscious when brought to the hospital and never revived.

The body was held at a local undertaking establishment awaiting arrival of relatives from Boston, who were understood to be enroute here by private plane.

Mr. Hollidge, a native of Washington, D. C., but for the past 25 years a resident of Milton, Mass., is survived by his widow, Mrs. Beulah C. Hollidge, of Milton; two sons, John M. Hollidge, of 3 Lawrence Road, Milton; and Crawford H. Hollidge, of 64 Weston avenue, Braintree, Mass.; two daughters, Mrs. H. J. Clapp, of Milton, and Mrs. Walter A. Lane, of Milton and Fort Lauderdale, Fla. Also surviving are three brothers, Alfred and Harry Hollidge, of Washington, D. C.; and Edward Hollidge, of Milton, Mass.

The deceased was a member of the Congregational church at Milton, where he held membership 25 years, and was also a member of the Masonic fraternity in that city.

Plans for shipment of the body and for the funeral were held in abeyance pending arrival of relatives here.

The fatal accident occurred on a sharp curve, which is not banked, charge of the service. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers had not been announced this afternoon.

MORE PATROL UNITS OF SCHOOLS GIVEN

Group to Be Instructed Wednesday at Armory in Safety Measures

Junior patrolmen have been chosen at six other schools for instructional work Wednesday at the armory on the Dabney road, it was stated today. Ronald Hocutt, state director of State Highway Safety Division will lead the instruction to the boys selected for this work. Classes begin at 10 o'clock.

Those named for the work from Henderson high school are Alton Warwick, Lawrence Finch, Guy Sumpter, E. C. Hunt, Dalton Dixon, Harry Keller, Furman Cash, James Barrier, Henry Lee Partin, Billy Houghtaling, Jesse Huffman, Hunter Dunn and Ed Langston.

Dabney high school has chosen John Brooks, Thomas Newton, Edgar Murray, T. G. Blacknall, G. D. Hunt, George Edwards, Willie Renn, Raymond Wade, O. C. Boyd, Allen Abbott, Taylor Norwood and Frank Rudd. Alternates named at Dabney are Frank Wrenn, M. C. Boyd, Leonard Barker, Bennie Harris, Eugene Spain and Kenneth Brummitt.

Central school: Billy Fowler, Peter Zouras, Eugene Grissom, I. J. O'Neal, John Hicks, Hilman Barnes, Alfred Wortham, Tommy Newman, Charles Barnett, David Lee Hope.

Junior high school: Bobby Finch, Joseph Lassiter, W. Insoce, I. J. Moore, Crenshaw Thompson, John Baily, Brady Stainback, Irvin Turner, W. O. Mitchell, Pinkney Barrier.

Middleburg High school: Maurice Fleming, Runie Walston, C. E. Reavis, James Paschall, Goode Elington, George Hendrick, Joseph Harton, Warren Short, Furman Finch, Linwood Harton.

South Henderson: Bobby Hughes, Connie Faulkner, Howard Stokes, William Choplin, Tally Perdue, Douglas Jones, S. C. Mills, Andrew Wortham, James Bowen, Edward Offen.

Belts, badges, and hats have arrived for the boys, and will be distributed Wednesday morning. It has been requested that each civic club have a representative at the instruction class.

Patrolmen named here are all active; alternates have also been chosen.

84 COUNTIES IN TRIANGLE DEBATES

Cleveland, with Nine Schools Leads Representation For State

Chapel Hill, March 28.—Eighty-four counties will be represented by 235 schools which will enter teams in the 27th annual triangular debating contests to be held throughout the State on Friday, March 31.

Teams winning both sides in the triangles will be invited to come to the University of North Carolina for the finals April 20-21.

Cleveland County, with an enrollment of nine schools, leads the State.

Four counties have seven schools each enrolled; Buncombe, Davidson, Durham and Guilford.

Four counties also have six schools each enrolled; Caldwell, Forsyth, Halifax and Rockingham.

Four counties have five schools each enrolled; Beaufort, McDowell, Surry and Wake.

Fourteen counties will be represented by four schools each: Anson, Brunswick, Carteret, Franklin, Gaston, Greenville, Johnston, Lincoln, Nash, Pasquotank, Person, Robeson, Sampson and Wilson.

Eleven counties will be represented by three schools each: Alamance, Bertie, Cabarrus, Edgecombe, Hyde, Iredell, Northampton, Pitt, Randolph Rutherford and Stanly.

Twenty-six counties will be represented by two schools each: Avery, Chatham, Chowan, Columbus, Craven, Cumberland, Davie, Gates, Harnett, Henderson, Hertford, Lee, Madison, Martin, Mecklenburg, Mitchell, Montgomery, Moore, Onslow, Richmond, Rowan, Scotland, Union, Warren, Wayne, and Wilkes.

Twenty counties will be represented by one school each: Alexander, Burke, Catawba, Cherokee, Cur-

City Seeks Water-Sewer Collections

Procedure to make collections on water and sewer line obligations in arrears by persons living outside the city limits and who receive these services provided by the city was ordered by the City Council Monday evening at its regular monthly meeting.

The manager of the waterworks department, who is the mayor, was "authorized and instructed" to collect for fire hydrants located outside the city limits, or remove these hydrants. The city had been making charges for the service for some years, but, due to the depression at the time, suspended collections temporarily in 1931, and collection has not been resumed. It has now become necessary to buy new hydrants, and the Council decided to order resumption of collections that were suspended some years ago.

The City Council also "authorized and instructed" the city attorney to sue "any and all" persons now in arrears on their sewage service. This is a charge made by the city to outsiders who connect with the city sewer service.

J. C. Kittrell and J. H. Bridgers, attorneys, made request upon the Council in writing for lists of names of "people opposing city extension recently delivered to the City Council." The answer of the Council was that it had no such lists and was for that reason unable to comply with the request. Assuming that reference was made to lists recently petitioning the Council for a hear-

MRS. RIGGAN DIES NEAR TOWNVILLE

Aged Lady Will Be Buried From Rock Spring Church Wednesday

After an illness of ten days, Mrs. Nannie Riggan, widow of the late Joe R. Riggan, died at 1:30 a. m. today at her home in Townsville township. She was 78 years of age, and a native of Granville county, but had lived virtually all of the life in the Townsville community.

Mrs. Riggan was a member of Rock Spring Baptist church, where she had been a communicant 44 years. She was one of the oldest residents of the section.

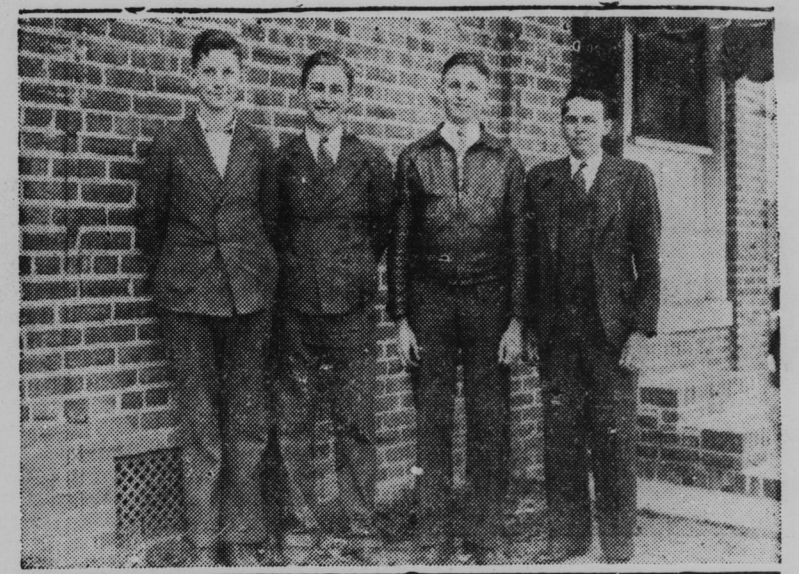
Surviving are three sons, Joseph Lee, Wallace and William Riggan, all of Townsville. Her husband died some 16 years ago.

Funeral services were announced to be held at Rock Springs church tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. J. S. Kennison, Presbyterian minister of Townsville, is to be in charge on city extension, it was held that those petitions merely asked for a hearing and did not say the signers were "opposed" to extension.



Robert Montgomery and Rosalind Russell in "Fast and Loose"—Stevenson Wednesday Only.

LIVESTOCK JUDGING CHAMPIONS



Here are the 4-H livestock judging champions of Eastern North Carolina. They comprise the Edgecombe County 4-H Club team, which won out in competition with seven other 4-H Club and vocational agricultural teams in the recent Eastern Carolina Fat Stock Show at Rocky Mount. Those in the picture, made by L. R. Harrill, 4-H Club leader

at State College, are, left to right: Sam Satterwaite, Roy Deal, and Cofield Robbins, the boys who composed the team, and P. H. Jameson, assistant county agent in Edgecombe County and coach of the team. Cofield Robbins was the high individual scorer and Roy Deal tied with Clarence Bass of the Franklin County 4-H team for runner-up honors.

rituck, Graham, Greene, Jackson, Lenoir, Macon, New Hanover, Orange, Pamlico, Pender, Perquimans, Polk, Swain, Vance, Washington and Watauga.

The following seven counties will be represented by one hundred percent membership of their respective high schools: Chowan, Durham, Halifax, Lincoln, New Hanover, Pasquotank, and Perquimans.

Returns from Hospital.

R. J. Stewart, who has been undergoing treatment at Maria Parham hospital for several weeks, has improved sufficiently for him to return to his home at route 2, Henderson.

You can easily spot the Central European capitals which are still free. They are the ones Herr Hitler hasn't yet visited.

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