



**RETIREMENT GIFT** — Mrs. Elsie B. Jilcott of Rich Square, center, who retired on September 30 from her position of 13 years as secretary-treasurer of Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Association was presented a silver service as a memento of her services by Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Chappell, on behalf of the Association. The Chappells, he is president of the association which serves Northampton, Bertie and Hertford counties, expressed their personal thanks to Mrs. Jilcott with a gift of silver salt and pepper shakers. Succeeding Mrs. Jilcott is Mrs. Cola H. Parker of Woodland.

## Weldon Attendance Is Approved By Ed Board

JACKSON — Request of Ell Bracy that his son, James Lee, be allowed to continue attending Ralph J. Bunch High School, Weldon, was approved during a brief meeting of the Northampton Board of Education Monday afternoon.

In other business contracts for nine teachers were approved and delegates selected to the State School Board Association meeting scheduled for Wednesday, October 27, in Chapel Hill.

Named as delegates were John J. Heller, Walter C. Conner and Scott Bowers. Alternates will be the remaining school board members.

In granting the request of Bracy, Superintendent Roy F. Lowry said he had been informed the Weldon school would approve any requests made to it for Northampton students who have previously attended the school.

Teacher contracts approved were:

Gumberry High School, Mrs. Essie V. Ward; Severn Elementary School, Mrs. Rocky F. Las-

litter; Northampton High School, Mrs. Joan P. Horne; Rich Square School, Mrs. Iris Stokes Ruffin, who succeeds Miss Vida Bell, who is ill.

Squire School, Robert L. Merritt, Miss Norma C. Smith, Miss Mary Thigpen, Mrs. Barbara McKenzie Gore and Miss Margie R. Cumbo.

## Board Meet Is Routine

WOODLAND — Mayor J. G. Outland and Commissioners Robert Littrell, Joseph Motzko, E. R. Powell and W. G. Wells, Jr., met on October 1 in monthly session. Action was taken on the following matters:

Policeman Bowen was instructed to cut tree limbs that obscure traffic signs.

Pipe was ordered for ditch on path to trash dump.

Ditching will be started on Ashe and Cedar Streets.

Littrell asked about the pos-

sibility of the town having a dedicated street.

Sidewalk repair contract awarded to Terry Construction Co.

Hazel Street extension awaiting receipt of Deed of Dedication.

Bids being received for construction of fence around water tank lot, and water tank painting will be done as soon as inspected for needed repairs.

Caution lights will be installed during October.

## Woodland

Mrs. Julian Parker recently spent several days with Rev. and Mrs. Earl Jones in Tuscaloosa, Ala. Rev. Jones is a past pastor

of Woodland Methodist Church. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wells, Jr., and family spent the weekend with Mr. Wells' parents in Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Parker, Jr., attended the Carolina football game in Chapel Hill Saturday.

Mrs. M. W. Lassiter of Bethel visited Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lassiter and Mrs. Essie McDaniel Sunday.

Mrs. A. S. Joyner has returned home after being a patient at Duke Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pruden visited their son, Mickel, at Hargrave Military Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cox and daughter, Jenny of Springfield, Va., spent the weekend with Mrs.

John Underwood and family. They were also dinner guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Reinhardt.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Vaughan visited her father, B. L. Sykes, who is a patient in the Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem.

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## Man Appeals Drag Racing, Bond Posted At \$1,000

JACKSON — A Skippers, Va., man is free on \$1,000 bond after appearing before Judge Ballard S. Gay in Recorder's Court last Wednesday.

The man was placed under the bond pending an appeal of a pre-arranged drag racing charge to be heard in Superior Court.

John Meredith Allen, Jr., Rt. 1, Skippers, was found guilty and fined \$500 and the court costs on the racing count by Judge Gay. He was ordered placed under bond when he served notice of appeal to the higher court.

Allen's conviction of the alleged racing charge brings a climax to a lingering case in the courts since last February. A companion in the charge had been arrested and tried long before last week's session, according to a spokesman.

Allen, a resident of Virginia, had escaped when the alleged event took place and had not been found in North Carolina since that date.

However, recently he was arrested for speeding 70 mph in a 55 zone and was taken in for the racing charge, too. Judge Gay found the man guilty on the speeding count and fined him \$10 and the costs of court.

Other matters heard during Wednesday's session of the court with Buxton Weaver assisting as solicitor were:

Horace Vinson of Woodland, assault on a female, no pros with leave on payment of the court costs.

Rommie Belfield of Roanoke Rapids, no operator's permit, fined \$25 and costs of court.

Litwood Connie Ivey of Rt. 1, Carysburg, driving while drunk, amended to driving left of the center line, fined \$10 and costs.

John Millard Long of Seaboard, speeding 70 mph in a 60 zone, fined \$10 and the court costs.

Detroit Greene of Star Route, Gaston, no chauffeur's permit,

fined \$25 and the court costs.

Eugene Glenn Scott of Carysburg, reckless driving, fined \$10 and the costs of court.

Melvin High of Skippers, Va., aiding and abetting in the manufacture of non-taxpaid whiskey, not guilty.

Zackie Webster Harrell of Jackson, speeding 45 mph in a 35 zone, judgment suspended on payment of court costs.

Charlie J. Pair, Gaston, assault with a deadly weapon, judgment suspended on payment of the court costs.

## Milwaukee

By MRS. H. L. JOHNSON  
 Mrs. F. L. Johnson left Monday to visit her sister, Miss Ethel Stanfield, in Mebane for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson visited his brother, Percy Johnson, and family in Suffolk Sunday.

Dinner guests of Mrs. Bernice Britt and Charles on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Britt and son, Ricky, of Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson attended the funeral of Mrs. W. W. Gregory of Rocky Mount Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Coggins, Jr., and boys, Dick and Richard of Richmond visited Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Coggins, Sr., on Saturday. They were en route to attend the Virginia-UNC football game at Chapel Hill.

L. C. Davis is leaving Wednesday to join his daughter, Mrs. W. J. Brown and Mr. Brown. They will tour Virginia and North Carolina.

Larry Smith of N. C. State University in Raleigh was home with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Smith, for the weekend.

Wednesday dinner guests of Mrs. Bessie Askew were Mrs. Rena Johnson and daughter, Erlene, and son, Jimmy, and Mrs. Ida Pope of Petersburg.

The Rev. J. E. Sutton is attending an evangelistic school each Monday for six weeks at Rocky Mount.

Kenneth Smith and Billy Jenkins of Camp Lejeune are home on a 20-day leave visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jenkins and Mr. and Mrs. Graham Smith.

Conway

By MRS. LEE BRITTLE  
 Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Barbour and daughters of Durham were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wheeler.

Linda Garriss left Monday for Kings Business College in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Martin of Jackson visited Mrs. Jake Lassiter Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Williams moved to Woodland Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward James and son, Eddie, spent the weekend at Nags Head.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Maddrey and family of Seaboard were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parkes Sunday.

Evelyn Darden, who has recently accepted a position in the music department at the Blackwell Memorial Baptist Church in Elizabeth City and Dwight Steiner of Hampton, Va., spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. J. P. Daughtry.

Mrs. Clifton Davis is a patient in Roanoke Rapids Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Burgess and son of Norfolk, Va., and Jan Burgess of Chowan College were Sunday guests of Mrs. Noah Burgess.

Mr. and Mrs. Dal Bridgers and daughter, Beth, of Raleigh, Mrs. Bobby Bridgers of UNC, Greensboro, and Becky Bridgers of East Carolina College, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Julian Bridgers.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Johnson and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson in Speed Sunday.

Mrs. Jake Lassiter left Saturday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. James Elliott Lassiter in Virginia Beach. She attended the christening of her grandson, Michel Emory in the Community Methodist Church at Virginia Beach Sunday.

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## Squirrel Bites Youths

JACKSON — Two young brothers were bitten here September 27 by a squirrel.

Jeit Walker and Drew Walker, sons of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Walker, received booster tetanus shots at the County Health Department after being bitten by the squirrel.

Dr. W. R. Parker, county health officer, will keep the squirrel under observation for two weeks to determine if rabies is present.

The squirrel is one of several that nest in large oak trees in the yard of the Walkers' neighbor, Mrs. J. A. Flythe.

were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Martin.

John Paul Garriss was in Raleigh Monday on a business trip.

Mrs. Bessie Sykes who has been a patient in Roanoke Rapids Hospital is spending some time with her sister in Roanoke Rapids.

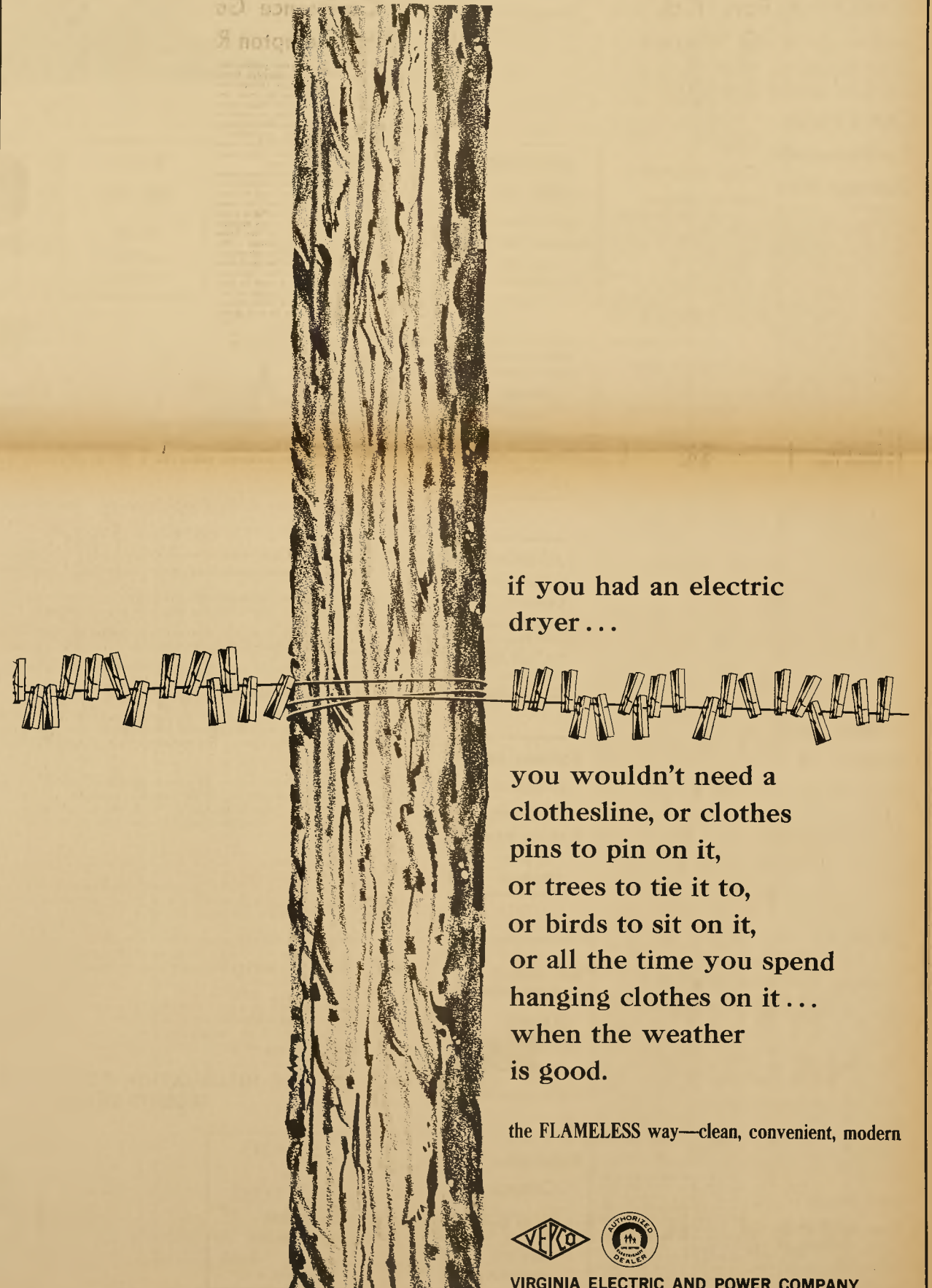
Francis Wheeler of Norfolk visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wheeler Sunday.

Mrs. Burtan Barnes returned home Saturday after spending two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Kirkham, Jr., in Richmond, Va.

Glenn Warren of Frederick Military Academy, Portsmouth, was home for the weekend.

Mrs. Ben Ricks is a patient in Roanoke-Chowan Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Edmundson and children of Roanoke, Va., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Davis.



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