

## County's Science Fairs Underway Throughout Day

The Warren County Science Fairs, both white and colored will be held today (Friday), from 9 a. m. until 9:00 p. m.

The white fair will be held in the John Graham High School gymnasium and the colored fair will be held at North Warren High School. The public is invited to attend both these fairs.

Calvin C. White, Warren County School Supervisor, under whose supervision the fairs are operated, said yesterday that judging from the exhibits in the school fairs that the fair today would be the best since the program was inaugurated.

Entries for the county science fair have been chosen from winners in the school fairs held over the county earlier in the week.

There will be exhibits in six divisions on display. They are primary, grades 1-3; Grammar, grades 4-6; Junior High, grades 7-8; High School, grades 9-12. The high schools have three subdivisions, biological science, physical science, and mathematics.

Awards will be 1st, 2nd, 3rd and honorable mention in each division.

Criteria for judging is: Scientific thought, 30 points; creative ability, 30 points; thoroughness, 10 points; clarity and dramatic value, 20 points; technical skill, 10 points.

Judges for the white fair were Mrs. Margaret Holmer, supervisor of Franklin County Schools and two science teachers from Franklin County schools. Judges for the colored fair were three science teachers from Melver High School of Littleton.

White said the science fairs are operated in cooperation with and under the rules and regulations of the North Carolina Academy of Science.

**High School Winners**  
Winners in the Norlina and

Warrenton white schools and in the John R. Hawkins Negro schools were released to this newspaper Wednesday. They are as follows:

**Norlina High School**  
Intermediate division, grades 4-5-6—Blue ribbon to Lou Hege for "Produce of Trees"; honorable mention, Jerry Yancey and Sandra Hicks for "Paths of Plants".

Miss Palmer's 4th grade—"Plant Factories."

Primary division, grades 1, 2, 3—Blue ribbon to Mrs. W. O. Reed's second grade for "Butterflies"; honorable mention to Brenda Whaley, Brenda Hamm, Harriet Sabrowski, for "Oil Experiment," and to Raby Traylor for "Dry Cell Experiment."

**Mathematics**—Blue ribbons to Ginger Hicks for "Practical Use of Congruent Triangles," to Roy Young for "Practical Use of Exterior Angles," and to the Solid Geometry Class for "Figures Used in Solid Geometry"; honorable mention to Dianne Clark for "Craft of An Equation."

**Junior High**—Blue ribbon to Bill Fleming and John Mulchi for "Distillation;" honorable mention for Buster Caulder, "Electric Motor," Becky King, "Germination of Seed," Connie Young, "Series Lighting," Donnie and Ronnie Perkinson for "Pioneer Homes."

**Physical Science**—Blue ribbons to Kenneth Franke for "Development of Photos," to Linda Staggall for "Perfume," and to Roy Young for "Turnbull's Blue"; honorable mention to John Brauer for "Water Molecule," to Janet Moody for "Crystals," and to Judy Jones for "Electricity Makes Magnetism."

**Biological Science**—Dianne Clark for "Hop-a-Long With Me," to Richard Bender for "Grow Your Plants to Music," and to Phil Perkinson for (See FAIRS, page 2)



TREE COVERED CAR Crashes Through Wooded Area Near Here Sunday

### Bids Approved

Bids for a bridge over the Roanoke River near Eaton's Ferry and its approaches were approved by the State Highway Commission at its meeting in Raleigh on Thursday of last week.

The contract for the construction of the bridge was awarded to T. A. Loving & Co., Goldsboro, for \$414,857. The contract for the approaches was awarded to S. T. Wooten Construction Company of Stantonsburg for \$493,052.40.

### A. L. Nicholson Funeral Services Held Yesterday

Funeral services for Arthur Lee Nicholson, Macon postmaster who died Tuesday night following several weeks illness, were conducted yesterday at the Macon Baptist Church at 3 p. m.

Services were conducted by the Rev. R. E. Brickwood, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Harris of the Macon Methodist Church and the Rev. Mr. Haynes of Macon. Interment was in Macon's Greenwood Cemetery.

Mr. Nicholson, who began work with the Macon post office 25 years ago and became postmaster in 1942, was a deacon of the Macon Baptist Church. He was a member of Johnston-Caswell Lodge No. 10, AF and AM, York Rites Bodies and the Sudan Temple Shrine.

He served on the Warren County Memorial Library committee and on the Warren County Historical Society.

Surviving are his wife, the former Bruce Hunt, and one daughter, Elizabeth Grayson Nicholson of the home.

## Action Is Postponed On Planning, Surplus Food

The Warren County Board of Commissioners failed to adopt a resolution which would allow for the orderly planning of the Gaston Lake area during their regular meeting here on Monday afternoon.

Instead the commissioners deferred action until a special meeting, set for March 19, to decide whether or not they will provide \$3,300 to cover part of the cost of performing planning work for the area bordering the new lake.

Howard Jones, secretary of the Warren County Planning Board, told the commissioners that it would be necessary for the board to adopt a resolution making \$3,300 available to the Division of Community Planning of the N. C. Board of Conservation and Development before federal funds could be acquired for the planning.

Jones said that the federal government would provide 45 per cent of Warren's cost in the planning and that the sum of \$3,300 could be made available to the Division of Community Planning over a two-year period. (See ACTION, page 12)



MAKING WAY FOR NORLINA POSTOFFICE—A bulldozer topples a wall of the Old Community Motor Service building at Norlina to make room for the new post office which is expected to be ready for occupancy by July 1. The building gutted by fire several years ago, will be demolished and the lot leveled before construction of the new post office begins in the next few days. (Staff Photo)

## Two Injured As Auto Clips Trees

Two Henderson men were injured three miles west of here early Sunday morning when their automobile ran out of control, cleared a ditch and driveway and sliced through several pine trees some distance from the Warrenton-Henderson highway.

Charles Augusta Woodard, 28, and Jimmy Miller, 26, were taken to Maria Parham hospital in Henderson after medical service was found not available at Warren General Hospital here.

Woodard, who suffered a broken arm and a multiple break of a leg, was driving the automobile, enroute to Warrenton shortly after midnight Saturday when the accident occurred.

Miller, a passenger on the front seat, suffered an injured arm and facial lacerations, the patrolman said.

Woodard blamed a mechanical failure for his losing control of the vehicle.

## Board Favors 4-H Removal Proposal

Plans for gradually removing 4-H clubs from county schools and reorganizing them into community clubs were endorsed by the board of county commissioners Monday.

Endorsement of the move came after County Agent Frank Reams, Assistant Agent L. B. Hardage, Home Agent Miss Emily Ballinger, and Miss Ann Racleky, assistant home agent, appeared before the commissioners to explain the plan of the extension department for a change in operation of 4-H clubs. Hardage acted as spokesman for the group.

Hardage estimated that the transition will take approximately two years.

The change-over in Warren County is part of a statewide Extension Service plan to reorganize North Carolina's 4-H program around community 4-H clubs under the direction of local volunteer leaders.

"This change should strengthen club work and provide a wonderful opportunity for the adult leadership in the 4-H program," Hardage said. "The shift to community 4-H clubs will in no way affect the major objectives, program contents and special activities of 4-H."

Hardage said that there are some 500 white 4-H club members in the nine white clubs of the county.

Organization of 4-H clubs in the communities will begin in the near future, with clubs being organized as soon as community leaders can be trained.

Hardage said an effort would be made to remove senior clubs from the high schools first.

The decision to take 4-H clubs out of the schools and reorganize them on a community basis was made by the State Extension Service following a two-year study, Hardage said.

L. R. Harrill, state 4-H club

## Labor Survey Is Planned In Area

### Hundreds Expected To Reply

Would you take a job if a new industrial plant is located in the Warrenton-Norlina-Littleton area?

This is the question soon to be answered by hundreds of area residents who would be available for employment if an industry showed interest in locating in this area.

Just how many persons in the three-town area are potential industrial workers will be determined as soon as survey forms, currently being prepared by the Bute Development Company and the N. C. Employment Security Commission, are ready for distribution.

Target date for the distribution of 20,000 questionnaire forms is April 10, Selby G. Benton, president of the Bute Development Company, said yesterday. The survey will be concluded two weeks later and forms will be tabulated by the Employment Security Commission.

"The results of this survey will in all probability weigh heavily in any industry's decision to locate in this area," Benton said. Scores of counties in the state have already conducted labor surveys and statistical data compiled from these surveys are passed on to various industrial firms.

Not only is the type of information gained from a labor survey essential for a successful program of attracting new industries, but it serves to answer questions local industries might have concerning expansion.

From the compiled data an industrial prospect will be able to determine the number of persons available for work; how many fall into each age group; the number of males and females; available degrees of education; and other pertinent information.

All answers given by individuals will be strictly confidential, Benton said. He urged every available worker—man, woman or high school senior—to fill out a questionnaire. Deadline for returning the forms will be April 22. (See SURVEYS, page 11)



WARREN DEPUTY Guards Seized Whiskey Truck

## Whiskey Truck Detained Here

A transfer truck, loaded with \$29,000 worth of bonded whiskey, rolled northward out of Warren County early Tuesday afternoon shortly after its driver was freed during a special session of Warren County Recorder's Court.

The truck, carrying 985 cases of whiskey owned by a Georgia distillery, was seized near here Saturday and its driver, 30-year-old Jesse Ranew of Albany, Georgia, arrested after a state highway patrolman discovered the truck was illegally crossing the state.

Recorder's Court Judge Julius E. Banzet absolved Ranew of willfully breaking the law that requires a permit if a vehicle is transporting more than one gallon of whiskey.

In finding the driver not guilty, Judge Banzet praised Highway Patrolman W. E. Brown for his action in the matter and said that the Vaughan patrolman "acted entirely as an officer should have" in seizing the truck and arresting the driver.

Ranew, who was not arrested until Saturday, testified that he arrived here Friday afternoon and stopped at a Wise motel to await the issuance of a gas permit by Virginia officials so that he could proceed through that state on his way to deliver the whiskey in Washington, Baltimore, and Wilmington, Del.

Saturday motel owner F. L. Hicks reportedly told patrol officials that the truck contained a valuable cargo and he wished patrolmen who periodically pass by the motel to keep an eye on it. Fear for the safety of the cargo prompted his call, he said.

Hicks also requested that a patrolman come to the motel (See WHISKEY, page 12)

## Fallow Accepts Call To Norlina Baptist Church

The Rev. Billy Fallow of Wake Forest has accepted the pastorate of the Norlina Baptist Church, effective April 5. He will succeed the Rev. Malcolm Hutton, recently resigned.

Mr. Fallow was the guest minister at services at the Norlina church on Sunday morning. Following the services, a brief business session was held and Mr. Fallow was extended a call to the Norlina church.

He and his wife and 13-month-old daughter are expected to move into the Baptist parsonage the last week in March.

Mr. Fallow is a graduate of Furman University, Greenville, S. C., and expects to receive his B.D. degree from Southeastern Seminary at Wake Forest this spring. He and Mrs. Fallow are originally from Columbia, S. C.

Mrs. Fallow is a graduate nurse of the Baptist Hospital in Columbia, S. C.

### Ice Cream Truck Looted

Four Warrenton Negroes will be placed on trial here following the confession of a 15-year-old boy that the foursome prompted and aided him in stealing \$30 in change from an ice cream truck here Sunday night.

Charlie Williams, 17, Enoch Green, Jr., 23, John Nick Robinson, 23, and David Faulcon, 19, were arrested and charged with larceny after the Negro youth told Joe N. Ellis, juvenile court judge, that he was aided in the theft by the four.

The foursome, arrested on Monday by Warren Deputy Sheriff B. G. Stevenson and Warrenton Constable W. D. Vaughan, were jailed under a \$50 bond.

Their arrest came after Gus Carroll, driver of a truck owned by the Warrenton Taste-Freeez, discovered the missing money and noted the license number of a car which sped away shortly before he found the money missing.

The theft occurred on Sling's Alley, in a Negro residential section in northeast Warrenton. The driver said that Williams came to the front of the truck and engaged in conversation with him while the youth opened the window on the back of the truck and snatched the money.

Stevenson said that the four men arrested Monday have denied any part in the act, and that the money has as yet not been recovered.

### Youth Says 4 Negroes Aided In Theft Here

A cake sale will be held here on Saturday morning, beginning at nine o'clock, at Traylor Appliances. Ladies of the Arcola community are sponsoring the sale to aid in work on the Arcola community clubhouse.

**Bruswick Stew Sale**  
A bruswick stew sale will be conducted on Saturday morning from 11:30 until 12 o'clock at the Norlina Woman's Clubhouse by the Rainbow Girls, aided by the O. E. S. Price of the stew will be 75c per quart.

**JACKSON**—An election on a million and a half dollar school bond issue will be called by the Northampton County Board of Commissioners.