

Coroner To Be Chosen Saturday

Warren County voters will go to the polls tomorrow (Saturday) to choose a nominee for Coroner in the second Democratic Primary. Seeking this position are N. I. Haithcock, incumbent, and A. C. Fair, Warrenton jeweler. Haithcock was high man in a field of eight in the Primary of May 26, with Fair in second place and eligible to call for the second primary. The polls will open at 6:30 a. m. and close at 6:30 p. m. Both candidates are urging a heavy turn-out at the polls, but a light vote is expected because there are only two candidates in the race. In the First Primary Haithcock polled 1167 votes; Fair 776 votes; Brown 567; Hunt 358; Walker 237; King 141; Burton 80; and Dowtin 41.

Sanford Has Busy Day At Kerr Lake

HENDERSON — Thousands of citizens from this area of North Carolina and numerous other states converge on the shores of Kerr Lake near Henderson every weekend for boating, fishing, swimming and to watch the others. The State's No. 1 citizen, Gov. Terry Sanford, was among them Sunday. The Governor had a busy schedule for the day but also took a brief time out for boating and water skiing.

He went on an inspection tour of lake installations by automobile and by boat with members of the Kerr Reservoir Development Commission during much of the first half of the day. He and other guests were entertained at lunch by the commission at the headquarters building at Satterwhite Point, then went to the Tarheel Marina to present trophies to winners in the fifth annual Governor's Cup Regatta staged by the Carolina Sailing Club.

After that he took a brief trip aboard a boat owned by Charles Bradshaw, Raleigh businessman, and had a short fling at water skiing. "It's a wonderful development," said the Governor after completing his tour by boat. "They're making a lot of progress."

Members of the party traveled by boat from Kimball Point to Satterwhite Point, climaxing the earlier trip by automobile. They rode on cruisers piloted by S. T. Peace, Jr., and Dr. W. W. Boltz, both of Henderson, and Roy Hall, of Raleigh. Commission members taking part in the tour and luncheon included Chairman N. W. Weldon, of Stovall; Charles Blackburn and J. C. Cooper, both of Henderson; R. C. Mitchell, Warrenton; G. E. Beale, Red Oak; W. R. Lawrence, Colerain; and Charles Bradshaw, Raleigh.

Among other state officials on hand were: Reps. A. A. Zollicoffer of Vance County, James Speed of Franklin County, John H. Kerr, Jr., of Warren County, Joe Watkins of Granville County, and Rep. Burton of Bertie County, and state senators Wills Hancock of Granville and Frank Banzet of Warren. Hugh Cannon, director of the state Department of Administration, and Roy Wilder, assistant director of the state Department of Conservation and Development, were houseboat guests of Charles Bradshaw but did not take part in the events. Bill Staten, of Sanford, Democratic national committee man, was a member of the governor's party. Park Superintendent Paul Anderson conducted the tour, and he and Chairman Weldon explained the commission's projects and future goals for lakeshore development. The weekend turnout at all parks was consistent with the large crowds that have been on hand each Sunday this spring when weather has been favorable. Gov. Sanford and members of his party stopped for refreshments twice during the tour, and the governor took time out on several occasions to mingle with the crowds and discuss the lake with others. It was his first official visit to the area.

Miss Harris Named Area Dairy Queen

Nancy Rose Harris of Warrenton, winner in the recent county Dairy Queen contest, was district winner in a contest held in Raleigh on last Friday.

Miss Harris, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Harris, won the district contest in a field of six, representing Fuquay Springs, Oxford, Franklin County, Warren County and Chatham County. She will compete in the state contest at Asheville on July 11.



NANCY ROSE HARRIS

Enterprise Club Holds Meeting

LITTLETON — Mrs. Robert Walker was hostess to the Enterprise Home Demonstration Club last Thursday with Mrs. Mattie Walker as co-hostess. Mrs. A. C. King, president, presided and Mrs. Walker gave the devotional and the demonstration on "Meals From Frozen Foods."

Chicken a la King, garden peas, strawberry shortcake and iced tea, prepared by Mrs. Walker, was served to Mesdames A. C. King, Sue Skinner, John B. Stansburg, W. B. Stansbury, Engie Stansbury, Ernest Jones, Ernest Bobbitt, Luther Bobbitt, Nettie King, Mamie Fimple, Bernice Moore, Alma Webster and Emmitt Reid.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Peete and family of Durham were dinner guests of Mrs. C. H. Peete and Mrs. Nancy Blankenship on Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd Crosse and daughters of Elizabethtown are guests of Mrs. James Fullock.



CLARA ZELLA EVANS sits in her wheel chair on the porch of the Indian Church at Bethlehem on Sunday morning, while Mrs. Elizabeth Burwell, Public Health Nurse, and Boyd Reams, President of the Warren County Chapter of Crippled Children and Adults, stands beside the chair. The chair was bought with funds provided by the sale of Easter Seals at the request of the Welfare and Health Departments. (Staff Photo)

Seal Sales Funds Buy Wheel Chair

A young Indian woman of the Arcola section of Warren County is finding new pleasure in a wheel chair bought for her with funds provided by the Warren County Chapter of Crippled Children and Adults. Clara Zella Evans, 26, daughter of the late Johnny Evans and Margie Hedgepeth Evans, and ward of her uncle, Jesse Hedgepeth, is suffering from Friedrich's Ataxia—similar to muscular dystrophy, which has caused her to lose control of her muscles. Unable to walk, the young woman has been largely confined to her home, but on Saturday was brought to Warrenton in her wheel chair, where she visited several stores, and on Sunday morning attended Sunday School at the new Indian Church at Bethlehem. Co-operating with the Crippled Children's Society in obtaining the wheel chair were the Warren County Welfare Department and the Health Department, and the chair was bought at cost through the Warren General Hospital.

Miss Evans has been under the supervision of Mrs. Mildred Adams, case worker with the Welfare Department for several months and receives regular visits from Mrs. Elizabeth Burwell, Public Health Nurse. The cheerfulness and courage of Miss Evans in the face of a hopeless disease, were praised by Mrs. Burwell upon the occasion of a visit to Bethlehem Sunday for picture-taking. Reams asked that the people of Warren County be thanked for their purchase of Easter Seals which made possible the purchase of a wheel chair for this stricken young woman.

Recreation Program Is Now Under Way

The Warrenton summer recreation program, which began here on Monday morning, is meeting with growing interest, Coach Preacher Parker, director, said on Wednesday night.

Parker said that attendance on the opening day was 47. On Tuesday the number was 48 and on Wednesday 49. He said he expected attendance to increase.

Around 35 or 40 high school and college age youths were present for the sock hook and square dance instruction on Tuesday night. Parker said these events would be held in the gym each Tuesday and Thursday nights. In the morning the boys are instructed in the fundamentals of baseball, stance, batting, fielding and position. Morning activities of the girls vary from table tennis to kick ball, relays and indoor softball.

In the afternoon the girls have been playing table tennis, badminton and square dancing. The boys' afternoon program has been mostly concerned with baseball and basketball. The four-week program has three more weeks to go.

Mrs. J. V. Allen and daughter, Gwendolyn, were luncheon guests of the Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Bruce and daughter, Debbie, at Colerain on Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Dillard is visiting relatives in Richmond, Va., and also visited relatives in Washington, D. C., while there.

County Tax Rate Cut In The Tentative Budget

No Change Likely In Town Tax Rate

No change in the tax rate for Warrenton for the 1962-63 fiscal year is anticipated. The Board of Town Commissioners on Wednesday night adopted a tentative budget calling for a tax rate of \$1.15, the same rate that has been in effect here for several years. Of this amount 45c will be for bond purposes and 70c for general purposes. The tentative budget must lie open for 20 days before its final adoption, but no changes in the budget sufficient to alter the rate are expected.

Warren County taxpayers will for the second straight year receive a cut in their county tax rate if the tentative budget approved by the commissioners on Friday night is approved without change. The tentative budget calls for an overall rate of \$1.70 for the 1962-63 year, compared with a \$1.74 rate for the 1961-62 budget. The tentative budget must lay open for public inspection for 20 days before it can be adopted by the commissioners. While in years past there have been changes in tentative budgets, usually the tentative figures are adopted without change. The tentative budget calls for a total outlay of \$318,015.32, of which \$137,072.32 is derived from ad valorem taxes. This compares with \$323,417.24 for the 1961-62 budget, of which amount \$144,458.24 was received from taxes. Schools account for \$206,016.32 appropriated for the tentative budget. This is broken down into \$122,940 for current expenses; \$48,700.00 for capital outlay and \$35,000 for capital reserve fund. The schools' appropriation under the tentative budget compared with a total of \$204,590 for 1961-62. In spite of the increase in the amount of appropriation for schools and some slight increases in other departments, the commissioners were able to cut the tax rate in the tentative budget by 4 cents. This was made possible, in part, by a slight increase in valuations, the consolidation of the Health Department with that of Franklin County, and a \$20,000 surplus in the General Fund. The 1962-6 valuation of Warren County is \$20,300,000; compared with \$20,186,000 in 1961-62, an increase of \$114,000.

Defendants Given Another Chance

Several defendants in Recorder's Court will not have to serve prison and or road terms provided they meet the conditions of their suspended sentences.

Robert Carter, was sentenced to the roads for 60 days when he was found guilty of an assault with a deadly weapon. The sentence was suspended for two years upon condition that the defendant pay a \$25.00 fine, court costs and violate no criminal law of the state for two years.

William S. Short, was in court charged with manufacturing illegal whiskey, having material to manufacture illegal whiskey for purpose of sale. He was given a 90-days road sentence in each of the first two cases. In the manufacturing case the sentence was suspended for five years upon condition that the defendant pay a \$150 fine and court costs and that he violate no prohibition laws for five years. In the possession of material case, the same provisions were imposed except that the defendant was only taxed with court costs. Prayer for judgment was continued for two years in the possession case provided the defendant complies with the terms of the suspended sentences in the other two cases.

Curtis Newsom was found guilty on a non-support charge. Prayer for judgment was suspended for two years upon condition that the defendant pay court costs and that he pay to Mrs. Allen Newsom \$12.50 semi-monthly for the support of his minor children. The case was retained for further orders.

Robert A. Etheridge was in court, charged with non-support and trespass. A nol prosequit was taken in each case.

Henry Louis Tally was fined \$15.00 and taxed with court costs when he was found guilty of reckless driving charge.

Robert Lee Pitchford was found not guilty on a reckless driving charge.

Tyree Finch Farrar failed to appear in court to answer to a charge of operating a motor vehicle without an operator's license. Defendant was called and failed, and his bond was declared forfeited.

Melvin Lawrence Parham was required to pay court costs and a \$5.00 fine when he was found guilty of speeding.

A case against Willis Rogers Dale, charged with non-support, was nol prosequit.

Robert E. Mathews was in court on a non-support charge. He was found not guilty.

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Date Is Determined For School Opening

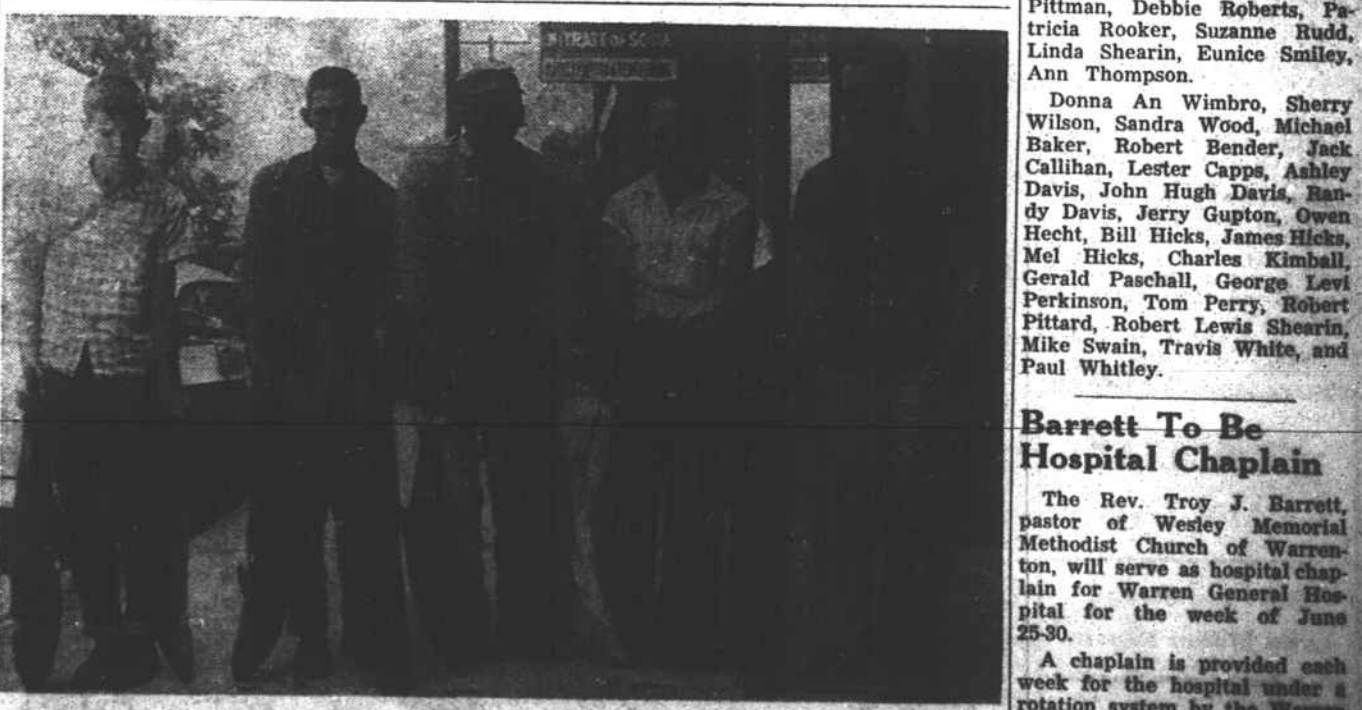
Warren County Schools will open for the 1962-63 session on Monday, September 3, it was learned this week from the office of the Superintendent of Schools. Supt. Roger Peeler said that teachers would report for duty on August 29. The school children will have a two-day holiday at Thanksgiving, with all schools being closed on Thursday and Friday, November 22 and 23. The Christmas holidays will begin on December 21 and end on January 2 when schools will re-open. Only one day is expected to be observed for Easter, Monday, April 15. The Warren County schools are expected to end their sessions on May 28, unless bad weather should cause loss of time, as is usually the case. Days missed on account of snow and other bad weather during the school session is sometimes made up on Saturdays, but the Board of Education took a dim view of this practice at their June meeting when the school calendar was adopted. The members held, that due to poor attendance on Saturdays, that it would be better if the school session was extended instead of teaching on Saturdays. While the schools are scheduled to close on May 28, 1963, teachers will be required to remain on duty for two extra days, May 29 and 30.

4-H Members To Leave For Camp

Fifty-one Warren County Junior 4-H members will attend camp at Millstone next week, Monday through Saturday, L. B. Hardage, asst. County Agent, and Mrs. Ann R. Killian, asst. Home Agent, in charge of 4-H work in the county, announced yesterday. Several 4-H members are awarded free trips to the camp, the agents said. Eight were voted on to go as representatives from their various clubs. The money was raised through the sale of 4-H first-aid kits. Claborne Holtzman and Carol Taylor will represent the Norlina Junior Club; Alice Stevenson, Nancy Ayscue and Jimmy Rivers will represent the John Graham, Junior Club; Cheryl Daniel will represent the Norlina 5th and 6th Grade Club; and Johnny Acai and Sylvia Shearin will represent the Littleton Junior Club. Others who are to attend camp are Mrs. Willie Norwood, adult leader; Hardage and Mrs. Killian, Mrs. Chub Holtzman and the following 4-H Club members. Linda Carol Ayscue, Sandra Lee Cook, Sandra Copley, Frances Davis, Mary Ann Davis, Helen Diamond, Jan Hawks, Claudia Ivey, Valeria Miles, Ellen Lustinan, Linda Norwood, Nettie Overby, Beth Pittman, Debbie Roberts, Patricia Rooker, Suzanne Rudd, Linda Shearin, Eunice Smiley, Ann Thompson. Donna An Wimbrow, Sherry Wilson, Sandra Wood, Michael Baker, Robert Bender, Jack Callihan, Lester Capps, Ashley Davis, John Hugh Davis, Randy Davis, Jerry Gupton, Owen Hecht, Bill Hicks, James Hicks, Mel Hicks, Charles Kimball, Gerald Paschall, George Levi Perkinson, Tom Perry, Robert Pittard, Robert Lewis Shearin, Mike Swain, Travis White, and Paul Whitley.

Barrett To Be Hospital Chaplain

The Rev. Troy J. Barrett, pastor of Wesley Memorial Methodist Church of Warrenton, will serve as hospital chaplain for Warren General Hospital for the week of June 25-30. A chaplain is provided each week for the hospital under a rotation system by the Warren County Ministerial Association. The duties of the chaplain include checking in each morning to visit new patients and to notify their ministers that they are in the hospital. The service also provides counseling when so desired.



A group of Warren County men enjoyed good fishing off Morehead City on last Friday afternoon in the Charter Boat Bunny, with Capt. Buck Buchanan as skipper. The catch included a King Mackerel and eight Amberjacks, for a total of approximately 300 pounds. The largest fish weighed 30 pounds. The men brought their fish to Warrenton on Saturday morning where they posed for their picture with their catch. The fishermen are, left to right: Raymond Aycock, Rufus Sorrell, C. R. Adcock, Richard Berry, and Allen Adcock. (Staff Photo)