

Candidates Win Place On Town Board

Two former commissioners dropped from the board in the election of two years ago were again placed on the board in Tuesday's election.

In their return to the board Walker P. Burwell received 212 votes, and A. D. Johnson received 211 votes out of a total of 346 votes cast.

Mayor W. A. Miles, running without opposition, polled 246 votes, but his vote was reduced by write-in ballots for ten men as follows: Hugh Holt 1, Sam Warlick 2, Nat Hilliard 1, A. A. Wood 4, Jimmy Roberts 3, S. O. Nunn 3, B. G. White 2, E. T. Odum, Jr. 1, Frank Daniel 1, and Jim Kerr 1.

Thomas Gaskill, seeking re-election, led the ticket among the commissioners. Other candidates elected to the seven-man board were: A. C. Blalock 228, A. C. Fair 244, Dixon Ward 225, W. L. Wood 209, and Burwell and Johnson.

Unsuccessful in their bids for a place on the board were Fred Hurst—incumbent—193, James Burton, Jr., 56, Major Pope Powell 171, and W. Faulk Alston 137.

Three write-ins gave Hugh Holt, A. A. Wood and James Polk one vote each.

Only six of the present seven-man board sought re-election as Hugh Holt did not file for re-election.

Tent Meeting To Be Held Week May 12

An old-fashioned tent meeting, sponsored by the Warrenton Pentecostal Holiness Church, will be held on the Warrenton-Norlina Road, beginning on May 12 and continuing through May 26. The public is invited to attend.

The Rev. Leon Pate of Selma will be the guest speaker. The Missionaries Quartette of Roanoke Rapids, with Jimmie Thompson as pianist, will be guest singers on Sunday night.

Army Physician To Aid In Health Work

An Army physician assigned to Halifax County for a year's study will assist with the health program in Warren County, Dr. Robert Young, health director for Warren County, told the commissioners on Monday.

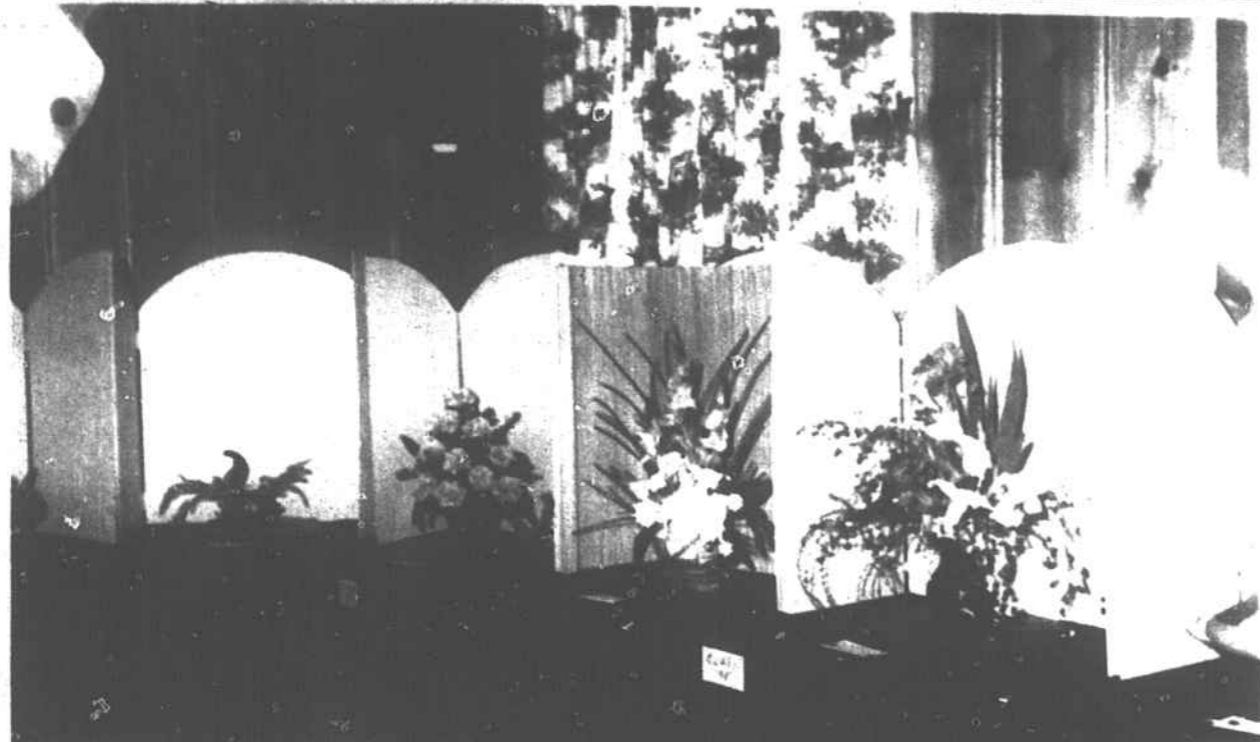
Dr. Young who is health director for Halifax County, serves Warren County on a part-time basis.

The Halifax County Health Department, Dr. Young said, has been officially notified, jointly by Dr. K. D. Higgins, State Board of Health, and by Colonel C. M. Eberhart, Office of the Surgeon General, that Major Ralph A. Kilby will be assigned to the Halifax County Health Department on July 1, 1963. This assignment will be for the purpose of serving a Residency in Public Health.

Dr. Young said that Warren and Halifax Counties are extremely fortunate to obtain the services of a man with the training of Major Kilby. A man of this type, he said, could be expected to draw an annual salary of \$15,000, but the costs to the two counties will only be his travelling allowance.

Dr. Young said the health department was certified several years ago for a Residency Training by the American Health Association when Dr. Haven Emerson, New York City, visited Halifax County and personally reviewed the Public Health Program.

Dr. Kilby received an A. B. Degree from Williams College in Massachusetts and his M. D. Degree from the University of Buffalo Medical School, Buffalo, New York. He completed a Residency in Internal Medicine



ONE OF MANY BEAUTIFUL DISPLAYS VIEWED BY HUNDREDS OF PERSONS AT STANDARD FLOWER SHOW

Judge Hurt; Hundreds Of Persons Attend First Standard Flower Show

The May Term of Warren County Superior Court, scheduled to open here on Monday morning with Judge William Bickett of Raleigh presiding, was not held.

Failure of the court to be operated was due to injuries received by Judge Bickett in an automobile accident last Thursday in which he suffered several broken ribs and a finger broken in two places.

Most of the jurors were notified that the session would not be held prior to the scheduled time of opening, but a few jurors made the trip to town to find their appearance was not necessary.

Clerk of Court Joe Ellis opened the court on Monday morning in the absence of Judge Bickett, in order that the jurist might be able to sign necessary papers, if called upon to do so, at his Raleigh residence.

Not only Garden Club members, but many of the townspeople, children and interested persons from Norlina, Littleton, Oxford, Roanoke Rapids and Henderson attended the Flower Show at the Country Club on Tuesday, May 7. It was sponsored jointly by the Warrenton Garden Club and the Little Garden Club.

Flower arranging at the present time goes beyond the pretty bouquets of yesterday and the arrangements at the show received praise from the National accredited judges who judged all the exhibits. Judges were Mrs. W. C. Coker, Mrs. F. H. Edmister, Mrs. Carl Pegg, Mrs. Roy M. Homewood and Mrs. Andrew Shearer of Chapel Hill and Mrs. Charles T. Wilson of Durham.

Fifty arrangements were judged in the Artistic Arrangement group. Blue award winners were Mesdames Bob Bright, Duke Miles, John Williams, Ben Harris, Claude Bowers, Margaret Barnes, J. T. Mitchiner, Richard Coleman, Si Hoskins, Charles Parker, Scott Gardner, Charles A. Tucker, W. L. Wood, R. B. Butler, Robert Cline, Boyd Davis, W. A. Graham, Lyle Jacobs, F. P. Whitley, Tom Brown, T. W. Hawkins, Sherry McCarroll, Nat White, Harry Williams and Monroe Gardner.

The co-chairmen of the show, Mrs. Monroe Gardner and Mrs. Boyd Davis, were especially pleased with the response in the Junior Artistic exhibits. Their arrangements for the teacher's desk and depicting fairy tales showed creative ability. Blue award winners in the Junior division were April Andrews, Janet Gardner, Meredith Bullock, Valerie Fleming, Ellen Twitty, Dale Overby, Eleanor Davis, Kay Ward, Kathy Bullock, Kearny Davis, Chal Ward, Helen Holt, Vivian Williams, Bobby Miles, Laura Bennie Davis, Elizabeth Williams, Kathy Williams, Irene Bowen, and Girl Scout Troop No. 174.

The gardener who can exhibit the best single specimen of a flower is really the "down-to-earth" gardener who claims "growing flowers" as her hobby. Mrs. Margaret Barnes fits this description and won the Sweepstake

Episcopal Services To Be Held Sunday

Services will be held at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Ridgeway, on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the Rev. James M. Stoney, rector, announced yesterday.

Mr. Stoney also said that a special service of praise would be held at Emmanuel Episcopal Church at 5:30 p. m.

Return From Europe

The Rev. J. R. Link accompanied Mrs. Link and Mrs. Hugh White from Raleigh on Wednesday. Mrs. Link and Mrs. White have been on a singing tour in Europe for several weeks.

Fish Poison Source Traced To Paper Co.

RALEIGH — A mysterious poison which killed thousands of fish on the Roanoke River last month has been traced to the Albemarle Paper Co., Roanoke Rapids plant.

The State Stream Sanitation Committee was told Tuesday an accidental spillage of 10,000 to 15,000 gallons of waste containing resin acid soap hit the river April 21.

Committee Chairman E. C. Hubbard said he feels the firm will take whatever measures necessary to prevent a repetition of the accident.

The committee planned a hearing to determine if an order should be issued requiring preventive measures. The date has not been set.

Hubbard said the company has cooperated with the committee in the past "by providing facilities for reducing its waste load and controlling its discharge under normal operating conditions in a manner such as to meet

Award of the show for receiving blue ribbons in the Horticulture division. Mrs. W. A. Graham, another enthusiastic gardener, won the Merit Award for the best single specimen of the show—a blush peony. Blue award winners in Horticulture were Mesdames F. P. Whitley, Fred Newsom, Norman Blaylock, Nat White, W. A. Graham, Brown Crinkley, Nancy C. Bobbitt, Charles White, John Williams, W. L. Wood, Mildred Felter, and Mrs. J. T. Mitchiner.

When a group of Garden Club women get together, they do things. We wish to (See SHOW, page 4)

Move To Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ellis will leave Saturday for Norfolk, Va., where they will make their home. Mrs. Ellis is the former Miss Elizabeth Hester of Warren Plains.

Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Warren County T. B. and Health Association will be held on Monday night, May 13, at 7:30 in the Health Center. All interested persons are invited to attend.

Four John Graham Students To Study Advanced Mathematics

Four rising seniors at John Graham High School have been notified of their selection to attend the National Science Foundation Cooperative College—school science program for the study of advanced mathematics at N. C. State College from June 10 to July 20.

Students selected for this honor, Principal Tom Brown said yesterday, are Roddy Drake son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Drake; Billy and Edward Shearin, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Shearin; and Rickey Stoney, son of the Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Stoney.

Brown said the students have shown ability in leadership and scholastic aptitude. They were selected on the basis of personal interviews and competitive examinations given recently at N. C. State College. Dr. W. A. Reid, director of the school, congratulated the boys this week upon their fine record.

There will be no charges made for instructional costs and an additional grant is given to aid in transportation and lunch expenses.

PRE-SCHOOL CLINIC

A pre-school clinic will be held for the Vaughan Elementary School and North Warren School on Tuesday morning, May 14, beginning at 9 o'clock, Mrs. Rose Perkins, Health Nurse, announced on Wednesday.

Rural Fire Department Seeks To Obtain \$10,000 From County; Tentative Budgets Submitted

The Warren County Rural Fire Department on Monday requested the Board of County Commissioners to place in the 1963-64 budget the sum of \$10,000 to defray the costs of operating the Warrenton Rural Fire Department and its auxiliaries.

Appearing before the board to submit its budget and request the donation from the board were Fire Chief Jimmy

Roberts and firemen Irvin Lancaster, A. A. Wood, Charles Bowen and Monroe Gardner.

Lancaster also said that the board would be asked for a contribution towards the building of a new fire house at Warrenton. The fire company has a lot, Lancaster said, but it is estimated that the building will cost some \$18,000.00.

The delegation received a friendly welcome and were complimented upon the fine service it has rendered the county Commissioner Richard Davis noted that in the recent forest fire here that the firemen had saved at least 16 homes, which he estimated conservatively to total \$160,000. "That would cover many \$10,000 donations," he said. However, the board made no commitment, and told the firemen that their request would be considered when other budget requests are studied.

Alston Again Airs Welfare Dept. Views

W. Faulk Alston, Warrenton citizen, disturbed about the way the Warren County Welfare Department is performing or not performing its duties, appeared before the Board of County Commissioners on Monday for the third straight first Monday to lodge a protest.

Alston told the commissioners that some 300 persons had told him that they thought he was right in his protest and that something ought to be done. He said that he felt that as a start the commissioners might fire Julian Farrar, Welfare Superintendent. He was also somewhat critical of the requirements that case workers must have a college education, holding that a bright high school student could do the work, at a considerable savings to the county.

Chairman Amos Capps inquired what Alston meant by his or else and wanted to know should the board consider that a threat? Alston said no.

Then Capps ended the discussion on a friendly note by recounting an anecdote. "That reminds me," Capps said, "of the man who told his boss that he was going to get a raise or else."

When the boss wanted to know what the man by or else, he replied, either get the raise or else will keep on working at the same salary."

Much of the time of the board Monday was consumed with discussion of tentative budgets. Julian Farrar asked for approval of budgets in four categories of welfare work: aid to the blind, old age assistance, aid to dependent children and aid to disabled. The commissioners requested a total budget before approving these four items.

C. P. Gaston, Warren County chairman of the Capital Area Development Association, requested \$300 to pay Warren County's part of the budget for the CADA which includes seven counties.

Dr. Robert F. Young, health director, read his budget requests and was asked to leave copies with A. P. Rodwell, for the next meeting.

Les M. White, III, was named as appointee to county Board of Public are.

Diverted Wheat Land May Not Be Grazed

Land which is being diverted under the 1963 Wheat Stabilization and Grain Program may not be grazed from May 1 until November, T. E. Watson, office manager of the local ASCS Committee, said yesterday. Any grazing between May 1 and November 1 will be a violation of the Wheat or Feed Grain agreement.

Watson said any diverted land which is planted to a wildlife food plot or to an oilseed crop, including soybeans, may not be grazed during 1963.

Seven J. R. Hawkins Students Selected For Who's Who In H. S.

Seven students at John R. Hawkins High School have been approved for membership in "Who's Who Among Student Leaders in High Schools of America," J. E. Byers, principal, announced yesterday.

They are Annie Pearl Burnett, Evelyn Henderson, Johnnie Mae Jones, Nannie Gray Kearney, Willie Beatrice Mayfield, Raymond Clayton Perry, and Shannon Turner.

Byers said the students were selected on the basis of scholarship, leadership in academic and extracurricular activities, service to school and community, and promise for future usefulness.

Established in 1934, "Who's Who Among Student Leaders in High Schools of America," is a nation-wide, non-profit organization designed to give national honor and recognition to deserving high school students and to encourage them to develop their talents by continuing their education.

Each student is awarded a certificate with the Gold Seal of recognition. The student's name and biography appears in the official publication for the current year. Letters of recommendation are written upon request of the student to any college or university for scholarship or entrance references. Letters are also written to prospective employers. J. J. Jordan, school council advisor, is the sponsor for these students.

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