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Schools To Open Here On Sept. 2

Warren County Teachers Begin Work Aug. 28

Warren County schools will open on Tuesday, Sept. 2, it was decided by the Board of Education in session here Monday night.

Teachers will begin work on Wednesday, August 28, but will have Monday, Labor Day, as a holiday. Other events on the school calendar adopted by the board are:

Oct. 11, East Piedmont District Teachers Tea meeting for Negro teachers; Oct. 25. Central District Tea meeting for white teachers; Nov. 28 and 29. Thanksgiving holidays; Dec. 21-Jan 1, inclu-Christmas holidays; March 30, Easter holiday; May 27, school closes; May 28 and 29, teachers' extra days.

In other action at the Monday night session, the board approved the election of the following teac! 3rs: Betty Williams, Norlina; Carolyn Teachey, John Graham; Louise Haywood, Vaughan; Martha Ann Overby, Norlina; Marie Antionette Warren, North Warren; Doris G. Parker, North Warren.

The board also approved a resolution to pay school em-ployees on the 25th of each month and approved janitors salaries.

The term of employment of J. E. Byers, principal of John R. Hawkins High School, and G. H. Washington, North Warren High School was approv-Byers' term of employment is 11 months and Washare based on the number of to Hubquarter Creek on the who was absent from the teachers in their schools.

It was announced that two zoned. automobiles have been purerintendent of schools, and after Jack Harris, a member on the north side of the lake.

for Calvin White, school sup- of the Warren County De- Commissioner R o b e r t

classrooms at John R. Haw- a request that the area be The motion was seconded by kins High School for the use zoned. He brought with him Commissioner A. J. Ellington of an increased number of a petition from several prop- and unanimously passed. The rooms are ex- crty owners in the area appected to be completed in proving the project. Harris



Jimmy Roberts, center, chief of the Warrenton Rural Fire Department, is presented a certificate by County Commissioner Alfred Ellington Monday night following completion of a 30-hour training course by local rural firemen. At right is Ernest T. Little, assistant chief of the Roanoke Rapids Fire Department,

who served as instructor for the training course. Ellington made the presentation on behalf of the Warren County Board of Commissioners. Firemen who completed the course, sponsored by the N. C. Division of Vocational and Industrial Education, are pictured on page

Sick Bats Could Have Rabies, Warns Doctor

Children are warned not to been found in Rowan County of The Warren Record and pick up or try to play with and the affected animals are of the Littleton Observer. They may be now found in 40 states.

carrying rabies. Dr. Robert Young, county cident a bat flew through an and to tell children not to health director, told the coun- open window of an automo- try to pick one up. ty commissioners Monday that bile and bit a child, Dr. bats infected with rabies have Young asked representatives

Board Orders Gaston

Lake Property Zoned

An area of Gaston Lake behalf of Marvin Newsom,

Recounting that in one in
warn about the danger of bats

For Service

The unfortunate thing about bats is that while they can drawn by the county commisdoes not prove fatal to them, Dr. Young said.

Dr. Young said that while rabies has greatly decreased among dogs due to the vaccination program, that the disease is increasing among ley, Roger C. Moore, F. L. wild animals.

Appearing before the board with Dr. Young was Major ington's is 10½ months. Both from the Halifax County line chairman of the commission, R. A. Kilby, a graduate of ert P. Carter, R. Melvin Williams College and the Uni. Shearin, Price Robertson, D. versity of Buffalo, who is S. Wimbrow, James B. Har-

On the brighter side, Dr. Maynard, Sr.

Phone Improvement Project Under Way In Area Of Warren

A telephone improvement project-designed to provide service for 22 applicants in the Grove Hill, Arcola, Bethlehem and Inez areas of Warren County-is expected to be H. T. Pitts, area manager

construction plans call for placing more than 11 miles star football game. of large-size feeder cable and four miles of smaller distribution cable and wire in the southeastern portion of the

ture expansion of telephone service in the area.

Howell Steed Named To School Post

Vance

Steed, 54, will begin his duties Sept. 1 at a salary of \$350 per month, with a \$100 additional automobile allowance. He will serve white and Negro schools of Hender son and Vance County as attendance officer.

A nine-month per year job the post was created this year. Steed was selected from among 20 applicants

Request Of Negro Boy Is Denied

Application To Afton-Elberon School Barred

The request of Leonard Lewis Davis, Jr., for reassignment from Coley Springs school to the all-white Afton-Elberon school was denied by the Board of Education at a meeting here Monday night.

Denial of the request was based on the contention that the Negro boy's admittance would not be for the best interest of the child and would disrupt the orderly operation of the Afton-Elberon school.

Davis is the first Warren County Negro to seek admission to a Warren County white school.

Jurors Drawn

Jurors for the September term of Superior Court were transmit rabies the disease sioners on Monday as follows: W. L. Fuller, Milton Car-

roll, Sue D. Skinner, R. T. Hardy, Herman Newsom, F. E. Wilson, Fred M. Hurst, C foxes, coons, skunks and other Hicks, Leonard L. Paynter George A. Shearin, A. L. Edwards, James W. Clark, Rob-

Young commented on the John W. Felts, Frank J. litic cases in 1959 to 109 lie L. Currin, Ernest Turner, revealed. cases in 1962, he said. The Philip J. Bender, Wilbert E. cases in 1962, he said. The Philip J. Bender, Wilbert E. Stainback, Clarence E. Har-Crop Reporting Service of the number from 2,195 in 1962 In that event, all Harrington, D. L. Newsom, Miss Emily Ballinger, James C. Matthews, Linwood Ayscue.

Warren Youths Will Do Battle For North

Two Warren County youths will do battle for the North completed during September. Friday night when North and South football teams square for Carolina Telephone, said off at Greenville for the first annual Boys Home Bowl all

Billy Rogers, 6-3, 205-pound center, of Warrenton and Charles Moore, a 5-11, 200pound Littleton guard, will be members of Roxboro Coach The project, expected to Morris' North squad. Both cost approximately \$46,500, are slated to see considerable will provide facilities for fuduty in the Jaycee-sponsored event.

> Slated for East Carolina's stadium, the game will be held for the benefit of the Boys Home at Lake Waccamaw, a home for neglected underprivilged homeless boys

Members of the North and mer Warrenton merchant, has South squads will have a been named truant officer of week of workouts under County public their belts when the game gets under way.

Returns Home

Mr. W. R. Strickland returned to his home on Friday after being a patient in Warren General Hospital for a week. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kesler of Henderson and other relatives from Goldsboro and Rocky Mount visited him while there.

He is a native of Vance
County and a 1928 graduate
of Middleburg High School of Mrs. W. K. Lanier, is reHe is the former owner of a
dress and shoe store in WarHospital from a fractured
shoulder sustained in a fall.

Mrs. S. D. Edwards, mother
day's crowded docket, the
following action was taken:
Eugene St. John Saffell

Board Suggests Compromise Plan



Ninety pounds of rockfish were pulled from Roanoke Rapids lake by two Warren Plains fishermen last week, Making the catches were Willie Joe Robertson, left, and John Capps. The two fishermen used spinning rods to land the 12 rockfish. Largest fish in the day's catch weighed 1112 pounds.

Drop In Warren Farm Population Reported

success of oral vaccines in Foster, John Ball, Mrs. Eu- Warren County farms during Only partially offsetting mentary and high school edu-Nearly 200 persons left for sale.

or the previous year.

The report, a preliminary than a year earlier. study of figures compiled by 1962 only 17 per cent, or district to Norlina beginning farm census supervisors and 37,534 of the county's 220, with the 1964-65 school year, township listers and presented 737 acres of county farmland and the Vance County schools to Warren County commissioners, showed that the 1962 crops. Of this cropland, 21 not to send school buses into harvested cropland acreage per cent was used for the pro- the Drewry section of Warren was about 2,400 acres below duction of cotton, and an County to pick up pupils. 1961. Smaller acrages in identical percentage was util

and soybeans.

fective against all three types ris, H. M. Fuller, Mrs. Lillian N. C. and U. S. Departments to 1,930 this year, while the County students in the Mid-M. Robinson, E. R. Wood, of Agriculture showed that N. R. Woodall, H. M. Williams, Sr. W. Cook Down 1963 farm populations. Sr. W. Cook Down 1963 farm populations. Sr. W. Cook Down 1963 farm populations of the North 1963 farm p liams, Sr., W. Cook Dowtin, Neal Capps, T. P. Pinnell, ed with a figure of 11,497 inventories of brood sows and would make this concession

sweet potatoes and vegetables vated acreage.

re slightly larger

Jail Sentences Given In Recorder's Court Friday

four days to one year were Banzet.

for sale, gave notice of appeal to Superior Court after at \$100.

Also taking an appeal was ing, costs. Anthony Davis, Jr., charged

A four-day jail sentence was imposed on Howard Carter.

Emma Robinson

abetting in the transportation

J. C. Denton, bad check 30-day sentence. Denton was James R. Williams, speed-

Talmadge Kyzer, Sr., speed-

ing, costs. Lambert Parks, speeding,

Erby Nichols. Neyron speeding, costs.

James Russell, speeding, disobeying stop sign, \$10 and

\$10 and costs. J. Edward Davis, speeding.

Middleburg Gets Pupils

New Students To Begin At Norlina

A compromise settlement of he differences between certain school patrons in the Drewry section of Warren County and the Norlina school board over the attendance of Warren County students in the Middleburg school in Vance County was indicated at a meeting of the Norlina board with the Board of Education here Monday night.

The Norlina school board had previously requested that the Board of Education assign all pupils in the school district to the Norlina High School. The Board of Education had approved this request, with the exception that all high school students from Warren County now at-tending the Middleburg school permitted to continue their education at the Middleburg school upon individual requests to the Board of Education for assignment.

This decision of the Board of Education aroused the protest of Vance school officials and the parents of children Drewry community now attending the Middleburg school. Subsequently, efforts have been made to reach a compromise agreement.

The Board of Education suggested that a compromise might be worked out whereby all pupils from the Drewry area now attending the Middleburg School might be permitted to complete their elereducing polio. Cases have gene Spraggins, Clyde V. 1962, a farm census report these decreases were increases cation in that school, provided the school was not changed in acreages of cotton, tobacco in a proposed consolidation decreased in program in Vance County.

> would agree to send all new The report revealed that in students in the Norlina school

Members of the Norlina 1962 were reported for corn, ized for corn production. To- school board said they would peanuts, wheat, oats, barley, bacco acreage accounted for not rescind their action in sorghum grains, hay, potatoes, 16 per cent of the total culti- requesting all pupils in the Norlina school district to be assigned to the Norlina school, but if the Board of Education overruled them in the interest of community harmony, that they would willingly accept the board's decision

If the Vance County authorities and the Drewry patrons Lyons, agree on this compromise gal whis proposal, with a written agreement, the Board of Education voted to accept the compromise arrangement.

Nurse Treated Here After Fall At Lake

A Suffolk, Va., nurse rereceived emergency treatment here late Saturday after she broke her leg in a fall from water skis near Kimball's Point on Kerr Lake.

Mrs. M. E. Hall was trans ferred to a Suffolk hospital after receiving treatment here. Paul Anderson, superinter ent of the Kerr Reservola Development Commission, said Mrs. Hall realized she broke her leg in the fall and tread-ed water until help arrived.

She requested an air m Kenneth Ellwood Spruil, operating at a greater speed than prudent under present conditions; failure to operate motor vehicle on right side (See COURT, page 8)

She requested an air mattress on which she could lie and keep her leg straight until she could be hospitalized. Anderson said Mrs. Hall was camping at Kimball Point prior to the accident.

Scholarship Winner Roy Edward Young, son of

Norlina Youth Named

Mr and Mrs. Eugene Young, Norlina, Rt. 1, has been awarded Sears-Roebuck Scholarship at North Carolina for study during the coming academic year.

Young is a rising sophomore in the university's School of Agriculture. He is studying agricultural engineering.

Sears-Roebuck, through its foundation, provides scholarhelp outstanding young people develop their potential for agricultural leadership.

Dr. E. W. Glazener, director of instruction for the School of Agriculture, says Young was selected for the honor because of his scholarship, leadership and agricultural background.

Services At Ridgeway

Services of Holy Commun ion will be observed at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Ridgeway, on Sunday after-noon at 3 o'clock, the Rev. James M. Stoney, rector, announced this week.

Lack of funds in the dog amount of \$630. He was told ed that there are fourteen department Monday barred that the dog funds had been families living on this route, the collection of damages by exhausted and that there were which is a mail route and two Warren County farmers. James T. Harris appeared

before the commissioners at their morning session asking damages for sheep killed by He said 36 sheep and lambs had been killed by dogs and asked for damages in the

calves killed by dogs. Mose the exception of Commission

time for the 1964-65 session. appeared before the board in Victims Of Killer Dogs

no funds to meet his claim. traveled by three school buses.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hayes of Norlina are pictured in

front of their 1911 Empire automobile during a recent

eastern national tour of the Horseless Carriage Club

of America. The Norlina couple received a trophy

after being selected as the best dressed couple in the

costume competition. Presentation of the trophy was

made at Washington's Shoreham Hotel, following a

parade of the restored cars past the White House. Some 43 cars, dating from 1901 to 1915, were entered

Find Funds Unavailable

Under the law property

cover damages caused by dogs Library Board as a represent-

damages in the amount of All the commissioners were \$150 for a cow and two present for the meeting with

owners are permitted to re-pointed as a member of the

from the dog fund, after in ative of the Board of Comvestigation by an appointed missioners. Also failing to collect was that a beer license be issued N. G. Moseley who sought to Norman I. Haithcock.

south of the lake is now county Monday. The Board of County Commission would not request at ioners ordered the area zonthis time the zoning of the at their Monday meeting area in Warren County lying.

Harris said that the commission would not request at in public health in Warren Clary, Mrs. L. W. Overby, Mrs. Irene S. Short, E. H. for the use of J. sioners ordered the area zon- this time the zoning of the Comer Griffin, assistant sup- ed at their Monday meeting area in Warren County lying

Commissioner Robert velopment Commission, ap Thorne made the motion that The board voted to add two peared before the board with the proposed area be zoned.

In other matters before the board, the commissioners or of polio. dered that a beer license not be granted to W. G. Sykes of Roanoke Township. A delegation appeared before the board requesting the improvement of road No. 1521 from Long's Crossroads to Odell ir Fishing Creek Town-

Richard R. Davis was ap-

The commissioners ordered

ley did not appear before the er Richard Davis, who was ab board but sent in his claim. sent from the county. county.

Howell Henry Steed, for

school system.

seeking the job.

One defendant Robert Lee Alston, charged with trans- of illegal whiskey for the purportation of illegal whiskey pose of sale, not guilty. receiving a one-year sentence. found not guilty on a charge His appearance bond was set of skipping a hotel bill.

with speeding. Davis drew a 60-day sentence, suspended for two years upon condition he surrender his operator's license for 90 days, operate no motor vehicle for 90 days and pay a fine of \$100 and costs. His appearance bond was set at \$100.

Jr., found guilty on an assault charge. Carter was also In other cases set on Friday's crowded docket, the Eugene St. John Saffell,

Jail sentences ranging from drunk driving, \$100 and costs. imposed on defendants in transportation of illegal whis-Warren County Recorder's key for purpose of sale, not Court Friday by Judge Julius guilty. Mary Towns, aiding and

Walter E. Carter, speeding, \$10 and costs.