

Plans Completed For Anti-Polio Campaign In Warren County

Plans were completed Monday night for an all-out effort to wipe out polio in Warren County by the giving of oral vaccine to all persons in Warren County from the ages of 6 weeks to 100 years.

Meeting in the court house here some 150 persons heard the plan explained by Dr. R. S. Cline, who presided over the meeting and showed a film strip explaining the Sabin Oral Polio Immunization Program.

Dr. Cline told the group that the vaccine is given on cubes of sugar and that no after effects have ever resulted. The immunization is permanent, he said, but he urged all persons who have had immunization shots previously to take the oral vaccine to be assured of permanent protection against the disease.

The program is being sponsored by the Warren County Medical Society in cooperation with the North Carolina Board of Health and is being held simultaneously in 15 North Carolina counties. Physicians, pharmacists and nurses will give their time free, but a charge of 25¢ will be made for each dose of vaccine, to cover its cost and incidental expenses. However, Dr. Cline stressed the fact that no one would be refused the vaccine because of lack of funds.

Dr. Cline urged that Warren citizens of all races take all

three of the doses offered on three Sundays for protection against all three types of polio. For three Sundays three clinics will be held simultaneously in the county—at the Health Center at Warrenton, at the North Carolina Woman's Clubhouse, and at the Afton-Elberon Community Clubhouse.

The first of these clinics will be held on Sunday, March 22, beginning at noon and continuing until 5 o'clock. Stephen Dantel was named co-ordinator at Warrenton; Scott Gardner at Warrenton; and William H. Bender at Afton-Elberon.

Dr. Cline said that transportation could be a problem and urged that car pools be formed by volunteers in each community. The second clinic will be held at the three points on April 19 and the third on May 17. A doctor, a pharmacist, a nurse and volunteer workers will be present at each clinic. These workers and alternates have been appointed by Dr. Cline.

Dr. Cline said a "wet run" for volunteer workers and their families would be held at the Health Center on Sunday, March 15, at 3 p. m.

Facts sheets will be sent out through the schools, bumper stickers are being given out, and placards are being displayed at public places in order to publicize the effort to stamp out polio in Warren County.

Hall Rites Held Here On Friday

Funeral services for Miss Emma Hall, who died last Thursday, were conducted from Emmanuel Episcopal Church Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Rev. James M. Stoney, rector. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery.

Miss Hall, the daughter of John and Emma Jenkins Hall, was born at Ridgeway but spent practically her entire life in Warrenton where she attended the Misses Hawkins School. She worked as secretary-stenographer for the Hal T. Macon Insurance Agency and later with the Warrenton Grocery Company in a similar position.

She was a member of Emmanuel Episcopal Church of Warrenton and a former member of the Order of the Eastern Star.

She is survived by one brother A. Weldon Hall of Warrenton; two sisters, Mrs. Bettie Hall Johnson of Raleigh and Mrs. Josie Hall Montgomery of Warrenton; by two nieces, Mrs. William H. Hughes, Jr., and Mrs. A. W. Knox, Jr., both of Raleigh; and by a nephew, A. Weldon Hall, Jr., of Durham and Warrenton.

Local PTA To Hold Meeting At Macon

The March meeting of the John Graham-Macon-Mariam Boyd PTA will be held at the Macon Junior High School on Tuesday night, March 17, at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Boyd Davis, president, announced yesterday.

Mrs. Davis said that the PTA had accepted the invitation to meet at Macon so that the parents could attend the school's science fair. She said that important business will also be discussed and that parents are urged to attend.

Monday Last Day To Turn In Acreage

The closing day for releasing cotton acreage is Monday, March 16, T. E. Watson, ASCS office manager, said yesterday.

In urging farmers who have not done so to surrender cotton acreage they do not intend to plant on or before Monday, Watson said that farmers note that the deadline is Monday, not Tuesday as inadvertently stated last week.



MRS. L. R. HARRIS

Mrs. Harris Candidate For M. Of Y.

A Warrenton woman has been nominated as a candidate for the title of 1964 Mother of the Year for North Carolina.

Mrs. Lemuel R. Harris of near Warrenton is one of 42 North Carolina women to be nominated for this honor. Her nomination was made by the Warren County Council of Home Demonstration Clubs and announced in a feature article by Meredith Council in Sunday's News and Observer, which related that:

Mrs. Harris, the former Jessie Eubank, has three children, Mrs. Etta Louise Loyd, a music teacher, L. R. Harris, Jr., who works with the State Revenue Department, and Marvin E. Harris, a farmer. She attended Washington Collegiate Institute, Columbia University and the University of North Carolina.

Mrs. Harris, a member of the Macon Home Demonstration Club, has served as Warrenton County Home Demonstration Council president, Macon Community Club president, a Parent-Teacher Association and Woman's Society of Christian Service president.

Mrs. Harris, a teacher, is author of "Legends and Stories of Famous Trees," which was the result of a hobby. She is active in many phases of the Methodist church.

Also among the 36 women nominated for Mother of the Year was Mrs. Carey Newton Castleberry of Sanford, mother of Miss Rita Castleberry, assistant home economics agent of Warrenton County.

GOES TO ROXBORO

Howard F. Jones, III, who for the past several months has been associated with The Warren Record in its publication, left Saturday for Roxboro where he has assumed the position of editor of the Roxboro Courier-Times, a semi-weekly paper.

March Civil Court Term Ends Tuesday

The March Civil Term of Superior Court, which convened here on Monday morning with Judge J. William Copeland of Murfreesboro presiding, adjourned shortly before noon on Tuesday, with no case reaching the jury and only one judgment being rendered.

The jury was dismissed for the day shortly after court convened Monday and found no cases to be tried when they returned Tuesday morning.

Judgment was rendered in one case when Frank Serls, T/A Serls Hardware Company was awarded a judgment in the amount of \$7 and court cost when the defendant failed to appear in court.

Cases of VEPCO vs. Hal Connell et ux, and C. P. Gaston vs. Edward L. Baxter was continued.

Other cases docketed for trial were settled out of court. They were:

Harry Lawrence vs. Haywood Montague et als.

Charles Adler vs. Haywood Montague et als.

Security Loan Corp. vs. Tom and Ola Wilson.

Tom Lewis Rooker vs. Vernon Lewis Carroll et als.

Defendant Draws Long Road Term In County Court

Assault, trespass and indecent exposure resulted in a defendant in Warren County Recorder's court last Friday drawing an aggregate of 36 months on the roads.

Thomas Alston was found guilty of assault in two counts and was sentenced to the roads for two years on one count and one year on the others. Also charged with trespass and indecent exposure, he had another six months on the roads added to his sentences.

Amos Ellis, was found guilty on a larceny count and sentenced to the roads for two years. He was also found guilty of breaking and entering and sentenced to the roads for two years. An appeal was noted in each case and appearance bond was set at \$250 in each case.

William Fogg was ordered to pay court costs when he was found guilty of breaking and entering.

Norman Judkins, Jr., was sentenced to the roads for 60 days when he was found guilty of reckless driving and with operating a motor vehicle without a driver's license. He noted an appeal and bond was set at \$100 for his appearance in Superior Court.

Johnnie Lee Skipwith pled guilty to a charge of reckless driving and driving with im-

Hawkins High School Under Patrons' Fire

Board To Adjust Tax Valuations

The Warren County Board of Commissioners will meet on Monday morning at 10 o'clock when they will sit as a Board of Equalization and Review.

The commissioners meet as a Board of Equalization and Review Board each March and such meetings are the only time that the commissioners are permitted to make changes in the valuations placed on the books by the tax of the county. At such meetings property on which timber has been cut, houses burned, or the value of the property otherwise decreased the commissioners usually grant some decrease in the valuation of such property. On the other hand when it becomes apparent that some property is out of line with neighboring property, the valuations may be increased. Net results in years past has been small change in the total tax values.

Taxpayers who have any complaints over the values placed upon their property by the assessors are urged by the commissioners to appear before the Board of Equalization and Review on Monday and make their complaints known. The commissioners emphasize the fact that this is the only time during the year that they are empowered to make any changes in valuations.

John William King, Jr., was charged in the February 27 session of Warren County Recorder's Court with failure to yield right-of-way, and not with drunk driving and leaving the scene of an accident—as stated in The Warren Record, issue of March 6.

A Correction And An Apology

The Warren Record regrets its error, retracts the statement and apologizes to Mr. King for any embarrassment the error may have caused him.

Town Buys Chassis For New Fire Truck

A new fire truck for Warrenton came a step nearer on Monday night when the town commissioners approved the purchase of a chassis and amended specification on the fire truck.

The board authorized the purchase from Griffin Motor Company of Louisville of a 1964 Ford C750 tilt cab, cab and chassis with 153-inch wheel base for the fire truck at a cost of \$4,016.54, including 1 1/2 sales tax in the amount of \$59.35.

The same motion authorized an amendment to the contract with John Bean Division, FMC Corporation to provide for forward compartment for tilt cab with coat rack at added cost of \$386.10.

The fire truck, which was bought on the third of March is expected to be delivered here sometimes in July.

In other business during the one and a half-hour session, the commissioners granted permission for a sign to be hung across Main Street from Wednesday through Monday at intervals of three weeks to advertise the Oral Polio Vaccine Clinic.

John Graham Wins In Overtime At R. Mount

John Graham High School Yellow Jackets will enter the semi-finals tonight (Friday) as the result of a double overtime victory over Gold Sand in play at Rocky Mount Wednesday night.

John Graham's opponent tonight is expected to be either Lucama or Red Oak, depending on the outcome of the game between the two schools scheduled for Thursday night.

Should the locals win tonight they will enter the finals Saturday night from which the winner will go to Durham for State play-offs.

The game at Rocky Mount, played before a jammed house was broadcast over a Henderson radio station and was a scoring duel between Al Blacklock of Warrenton and Freddie Edwards of Gold Sand. Blacklock netted 30 points and Edwards netted 31, in a see-saw battle that saw the game tied 12 times and the lead change

hands 24 times.

Gold Sand took the opening tap-off and ran up 5 points before John Graham netted its first basket. John Graham whittled down this lead and at one time led the Gold Sand boys by 5 points, only to see this lead cut and Gold Sand go ahead by 6 points.

Near the end of the final quarter, with Gold Sand leading 60 to 58 and with seconds to play, Billy Benson of the Yellow Jackets sank a basket to send the game into overtime.

In the first 3-minutes overtime, Gold Sand controlled the tap and stalled for a winning shot, which it missed in the closing seconds, with neither team making a point. John Graham got the tap in the second overtime and iced the game with a field goal and with 4 points from the foul line as Gold Sand repeatedly fouled their opponents in an attempt

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Discharge Of Byers Requested

Many patrons are dissatisfied with the operation of John R. Hawkins Negro High School at Warrenton. The Warren County Board of Education was told at its Regular meeting on Monday night.

Some 20 members of the executive committee of the NAACP appeared before the Board of Education to voice their dissatisfaction and to request the removal of J. E. Byers as principal from the position he has held for the past ten years or more.

The meeting was held in the Grand Jury Room of the court house and lasted for about an hour. The NAACP group was headed by Ernest Turner, president.

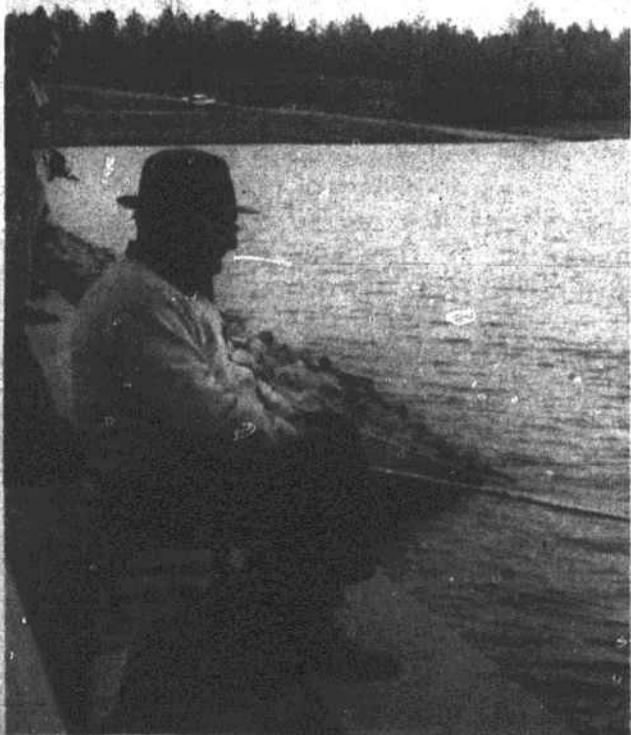
The complaints of the committee had been placed in writing in the Grand Jury room, but board chairman E. R. Davis said that they had read the complaints only a few minutes before and had not had time to give it proper study.

The delegation with John Ellis and Mrs. Robert Ransom acting as chief spokesman, with others adding their comments, alleged that Principal Byers, due to his arrogant manner and dictatorship, had alienated the support of the patrons, and had made it impossible for John R. Hawkins to obtain qualified teachers.

Mrs. Ransom charged that his practices towards both teachers and patrons were those of a dictator; that his attitude had made it impossible to maintain an effective PTA, and that his control of his teachers was tyrannical. "No teacher," she said, "is allowed to call upon the parent of a child until she has received the permission of the principal. They are told where they must stay, and forbidden to have a key to the house where they stay. They are afraid to teach because they do not know when a remark heard over the intercom system may result in a call to the principal's office and a lecture."

As a result of this, Mrs. Ransom said, the school has obtained a black-eye among teaching institutions and teachers are warned against teaching in Warren County. Not only has Byers' conduct, Mrs. Ransom said, (See HAWKINS, page 4)

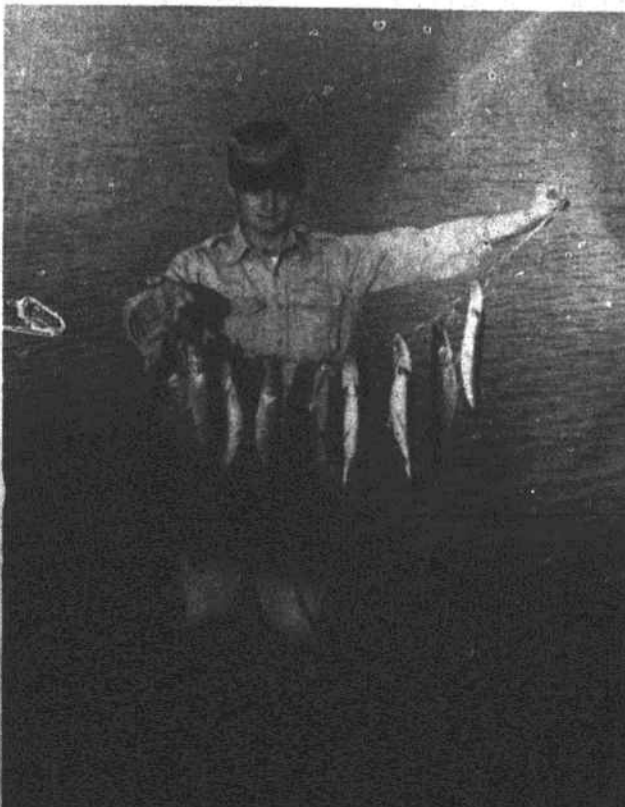
SIGNS OF SPRING . . . Fishermen Busy At Gaston Lake On Sunday Afternoon



Unidentified man finds solid comfort in fishing at Salmon's Marina.



Across the road boy tries luck with rod and reel. (Staff Photos)



Bobby Schuster exhibits catch from bridge near Oliver Davis home.



Tom Davis, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Davis, finds no time for fishing.