

Industrial Committee Appointed By Board

Changes In Zoning Approved By Board

Changes in the zoning ordinances on Gaston Lake were approved by the Warren County Board of County Commissioners on Monday following a public hearing when no one appeared to oppose the changes. On motion of Commissioner Richard R. Davis, which was seconded by Commissioner Amos L. Capps and duly carried, it was ordered that the amending of the Zoning Ordinance of Warren County and Lake Gaston Area be adopted in full as presented and copied in the Minutes of July 6, 1964.

Marvin Newsom, chairman of the Warren County Planning Board, who was present with other members of the board and with representatives of the State Department of Conservation and Development, said the purpose of the amendment was to simplify and make less expensive the transfer of lots in the area.

Newsom said that he was very much gratified at the development of the Lake. Several houses have already been constructed on Gaston Lake, he pointed out and inquiries reveal that there will be many more. An encouraging note, he added, is to be found in the number of retired persons who have expressed their interest in building permanent homes on the lake.

A pressing need, Newsom told the commissioners, is for the construction of more roads around the lake. He suggested that commissioners from Northampton, Warren and Halifax Counties, and members of

the planning boards of the three counties, meet with the State Highway Commission at an early date to expedite construction. The commissioners agreed and Newsom said that he would set up an appointment.

In other matters during a full day, the commissioners authorized the payment of \$175.00 to King Implement Company in Littleton for the replacement of a glass breaker during the January election.

Miss Sandra N. Scott was appointed as Secretary in the Negro Agricultural Extension office to replace Miss Evelyn Boyd, resigned. There was no change in salary.

The commissioners ordered that \$25.00 be paid Blaylock Funeral Home for the burial expenses of Mrs. Conner.

Julian Farrar, Supt. of Welfare, appeared before the board to discuss the need for more money for a sterilization program in the county. He said that the sterilization of five women had exhausted the fund, and that several other women had expressed desire to be sterilized. Farrar suggested that the board might contact the Hospital in the hope that they would continue this work without charge. The commissioners expressed the opinion that free treatment by the hospital would tend to nullify the benefits of an increase granted the hospital in the budget. Farrar said that he would continue his search for methods of free treatment as he considers this phase of his work most important. With this statement the commissioners agreed.

An organizational meeting of the newly formed Warren County Industrial Committee was scheduled to be held at the office of W. Monroe Gardner, chairman, here last night at 8 o'clock. Gardner said Tuesday afternoon that all newly appointed members of the committee had been contacted and had agreed to attend the meeting when W. J. Benton of Louisville, Franklin County industrial engineer, was expected to be present to aid in the committee organization and to discuss methods of obtaining an industrial engineer.

The committee of nine, nominated by the Bute Development Company, were appointed by the county commissioners at their Monday meeting here. Three of the members were appointed for three years; three for two years; and three for one year.

Appointed for three years

were E. G. Hecht, Sr., Dennis Rose, and Monroe Gardner. Two-year appointees were Billy Fleming, Ellis Fleming and Frederick Williams. Appointed for one year were Joe Newsom, W. K. Delbridge and Selby G. Benton. The commissioners agreed that one-year committee members would be eligible for re-appointment at the expiration of their terms.

Monroe Gardner was appointed temporary chairman of the committee.

Gardner told the commissioners that he had already contacted the State Department of Conservation and Development and that it had promised its assistance in obtaining a director and in other ways. He told the commissioners that he thought it is essential that the program be organized as early as possible here and said that he hoped to have the first meeting this week.

Board Takes Dim View On Sunday Beer Sales

The Warren County Board of County Commissioners take a dim view of the sale of wine and beer in Warren County on Sunday.

The commissioners Monday unanimously passed the following resolution:

"Resolved that after careful consideration of the advisability of permitting the sale of beer and wine between the hours of 11:45 p. m. on Saturday until 7:30 a. m. on the following Monday, the Board hereby finds that the continued prohibition of such sales, in their discretion, is desired and necessary."

Action of the board followed the presentation of a letter from the State Board of Alcohol Con-

trol by Mrs. Pauline Burnett of Roanoke Township, stating that the hours of sale of beer and wine was in the discretion of the Board of County Commissioners. Mrs. Burnett had previously appeared before the board asking that she be permitted to sell beer on Sunday and her application had been denied on the grounds that it was a State matter.

The commissioners said Mrs. Burnett's application was the first received asking for Sunday sales, but with the development of Kerr Lake that many other applications were to be expected. In passing the resolution the commissioners said they wished to establish a policy of no Sunday beer and wine sales in Warren County.

Non-Support Cases Heard In Court

Four cases of non-support were tried in Warren County Recorder's Court last Friday, with two of the defendants found not guilty.

Freud of the non-support charges were Bennie Perry and William Louis Southerland.

Thomas Hawkins pled guilty to the non-support charge and was sentenced to the roads for six months.

John Richard Bullock, who pled guilty to a non-support charge, was sentenced to the roads for 60 days. The sentence was suspended for two years upon condition that he pay into the office of the Superintendent of Public Welfare of Warren County \$5.00 per week to support an infant child, John Richard Bullock, born to Minnie Lee Durham, first payment to be made August 7, 1964 and pay court costs.

While Bennie Perry was freed on a non-support charge, he was found guilty of an assault on a female and was sentenced to the roads for six months. The road sentence was suspended for two years upon condition the defendant not violate any criminal laws of the state for two years, remain of good behavior and pay court costs.

John Wilson Clark was found guilty of reckless driving and was ordered to pay a \$100 fine and costs.

Herman Alston, Jr., was fined \$100 and taxed with court costs when he was found guilty of drunk driving.

James Edgar Hight, who was found guilty of an assault on a female, appealed to Superior Court. Appearance bond was set at \$250.00.

Winelle J. Green was in court charged with two offenses of giving bad checks. It appearing that the defendant had made the two checks good, he was charged with court costs.

Only one speeding case was in court. Rayford McCoy Nicholson pled guilty to a speeding charge and was ordered to pay court costs.

Kimball Re-elected Warren ABC Board

Allen J. Kimball of Manson was re-appointed a member of the Warren County ABC Board at a joint meeting of the boards of health, education and commissioners on Monday afternoon.

The meeting was held in the commissioners room Monday afternoon and presided over by County Attorney James Limer. There were no other candidates for the position and the meeting lasted for about five minutes. Kimball's appointment was for three years.

W. L. Turner Named District Chairman

W. L. Turner of Warrenton was appointed District State Chairman for Work with the Blind by Bryant Kirkland, Lions District Governor of District 31-G at installation services held at the Sir Walter Hotel in Raleigh on Monday night.

Attending from the Warrenton Lions Club were Lion and Lioness W. A. Miles and Mrs. Miles, Lion and Lioness W. R. Drake and Mrs. Drake, Lion and Lioness W. L. Turner and Mrs. Turner, and Lion and Lioness Monroe Gardner and Mrs. Gardner.

Farmer To Work Here With Father

William F. Farmer, Jr., who graduated in Pharmacy at the University of North Carolina in June, will return to Warrenton where he will be associated with his father in the operation of Boyce Drug Company.

He is expected to begin his work around the middle of August, it was learned yesterday.

Mr. John L. Vaughan is a patient in McGuire Veterans Hospital in Richmond, Va.



Past Masters honored on Monday night are shown above, left to right: kneeling, Dr. Rufus S. Jones, James Carr Moore and William Duke Jones; standing, D. F. Blaylock, Richard R. Davis, J. Ed Rooker, L. O. Robertson, J. D. Roberts, Randolph Morris, A. D. Johnson, J. A. Ross, Hy Diamond and Claude B. Bottoms. At right, Grand Secretary Charles A. Harris presents Life Membership to James Carr Moore.



Tobacco Meeting To Be Held At Oxford Today

An important flue-cured tobacco information meeting will be held this afternoon (Friday) at 2 o'clock in the courthouse in Oxford, L. D. Reese, manager of the Warren County Farm Bureau, announced yesterday.

B. C. Mangum, president of the North Carolina Farm Bureau Federation, and W. E. Little, commodity director of the Federation, will be the speakers.

Reese said that three-fold purpose of this meeting is: 1. Bring before our tobacco leaders and other farmers of North Carolina the most current information available on the tobacco situation; 2. Expose the problems and areas of concern to tobacco farmers; and 3. Encourage County Farm Bureau to inform and involve the maximum number of farmers this fall in making recommendations on tobacco to the county, state and American Farm Bureaus.

Boyd Reams, president of the Warren County Farm Bureau, yesterday urged that everyone make an effort to attend this (See MEETING, page 8)

Past Masters Presented Jewel Pins At Supper

Past Masters of Johnston-Caswell Lodge No. 10, A.F. & A.M., were honored at a barbecue-brunswick stew supper at a state communication held in the Lodge Hall Monday night. During the regular meeting they were also presented Past Masters Jewels by Most Worshipful Past Grand Master and Grand Secretary Charles A. Harris of Raleigh.

The Grand Secretary also presented James Carr Moore with a 25 year certificate and Life Membership award for outstanding Masonic service to the Lodge. Moore has been a Mason for more than 40 years and has held every office in the Lodge and in addition has been Lecturer for many years.

The meeting was presided over by Past Master J. Ed Rooker who recognized Past Masters and visitors. Attending the meeting in addition to the

Grand Secretary was the assistant to the Grand Secretary, Robert P. Dudley of Raleigh.

Two Communities Consolidated By ASC Committee

The combining of the Roanoke Agricultural Community with the River Community was announced yesterday by W. S. Smiley, chairman of the ASC County Committee.

Smiley said the change has been approved by the North Carolina State ASC Committee and will take effect beginning with the community committee elections in Sept. 1964.

It will be effective for all other programs administered by ASCS Smiley said.

Extra Funds To Be Spent On Rural Roads

A windfall of \$22,531.00 secondary road funds available for Warren County will be used for extending the county road system, it was agreed between the county commissioners and Highway District Engineer F. W. Adkins here Monday.

Adkins was accompanied to the board meeting Monday morning by J. H. Beddingfield, Warren County Highway Department, and both discussed road needs for the county with the commissioners in a session that lasted for about an hour. Adkins said the \$22,531 fund was above the sum allotted for the last year.

It was agreed that of the amount available that \$12,000 would be spent in the Rose Hill Development in Kerr Lake. Part of the fund is to be spent on .6 mile on the Vicksboro Road, on the Seymour Richardson Road near Arcola, and the remainder of the fund would be spent on the Fleming Mill Road connecting the Churchill Road to the Eaton Bridge Road at the home of R. K. Sadler.

Inability to obtain right-of-ways on some suggested roads led the commissioners to adopt in principle a rule that where right-of-ways were denied on any road to which funds would ordinarily be awarded that such funds would be used for some other project.

Following the decision between the commissioners and the Highway Engineer, the board passed a resolution requesting the State Highway Commission

to carry out the construction which had been agreed upon. This was the first appearance of the new District Engineer before the commissioners. Adkins recently succeeded Roger Dowlin of Warrenton as district engineer with headquarters in Henderson.

BRICKHOUSE TO PREACH

The Rev. R. E. Brickhouse, retired minister, will be the guest preacher at Warren Plains Baptist Church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The public is invited to attend.

Boyd To Head Annual Warren Scout Drive

Pett B. Boyd of Warrenton, president of the Citizens Bank, has been appointed chairman of the annual Boy Scout campaign for Warren County.

A member of the Warrenton Rotary Club and Wesley Memorial Methodist Church, Boyd has been active in the business, civic and religious affairs of the community for many years. As chairman of the Vanwarco District Boy Scout campaign, his primary concern will be to provide the means for expanding the number of Scout units, and for providing the means for service to the units and their leaders.

The Vanwarco District, made up of Vance and Warren counties, now serves over 1400 boys and 400 volunteer leaders. The Occaneechee Council, made up of Vanwarco and eleven other districts of central North Carolina, serves over 23,000 Scouts and 7,000 volunteer leaders. Boyd said an active program is planned by the professional and volunteer leaders to stimulate and hold the interest of the many boys throughout the districts in the council. Scouts of the Vanwarco Counties attend summer camp at Camp Durant and W. D. Campbell. They have earned over 1,000 rank advancements and 15 God and Country Awards in 1963. Thirty Scouts attended the National Jamboree at Valley Forge and over 400 Scouts have participated in camporees, Pinewood Derbies, Junior Leader training and many other activities of character building and citizenship training.

The 1964-65 budget to provide these and other services for Scouts in the Occaneechee Council, Boyd said, is \$312,000. The request for Scouting from the Vanwarco District is \$14,927. In addition to the above program and services contributions help to provide professional help, training and aid to leaders, visual and library program materials, advancement awards, 1000 acres of training camps, a Scout service center located in Raleigh, and a never ending flow of aids from the (See BOYD, page 5)

Letters Omitted

We have received two letters within the past week concerned with activities of The Friends in Warren County. The first letter was unsigned and, following a rule of this newspaper, is unpublished. We have commented on this letter and our rule in an editorial to be found on the editorial page.

The second letter arrived after our editorial page had been made up and too late for comment. This letter is in two parts, the first of which questions the editor about a headline in which it was stated that The Klan is Blamed For A Missile Being Fired into the quarters of The Friends Over Brown's Superette. We have no objection to publishing that part of the letter if the writer, who signed his name, so desires, and will so notify us.

The second part of his letter is concerned with alleged activities of The Friends. Believing that the publication of this part of the letter would make both the writer and this newspaper liable for a suit for libel, the letter is not published.

We welcome letters upon any subject, but they must be signed by the writer and they must not be of a libelous nature.

THE EDITOR.



GAIL FLEMING



ANNE HICKS



GAIL MYRICK

D. A. R. Good Citizens Named

Three Warren County High School girls have been selected as DAR "Good Citizens" by the Warren County Chapter of the Daughter of the American Revolution.

Glenda Gail Myrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Carl Myrick of Rt. 3, Littleton, will represent Littleton High School; Anne Bramble Hicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hicks of Norlina will represent Norlina High School and Nancy Gail Fleming, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Goode C. Fleming of Rt. 2, Henderson, will represent John Graham High School. Announcement of the selec-

tion of the three rising seniors as "Good Citizens" was made this week by Mrs. J. M. Stokes of Littleton, "Good Citizens" chairman of the Warren County Chapter.

The three girls were selected by students and faculty members of their respective schools on the following qualities: (1) Dependability, which includes truthfulness, loyalty and punctuality; (2) Service, cooperation, courtesy, consideration of others; (3) Leadership, personality, self-control, ability to resume responsibility; (4) Patriotism, unselfish interest in family, school, community

and nation. The winner in each school is entitled to a certificate of award and a "Good Citizen's" pin. A \$100 savings bond will be awarded to each of the two state winners who will be guests of the State Society of the State Conference. Mrs. A. M. Cornwell of Lincoln is State DAR Regent, Mrs. F. O. Yates of Ashboro is State chairman of "Good Citizens". Mrs. W. A. Graham of Warrenton is Warren County Chapter Regent and Mrs. J. Milton Stokes of Littleton is "Good Citizens" chairman of the Warren County Chapter.