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MERRY CHRISTMAS



Norlina All-Stars To Play 1962 Team Here

Members of the John Graham High School 1962 basketball team will again play as a unit next Tuesday night, Dec. 28, when they will honor the memory of Gordon Halthcock, Jr., their late teammate, and play to raise funds for a scholarship in his memory.

Willie L. Norwood, Jr., an outstanding student and athlete of the John Graham school was awarded the scholarship in 1965 and is now attending Chowan College, Murfreesboro.

The 1962 team will play an all-star team from Norlina. In last year's game the boys from the neighboring towns played a close game right down to the wire. Many of the same boys are expected to see action next Tuesday night.

Admission will be student, 35¢; adults 75¢. The entire

proceeds from the game, including concession sales, will be placed in the scholarship fund.

Tickets will be available at John Graham High School, Sanitary Barbershop, Hunter Drug Company, Bowers and Burrows Oil Company, Warrenton Insurance Agency, Clinton Neal, Jr., Odon. Motor Service, Leigh's Department Store in Norlina and the Norlina Barbershop. Several members of the 1962 graduating class will also have tickets.

All interested persons or groups who wish to make a contribution to this memorial fund are asked to mail it to B. G. White, Administrator of the Gordon Halthcock, Jr., Memorial Scholarship Fund, Warrenton, N. C.



Two unidentified young girls were pictured with Santa Claus at his temporary home on the courthouse lawn on Tuesday afternoon. Warrenton's favorite Santa of half a century of visits to Warren children will be at his stand here each late afternoon and night until Christmas.

Number Of Stores To Be Closed Monday

Mrs. Link To Teach Music Here

Mrs. John R. Link will succeed Mrs. Monroe Gardner as music teacher in the John Graham Elementary School. Mrs. Gardner resigned to accept a position as third grade teacher at the Mariam Boyd School. Mrs. Gardner will succeed Mrs. Harriet Banzet, resigned. The appointment of Mrs. Link was approved by the board of directors of the Warrenton Lions Club at their regular meeting at the Country Club on Friday night.

Announcement was also made at the meeting that the 1966 birthday calendars, sold in the club's calendar drive this fall, will be ready for delivery during Christmas week.

President W. L. Turner presided over the meeting and Lion Allen Tucker was host at the steak supper.

Christmas Service To Be Held By Baptists

The Christmas Day Service will be held at the Warrenton Baptist Church on Saturday, Dec. 25, at 11:00, the Rev. John Link, pastor, announced yesterday.

The choir of the church will lead in the musical program. The public is cordially invited.

STUDENT DAY

Wesley Memorial Methodist Church will observe Student Recognition Day on Sunday, December 25, at the 11:00 o'clock service. The college students will be in charge of the service and the student choir will sing. Allen Harris, a member of the Macon Methodist Church will be the guest organist.

Warrenton's main stores, Edward's Department Store and Diamond's Discount Store will be open Monday for the transaction of business but practically all other business houses and stores here are expected to be closed Monday as well as Saturday in observance of the Christmas holiday.

The Citizens Bank of Warrenton and the Peoples Bank of Norlina will be closed Monday as will all the offices in the courthouse. The extension of offices in the agricultural building and in the Citizens building will be closed. While Monday is not a legal holiday, government offices in the agricultural building will be closed due to a lack of heat, as the courthouse will be closed down.

Warren County schools, which closed for the Christmas holidays last Friday, will reopen on next Thursday, Dec. 30.

Dentist Works In Schools

A dentist from the Division of Oral Hygiene, State Health Department, is now working in the Warren County school system in cooperation with the Warren County Health Department and the Board of Education.

Dr. Harold Holt began his work in the county on Nov. 29 at Northside Elementary School and finished his appointments at this school on Dec. 17. He will be at North Warren High School from Jan. 3 to Jan. 21, and at Vaughan Elementary School from Jan. 24 to Feb. 18.

This oral hygiene program in the schools has been conducted for many years throughout the state under the supervision of the Division of Oral Hygiene, State Health Department. Dr. R. F. Young, Warren Health Director, said yesterday that this service is rendered to medically indigent school children in the elementary grades and is financed jointly by the local health departments and by the State Health Department. He said that the only difficulty with this program is that it can only be scheduled about once every four or five years because of the shortage of dentists. It is hoped that another dentist may be available later in the year to work in some of the other schools of the county, he added.

Dr. Young said that another interesting phase of the oral hygiene program will be available in the county in January when the well known Little Jack Puppet Show visits all the schools in the county. This show has been sponsored for years by the State Health Department to promote oral hygiene education among the children.

Communion Services

The Jerusalem-Zion Church will have a Christmas Eve Communion Meditation on Friday evening, Dec. 24, the Rev. Joseph Bennett, pastor, announced yesterday.

The services will last for 90 minutes, from 7:00 to 7:30 at Jerusalem and from 7:45 to 8:15 at Zion. Mr. Bennett said that all who will be invited to attend one of these services and receive the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper on the eve of His birthday anniversary.

Zion Church is located in the One community, three miles from Norlina near the One Road exit of Highway 85. Jerusalem is located on the road to Paschal about three miles from Wise.

Defendant Is Bound To Superior Court

One defendant was bound over to Superior Court when given a hearing in Warren County Recorder's Court last Friday during a session largely taken up with the trials of those charged with violation of traffic laws.

Wayne Rivers was in court on a charge of seduction. Judge Julius Banzet found probable cause and bound Rivers over to the January term of Superior Court under \$200 bond.

Thaxton Earl Jefferson was ordered to pay a \$25 fine and court costs when he pled guilty to a charge of reckless driving.

James Carpening Lancaster was ordered to pay court costs when he was found guilty of driving 65 miles per hour in a 55 mph zone.

Leon Wherles Perry failed to appear in court to answer a charge of speeding. A capias was issued to Franklin County.

The state took a nol pros with leave in the case of Paul Yancey, charged with reckless driving.

Odell Elbert Hullender was ordered to pay court costs when he pled guilty to charged of speeding and passing on a hill. William Hugh Tunstall, charged with non-support, was found not guilty.

Michael Foster failed to appear in court to answer to a charge of operating a motor vehicle without a valid operator's

license. A capias was issued to Halifax County.

Matthew Charles Bligh was sentenced to the roads for 30 days when he pled guilty to a charge of drunk driving.

Defendants and verdicts in speeding cases were as follows:

Tommy Ralph Wilson, costs; Leroy Clifton, costs; Thomas R. Waller, \$10 and costs; Johnnie Andrew McCoy, Jr., \$15 and costs; Herbert Jackson Moseley, costs.

Draft Board To Be Closed For Holidays

The Warren County Draft Board here will be closed from Dec. 20 to Dec. 28, while the clerk, Mrs. Thomas Ellington, is on leave, J. D. Roberts, chairman, announced today.

Roberts asks that boys whose birthday falls on the days which the office will be closed to report for registration on Tuesday, December 28.

Holiday guests of Mrs. M. D. Overby and family are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cassell and daughter of Cary, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ballard and daughters of Siler City, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. MacAmis and daughter, Betsy, of Charleston, S. C.

Hudson Burton of Louisville College is spending the holidays here with his family.

Methodist Minister To Be Ordained On Sunday

A special ordination service will be conducted for the Rev. Albert E. Thompson on Sunday, Dec. 26, at the 11 o'clock service at Edenton Street Methodist Church in Raleigh.

Mr. Thompson is the pastor of the Macon Methodist Church.

Bishop Paul Garber of the Raleigh Episcopal area will preside over the special ordination service. Mr. Thompson's ordination as an Elder of the Methodist Church comes exactly 100 years after the ordination of his great-grandfather, the Rev. Ervin Thompson, which also took place at Edenton Street Methodist Church. Several other ministers who are relatives of Mr. Thompson have also been ordained at Edenton Street Methodist Church.

In order for this ordination to take place at a time other than at the Annual Conference meeting, the Rev. Mr. Thompson was received into full mem-

bership of the Methodist Church in the Patagonia Conference of Argentina, South America. His conference membership was in the Patagonia Conference for three days before it was transferred back to the North Carolina Methodist Conference. Mr. Thompson completed his seminary work this summer at Duke Divinity School. He is married to the former Miss Linda Kaplan of Rockingham and Albany, N. Y.

It is because of the unusual historical connection within the Thompson family, which has supplied several ministers to North Carolina Methodism, all having been ordained at Edenton Street Methodist Church, that this special ordination is being held in the 100th anniversary of the ordination of Mr. Thompson's great-grandfather. All friends are invited to attend this special service which will be held at the close of the morning worship service.

Husband Of Warrenton Woman Dies In Crash Airport Is Appointed

Funeral services for the husband of a former Warrenton girl, who was killed in an airplane crash Sunday, were held here Wednesday.

Donald Robert Pearce, 37, died in a crash of a private airplane in Knox, Ind., Sunday at 2:45 p. m. He was the husband of the former Mildred Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fisher of Warrenton.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday from Blaylock Funeral Home here at 2 p. m. by the Rev. Herman Hicks. Interment was in Fairview

Cemetery. Mr. Pearce resided at 352 Henderick Street, Gary, Ind. He was a veteran of World War II, and a member of the Roosevelt Masonic Lodge. He was the owner and operator of the S. & M. Leasing Company.

Member J. Graham Basketball Team Is Hurt In Wreck

A member of the John Graham High School basketball team was painfully injured last week in a one-car wreck near Arcolia.

Lester Capps, son of Commissioner Amos L. Capps and Mrs. Capps, was hospitalized with lacerations and bruises when he lost control of his car a mile north of Arcolia on Thursday night of last week. He returned to his home from Warren General Hospital on Sunday.

A blowout is blamed for the accident, which resulted in the complete demolishing of the Rambler car he was driving.

Capps is a member of the basketball, football team and baseball team at John Graham High School.

Hayes Funeral Is Held On Wednesday

Funeral services for Edward Walthall Hayes, Sr., 89, of Palmer Springs, Va., who died Monday, were conducted Wednesday at 2 p. m. at Union Chapel Church by the Rev. Ervin C. Fisher. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Mannie S. Hayes; two daughters, Miss Frances Hayes and Mrs. Alice Hayes Parrish of Richmond, Va.; one son, Edward W. Hayes, Jr., of Palmer Springs, Va.; one sister, Miss Annie Hayes of Emporia, Va.

HEALTH CARDS

Beginning January 1, immunization health cards and other services will be given only on Tuesday of each week from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. at the Warren County Health Center, it was announced by the Center yesterday.

Mrs. Arthur Dugan Dies At Sewanee

Funeral services for Mrs. Arthur Dugan, wife of an English professor at the University of Sewanee, Sewanee, Tenn., were held in the Chapel of Sewanee on Sunday at 3 p. m. Burial was in the city cemetery.

Mrs. Dugan, a native of Warrenton, died Friday at Sewanee. She was the former Miss Tempe B. Boyd, daughter of the late Richard B. and Tempe Burwell Boyd of Warrenton. She was a graduate of Randolph-Macon College in Lynchburg, Va., Columbia University in New York and the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and before her marriage was a librarian at the University of North Carolina Library.

Surviving are her husband; and three brothers, William Boyd of Henderson, and Graham V. and Pettway B. Boyd of Warrenton.

Willard Rankin Dies In Norfolk

Funeral services for Willard Rankin, who died Tuesday in Norfolk, Va., will be conducted at 12:00 noon Thursday at the Shady Grove Methodist Church in Inez by the Rev. Wayne Wingfield. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Mr. Rankin is survived by his wife, Mrs. Estelle Cheek Rankin of Warren County; one son, Alvin Rankin of Los Angeles, Calif.; and three grandchildren.

An advisory board for Warrenton County's proposed executive type airport has been named by Amos L. Capps, chairman of the Board of County Commissioners.

Named to serve on the advisory board are Joe Gilbert, John Smith, William L. Fleming, Mason Hawfield, Jim Limer, Hal Connell and Clinton Capps. W. P. Minette is an ex-officio member. Minette, director of the Development Commission, said

yesterday that all forms to place Warrenton County on the National Airport Plan have been completed and submitted to the Federal Aviation Authority for further action.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. James of Richmond, Va., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Gibson. Mrs. Lulie P. Gay and Mary Reynolds Duncan are spending the holidays in Columbia, S. C., with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Duncan and family.



Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duncan between Macon and Churchhill on last Friday night around 9 o'clock. Most of the household furniture and clothing were saved.

Warrenton Rural Firemen responded to the alarm but were unable to extinguish the flames which caught in the attic of the home. (Photo by Bill Jones)