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## No Schools Threaten Ruin

Warren County schools must be opened with the least possible delay as it is unthinkable that Warren County will be permitted to close down its public school system. To do so would mean ruin to the county, an unexcusable lack of fulfillment of its duty to its children, and financial ruin to many of its citizens.

We might as well face it. No industry is coming into a county without a public school system. No doctors are coming into a county without a public school system. No new people are coming into a county without a good school system and without medical care. And few people are willing to remain in a county in which educational opportunities are not provided for their children.

And while Warren County citizens are facing possibly the greatest tragedy the county has ever known, they might as well face some other facts. The fact that they must face is truth; no matter how unpleasant that may be to many persons. And this hard fact and this truth is that the dual system of

schools in the United States is doomed and with it a caste system and second class citizenship. And the still harder fact that must be faced is that there is absolutely nothing that the South can do to prevent the abolition of slavery. Whom we elect as governor, or whom we elect as President is not going to reverse this trend, whether the next president be Hubert Humphrey, Richard Nixon or even George Wallace. The sooner we realize this truth and adjust to it the better off we are all going to be.

Immediately delaying the opening of our schools is the inability to get six teachers to volunteer to teach in the Negro schools. We will not sit in judgment on those teachers who refuse to volunteer for personal and family reasons to teach in these schools, but we will point out that seldom has a person had a greater opportunity for service to his country than that now facing our teachers. We hope for the sake of our children and for the sake of our county that there will be the necessary volunteers.

## Mostly Personal

BY BIGNALL JONES

A certain Mr. Hugh W. Holt of Warrenton, with whom I have been able to maintain friendly relations for more than a generation, last week took his pen in hand to make some mild criticism of a newspaper article in that we failed to mention the size shot used by a certain husband as he shot his wife in the "posterior."

Mr. Holt said that whether the husband used birdshot, rabbit shot, or duck shot would help the reader a great deal in evaluating the results obtained.

Believing that Mr. Holt may have had a point, I interviewed the Sheriff of our good county last Thursday, who informed me that the husband told him he used No. 4 shot. In order to save Mr. Holt and other readers the trouble of an evaluation of the results of the shooting I will use Sheriff Davis' testimony. He said that as the result of the shooting the wife was unable to sit down and had to lie on her side or stomach.

Mr. Holt also praised the paper mildly for "going on and upward" in that we used the word posterior where in a former similar case we used the word behind. He suggested that the next time we might even use the word derriere.

As a matter of fact, in writing the story the word, derriere did occur to us, but we thought that the use of derriere was rather a big jump and we should take it more gradually, working upward and onward, as Mr. Holt suggested. Besides, we didn't know at the time how to spell it.

It has been said that a rose would smell as sweet by any other name, which may be true enough, but it might not sound as well.

We thank Mr. Holt for, first, reading our newspaper; and second, for taking the time to write us a letter, and for his diplomatic suggestion as to how the paper might be improved. We have always welcomed suggestions made by Mr. Holt in his too infrequent letters to the editor, and for his contributions and suggestions and interest in his hometown newspaper. We trust that we will soon be favored with a further contribution.

## Hollister News

BY TOMMY HARRIS

Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Gupton of Wood, Mrs. Lucille Spence of Lillington, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Wollett of Raleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crawley, Jackie and Carolyn of Hollister, Mr. David Dill and Walter Parker of Hollister, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller of Richmond, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Rodwell Crawley of Jacksonville, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Sam King of Hollister, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Blanton and family of Dalgren, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Wollett and daughter of Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Hamm of Tarboro and Mr. and Mrs. James Moseley of Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gupton of Arcola, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Crawley of Hollister, Albert and Roy



BLOCK

## Block Wins Rank Of Staff Sergeant

Nathan F. Block, Jr., son of Mrs. Marie Block and the late Nathan F. Block, has been promoted to staff sergeant, it was learned here yesterday. The new rank became effective Sept. 1.

S/Sgt. Block is a member of the 18th Armament and Electronics Squadron at Kadena Air Base, Okinawa, which was in direct support of the Pueblo incident. During his stay on Okinawa the airman completed 13 semester hours in studies including sociology, English composition and mathematics.

Having completed a 19-month tour on Okinawa, S/Sgt. Block will be discharged and will return home on Sept. 20, after which he plans to pursue additional studies in the field of electronics.

## Schools

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Schools was ordered for the 1968-69 school year with full integration in the 1968-69 school year.

Under a freedom of choice plan in operation in the state for a number of years, an average of 16 per cent of Negro students had been enrolled in formerly all-white schools, and some faculty integration had taken place in practically all of the school systems. Judge Butler's order called for 15 per cent integration in Warren County.

Siberia spans nine time zones, yet holds fewer residents than New York State and New England combined, the National Geographic says.

Glasgow of Aurelian Springs and Mrs. Bertha Robertson of Hollister visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Harris and family Sunday evening.

Mr. Phil Qualls of Portsmouth, Va., spent a day at home last week with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Qualls.

Mr. Edward Hoffer and Ed of Portsmouth, Va., spent a night recently with Mr. Thurman Hoffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Hamm of Tarboro and Mr. and Mrs. James Moseley and family of Vaughan spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ham.

Mrs. Robert Junior Parker and family of Roanoke Rapids spent a day recently with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Parker.

Mrs. Christine Murphy and Maria, Mr. Tommy and Tim Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Arrington and Dena, Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Alston and family and Mr. Phil Harris of Airline and Mr. Carlton Qualls of Hollister attended the Griffin-Portis wedding at Littleton Methodist Church at 3 p. m. Sunday evening.

The annual Wollett-Hamlet reunion was held Sunday evening at the Hollister Community Building, with Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wollett as host and hostess.

Mrs. Mamie Shearin has returned home after a short stay with her daughter and son.



WILLIAMS

## Former Warren Man Management Trainee

W. T. Williams, formerly of the Inez Community, has been selected as a manage-

Mrs. Claude Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Ellington spent a night recently in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Claude Patterson of Durham has spent some time recently with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Ellington.

Mrs. Lacey Williams of Roxboro and sons spent some time recently with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lee.

## News From Lillington

Mr. Stanley King of Savannah, Ga., spent several days last week with his mother, Mrs. R. A. King, and visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton Umphlett.

Mrs. Josephine Kennedy of Durham spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Paul

ment trainee with Safeway Stores, Inc., of Landover, Md. He assumed his new duties on Sept. 3.

Williams, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Balde E. Williams of Inez, is a 1957 graduate of John R. Hawkins High School at Warrenton, and is also a 1965 graduate of the Cortez Peters Business College in Washington, D. C. He is expected to graduate from Strayer College of Business in June, 1969.

Johnston and other relatives. Captain Jacqueline Moore of Seymour Johnston Air Force Base, Goldsboro, accompanied her mother, Mrs. Macon Moore, Sr., and Miss Ella Belle Riggan to White Lake for several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Harris and children of Richmond, Va., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Stainback. Mr. Palmer Stainback and children visited them on Sunday.

Miss Annie Shearin of Rocky Mount and Mrs. Horton Shearin of Raleigh were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shearin. Mr. and Mrs. Pete King and family of Wise were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Shearin.

# FAMILY PLAN

## ALL-ELECTRIC homes average 72¢\* a day

(for all services including electric heat)

**Oxford**  
R. T. Breedlove heats his 1128 square-foot home with electric baseboard units. The 25-year-old home contains these major electric appliances: range, refrigerator, freezer, water heater, and clothes washer. The three-member Breedlove household expresses great satisfaction with electric heat.  
Cost: An average of only 76¢ a day for electricity including heating.

**Henderson**  
The Ray T. Owen family heat their 900 square-foot home with electric baseboard units. A room air conditioner cools in summer. Their 10-year-old home has these major electric appliances: range, refrigerator, clothes washer/dryer, and water heater. Mrs. Owen likes the uniformity and room-by-room control of electric heat.  
Cost: An average of only 59¢ a day for electricity including heating and cooling.

**Louisburg**  
Newell Dement enjoys the warmth of electric heat from baseboard units in his 1268 square-foot home. A window air conditioner cools in summer. The 7-year-old house features these major electric appliances: range, refrigerator, clothes washer, water heater, and freezer. The four-member Dement family is pleased with the cleanliness of electric heat.  
Cost: An average of only 78¢ a day for electricity including heating and cooling.

\*This figure is based on the yearly average revenue from "All-Electric" customers who have as a minimum: an electric range, refrigerator, water heater, and permanent electric heating.

Economy-minded Carolina families who use electricity exclusively in their homes—not only for heating but for all their energy needs—paid an average of only 72¢ a day last year. Of course, this figure will vary for individual families depending on such factors as the number of occupants, home size, use of electric appliances, and family living habits. Call CP&L for more information on how you can make your move to better living—the all-electric way.



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## Miss Collier Bride Mr. Williamson

HENDERSON — West End Baptist church was the setting for a ceremony of beauty and solemnity Sunday afternoon at three o'clock joining in marriage Miss Kathryn Hope Collier and Airman First Class Curtis Arnold Williamson. Officiating was Rev. Paul C. Mattox, former pastor of the church.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Helen A. Collier of Route 2, Henderson. A 1968 graduate of Aycock High School, she formerly was employed at Rose's Warehouse.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Williamson of Henderson, the groom was graduated from Henderson High School in 1966. He recently completed specialized schooling as a communications electronics specialist at Kessler Air Force Base, Miss., and now is scheduled to continue duty at Robins Air Force Base, Ga.

Music for the wedding was rendered by Mrs. Richard Matthews, pianist, and James D. O'Geary, soloist. The selections included "The Sweetest Story Ever Told," "Whither Thou Goest," and "The Wedding Prayer."

Decorating the sanctuary were twin standing baskets holding arrangements of white gladioli, chrysanthemums and shasta pompons. Standards of California emerald interspersed seven-branched candelabra

holding burning cathedral tapers, which illuminated the scene.

Given in marriage by her brother, Charles Collier of Route 2, Henderson, the bride was attired in a floor-length gown of tulle, lace and acetate. The bouffant skirt in redigote effect featured tiers of nylon tulle overscored with acetate and nylon lace with a full underskirt of acetate.

The bodice was fashioned with a scalloped, square neckline and long pointed sleeves. Her shoulder-length veil was attached to a pearl-studded brown and she carried a white lace-covered Bible topped with a spray of French white carnations, lilies-of-the-valley and tuberoses, centered with a white orchid corsage.

Miss Marsha Collier of Henderson was her sister's maid of honor, while serving as matron of honor was Miss Linda Robertson, sister of the groom, also of this city. Both wore street-length yellow dresses and carried colonial nosegays of yellow and white shasta pompons showered with green satin streamers.

Bridesmaids were Miss Gloria Faulkner and Miss Brenda Coghlin, both of Route 1, Henderson. Their costumes, identical in design to those of the honor attendants, were in green and they carried similar bouquets tied with yellow satin

streamers.

Serving as junior bridesmaids were Miss Jackie Collier and Miss Robin Collier of Route 2, Henderson, sisters of the bride, and Miss Judy Williamson of Henderson, the groom's sister. Miss Susan Collier, another of the bride's sisters, was flower girl.

Ricky Williamson of Henderson was best man for his brother. Ushers were Ray Williamson, brother of the groom; Wayne Rivers; Donnie Pergerson and Jerry Robertson, all of Henderson.

A yellow suit with white accessories complemented by a corsage of Frenched white carnations was the attire of the bride's mother. The mother of the groom chose a green ensemble, with which she used white accessories and corsage of yellow Frenched carnations.

A reception honoring the couple was held following the ceremony in the fellowship hall of the church.

The bride's table was laid with a lace cloth and held a portrait of the bride, guest book, and white burning tapers. Here, Mrs. Archie Collier assisted guests in registering.

Punch was poured by Mrs. Millard Williamson and the three-tiered wedding cake was served by Mrs. Thomas Abbott. Also served were nuts and mints.

The couple later departed on a wedding trip to an unannounced destination. The bride donned a navy blue A-line dress with white trim and white accessories as her traveling attire. The orchid lifted from her bouquet was used as a corsage.

The couple will reside at 104 Shi Street, Warner Robins, Ga., at Robins Air Force Base where the groom is stationed.



MRS. CURTIS ARNOLD WILLIAMSON