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Members of the Warren County Cancer Society pose for their pictures at Kick-Off Dinner. They are, left to right: Mrs. Clyde Edwards, Mrs. Henry Thompson, Miss Emily Ballinger, Mrs. Wallace Stallings, Dr. Charles Bunch, Miss Eleanor Thompson and Mrs. Harry Jackson Carter.

Crusade Officials

Cancer Crusade Starts With 'Kick-Off' Dinner

The American Cancer Society Crusade officially got underway on Thursday, April 9, with a "kick-off" dinner meeting held at the Warren Plaza Restaurant. Mrs. C. R. Edwards, president, presided. Guests were registered and dined an official volunteer by Miss Eleanor Thompson, co-chairman and secretary. Mrs. Edwards introduced the crusade captains and the community they represented. Invocation was said by Paul Ormsby of Asheville. The slate of officers was presented by Dr. Charles Bunch, Medical Advisor, and

approved by those present. Officers to be installed for the fiscal year were: Mrs. C. R. Edwards, president; Mrs. Wallace Stallings, 1st vice president; Mrs. Harry Carter, second vice president; Miss Eleanor Thompson, secretary; Mrs. L. B. Beddoe, treasurer; Dr. Charles Bunch, Medical Advisor; Dr. F. P. Hunter, honorary Medical Advisor. Committees asked to serve by Mrs. Edwards were: Education, Miss Emily Ballinger and Services, Mrs. Henry Thompson. Miss Ballinger reported what she planned to do to promote the Cancer Cru-

sade and Mrs. Thompson explained to the group how a needy person could receive assistance from the A. C. S. Dr. Charles Bunch introduced the keynote speaker, J. Russell Lee, vice president and manager, Wachovia Bank and Trust Company, Ahsokle. Lee gave an inspiring message on carrying on the campaign. Mrs. Linda Carter, crusade chairman, thanked the group for volunteering and briefly explained the crusade kits to be used by them. Mrs. Carter

announced that Sunday, April 19, would be entitled Cancer Sunday and the following week entitled Cancer Week. During this week the crusaders will canvas the county informing people of the cancer facts and asking for a large donation. She also explained that 40% of the money collected would remain in Warren County. After the adjournment by Mrs. Edwards, materials to be used were distributed by Mrs. Linda Carter and Miss Eleanor Thompson.

Hollister Postoffice To Be Dedicated On Sunday

HOLLISTER—The new post office at Hollister will be dedicated on Sunday, April 19, at 2:30 o'clock, according to Mrs. Ethel H. Qualls, postmaster. The new facility, located on Main Street in Hollister, is part of the Post Office Department's lease construction program, the local Postmaster explained. Under this program, investment financing is used to obtain needed facilities which remain under private ownership, pay local taxes to the community and are leased to the Federal Government. This gives the department some flexibility in adapting the building program to changes in mail volume, transportation and population, Mrs. Qualls said. At the same time, the need for large outlays of money from the Federal Treasury for construction purposes is eliminated. "The fact that Hollister

has been chosen for a new post office," the postmaster said, "reflects credit on our growing contribution to the economy and life of the Nation." The Postmaster announced that among the guests expected to attend the local post office dedication are: Mr. L. H. Fountain, U. S. Congressman, Second District; Julian R. Allsbrook, Senator, Fourth District and John H. Thompson, Jr., Postal Service Officer of Raleigh. "Our patrons will find doing business here more pleasant. Their mail will be handled more efficiently and this building with its up-to-date equipment will enable our Postal Employees to work under the best of conditions, the postmaster commented. Other local postmasters have been R. H. Arrington, Mrs. Mae P. Alston and Mrs. Ethelyn C. Hamlet.

Woman Shoots Husband Following Death Threat

A Baltimore, Md., man, late for an alleged sun-up appointment to kill his wife, was shot by his estranged spouse at the home of her father in River Township on Monday morning. He is in a Roanoke Hospital in a critical condition. Britt Logan was shot in the right arm and stomach by Swannie Alice Logan around 10 a. m. on Monday morning near Gaston Lake. Sheriff Clarence Davis said on Tuesday morning that Britt, after being shot ran down the road into the woods and came out in an unidentified man's yard some distance away. Here he was seen by Floyd Walker and taken to the hospital. No charges have been preferred against Mrs. Logan following the outcome of her husband's wounds. According to her story as told to Sheriff Davis, She, her husband and three children were living in Baltimore, Md. Her husband would not work, took her money and beat her and treated her in

a cruel and brutal manner. Several months ago she left her husband and took her three children to the home of her father, Mutt Kimball, in Warren County. On Sunday night Mrs. Logan was called by her husband from Baltimore, Md., asking her to sign a joint income form with him. Mrs. Logan said the purpose of the joint form was that it would permit her husband to share in her income tax refund. She said she refused. Upon being told that she would not sign the joint form, Logan told her that he would be at her home at sunrise the next morning to kill her and that "either the Sheriff or Jesus Christ" could stop him. Mrs. Logan called her father, Mutt Kimball, who was working in Richmond, Va., and he returned to his home that night. Logan released his bus in Richmond and it was not until around 10 a. m. that he appeared at the Kimball home. Here, after a brief argument, he was shot by his wife.

Dr. Davis Is Speaker At Meeting Lions Club

In furtherance of the Cancer Crusade, being sponsored by the Junior Woman's Club in Warren County, Dr. Rachel Davis, Kingston gynecologist and obstetrician, and outstanding cancer authority, was the principal speaker at the regular meeting of the Warrenton Lions Club in the Lions Den on Friday night. Dr. Davis was presented by Mrs. Linda Carter, co-chairman of the Warren County Cancer Crusade. Dr. Davis is chairman of the committee for cancer control in North Carolina, past president of the American Cancer Society, a well known leader in the fight against cancer, a world traveler and represented Lenoir County in the general assembly in 1959, 1961 and 1963. Dr. Davis in a concise and interesting talk told those present that the forerunner of the American Cancer Society was the work of women: that at first most cancer was found in women, but due to regular check-ups and the willingness to look after themselves that this was no longer true, that cancer was the cause of more deaths among men than women. Dr. Davis said that due to having regular cancer check-ups by the women and a lack of regular examinations among men, that today 55% of cancer is found among the men and 45% among the women. The speaker pointed out that only 26% of the American people have regular examinations, and urged those present to help motivate others to improve this percentage and help to lessen deaths by cancer. "Early diagnosis and treatment is essential in the cure of cancer, and the best way to accomplish this is through preventive measures of service and education and a regular medical examination at least once each year", Dr. Davis said. Following her talk Dr. Charles Bunch, advisor to the Warren County Cancer Crusade, praised Dr. Davis, not only for her outstanding work in the field of cancer but as a physician and an outstanding American woman. Also present in the interest of the Cancer Crusade were Mr. Roger O'Quinn, of Raleigh, district cancer leader, and Miss Eleanor Thompson, co-crusade chairman and secretary.



DR. DAVIS
The meeting was presided over by 1st Vice President Jack Harris in the absence of President Scott Gardner, who was not present due to illness. Singing was led by Lion Dick Miles and the grace said by Lion Jack Harris. Lion Eddie Clayton was Lion X and Lion Billy Lanier won the dollar which he presented to the Little League. Present for the meeting were a number of Lions from the Cary Club. Sgt. Richard Lee, who is assigned to the Warrenton National Guard, was a guest of Lion George Kilgore and Lion W. A. Miles had as his guest a former Warrenton "boy" Jeff D. Palmer of Washington, D. C. Past President Allen Tucker, chairman of the nominating committee made the following (See LIONS, page 6)

Notice Of Meeting

The re-scheduled annual meeting of the Warrenton Merchants Association will be held tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock at the Lion's Den in the Fair building on the Norlina Road, Howard Oakley, secretary, announced yesterday. Oakley said that this is a very important meeting and that all members should make it a point to be present.

BAKE SALE

A bake sale will be sponsored by the Warren Academy fifth grade on Saturday morning at 10:00 o'clock at the AAA Gas Co. on Main Street.

Junior Livestock Show And Sale To Be Held Here Today

Show Starts 2:30 P.M.; Sale At 4:00

Warren County Junior Livestock Show and Sale will be held this afternoon (Thursday) at the Lions Fairgrounds Arena. The show will start promptly at 2:30 p. m. and the sale will start promptly at 4 p. m. Jim D. Hemmings, associate agricultural Extension agent, said that there will be eight beef calves in the show and sale. He said that these are all fine calves fed out to weigh between 800 and 1100 pounds each. He said these steers will grade good and choice and that the sale offers an excellent opportunity for the public to see and/or buy some mighty good beef and help some boy or girl who has done a real fine job with his or her beef project. The judge for the show and sale will be J. W. Patterson, Extension Animal Husbandry Specialist, North Carolina State University, Raleigh. T. B. Creech of South Hill, Va., will be the auctioneer. Boys and girls who will participate in the show are Arlene Bender, Steven Bender, E. J. Burgess, Jr., Phillip R. Fleming, Valerie L. Fleming, Gary Gordon Limer, Floyd Williams, and Harry Williams, Jr. Hemmings said that the Junior Livestock Show and Sale Committee wishes to extend an invitation to friends, buyers, sponsors and others contributing to attend this event and commends them on the fine cooperative spirit they have shown in making this one of the outstanding beef shows in the area.



Valerie Fleming is shown holding her Grand Champion steer at last year's show and sale. Standing back of steer is Raby L. Traylor, buyer, for People's Bank and Trust Company of Norlina.

Whiskey Brings Men To Court

Two cases of drunk driving and four cases of public drunkenness were docketed for trial in Warren County Recorder's Court last Friday. Roy Rogers Spain failed to appear in court to answer to a charge of drunk driving. Judgment absolute on his bond was ordered. Nelson Baskett, charged with drunk driving and having no operator's license, entered a plea of nolo contendere. A 45 days jail sentence was suspended one year provided the defendant pays a \$125 fine and court costs and not operate a motor vehicle on public highways for one year. Baskett was involved in a recent four-vehicle accident near Colonial

Store in Warrenton. Phillip Perry was ordered to pay a \$15 fine and court costs when he pled guilty to a charge of public drunkenness. Junius Perry pled guilty to a charge of a second offense of public drunkenness and was committed to Commissioner of Correction for not less than 30 days nor more than six months for treatment of alcoholism. The sentence was suspended for 12 months provided the defendant pays a fine of \$15 and court costs and not be found guilty of public drunkenness for 12 months. Milton Powell pled guilty to charges of public drunkenness and assaulting an officer. The cases were combined and he

was sentenced to jail for 45 days. The sentence was suspended for 18 months provided the defendant pays a \$50 fine and court costs and not be found guilty of any crime for 18 months. Thomas B. Towns pled guilty to a charge of public drunkenness and was sentenced to jail for seven days. The sentence was suspended for 12 months provided the defendant pays court costs. Marcus Franklin Self, Jr., failed to appear to answer to a charge of speeding. A capias was issued to the Sheriff of Guilford County and the case was continued to April 17. Wilson Reid pled guilty to (See COURT, page 6)

Lester Capps Is Recovering From Wounds In Vietnam

Lester D. Capps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos L. Capps of Arcola, who was wounded in action by shrapnel in Vietnam on April 6, is recovering in a hospital at Da Nang, Vietnam. His father said Tuesday that he talked with his son by telephone at 12 o'clock Monday night and the young soldier said he was alright, although weak after being struck in body and legs by shrapnel from a hand grenade. He said that five other men in his platoon were wounded. Capps said that he did not know whether his son would be permitted to return home upon his recovery. "I think I was the happiest man in the world when my boy told me that he was alright," Capps commented. Pfc. Capps, 22, a graduate of John Graham High School, where he was a star athlete, joined the Marine Corps on April 7, 1969, and received his basic training at Parris Island, S. C., later being transferred to Camp Lejeune. He went to Vietnam on Oct. 6, 1969.

Motorcycle Collides With Truck; Man Killed

Frank Wayne Halthcock, 21, of Macon was killed early Friday morning two miles north of Warrenton when the motorcycle was operating collided with a pickup truck on U. S. 158 at Clark's Service Station. Warren County Coroner Bobby Blaylock said Halthcock was killed instantly when his motorcycle collided with a truck operated by Connie Lee Brantley, 53, of Wilson. Highway Patrolman W. A. Joyce, who investigated the accident, which occurred at 6:50 a. m., said that Brantley was travelling north on 158 and as he made a left turn to enter Clark's Service Station his truck was struck on the left front fender by a motorcycle operated by Halthcock. Halth-

cock was thrown from the motorcycle and killed instantly. Joyce said that Brantley has been charged with unsafe movement and with manslaughter. Damage to the truck was estimated at \$150, and to the motorcycle \$100. Funeral services for Mr. Halthcock were held Sunday at 2 p. m. at Blaylock Funeral Home by the Rev. Tom Berry. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery at Macon. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Deborah S. Halthcock; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Halthcock of Macon; two brothers, L. M. Halthcock, Jr., and Charles L. Halthcock of Macon; and his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hilliard of Macon.

Ground Broken For Store Construction

Ground was broken Monday for the construction of a store on Franklin and Bragg Street which will house the Warrenton Furniture Exchange. The building is being constructed for Scott Gardner on land purchased from M. P. Carroll, the former site of Center Warehouse, destroyed by fire in August, 1967. The building will contain approximately 20,000 square feet and will face on Franklin Street. The one-story building will contain some 16,000 square feet of display space. The front on Franklin Street will be of glass and brick construction. The side facing Bragg Street will be of brick and block construction. Gardner said yesterday that he hopes his company can be in the new building by late summer.

Coroner Rules Man's Death Was Natural

Warren County Coroner Bobby Blaylock ruled on Monday afternoon that John Gills, 55, of Route 1, Macon, died of natural causes. Sheriff Clarence Davis said that on Tuesday morning his office was called and told that a mule had fallen on a man. He said that he and Ambulance Driver Roy Harmon went to the home of Gills near Gardner's Church where they found the man dead. There was no indication, Sheriff Davis said, that a mule had fallen on the man. It appeared that he had fallen from a plow. Sheriff Davis said that Gills had been treated for some time for a heart condition.



John Graham Principal Fred Bartholomew, left, Waverly Brinkley, center, and Joseph Alston pose with trophy won by John Graham at district bricklaying contest.

Local Bricklayers Win In Contest

John Graham High School Bricklaying Team won first and third place honors in District IV bricklaying contest Saturday, April 11, at the Eastern High School at Macon. The class from John Graham participated in the contest with six other schools. John Graham winners were Joseph Alston and Waverly Brinkley, who were required to construct an off-set hollow pier, eight courses high. Alston and Brinkley will represent District IV at the 1970 Bricklaying Contest at Raleigh on May 14.