

June Term Jury List Is Drawn

The names of 65 Warren County residents have been drawn for jury duty during a criminal term of Warren County Superior Court scheduled to convene here on June 1.

Mrs. Anne Davis, clerk of Court, said yesterday that jury excuses will be heard on Wednesday, May 27, at 9:30 a. m. at the outset of the weekly session of Warren County District Court.

Jurors selected for the June term include Molly L. Jones, Alice Hundley Hawks, Nellie B. Gardner, Peggy Carroll Allen, Elizabeth Lassiter Gaskins, Alice Alston Braxton, Martin William Doherty, Ervin Kearney, Virginia B. Boyd, William Daniel Crews, Edith Collier and James H. Robertson.

Also, Cassandra Lavern Kearsey, Raeford Macon Pernel, Alfred L. Davis, Ruth Jones Frazier, Elizabeth Taylor Stallings, Annetta Bridget Wilson, Amos Henry Harrison, Goldie Harris Baskett, Beckem Russell, Jr., John A. Dare, Edith L. Allen, Lucy Boyd Scott and Lizzie May Ayscue.

Also, H. F. Thompson, Raymond Howard Adams, Emma Marie Allen, Nathaniel B. Weldon, Plummer Seward, Sr., Glen Andrews, Peter Thomas Hight, Mattie Somerville Jones, Patricia Vann St. Sing, Albert Lee Lynch, Pattie Davis Boyd, Blanche S. Pullen and Kenneth W. Wiggins.

Also, Harvey Beck King, Walter Linward Harris, Vernice Harrison Ayscue, Bernard Delano Johnson, Margaret L. Russell, Betsy Ann Peoples, Wesley Lloyd Edwards, Delia Anne Ball, Dorothy Williams Roberts, John P. Pitts, Robert Osborne Rideout, John George Killian, Arlene Louise Bender and Mary Lena Patrick.

Ridgeway Youth Is Not Injured

A Ridgeway teenager was involved in a motor accident on last Friday afternoon on Bullocksville Park Road six miles north of Middleburg in Vance County, according to Highway Trooper W. L. Lancaster.

Lancaster said that a car driven by Randy Stuart Holtzman, 16, of Ridgeway was headed west on the highway at an apparent high rate of speed when the driver ran off the road to the left and lost control of the car. The car skidded across the road into a ditch on the right, overturned, and came to rest against a power pole.

Holtzman was not injured. Lancaster said he was charged with exceeding the speed limit.

Corn Purchase Plans Are Laid

Farmers and other interested persons will be eligible to purchase corn from the Commodity Credit Corporation starting May 21.

G. W. King, chairman of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation



Spence Brooks, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Brooks of Lonsburg, has paint applied to her face as part of the fun associated with the arts festival held on the Court House Square on Saturday. For 25 cents youngsters could have their faces decorated by local artists. The face painting booth was one of many set up on the square. (Staff Photo)

Court Square Arts Festival Is Termed Complete Success

By MARY HUNTER
Glorious weather provided a perfect setting for the first annual School Arts Festival, sponsored by Warren County Schools, Saturday on the Court-house Square.

This year's festival was a joint effort of the arts and music programs in the schools and the Warren County School's Exceptional Program.

Included were elaborate displays of artwork completed by children in the schools throughout the school year as well as musical performances by the schools' bands and choruses.

The Exceptional teachers sponsored "The Very Special Arts Festival" which included artwork completed by children in the schools' exceptional classes as well as booths for face painting, balloon sales, weaving, sand painting, finger painting and coloring.

Gaston Enterprises, a local sheltered workshop, sold baked goods, popcorn, soft drinks and crafts.

Vocal performances were presented by the Warren County Elementary Chorus, the North Warren Elementary Chorus, the John Graham Choral Society and the

Blue Wave Chorus, directed by Gloria Turner, Ardith Roddy, Glendora Powell and Howard Stultz, respectively.

The Norlina Concert Band, directed by Stanley Baird, and the Warrenton District Band, directed by Joel Townes, provided instrumental performances.

Also included in the day's activities were storytelling by winners of the Warren County Schools Storytelling Contest, and a puppet show, sponsored by Jerusalem Methodist Church. The North Carolina String Quartet, a group of musicians with the North Carolina Symphony, performed throughout the day, entertaining both children and adults with compositions for strings as well as with discussions concerning the instruments and composers.

"Hands-on" arts and musical experiences were provided by the art and music teachers so that children and adults attending the festival could not only browse but participate in activities themselves. WVSP, a local public radio station, provided an emcee for the day's activities, Steve Hyman. Members of the

John Graham National Honor Society and the North Warren Safety Patrol served as guides and helpers throughout the day.

The festival was well attended and seemingly enjoyed by everyone. It is hoped that the "School Arts Festival" will become a yearly event.

CP&L Planning Power Outage

Carolina Power & Light Company is planning a scheduled major power outage of two hours duration for Sunday morning May 31, during the hours of 6 a. m. to 8 a. m. affecting its entire Warrenton service area.

Specific areas to be without power for the two-hour period include Warrenton, Norlina, Macon, Littleton, Vaughan, Lake Gaston areas served east of Littleton and all surrounding service areas adjacent to the above.

Area Manager Gordon Greene said that the outage is necessary in order to make needed repairs to the main 115 KV Substation serving this area.

Warren Man Is Slain

Hearing Is Given Here For Suspect In Murder

A 90-hour hearing for James Kearney, 40-year-old black male, of Rt. 3, Warrenton, charged with murder, was held before Mrs. Anne Hunter Davis, Clerk of Warren County Superior Court, on Monday afternoon, under a 1979 law that permits such hearings to be held before the clerk of court, instead of a judge.

Mrs. Davis was the first Warren woman and the first Warren County Clerk of Court to use this authority. She found probable cause, but did not set bail. This was expected to be done at a hearing in District Court scheduled to be held Wednesday morning.

James Kearney was charged with killing his brother, Robert Kearney, 38, also of Rt. 3, during an argument at the home of Mrs. Alice Davis of Rt. 2, Warrenton, on Friday night.

Bad blood has existed between the two brothers for some time, Theo Williams, Deputy Sheriff, said Monday. He was the investigating officer. Called to the scene he ordered

Robert Kearney taken by ambulance to Warren General Hospital where he was pronounced dead on arrival. He was then taken to Chapel Hill for an autopsy. Saturday morning it was reported to the office of Sheriff Clarence Davis that Robert Kearney

died as the result of a shotgun wound to his stomach.

Deputy Williams said that Robert Kearney had been shot with a shotgun in the side and stomach.

Following the dispatch of Robert Kearney to Warren General Hospital, Deputy

Williams arrested James Kearney and carried him to the Warren County jail where he was jailed and has since been held under a warrant charging murder. He was scheduled to be given a hearing in District Court on Wednesday morning.



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Six Warren County Youths Named For Boys, Girls State

Six Warren County rising seniors have been selected as delegates to annual citizenship schools sponsored by Limer Post 25 and Auxiliary Unit 25 of the American Legion.

The names of the six were announced this week by Duke Miles, chairman of the Boys State Committee and Mrs. Lillie Mae Shearin, chairman of the Girls State Committee.

The six will attend citizenship schools during the week of June 14-20. Those selected to attend

Girls State will travel to Greensboro, while the Boys State selectees will go to Winston-Salem. All will be a part of a six-day intensive workshop in state government and politics.

The objective of the citizenship schools is to improve citizenship for future and present generations of Tar Heels, the chairmen reported.

Named to Girls State are Miss Kathy Lynn Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Powell of Norlina; Miss Rosita Ann Patterson, daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Durwood Patterson and a student at John Graham; and Sreda Steed, daughter of Mrs. Frances Brewer and Vernon Steed, and a student at Warren Academy.

Named to Boys State are Donald Terry, son of William and Callie Terry and a student at John Graham; David Stegall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stegall and a student at Norlina; and Bruce Shearin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Shearin and a student at Warren Academy.



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Memorial Day Services Are Planned Here For Sunday

Memorial Day service will be conducted Sunday, May 24, at 2 p. m. in the Courtroom of the Warren County Courthouse, Adjutant Russell Currin announced this week.

J. S. Lennon, director of the Warren County Health Department, will be the speaker for the occasion. Unit 25, Auxiliary; American Legion Post 260, Warrenton; the VFW,

UDC, DAR and other organizations will be represented.

At the conclusion of the service, Legionnaires will disperse to some 50 cemeteries to decorate graves of veterans interred in Warren County.

The annual Memorial Day observance has been a part of the American scene for more than 100 years, Adjutant Currin said. Since 1868 when the order was first issued for such an observance "to respect comrades who died in defense of their country" graves of comrades-in-arms have been decorated. Although it began as an occasion to commemorate the dead of all wars, Memorial Day has since become a time for the decoration of graves of (Continued on page 8)

Youths Are Charged With Materials Theft

Two white teenage boys have been arrested and charged with larceny of building material from a Purdue poultry site at the home of Greg Coker in Roanoke Township on May 11.

Part of the timber, allegedly sold to a third party, has been recovered.

Steven Haislet, arrested by investigating officer

Deputy Sheriff Theo Williams, on May 14, posted the \$300 bond required for his appearance in District Court for a preliminary hearing on Wednesday morning.

Bruce Pike, also 17, was arrested by Deputy Williams on Monday night. Unable to raise a \$300 bond he was held in jail for a preliminary hearing in District Court on Wednesday morning.



A string quartet composed of members of the North Carolina Symphony Orchestra performed for the entertainment of the crowd which visited the arts festival held on the Court House Square on Saturday. (Staff Photo)