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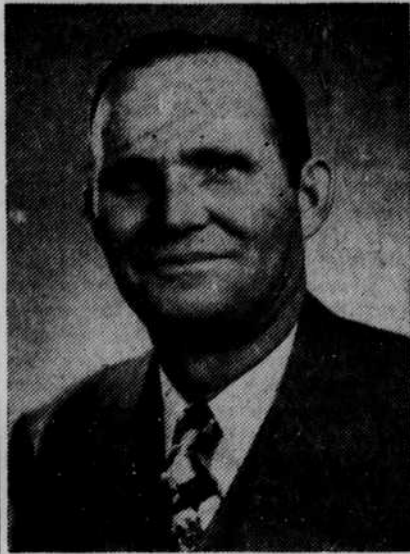
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Kermit Corbett
... Commissioner



Elizabeth Ellett
... Commissioner



PAT FARMER
... Commissioner



Part Farmer
... Commissioner



Thurman Hepler
... Commissioner

Town Officials All File; No Opposition

Spirited Campaign Assured In Wendell, 17 Candidates File

Seventeen candidates for seven municipal offices in the Town of Wendell assure a spirited campaign leading up to the election on Tuesday of next week. Increased interest is centered on the race for mayor for which Ira H. Johnson is competing with former mayor J. R. Hester.

The two men met once before in a race for mayor, with Dr. Hester, then the incumbent mayor, winning by a single vote. Since then Joe K. Henderson defeated Dr. Hester for the post.

Henderson, who now holds the position, is not seeking reelection. All five incumbent commissioners have filed for reelection. They include Leo Britt, Curtis Todd, Willard Perry, Mossey Faison, and C. Proc Dean.

Seeking a place on the Board are Mrs. J. B. Bilisoly, editor of the *Gold Leaf Farmer*, Dover Hinton, Oscar Chaplin, R. E. Barham, Ben Tongue, Willard White, A. S. Johnston, Ed Andrews, John Radford, and Silas Todd.

When he paid his filing fee, Ira Johnson stated he is seeking the mayor's post because he "believes in the prosperous future of Wendell, and he wants to actively serve in a leadership capacity, spearheading a more vigorous growth effort for the community."

Long active in civic affairs,

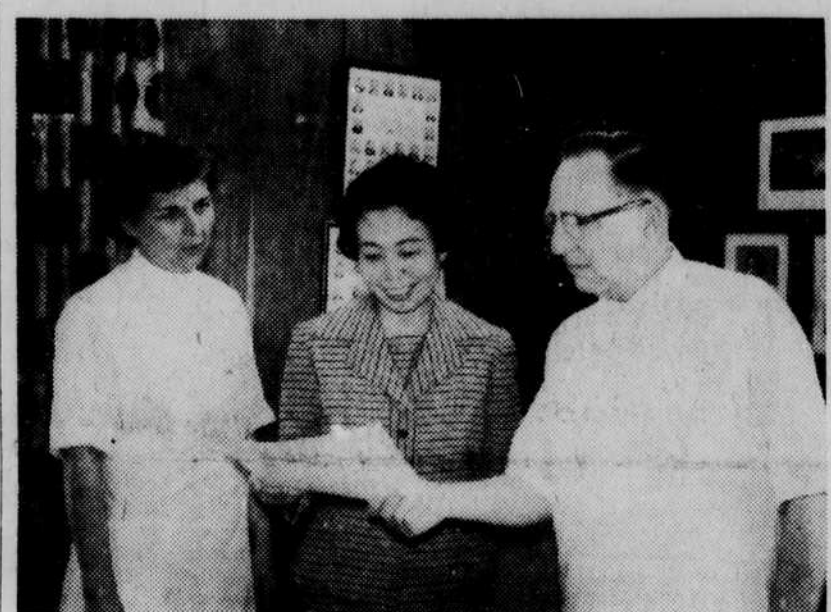
Johnson is a member of the Wendell Baptist Church, having served as deacon and Sunday School superintendent. He is a former Scout Master of old Troop 15 in Wendell, a member of the American Legion, 32-degree Mason, member of the Scottish Rite, Chaplain for the Order of the Eastern Star and Wendell Director of Civil Defense.

Born in 1902 near Hood's Pond (Lake Myra), he attended Wendell School. He graduated from Kister School of Advertising and Display in Chicago, then worked as manager of merchantile display and salesman for mercantile firms. He is now associated with Lewis Furniture Company in Wendell.

Johnson's six-point platform includes development and improvements for Wendell's water supply, library, municipal building and other facilities, and recognition and encouragement of civic and church organizations.

Parents of Son

Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan became the parents of a son April 14. He has been named Bruce Kendal Morgan. His mother is the former Elizabeth Baucom of Garner. His father is owner of Morgan Drugs in Zebulon. It is the first child for Mr. and Mrs. Morgan.



Dr. L. M. Massey, right, is shown presenting Miss Takako Sakai a certificate for the completion of a dental technology aide course offered at Massey Clinic here. Looking on is Dr. Zyba Massey, who is also associated with the clinic. Miss Sakai spent a year training at the Massey Clinic.

Japanese Dental Aide Receives Certificate

A charming young Japanese woman who spent a year in Zebulon studying dental technology left her imprint on the town and surrounding community.

Miss Takako Sakai, now studying at Bowman Gray Hospital in Winston-Salem, was recently awarded a certificate of completion of apprenticeship in the trade of dental technology.

The diploma was awarded by J. B. Archer, state supervisor of the

Bureau of N. C. Apprenticeship Council of the N. C. Department of Labor. Miss Sakai completed one year's apprenticeship in the Massey Clinic in Zebulon.

Miss Sakai, who served as secretary to the director of nurses of the Japan Baptist Hospital in Kyoto, Japan, met Dr. and Mrs. L. M. Massey of Zebulon while they were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Luke M. Kitahata, whose

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Ed Hales
... Mayor

Zebulon's incumbent mayor and commissioners will suffer no opposition in the forthcoming town election to be held May 30.

No candidates are opposing Mayor Ed Hales and commissioners Raleigh Alford, Thurman Hepler, Mrs. Elizabeth Ellett, Pat Farmer and Kermit Corbett.

Of his candidacy Mayor Hales said:

"During the next two years Zebulon town officials will be faced with important matters for which decisions must be made. We know that to pay for such things as a water filtering plant, a sewage treatment plant, and to improve our street system, it will take a bond issue to finance these projects. With the approval of the N. C. State Local Government Commission a vote on a bond issue for these needs will be brought

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MUSIC DIRECTORS. At the Raleigh District Music Workshop of the N. C. Methodist Conference held last Tuesday at Zebulon Methodist Church three accomplished church musician leaders participated. They were, left to right, Geraldine Cate, voice instructor of St. Mary's College and choir director of Pullen Memorial Baptist Church, Mrs. W. D. Miller, instructor in organ at Peace College and organist for Edenton Street Methodist Church, and Mrs. Robert D. Massey, district music director for the past two years and organist-choir director for Zebulon Methodist Church. Mrs. Massey reported that 44 persons attended this workshop.

Gov. Sanford Speaks At Wendell Chamber Of Commerce Banquet

"The time has come when the people of North Carolina must move out with quality education," the Governor of North Carolina said at Wendell last week.

Governor Terry Sanford was featured speaker for nearly 200 members and guests of the Wendell Chamber of Commerce at the annual banquet held Thursday night, April 20, in the Wendell School cafeteria.

The Governor was introduced by Phil Whitley, chairman of the Industry Committee of the Wendell Chamber of Commerce and former member of the Legislature.

Congratulating Wendell on its

progress and its efforts to improve the town and community, Governor Sanford said the beautification work, industrial growth, and program to increase business will pay dividends in the future.

The Governor's topic was education, which he termed a business that pays highest dividends on investment. "It is the State's chief business," he said.

As a business, the schools take raw material (children) and mold it, clean it of rough spots, and put the laquer of learning on it. "The value of added manufacture is priceless," the Governor pointed out.

An adequate program for edu-

cating youth costs money, he said adding, "No profit was ever earned which was not preceded by an investment of time, effort, and money."

Sanford's program proposes a substantial increase in the State's investment in education. "A business must keep up with the times, or you'll get run out of business," he cited.

The need for expanding the education program is pressing, he said. "We have delayed too long in modernizing schools," Sanford explained. "Other states—our competitors—have easily outbid us for teachers. Other careers have

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