

## Seven contend for town seats

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water situation, but said he feels the Cane Creek proposal is too costly and the Hillsborough pipeline would not be worthwhile. He said he wants to make the present bus system more efficient and said he believes UNC should contribute more to the system.

Merkel said he believes in "straight talk" and has said the present board has been too slow in acting on problems.

### Bev Kawalec

Former president of the county's League of Women Voters, Kawalec is a member of the local ACLU, the recycling group ECOS, N.C. Women's Political Caucus and the Orange County Democratic Women. She currently is on the mayor's Recycling Task Force and the Common Cause Steering Committee.

Kawalec supports the actions of the Orange Water and Sewer Authority (OWASA) in handling the water problem. She supports a Cane Creek reservoir but questions whether the water from the proposed Jordan Lake would be drinkable. She stresses the need for making buses available to all townspeople and supports rush-hour, night and Carrboro bus service. Kawalec said she believes UNC's contribution to the bus system should be increased.

Kawalec's main platform is strengthening the town's central business district and allowing for orderly growth.

### Bill Lindsay

The professed "citizen's advocate," Lindsay is the senior draftsman at City Planning and Architectural Associates in Chapel Hill, where he has worked for 20 years.

Lindsay seeks to expand University Lake in answer to the town's water situation. He said he wants to dredge University Lake and make the dam at the lake higher. He supports the proposed Jordan Lake but said he feels a Cane Creek reservoir and the Hillsborough pipeline should be built only as last resorts.

Lindsay is a critic of the bus system and wants to cut all but the most-used routes. He said he does not believe UNC should be forced to contribute more to the bus system. Lindsay places much concern in

conserving revenues and cites his experience "of 25 years as a taxpayer" as an important qualification.

### Marvin Silver

A UNC physics professor, Silver has served on the board since 1975. He has been involved in local Democratic groups and town government groups. He is a past member of the town's school board and transportation board. He is now chairperson of the county's Recreation Facilities Committee and the county's Energy Task Force.

Silver supports a Cane Creek reservoir and the drilling of wells as solutions to the town's water problem but is skeptical of the proposed Jordan lake and the Hillsborough pipeline. He said he feels the bus system is sound, but he sees improvement within the system by increasing ridership through rerouting and rescheduling.

Silver proposes an advisory committee to the chancellor to deal with town-University problems. He has headed the town's investigation into the use of meters to enforce the noise ordinance.

Silver says he has the greatest experience of the candidates and cites his record in public service as evidence of his ability.

### Bill Thorpe

An employee of the state Department of Labor, Thorpe is a member of the local inter-church council, United Fund, Kiwanis Club, the county's Aging Advisory Committee, Mental Health Association and the South Orange Black Caucus.

Thorpe supports the Hillsborough pipeline and the proposed Jordan Lake, the latter more for recreational reasons than for water supply reasons. He said he feels having knowledgeable people at OWASA is of vital concern. Thorpe said he feels the present bus service is inadequate, and he supports increased rush-hour service.

Thorpe has made "communication" a theme in his campaign. In a candidates forum in Howell Hall last week, he mentioned posting relevant town information in dorms and apartments. He also said he feels his experience with the Department of Labor would be helpful in town-employee relations.

## Chapel Hill-Carrboro polls

PRECINCT	PLACE	RESIDENCES INCLUDED
Mason Farm	Community Church, Purefoy Road	James, Craige, Odum Village, Spring Garden
Country Club	Woolen Gym	Morrison, Ehringhaus, Avery, Parker, Teague
Greenwood	UNC General Administration Building, Raleigh Road at 15-501	Upper and Lower Quad, Cobb, Joyner, Connor, Winston, Alexander, Carr
East Franklin	Lutheran Church, East Rosemary Street	Alderman, Kenan, McIver, Old East, Old West, Westall, Spencer, Towne House, Brookside, Colonial Arms, Oak Terrace, Northampton,
Battle Park	Public Library, East Franklin Street	Camelot, Shepherd Lane, Village Green, Brookwood, Town Terrace
Ridgefield	Binky Church	Willow Terrace, Colony
Eastside	Ephesus Road School	Oxford, King's Arms, Castilian Villa, Foxcroft, Booker Creek, Pinegate
Glenwood	Glenwood School	Glen Lennox, Golf Course Fraternities, The Oaks
Estes Hills	Guy B. Phillips Junior High School	Stratford Hills
Northside	Municipal Building	University Garden, Chalet
Colonial Heights	Umatoad Recreation Center	Bohnwood, Sharon Heights, Village West, Elkin Hills
Libeoin	Lincoln School, Warren Mill Road	Granville Towers, Big and Little Fraternity Courts
Westwood	Frank Forter Graham School	Kingswood, Inchoo I, Laurel Ridge
Dogwood Acres	Grey Culbreth School	The Villages
North Carrboro	Carrboro School	Estes Park, Sue Ann Courts, Cedar Court, Pine Knoll, Lebel
South Carrboro	Carrboro Town Hall	Chateau, Greenbelt, Berkshire Manor, Fidelity Court, Northampton West
University Lake	Water Plant, Jones Ferry Road	Carolina, Old Well, Royal Park, Yum Yum
Coker Hills	Elliot Road, Fire Station	Inchoo II
Plantation Acres	Lloyd's Cabin, intersection N.C. 54 and State Road 1107	Plantation Acres

## Candidates views largely differ

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Jim Porto

Jim Porto is running for the board on the idea of what he calls "prudent government" — one that acts only when action is clearly called for. Porto is a budget analyst for North Carolina and is running as an independent.

According to Porto, the town should work with the planners of the I-40 extension that goes through Orange County. Porto said the extension is needed to connect Carrboro to the Research Triangle, saying that he feels town residents have lost their influence with the Department of Transportation by refusing to accept the I-40 extension.

### Mary Riggsbee

A member of the Allied Citizens of Carrboro since its inception, Mary Riggsbee is strongly opposed to students voting in local elections. She said students are usually more interested in a single issue rather than what is best for the town as a whole.

Riggsbee, a switchboard operator for UNC, accused students of "voting and running" on bond referendums. She said students receive benefits from the bonds and then move to another town before they have to pay for their full share of the cost of the bonds.

Riggsbee also opposes the bus system in Carrboro. Residents turned down referendums on the bus system in 1971, 1973 and 1976, and she said the board ignored these votes when it approved the bus system.

### Doug Sharer

Doug Sharer is one of three incumbents running for a spot on the board. As one of the original members of the CCC, Sharer is one of the strongest supporters of the bus system. He favors expanding it to include peak-period and night service.

Sharer received his Master's degree in planning at UNC, and works as a transportation planner for Durham.

### John Thomas

John Thomas is an accountant and assistant budget officer in the UNC financial

office. He said the most important issues in Carrboro are all related to finances.

He criticized the town's contingency fund as excessive, and said the money being held in the contingency fund could be used to pay for additional bus service.

### Harry Wheeler

Another critic of the town's contingency fund is Harry Wheeler, who also works in UNC's financial office. Wheeler agrees with Thomas that the fund is too large and that some of the funds could be put into other programs.

Wheeler said he believes conservation efforts should be implemented on a year-round basis in Chapel Hill and Carrboro. He said such conservation efforts, while not mandatory, would help prepare residents for water shortages until the two towns can work out some type of long-term water solution.

### Sherwood Ward

Sherwood Ward, director of records and micrographics at N.C. Memorial Hospital, sees this election as one of the most crucial in Carrboro's history because the board will have to face many decisions about the town's growth.

At the recent forum of candidates, Ward said divisions within the town were disruptive to government. He is running as an independent.

### Nancy White

Increased bus service and attention to the needs of the student population are two issues the board must focus on, Nancy White said. The head of the serials cataloging section of UNC libraries, White was one of the original members of the CCC along with Sharer, and remains one of the strongest supporters of the bus system.

At the candidate's forum, White said she considered most apartments "incipient slums," which need to be improved. And while she said Carrboro needed more developments, she said the town did not have the water and sewer facilities to support any new developments.

## Low voter turnout expected

By MICHAEL WADE  
Staff Writer

Local elections officials are expecting only about a 35 percent turnout of Orange County registered voters in local elections Tuesday, with an even lower figure for the county's rural precincts.

The polls will be open from 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. (see box for locations of polling places).

Chapel Hill and Carrboro voters will choose candidates for four vacancies on each town's board of aldermen. Seven candidates are running for vacancies on the Chapel Hill board, while eight candidates are running for seats on the Carrboro board.

Carrboro voters will also choose a mayor between two candidates. Six candidates are running for three vacant seats on the Chapel Hill-Carrboro school board.

Voters also will vote on five amendments to the state's constitution and two state bond issues.

"I think (voter turnout) is going to be lower than usual," said Joe Nassif, Orange County Elections Board chairperson.

Nassif said Friday local voter turnout is usually 5 to 7 percent higher than statewide voter turnout, which is expected to be only 28 percent.

He said the voter turnout figure for the county will be lower because fewer voters in the rural precincts, who will vote only on the state issues, will go to the polls.

Nassif said a lack of campaign activity before the election also may lower voter turnout somewhat. "I haven't seen an enormous interest," he said.

The Orange County Elections Board reported that 15,653 voters are registered in Chapel Hill, and 4,014 are registered in Carrboro. Four hundred ninety-three new voters registered this year in Carrboro, while 752 new voters registered in Chapel Hill.

Incumbents Gerry Cohen and Marvin Silver, and newcomers Marilyn Boulton, Bev Kawalec, William Lindsay, James Merkel and Bill Thorpe are vying for four seats on the Chapel Hill Board of Aldermen.

John Boone and Bob Drakeford are candidates for Carrboro mayor. Incumbents Braxton Foushee, Douglas Sharer, Nancy White and challengers Jim Porto, Mary Riggsbee, John Thomas, Sherwood Ward and Harry Wheeler, are running for the four open spots on the Carrboro Board of Aldermen.

Frances Bridgers, Betty Francisco, Verla Insko, George LaChapelle, Theodore Parrish and William Strickland are candidates for the Chapel Hill-Carrboro school board. No incumbents filed for re-election in that race.

The state bond issues are a \$300-million highway bond and a \$230-million clean water bond. Five constitutional amendments, including gubernatorial succession and deficit spending, also will be on the ballot.

## Police say windows smashed

The left rear window of a car blocking a Connor dorm driveway early Sunday morning was shattered by several persons trying to move the car, University Police reported.

John Totten, a Winston dorm resident adviser, told police a small foreign car belong to Stuart Bulman of 102 Fraternity Court sustained \$30 damages by someone breaking into the car in an attempt to move it out of the driveway. Totten said the suspects left the scene before he could get their names. A party at Connor was being held at the same time.

Kim Bartley of 608 Coolidge St. told police her windshield was broken at a Manning Drive parking lot Tuesday night. Damages were

estimated at \$75. Police reports said someone had thrown a beer bottle at the car.

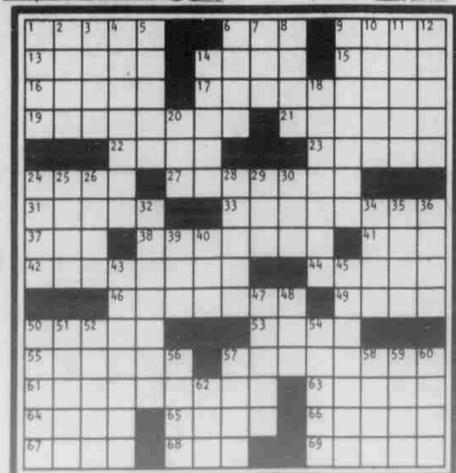
Jeff Reckford of 1432 Granville Towers West reported his \$180 bicycle missing from a Granville bike rack Friday afternoon. The bike was locked, police reports said.

Police officers apprehended a suspect whom witnesses said had peered into several rooms in Morrison dorm at 2:10 a.m. Thursday.

The suspect, who was not arrested, said he was looking for his girlfriend on the 10th floor. The suspect was seen peering into windows in the girls' wings of several other floors of the building. Police warned him to stay away from the dorm during late-night and early-morning hours.

## THE Daily Crossword by J.G. Parsons

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| ACROSS                   | 19 Shoe type             | 37 Silkworm               | DOWN                    | 26 Writer                           |
| 1 Hair style             | 21 Pointer's cousin      | 38 Spruce up              | 1 Essential ingredient  | Bagnold                             |
| 6 Before man or dog      | 22 Arabian ruler         | 41 Burmese statesman      | 2 Brother of Seth       | 28 Projectiles                      |
| 9 Philippine Muslim      | 23 Sources of attar      | 42 Singing bird           | 3 Observe with care     | 29 Explosive                        |
| 13 Terminate prematurely | 24 Czech river           | 44 Bans                   | 4 Cutting tools         | 30 Hole in one                      |
| 14 Sow                   | 27 Bureaucratic routine  | 46 Card game              | 5 Before ship or shovel | 32 Manors                           |
| 15 Augury                | 31 Clergyman's residence | 49 Endure                 | 6 Caulterize            | 34 Orchestra member                 |
| 16 Bristles              | 33 Family tree person    | 50 Musical keynote        | 7 Telesat               | 35 Blame                            |
| 17 Ancient Mideast land  |                          | 53 Ready for eating       | 8 Fruit confections     | 36 Sign of disuse                   |
|                          |                          | 55 Fishnets               | 9 Cousins of the slogan | 39 Person                           |
|                          |                          | 57 Proverbial non-arriver | 10 Excludes             | 40 Macaw                            |
|                          |                          |                           | 11 Taylor or Adoree     | 43 Device for sensing recorded data |
|                          |                          |                           | 12 Outstanding acts     | 45 Put on guard                     |
|                          |                          |                           | 14 Seed                 | 47 Fidelity                         |
|                          |                          |                           | 18 Garden invader       | 48 Intention                        |
|                          |                          |                           | 20 Shooting match: Fr.  | 50 Chemical compound                |
|                          |                          |                           |                         | 51 Iron: comb. form                 |
|                          |                          |                           |                         | 52 Climbing plant                   |
|                          |                          |                           |                         | 54 Armed group                      |
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|                          |                          |                           |                         | 59 River in France                  |
|                          |                          |                           |                         | 60 Retain quality                   |
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