

Roper Voters Choose Complete New Board

T. Reynold Spruill was re-elected mayor, without opposition, and a complete new slate of town commissioners were chosen at the bi-ennial municipal election in Roper Tuesday.

Arrangements Made For Special Election In County on June 4

Arrangements for the special election, to be held on Saturday, June 4th, to pass on issuance of state bonds for construction of roads and schools, were completed at a special meeting of the Washington County Board of Elections held here Monday night.

Postmaster Urges Improvements To Rural Mail Boxes

In connection with "National Rural Mail Box Improvement Week," Plymouth Postmaster J. C. Swain, Monday, issued an appeal to all rural patrons of the local office to join in the movement for better and more attractive mail boxes.

County Club Women Put on Flower Show

Washington County Home Demonstration Club members observed National Home Demonstration Week here Tuesday by holding an annual flower show in the agriculture building.

Commissioners of County Discuss Numerous Topics

A number of topics were talked about and approved in the regular monthly meeting of members of the board of county commissioners in the courthouse Monday.

Endorse Idea of School Building Construction and Secondary Road Improvement

The commissioners approved the proposed bond issues for the construction of school buildings and improvements of secondary roads, the election of which was provided by the last General Assembly.

Begin DDT Spray Near Roper Next

Delbert Allen, sanitation officer, of the Washington-Tyrrell District Health Department, expects to complete DDT spraying operations in the town limits of Plymouth this week and begin in the rural area surrounding Roper about Monday.

Banks Get Three Holidays in May

May is the jack-pot month for bank holidays, three of them coming at 10-day intervals. The first is May 10, observed as Confederate Memorial or Decoration Day in North Carolina.

All Beer Licenses Expired April 30

All county and town beer licenses expired April 30, and places which sell the beverage are warned to apply for renewal immediately.

Local Voters Choose Four New Members of Council

Mayor A. J. Riddle, Councilmen Keel and Joyner, of First Ward, Are Re-elected. Mayor A. J. Riddle and two councilmen from the first ward were re-elected and four new councilmen were elected from the other two wards in the municipal election Tuesday.

Observance Planned Of Sesqui-Centennial Here Early Next Fall

Members of the Plymouth Junior Chamber of Commerce voted in their meeting last Friday night to sponsor in September or October a Washington County Sesqui-centennial Celebration, that is the 150th anniversary of the founding of this county in 1799.

Minstrel Show Is Planned by Lions Here Last of May

A committee of the Plymouth Lions Club is making preparations to stage an all-made minstrel show, except the director, on Monday and Tuesday nights, May 30 and 31 for the benefit of the club's recreation fund, which is a fund to help the recreational activities of Plymouth young people.

Quota Is Raised In Cancer Drive

"Saving the best for last," Washington County cancer donations "poured in" over the weekend, according to Mrs. W. J. Woolard, county commander, putting the county over the top of its \$800 quota by totaling \$842.

Higher Phone Rates Granted This Week

Telephone rates in Plymouth, and other towns in this section served by the Carolina Telephone & Telegraph Company, of Tarboro, are on their way up, as the result of an increase granted Tuesday by the State Utilities Commission.

Farm Bureau to Meet Tomorrow

The regular meeting of the Washington County Farm Bureau will be held at the agriculture building in Plymouth Friday night of this week at 7:30 o'clock, according to announcement yesterday by W. M. Darden, president of the organization.

Called by Governor Scott To Pass on Issuance of Bonds for Schools and Roads of State

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PTA Gets \$50 At Bridge Games

An evening of bridge games sponsored by the Plymouth Parent-Teacher Association in the high school lunch room last Thursday night netted the association over \$50 for the completion of sidewalks on the school grounds.

H. W. Spruill, 58, Dies at Creswell

Haywood Warren Spruill, 58, of Creswell Route One, husband of Ella Estelle Ainsley Spruill, died of a heart attack Monday at 5 p. m. at home.

Norman to Build Store for A & P

James W. Norman announced this week that plans and specifications had been prepared for a new store building on East Water Street and that bids for its construction would be received and the contract let on Thursday, May 12.

Two Trips Planned For Local Band

Preparations are about complete for the Plymouth High School Band to take its second and third trips out-of-town next week. The band made its first out-of-town appearance at Fanteo High School homecoming day several months ago.

Many Get Write-in Votes for Mayor Tuesday

Mayor A. J. Riddle was not supposed to have any opposition in the town election Tuesday, but before all the returns were tabulated in the three wards, it began to look as if about half the town had entered against him.

Six Stills Raided By Local Officers During Past Week

The illicit whiskey business in Washington County has been dealt a series of severe blows during the past week or so by county and local officers. Six complete distilling outfits have been captured and nearly 2,000 gallons of mash or "beer" have been poured out, but not a single operator was caught, although one crowd barely escaped due to a warning signal being fired as the officers started the raid.

Equipment Seized and About 2,000 Gallons of Mash Poured Out; Get 3 Gallons Liquor

The first raid occurred Monday of last week, when Officer Snell and Basnight seized a 200-gallon copper still and outfit back of the "Sand Hill" on the Waters property near the country club here. The entire outfit was captured and about 150 gallons of mash destroyed.

Jaycees Contract With Rogers Producing Company for County-Wide Celebration

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