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EIGHT PAGES THIS WEEK

## Nominees And Possible Second Primary Challenger



Edwin S. Lanier



Henry S. Walker



R. J. M. Hobbs



Sim L. Efland



H. Broadwell



Carl T. Durham

### Rural Women Hear State Music Leader

Orange County Home Demonstration Club women scored another first on Thursday afternoon, May 27, when the County Council, meeting in Strudwick Hall of the Hillsboro Presbyterian Church, was addressed by Miss Bobbie Pritchard of the State Department of Public Instruction music staff, this being the first occasion when a unit smaller than a district group has been able to secure the services of a supervisor from the state staff.

Miss Ruth Thompson, county agent, introduced Miss Pritchard, who opened with a discussion of what constitutes good music. She pointed out the merits of newer music, expressive of the American way of life, as well as the time-proven classics. Then, with audience participation, Miss Pritchard conducted a workshop in choral direction. Basic principles such as starting, stopping and tempo maintenance were mastered with various types of hymns; part singing and harmony were illustrated with recreational songs.

The keen interest of Orange County clubwomen in music was evidenced by a record attendance of forty-six members. Cedar Grove Club won the gavel for the largest delegation.

### COSMOPOLITAN COMMUNITY

The Chapel Hill community is well known for its cosmopolitan citizenry.

It has remained, however, for Judge L. J. Phipps who voluntarily manned the old registration books to help misplaced voters find their proper niche during the Democratic Primary election last Saturday, to discover just how cosmopolitan the community is.

Eligible voters here include persons born in each of the 100 counties of North Carolina except three, each of the 48 states except Nevada and in 43 foreign countries.

### Arthur Ray, 70, Dies; Rites Here

HILLSBORO—Graveside services were held on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Hillsboro Cemetery for Arthur W. Ray, 70, a former resident of Hillsboro who died suddenly at his home in Winston-Salem on Monday afternoon.

Mr. Ray was a son of the late John W. and Lillia Williams Ray and the husband of the late Bessie Weaver Ray of Orange County. He is survived by two sons, Francis and Heyward Ray, both of Winston-Salem; three grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. B. P. Gordon Sr. and Mrs. Garland Miller, both of Hillsboro; three brothers, C. M. Ray of Burlington, J. Cliff Ray of Hillsboro, and J. Clyde Ray of California.

# 2nd Primary Seems Assured For Sheriff

## Broadwell Has Not Declared On Board Test

A second primary in the hotly contested race for Sheriff of Orange County seemed virtually assured last night, but no indication was yet available as to whether a second run-off would be called in the race for the fifth seat of the Board of County Commissioners.

The official canvass of votes by the Board of Elections yesterday brought little change in the tentative results compiled on election night from unofficial precinct reports. The complete elections scorecard may be found on this page.

Deputy Sheriff Frank Maddy advised the News by telephone that he would call for a second primary when he was apprised of the official vote following the canvass. He has until Sunday to notify the Board of Elections in writing of his intentions.

H. Broadwell, sixth man in the commissioners' contest, said Tuesday night he had not decided whether he would seek a runoff or not with Dwight Ray of Carrboro, who polled 37 more votes in the Saturday election.

The victim of a heart attack on May 10, the 50-year-old veteran law enforcement officer declared that he was "still in the running" although he'd have to stay quietly in bed another week, and probably wouldn't be able to do any active campaigning around the county personally in the second election he's calling.

At his home in the nearby Orange Church community last night Mr. Maddy expressed his appreciation to the 1,993 persons who voted for him. He trailed Mr. Clayton by 441 votes. His wife said she expected him to be "out and on the go in a few weeks."

"Dr. Manning (his physician) said that though his attack wasn't severe he was going to treat him as though it had been, said Mrs. Maddy. "So that's why he's letting him build up his activities gradually."

Neither of the two run-off candidates got any public support last night from Charles W. Johnston, the Chapel Hill service station operator they surpassed in the voting. Mr. Johnston, who polled 1,330 votes, said he wouldn't back either of the two remaining aspirants to the sheriff's job—for the time being at least.

**DR. PERRY TO SPEAK AT NEW SHARON HOMECOMING**  
Dr. Edmund Perry of the Department of Religion at Duke University will deliver the message on Homecoming Day, June 6, at 11 o'clock in the morning at New Sharon Methodist Church.

All former members and friends are cordially invited to attend. All are requested to bring lunch for a picnic dinner on the grounds.

### In Sheriff's Runoff



Odell H. Clayton



Frank Maddy

## Harward New Lions Leader At Carrboro

The newly elected officers of the Carrboro Lion's Club are to be installed at the Lions' regular meeting here on June 24.

President for the coming year is Ashwell Harward, succeeding Dwight Ray. Other officers to be installed are Bernard Whitefield first vice-president; James L. Perry, second vice-president; Lloyd M. Senter, secretary; Claiborne Oakley, treasurer; J. P. Ellington Jr., assistant treasurer; G. W. Crutchfield, chaplain; Ernest Mann director; Billy Williams, Lion Tamer, and Clyde Lloyd, Tail Twister.

M. M. Watts, member of the local chapter who is on the Governor's Staff of Lions, recently attended the district meeting of Lion's Clubs held May 16 in Winston-Salem. The state meeting of all Lions Clubs in North Carolina will begin in Raleigh June 13. The full quota of representatives from the Carrboro Club will be in attendance at this meeting, and a number of other members of the club here are also planning to attend the Raleigh meeting.

## Lanier, Walker, Hobbs, Efland, Hayes Elected

The predicted 6,000 voters went to the polls last Saturday and cast their votes about as expected in the Democratic Primary.

Four nominees won clear-cut majorities in the race for the five-man board of county commissioners. A woman candidate for Registrar of Deeds piled up a heavy majority over her male opponent. And, in the race for sheriff, the hottest of them all in this election, the leading candidate wound up with 40 percent of the votes but considerably short of a majority over his three opponents.

In the tension-packed race for the United States Senate, area voters gave the expected heavy majority to the Haw River squire, W. Kerr Scott, over his major opponent, Senator Alton Lennon. Scott vote in the county's 19 precincts was 4,062 as compared to Lennon's 1,575.

Congressman Carl T. Durham encountered only token opposition in piling up a 4,925 to 704 decision over H. C. Sprinkle in the same 16 precincts.

Greatest interest locally was in the races for Sheriff and County Commissioner. Frank C. Maddy, victim of a series of heart attacks in the closing weeks of his campaign, still managed to poll 1,993 votes from his Watts Hospital sick bed to rob Odell H. Clayton of Hillsboro of a majority. Clayton received 2,434 votes in the 19 precincts, with little more than token support in the Chapel Hill precincts where Maddy and Charles Johnston, local service station operator, were the favorites. Maddy led in Chapel Hill 1, 2 and 4 and Johnston and Chapel Hill 3 and 5. Carrboro almost doubled its vote for Maddy over his three opponents.

### Second Commissioner Primary

The mathematical possibility of a second primary in the five-man race for county commissioner is also present.

Mayor Edwin S. Lanier polled the highest vote in the field of 12 candidates to win an easy majority and the nomination. Henry S. Walker of St. Mary's, R. J. M. Hobbs of Chapel Hill, and Sim L. Efland of Efland also won majorities in their contests for seats on the five-man board which is being elected this year for the first time. Dwight M. Ray of Carrboro nosed out H. Broadwell of Hillsboro for fifth place, but was just short of a majority, giving the latter the opportunity to call for a second primary runoff with Ray should he desire.

The vote for the top six in the commissioner's race was: Lanier 3,432, Walker 2,978, Hobbs 2,670, Efland 2,497, Ray 2,398, and Broadwell 2,361. Donald M. Stanford and Hugh M. Wilson, both natives and residents of the southern part of the county ran seventh and eighth respectively. A vote of 2,491 constituted a majority in the commissioners' race.

Close observers of the political scene say there is little likelihood that Broadwell would seek a second primary if there were no other races. With virtually no likelihood of a second primary on the State level, opposition to Maddy's request for a second election, which would have to be held on June 26, is said to be mounting in many parts of the county. In any event in view of his physical condition, his chance of arousing enough interest in a single contest to overcome Clayton's heavy lead is said to be slight, according to political observers.

Betty June Hayes, the 24-year-old candidate for Registrar of Deeds, piled up heavy votes in Chapel Hill and elsewhere to win easily in her contest with Archie G. Williams of Efland. The vote in this race was 3,363 for Hayes and 1,904 for Williams.

## 12 Teachers, One Principal Have Resigned

HILLSBORO—A dozen teachers and one principal in the Orange County school system have submitted their resignations effective with the close of the current school year, and seven teachers have already been approved as replacements.

Those resigning are: Hillsboro: Miss Emma Sue Larkins, English; Mrs. Francis Reece, science; Miss Anne Rhynne, third grade; Mrs. Hilda W. Smith, second grade; Mrs. Geraldine W. McRoy, first grade.

Efland, Richard E. Davis, seventh grade.

Aycock: Mrs. Mary H. Noell, seventh and eighth grades.

Carrboro: Miss Eltha M. Cockendall, third and fourth grades. White Cross: Mrs. Barbara Eayless, fifth and sixth grades.

Central: D. C. Crews, librarian; Mrs. Lucille Barrett, eighth grade. Cedar Grove: B. A. Hill, principal; Mrs. E. G. Corbett, Askew, fifth grade.

Replacements include Mrs. Jewel B. South, Mrs. Quentin Patterson, Mrs. Bobby Leifler and Miss Lora Lee Reeves, at Hillsboro; Mrs. Charles O. Hadley at Efland; Mrs. Sarah Mathis Finger at Carrboro; and Mrs. Patty J. Bynum at White Cross.

## Joyner Gets Fellowship For Polio Study

Samuel B. Joyner of One Lanark Road, Chapel Hill, medical student at the University of North Carolina School of Medicine, has been awarded a fellowship for two months of study by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis; it was announced today by Col. F. Carlyle Shepard, chairman of the Orange County Chapter of the March of Dimes organization.

Under the National Foundation's educational program, medical students who have completed at least one year of their medical school course are offered the opportunity for research experience in the fields of medicine and the related biological and physical sciences during a two-month period of free time. One candidate may be nominated by the dean of each of the county's approved medical schools.

The National Foundation provides a stipend of \$400 for each student selected for this fellowship award. The program is under the direction of Dr. Catherine Worthingham, director of professional education for the March of Dimes organization.

## Termite Expert To Speak Friday

Now that termites are emerging as flying ants, many homeowners are realizing that their houses are infested. These little creatures can do serious damage to all wood parts in the construction of houses. Realizing the seriousness of this problem, the County Extension Agents have arranged a meeting this Friday, June 4, at 2 o'clock at the courthouse in Hillsboro, with State College Extension Entomologist George D. Jones, who will outline the control procedure which can be followed by the average homeowner in ridding the premises of these damaging insects.

## Bids On New Road Called

HILLSBORO — Bids will be opened in Raleigh next Tuesday for 2.78 miles of grading, paving and structures for the new road from New Hope to the point just south of Hillsboro.

The new stretch of road when completed will shorten the distance from Chapel Hill to Hillsboro.

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## KIDD BREWER'S Raleigh Roundup

SIGHT... As the returns in late last Saturday night in Wingfield and the other candidates barely in the all, I thought of what we written in this space here as follows:

of things have been happening in the senatorial thing the past two weeks. It doubtful that there will be primary. Watch your boys, for only the careless get on this one. Our main for thinking there will not off is that the other candidate have not been able to get much steam as we thought would three or four weeks

not sure whether the would be Alton Lennon or Scott—there were so many in the wind—but we just feel there was much interest in Wingfield's candidacy. But predictions pushed his total to as high as 50,000, with the prophets saying about we couldn't see it. Wingfield's vote will run, when the returns are in, at around The minor candidates, then, only a little more than what the predictors had Wingfield, alone, would poll.

Although W. Kerr has been nominated with a shade over 50 percent of votes cast, the Democrats — and no doubt will — to his support in the General on this fall.

one thing is sure, there is much chance Kerr Scott will be found voting with the Democrats in the Senate. philosophy will in all like put him on the team with Humphrey of Minnesota, Long of Louisiana, Paul of Illinois, John Spark of Alabama, Herbert Lehman of New York, and Estes Kefauver of Tennessee. Not bad company, and Scott must be constant his toes to keep up with The U. S. Senate is no place for laziness.

### WAKE IN WAKE

In Wake County, W. Kerr Scott has been in the county to town. His vote 4,793 to Lennon's 9,352. though former State College professor J. W. Harrelson was not man as manager for Bruce Poole was largely responsible for lining up the organizations and getting out vote. His herculean efforts the trick in Wake County. know how it was in your case, but here in Wake the folks really worked. just who, you might ask, is Poole. he was originally a Scott but supported William B. Scott for Governor in 1952. saw betrayal and Poole was out as warden at State Prison.

### WAKE IN WAKE

Some of Carlisle's friends are still talking an oversight or whatever — that kept the Winston attorney and political leader at the stage at the recent Democratic Convention. friends, who managed William Jones' campaign for Governor and who recently succeeded L. Doughton as Democrat National Committeeman from North Carolina, was not invited on the stage. Why he wasn't, nobody seems to know. Of course, sometimes happen — but it do much to create Democratic harmony in the State.

WEAVER SUCCESSOR... We lectured here three weeks ago Wake Forest's Jim Weaver would be elected as the first commander of the Atlantic Coast conference.

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### ORANGE COUNTY DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY BOXSCORE

PRECINCT	COUNTY COMMISSIONER									Sheriff		Register Of Deeds	U. S. Senate	Congress	Treasurer	Insurance Comm.										
	Ray	Hobbs	Lanier	Broadwell	Wilson	Walker	Rothwell	Berry	Stanford	Hopkins	Efland	Sykes	Johnston	Laws	Maddy	Clayton	Williams	Hayes	Scott	Lennon	Durham	Sprinkle	Gill	James	Gold	Fletcher
Chapel Hill No. 1	76	199	261	79	130	134	26	43	156	34	82	25	137	18	154	43	58	280	262	71	241	92	221	63	155	109
Chapel Hill No. 2	247	305	328	170	141	121	20	50	227	26	107	28	163	6	199	28	49	342	264	121	375	24	278	91	96	245
Chapel Hill No. 3	251	421	436	205	217	122	35	40	302	33	124	46	240	7	198	67	57	455	356	141	409	35	256	130	300	446
Chapel Hill No. 4	301	432	475	208	185	180	31	45	294	43	143	59	210	5	269	53	88	442	334	109	488	45	390	112	298	165
Chapel Hill No. 5	189	276	281	102	127	89	17	34	211	30	106	36	153	1	128	80	51	298	227	122	318	36	231	94	188	115
Hillsboro	271	398	553	929	221	783	267	542	210	153	648	234	106	106	210	875	453	804	711	423	986	171	697	328	541	449
Carrboro	436	249	413	148	225	248	40	57	233	38	155	48	127	3	344	63	95	411	376	136	457	52	348	87	219	195
Patterson	71	26	40	33	57	73	31	29	45	17	28	33	20	1	71	18	29	84	89	15	80	24	68	21	42	46
Cole's Store	56	32	36	19	71	83	20	23	61	11	40	41	39	0	32	38	41	65	89	18	86	15	57	31	44	41
Rock Springs	71	15	59	17	69	53	22	40	28	7	60	48	9	9	51	33	31	69	77	24	86	13	66	23	45	39
Efland	62	69	76	99	111	198	134	154	47	83	338	83	9	23	56	298	366	28	279	71	273	45	172	81	128	112
University	61	47	103	92	63	167	54	75	43	23	110	53	13	51	39	140	69	146	151	62	188	30	129	54	76	106
St. Mary's	7	17	28	35	22	89	35	46	8	25	46	19	9	17	6	64	31	54	60	28	55	19	38	22	24	33
Caldwell	24	17	47	38	55	151	54	164	18	160	85	13	15	27	22	149	106	96	132	56	161	21	76	58	70	60
Tolar's	34	25	34	34	50	92	31	127	10	21	68	15	2	16	27	97	59	74	113	23	95	20	58	44	52	37
Carr	17	28	34	20	32	63	66	32	16	13	60	27	16	7	10	69	25	68	81	13	81	10	55	39	47	31
Cedar Grove	22	27	68	48	59	118	75	137	27	33	102	15	27	8	22	123	90	80	166	14	140	11	74	39	60	54
White Cross	136	42	94	22	48	91	33	36	95	10	52	27	12	3	99	40	39	112	101	37	145	8	75	59	78	49
Cheek's	66	45	66	63	85	123	55	102	37	21	143	86	13	16	56	156	176	45	194	31	181	33	115	73	70	97
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>2398</b>	<b>2670</b>	<b>3432</b>	<b>2361</b>	<b>1968</b>	<b>2978</b>	<b>1052</b>	<b>1776</b>	<b>2068</b>	<b>771</b>	<b>2497</b>	<b>936</b>	<b>1330</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>1993</b>	<b>2434</b>	<b>1904</b>	<b>3950</b>	<b>4062</b>	<b>1575</b>	<b>4925</b>	<b>704</b>	<b>3504</b>	<b>1432</b>	<b>2533</b>	<b>2132</b>