

KIDD BREWER'S Raleigh Roundup

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At Commissioners Hearing

Gymtorium Demands Bring Sharp Clash

Misrepresented in Headline

Lanier's Position

The June 28 Durham Morning Herald worded a headline for a story in a way that totally misrepresents me as an individual and as a County Commissioner. I must, therefore, try to make my attitude and position clear.

"I have never and I do not now view with favor the Supreme Court's sociological directive that Negro public schools and white public schools be combined.

"I have been and am for making public school facilities for both races just as nearly equal as we can, as rapidly as plain fairness to all taxpayers will permit. Buildings, teachers, teachers' salaries, instructional aids, and transportation equipment provided by the taxpayers of Orange County and North Carolina, testify by sincere efforts in behalf of the Negro race.

"It is my present conviction that the future and fate of our public school system is now completely nebulous and uncertain. Therefore, I am not going to vote to raise the County tax rate to put more taxpayers' money into new school buildings during 1955-56. I am completely uncertain about how many public school gymtoriums and classrooms we will need in Orange County two years from now. When the time arrives in June, 1956, to prepare the County's budget for (See LANIER, page 4)

The county commissioners' budget hearings Monday night erupted into a sharp controversy over the needs for a gymtorium at Lincoln school in the face of present classroom needs and the uncertainties which the Supreme Court integration ruling has brought about.

Strong opposition developed, likewise, over the request from the Chapel Hill School Board to increase the special tax levy for schools in the Chapel Hill district from the current 12c to 20c.

Principal spokesman for Commissioners who oppose the increases (a drastic increase in the tax rate will be required if the Chapel Hill administrative unit is granted the \$100,000 requested for the gymtorium) was the former Chapel Hill Mayor, Commissioner Edwin S. Lanier, who called for a year's delay in building the gymtorium, as well as other major building plans, while the integration issue is becoming more settled. He pointed to a lack of clear-cut direction from the State which is also observing a cautious, wait-and-see policy.

He pointed to other serious building needs both in Chapel Hill and the county and pointedly asked Chapel Hill Board Chairman Carl Smith a number of times if the building of classrooms were not more important than the gymtorium. Both Smith and Superintendent C. W. Davis repeatedly insisted that the gymtorium had first preference.

Heated Session

Tempers flared at several points in the discussion between Lanier and Smith.

Questioning the need for the additional money to hire an additional teacher to allow Raymond Kiddoo to be full-time principal at Glenwood (a 12-teacher school) and serve as assistant superintendent, Lanier charged, "You're just maneuvering around to make Kiddoo superintendent of Chapel Hill schools and the teachers of Chapel Hill resent it right down to their shoe soles. They resent it and are deeply hurt by it." He said 13 teachers left the system this year, and charged that the teachers should be paid a "real supplement" with the district tax money rather than a pittance which "amounts to \$1.70 per week."

"I think we need to do some firing and clean house if things are coming to you as you say. There are always some arguing about salary," shot back Smith. "Why don't you get automatic and fire those who have talked to me," Lanier replied, his voice indicating anger. "I'm begging for (See GYMTORIUM, page 4)



HENRY S. WALKER



ALEXANDER HEARD

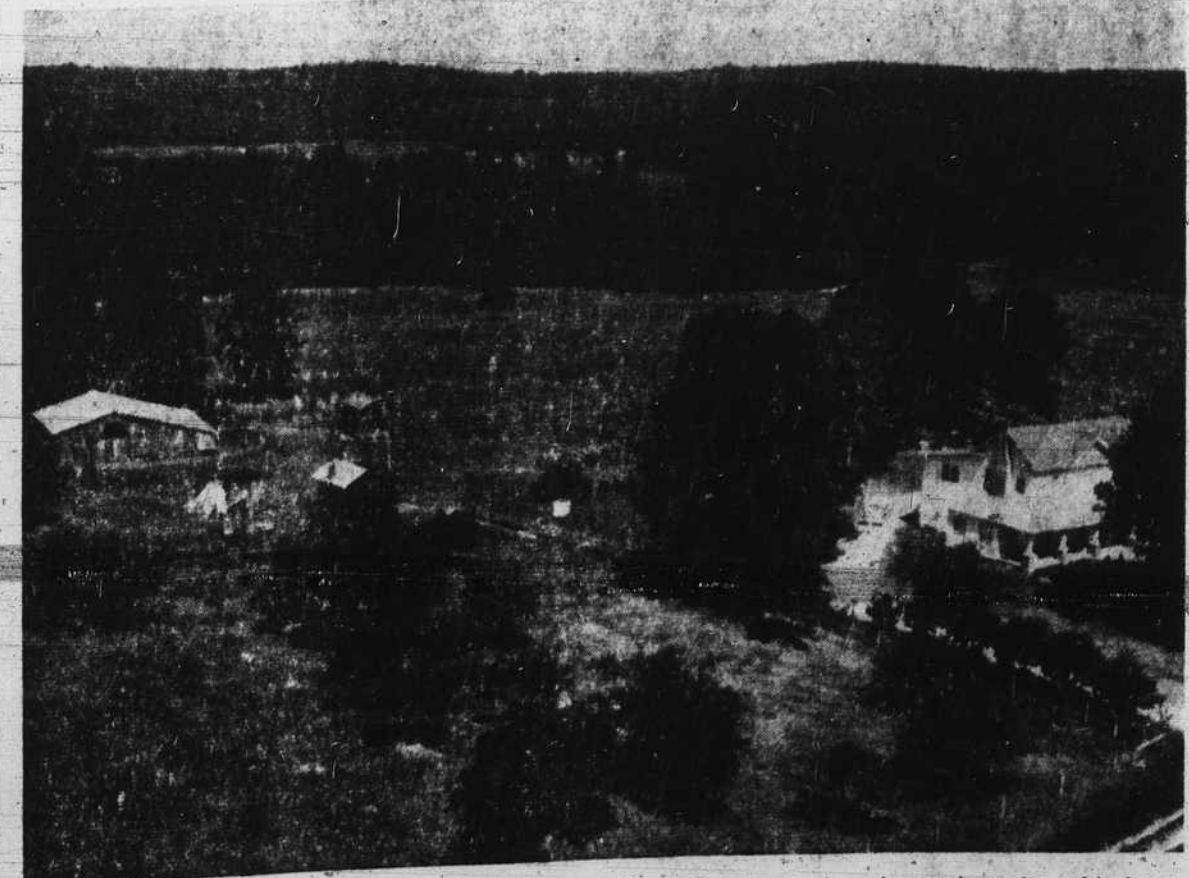
Walker Is Named Welfare Chairman

Henry S. Walker of St. Mary's community was elected chairman and Alexander Heard of Chapel Hill was sworn in as a new member at the regular meeting of the Orange County Welfare board Monday.

Walker, also a member of the Board of Commissioners, is the senior member in point of service. The third member now is Mrs. Robert Earl Hughes of a Cedar Grove. The regular monthly meeting of the Orange County Welfare Board was held on June 27, 1955. Mr. Alexander Heard was sworn in as the new member. Mr. H. S. Walker was elected Chairman. Henry Hogan, a member of the Board for six years, and Chairman for five, retired from the Board because of the six year limit of appointment had been fulfilled. Policies around administration of general assistance, hospitalization and the lien law were discussed. The caseworkers presented fifty-six cases for approval of the Board. There was a net decrease of \$144.00 in the assistance programs. Eight new applications were accepted for payments.

MYSTERY FARM OF THE WEEK—NO. 45

Who Owns This Mystery Farm?



Last week's mystery farm as yet remains unidentified. Experience has shown that when this happens, it eventually turns out to be located just outside the county, taken inadvertently when the airplane bearing the "mystery farm" photograph flew somewhat afield from the Orange County area plane bearing the "mystery farm" photograph. Guess the identity of the farm above and if you are the first to correctly covered by this newspaper. Guess the identity of the farm above and if you are the first to correctly identify it you will receive a free subscription to The News of Orange County. The owner of the farm pictured above is asked to come by The News as soon as possible and receive a beautiful mounted photo of the picture above.

Tri-County Robbery Ring Broken With Arrest Of 10



George Eastwood

John P. Garner

Frankie Durham

Thomas Roland



Jimmy Phelps

Charles Snyder

Carl Thomas Monk

Forrest Walker

Robert Workman

Sheriff Dept., with SBI Aid Arrests Gang

With the arrest of 10 in the early morning hours yesterday on some 20-odd charges of breaking, entering, and thievery, the Orange County Sheriff's department, with the assistance of SBI Agent J. P. Thomas, cracked a tri-county robbery ring that has been striking with alarming frequency in northern Orange and in Alamance and Caswell.

Sheriff Odell Clayton, his deputies and the SBI agent have been working steadily on the robbery cases for the past two weeks. Eight of the group confessed and implicated the others.

With the arrests early yesterday morning, the break-ins at the Coy Long store at Cedar Grove, the Fred Reitzel service station on Highway 49, and the two robberies of Martin Crabtree's store in the Cedar Grove area were cleared up, along with two in Caswell.

Arrested also following the confessions here was a Haw River service station employee who had been buying the stolen goods and acting as a "fence" for the bandits in selling the cigarettes, cigars, chewing gum, and other articles stolen from the various places. Some of the clothing and a rifle were recovered.

James Robert, alias "Moe", Cole, third shift operator of the Stone-wall Service Station, Haw River, was fingered as the fence by the others, but has denied any connection with the gang. He faces charges in four different warrants. The others, all in Orange County jail, are listed as follows:

Carl Thomas Monk, Orange County.
Frankie Durham, who resides in the Orange County section of Mebane.
Forrest Walker, Cedar Grove area, Orange County.
George Eastwood, Thomas Roland, and Robert Woodrow Workman, all of Mebane, Alamance County.

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ROBERTSON INSTALLED

Veteran American Legionnaire Paul Robertson was yesterday installed as State Legion Department Commander for the coming year in special ceremonies in the Naval ROTC Army.

B & L Announces \$22,635 Dividend

The Hillsboro Building and Loan Association announced yesterday its Board of Directors had approved payment of a six-months dividend of \$22,635.08 to be paid today on all saving accounts.

Today's dividend payment is the highest yet paid for a six-month period by the local institution and will be distributed among some 1,200 savers.

\$7,049.75 of the total dividend was paid to owners of full-paid shares, the remainder, \$15,585.33 on optional savings accounts.

Last dividend paid was on December 31, which amounted to \$20,343.44. Last June 30th's dividend totalled \$19,350.68.

Tour Of Two Communities Set Friday

The third annual Farm and Home Tour of the High Rock and Harmony neighborhoods, will be conducted tomorrow.

The tour will start promptly at 8 a.m. at the High Rock Service Station.

The following farms and homes will be visited: Leroy Bradshaw's, Marvin Bradshaw's, Simon Bradshaw's, Oddie Lee Torian's, Ira Johnson's, Lacy Annix's, Charles Bradshaw's, Eddie Poteat's, Rufus Poteat's, Charlie Poteat's, Fred Thompson's, Walter Richmond's, Wesley Poteat's, and John Poteat's.

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Lloyd Senter Installs Lions Club Officers

Lloyd Senter, Carrboro druggist and deputy district governor of Lions International district 31C, was the principal speaker and installed new officers at the meeting of the Hillsboro Lions Club Tuesday.

Before installing the new officers, Senter told of changes in prospect as result of decisions at the recent State convention and presented club Secretary Ted Smith with a handsome trophy as recognition of his selection as a "100% Reporting Secretary," one of the club's coveted awards from International.

C. B. Parris was installed as president, succeeding G. P. Carr. Other officers for the new year include R. O. Forrest, Ira Ward and Ted Smith, vice presidents; Vance Isenhour, secretary; treasurer, Edwin M. Lynch, lion tamer; Edwin P. Barnes, tall twister; and George Dabbs, Odell Minnis, Alken Walker, and Dr. H. W. Moore, directors.

FISH FRY
The annual Fourth of July fish fry will be held at Schley Grange on Monday.

4-Hers To Compete In District Event

Seven Orange County 4-H members will participate in the North-western District 4-H contests at North Davidson High School near Lexington today.

Catherine Roberts, winner of the sub-district vegetable use contest, will be competing for the district title as she gives a demonstration on how to freeze snap beans to preserve food value and flavor. The title of her demonstration is, "The Story of Mr. Snapbean."

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Jean Wilkerson Wins Dress Revue

Jean Wilkerson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claiborne Wilkerson and a member of the Hillsboro Senior 4-H Club, was judged first place winner in the annual 4-H Dress Revue held here on Monday afternoon.

She will represent Orange County in the State Dress Revue to be held in Raleigh late in July.

A blue rayon dress, which she had made, won Miss Wilkerson the title of County Dress Revue winner. As a winner, she was awarded a trip to State 4-H Club week by Mary's Shop in Hillsboro.

Second place winner in the revue was Carolyn Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred I. Wilson of Hurdles Mill and a member of the Aycock Sr. 4-H Club, who modeled an aqua nylon dress.

In the junior revue, Catherine and Nancy Roberts tied for first place. They are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Reid Roberts.



4-H DRESS REVUE WINNERS—The winners of the Orange County 4-H Club Dress Revues that were held on Monday afternoon, are pictured above. Jean Wilkerson on the left won first place in the Senior Division and Carolyn Wilson, second place. In the Junior Division a tie for first place resulted with Nancy and Catherine Roberts, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Reid Roberts, the joint winners.