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Kinston Council Has Very Quiet Session Monday Night

A relatively brief session of the inston City Council was held fonday night in which a num-er of matters were discussed and low bids were reserved from he Layne Afiantic Company for new deep well to add to the risedan .water supply of the ity at a cost of \$16,100.

Mesdames Mills Happer and stil Wooten appeared to ask the council to give considera-on in its 1953-54 budget to the apploying of a full-time tree ex-try to take care of the hundreds beautiful trees in Finstern beautiful trees in Kinston.

Hardwareman Carlton Pollock d the board "What's hapmed to the paving petition for se block I live on?"

Flanning Board Secretary E. W. Price answered that the extension of Perry Park Drive that Pollock lives on is at the head of the list for paving but no work will be started on it until and unless Tobacconist L.B. Jenkins will dedicate additional lands to-make the street a stand-ard 50 foot thoroughfare with utilities. Jenkins has so far re- could not be cleared up at the

fused to do this, Price stated.

John Burton appeared in be-half of Contractor Roy Poole so feet for paving and 10 feet who had been hospitalized Mon-en each side for sidewalks and day but found that the matter

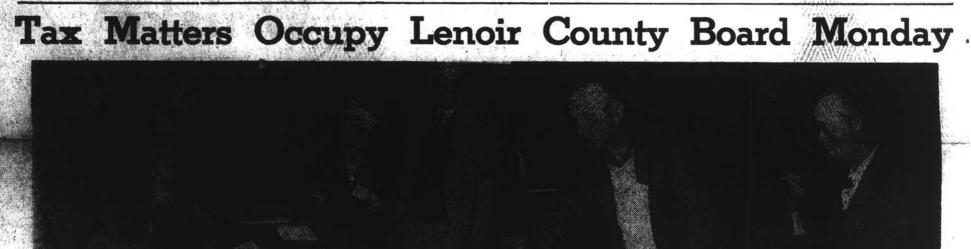
Monday night meeting so he deferred it to a later meeting that will be held this month.

At the request of City Manager Bill Heard Building Inspector Deyo Southerland was also named Electrical Inspector.

gro park the Mary K. Holloway ust 7, 1955) of J. C. Kennedy, Park, agreeing with the Recreation Commission in thus honoring the woman who has perhaps done most for Negro recreation in Kinston.

The board named the new Ne- out the unexpired portion (Aug- place.

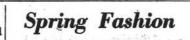
Jr., on the Recreation Commission and the resignation of Leo Edwards from the Zoning Board of Appeals and Adjustments was accepted and Ralph Jack Rider was named to fill Dudley was named to take his



MRS. RACHEL TULL MILTON WILLIAMS

county.

Reconvening Monday as a Board of Equalization and Re-A lowered valuation was agreed view the Lenoir County Board of upon for some land of Jim Commissioners spent most of Faulkner's that floods frequently their day going over complaints in Sand Hill Township. No of persons and companies that change was made for Mrs. Charles Nobles, S. B. Wooten in had objected to the new values. LaGrange, Erskine's jewelry' store in Kinston, Smart and Thrifty store in Kinston, the placed on their property in the revaluation conducted by the Cole-Layer-Trumble Company. Kinston Country Club, the Ma-Mrs. Rachel Tull asked relief for farms she owns just east of gro College in Einston, the Ne-



MRS. NINA DICKERSON MR. DICKERSON

Twelve Seek Six City Posts in May Election Complete New Registration Begins on Saturday

K. N. BEST

.When the filing deadline rolled around at 6 p. m. Saturday for those who would like to seek one of the six jobs open as mayor or alderman of Kinston for the next two years just 12 men had, indicated an active interest in the six jobs. Two filed for the post of mayor, Incumbent Guy Elliott and Political Newcomer Roy Wooten, who ran for alderman in 1951 and ran eighth in a field of 12 with 454 votes. Ten names were in the political pot for the five seats on the board including four incumbents, Ed Johnson, Burwell Temple, Charlie Taylor and John Rider; former alderman Charlie Sanders and five newcomers Ed May, L. O. Batts, Harvey Core, Council Sanderson and the Reverend McKinley Hawkins. Registration books will open Saturday, April 11, for a COMPLETELY NEW REGISTRATION. Four voting places are being set up in the city, replacing the old system of two voting places and in order to do this a NEW registration is necessary. Everybody has to register. Those living south of Gordon Street register at the Court House, north of Gordon and east of Queen register at the Eagle Warehouse, north of Gordon, west of Queen and South of Vernon residents register at the New Carolina Warehouse and all those living west of Queen and North of Vernon register at Harvey School.



JOHN BURTON

Pollock was told to do some mis-sionary work on Jenkins.

J.' P. ANDERSON

d bu Kinston on Tower Hill Roa her request was denied. K. N. Best, who had al

N. Best, who had already had some woodlands reclassified as waste land due to the "peaty' nature of the land on Bear Creek in Moseley Hall Township, appeared again and asked for more relief which was denied. C. N. Best also appeared to point out that he had been listed with too many acres of cleared land. Tax Collecter Milton Williams agreed to check further the acreage and make corrections if errors were found. Mrs. Nina Dickerson of Fremont appeared to protest in-creases on property she owns in LaGrange but went away smil-ing when she found that her net tax payment would probably be lower under the new system. J. P. Anderson also of Mose-Anderson also of Mose

Nachamson's Dollar Store.

Williams, pointing to some listings that he termed "unreasonably low" for retail store inventories, said that he was seriously considering taking his own inventories. He referred specifically to the \$17,000 inventory given by Nachamson, which had protested the \$14,000 tax valuation price tag put on its fixtures. Williams said that it did not seem reasonable for a place with \$14,000 worth of fixtures and a \$100,000 building on the busiest block in Kinston to have a \$17,000 inventory.

Williams told the commissioners that other towns have taken their own inventories when it appeared that incorrect listings were being made by retail and wholesale outlets. Williams re-J. P. Anderson also of Mose-ley Hall Township protested that he was listed with too many acres of cleared land but he was finded relief in that it was felt that the land he was calling woodlands was actually hedge-rows. It was felt that his val-uation and acreage were in line with those in the rest of the



This spring men's fashions are taking a more vivid turn, so far as color is concerned. On the Riveria and at Hobe Sound and

tailed review was being made of the Glen Raven Mills listing but it had not been completed and would be available at the next board meeting.

On recommendation of Colewoodland listing to \$10 and \$15 per acre for those persons who owned excessive amounts of that "hold-the-world-together" type

other winter playgrounds this | tractive ensemble was modeled other winter playgrounds this return of the male of the spe-cies to brighter patterns and colors has been most pronounc-ed. On the sands of Nassau and at Acupulco this trend is pro-nounced and as displayed above, this return to colors and less subtle designs has arrived in Kinston. This has been termed in local tap rooms "what the well dressed pool hustler is wearing this spring." This at-Layer-Trumble, lands in the at Acupulco this trend is pro-Bearwell Pocosin were dropped nounced and as displayed above, from the \$20 per acre minimum this return to colors and less