

Young Is President Of Community Chest

Reese H. Young, prominent local farmer, will serve as president of the Community Chest of Greater Clinton, Inc., for 1966-67, it was announced this week.

Other officers named include Robert B. Wassung, first vice-president and Mrs. Esther H. Pitts, secretary. Retiring president G. Edward Campbell will serve as second vice-president. Names of committee chairmen will be announced at a later date.

Young, a graduate of Clemson University, has extensive farming interests in this area. He has been active in the Community Chest or United Fund organization for a number of years, serving as chairman in 1964, and as first vice president in 1965.

A member of the First Presbyterian Church, Young is active in church and civic affairs of the community. He is a member of the Clinton



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Chamber of Commerce, a former president of the Clinton Kiwanis Club and also a former lieutenant governor of the Ninth Kiwanis District.

\$27,000 Added To College Endowment

Three special funds totaling \$27,000 have been established at Presbyterian College by family members to perpetuate the names of loved ones.

As part of PC's permanent endowment, these funds will provide annual income to help educate young men and women who need financial assistance to attend college. The funds are:

1—The Richard Edward Ferguson, Jr., and Richard Edward Ferguson, III; Memorial Scholarships, established by Mrs. R. E. Ferguson, Jr., of Clinton, with an initial gift of \$5,000. Given in memory of her husband and son, both of whom died in 1965, the grants are to assist graduates of Clinton High School or Thornwell Orphanage in attending PC.

2—The John D. Murchison Loan Fund, given by Mrs. John D. Murchison of Florence, as a memorial to her husband. The income from this \$10,000 gift will provide loans without interest to needy students.

3—The McQueen Quattlebaum and Elizabeth Harlee Quattlebaum Scholarships, established by Mr. and Mrs. Alex M. Quattlebaum of Florence. Three scholarships, set up with a \$12,000 endowment gift, honor Mr. Quattlebaum's late mother, who died in 1942, and his father now residing at Elliott. They will ordinarily be granted to one man and one woman from Thornwell Orphanage in attendance at Presbyterian College.

Only County-Wide Contest Next Tuesday

Dobbins and Abercrombie in Senate Race; Culbertson and Taylor Get Posts in House



Laurens — Rep. Marshall W. Abercrombie will oppose incumbent Sen. William C. (Bill) Dobbins in the Democratic run-off primary June 28 for the nomination for the county's single State Senate seat.

That will be the only county-wide race to be voted on in the second primary next Tuesday.

A run-over race for Magistrate in Dials Township in the upper part of the county will be held. The contestants are C. M. Curry and Eugene C. Stoddard.

In a recount of Senate and House votes in the first primary on June 16, David S. Taylor was declared one of the nominees for the two seats in the House of Representatives.

In unofficial Senate tabulations Abercrombie had a two-vote lead over King Dixon, making the recount mandatory.

Thursday's count gave Abercrombie 1,357 votes to Dixon's 1,330 — a 27 vote margin. Sen. Dobbins, who received 2,123 votes, will face Abercrombie in the second race for the nomination.

The winner will have opposition from Republican W. R. Garrett in November.

In the recount of House balloting, Taylor's 15 vote lead, in the first count over Thomas A. Babb was cut to nine. The recount gave Taylor 2,857 and Babb 2,848. W. Paul Culbertson with 3,564 votes and Taylor were declared the House nominees.

They will face GOP candidates Furman Ott and Shelton J. Rimer and William H. McNinch, who is running as an independent.

The recount was made by County Democratic Executive Committeemen at the Laurens City Hall. They began about 11:30 a.m. and continued until 4:30 p.m. Then the committeemen met and certified the primary totals.

Kiwanis Club To Hear Patrolman Coleman Tonight

The Clinton Kiwanis Club will meet at the Mary Musgrove Hotel for dinner tonight (Thursday) at 7:00 o'clock.

After dinner, Patrolman C. I. Coleman, Jr., Traffic Safety Division, South Carolina Highway Department, will speak on traffic safety.

A South Carolinian, Patrolman Coleman was educated at Mayesville and Edmunds High Schools, Sumter, and Clever College, Sumter. He was organizer and charter member of the Kingtree Nazarene Church, a Sunday school teacher, church treasurer, and member of the church board.

He was in military service from 1953-1955 in Washington, D. C., and Okinawa. He has served in law enforcement for six years.

Dr. Keisler's Subject For Sunday Morning

The Rev. Dr. E. Bryan Keisler, pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church, announces as his subject for next Sunday morning, "What Is Your Business?" He states his sermon will be based upon the Gospel for that day, the third Sunday after Trinity.

Jacks Township Magistrate Vote

	Clinton No. 1	Joanna	Renno	Shady Grove	Totals
Robert N. Bigham	0	1	31	9	41
James M. Copeland	27	14	37	27	105
Edward C. Henderson	3	12	6	11	32
John H. Pace	5	1	0	1	7

Raid Liquor Still Near Clinton

Local, state and federal officers raided and destroyed this 3,000-gallon liquor still in a desolate rural area near Lydia Mill Monday. Charged with violation of the liquor laws in connection with the

raid were Johnny Page, 27, of Rt. 1, Donalds; Frank Mayfield, 50, of Rt. 1, Clinton, and Bernard Davis, 18, of Rt. 1, Ware Shoals.—Photo by Dan Yarbrough.

Rites Yesterday For J. P. McMillan

Graveside services for J. P. McMillan were conducted here Wednesday at 11 a. m. by Rev. E. W. Rogers, pastor of Broad Street Methodist Church, and Rev. Zeh C. Williams, pastor of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. Burial was in Rosemont cemetery.

Mr. McMillan, 66, died Saturday at 6:15 a. m. at a Lakeland, Fla., hospital after a year of declining health. A funeral service was held Monday at 10:00 a. m. in Lakeland.

The body was brought here to Gray Funeral Home late Monday.

Native of Clinton, he lived in Lakeland 15 years, was affiliated with an insurance firm until retirement and was a member of College Heights Methodist Church. He was a son of the late William M. and Mollie Adair McMillan.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Alma Barr McMillan; three sons, William M., Joseph P. and Michael McMillan of Greenville; a stepson, Ralph Barr, and a stepdaughter, Mrs. Patricia B. Scadgett, Flint, Mich.; two sisters, Mrs. John W. Finney, Sr., of Clinton, and Mrs. W. A. Galloway of West Palm Beach, Fla.; and 12 grandchildren.

Renno Church To Have Homecoming

Faith Tabernacle Church of Renno will hold the annual homecoming service Sunday, June 26. Dinner will be served on the grounds at one o'clock and will be followed by a program of gospel singing at 2:30. The Riverside Quartet and other singers will be featured during the service. The public is invited.

Philips Industries Have Display For Area Manufacturers

Joe Daher, vice-president of Philips Industries, Dayton, Ohio, was the principal speaker Wednesday evening at a special meeting arranged by his company for mobile home dealers throughout the state.

Philip Industries has eleven plants located throughout the country, all manufacturing windows, doors, water heaters, propane gas cylinders, jacks, couplings, and axle units for mobile homes. Three plants are located in osh-h-t plants are located in the southeast, one at Chester, the others at Americus, Ga., and Crossville, Tenn.

The meeting began at 5:30 p. m. with a friendship hour at which time a display of their products was viewed. A dinner meeting and business session followed. Jim Hill, regional sales director of Philips Industries from Atlanta, Ga., was master of ceremonies. He was assisted by Jim Cobb, Bill Tomlen, Al Sorenson, all sales managers.

Mobile home manufacturers and their staffs attending the meeting were — Ponderosa Homes, Kinard, Harley Barnes; Azalea Homes, Clinton, Shelton Rimer; Palmetto Sales, Laurens, Allen White; Mascot Homes, Gramling, W. E. Mitchell; Barcraft Homes, Laurens, James Barnes; Zipper, Inc., Clinton, Charles Rimer; Cross Hill Homes, Clinton, Lykes Henderson; Lawndale Homes, Clinton, Lewis Barnes; Shiloh Homes, Joanna, Charles Barnes; Raven Homes, Clinton, Sam Seawright.

Revival Services At Bethel Temple

A revival is in progress at Bethel Temple Church of God, 114 N. Owens St., led by Evangelist C. M. Hicks of Macon, Ga.

Services are being held each night at 7:30, and will continue through Sunday night.

Clinton Legion Team Wins Five of First Six

Taking five of their first six games, the Clinton American Legion Juniors have served notice that they are a power in League Eight play this season.

Clinton pitchers Osborne, Spearman and Thomason have done the mound chores, with Williamson catching stands at 1-1.

The season opened on Monday, June 13, with Clinton at Newberry, with Clinton winning 16-6. Mike Norris of Clinton contributed a grand slam home run. Osborne was the Clinton pitcher.

The next night, Tuesday, playing at home, Clinton turned back Greenwood, 13-3, with Spearman on the mound and also garnering a four-bagger. Greenwood called the game after seven innings.

Finishing out the first week's four-game schedule, the Clintonians turned back Ware Shoals at Clinton, 9-6, Thursday night, and also defeated Newberry Friday night at Clinton, 6-3. Clinton was leading against Ware Shoals when Thomason was relieved by Osborne. Thomason was

Story Hour To Be Held On Saturdays

A summer story hour schedule will begin this week at the children's library on the Presbyterian College campus. The session will be held from 10 to 11 each Saturday morning during the summer months by Mrs. James S. Gray, children's librarian, and volunteer assistants.

Summer hours for the library will be from 2:30 to 5 p. m. weekdays and from 8:30 to noon on Saturdays. Mrs. Gray asks parents to encourage their children to visit the library and continue their reading this summer.

The children's library is a branch of the Laurens County Public Library.

7 Laurens County Men Held in Copper Thefts

Laurens — Seven Laurens County men have been arrested in connection with copper wire thefts in 18 counties, the State Law Enforcement Division said Friday.

SLED Chief J. P. (Pete) Strom said the arrests resulted from stake-outs at construction sites and supply yards in the 18-county area.

The SLED chief said the wire will bring about 50 cents a pound on the illicit market, and "when you steal from six to 10 tons in one night, that's a lot of money."

He said wire theft has reached major proportions in South Carolina within the last year. "It is impossible to put watchmen at every construction site and the thieves can almost help themselves."

Strom said the arrests were part of a concerted drive by SLED and local law enforcement agencies to end an increase in the theft of wire. He said the drive began March 20 when four Laurens County men were arrested in Sumter.

He said the following have been arrested and charged since June 1:

Larry Joseph Cagle, 28, of Rt. 2, Laurens; Gary William Cagle, 25, of Laurens; Jerry Roberts Cagle, 25, of Rt. 2, Laurens; Henry H. Overstreet, 26, of Rt. 1, Clinton; Claude O. Helbert, 27, of Clinton; Richard Smith, 29, who is now living in Newberry County, and Robert Thornhill, 27, of Rt. 2, Laurens.

The SLED chief said Helbert and Jerry and Gary Cagle have been released on bond and the others are either in custody or serving time on other charges.

SLED Lt. Harold Fortson said Smith and Larry Cagle were apprehended in Tuskegee, Ala., and Smith was returned to Elbert County, Ga., on a wire theft charge and Cagle was returned to South Carolina.

Thornhill pleaded guilty to two counts of larceny in connection with the thefts in General Sessions Court in Laurens this week and was sentenced to five years.

Lt. Fortson said the four Laurens men arrested at Sumter were sentenced in General Sessions court there last month and received the following sentences:

Jack Ballow, 15 years; John Broadus Bagwell, four years; William L. Baker, five years; and Charles F. Baker 10 years.

Fortson said larceny charges against the men range from one count against some up to 25 and 30 cases against others.

Chief Strom said none of the stolen wire has been recovered. He said it can't be tracked and because of the high market value it can be sold almost as fast as it is stolen.

Strom said the thieves often use rented U-Haul trailers to transport the stolen merchandise. He said they often will steal a truck loaded with wire

at a construction project and drive it to their trailers.

He added, "They don't need keys to steal the trucks either."

The SLED chief praised Laurens County Sheriff R. Eugene Johnson and Lt. Fortson for their work on the cases in the Piedmont area.

Strom said it required lying in sleeping bags for hours in cold weather to make the arrests. He said he and his agents, on a stake-out at one site, watched a man take about 50 pounds of wire and put it in his car, but they had to let him get away with it because they were after the "big boys."

Strom said he believes the arrests have stopped the big wire thefts in the Piedmont but that an investigation is continuing with local officers to end thefts in other parts of the state.

College Gets \$17,000 In Matching Funds

Presbyterian College has received a matching grant of \$17,000 for capital improvements under the Federal Educational Facilities Act of 1965, Business Manager G. Edward Campbell announced today.

He said the funds, designated to improve the educational program, will be matched by the college and the total amount used to install a second language laboratory and equipment for the economics department laboratory and to make other improvements.

Summer Hours At All Saints

Sunday services at All Saints Episcopal Church will begin at 10:00 a. m. during the summer months.

Morning prayers will be conducted by lay leaders in the church, with Holy Communion being celebrated once a month.

Presbyterian Women Elect Officers at Meet

Mrs. W. T. Cassels of Columbia, was elected president of the Women of the Church, Presbyterian Synod of South Carolina, at the 54th annual meeting, held during Synodical Week at Presbyterian College.

Others elected for a two-year term along with Mrs. Cassels were: Mrs. Arthur Martin of Columbia, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. S. Cannon, Jr., of Spartanburg, historian; Mrs. Robert Glenn of Hamer, chairman of the Synodical Scholarship Fund; Mrs. J. R. Childress of Anderson, chairman of Columbia Friendship Circle; Mrs. W. H. Boyd, of Mt. Pleasant, chairman of White Cross and Mission Haven.

Mrs. G. Bland DuBose of Columbia, was re-elected as director of Synodical Training School for a one-year term. More than 200 credits were earned by Presbyterian Women attending the week-long training school. Diplomas

Anderson Group Honors Whitten

Anderson — A standing ovation was given Dr. B. O. Whitten, who retired last year as superintendent of Whitten Village at Clinton, as he accepted the Service to Mankind Award of the Electric City Sertoma Club during a ladies night banquet at Holiday Inn Friday night.

Admitting that he at first fought against being sent to the institution by protesting that "I couldn't waste my life in utter desolation," Dr. Whitten, who retired at 79 after more than 40 years at the institution for mentally retarded children, said he found his greatest reward in the fact that few of the children dismissed from Whitten Village have had to be re-admitted.

"I feel that I am one of you, having been raised at Pendleton," he said, adding "I want to assure you that you have helped me to be a better man."

R. L. Plaxico, of Clinton, chairman of the board of Whitten Village, which was named in Dr. Whitten's honor by the S. C. General Assembly, told of his long association with Dr. Whitten in the greatest reward in the fact six or eight children there when Dr. Whitten began his work, the number has grown to around 2,600.

"I firmly believe he was born to establish Whitten Village," Plaxico declared, quoting a reporter as calling Dr. Whitten the "Albert Schweitzer of South Carolina."

The plaque was presented by Dr. Warren White, president of the club.

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were awarded to three members and certificates to 11. Mrs. H. C. Robinson of Pee Dee Presbytery received her second certificate and diplomas. Diplomas also went to Mrs. J. C. Chapman of Congaree, who also earned a certificate, and to Mrs. W. H. Miller of South Carolina Presbytery.

Certificates were earned by: Miss Annie Lee Boggs, Mrs. George S. Penn, and Mrs. J. Jeru Rogers of Piedmont Presbytery; Miss Zelma Douglas and Mrs. R. H. Whiteside of Bethel Presbytery; Mrs. R. W. Park, Sr., of Harmony Presbytery; Mrs. L. A. West and Mrs. J. R. West of Pee Dee Presbytery; and Mrs. C. Ennis Young of Charleston Presbytery.

The Presbyterian women voted to continue with "Synodical Work," including Synodical Training School and the annual meeting of Synodical.