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Warwick Unit Sets Inquiry Over Charter

By a vote of 3 to 1, Warwick City Council yesterday passed a resolution to set up a committee to inquire into the validity of a proposed charter for the merger of the city of Warwick and Newport News.

The motion also provides for the city attorney to have other legal assistance if considered necessary.

The motion was seconded by Councilman C. E. Morrow. He objected to inclusion into the motion of an expression of opinion on the validity and workability of the charter and to question and on the possible inapplicability of the present constitutionality of the charter.

Mayor Briggs accepted an invitation to attend the hearing and Morrow then seconded. The motion was then passed by a vote of 3 to 1.

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Fund To Give Yule Cheer To Needy Reaches \$2,003

Contributions yesterday to the Daily Press Yule Cheer Fund for needy families passed the \$2,000 mark, with donations during the day totaling \$203.

When administrators of the fund yesterday reported to the committee of the fund, they reported \$2,003.14 given thus far for needy families during the Yule Cheer campaign.

Persons benefiting from the fund will receive food, clothing and toys for the children - bringing the fund a healthy end in the year. Area quota is \$10,000.

Funds given will be used to buy food, clothing and transportation for the thousands and thousands of Hungarians who have fled their country in the face of Communist terror.

Officers of the Daily Press, Inc., are serving as collection points for donations to the fund.

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Bid Approved For Addition

A negotiated bid of \$217,130 for construction of a two-story addition to the school building at the intersection of S. 25th St. and S. 26th St. in the city of Warwick was approved by the school board yesterday.

The bid was made by the firm of J. H. Smith & Son, Inc., of Newport News.

The school board also approved a bid of \$10,000 for the construction of a new building for the school at the intersection of S. 25th St. and S. 26th St. in the city of Warwick.

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Speech School Receives Grant From Foundation

A Newport News agency, the Hampton Roads Service League Speech School, yesterday was awarded a grant of \$1,000 from the Virginia Foundation for the Deaf.

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Surfacing Project Begins Today On E. Queen Street

Johnston, if the surfacing of a wide road block was not done today, it may be postponed until tomorrow, said a city engineer yesterday.

The work has been planned for today, but the rain may prevent it. The work will be done on E. Queen Street from the intersection of S. 25th St. to the intersection of S. 26th St. in the city of Warwick.

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C&O WILL REPLACE SPEAKER SYSTEM WITH RADIO IN 1957

The loudspeaker system that blasts forth day and night from Chesapeake and Ohio Railway yards in Newport News is on the way out.

C&O officials said City Manager L. C. Higgins yesterday will be replaced in mid-1957 with modern radio equipment.

The loudspeaker, used for years to give directions and orders to personnel working in the railroad yards, can be heard over much of the city's downtown area. At times, complaints have been voiced by citizens living in downtown residences.

The C&O's local superintendent, E. G. McDougall, said Higgins plans to install the modern radio system.

C&O To Install Costly Equipment For Control Of Air Pollution In NN

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway is planning to install costly "fogging" equipment in its yards in Newport News to control air pollution.

The announcement came on the heels of a report by the city's health department that the railway's yards are a source of air pollution in the city.

The fogging equipment will be used to create a mist in the yards, which will help to control the air pollution.

School Board Told Of Cost To End Noise

The Newport News School Board learned last night the new \$400,000 NN High School building will cost \$100,000 more to control noise.

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NN Retirement Fund Trustees To Be Elected

General employees in the Newport News city government will elect trustees to the city's retirement fund.

The election will be held on December 18, 1956.

The trustees will be responsible for the management of the retirement fund.

Prospects Of Army Upkeep Of Bridge None Too Bright

By the office of the judge advocates general of the Army, it is now clear that the prospects for the Army's upkeep of the Mill Creek bridge are none too bright.

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