

Organizations Aid The Need Of Local Family

Jeffrey Copeland, the son of Johnny Copeland, has a special problem. The Chowan-Edenton Optimist club and the Advance Ruritan

club have recognized his need and supplied the needed monies to assist his parents in meeting the needs of his problem.

Jeffrey, it seems, has a type of disease called Hallervorden-Spatz and has been in need of a special type of wheelchair. Jeffrey's

parents have written the following in an effort to describe Jeffrey's disease: "To answer the question of what kind of disease Jeffrey has, Dr. Greenwood suggested Hallervorden-Spatz but no specific diagnosis has been made."

"In Dr. Greenwood's summary, Jeffrey is a child with an apparently severe predominantly white matter disease which appears to be a progressive neurodegenerative process."

The special wheelchair Jeffrey needed cost \$1,119. The insurance company, Blue Cross and Blue Shield, paid \$963.20 toward the purchase of the chair. Leaving \$255.80 to be paid by the Copelands.

Two local service clubs, the Chowan-Edenton Optimist Club and the Advance Ruritan Club, seeing the need, donated \$250 toward the purchase of the chair. The Chowan-Edenton Optimist Club donating \$100 and the Advance Ruritan Club donating \$150.

Jeffrey's parents are grateful for the contributions of both organizations for their assistance in making Jeffrey's life a little more comfortable.

"It's a great ability to be able to conceal one's ability." La Rochefoucauld



WHEELCHAIR PROVIDED—Jeffrey Copeland is shown here with his new wheelchair. Thanks to the efforts of the Advance Ruritan Club and the Chowan-Edenton Optimist Club. Also shown here are Jerry Parks, President of the Optimist Club; Jeffrey's mother, Mrs. Copeland and Clayton Perry, President of the Ruritan Club.

Around The Chowan County Farms

by Mike Williams
County Extension Chairman

Improve Your Timber Stand by Cutting Firewood

We all know that land ownership represents a substantial investment at today's prices. We are also right to expect such an investment to return a reasonable income or, interest rate. Yet, far too few landowners take the necessary steps to manage their woodlands in a way to generate the most income from forest products, according to Extension Forest Resources at North Carolina State University.

Many wooded acres grow as little as \$5 worth of mixed low value hardwoods per year. With management, those same acres could annually produce \$50 worth of additional sawtimber or veneer and store it on the stump. In this way, managed woodlands represent a pretty dependable source of supplemental income to help landowners through lean years.

New Materials For Needy Church

Colonial Baptist Church has received some essential materials from a church in California. Rev. Audie Yancey flew to California last week and returned with hymnals, daily devotional books and a record board for the newly established church. With these, he also brought the well-wishes of his former church and a promise of supporting prayers.

The church had its first youth meeting Monday, December 6 and have planned an outing to Elizabeth City for Monday. The group, named the "Young Fundamentalists," will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Chapman, Route 2, in Cape Colony at 6 P.M. and travel from there as a group. All youth are welcome to join them for a night of spiritual uplifting and good clean fun.

Since the church meets on Thursday evenings for prayer and Bible study, they are free Wednesdays. Therefore, Wednesday they will travel to Victory Baptist Church, Elizabeth City to enjoy the Christmas program with Rev. Reggie Parker and his church. Again, all are invited to participate in every function of this friendly, Bible-believing church.

The upcoming Sunday School session will include discussion on the two basic Bibles of the day, the "translation" and the "interpretation." Sunday during the 6 P.M. worship service, Mr. Yancey will discuss the methods for applying scripture to our daily lives for victory. Come and receive a blessing! We are meeting at the Jaycees Lodge Building. (Phone 482-8831).

School Lunch Menus

December 13-17, 1982

MONDAY—Breakfast - Orange Juice, Doughnuts, and Milk. Lunch - Ham & Cheese Sandwich, French Fries, Ketchup & Mustard Cherry Cobbler and Milk.

TUESDAY—Breakfast - Cup of Juice, Cheese Toast and Milk. Lunch - Spanish Rice, Tossed Salad, Green Peas, Peaches, Rolls, and Milk.

WEDNESDAY—Breakfast - Orange Juice, Assorted Cereals, and Milk. Lunch - Fish Fillet, Cole Slaw, Macaroni and Cheese, Orange Halves, Cornbread and Milk.

THURSDAY—Breakfast - Fruit or Juice, Oatmeal, Buttered Toast, and Milk. Lunch - Roast Turkey w/Dressing, Gilbert Gravy, Cranberry Sauce, Candid Yams, Christmas Cookies, Rolls and Milk.

FRIDAY—Breakfast - Fruit or Juice, Pancake w/Syrup and Milk. Lunch - Pizza, Buttered Corn, Pears, and Milk.



Both the Hawaiian Islands and Puerto Rico were produced by volcanic action.

A typical timber stand starts with thousands of small trees per acre competing for water, sunlight, and nutrients. As a result of this competition, fewer than 100 crop trees can survive to be sold as high quality sawtimber at perhaps age 40. Crop trees would be those 50 to 100 trees per acre which are well distributed, of desirable species, vigorous, straight and defect-free.

Removing the extra, less desirable weed trees by thinning, firewood cutting, or other timber stand improvement practices benefits the landowner in two ways. First, the product removed has a market value (perhaps \$2 per cord as pulpwood to \$10 or more as firewood or fence posts). Secondly, the remaining stand of crop trees can mature sooner, responding to the improved growing conditions.

These management practices are about as close as a landowner can get to receiving something for nothing.

Thinnings are frequently marked by identifying those trees to be removed, a proven and effective practice. However, many landowners might be better helped by marking crop trees. Then the poorer neighboring stems could be removed as needed.

Many wooded acres are capable of producing a continued supply of half a cord per year of firewood while still insuring the growth of crop trees. If a cord of wood, burned efficiently has a fuel value of \$150, the managed acre is certainly earning its keep. As the stand continues to mature, fewer trees are available for removal. However, the half-cord which required a dozen 6-inch diameter trees is supplied by just one or two 13-inch trees. Landowners should see a forester before selecting crop trees.

Burning the wrong trees could cost more than oil, but some stands simply do not have enough crop trees to

Ryans Grove

Holds Service

There will be services at the Ryans Grove Baptist Church on Sunday, November 12 at 5:00 P.M. To render the service will be the associate Minister: Rev. Percy L. Nixon.

This program is being sponsored by the Ryans Grove Jr. Ushers. Public is invited to attend.

Pastor: Rev. Calvin Whedbee.



It is estimated that 1.6 million Americans compete in road races of all lengths.

manage and efficiently use the land. In this case, the landowner would be well advised to harvest all timber and regenerate a better stand.

A forester could also discuss priorities for removing trees. For example, dead trees provide partially dried firewood and quick removal is

a sort of salvage operation. On the other hand, removal of these snags, left standing also provide excellent wildlife habitat.

More information on firewood, improving your woodlot and growing money on trees is available at the Chowan County Agricultural Extension Office.

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TO THE PEOPLE OF CHOWAN COUNTY:

After seven years of serving Chowan County, we regret to inform you that effective December 3, 1982, Swindell-Bass Funeral Home, Inc. sold their building and property on N. C. 32 North of Edenton and ceased local operations.

We at Swindell-Bass want to express our appreciation for the support and friendship that we have enjoyed during these years. These have been heart-warming to us and will be something we will never forget.

All previous records and confidential information that we have maintained since 1968 have been moved to Swindell Funeral Home, 509 Dobbs Street, Hertford. Should the need arise to inquire on any of these matters you may call 426-7311 or stop by Swindell Funeral Home in Hertford.

Those of you who have deposited monies with us on pre-arranged funerals will be contacted by letter very soon, if you have not already been so contacted, as to the disposition of these funds.

Larry Swindell will be immediately joining his father, Marion Swindell, in the operation of Swindell Funeral Home in Hertford. David Bass will be employed on a part-time basis by Swindell Funeral Home in Hertford.

All accounts still owed to our firm are payable in Hertford. For those of you whom we have more recently served, if there is any further help that you may require; you may contact us in Hertford.

Again, let us express our deep appreciation for your many kindnesses.

Sincerely,

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It's Christmas at Court Square

For friends—how about a piece of Mary Kirk Kelly ceramics, signed and numbered? Newly arrived, cabbage, peach, pea and kumquat.

See our shop and other Edenton sites, December 16, 7:30 PM on Channel 5 Raleigh.

by appointment 482-4800

