News and Events of Interest To Norlina Readers

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Mrs. Leana Rivers is a patient at Oak Manor Nursing Home in Kinston. Miss Robin Baker is home from East Carolina University for the holidays.

Hugh Hight is a patient at Maria Parham Hospital. Miss Mary Lou Traylor is home for the holidays. C. H. Nau is a patient at

Maria Parham Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. James Thaxton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Thaxton over the weekend.

Brotherhood Meets At Stallings Home

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Stallings entertained the Brotherhood at the Norlina Baptist Church on Thursday, Dec. 15.

The Rev. Elton Cooke asked grace. The 20 persons present enjoyed a dinner of chicken barbecue, potatoes, slaw and pie.

After dinner, 20 fruit baskets were prepared and distributed to shut-ins in the community

Methodist **Activities**

The Young Adult Class of the Norlina United Methodist Church will have their annual Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Traylor on Thursday night, Dec. 22.

Tom Traylor will be host for the festivities which will begin at 6:30 p. m.

The Share Group will also meet Thursday at 7:30 p. m. with the Fred Newsoms.

On Friday, Dec. 23, the United Methodist Youth will begin Christmas Caroling at

The chancel choir will hold rehearsal Wednesday, Dec. 28, at 7:45 at the

Special Service

The Norlina United Methodist Church will hold a special worship service on Christmas Day at 10:30 a. m. Sunday School will not be held in order to present the special service at an earlier



Mrs. Chris Holtzmann, 4-H leader with 27 years of service behind her, poses with the original service pin design (on right lapel) she created. Mrs. Holtzmann's artwork was featured in the National 4-H News magazine

Magazine Depicts Local Ingenuity

Chris Holtzman, adult volunteer 4-H leader of the Wise-Paschall 4-H Club, has appeared in print through the pages of the National 4-H News magazine

Mrs. Holtzman, frequently recognized for her outstanding service in various civic capacities, has likewise been recognized often in 4-H circles.

When she received her 25-year 4-H service pin in 1975, it marked the fifth pin she had received from the Warren County organization. First had come the Silver Clover, a five-year service pin. Next, the Gold Clover for 10 years of leadership; then the Pearl Clover for 15 years, the Diamond Clover for 20 years and lastly the Emerald Clover for 25 years.

"It seemed too much to put all five individual pins on my coat or dress when wearing my pins to special meetings," Mrs. Holtzman recalls. "So, after further thought, this design came to

mind. With this design, Mrs. Holtzman proceeded to her jewelers, A. C. Fair of Warrenton, who set the five clover pins on a round gold piece.

"Further thinking at that time on my love for 4-H and hope for continued service led me to suggest to Mr. Fair that the gold plate be made large enough to

An original idea of Mrs. accomodate three more future pins leading to 40 years service.

A photograph and description of Mrs. Holtzman's creative project appears in the December edition of National 4-H News.

Mrs. Holtzman was recognized at the Annual 4-H Achievement Dinner last week for 27 years of continuous service to 4-H

> Mike Robinson and the employees of the 220 Seafood Restaurant thank you for your continued support and wish

for you a Happy

Safe Holiday Season





Christmas Greetings

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Mgr.

PTA Feted To Program

The North Warren Middle School student body presented "Christmas Potpourri" at its annual Christmas program on Dec. 15. Approximately 300 parents and patrons attended the

John Davis, band instructor, directed the Christmas choir, made up of students from grades 4-8. Their selections included "Deck the Halls," "God Tell It On The Mountain," "O, Come All Ye Faithful," Christmas Tree," and "Silent Night.

Also "Carol of the Bells," "Joy to the World," "What Child Is This?" and "Oh Little Town of Bethlehem." The carols were performed between acts of the drama presentations.

The fourth grade presented "Christmas Throughout the World," including customs from England, Holland, Norway, Sweden, and Russia. "The Shepherd Who Couldn't See the Light" was also presented by fourth graders

The fifth graders dramatized "Christmas in Central and South America."

"Christmas in Asia" was presented by the sixth graders. Customs in Japan, Iran and Iraq were included in the skits.

Seventh and eighth graders dramatized "Christmas Spirit.

A speech chorus, made up of fourth, fifth and sixth graders, recited "The Night Before Christmas.

Prior to the Christmas program the regular business session of the Parent -Teacher Association was held. W. S. Fuller offered greetings. The invocation was given by Lisa Martin and Connie Fogg. Richard Greene, PTA president. presided.

Moseley To Head W-P Ruritans

Herbert Moseley was J. W. Wilson of Warrenton a installed president of the new member to the club. Wise-Paschall Ruritan Club at the monthly meeting held Dec. 12. W. D. Little of the Norlina Ruritan Club was a guest and installed the mas.

Others installed were Marvin Epps, vice-president: W. C. King, secretary: Wayne Paynter, treasurer; and Bobby Ingle, three-year director

Joe Cobb conducted the meeting. The club approved motions to pay all club bills, to change the meeting night to the second Monday night instead of the third Monday night of each month, to name William "Skeeter" Paschall a honorary member of the club and to name The club also decided to

send a gift certificate to senior citizens in the Wise-Paschall district for Christ-

In a board of directors meeting on Wednesday, Dec. 14, a motion to give five dollar gift certificates was passed as was a motion to give 50 Christmas baskets to senior citizens in the district.

A meeting was scheduled for Dec. 18 to prepare the baskets.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. J. R. Palmer has returned home after being a patient in Warren General Hospital for ten days.

4-H'ers Meet

By CHARLIE FIELDS, JR. The Norlina Youth Improvement 4-H Club held its last monthly meeting for the year of 1977 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Greene. The meeting was called to order at 6 p. m. by vicepresident, Deborah Kersey. Devotion and minutes fol-

The business session was the installation of the officers for the 1978 year. The Educational Topic was singing Christmas Carols. Dues were paid and refreshments served by the Green family and leaders.

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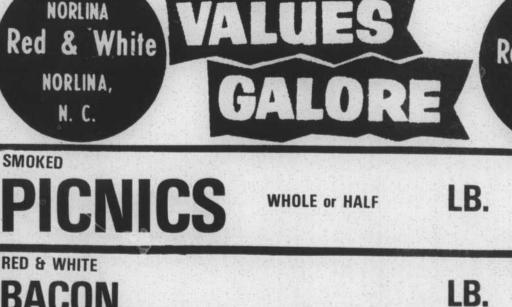
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