

Here's A Star-Spangled Yard Sale For Movie Fans

Dedicated movie buffs, who would treasure a handful of lint from the pockets of Robert Redford, gather round! You can be up to your knees in treasures actually handled by some of filmland's brightest stars.

"Crimes of the Heart" movie props go on sale to the public Saturday in Southport at 217 and 223 Caswell Drive, beginning at 9 a.m. and continuing until all merchandise is sold.

The word comes from Debbie Martin, production assistant on the film that has just concluded about three months of shooting in a Caswell Street house and on locations in Southport.

Stars whose props and personal possessions will be sold are Diane Keaton, Sissy Spacek, Jessica Lange and Sam Shepard, all of whom departed Southport July 3.

There will be Miss Lange's baby's crib and personal telephone, and ashtrays and sheets used by Miss Spacek. Props from the set will include bookshelves, filing cabinets and anything else that will be seen on camera. Costumes are not included, Ms. Martin said.

Each item will be marked with a sticker, indicating where it came

from, but prices won't be inflated to reflect "star value," she explained. They will be under market value. "People who dressed the sets will be on hand to answer questions."

This sale is a first in the movie industry, as far as she knows. Usually, props are returned to studio warehouses. "We're having the sale to give the public a chance to have something from the movie," she said.

"Crimes" is a production of DeLaurentis Entertainment Group, directed by Bruce Beresford, and is scheduled for release in December.

Special Vans On DOT Agenda

Transportation for the elderly and handicapped in Brunswick County could get a boost Friday from the N.C. Board of Transportation.

The board is scheduled to consider various requests for grants under the Urban Mass Transit Act. Through the Brunswick County Volunteer & Information Center, a coalition of Brunswick County agencies has requested funds for three new regular vans and one van equipped with a lift that makes it accessible to the physically handicapped. According to VIC coordinator Ouida Hewett, these vans would complement the two regular vans and one lift-equipped van already in use locally. They would be furnished under a \$59,640 federal grant matched by \$7,455 each from state and local sources.

Local agencies that will pool use of the equipment include, in addition to VIC, the Brunswick Interagency Program at Brunswick Technical College, Southeastern Mental Health, Brunswick County Parks and Recreation, and the Brunswick County Department of Social Services.

Also, the transportation board will consider adding Lewis Drive and Eyota Drive to the state road system, and allocating another \$1,000 for preliminary engineering on S.R. 1426 at a Seaboard System Railroad crossing.

Deputies Find Marijuana Field In Green Swamp

A sizeable crop of marijuana was harvested June 26 in the Green Swamp by Det. Sgt. David Crocker, crime prevention officer Don Gates and other officers of the Brunswick County Sheriff's department.

Crocker said 275 plants were seiz-

ed, ranging from 10 to 15 feet in height, and with a street value of \$431,000.

"This plot was east of Exum," Crocker said, "all surrounded by chicken wire to keep out animals and

well tended. We set up a surveillance for two days, then got a warrant and went in."

Pending a grand jury indictment, Crocker refused to name the person suspected of growing the plants.

CEDAR GROVE AREA NEWS

Bryant Descendants Reunited

BY BARBARA T. HEWETT



Annie R. Bryant was hostess for descendants of John Jack and Holland Land-caster Bryant on Saturday, July 5. Their reunion was one of sharing love, good food and fellowship for local and in-state relatives as well as participants from five other states.

Comings And Goings

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. David Gore were their children and grandchildren: Lindell, Linda and Laketa Gore of Rocky Mount; Randy and Von Gore of Wilson; Leo, Lori and Teneidra Gore, and Ravone, Gina, Rayon and Jarell Gore, all of Greensboro; Anne, C.W. and Cindy Gore of Virginia; and Edward Timmons of Fayetteville.

Visiting the Willie Bates family were their daughter and son-in-law, Kim and E.J. Grissett of Sumter, S.C. E.J. is stationed with the U.S. Air Force at Shaw AFB.

Joining the James Hewetts were Carol and Cecil Riley and Michelle and William Boney of New London, Conn.; Earnest, Patsy and Jasmine Hewett, also of Connecticut; and Kent, Neecie and J.H. Hewett of Hampton, Va., who spent part of their vacation visiting relatives before sight-seeing in Jacksonville, Fla., and at Disneyworld.

Members of Mrs. Amelia Gore's family gathered at their summer home in Cedar Grove for the weekend. Here from Pleasantville and Newark, N.J., were Evelyn Blooms and Earlene Williams. Relatives from Hampton, Va., and Atlanta, Ga., also were here.

Anita and Michael Joyner of Gastonia were visiting the Mary E. Barnard family in Bolivia.

Joyce and Lee Bullard, their

daughter Tracy, and Ted Bernard are visiting Helen Bernard Tarpley in Patterson, N.J.

Mrs. Mary Bernard's daughter, Judy Robinson, has returned to Plainfield, N.J. While in Brunswick County she saw her son, Howard, perform with the youth of Ocean View Association at their recent union program. Howard will spend the summer with his mother in Plainfield.

Happy Birthday

Happy birthday to Deborah Gore Gause, Penete Grissett, Lottie Hunter, Gladys Reed, Corene Wilkerson, Howard Garrison, Bert Johnson, Julia Brown, Freddie Hewett, Timmy Marlowe, Angie Gause, Vera Gavin and James M. Johnson.

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June Warmer, But No Record-Breaker

According to the National Weather Service in Wilmington, June was warmer than normal but no records were broken.

The highest temperature was 97 on the 8th, and the lowest was 62 on the 22nd. The monthly average high was 79.3, which is 2.8 degrees above normal.

Measurable rainfall occurred on 14 days, and on the 17th and 20th, when severe thunderstorms occurred, more than an inch fell. Thunderstorms doubled above the June average, with 15 during the month, as compared to the norm of 8 days with thunderstorms.

There were four clear days in June, 14 partly cloudy, and 12 cloudy ones, with sunshine 68 percent of the time.

New Jobs Program To Begin At College

Reducing public assistance payments, unemployment, and under-employment is the primary objective of the Human Resources Development Program beginning July 21 at Brunswick Technical College.

Training will be provided in academic and communication skills, and resume preparation. Students will also be provided assistance in securing employment or obtaining further vocational training.

The classes, which are provided by the Job Training Partnership Act for the economically disadvantaged, are scheduled from 8:30 a.m. through 2 p.m., Monday through Thursday. There is no registration fee for the program and all materials and books are provided by the college.

More information about the program is available by calling Linda Ready at Brunswick Technical College.

Arts Programs Planned At Libraries

The Brunswick County Parks and Recreation Department, in conjunction with county libraries, will sponsor summer afternoon arts programs for 8-14-year olds.

The first program, scheduled for Tuesday, 3:30-4:30 p.m. at the Shallotte library, will be devoted to making nature t-shirts. Participants are asked to bring a white t-shirt on which they will make a nature design.

The programs are free and open to all county youth.

Chows On Pet List

Zelma Babson, animal control supervisor for the Brunswick County Health Department, recommends the following animals as pets of the week: female black mini chow, "very friendly," female black three-quarter chow, and male black, grey and white mixed terrier.

These and other animals may be seen and adopted at the animal shelter off Highway 211, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Rabbits Will Be Exhibited At Mall

The Coastal Rabbit and Cavy Breeders Association in Brunswick County will display rabbits and guinea pigs July 12 and 13 at Independence Mall in Wilmington.

Pam Bates of the local group said there will be more than ten different kinds of rabbits and six varieties of guinea pigs or cavies in the display, which celebrates National Rabbit Week.

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