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New Hertford Town Board Assumes Duties At Meeting Monday

Members of the Hertford Town Board, elected to office in May, assumed their duties at a meeting held Monday night after being sworn into office by Clerk of Court W. Jarvis Ward.

Following the ceremony, the board was organized with the newly elected Mayor, Emmett Landing named as city manager, Charles E. Johnson, Jr., was reappointed city attorney and R. C. (Bobby) Elliott was reappointed as town clerk. Members of the new board are Mayor Emmett Landing and Commissioners W. D. (Bill) Cox, Jesse L. Harris, C. C. Winslow and H. C. Sullivan.

The old board met earlier and appointed outgoing Mayor V. N. Darden, who did not seek re-election, to serve the unexpired term of J. Emory White on the ABC Board. Mr. White was not eligible to hold the board seat due to the fact that he no longer resides in the Town of Hertford.

The new Mayor and Board of Commissioners in a lengthy meeting, spent the bulk of the time reappointing town positions. B. L. Gibbs was reappointed Chief of Police, R. C. Elliott, Town Clerk, and Hertford Fire Chief, and Charles E. Johnson, Jr., as Town Attorney.

W. L. (Buddy) Tilley was appointed to replace Emmett Landing on the Town Planning Board. C. C. Winslow was appointed as Vice Mayor.

The proposed budget for 1967-68 was gone over by the new Mayor and Commissioners. However, no action was taken on this. A special meeting will be held on Monday night to further discuss the budget.

Dr. Isa Grant spoke to the new board on an Albemarle Area Alcoholism Council. Dr. Grant asked that five per cent of the net profits from the ABC store be set aside to help establish an AAA Council. The headquarters would be in Elizabeth City and would include Chowan, Perquimans, Pasquotank, Currituck and Dare counties. No decision was reached and the matter was tabled until a later date.

Bloodmobile In County June 21

The American Red Cross Bloodmobile will be here on Wednesday, June 21, at the First Methodist Church from the hours of 12 noon until 5 P. M.

The last three months have drained the Perquimans County account with the Tidewater Blood Center. Fresh blood was supplied immediately for more people in this county in the last three months than any other period in recent history.

If you know of anyone who has had blood supplied to them, please come in and help them replace it for the use of someone else in need.

Free sandwiches and drinks will be served every successful donor.

DROWNING VICTIM

World was shocked here Tuesday by the drowning of Mickey Adams of Chesapeake, Va. Adams was the youngest son of Charles and Mrs. Mary Adams.

Tommy Long FFA Delegate

Tommy Long, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Long, Route 1, Hertford, was chosen as the delegate from the rising FFA seniors of Perquimans County High School to attend the 1967 Resource Conservation Workshop this week, June 12-16 at N. C. State University, Raleigh, N. C.

Tommy has been a very active FFA student, according to J. T. Tunnell, vocational agriculture teacher; and was a member of the land judging team which won district honors this spring. Tommy is president of the Student Government for the coming school year.

The workshop is made possible through the combined efforts of the N. C. Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts, the North Carolina

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Death Claims Former Citizen

John Vaughan Grunewald, 57, husband of Mrs. Elizabeth Fowler Grunewald, formerly of Hertford, died Tuesday morning in his home in Jonesboro, Ga., following a heart attack.

A native of Louisville, Ky., he was the son of the late John T. and Mrs. Vivian Vaughan Grunewald. He was a retired civil service employee, a member of the Masonic Lodge No. 251, A. F. & A. M., in Jonesboro, in which he was an officer and member of the Scottish Rite Bodies in Atlanta. He was a member of Freemason Street Baptist Church in Norfolk.

Besides his wife, he is survived by a brother, Harris Grunewald of Norfolk; a sister, Mrs. A. E. Ross of California, and an uncle, M. E. Vaughan of Norfolk.

Funeral services were held Thursday at 2:30 P. M. in the chapel of the Swindell Funeral Home by Rev. Norman Harris, pastor of Hertford Baptist Church.

Burial was in Cedarwood Cemetery with Masonic rites conducted by Perquimans Lodge No. 106, A. F. & A. M.

Mrs. Sawyer Awarded \$160

Melvin E. Howell, County Supervisor Farmers Home Administration, is shown presenting Mrs. Inez H. Sawyer, county office clerk, a \$160 check and Certificate of Appreciation for sustained superior work performance. The award was presented Mrs. Sawyer for outstanding work performed in assisting the county supervisor in receiving and processing loan applications and at the same time performing official duties of her position. The work load in this office has more than doubled over the past two years.

COA Students On Dean's List

Wayne Winslow, Belvidere, received A's for all work attempted at the College of the Albemarle during the second semester. Other students placed on the Dean's List for superior academic achievement during the second semester were:

Aubrey Gayle Baccus; Hertford; Rita Jordan, Hertford; Archie Miller, Winfall; Edith R. Riddick, Belvidere; Barbara Spivey, Belvidere; Patricia Ann Banks, Hertford; Joseph L. Stallings, Belvidere; Paul Glynn Ward, Hertford; Harlette Williams, Hertford; Phyllis Williams, Belvidere.

America, My Homeland

By Susan Winterringer

Some people say patriotism is lagging in modern America. It is my opinion that we all should be more patriotic and honor our country in every way possible to show our love for America.

All of us know of America's greatness. America is a wonderful country with all its vast natural resources and beautiful forests. Our country is a melting pot of all nationalities, races and languages. To me, America is large, bustling cities and quiet countryside where cows lazily graze. Busy ports and shipyards bringing goods from all over the world and exporting food to hungry people far away—all this is America. Churches, schools, anything pure and good, to me, is America.

America means help. It means help to starving children in India, a poor, unstable government in Southeast Asia, an elderly person, and a man without a job. Indeed, America is a helping nation.

America means freedom—the freedom of speech, freedom of religion, freedom of the press. America is a church—a strong, mighty church in a large city where thousands wor-

ship every Sunday or a small, white frame church in the country attended by several families thanking God for all their blessings. America is a school—a new, clean school where children, who, in one short generation, will lead our country, learn well. Indeed, America is many good and wonderful things.

Yet, there are those Americans who do not appreciate our country—those who burn their draft cards, those who do not vote in all the elections, the many high school dropouts and all the persons responsible for the high crime rate in the United States.

Yes, my generation will be the ones responsible for all those "ugly" Americans. It is the duty of each individual to show honor and patriotism. For a nation of patriotic citizens is, indeed, a great nation.

Susan was first place winner in an essay contest on Citizenship and Patriotism conducted in the school at San Antonio, Texas. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Jan Winterringer of San Antonio and the granddaughter of Mrs. William Tucker of Hertford.



CONNIE JENKINS



ARTHUR JENKINS

Outstanding 4-H Members

Mr. and Mrs. Freeland Copeland of Route 2, Hertford, are the grandparents of two outstanding 4-H Club members of Northampton County.

Connie and Arthur Jenkins, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jenkins of Potocasi are 1967 4-H State Project Winners.

Connie is state 4-H foods and nutrition winner. A 4-H club member six years, she has completed 24 projects, county winner in the foods and nutrition project four years. She was district foods and nutrition winner in 1965, county winner in breads and cereal project in 1966 and district winner in poultry barbecue demonstration in 1966.

She has held all major offices in her local 4-H Club and has been secretary of the county council and is presently serving as reporter of the council. She is a member of the county 4-H honor club and is serving as secretary of the organization. In 1966 she was a delegate to the National 4-H Short course in Washington, D. C. She also received the 4-H Key Award in 1966 for outstanding achievement and leadership.

Connie is a member of the Beta Club of the Northampton County High School and due to her scholastic rating has been selected as a marshal for the 1967 graduating class. Connie's award as a

state winner will be a trip to National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago. This trip is sponsored by the General Foods Corporation.

Arthur is State 4-H Peanut Winner. A club member four years, Arthur has completed 18 projects in field crops. He was county junior peanut champion in 1964 and 1965 and county senior champion in 1966. Last year he was declared county winner in four other agricultural projects and was tapped for the County Honor Club.

Arthur has held several offices in his local 4-H Club and has served on several county committees. He became a member of the Two-Ton Peanut Club in 1966.

Arthur is a freshman in the Northampton County High School and a Life Scout with Troop 98 of Woodland.

His award as a 4-H state winner is a trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago. His trip is being sponsored by the Reliance Lime and Fertilizer Company.

In announcing the State winners, Dr. T. C. Blalock, state 4-H leader at North Carolina State University, remarked, "These members are being honored for project achievement, but they have also demonstrated superior leadership ability, citizenship responsibility, and other characteristics of well-rounded, talented young men and women."

Fred Matthews Dies Suddenly

Fred Tunstall Matthews, 58, of Route 1, Windsor, Va., died suddenly Wednesday night at 6:15 o'clock. A native of Perquimans County, he was the son of the late Pete and Mrs. Amanda Hobbs Matthews. He was owner and operator of the Windsor, Va., Auto Auction, was a real estate broker and a farmer.

He was a member of the Hertford Baptist Church and Perquimans Masonic Lodge No. 106, A. F. & A. M.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Hazel Keaton Matthews; three sons, Fred T. Matthews, Jr., and John Thomas Matthews of Suffolk and Dr. Robert S. Matthews of Durham; three brothers, Glenn Matthews of Hertford, Alton Matthews of Norfolk and Wendell Matthews of Elizabeth City, and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Hertford Baptist Church by Rev. Norman Harris, pastor. Burial will be in Cedarwood Cemetery.

School Lists Honor Students

Students listed on the Perquimans County High School Honor Roll for the final grading period were announced this week by Principal William Byrum. The list follows:

"A" Honor Roll

9A—Wayne Riddick.

9B—Janice Winslow.

9C—Anne Simpson.

12B—Joe Haskett.

"A-B" Honor Roll

8B—Linda Baker and Edmond White.

8C—Archie Blanchard and Patricia Morse.

8E—Linda Harrell, Nancy Tunnell, Woody Bundy and Brant Murray.

9A—Nan Ambrose, Mary Elizabeth Godfrey, Karen Haskett and Dan Nixon.

9B—Douglas Perry, Judy Hall and Betty Hall.

9C—Johnny Caddy, Ray Holowell, Louise Dale, Delores Spivey, Nancy Riddick and Geneva White.

10A—Doug Haskett, Don Morgan, Brenda Baccus and Sharon Bundy.

10B—Susan Harrell, Donald Perry, Mark Thompson, Willard Felton and Mike Bunch.

10D—Kay Nixon.

11A—Ethel Ruth Spruill, Georgia Stallings, Joyce Stallings and Linda Winslow.

11B—Shelly Bateman, Jenny Chambers, Belinda Hurdle and Dianne Stallings.

11C—Margie Banks, Kay Dail, Bea Skipsey, Sherman Taylor and Carole White.

12A—Alma Copeland, Joyce Copeland, Geraldine Meads, and Jackie Simpson.

12B—Lela Mae Long, Joyce Twine, Nettie Umphlett and Jan White.

National Group Meets June 22

The Albemarle Chapter of the National Association of Retired Civil Employees will hold an old-fashioned pot luck picnic at the Snug Harbor Park at the mouth of the Yeopim River on Albemarle Sound in Perquimans County June 22, at 12:00 noon, according to Leon I. Edwards, president. All retired federal civil service employees are urged to be present and bring your spouse. There will be ample recreation and fellowship for all.

BACK IN 1789

By R. A. Winslow, Jr.

The Perquimans County Interior Court in July 1789 heard the following report: "It appearing to the Satisfaction of this Court, That the frequent Escapes which are made from the Gaol in the Town of Hertford is in a great Measure Owing to the want of a Gaolers House & some Careful person to reside therein as Gaoler — It is therefore ordered that Charles Moore and William Skinner Esquires be appointed as Commissioners to Contract with Some workman for Erecting a Gaolers House, Contiguous to the said Gaol, of Such Dimensions and Constructed in such manner as they shall think best for the Security of Prisoners, and it is further ordered that the Several Collectors of the Taxes in this County, account with & Pay the Net amount of the Gaol Tax by them Collected, to the said Commissioners, to be by them applied for the Purpose aforesaid, and that the said Commissioners render an account of the transactions and Expenditures to April

Perquimans Citizens Urged To Support Effort Raise \$10,000



CAROLYN LONG

Carolyn Long Wins Award

Carolyn Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Long of Route 1, Hertford, received the first College of the Albemarle Music Achievement Award at the commencement recital at the college.

Dr. L. L. Barlow, dean of the college, presented the award to Miss Long during intermission.

The award goes to the student who over a two-year tenure at COA has made outstanding progress in his or her chosen performance field and in other music studies has achieved a commendable scholastic record, thus contributing to the advancement of the college's fine arts program.

A piano student of Mrs. Clifford Bair, Miss Long is the secretary and accompanist of the COA Chorale.

A June graduate, she intends to major in church music at East Carolina College.

MEL WRIGHT AMONG UNC GRADUATES

Mel Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wright of Elizabeth City, and grandson of Mrs. J. E. Everett of Hertford, was among the graduating class at the University at Chapel Hill.

Wright was also on the Dean's List for the last school semester.

"We now enter the third week of our efforts to raise \$10,000 to secure industry for our county and thereby create employment for you and your loved ones," says Leon I. Edwards, Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce manager.

"Many of you still have not taken part in this program — so why not show that you really have the interest of your community at heart, by stepping forward and saying yes you can count on me by placing your check in the mail today?" asks Edwards.

Mr. Edwards points out further that "it is up to us to provide for the future generation so that they will be able to secure employment when they are through school. In fact it is just as important as their education itself. What good does it do to educate them unless the children have a place to use the knowledge they acquire."

"It is nice for John and Mary to have a good ear. It is good that you are able to provide that which you didn't have when growing up."

"But did you ever stop to think that at least you had a place to go to work. Our parents provided this for us, yet many times we see even where they could have done a better job. We, ourselves, should not criticize unless we are willing to do our part for the future generation which follow us."

"So please fill out the ad you will find elsewhere in this paper and send along your check to help," concluded Edwards.

Men's Day At Baptist Church

Men's Day will be celebrated at First Baptist Church, Hertford, Sunday, June 18th at 11:00 A. M.

The guest speaker for this service is Rev. James A. Felton, author of the timely book, "Fruits of Enduring Faith."

Rev. Mr. Felton is a native of Hertford and a member of New Bethel Baptist Church. At present he resides in Winton, N. C.

He is a graduate of Elizabeth City State College, where he earned the BS degree. He also is a graduate of North Carolina State College, where he received the MA degree. Mr. Felton recently completed 20 years of teaching and recently accepted a new job as Director of Housing for Peoples Program on Poverty. This housing program serves four counties and towns of Chowanoke area. Rev. Felton is also founder of West Chowan Historical and Arts Society.

Rev. Felton will speak to his audience from the subject, "My Father's Traits."

Music will be presented by the men of the church and county.

The public is invited to attend.

GRADUATES

David Broughton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Broughton of Wilmington, Del., was among the 1967 graduating class of a Wilmington, Del. high school.

Broughton is the grandson of Mrs. Vera Batton of Hertford. Mrs. Batton left Wednesday to attend the exercises.