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Board Of Education Approves Teachers For 1967-68 School Year

The Perquimans County Board of Education met here Monday in the office of Superintendent C. C. Walters with all members present and the appointment of the following teachers was approved:

Carolyn Gay Howell, Rose Mary Cahoon, Dorothy L. Turner, Maurice T. Johnson, John Charles Parker, Thomas A. Sawyer, III, Viola S. Gefrich and Edna G. Davis.

The vacation agreements for 1967-68 were approved by the Board.

It was voted to pay the \$100.00 supplement to each teacher at the end of the school year. The supplemental rate is established at \$50.00 per semester. Teachers who do not work as much as one semester will not receive any part of the supplement. The full supplement will only be paid to those teachers who complete the full school year.

The Board voted to replace three vehicles with Federal Impact Funds. These vehicles will be replaced on a yearly basis hereafter.

It was voted to allow the Town of Hertford to use the King Street School playground in their recreational program.

Maola will furnish milk for the school lunch rooms for the 1967-68 term.

Indians State Opening Game

Coach Robert (Bobby) Carter's Perquimans High School football squad will begin their 1967-68 season on Friday, September 8 with a game in Tarboro.

The following is a schedule of the games prepared for this year's season:

Indians vs. Pasquotank Central at Central, September 16. Ahsokie vs. Perquimans Indians September 22, this game will be the first home game and will be played on Perquimans High Memorial Field.

On September 29 the Indians vs. Bertie, at Bertie.

The October games will be:

Indians vs. Plymouth on Perquimans Memorial Field.

October 13—Indians vs. Williamston, at Williamston.

October 20: Indians vs. Edenton, at Edenton.

October 27: Indians vs. Gates County, Perquimans Memorial Field.

In November two games are scheduled, both games will be played here. November 3 the Indians vs. Scotland Neck. November 10, Indians vs. Northampton.

Retired Group Plans Meeting

Leon I. Edwards, Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce manager, has announced a meeting of the National Association of Retired Civil Service employees will be held at Snug Harbor with a picnic on Thursday, August 17.

The meeting will begin at 4:30 P. M. with a supper at 5 o'clock.

FWLER IN HOSPITAL

William (Bill) Fowler is a patient in the Albemarle Hospital where he underwent surgery. From all reports, Mr. Fowler is doing fine and expects to return to his business here very soon. He is the owner and operator of the Pure Oil Service Station located just in front of the Perquimans High School on U.S. 17 north.

Rotary Leader To Visit Club

Rotarians of this community will welcome on August 22 the governor of this Rotary district, Thomas B. Rose, Jr., of Henderson. He will address the local Rotary club, one of 40 in his district, and will confer with Julian E. Winslow, Jr., president of the local Rotary club, and other club officers to obtain information on the club's plans for its service activities and to offer suggestions on Rotary administrative matters.

Mr. Rose is one of 278 Rotary governors in all parts of the world who are serving as the sole representative of Rotary International in districts comprised of member clubs. Each district leader is responsible for supervising the clubs in his area. More than 12,700 Rotary clubs in 134 countries are supervised by Rotary governors.

A member and past president of the Rotary Club of Henderson, Mr. Rose is Chairman of the Board of Rose's Stores, Inc. He was elected to office at the Rotary convention in Nice, France, last May, and will serve until next June 30.

"While in Hertford," according to Winslow, local Rotary club president, "the governor of our district will talk with us about possible growth of membership and the likelihood of forming additional Rotary clubs in nearby communities. His visit will also give us a broader understanding of the worldwide Rotary organization that today embraces more than 600,000 men of practically all nationalities and political and religious beliefs."

Though a seasoned Rotarian before his election to the office of Rotary governor, Mr. Rose attended an eight-day meeting last May in Lake Placid, New York at which all Rotary governors for 1967-68 received intensive training for their jobs.

Events Planned At Happy Home

The Happy Home Camp Meeting will be in progress from August 17-27, with Rev. Clifton Turpin, vice president of Emmanuel College, Franklin Springs, Ga. doing the speaking.

Features of the camp meeting will include special choir and group singing, a concert on Monday evening, August 21, by a group of children from the Falcon Children's Home; country-style meals; camping facilities; and fellowship services are scheduled for 10:00 and 11:00 A. M. and 3:00, 6:30 and 7:30 P. M., daily under the direction of Rev. Harold C. Leake, pastor of the church.

Also on Saturday, August 18, at 3:00 P. M., the new parsonage of the Happy Home Pentecostal Holiness Church will be dedicated by Rev. L. C. Symons, Conference Superintendent of the Eastern Virginia Conference of Pentecostal Holiness Church.

The campgrounds are located 17 miles north of Edenton off Route 32. The public is cordially invited to attend and enjoy the blessings of the Lord in an old-fashioned camp meeting.

REVIVAL SERVICES

Revival services will be conducted at the Anderson Methodist Church beginning Sunday night, August 20 at 8:00 P. M., and continuing each evening through Friday.

The Rev. William Donald Moore, minister of the church, will do the preaching. The public is cordially invited.



NEW FARM BUREAU OFFICE — Shown on the right is Mayor Emmett Landing cutting the ribbon on the opening of the new office located in Harris Shopping Center. Jesse Harris, owner of the shopping center, Bob Jenkins, Field Man for N. C. Farm Bureau Federation, Charles Hathaway, District Supervisor for the N. C. Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance Co., and Leon I. Edwards, manager of the Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce. On the left is Walter Humphlett, Jr., Agency Manager for the N. C. Farm Bureau Insurance Co., Mrs. Fannie Hurdle, office secretary; J. F. Hollowell, Jr., Advisor to the President of the Perquimans Chamber of Commerce and Rolle F. White, president of the Perquimans County Farm Bureau.

Farmer Group In Association

The newest agricultural organization in the State is the "North Carolina Association of Farmer Elected Committeemen," with a reported current membership of more than 2,500 and a potential membership of about 10,000.

Charles R. Reeves, a general crop and commercial pork producer from Sampson County, has been elected president of the North Carolina organization. Reeves said that "any person who is a present or past member or alternate of a farmer elected county or community AAA, PMA, CSS, or ASC committee is eligible for membership."

Reeves went on to say, "any ASCS county or State office employee who has been a member of a committee at some time in the past is eligible for membership but will not be eligible to hold office in the new association."

Other officers are Henry Winchester, Summerfield, vice president; William F. Tyson, Stokes, secretary; and Charles A. Suddreth, Route 5, Lenoir, treasurer.

There also is an executive committee of 20 members—two from each of the 10 Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service districts.

Associations of farmer committeemen have been organized to date in several states, chiefly in the Midwest, and a national convention is to be held in Kansas City on December 8-9.

The president of the national association is Robert J. Hoffman of Alden, Iowa. A North Carolinian, John N. Lockamy of Route 1, Clinton, has been named Southeast Area Director.

The preamble to the constitution and by-laws of both the State and national association states:

14 Arrested By Policemen

Hertford's Police Department had a busy month during July, according to a report to the Hertford Board here Monday night by Police Chief B. L. Gibbs.

According to Chief Gibbs, there was a total of 14 arrests made, five for being drunk, one disorderly conduct, three assaults, one operating intoxicated, three miscellaneous traffic arrests and one miscellaneous arrest.

Of the fourteen arrests made all were found guilty as charged. The fines amounted to \$230.00 and the costs \$210.00, totaling \$440.00.

The department answered and investigated 95 calls, worked four funerals, extended 101 courtesies, found two doors unlocked, answered two fire calls, 903 radio calls, issued two citations and reported three lights out. The police cars traveled 4,540 miles.

"All segments of our national economy must be healthy and prosperous if a vigorous forward thrust in the economy is to be maintained. If our farm economy is permitted to lag for any extended period, the entire national economy will suffer. History proves that economic depressions are farm led and farm fed."

President Reeves said further that the organization's objectives are set forth in its constitution. "The purpose and objectives of the association," says the constitution of the North Carolina group "shall be to promote, strengthen, and improve the farmer elected committee system for local administration of farm programs."

It shall further be the purpose of the association, through the coordinated strength of its membership, to seek, promote, and maintain effective farm programs which will (1) increase and improve farm income until it reaches parity with non-farm income, (2) promote and preserve the family-type farm, (3) eradicate rural poverty, (4) build and conserve the soil, water, and forestry resources of the nation, (5) promote new uses of agricultural products."

Membership in this new organization is restricted fully to present or former elected farmer committeemen. The new organization is in no manner competitive with or intended to be competitive with existing farm organizations in the State.

A State charter has been obtained. Dues are \$5 a year, with \$1 going to national, \$2.50 to State, and \$1.50 to county.

Reeves concluded by saying that "a State convention is planned in Raleigh on November 6-7."

Miss Barber Taken In Death

Miss Sarah Frances (Frankie) Barber, 76, died Friday night at 9:05 in the Albemarle Hospital following a lingering illness. A lifelong resident of Perquimans County, she was the daughter of the late Henry and Mrs. Mary Perry Barber, Sr. She was a member of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church.

Surviving are a brother, Durwood Barber, Sr., of Winfall and several nieces and nephews.

Graveside services were held Sunday at 2:30 in Holy Trinity Episcopal Church Cemetery by the Rev. Walter A. Henricks, rector.

ASCS News

By BOBBY S. HEATH

Committee Elections

The ASC Community Committee elections will be held by mail this year. Ballots will be mailed to eligible voters about September 8. The voted ballots must be mailed and postmarked or returned in person to the County ASCS office by September 18. The ASC community boundaries have not been changed from last year.

A slate of nominees will be selected by the present community committee. The county committee may add additional nominees. Others may be added to the slate of nominees by petition if they are found to be eligible and willing to serve if elected. Petitions must be:

1. Limited to one nominee each.
2. Signed by at least six eligible voters in the community. (Eligible voters may sign as many petitions as they desire).
3. Received at the county office by August 24, 1967.

Persons nominated should be (1) currently engaged in the operation of a farm or ranch and (2) well qualified for committee work and willing to serve if elected.

In general, a person is eligible to be a community committeeman if he lives in the community in which he is eligible to vote. If a person who is nominated by petition is found to be ineligible, he will be notified and given 15 days in which to appeal to the county committee.

A list of eligible voters in the AS community committee elections by communities is available in the county ASCS office and is available for public inspection.

Excess CCC Bins Available To N. C. Farmers

North Carolina farmers will have an opportunity to purchase excess CCC bins for the storage of this year's crops. The Secretary of Agriculture has said that sales of bins will be stepped up to give farmers an opportunity to purchase needed storage space for this year's bumper grain crops.

With increased production of wheat, corn and soybeans in prospect, bin sales are being expedited as much as possible to help assure orderly marketing and to protect farmers against the price-depressing effect of temporary excessive market supplies.

Orders have been placed by the North Carolina State ASC Committee for

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Mayor Landing Reports Water Lines Installed On Two Local Streets

IRS To Give Examinations

Greensboro — A special examination will be given on September 25 and 26 for accountants and others who wish to represent taxpayers in matters before the Internal Revenue Service. Details on the examination and application forms are now available at the IRS District Office in Greensboro. An enrollment fee of \$25 to cover the costs of administering the exam is required when the application is filed. Applications for the examination mailed after August 31, 1967 cannot be accepted.

Last year over 1200 practitioners took the exam. Questions asked on last year's exam are contained in IRS Bulletin 1967-8. Copies are available at 20c each from the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. 20401.

Cancer Board Holds Meeting

The Executive Board of the Perquimans County Unit of the American Cancer Society met Monday at 8 P. M., at the home of Miss Thelma Elliott, president.

The purpose of the meeting was to set up the 1967-68 Budget for the local unit.

Those attending were Mrs. D. M. Jackson, Mrs. Joe Meads, Mrs. H. C. Sullivan, Mrs. Ben Thach, Miss Hulda Wood and Charles Harrell.

At the conclusion of the business, a social hour was held.

FUNDS AVAILABLE

Miss Thelma Elliott, president of the Perquimans County Unit of the American Cancer Society, urges anyone in the county who is eligible for Cancer Fund assistance to please contact her.

These funds are available to the public — not just to charity patients, she stressed.

More Rural Residents To Get Mail Service

About 6,000 rural families in the four-state Atlanta Region are now eligible for the first time to have mail delivered to their homes under a new Post Office Department policy.

These families became eligible for this service when Postmaster General Lawrence F. O'Brien last week announced a nationwide extension of rural delivery services to less densely populated areas of the nation.

Regional Director C. Banks Gladden, who praised the new policy, estimated that about 20,000 individuals in North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Florida will ultimately be affected.

Under the new policy, rural delivery service can be provided for all areas with an average population density of one and one-half families a mile instead of the prior requirement of two families a mile traveled by the rural carrier.

This means that a family living within three quarters of a mile from the present route of a carrier is now eligible for delivery service.

Under the old policy, delivery service was possible only if the family lived within one-half mile of a carrier's route.

Gladden said the Atlanta Region has 3,147 rural routes and it's estimated each route will have an average of 1.8 families who can receive mail for the first time because of O'Brien's new policy.

Despite the fact the United States is becoming more urbanized, Mr. Gladden said overall population growth has kept the demand for rural delivery service high. During the past fiscal year the Atlanta Region extended this service to 21,416 families, he said.

Without the new criteria, Gladden said the 6,000 families now eligible would have had to wait for home delivery until more families moved into their areas.

Gladden said the Post Office Department is anxious to provide the new service and encouraged any family who thinks they might be eligible to contact their local postmaster and file an application.

Mayor Emmett Landing reported to the Hertford Town Board here Monday night that the new water lines had been installed on Grace and Gum Streets.

V. N. Darden was re-appointed to the Hertford ABC Board for a three-year term.

Julian A. White was re-appointed to the Hertford Housing Authority for a three-year term.

Ray Haskett was appointed to the Hertford Planning Commission.

Broughton Dail and W. W. (Welly) White, Jr., appeared before the Board to be assured their property south of Hertford will be drained, when curb and gutter is put out there, before their signing a right of way. They were assured by the Board that it would be.

The Board asked the Police Department to request all persons having junk cars on their property to move them.

An ordinance was passed prohibiting parking on the east side of Perry Street between Grubb and Willow Streets.

Grain Bins Coming Here

The U. S. Department of Agriculture is moving grain storage bins from the Midwest into North Carolina counties where they will be sold at auction.

Bobby S. Heath, Perquimans County ASCS Office Manager, said today that ten bins will soon be available for sale in Perquimans county. The minimum sale price of the bins will be between \$450.00 to \$475.00. The steel bins being sold have a capacity of 3,250 bushels and are approximately 10 years old. New bins of that capacity cost approximately \$850.00. A small aeration fan is included with each bin.

New Grain bins were in short supply last year. The used bins are being made available to stimulate the production and sale of new bins. Farmers are encouraged to continue buying grain bins from their local dealers and to purchase government bins as a supplement where needed.

The date of the auction will be announced shortly. Additional information can be obtained at the ASCS Office.

Free Attractions On Ocean Hiway

Some of the best things in travel are free along the scenic historic coast between New York and Florida.

These "something for nothing" attractions provide extra enjoyment and help save travel expenses for motorists who use the scenic Ocean Hiway.

The Ocean Hiway Association is now printing a new guide to "100 Free Ocean Hiway Attractions," according to George Attix of Elizabeth City, chairman of the organization's Community Promotion Committee.

The 100 "no charge" attractions are found in all areas of the seven-state coastal vacationland. They range from a natural fishing pier that extends 600 feet into the surf at Ocean City, N. J., to a historic tour of the excavations and museum of Fort Frederica at St. Simons Island, Ga.

The new free attractions booklet will be available in September, 1967, Attix said. A copy may be obtained by writing Ocean Hiway Association, P. O. Box 67, Virginia Beach, Va. 23466.