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Revival Services At Bagley Swamp Wesleyan Church



Revival services will begin in the Bagley Swamp Wesleyan Church Sunday night July 12 and will continue through Sunday July 18, it is announced by the Rev. V.F. Page, pastor.

Services each evening at 8:00 o'clock during the week and at 7:30 on Sunday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Jim Denny, from Randleman, N.C. will be preaching and singing.

Mrs. Denny will conduct Children's Services each evening at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday thru Friday. All Youth School age and those 14 years of age are urged to be present each evening.

Head Start Program

A Head Start program for 240 children in the counties of Chowan, Gates, Hyde, Pasquotank, Perquimans, and Washington, sponsored by the Economic Improvement Council, Inc., has been funded by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

W.G. Pierce, Deputy Director, says the total Federal Funds for the project are \$288,525.00. Two of the seven counties—Dare and Pasquotank—will operate on a 12 month basis and the other five on a 9-1/2 month basis. There will be two new positions added to the Head Start Program, a nurse, R.N., to head up the Medical and Dental phase, and a nutritionist, who will work with the cooks and serve as trainer for parent groups in nutrition.

Parents interested in sending their child to Head Start in September should fill out an application form which can be secured at the Economic Resource Center in each county, or Mrs. Margaret Holmes, Project Director.

In Perquimans County applications may be obtained from the Economic Resource Center at 210 Hyde Park Street, in Hertford.

Legion Aux. Eager For New Members

The members of the American Legion Auxiliary are always eager to add new members to their ranks and are at present engaged in a membership drive.

"We know," stated Mrs. Helen Skinner, Membership Chairman for Unit 120, "that there are many eligible women who would enjoy working on one or more of our many programs. Volunteer hospital workers are always needed and our members feel they are really accomplishing something when they give time to cheer up and assist patients."

We have so many other interesting activities—everyone is enthusiastic about our Children and Youth Program and we do accomplish a great deal as we work together with The American Legion for the welfare of our young citizens.

Our 1971 membership stands at 679, which is very encouraging this early in the Auxiliary year because we are 15,423 over the same date last year.

We are anxious to enroll new members and sincerely hope that anyone who is interested will contact a Unit in their community."

Second Annual July 4th Horse Show Big Success

Members of The Perquimans County Horse and Pony Club expressed their thanks today to each and everyone who attended their Second Annual Fourth of July Horse Show, that helped to make it a success, especially the following Albemarle Sponsors: Lane Motor Express, Inc., Ryland, N.C., Your Friendly Pharmacy At Southgate Mall, Elizabeth City, N.C., Peoples Bank & Trust Company, Hertford, N.C., Winslow's Grocery, Belvidere, N.C., Winslow-Blanchard Motor Company, Inc. Hertford, N.C., Ilda's Florist, Hertford, N.C., One Stop Station, Hertford, N.C., Albemarle Chemical Company, Winfall, N.C., Towe Chrysler-Plymouth, Inc., Elizabeth City, N.C., Midway Chevrolet, Inc., Sunbury, N.C., Standard Tile Company, Elizabeth City, N.C., Byrum Furniture Company, Hertford, N.C., Dr. L.A. Dees, Edenton, N.C., Dr. William F. Harrell, Jr. and Dr. Fletcher Bailey, Elizabeth City, N.C., Dozier's Florist, Hertford, N.C., Farmers Seed & Feed Company, Hertford, N.C., Harmon's Pharmacy, Hertford, N.C., Bill's Place Service Station, Hertford, N.C., John Deere Tractor & Farm Equipment, Hertford, N.C., Robertsons Cleaners & Laundry, Inc., Hertford, N.C., Rogerson Farm Chemicals, Hertford, The United Piece Dye Works, Edenton, N.C., Wachovia Bank & Trust Company, N.A., Elizabeth City, N.C., Hertford Farmers Exchange, Gleen's Bar-B-Que Place, Hertford, N.C., Elizabeth City Brick Company & Allstate Building Supply, Elizabeth City, N.C., Miller & Meads, Hertford, N.C., Colonial Drugs, Elizabeth City, N.C., W.S. "Wink" Winslow, Belvidere, N.C., Layden's Super Market, Belvidere, N.C., Bell Tyler Company, Edenton, N.C., Byrum Motor Company, Inc., Sunbury, N.C., Chappell & Copeland, Belvidere, N.C., Towe Motor Company, Inc. Hertford, N.C., Preston Nixon, Hertford, N.C., J.C. Blanchard & Company, Inc. Don Juan Mfg. Corp., Hertford, N.C., Todds Pharmacy, Elizabeth City, N.C., Swindell Funeral Home, Hertford, N.C., Hertford Hardware & Supply Company and W.M. Morgan Furniture Company, Hertford, N.C., Harris Plumbing & Supply Company Hertford, N.C., Central Fertilizer Station Number 4, Belvidere, N.C., Winfall Ready Mix, Winfall, N.C., Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company, Elizabeth City, N.C.

Participating in this show were riders from Charlotte, N.C., Morehead City, N.C., Youngsville, Pinetops, Aurora, N.C. and then riders from Norfolk, Virginia Beach, and Chesapeake, Virginia, and local riders from the Albemarle Area.

Mr. Wade Hockaday from Roanoke Rapids, N.C. judged the 200 entries, listed below are the winners in each event.

OPEN HALTER CLASS:
1. "Sandy Dude", Goodie Bradley, Moyock, N.C.
2. "Nicker Tater", Preston Nixon-Hertford, N.C.
3. "Little Anna Leo", Owner: Gene Howell, Ayden, N.C., Shown by Harrell Thach, Hertford, N.C.
4. "Cody", Sherryl Bachman, Moyock, N.C.
5. "Mr. Doc", Sha Collins, Norfolk, Virginia
PONY HALTER CLASS (52" & UNDER)
1. "Nicanor", Tommy Stallings, Belvidere, N.C.
2. "Sugar Babe", Kathy Lewis, Aurora, N.C.
3. "Scout", Owner: Johnny Stallings, Belvidere, N.C., Shown by Cheryl Stallings, Belvidere, N.C.
4. "King Boy Hy", Do Sackett, Aurlander, N.C.

OPEN PLEASURE DRIVING PONY
1. "Candy", Donna Stallings, Belvidere, N.C.
2. "Gilly Lady", Dallas Weeks, Elizabeth City, N.C.

CHILDREN'S GO-AS-YOU-PLEASE (12 YRS. & UNDER)
1. "Sandy", Cheryl Stallings, Belvidere, N.C.
2. "Sugar Babe", Kathy Lewis, Aurora, N.C.
3. "Buck" Al Hobbs, Hobbesville, N.C.

4. "King Kelly", Shirley Jones, Barco, N.C.
5. "Star", Mary Wood Hurdle, Hertford, N.C.

OPEN GO-AS-YOU-PLEASE
1. "Space Buster", Sandy Burch, Ace 13 Stables, Charlotte, N.C.
2. "Klondike King", Owner: R.B. McLawhorn, Elizabeth City, N.C., Rider: Beth Fletcher, Elizabeth City, N.C.
3. "Alsob Bar", Kemp Ipoek, Morehead City, N.C.
4. "Little Anna Leo", Owner: Gene Howell, Ayden, N.C., Rider: Harrell Thach, Hertford, N.C.
5. "Mr. Doc", Sha Collins, Norfolk, Virginia
PONY BARREL RACE (52" & UNDER)
1. "Little Bit", Gail Sawyer, Elizabeth City, N.C.
2. "Pete", Dana Ellis, Williamston, N.C.
3. "Red", Susan Pease, Chesapeake, Virginia
OPEN BARREL RACE
1. "Hank", Sharon Hetherington, Elizabeth City, N.C.
2. "Four Barrel", Robert Thomas, Chesapeake, Virginia
3. "Paso", Debbie Sawyer, Elizabeth City, N.C.
4. "Twister", Glen Coletrain, Williamston, N.C.
5. "Fanny" Norman White, Windsor, N.C.

JACKPOT BARREL RACE
1. "Paco", Wilber Parker, Chesapeake, Va.
2. "Gleamer", Marsha Fleming, Roanoke Rapids, N.C.
3. "Fooler", Sherril Small, Elizabeth City, N.C.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH WESTERN PLEASURE
1. "Mr. Doc", Owner: Sha Collins, Norfolk, Virginia, Rider: Gay O'Neal, Norfolk, Va.
2. "Patsy's Girl Two", Nancy Hunter, Plymouth, N.C.
3. "Little Anna Leo", Owner: Gene Howell, Ayden, N.C., Rider: Harrell Thach, Hertford, N.C.
4. "Sandy", Cheryl Stallings, Belvidere, N.C.
5. "King Kelly", Shirley Jones, Barco, N.C.

OPEN REINING
1. "Poco D Bar", Owner: Steve Aurillo, Virginia Beach, Va., Rider: Goodie Bradley, Moyock, N.C.
2. "Missy", Wayne Bateman, Creswell, N.C.
3. "Major", Dallas Weeks, Elizabeth City, N.C.

OPEN ENGLISH PLEASURE
1. "Nicky Sue", Sandy Burch, Ace 13 Stables, Charlotte, N.C.
2. "Gee Gal", Owner: Hoss Cartwright, Virginia Beach, Va., Rider: Pinky Faust, Virginia Beach, Va.
3. "Lucy", Owner: Dr. L.A. Dees, Edenton, N.C., Rider: Mrs. William Yancy, Edenton, N.C.

4. "Marquita", Shelley Partain, Wood Hall Stables, Edenton, N.C.
5. "The Tاجر", Barry Bradshaw, Wood Hall Stables, Edenton, N.C.

CHILDREN'S MUSICAL CHAIRS (12 YEARS & UNDER)
1. "You Bet", Owner: Beth White, Aurlander, N.C., Rider: Susan Smith Aurlander, N.C.
2. "Prince", Norman White, Windsor, N.C.
3. "Sandy", Cheryl Stallings, Belvidere, N.C.
4. "Pete, Dana Ellis Williamston, N.C.
5. "Nigger", Owner: Susan Pease, Chesapeake, Va., rider: Beth Cockran, Chesapeake, Va.

OPEN LADIES' PLEASURE (WESTERN)
1. "Space Buster", Sandy Burch, Ace 13 Stables, Charlotte, N.C.
2. "Mr. Doc", Sha Collins, Norfolk, Va.
3. "Missy", Owner: Wayne Bateman, Creswell, N.C., Rider: Cindy Modlin, Creswell, N.C.
4. "Patsy's Girl Two", Nancy Hunter, Plymouth, N.C.
5. "Nicky Sue", Owner: Sandy Burch, Charlotte, N.C.

OPEN ROADSTER PONY (52" & UNDER)
1. "Step Right In", Rollo White, Belvidere, N.C.
2. "Nicanor", Tommy Stallings, Belvidere, N.C.
3. "King Boy Hy", Do Sackett, Aurlander, N.C.

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R. L. Spivey Presented Service Award



R.L. (Bob) Spivey, chairman of the Perquimans County Board of Commissioners for eighteen years, is shown being presented a plaque for services rendered by Chairman of the Board of Commissioners Lester Simpson.

The plaque reads: Presented to R.L. Spivey by Perquimans County Board of Commissioners for services rendered Perquimans County as a member for eighteen years, chairman for twelve years, of Perquimans County Board of Commissioners, December 1970.

946 Needy People In Perquimans On USDA Food Program

ATLANTA, Ga. — There were 946 low-income Perquimans County people on the U.S. Department of Agriculture's (commodity distribution) program in April as compared to 1,037 in March, Russell H. James, Southeast regional director of USDA's Food and Nutrition Service, reports.

At the same time, he said the total number in North Carolina on the food program decreased 5,524 in April. There were 323,837 in March.

The number on the food stamp program in North Carolina declined 1,722 in March. A total of 187,925 were issued more than \$4.5 million in food coupons of which \$3.1 million was in bonus stamps.

The major decrease, however, was in the direct distribution of USDA-donated food programs now operating in 50 counties. Here there were 135,388 - down 3,802.

James said that his records show that each person on this program received about 37 pounds of highly nutritious food valued at around \$16. Among the 24 items distributed in April were: dry beans, butter, cheese, egg mix, peanut butter, canned poultry, dry milk, flour, syrup, corn meal and canned meal.

Over the region, James said, the number of USDA food programs was stable. There were

3 million people receiving assistance down 25,806 from March. Most of these - 2.1 million - were on the food stamp program, being issued over \$51 million in food stamps. Of this amount, \$35.4 was in free bonus stamps.

Meanwhile, at the National level FNS Administrator Edward J. Heckman estimated that

14.5 million needy people received aid from the food programs in April. Of this number 10.6 million were on the food stamp program, being issued almost \$140 million in free bonus stamps. A year ago, it was noted, only 5.6 million were on this program, being issued \$80.3 million to bonus stamps.

Perquimans Schools Officially Open 1971-72 Term Sept. 1st

Perquimans County Schools Superintendent C.C. Walters released the following schedule for the schools in Perquimans County for the 1971-72 term.

On August 30 the summer holiday ends for the teachers in the school system with their first days work beginning the new school term.

August 31 is student orientation day. September 1 begins the 180 day school term.

First holiday of the new school year is September 6, Labor Day Holiday. November 25 and 26 is tagged for Thanksgiving Holiday.

December 17 the Christmas holidays begin at the close of the school day. January 3rd ends the Christmas holiday with school getting back into full swing. January 24th is Teacher Work Day.

March 31, thru April 13 is Easter Holiday. However, the holiday will be used for make up days if needed. The 1971-72 School Term will end with the closing of the schools on May 31.

Extended Work Days for Teachers is June 1st and 2nd.

Strickland Cited For Outstanding Work

Ed Strickland, Manager of Atlantic Credit Company, 108 South McMorrine Street, Elizabeth City, N.C., has received a Certificate of Recognition for outstanding work in the field of public relations. This award is presented each year to those deserving members by the North Carolina Consumer Finance Association, whose main purpose is to improve and encourage the business of financing individuals and families for necessary and useful purposes at reasonable charges. Another purpose of the association is: To engage in a program of public relations for the benefit of the public and of the members of the association.

Points are earned in many ways, but mainly by personal participation in promoting the wise use of credit in high schools or other educational groups and community service.

Perquimans County Tentative Budget Shows Hike In Tax Rate

Perquimans County Commissioners have adopted a tentative budget for the fiscal year 1971-72 of \$1,153,652 a slight increase over last year's budget of \$1,138,584. However the county tax rate of \$1.65 is in-

creased a nickel. If adopted, the 1971-72 tax rate will be \$1.70 for each \$100 or property evaluation. The tentative budget is published elsewhere in this issue of The Perquimans Weekly.

Tom Byrum Dies At 76

Tom Byrum, 76, of 601 W. rubb Street, Hertford, died Sunday at 11:45 in the Chowan Hospital, Edenton, N.C. A native of Chowan County he was a son of the late Jessie and Mrs. Jane Dail Byrum and the husband of Mrs. Belle Dail Byrum.

He was a car salesman for Hoke Motor Company of Edenton and attended Center Hill Baptist Church.

Surviving besides his wife are four sons, Tommy P. Byrum of Hertford, Hercules Byrum of Gates, N.C., Britton Byrum of Norfolk, Va., and Paul Byrum of Newport News, Va.; three daughters, Mrs. Viola Goodwin and Mrs. Annie Belle Byrum of Tyner, and Mrs. Irene Broughton of Hertford; one sister Mrs. Rosie Boyce of Tyner; two brothers, J.R. Byrum of Tyner and Cecil Byrum of Hertford; 21 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

A funeral service was held Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. in the Center Hill Baptist Church by the Rev. M.B. Motts and Rev. NORMAN HARRIS.

"The Old Rugged Cross" was sung by the Center Hill Church Choir and "How Great Thou Art" was sung by Rev. Norman Harris. They were accompanied by J.C. Boyce, Jr., organist.

The casket pall was made of red roses, white chrysanthemums, baby's breath and fern.

Pallbearers were Leon Byrum, King George Byrum, David Boyce, Jerdia Byrum, Weldon Byrum, and Bertram Byrum.

Burial was in the Family Cemetery.

Rites Held For George Powell

George Thomas Powell, 87, of 400 N. Church Street, Hertford, died Thursday morning at 3:30 in the Craven County Hospital in New Bern following a long illness.

A native of Chowan County, he was the son of the late Benjamin and Mrs. Mary Bunch Powell. He was a member of the Hertford Baptist Church.

Before his retirement he was a farmer and operated a barber shop and pool room.

Surviving are a son, Julian C. Powell and a daughter, Mrs. Martin Towe of Hertford and two grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Graveside services were held Saturday at 11:00 a.m. in Cedarwood Cemetery by the Rev. Norman Harris, pastor of the Hertford Baptist Church.

"The Old Rugged Cross" was sung by the Men's Choir of the Hertford Baptist Church. The casket pall was made of red roses, white chrysanthemums, white gladiola and fern.

Pall bearers were Charles Johnson, Lester Simpson, Stockton Turner, Joe Campbell, Jack Kanoy, and Clarence Bozman.

L.A. Proctor Dies In Veteran's Hospital

L.A. Proctor of Rt. 1, Hertford died Sunday at the Veterans Hospital in Hampton, Va. He was a native of Perquimans County.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Pearl Proctor, of Route 1, Hertford; a son, Thomas A. Proctor of Rt. 1, Hertford; a daughter Elizabeth Proctor Saunders, of Davidsonville, Maryland; eight grand children and one brother Will Proctor of Great Bridge, Va.

A graveside service was held Tuesday at 3:00 P.M. in Beaver Hill Cemetery in Edenton by the Rev. Gorgon Shaw, pastor of Bethel Baptist Church.

"Beyond The Sunset" was sung by the Bethel Church choir. They were accompanied by Miss Linda Evans, organist.

The casket was draped with the American Flag. He was a member of the American Legion, Charles Skinner, Jr., folded the flag and presented it to the widow, Mrs. Pearl Proctor.

Pallbearers were Earl Proctor, Albert E. Sheppard, Jr., Lloyd Evans, E.J. Proctor, Jr., Willis Proctor and Wallace Hobbs.

Grandson Of Harrells In Business Competition



Charles M. Murff, 18, of Norfolk, Va., grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Harrell of Route 3, Hertford, has taken second place in the national Mr. Future Business Leader of America contest held in Miami Beach.

The Norview High School graduate was chosen and sponsored by William T. High to represent Norview Future Business Leaders at the regional contest held at Old Dominion University.

High said that Murff was president of his chapter during the last school year, and that the choice was based upon the student's ability and activity in school and community matters.

The regional competition led to state competition. After winning that, Murff went on to the national competition involving representatives of the 50 states.

The judging was based upon local chapter, school, and community activities, and church involvement, and, at the state and national levels, a business examination that tested general business knowledge, punctuation, abbreviation, and mathematical computation.

Murff has been accepted by Old Dominion university where he plans to major in accounting.

Local Boy-On Life Saving Team

Two children can credit hospital personnel's efficiency with saving their lives. In critical condition from drinking a tobacco poisoning, three children were brought to the Pitt County Memorial Hospital Emergency Room in Greenville recently. One child having expired on arrival, Emergency Room Personnel sounded a "Charlie Roger" alarm and in moments three physicians and back-up people were on the scene. An Inhalation Therapist aided in intubation and auxiliary respirations. Monitor equipment was connected by an E.K.G. Technician and nurses were providing gastric suction and intravenous fluids. John Stallings Pharmacist, had the newest, anti-toxin agent established, the weight of the patients estimated, and the proper damage computed by the time the physicians were ready for it. This is the teamwork that can save a life. It undoubtedly did this time!

Mr. Stallings is the husband of the former Connie Sawyer of Hertford and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stallings of Woodland Circle, Hertford.

Shamble Completes Training

Airman Vicie E. Shamble, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Spruill of Hertford, N.C., has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He is remaining at Lackland for training as a security policeman. Airman Shamble is a 1970 graduate of Perquimans County High School, Winfall, N.C. His wife is the former Linmar Felton of 405 Dobb St., Hertford.

A GOODDUCK

San Diego—Marie Hitchcock, who gained fame by successfully mating pheasants and chickens to produce pheasants, now has a goodduck. It's the result of mating a gander with a duck. Of 23 eggs laid only one hatched.