SECOND PLACE TEAM — The above photo shows H. F. Byrum, Supervisor of Albemarle Soil and Water Conservation District presenting a check to the Perquimans F.F.A. team. Left to right are F.T. Riddick, instructor; Brett Dail, Terry Turner, Glenn Harrell and H.F. Byrum. Team member Ricky Lane was not present when the presentation was made.

JUDGING SOIL — The photo above shows a group of the participants judging the soil at one of the pits. (SCS Photos)

Perquimans Team Places Second In Land Judging

The Albemarle F.F.A. Federation held its 21st. annual Land Judging Contest on March 27, in Camden County.

This contest is sponsored by the Albemarle Soil and Water Conservation District.

The Northeastern High School F.F.A. team, coached by M.H. Oliver won first place and received $15.00. The Perquimans County High School team coached by F.T. Riddick placed second and received $10.00. The third place prize of $5.00 was awarded to Chowan High School F.F.A. team, E.S. White instructor. Arnold Parker of Northeastern High School had the highest individual score and received $5.00.

The Vocational Agricultural instructors gives the F.F.A. boys classroom and field instruction on such soil characteristics as texture, color, drainage, permeability, slope, erosion and identification and distinction between top soil and sub-soil. They are taught to recognize the relation of each of these characteristics to one another and the influence they have on the capability of the soil. Combinations of these characteristics indicate the potential problems or hazards of specific areas of land which are grouped into land classes based on the amount and degree of these problems. They also receive training in the special treatment of these problems as determined by land class. These treatments consist of such possible recommendations as soil test, open ditch or tile drainage, terracing, contour farming, winter cover, conserve crop residue, strip cropping, and crop rotations.

Joe Covington, Soil Scientist with the Soil Conservation Service, selected the different land sites to be judged. Pits were dug so that the F.F. A. boys could look at and examine top soil and subsoil at these sites. Each boy had a score card which he filled out at each site.

Floral Club Holds Meeting

The George Washington Carver Floral Club met recently at the home of Mrs. Mary E. James.

The meeting was opened by reading the Garden Creed in unison. The minutes ofthe last meeting were read and approved. Reports were given for each holiday in the month of March. Mrs. Gibbs read an article entitled, "Beauty of Spring Seen in Flowers." She named several flowers that may be found blooming during the month of March and told members that if they would put their blooming flowers in their homes, it would bring joy to each family member.

Several varieties of flowers were brought to the meeting from the flower gardens of club members. They included camellia, daffodil, narcissa, forsythia, geranium, petunia and Mrs. Manley brought and artificial arrangement of roses scented with spices which had a grapefruit for a base.

It was suggested that for the next meeting, club members bring a sample of all the flowers in their gardens and a discussion of planting time for flowers will be discussed.

The door prize was awarded to Mrs. Eula Manley.

The hostess was thanked for the dinner and seasonal decorations in her home by Mrs. Loundes.

Those present at the meeting were Mrs. James, Mrs. Gibbs, Mrs. Reid, Mrs. Lowe, Mrs. Hoffler, Mrs. Burks, Mrs. Drumgold, Mrs. Manley, Mrs. Loundes, Mrs. Lloyd, Mrs. Lowe and Dr. L.N. Sutton. The next meeting will be held April 20 at the home of Dr. L. N. Sutton.

VISITS HOME

Ms. Jann Dillon, student at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Dillon during the Easter weekend.

Looking Backward

APRIL 1937
By VIRGINIA WHITE TRANSEAU

COACH ROGERS LEAVES PERQUIMANS SCHOOL: Perquimans has lost its athletic coach, Carl Rogers, who has held a position on the school faculty for the past two years and who has served as athletic coach. He left Wednesday night for California to take over a new position. He is taking a position with the Citrus Fruit Growers Association at Palo Alto. Jesse Parker Perry, who recently has represented the Elizabeth City Daily Independent in Hertford, has also accepted a position with the same concern and left with Mr. Rogers on Wednesday night.

DELIGHTFUL DANCE ON EASTER MONDAY: The young married set, of Hertford, as well as many of the juniors enjoyed the delightful dance given on Easter Monday night in the hall of the Woodmen of the World by Morgan Walker. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. Emmett Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. R.N. Hines, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Newbold, Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Oakey, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pitt, Dr. and Mrs. C.A. Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Alphonso Chappell, Mrs. J.G. Campbell, Mrs. J.M. Eason, of Crewe, Va., Misses Etta Burt Warren, of Trenton, Ann Britt and Audrey Meads, of Elizabeth City, Ruth Alice Ward, Nita Newbold, Mae Wood Pierce, Marion Raper, Edna Ruth Cannon, Shirley Walker, Jeannette Perry, Ruth Elliott, Bernice White, Jeannette Fields, Mary Helene Newby, Blanche Everett, Nell Hobbs, Gussie Wood, Dorothy Mae Hoffler, Mary Elizabeth Fields, Mary Wood Koonce, Mary Towe, Hazel. Bright, and Edna Fields, and H.G. Winslow, Lucius Blanchard, F.W. Winslow, Walter G. Edwards, Robert Riddick, Russell Baker Elwood Nowell, Carl Rogers, R.S. Monds, Jr., Trim Wilson, Frank Brown, W.T. Brown, Edward Weeks, Silas M. Whedbee, Zack Toms White, Billy Hardcastle, Watt Winslow, Vivian Mathews, Heywood Divers, Henry Clay Sullivan, Bill Homes of Edenton, Jesse Parker Perry, Ned White of Edenton, Frank Jessup, Francis Nixon, Jim Bass, Tim Gregory, Beverly Blanchard, Cleveland Buck, James Divers, Claude Simpson, Jim Bob White, William E. White, Jr., George Fields, Zack Harris, Fred Chalk, T.S. White, Jr., and Bob Jett, of Richmond, Va.

KENNETH MILLER WINS PRIZE: The $20 prize at the State Theatre on Wednesday night was won by Kenneth Miller.

EASTER EGG HUNT: The Junior G.A. of Whiteville Grove Baptist Church enjoyed an Easter egg hunt Saturday afternoon at the home of Mary Louise and Julia Miller Chappell. Two contest were enjoyed. The prize winners were Lois Asbell and Syble Rogerson. The egg hunt was greatly enjoyed with Velma Layden finding the most eggs. Those present were: Velma Layden, Syble Layden, Blanche Chappell, Dixie Chappel, Thelma Chappell, Mary Louise Chappell, Julia Miller Chappell, Pauline Smith, Ruth Smith, Julian Jr. Chappell, Johnnie Chappell, Catherine White Deborah White, Marie Anderson, Syble Rogerson, Lois Asbell, Marjorie Perry, Mattie Lou Turner, Timothy Clair Perry, Evelyn Copeland, and the leader, Mrs. Luna Layden.

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Tax Tips From "Doctor Block"

Sometimes me thinks the pharmacist should put out his H&R Block shingle — especially around April 15th!

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Remember, unlike last year it's not necessary to list each doctor — just their total cost. All trips to and from the doctor's office or clinic (plus trips to the drug store, if made at the same time) merit a 7¢/mile deduction — along with, I might add, expenses for cabs, buses, tolls, and parking.

One final tip: Don't let shyness keep you from deducting the cost of glasses, false teeth, or hearing aids. They're *legit* too!

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