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or a person employed consistently as a substitute teacher, Non-public school teachers, currently and regularly employed are eli-

gible to attend. The local superintendent must recommend his participation. Other persons are allowed to attend courses, either college credit or non-college credit, under special conditions.

The total program plan is submitted by the local county

superintendent to the Division of Staff Development for approval, and together these administrative units provide leaders and instructors for the program.

Areas or subjects of discussion in all In-Service programs are designed to strengthen the academic or professional preparation of teachers. The selection and enrollment of teachers in the program is based on the superintendent's belief that participation in the program will improve the quality of instruction of the teachers involved. The program is funded by the Division of Staff Development through the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction.

The different areas or subjects of instruction are closely related to the needs of the teachers, whether they be on the elementary or high school level. Studies are made through challenging and satisfying assignments, laboratory work and films or other audiovisual aids. Enrollment is limited to 40 persons per instructor.

In Northampton County six In-Service educational courses or workshops have been held, or are planned, for this school year. They are as follows:

- Remedial Reading, with 32 teachers.
- World Regional Geography, with 35 teachers.
- General Methods in Teaching, with 23 teachers.
- American English Language (television course), with 25 teachers - March 2-April 21.
- In-Service Workshop for Paraprofessional Personnel (eight sessions of one and one-half hours), with 62 teacher aides - January 28-March 18.



AUDIO-VISUAL WORKSHOP which was held in Jackson last week is just one of the many types of courses offered by the local In-Service Education program in Northampton County. Mrs. Clara Carter, consultant in the field of educational media, is seen demonstrating to teacher aides how to make transparencies.

FARM EQUIPMENT SALE

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1970 10:00 A.M.

Location: Holoman Farm
4 Miles West Of Rich Square At Bryantown

- 1966 Massey Ferguson Tractor 180
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- 1966 International Tractor 504
- 1963 Massey Ferguson Tractor 65
- 1958 Ford Tractor 641 (with loader)
- 1959 Allis Chalmers Tractor C (one row)
- 1 Benthall Peanut Combine
- 1 Roanoke Super Peanut Combine
- 1 Long Peanut Digger
- 1 Roanoke Peanut Digger
- 1 Long Peanut Dryer
- 6 Long Drying Wagons
- 2 Roanoke Tobacco and Grain Drying Barns
- 1 Massey Ferguson 4 Bottom Plow
- 2 Ford 3 Bottom Plows
- 1 Massey Ferguson 2 Bottom Plow
- 1 Roanoke Side-Boy Cutter
- 1 Lilliston Cutter
- 1 Tractor Road Blade
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- 1 Ford 4 Row Cultivator
- 2 Pittsburg 2 Row Cultivators
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- 2 8 Ft. Disk Harrows
- 1 10 Ft. International Disk
- 1 14 Ft. King Disk
- 1 Roanoke Tobacco Harvester (with motor)
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Interesting Phenomena To Be Seen In Solar Eclipse

(Editor's Note: Following is the second in a series of four articles on the March 7 solar eclipse written by R. S. Dodson Jr., of Morehead Planetarium, Chapel Hill.)

CHAPEL HILL — It has been said that a total eclipse of the sun is one of the most awe-inspiring events in nature. Here is a "blow-by-blow" description of what will take place; More than an hour before the time of totality the moon will reach the spot where it makes the first small dent in the sun's image as we see it. Gradually this indentation will increase. For some time no marked difference will be apparent in the amount of daylight around us; but gradually watchers will become aware that things are growing dimmer. As totality approaches this effect appears to accelerate. Then — rather suddenly, it seems in those last few seconds — the sun is completely covered by the moon and night has arrived.

As this artificial evening approaches, curious effects can be noted. One of the most surprising, to many people, is the appearance of many tiny crescents beneath trees that are in leaf. Ordinarily, the sun shining through little spaces between the leaves will make round images upon the ground, upon the sides of houses, or wherever the rays strike. The small interstices between the leaves serve the same purpose as the aperture of a pinhole camera, and the circles on the ground are little images of the sun itself. But when the sun has been reduced to a crescent, each image will be a crescent also — a tiny representation of the partly eclipsed sun. The sight of these crescents scattered upon the ground or upon the side of a house is fascinating; a view of them makes interesting photographs.

When the midday "night" arrives, many creatures seem to

feel that it is indeed evening. Birds sing evening songs, chickens go to roost and cattle accustomed to spending nights under cover wend their ways to the barn. Just before totality the sun's light changes in quality, because all that then reaches us comes from the very edge of the solar disk; consequently earthly objects and clouds may take on strange, unusual hues.

When the moon at last covers the sun completely a surprising thing happens. Around the blacked-out solar disk the marvelous coronal appears — this is the pearly envelope that forms a kind of outer atmosphere of the sun, extending through millions of miles. The corona is composed of highly excited and ionized gases of very low density. It can be seen only at times of total eclipses and through a few modern telescopes equipped with special apparatus for creating artificial eclipses.

Although the eclipse "night" will not be completely dark — because sunlight is still being reflected into the totality zone from regions beyond it — bright stars in the sky may become visible. On March 7 the sun will be in the constellation Aquarius, in which there are no bright stars; consequently it is unlikely that any stellar objects will appear except, perhaps, to watchers on very high ground in Mexico or in airplanes above the denser parts of our atmosphere. But four planets might be seen. Mercury will be just west of the sun, while Venus, Mars and Saturn will be strung out on a line to the east.

Some interesting phenomena occur just as totality begins and just as it ends. As the left edge of the moon (the edge toward your eastern horizon) reaches the edge of the sun, for one brief, beautiful moment all the light is cut off except for beams that happen to find their way between the moon's mountain

peaks and ranges. This gives one the impression that little globules of light are scattered along the edge of the encroaching moon. These are called Bailey's Beads. As they in turn vanish, the red chromosphere (the lower atmosphere) of the sun becomes visible all the way around the moon. From it occasional prominences arise, shooting out, sometimes, hundreds of thousands of miles into space. All these reddish displays consist mostly of clouds of incandescent hydrogen gas. Outside all of these is the gorgeous corona.

As the total eclipse ends, all these events are repeated in reverse, except that to our now dark-adapted eyes the inner corona may remain visible for a few seconds even after the first Bailey's Beads appear — this time on the western edge of the sun. Occasionally a single "bead" may shine out; this can combine with the remaining coronal circle to form the famous "diamond ring" effect.

Another remarkable and not clearly understood event takes place immediately before and after totality. As the moon just covers the sun a series of strange bands, alternately light and dark, sweep across the land, continuing for several seconds; a similar display takes place as totality ends. Up to now these shadow bands have never been photographed, although they have been reported at many eclipses.

In 1963, a New York amateur astronomer, Edgar M. Paulton, contrived a special apparatus whose principal feature is an adjustable screen almost six feet in diameter. This is used in conjunction with a timing device, and it has a rotatable bar for matching the orientation of the shadows. This arrangement was tried in 1963 and since then at several eclipses by Paulton and other investigators. For one reason or another, results to date have been negative. Paulton will try again this time, and plans to set up his apparatus at an observing site near Greenville.

\$11,500 Spent On Phone Sys.

JACKSON — A project to improve and expand the Jackson telephone exchange has recently been completed.

Carolina Telephone Manager Don Collier said today that an \$11,500 program just concluded has expanded the company's central office equipment here.

Included in the project was an installation of equipment to provide facilities to serve 140 new telephones for subscribers in this area and permit better grades of service to present subscribers.

Collier said that the growth of Jackson in recent years has brought about an increased demand for telephone service. This demand had taxed the capacity of existing equipment. Telephones in this area have increased from about 380 to more than 630 in the past 10 years.

"The construction program here is in keeping with Carolina Telephone's continuing program to fulfill the telephone needs of the communities it serves," he pointed out.

Collier said, "The Jackson improvement and expansion program was engineered to allow for telephone growth in the future."

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE In the General Court of Justice District Court Division North Carolina

Northampton County Loretta Hall, Plaintiff

vs. Roger D. Hall, Defendant

The above named defendant, Roger D. Hall, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the District Court of Northampton County, North Carolina, by the plaintiff to secure an absolute divorce from the defendant upon the ground that plaintiff and defendant have lived separate and apart for more than one year next preceding the bringing of this action; and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the District Court, in the courthouse at Jackson, North Carolina, within twenty days after the 19th day of March, 1970, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

This 6 day of February, 1970.
R. J. White Jr., Clerk of Superior Court. TNC-3.5

NOTICE North Carolina Northampton County

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed on the 20th day of September, 1968, by J. Clyde Britton and wife, Rosalind Britton, to Perry Martin, Trustee, and recorded in Book 532, Page 217 in the office of the Register of Deeds for Northampton County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and said deed of trust being by the terms thereof subject to foreclosure, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale to the highest bidder, at public auction at the Court House in Jackson, North Carolina, on Wednesday, the 18th day of March, 1970, at 12:00 o'clock, the property conveyed in said deed of trust and described as follows: Being in Wake County, North Carolina, Northampton County, North Carolina. Bounded on the North by the lands of Aaron Lassiter and wife, Marie Flythe Lassiter, on the East by the lands of M. C. Lassiter, on the West by the lands of Aaron Lassiter and wife, Marie Flythe Lassiter and County road leading from Conway to Creeksville; on the South by the public road leading from Conway to Creeksville and the run of Wildcat Swamp, beginning at a point on North side said road at a point to be M. C. Lassiter line, thence along M. C. Lassiter line N. 3 deg. 30 min. East 518 feet, West to line of Aaron Lassiter and wife, Marie Flythe Lassiter, thence along the line of Aaron Lassiter and wife, Marie Flythe Lassiter with various courses and distances given as follows: N. 54 deg. 30 min. West 229 feet, S. 40 deg. 30 min. West 260 feet, N. 53 deg. 30 min. West 125 feet, S. 35 deg. West 135 feet, S. 62 deg. West 131 feet, S. 41 deg. West 120 feet, S. 43 deg. West 145 feet, S. 39 deg. West 134 feet, S. 48 deg. 30 min. West 350 feet to a point in run of Wildcat Swamp, thence along the run of Wildcat Swamp with various courses and distances given: S. 28 deg. East 460 feet, S. 17 deg. West 246 feet, S. 28 deg. 30 min. West 428 feet, S. 80 deg. 30 min. East 339 feet, S. 52 deg. 30 min. East 328 feet, S. 24 deg. East 64 feet to the County road leading from Conway to Creeksville; thence along said road N. 37 deg. East 234 feet, N. 28 deg. East 135 feet, N. 25 deg. 30 min. East 625 feet to point of beginning, containing 47.1 acres as shown by map and survey made by E. Floyd Outland Surveyor, and designated as lot number 2 in said map, said map being of record in Northampton County Registry in Page —

This sale will be made subject to all prior deed of trust and liens of record and all outstanding and unpaid taxes.

This 12th day of February, 1970.
PERRY MARTIN, Trustee. TNC-3.5

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION

North Carolina Northampton County State Highway Commission, Plaintiff,

vs. Tommy Jackson, Jefferson Jackson and wife, Addie Jackson, Katherine Jackson, Kelly Jackson and wife, Edna Jackson, Alexander Jackson and wife, Lottie Jackson, Grover Jackson and wife, Hattie Jackson, Ernest Jackson and wife, Doris Jackson, Bonnie Jackson and wife, Fannie Jackson, Albert Jackson and wife, Gladys Jackson, Defendants.

To: Katherine Jackson, Kelly Jackson, Edna Jackson, Alexander Jackson, Lottie Jackson, Grover Jackson, Hattie Jackson, Ernest Jackson, Doris Jackson, Bonnie Jackson, Gladys Jackson.

Take notice that pleadings seeking relief against you have been filed in the above

entitled action. The nature of the relief being sought is as follows: The condemnation and appropriation, for highway purposes, of a certain interest or estate in that certain parcel of land lying and being in Gaston Township, Northampton County, North Carolina and being that tract of land more particularly described as follows:

That parcel of land situated in Gaston Township, Northampton County, North Carolina, bounded on the North by Martha Underdue Estate, State Road No. 1214 — and lands of J. Stanley, on the East by lands of J. Stanley, State Road No. 1216, on the South by lands of Harding Huff, lands of Mary Delbridge, and lands of Milton King and on the West by the land of Albemarle Paper Company, containing 73 acres, more or less, and being the property owned by Edward Jackson at his death, and being the identical property conveyed to Edward Jackson, with the exception hereinafter noted, by the following two deeds: (1) Deed of W. L. D. Ivey and wife, Carrie Ivey, dated March 10, 1928, and recorded in Book 175, Page 95, Northampton County Public Registry, and (2) Deed of Golden Ricks and wife, Bertha Ricks, dated March 26, 1928, and recorded in Book 229, Page 260, Northampton County Public Registry. Excepted from the lands described in the above two deeds is the one acre lot conveyed by Edward Jackson to Jefferson Junior Jackson by deed recorded in Book 497, Page 400, Northampton County Public Registry. Reference is said in instruments being hereby made for greater certainty of description. The above-described tract of land is that same tract conveyed to Edward Jackson by deed dated March 10, 1916, recorded in Book 175 at page 95 and by deed dated March 26, 1928, recorded in Book 229 at page 260 of the Northampton County Registry.

You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than the 24th of March, 1970, and upon failure to do so, the party seeking service against you will apply to the Court for the relief sought.

This 13 day of January, 1970.
ROBERT MORCALI, Attorney General, Harrison Lewis, Deputy Attorney General, N. C. Dept. of Justice, Highway Building, Raleigh, N. C.
R. J. White, Jr., Clerk of Superior Court Northampton County TNC-2.26

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE In the General Court of Justice Superior Court Division State of North Carolina

Northampton County Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Gus Smith of Northampton County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said Gus Smith to present them to the undersigned within 6 months from date of the publication of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate please make immediate payment.

This 12th day of February, 1970.
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Periodically, we have indicated the fact that your present insurance coverage on home and housefurnishings might not be adequate to cover their replacement in case of loss by fire or other insurable risks. As a reminder, we are pointing up some of the factors to consider — and act upon — if necessary. It is a natural tendency for people to be careless about matters that could become extremely important to them. This applies, particularly, in the matter insurance coverage on their homes and household effects. Generally, speaking, fire insurance policies are written for a period of three years. At expiration, we receive notice of renewal along with the bill and automatically, we renew the existing policy for another three years. If this has been a routine procedure for the last couple of renewals, it is time to sit down and review the changes that might have bought or older pieces you might have replaced with newer and, invariably, more expensive items. For instance, did you have a color TV set when the fire insurance policy was renewed the last time? If not, consider its replacement value if it was destroyed. The same thought should be given to the refrigerator-freezer or hi-fi stereo equipment or the new living room furniture or power tools. Companies writing fire insurance policies follow this general pattern. The total replacement value of your property equals 100%. If you insure the property for 80% of its total value, then, in case of total destruction, the policyholder would receive the face amount of the policy. However, if through oversight or neglect or habit your policy only represents 50% of the full value of the property, you would only

receive half the face amount of the policy. As you can see, automatic renewal of a policy without giving thought to the appreciation in value of your property or the addition of new items could be costly. The casual or thoughtless renewal of property insurance policies is probably due to a psychological quirk. For, nobody anticipates a fire or other disaster. It couldn't happen to them. Don't you believe it! Last year, fire losses, alone, amounted to over \$1.7 billion and for the first five months of this year, they exceed \$649 million.

If you have been treating the matter of your insurance coverage lightly, now is the time to sit down and take an inventory of your possessions. Do it physically, room by room and item by item so that nothing will be overlooked. You can get an estimate of their replacement costs by checking current prices for comparable items in the newspaper or local stores. Homeowners can determine the value of their property by comparison with houses of comparable construction in similar neighborhoods. Or better still, check values with your banker. He would be familiar with property values in the area. When you have finished your appraisal, prepare yourself for a surprise. If averages hold true, you will find you are underinsured. The question to ask yourself, then, is "Can I afford the risk?" The chances are that the average family can't. It never anticipated the extraordinary expenses that crop up at a time of disaster. If we believe, as the old song says "There's no place like home", we should also realize there's nothing more valuable than our home.

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Vinson Goes To Illinois Air Base

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. — Airman Bradshaw Vinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Vinson of Route 1, Woodland, has completed basic training in the missile maintenance field. Airman Vinson is a 1968 graduate of W. S. Creecy High School, Rich Square.

Conway Dealer At Board Meet

RALEIGH — The quarterly meeting of the N. C. Automotive Wholesalers Association (NCAWA) board of directors will be held on February 20-21 at The Carolina in Pinehurst. Conway automotive wholesaler, Grady Davis, will be among the NCAWA directors in attendance at the meeting.

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