

Warren Citizens Win Prizes At State Fair

Warren County exhibitors won many prizes and honors in the State Fair last week, according to Douglas Cox, public relations director.

Among the winners from Warren County listed by Cox were:

In the Egg Show, Mrs. Herman Seaman of Norlina won first place in Brown Shell, extra large, and 2nd in same class; 2nd in Brown Shell, medium; 1st and 2nd in Brown Shell, small. Mrs. W. L. Killian of Norlina won 4th in Brown Shell, extra large; 3rd in Brown Shell, large; and 1st in Brown Shell, medium.

The Warrenton Freezer Lockers of Warrenton won 6th place in Farm Cured Hams.

Clothing Department

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Tobacco Acreage Transfer Conditions Listed By ASCS

Information concerning the lease and transfer of flue-cured tobacco for acreage allotment was released this week by A. P. Hassell, Jr., through the local ASC office.

Hassell is executive director for the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation State Committee.

"Economic flexibility, which will not only be of great benefit to flue-cured tobacco farmers, but will also benefit all segments of our rural and urban population, will now be permitted as a result of recent legislation," Hassell said.

Hassell said that ASC ASCS county offices are receiving numerous questions on the new lease and transfer legislation. He pointed out that although the law has been passed, operating instructions have not been completed for issuance to local ASCS county offices which will permit them to take action regarding the lease and transfer of allotments.

Hassell, however, did give some general provisions regarding these transfers which, he said, should do much to answer the questions farmers are now bringing to their local ASCS county offices.

"To be eligible to lease additional acreage a farm must already have a flue-cured allotment," Hassell said. "The lease and transfer provisions do not permit the movement of allot-

Mail Must Be Posted At An Earlier Hour

Patrons of the Warrenton Postoffice will have to get their mail into the office 30 minutes earlier in the afternoon than has been the custom for several years.

Leonard Daniel, postmaster, said yesterday that due to a change in the schedule of the leaving time of the trains, it will be necessary to change the dispatch time of all mails leaving the Warrenton postoffice each evening.

He said that beginning October 29 all bulk mails must be in the Warrenton office by 5 p. m. and all first class mails by 6 p. m. to make the evening dispatch. Due to the close schedule that must be met there will be no pickup of bulk mail after 5 p. m. and no pickup of first class mail after 6 p. m. Any mails deposited after these hours will be postmarked as of the next day.

"There can be no exception to this rule without the authority of the postmaster," Daniel said. "If you have a special problem, please contact the postmaster."

Daniel said the change in schedule will expedite delivery of mail within a 300-mile radius of the Warrenton postoffice. Mails, he said, deposited within this office by the above times should be delivered by 9 a. m. the next day within a 300-mile radius of Warrenton.

Farm Bureau To Have Talk Meet And Talent Find

All persons interested in participating in a "Talk Meet and Talent Find" in Raleigh the middle of November are asked to contact Mrs. William T. Skinner, III, at Littleton immediately.

The event is being sponsored by the North Carolina Farm Bureau, and participants must be between 12-30 and from Farm Bureau families.

Mrs. Skinner said that speakers will draw for topics from an overall subject, "Farming in the 60's, Bondage or Freedom?" and will have one-half hour to prepare their talk and five minutes for delivery.

Talent acts are limited to one person and to five minutes or two numbers.

The County Farm Bureau will pay participants expenses to the State Convention in Raleigh, Mrs. Skinner said, and the State Farm Bureau will pay expenses of the winner to the National Convention in Chicago.

Mrs. W. W. Taylor attended a golf tournament in Rocky Mount on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Boyce spent several days at Myrtle Beach, S. C., recently.

James D. Gilliland Has Law Partner

Theaseus T. Clayton this week began the practice of law in Warrenton where he will be associated with James D. Gilliland, local attorney, under the firm name of Gilliland and Clayton. They will be located in the Green Building on Market Street.

A native of Roxboro in Person County, Clayton attended school in Roxboro and was graduated from Johnson C. Smith University in Charlotte before attending North Carolina College in Durham where he received his law degree. He passed the Bar Examination in August.

Prior to attending law school, Clayton served in the U. S. Army from 1952 to 1956. Clayton is married to the former Miss Eva McPherson of Augusta, Ga. They have two children, Joe Anne, 3, and Theaseus, Jr., 2. At the present time Mrs. Clayton is employed at the University of North Carolina Medical School as a research technician. Prior to her marriage she graduated from Johnson C. Smith University and North Carolina College where she received her



THEASEUS T. CLAYTON master's degree in Biology. At the end of the current semester she and the children expect to join Clayton in Warrenton.

Minister And Family To Be Honor Guests

A minister and his family who recently moved to Warrenton will be honored at a union service to be held at the Wesley Memorial Methodist Church on Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

The Rev. James Stoney, who recently came to Warrenton as rector of Emmanuel Episcopal Church, will bring the message at the Reformation-Vesper Welcoming Service for the Stoney Family.

The Rev. John Link, pastor of the Warrenton Baptist Church, will preside over the service. The Rev. Levi Humphreys of the Warrenton Presbyterian Church will lead the prayer, and the Rev. Troy J. Barrett, host minister, will read the scripture. The Methodist Choir will sing the anthem, "A Mighty Fortress," written by Martin Luther, leader of the Protestant Reformation.

Mr. Barrett said that the public is invited to attend this welcoming service for the Stoney family.

Mrs. Nellie Gray Pinnell, counselor, said yesterday that

Jasper S. Riggan, Seaboard Official, Dies On Sunday

Jasper Simmons Riggan, 62, of Richmond, director of personnel for the Seaboard Air Line Railroad, died suddenly Sunday in Washington, D. C., where he had gone on business. Death apparently was caused by a heart attack.

He was a native of Macon but during his boyhood and early youth made his home in Littleton. He was the son of the late Richard I. and Lula Robertson Riggan.

Mr. Riggan began his career of 47 years with the Seaboard in 1914 as a telegrapher in Franklinton. He was transferred in 1916 to Raleigh, where he remained until 1925, serving as dispatcher, assistant chief dispatcher, and chief dispatcher there.

He was stationed in Norlina from 1925 until 1927 as assistant trainmaster and then returned to Raleigh for ten years as chief dispatcher and assistant trainmaster. From Raleigh, he went to Savannah for five years as trainmaster there.

He was appointed assistant chief of personnel for the Seaboard in 1942 and transferred to the company's headquarters offices, then in Norfolk. He became assistant director of personnel in 1946, and in 1954 was appointed director of personnel.

He moved his residence to Richmond in 1958, when the Seaboard moved its general offices there from Norfolk, and was making his home at 9115 University Boulevard at the time of his death.

He was a member of the William G. Hill Masonic Lodge in Raleigh, Scottish Rite, and the Sudan Shrine Temple of New Bern.

Mr. Riggan is survived by his wife, Mrs. Louise Shaw Riggan; a son, J. S. Riggan, Jr., who is commercial agent for the Seaboard in Birmingham, Ala.; a daughter, Miss Mary Louise Riggan, of Norfolk, and a sister, Mrs. J. M. Stokes, of Littleton.

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning in Richmond in the First Presbyterian Church, of which Mr. Riggan was a member, and burial services were held at 2:30 o'clock that afternoon in Sunset Hills Cemetery in Littleton. Conducting the rites at Littleton were the Rev. Levi Humphreys, pastor of the Littleton Presbyterian Church, and the Rev. Colie Rock, pastor of the Littleton Baptist Church.

Church Women To Participate In Union Service

Women from the Warrenton Episcopal, Methodist, Presbyterian and Baptist churches will meet on Friday, November 3, at 3 p. m., in the Warrenton Baptist Church where they will participate in the nation-wide observance of World Community Day, giving expression to their belief that the mission of the church and world affairs are interdependent and interlocking in their concern for people of other lands, Mrs. Hugh White said yesterday.

World Community Day is sponsored annually by United Church Women, a general department of the National Council of Churches of Christ in the U. S. A., representing 12 million Protestant and Orthodox women in the United States.

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Tasker Polk, Young Warrenton Pianist, Will Be On Television Sunday Afternoon

Tasker Polk, young Warrenton pianist, will be on television Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock over WNCT, Channel 9, Greenville. He will play Chopin Etude in F Major and Aaron Copland's "Passacaglia." This is the College Hour, presented by East Carolina College.

Undergoes Surgery

Mrs. Herbert Tucker underwent surgery at Warren General Hospital on Thursday.

UNICEF Drive To Be Held On Halloween

The Young People of the Churches of Warrenton will take part in a UNICEF drive Halloween night between the hours of 7:00 p. m. and 8:00 p. m. They will wear orange arm bands with the letters UNICEF on them. The purpose is to collect funds to help others in nations other than our own, to provide milk, maternal and children's clinical care, hospital care and the prevention of diseases in countries unable to provide these things for themselves.

The kind people of Warrenton are asked to be on the lookout for these wonderful young people with the UNICEF arm-bands," the Rev. James M. Stoney, Jr. said yesterday. "We hope you will open your hearts to them."

Tobacco Market To Close Nov. 10

Civil Term Of Court Adjourns Thursday

The Civil Term of Warrenton County Superior Court, which convened here on Monday morning with Judge Hamilton Hobgood of Louisburg presiding, adjourned at around 11:30 on Tuesday morning.

During the four part-day sessions, the court disposed of cases on the docket as follows:

Divorces were granted to: Louise Y. Rivers from Richard C. Rivers; Gladys Watkins from Nathan Watkins; Nellie Gray Pinnell from Will Thomas Pinnell; and Ella Mae Christmas from Gordon Johnnie Christmas, with the custody of the child in this case being given to the plaintiff.

In addition a divorce case originating in Granville County was heard in Warrenton County court on Thursday morning. In this case Frances R. Harris was granted a divorce from William A. Harris.

In the case of Selby G. Benton vs. Moses Russell Bryant, it was found that the defendant was guilty of contributory negligence and was not entitled to recover damages from an automobile wreck. The plaintiff was taxed with the court costs.

The case of R. M. White and Son vs. J. L. Fleming was remanded to Recorder's Court, as was the case of Charles H. Mitchell vs. Albert Bullock.

In the case of S. E. Wilson et al. vs. Essie Williams et al., Judge Hobgood signed a consent order by which Stuart G. Wilson upon payment of \$400 by plaintiff executors fully and completely releases executors of estate of Sam G. Wilson from any and all claims or demands against them or said estate for any additional funds thereof or share therein.

In the case of Martin V. Hayes et ux vs. the State Highway Commission, the defendant requested to withdraw exceptions to order signed by Clerk of Court and the request was granted.

A non-suit was ordered in the case of Melvin Jones vs. Roscoe T. Perkinson when the plaintiff was called and failed to appear in court.

Cases continued included Calvin C. Massenburg vs. Clara Fogg; N. I. Shell vs. John B. Stansbury; Roger Limer vs. Joseph N. Cates; W. W. Morris, Jr. vs. McPherson Beverages, Inc.; and Mary Perkinson Taylor vs. Ruby Perkinson Johnson et al.

Central Training School To Be Held Baptist Church

The Warrenton Tobacco Market will end its 1961 season at the close of sales on Friday, November 10, Edgar Wood, Sales Supervisor, announced Wednesday.

Wood said that through Tuesday night, the local market had sold 9,330,759 pounds of tobacco, and that local warehousemen hope that the ten million mark will be reached before the market closes.

Wood described the 1961 season as an excellent one for producers and warehousemen. Prices remain good, he said, and growers are asked to bring in the remainder of their crop as early as possible.

A Central Training School for the 31 churches in the Culm Baptist Association will be held at the Warrenton Baptist Church November 6 through November 9.

Announcement of the school was made yesterday by the Rev. Larry Bryson, association secretary.

Classes will be held for all Sunday School officers and leaders, Training Union officers and leaders; and special classes for Royal Ambassador leaders, and deacons, and a special Bible Study Class for those who do not serve in a leadership capacity in the church.

Mr. Bryson said that the purpose of the school is to provide an opportunity for these leaders to better train themselves to serve in their local churches.

The Rev. Billy Fallow, Association Sunday School Superintendent; and the Rev. Clell Gibson, Training Union Director, will be in charge of the school.

Polk To Play At School Nov. 14

Tasker Polk, Warrenton pianist now studying at East Carolina College in Greenville, will present a piano concert in the John Graham High School auditorium on Tuesday, November 14.

The concert is being sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association as its fund raising project this year and will replace the annual Halloween carnival. Polk will contribute his talent to the project.

West Appeals From Court Contempt Fine

Donald Lee West, found guilty of contempt of court and fined \$100 and court costs in Recorder's Court last Friday, appealed his case to the Superior Court. Appearance bond was set at \$250.00.

The contempt case grew out of an affray with an officer just outside the court room while his case on a drunk driving charge was being tried on the previous Friday.

Friday's court bore less than the usual resemblance to a traffic court as only four of the cases tried were connected with violations of the motor vehicle laws.

Guss Williams was fined \$25.00 and taxed with court cost when he was found guilty of reckless driving.

Court costs and \$10.00 fine was the sentence received by James Edward Cornelson when he was found guilty on a speeding charge.

Norman Andrew Shearin was in court on charges of reckless driving and failing to stop for a red light and a police siren. A 30 days road sentence was suspended for two years upon the condition that the defendant not operate a motor vehicle for three months, and pay the court costs and a \$50.00 fine.

The state took a nol-proy with leave in the case of Jack Towns, charged with abandonment and non-support.

Jim Wade was sentenced to the roads for two years when he was found guilty of an assault with a deadly weapon. He took an appeal to Superior Court and appearance bond was set at \$350.00.

Walter Ganes, charged with an assault with a deadly weapon, was sentenced to the roads for two years.

Thresa Davis, charged with cohabiting, was sentenced to the Central Prison for Women for six months. She appealed to Superior Court and appearance bond was set at \$50.00.

Maria Miller, charged with assault with a deadly weapon, was sentenced to Central Prison for Women for six months, but the sentence was suspended for two years. Conditions of the suspended sentence were that the defendant remain of good behavior, be gainfully employed, violate no criminal laws of the state for two years and pay the court costs.

A case against Kattie Manley was not pressed with leave when it was revealed that the defendant was out of the state. She was charged with abandonment of a minor child.

One Of Founders Of Franklin HDC Succumbs At 90

LOUISBURG—Mrs. Henrietta Bridges Taylor, a charter member and one of the founders of the Franklin County Home Demonstration Club and widely known civic leader died at her home here early Wednesday.

She was the widow of H. C. Taylor, Sr.

Mrs. Taylor was one of the founders of both the Franklin County Memorial Society and the Franklin County Historical Society, as well as the Louisburg Garden Club. She was a member of steering committees that secured the erection of Franklin Memorial Hospital and the county agriculture building.

Mrs. Taylor designed and supervised the town's Christmas decorations for many years.



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