



Two mobile X-ray units will be in Warren County from September 24 through October 24 for a mass X-ray survey, it was announced this week by the Warren County T. B. and Health Association. Plans for the appearance of the units were made here on Wednesday of last week with Dr. William A. Smith, Chief of the TB Control Sec-

tion, State Board of Health. Pictured at this meeting were, left to right; Mrs. Clyde Whitford, Mrs. Rose Perkinson, Mrs. Lou Hayes, Sam N. Moore, Dr. Robert F. Young, Health Director, Dr. Smith, Mrs. Rose White, and Mrs. Dora Robbins.

In Durham Today Middle Belt's Tobacco Date Will Be Fixed

Thursday, September 10, as the date for the opening of the Warrenton tobacco market is expected to be confirmed at a meeting of the board of governors of the Middle Belt Warehouse Association on Durham today (Friday).

Fred S. Royster, managing director of the Middle Belt Warehouse Association, said yesterday there would probably be no change in the schedule set up a month or more ago for all belts, and that today's meeting would very likely merely ratify those dates.

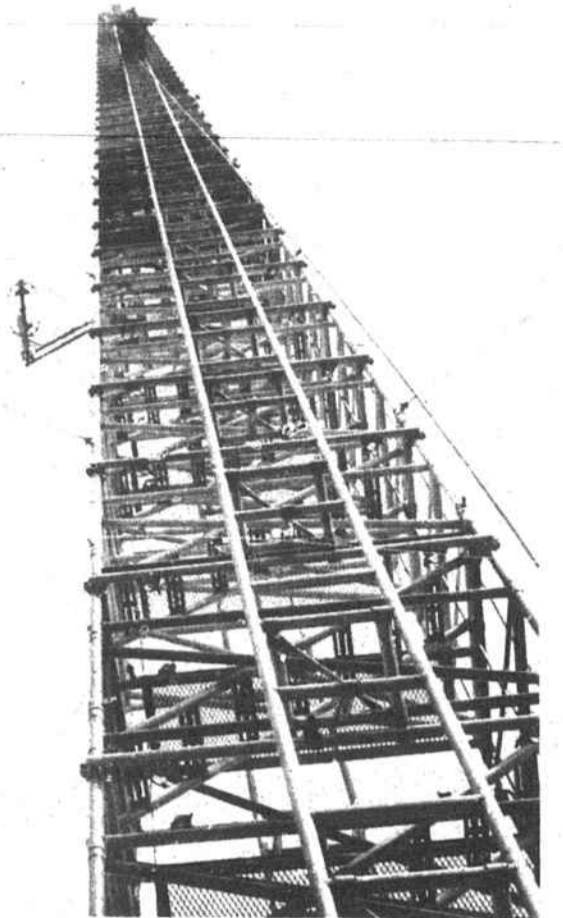
The Eastern Carolina Belt committee several days ago fixed the opening date for that belt for Thursday, August 27, a week from this Thursday.

Buyers from the Georgia-Florida Belt will move into Eastern Carolina for the start of the season there. Most markets there will end their season on either Friday of this week or on Monday or Tuesday next week. The belt is expected to

sell around 175 million pounds this season, down from some 198 million pounds sold there in 1963.

In this area of the Middle Belt, the new crop is expected to be at least 25 percent harvested and housed by the end of this week. Bulk of the crop is still in growing fields at this time, and not all of it will be pulled and cured before early September.

As in the South Carolina and North Carolina Border Belts, the first seven days of the season in Western Carolina and the Middle and Old Belts will be devoted largely to the sale of untied leaf, though tied tobacco will be accepted and sold. Price supports are less for untied offerings than for those marketed in the conventional manner by being tied and graded by the seller. The first seven days for untied leaf is the same schedule as prevailed at the start of the 1963 auction season.



300-FOOT TEMPORARY TOWER

Temporary Tower Is Erected At Afton

Afton citizens this week were in the position of now you see it and now you don't.

Early in the week residents of this community saw a 300-ft. steel tower reaching skyward from a field on the Afton-Henderson highway about three-quarters of a mile from its intersection with Highway 401. By the end of the week the tower will be gone.

The erection of the temporary tower Monday was a part of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company's plan to

replace toll wire with high frequency radio over a route leading from Washington, D. C., to Jackson, Miss.

Tuesday morning the tower was in place and Claude Oldham, associate engineer, and Bill McMine, linesman, were running an antenna up and down the tower to determine at what point it would clear all trees and other obstructions. Oldham said his guess was that this point would be in the neighborhood of 200 feet.

The temporary tower will be replaced by a permanent tower, perhaps 200 feet high, about eight months from now, Oldham said.

A temporary tower similar to the one erected at Afton was also erected near Bunn in Franklin County, and when permanent towers are erected they will be spaced about 25 miles apart, all the way from Washington, D. C., to Jackson, Miss., Oldham said.

The high frequency messages will be transmitted from one tower to another and amplified at each transmitter point. This high frequency eliminates disturbances from electrical storms, Oldham said. Unless a tower is knocked down by a storm, he said, the service will not be interrupted.

McMine said a crew of seven erected the tower Monday. Usually about ten men are used on such a project, he said, but Monday several of the crew were absent. Plans to erect the tower on Sunday were delayed because of a rain storm, he added.

Oldham and McMine have been working out of Henderson this week, but plan to leave that city Saturday.

Blalock Makes Long Run In North-South Game At Greenville

Al Blaylock, former John Graham football star, made a long end run on a pitchout early in the Boys Bowl Game played at Greenville last Friday night, but did not score one of the North's three touchdowns, as announced over the radio during play of the game.

The North made its three touchdowns in the first half, mainly on errors committed by the South, who failed to score. Blalock, a starter for the North team, composed of high school boys from Class A to Class 4 A in the northern part of the state, saw his action limited to some extent by the number of stars taking part in the game.

Bill Reagan, High Point tackle, was voted the most valuable player in the game.

Brochure Describing Six-Lake Area Issued By R. R. B. Ass'n.

A brochure which describes the Roanoke River Valley in Virginia and North Carolina with its six recently-created lakes as a "Vacation Paradise" has just been issued by the Roanoke River Basin Association. The Association, which has been the moving force behind the development of the Roanoke River Valley for the past twenty-three years, is composed of citizens up and down the Valley who contribute annually to the work of the Association on a voluntary basis.

The six lakes which have been created are the Buggs Island Lake behind the John H. Kerr Dam at Buggs Island, Va., and the Philpott Lake on the Smith River in Virginia, both of which were built by the Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, with Federal funds; Lake Gaston and Roanoke Rapids Lake, both of which are in North Carolina and were constructed by the Virginia Electric and Power Company; and the Smith Mountain Lake on the upper reaches of the Roanoke River and the Leesville Lake a few miles from the Smith Mountain Lake, both of which were built by the Appalachian Power Company and were completed in 1963 and the lakes were impounded this year.

The brochure points out that the six lakes along the river have a combined water area of over one hundred thousand acres, and a variety of accommodations such as rest rooms, motels, and so on are in process of construction or have

been constructed around each of the lakes, offering the public excellent fishing, camping and water sports. The brochure also points to the section as an excellent opportunity for industry which needs good water in abundance, with a network of fine highways crisscrossing the area.

Maps are furnished of each lake and public facilities are listed and it is pointed out that in addition to the privately-owned facilities for vacationers there are numerous public camping grounds which are operated by the Federal Government and the State governments of North Carolina and Virginia. The Buggs Island Lake and Lake Gaston each have shorelines in both of the states and on these lakes there is a reciprocal agreement between Virginia and North Carolina which permits the use of resident and non-resident fishing

licenses and permits in the waters of both states.

The title of the brochure is "Take The River Road To A Six Lake Vacation Paradise" and it was compiled and professionally supervised for the Roanoke River Basin Association by the Tom Evans Company of High Point, specialists in advertising and public relations. With the cooperation of the advertising divisions of the states of Virginia and North Carolina and with private interests 20,000 copies of the brochure have been issued and an additional printing will be made in 1965. Those who wish to use the lakes for pleasure or who wish to explore the industrial opportunities are invited to communicate with Manly H. Aylor, Chairman of the Association at Gretna, Va., or Eric W. Rogers, Secretary-Treasurer at Scotland Neck, N. C. for detailed information.

Library Prepares Reference Shelf

The Warrenton Community Center Library is preparing a special reference shelf on vocational guidance. The purpose of the collection is to help local high school students inform themselves about the wide variety of loans and scholarships available to prospective college students. The opportunities of-

ferred by the North Carolina Industrial Education Centers, and the necessity of comparing the programs of different colleges before making a final choice.

Among the materials included in the collection will be catalogues from more than twenty-five colleges with special emphasis on North Carolina colleges and Nationally known Negro colleges. Information on N.D.E.A. and N. C. Teachers' Scholarship-loans will be available as well as information about financial aid from specific colleges and lists of grants from organizations such as the United Negro College Fund. A number of special books on financing a college education are being ordered.

The collection will also include information on the the North Carolina Industrial Education Centers in the form of books and pamphlets. "The Guidance Counselor's Handbook" furnishes detailed information about all the centers and lists the courses available in each locality. A number of short pamphlets describe specific courses such as practical nursing and automotive engineering available at the W. W. Holding Education Center in Raleigh.

Mrs. Kearney Community Center Librarian, and members of the American Friends Service Committee Project who planned this special collection, hopes that all the young people of Warrenton will make good use of these valuable materials.

The Rev. Robert Seymour, former pastor of the Warrenton Baptist Church, was a visitor in Warrenton Wednesday night.

E. G. Hecht Succumbs At Norlina

Funeral services for Ernest George Hecht will be conducted today (Friday) at 2:30 p. m. at the St. Paul's Lutheran Church at Ridgeway by the pastor, the Rev. M. E. Franke. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

The 76-year-old Norlina merchant died suddenly at his home there around 5:30 p. m. Wednesday. He had operated the appliance and plumbing and heating company at Norlina for the past 40 years and for several years had been a member of the board of town commissioners of Norlina. He was a member of the Norlina Ruri-

tan Club.

Mr. Hecht is survived by his wife, the former Bertha Dill; two sons, E. G. Hecht, Jr., and Theo Hecht, both of Norlina; two brothers, Willie Hecht of Ridgeway and Rudolph Hecht of Norfolk, Va.; two sisters, Mrs. Herman Seaman and Mrs. Willie Killan of Ridgeway; and two grandsons, Tony Shelton and George Owen Hecht of Norlina.

Auxiliary Presents Drapes To Hospital

The Warren General Hospital Women's Auxiliary presented the local hospital with new drapes for the lobby.

The drapes were hung by Ed Rigger and Miss Emily Ballinger, County Home Demonstration Agent.

Horse Show To Be Held Here August 30

The Warrenton Rural Volunteer Fire Department will sponsor its second horse show at the Warrenton Horse Arena on the B. W. Currin, Jr., farm on the eastern outskirts of Warrenton on Sunday, August 30, beginning at 2 p. m.

The show, which has a rain date of September 5, is expected to continue into the night in an arena well lighted for night

riding. Food will be served for those wishing to attend the show both afternoon and night.

A special feature of the show will be an amateur bull riding contest.

Twenty-one classes are scheduled for the event. They are:

Colts Under Halter; Pleasure Ponies and Horses, 15-years

and under and 8 years and under; Three Gaited English; Five-Gaited Horses; Western Pleasure Horses; Go As You Please; Walking Horses; Pole Bending; Western Pleasure Horses; Ring Sparring; Calf Roping (open); Barrel Race; Western Pick-Up; Pole Bending, open entry; Boot Race; Ring Sparring (open entry); Coke

Racing; Barrel Race (open entry); Potato Race; Western Pick-Up (open entry).

Tickets for the show are now on sale and may be obtained from any members of the Fire Company or the Firemen's Auxiliary, or from either Boyce or Hunter Drug Company, at Warrenton or Rigger's Service Station at Wise.

Mrs. Weldon To Again Teach Music

Mrs. Glenn Weldon, who has taught music in the John Graham and Mariam Boyd schools for several years under the sponsorship of the Warrenton Lions club, will again teach in these schools it was announced at the regular meeting of the club held on Friday night at Hotel Warren. The meeting was presided over by President A. A. Wood, and J. Edward Rooker gave the invocation.

The program was an impromptu talk by Freddy Hurst, Jr., who returned Thursday night from a ten-week tour of Europe. Young Hurst gave highlights of his tour of the six European countries he visited while abroad, with the greater part of his remarks dealing with conditions in East Germany. Hurst, with nine others made the trip under the sponsorship of the North Carolina Methodist Youth Caravan, which left on June 2nd, returning on August 13th.

While abroad he visited England, Germany, Austria, Italy, Switzerland and France.



FRED HURST, JR.

He was the guest of his father, Fred Hurst, Sr. Hurst was presented by W. R. Drake, chairman of the program committee. Claude Henry, brother-in-law of Lion Drake was also present at the meeting.

It was announced that a joint meeting of the Fair Board and the Lion Directors would be held at the Country Club on Friday night at 8:30 o'clock.



A number of Warrenton's young horsewomen are shown on their horses at the Warrenton Arena (top photo). They are, left to right, Laura Bennis Davis, Lucy Basset, Kitty Burwell, Kay Curria and Eleanor Davis. At right, Misses Davis, Burwell and Curria are shown riding their horses.

