



Pictured above are the three winners of the Essay Contest on "How I Raised A Crop Of Tobacco To Sell For More Than One Thousand Dollars Per Acre In 1950". Mr. A. T. Jackson, Craven County Agricultural Agent, is shown presenting prizes to the winners.

Winners Of The \$1,000 Per Acre Tobacco Club Contest Are Given

Mr. Roy R. Bennett, Extension Specialist of State College, announced today the names of the three winners of the Dixie Chemical Corporation Essay Contest on "How I Raised A Crop Of Tobacco To Sell For More Than One Thousand Dollars Per Acre In 1950".

The names of the winners are: First prize, Mr. M. T. Potter of Deep Run who will receive a one-hundred dollar War Bond. Second prize, Mr. Peary Davis of Albemarle who will receive a fifty-dollar War Bond. The third prize which was a twenty-five dollar War Bond was awarded to Mr. James Sutton of RFD, 3, LaGrange.

Mr. Bennett served as chairman of the Judging Committee which was composed of himself, Dr. W. E. Colwell, head of the Department of Agronomy, State College; and Mr. J. M. Carr, Assistant Director in charge of the Tobacco Experiment Station at Oxford.

In order to have been eligible for this contest, the farmer must first of all have been a charter member of the "Dixie One Thousand Dollar Per Acre Club." This group was organized in the Fall of 1950 through the influence and help of Dixie Chemical Corporation of New Bern and Kinston and there were eighty-five charter members who grew at least one acre of tobacco during the 1950 year for which they received one thousand dollars per acre, or more.

The purpose of the Essay Contest was to take the papers submitted from these members who live in ten different tobacco growing counties of our State and make any valuable information which they had to offer available to the

other farmers. Mr. Bennett and the other members of the Judging Committee expressed the fact that these essays were very interesting and that they were requesting the Dixie Chemical Corporation to make some of the contents taken from these essays available to all farmers of our State.

The top average per acre of tobacco also went to Mr. M. T. Potter of RFD, Deep Run, who sold his crop for \$1278.00 per acre.

Reading left to right: Mr. Jackson; Don C. Flowers, sales manager Dixie Chemical Corporation; M. T. Potter of Deep Run, winner of first prize, a \$100 War Bond; James Sutton of LaGrange, winner of third prize, a \$25 War Bond; Harry Davis of Albemarle, winner of second

prize, a \$50 War Bond. The valuable information contained in these essays will be made available to the farmers throughout our State by the Dixie Chemical Corporation of New Bern and Kinston in the very near future.

Johnny Stiles of Spruce Pine served as best man.

After the ceremony a reception was held for members of the family and close friends.

Mrs. Stepp is a graduate of Park View Hospital in Rocky Mount and State Sanatorium Hospital at MeCain. She is now on the staff of Western North Carolina Sanatorium.

Mr. Stepp served four years with the Merchant Marine and is now employed at William Crabb Manufacturing Company.

T. J. Turner Attends G. E. Meeting

There's everything from a range with a small built-in heater to keep salt dry to an automatic ironer that makes ironing a "no-hands" operation in General Electric's 1951 line of kitchen and laundry appliances, according to Mr. T. J. Turner, manager of the T. A. Turner and Co. of Pink Hill, who attended a recent G-E preview at Raleigh.

The showing was held in the new headquarters building of Walker Martin, Inc., distributor for G-E appliances in North Carolina.

Among the new appliances, which will be on display at T. A. Turner and Co. in Pink Hill are three refrigerators with extra large freezing compartments across the top of the cabinets, a foot-controlled ironer, a lower-price automatic washer, an undercounter automatic dishwasher which opens from the front and loads from the top, and a medium-priced push-button range which offers many features hitherto found only in deluxe models.

Stepp-Outlaw Vows

Ridgecrest — In a home ceremony Feb. 10 Miss Frances Outlaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Outlaw of Scott's Store, became the bride of Woodard Dean Stepp. The Rev. Cecil Perry officiated.

The bride wore a navy blue crepe dress with navy accessories and a corsage of red roses. Miss Hazel Outlaw of Raleigh was her sister's maid of honor and wore a navy dress with a corsage of carnations.

Pink Hill Sextet Wins Tri-County Basketball Tourney

The Pink Hill Tri-County Girl's Basketball tournament got underway at Deep Run on Wednesday night. The favored and defending champion Pink Hill sextet scored an easy 57-47 victory over Contentnea with Shirley Howard turning in 33 points for the winners. Defensive standouts for Pink Hill were Barbara Stroud and Ann Ruffin.

Wheat Swamp forced Pink Hill in the semi-final round at 7:30 p.m. Thursday and was defeated by a score of 61-54. High scorers for Pink Hill: Bonnie Howard 27, Shirley Howard 22, Wheat Swamp — Harrell 28, Taylor 22.

Deep Run met Pink Hill at 8:30 p.m. Saturday in the final round of the tournament and lost 78-53. Pink Hill was favored as it had scored two games over Deep Run in regular season play. In the wind-up, Deep Run had scored 175 points and Pink Hill 194.

Miss Edwards To Give Asheville Recital

Miss Betty Edwards, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Edwards of Pink Hill, a senior at Plonk's School of Creative Arts, Asheville, will be presented in the recital there Friday evening, Feb. 23. Acting as hostess from this area will be her mother, Mrs. Edwards, Mesdames T. A. Turner, G. M. Turner and T. J. Turner.

Mrs. W. H. Jones Hostess To WS of CS

Mrs. W. H. Jones was hostess to a meeting of the WS of CS at her home Monday afternoon. Mrs. D. W. Ruffin presided. The program was presented by Mrs. R. L. King assisted by Mrs. J. M. Jones and Mrs. L. H. Turner. Arrangements were made to remember several shut-ins and sick of the community with visits and gifts. The hostess served refreshments. Sixteen members and two visitors were present.

Mrs. Smith Honored

The children of Mrs. A. Dunn Smith of Pink Hill honored her with a barbecue dinner with all the trimmings on her 59th birthday at her home on Sunday, Feb. 18.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh J. Smith of Pink Hill, Rt. 2, announce the birth of a son at Parrotts Hospital in Kinston, February 16. Mrs. Smith is the former Mildred Shepard of Albemarle.

BASKETBALL

Pink Hill basketball teams defeated LaGrange High twice in the Pink Hill gym Friday night, Feb. 9. The local girls, undefeated in Lenoir County play and with only one loss in a total of 22 games, won the first contest 70 to 33. The boys won their game 57-44.

High scorers for Pink Hill girls—Bonnie Howard 21, Ann Ruffin 15, Shirley Howard 28.

High scorers for Pink Hill boys—William Blizzard 20, George Howard 11.

Moss Hill lost to Pink Hill in a double header recently. The girls won with a score of 29-24 and the boys scored a 62-40 victory.

PERSONALS

Mr. Thurman Davis of Rocky Mt. spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Laura Davis.

Lt. and Mrs. Charles Parrish of Fayetteville visited the J. A. Worley family during the week end.

Mr. Elbert Smith, employed at Elizabethtown, spent the week end at his home here.

Howard Smith, USA, stationed at Camp Gordon, Ga. spent the week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith. He was accompanied home by Mr. Richard Stroud who went for him early Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. D. C. Boone had as guests recently Rev. Mr. Goldson and children of Goldsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. John I. Sheppard spent the week end with relatives at Sugar Grove.

OUTLAW'S BRIDGE NEWS

Rev. and Mrs. L. C. Prater visited their daughter Marie at ECTC Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nichols, Dennis Nichols and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Nichols and A. J. Jr. of Sims visited relatives here Sunday.

Rev. O. W. Eads and Earl Matthews of Clinton were among recent visitors at the parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Outlaw visited relatives in Kinston Sunday.

The Community Club met in the school auditorium Saturday night. Following opening exercises officers were elected for the new year as follows: M. L. Outlaw, Pres.; Re-

mus Creel, V-Pres.; Mrs. Ernest Dupree, Sec.-Treas.; Rev. L. C. Prater, Chaplain. L. W. Outlaw spoke informally in making an interesting report of the State Farm Bureau convention which he attended last week in Asheville. Group singing and prayer by J. H. Parker. The club adjourned until March.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Creech of Princeton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Sutton.

Miss Ethel Rouse of near LaGrange is spending the week with her aunts Misses Fannie and Sallie Outlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Outlaw and Danny Sue and Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Parker of Mt. Olive visited relatives Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Jones and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones in Dover Sunday.

Miss Mary Ethel Outlaw of Goldsboro visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Outlaw during the week end.

Mr. Clayton Padgett of Midway Park visited Mr. and Mrs. Remus Creel Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. James Joyner of Calypso and Miss Lois Cannon of

Mt. Olive visited Mr. and Mrs. James Parker Sunday night.

Mrs. Durham Grady was hostess to the HDC Monday afternoon with Mrs. Leonard Grady assistant. Mrs. Eric Berger called the club to order. Following business Mrs. Katie Outlaw gave the demonstration on "Milk Desserts". Reports of leaders were given. Several members gave interesting book reviews. Group singing and penny parade closed the program. A delightful social hour with refreshments was enjoyed by a good attendance of members and a number of visitors. The March meeting will be held with Mrs. L. C. Prater.

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NOTICE

The following business houses in Pink Hill will close each Thursday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock, beginning March 1st, and will continue this schedule until the border belt tobacco market opens.

Jones Chevrolet Co., Coombs Bros. Grocery,
First Citizens Bank & Trust Co., Belle Oil Co.,
L. P. Tyndall's Sons, W. H. Jones & Co.,
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