

Annual Leaf Meeting Set

RALEIGH -- Tobacco officials from USDA and the industry will speak at Stabilization's 28th Annual Membership Meeting, according to Carl T. Hicks, cooperative president. The meeting is at the Memorial Auditorium in Raleigh 10 a.m. May 31.

Hicks points out the board of directors amended the by-laws to set annual sessions 30 days earlier than past sessions to avoid the peak period when growers are extremely busy with tobacco harvesting and curing.

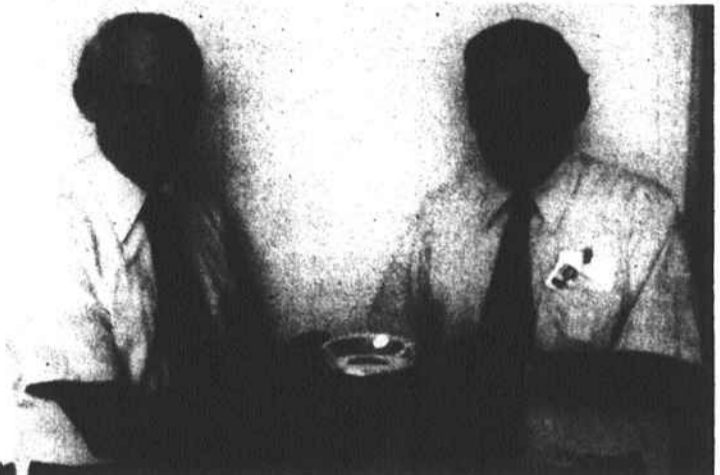
In order to give growers a broader preview of proposed changes in marketing the 1974 crop, the format for this year's meeting is also changed from previous years by scheduling additional tobacco officials to speak to the group.

Hicks states William L. Lanier, USDA-ASCS Tobacco and Peanut Division director; W.E. Michaels, Dibrill Brothers senior vice president, and Tobacco Association of U.S. president; and Albert H. Graves, USDA Industrial Engineer, will participate in the annual session program. Topics will include the grower designation plan, the future of tobacco marketing, market demand and price patterns for the 1974 crop, and plans to implement a mechanized auction system at one market location for the 1974 season.

Also, President Hicks and General Manager Fred G. Bond will give their annual reports. Following adjournment at noon, a complimentary barbecue lunch will be served to all in attendance.



SEVENTH FLIGHT -- Jerry Jordan, left, is awarded the first place prize by McPhaul.



SEVENTH FLIGHT -- Don Everett, left, is awarded the second place prize by Morgan.

Public Meeting On Recreation Called May 30

A meeting permitting area residents and elected officials to voice concerns and preferences about outdoor recreation opportunities in North Carolina is scheduled 7:30 p.m. May 30 at the Robeson County Public Library in Lumberton.

Representatives from the N.C. Office of Recreation Resources are gathering the information for the State Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP). This area meeting includes Bladen, Hoke, Robeson and Scotland Counties.

The state representatives will explain SCORP, give an audio visual presentation and receive audience comments, criticism and suggestions.

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Veterans Corner

EDITOR'S NOTE: Veterans and their families are asking thousands of questions concerning the benefits their Government provides for them through the Veterans Administration. Below are some representative queries. Additional information may be obtained at any VA office.

Q -- I am a disabled veteran. My wheelchair, provided by the Veterans Administration, does not permit me to participate in some sports events. Can I have my chair modified at VA expense?

A -- A "sports-model" wheelchair is available from the VA when it is medically prescribed and the veteran's sports activity warrants the wheelchair for his physical rehabilitation.

Q -- I'm planning to be married next month. I have selected a house to buy. Does it make any difference if I apply for a Veterans Administration GI home loan before I am married?

A -- VA now accords full recognition to income and expenses of both veteran and spouse in determining ability to repay loan obligations. Formerly, local rules sometimes had the effect of discounting the spouse's income.

Q -- My father was discharged last year from the Army and died last month of a service-connected cause. I'm planning to enter college this fall. Can the Veterans Administration help?

A -- Yes. VA will provide training benefits for you under its Dependents' Education Assistance program.

Magistrates Court

Magistrates heard the following cases last week.

Anthony Jerome Smith, Rt. 1, license violation, \$25 fine and costs.

Edward Benjamin Safford, Landover, Md., speeding and driving with an expired license, \$25 fine and costs.

Convicted of speeding and assessed \$10 fine and costs were John Charles Thompson, Rt. 2; Anne Perkins Allen, Laurel Hill; Gerald Lee Cherry, Washington; James Kenneth Drake, Ft. Bragg; Jimmy Veron Horton, McColl, S.C.; Thomas McMillan, Rt. 3, also \$2 capias and \$6 jail fee; John Clifton Monroe Rt. 1; Edmond Lide, Rt. 1; James Herbert Harris, Charlotte; William Edward Lehner Jr., Fayetteville; and Marc A. Triebwasser, Pembroke; Robert Jerome McCallum, Fayetteville; Paul Douglas Stuart, Jackson, Mich.; Johnny Marsh, Lancaster, S.C.; Bernard Stanely Goodstein, Pontiac, Mich.; Joseph Stanley King, Faison; Edna Freeman Flanagan, Fayetteville; William Henry Campion, Charlotte; Michael Ray Harvell, Ft. Bragg; Eddie Hollingsworth, 520 E. Fifth Ave.; Henry Edward Buie, Red Springs; Gary Wayne Olson, Ft. Bragg; and Richard Irving Johnson, Wadesboro.

Convicted of speeding and assessed \$5 fines and costs were: Eva Raye Burks, Rockingham; Lacy Franklin Edgerton, Wendell; Alexander Lucas, Spring Lake; Sharon Laverne Wells Schreck, Fayetteville; James Edward Pressley, Rockingham; Kenneth Earl Smith, Gibson; James Frederick Vanmuyssen, Fayetteville; Henry Franklin Sheally Jr., Chattanooga, Tenn.; and Denver Ralph Huff III, 607 E. Donaldson Ave.; Walter Curtis Cato, Dudley; Henry Rex Bullock, Red Springs; Michael Steven Byrum, Charlotte; Robert Keith Williams, 626 Niven Ave.; Lee Taft Matthews, Laurinburg; Curtis Levold Myers, Cheraw, S.C.; Ronald LaArnold, Fayetteville; Julius Jerial Floyd, Wadesboro; and James Robert Harrison, Jacksonville; George Franklin, Darlington, S.C.; Bradley Patrick Blum, Jacksonville, Fla.; Joanne Herring Harrell, 710 Bethel Road; Darryl Edison Cribb, Red Springs; John Thomas McLaughlin, Lumberton; and Larry Don Smith, Fayetteville.

Convicted of failure to yield and assessed costs only were Tony Fletcher Moonie, Antioch; Richard Lee Taylor, 422 W. Sixth Avenue; and Doris Mondell Patterson, Rt. 3.

Convicted of exceeding a safe speed and assessed costs were Angus Armstrong, Washington, D.C.; and James Edward McPhaul, Rt. 1.

Lewis Lothery Fleming, Charlotte, passing violation, \$10 fine and costs.

Nathaniel Allen Leslie, Rt. 3, equipment violation, costs only.

Iria Lee Purcell, Rt. 1, stop light violation, costs only.

Gordon Ray Sallee, Spring Lake,

unsafe movement, costs only. Phillip Wayne Bland, Red Springs, inspection violation, costs only. George Edwin Caddell, 332 S. Main St., following too closely, costs only.

Roy Bennie Ross, Red Springs, inspection violation, costs only.

Harley Lee Scurlock, Raeford Hotel, registration violation, costs only.

Gregory Scott Bailey, Ft. Bragg, registration violation, costs only.

Eugene Campbell Edinborough Avenue, public intoxication, \$6 jail fee and costs.

John P. Smith, 108 Grant St., public intoxication, costs only.

Sandy Curtis Thompson, Rowland, illegal transportation of alcoholic beverages, \$10 fine and costs.

Samuel Ralph Bynum, Ft. Bragg, equipment violation costs only.

Yvonne Southerland, Rt. 1, issuing a worthless check, \$20 restitution and cost.

James Edward Smith, Arch Sanders Mill Rd., issuing a worthless check, \$10 fine and costs.

Iven Jacobs, Raeford, issuing a worthless check, \$40 restitution and costs.

Lucille Hubbard, Adams Street 206, issuing a worthless check, \$10 restitution and costs.

Vinson Dixon, Stonewall Township, issuing a worthless check, 45.95 restitution and costs.

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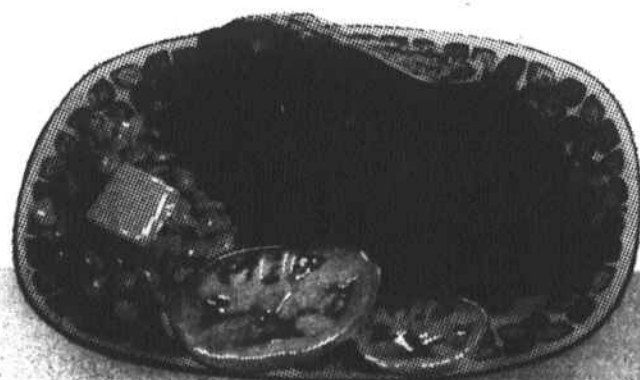
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