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STILL ROOM FOR MORE WORKERS IN THE WEEKLY'S BIG CIRCULATION CAMPAIGN

Spare Time Job Offers Splendid Opportunity To Local Workers; Six Big Prizes Offered

Local residents who seek an opportunity to earn extra money through spare time jobs should investigate and join The Perquimans Weekly's big circulation campaign which got under way this week.

This is entry week in the campaign and The Perquimans Weekly seeks a number of additional workers to solicit new and renewal subscriptions throughout this trade territory. Participants can earn from two to five dollars daily soliciting subscriptions to The Weekly. Each worker entered in the campaign receives a twenty per cent commission on all subscriptions collected and also has the opportunity of winning one of the six big awards to be given away at the close of the drive on November 15.

A number of workers have already entered their names in the campaign but there is still room for more. Several communities in the county are without representatives as yet and this offers some person in those communities a chance to turn their spare time into cash. Look at the list of the workers and if your neighborhood is not represented, send in your name and you will receive supplies needed to help you with the campaign work.

Daily Pay Featured
This circulation campaign being conducted by The Weekly is a simple business proposition. The Weekly desires to obtain a number of new subscribers to its already large list, and at the same time collect renewals on present subscriptions. Every individual who enters the campaign is guaranteed a 20 per cent commission on all subscriptions sold. This commission is paid daily, or as often as the individual worker makes reports. Of the workers now entered, some of them are making several dollars each day for subscriptions collected.

In addition to the daily per cent paid all workers The Weekly is also offering six prizes to the six workers who excel in the campaign. The candidate earning the largest number of votes in the drive will receive a prize of \$400 in cash, second prize is \$150 and third prize is \$100. The winners of the fourth, fifth and sixth prizes will receive additional bonus checks based upon their earnings during the drive.

The campaign is just getting started and if you have thought that you want to enter the campaign as one of the candidates, do so now. Don't delay, but start now by entering your name with The Perquimans Weekly office. It costs nothing to enter or to win one of the prizes offered, and The Weekly furnishes you with all supplies needed during the campaign.

Rotarians To Give Bus To High School Band On October 10

The Perquimans High School Band will shortly have its own bus for traveling purposes. It was announced at the meeting of the Hertford Rotary Club Tuesday night, when the committee, composed of Robert Hollowell, William Ainsley, W. H. Pitt and Cecil Winslow, announced the drive for funds for purchasing the bus was near its goal and the bus is now being readied for presentation to the band members.

Local Rotarians are planning to present the bus to the band members between halves of the Perquimans-Ahoscie football game which will be played on Memorial Field Friday night, October 10. The bus has been completely overhauled and is reported in excellent condition. A luggage rack is to be fitted to the top of the bus for carrying instruments and the band is traveling and a new paint job is also being applied. The bus will carry the school colors and the name of the school.

The Rotarians also voted at their meeting to investigate the possibility of obtaining the name of Hertford on State highway signs in that part of the State. It was pointed out that only three signs were in the State in that area and the committee has been extended to Merrill Evans, State Highway Commissioner, to visit the Rotary Club for a discussion of the project.

MASONS MEET TUESDAY
Perquimans Lodge, No. 7, A. F. & A. M., will meet Tuesday night.

NOTICE TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS

During the past five months we have been planning our big circulation campaign which was announced last week, and during this period we stopped mailing out notices of expiration of subscriptions and the collection of renewals in order that our campaign workers might benefit through the collection of renewals.

However, postal regulations and good business practices make it necessary for us to discontinue sending out The Weekly to subscribers not paid in advance.

The majority of our subscription list expires during the next three months, but a number have already expired and these subscriptions will be discontinued with this issue. We, no doubt, will make some mistakes in cutting off expired subscriptions, but if a paper is stopped through error, we will gladly correct same upon notification.

If your paper has expired, renew it now through one of our campaign workers. If your subscription does not expire until a later date, you can renew it now and the expiration date will be marked up one year from present expiration date. You can help your favorite campaign worker win one of the big prizes offered in our drive by renewing your subscription now.

THE EDITOR.

Peanut Referendum To Determine Quotas Is Set For Dec. 9th

The U. S. Department of Agriculture Tuesday announced that a referendum on peanut marketing quotas for the 1948, 1949 and 1950 crops will be held Tuesday, December 9, 1947.

All persons engaged in the production of more than one acre of peanuts in 1947 are eligible to vote. This includes tenants, sharecroppers and owners who share in the proceeds of the 1947 crop.

Acreage allotments for each of the 14 peanut-producing States (announced September 24) will be subdivided into county and individual farm allotments.

The North Carolina allotment is 225,702 acres. The estimated acreage in the State this year is 292,000 acres.

Questionnaires have been distributed to producers by county Agricultural Conservation Association committees for the purpose of obtaining data to be used in connection with determining farm acreage allotments. These questionnaires were to be filled out and returned to county ACA offices by October 1. It is expected that each farm operator will be advised of his farm's allotment before the referendum.

A national marketing quota of 780,000 tons on the 1948 peanut crop was proclaimed on July 17 in accordance with the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938.

If two-thirds of those voting in the referendum favor quotas, farm acreage allotments and marketing quotas will be in effect for the 1948, 1949 and 1950 crops. The marketing quota for any farm will be the actual amount of peanuts produced on the acreage allotment for that farm. Peanuts marketed in excess of the 1948 farm marketing quota for any farm will be subject to a penalty at the rate of 50 per cent of the basic rate of the loan in effect for the marketing year.

All peanuts produced in 1948 on a farm that is not overplanted to peanuts will be eligible for a loan or other price support at 90 per cent of parity. Only peanuts picked by the farmer are subject to marketing quotas.

WCS TO MEET
The regular monthly meeting of the WCS of the Hertford Methodist Church will be held at the church Monday, October 6, at 8 o'clock. The Wesley Service Guild will be guests at this meeting. Light refreshments will be served.

Indians Drop Game To Edenton; Play At Windsor On Friday

Local Gridders Show Improvement Over First Game Played

Coach Joe Levinson's Perquimans Indians dropped a hard-fought football game to their old rivals, the Edenton Aces, last Friday night by a score of 13-0. This score, however, does not reveal the improvement shown by the Indians between the opening game with Elizabeth City and the second game with the Aces. Coach Levinson made some shifts in varsity positions last week and the changes showed up in the great defensive job the Indians did against Edenton. The Indian offensive, however, seemed unable to click and missed opportunities to score because of fumbles.

The Indians rolled up seven first downs to Edenton's six, but failed to score on any determined drives. The game was marred by the numerous fumbles by both teams, but it appeared that the Indians fumbled more than Edenton. Local fans disputed the second touchdown scored by Edenton in the final quarter. The Edenton scores came after Perquimans had lost the ball on fumbles. A resume of the game revealed that the Indians had a net gain of more than 100 yards, while the Aces had a net gain of only three yards.

The Perquimans line smothered the Aces' backfield on numerous occasions and no doubt the outcome would have been different had the Indians been able to hang onto the ball at crucial moments.

The changes made by Coach Levinson in the lineup proved to be smart moves, for the changes made a big difference in the defensive power of the Indians. Chester Winslow and Jack Symons were inserted at end and guard respectively, and Emmett Elmore was switched from end to tackle. Bill Boyce displayed a good game at the tail back spot and L. C. Elliott handled the generalship of the team playing at quarterback. Little Red Simpson, a reserve back, got away for two nice runs during the game.

The Indians will journey to Windsor Friday night to meet the Windsor High School team in a conference game and Coach Levinson is expected to start the same lineup that started in the game at Edenton. The next home game for the Indians will be played here Friday, October 10, when Ahoskie comes here for a game.

Communion Sunday To Be Observed

World-wide Communion Sunday is to be observed at three churches of the Perquimans charge on Sunday, October 5, it was announced today by the Rev. J. T. Stott, pastor of the churches. The services will be observed at New Hope at 11 A. M., Oak Grove at 3 P. M., and Woodland at 7:30.

Protestant Christians will observe this day all around the world on October 5. For several years the Methodist Church in connection with this communion service, has taken an offering for the fellowship of suffering, the Rev. Mr. Stott stated.

WCS EXECUTIVE MEETING

The executive meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Hertford Methodist Church was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. Q. Fowler. Twelve members were present and during the business session plans were made for a bazaar to be held during the last week in November.

Verdict Of Probable Cause Is Returned Against Local Youth

Varied Docket Heard In Recorder Court Tuesday Morning

A verdict of probable cause was returned by Judge Charles E. Johnson in the Perquimans Recorder court here Tuesday morning following a hearing in the case charging Robert Lee Allen, 22 year old Hertford youth, with manslaughter.

Judge Johnson returned the verdict after the State had presented testimony showing that Archie Embury, colored, was struck by an automobile on Sunday morning, September 16, and died from the results of injuries sustained in the accident. The State's testimony revealed that Embury was standing by his car in front of his home on a road leading from Route 17 to Bethel at the time the accident occurred.

Patrolman Clyde Fentress testified that he had a conversation with Allen and that Allen told him he was driving along the same road at the hour of the accident and that he thought he had hit the fender of a car, but did not stop to investigate. He was later apprehended by Sheriff M. G. Owens and Patrolman Fentress and made a statement to the officers. The statement was not offered in evidence at the hearing Tuesday.

Embury died in the Chowan Hospital on September 18, following the accident. Allen was released from custody on a bond of \$3,000 to appear for a hearing at the October term of superior court.

Other cases disposed of by the recorder's court here Tuesday included those of Walter Swain, Negro, who submitted to a charge of failure to pay a board bill. He was ordered to pay the court costs.

Jeffrey White, colored, was fined \$25 and ordered to pay the costs on a charge of driving without a license.

Rowland Hayward was fined \$10 and costs on a charge of speeding.

Willie Riddick, Negro, submitted to a charge of driving with insufficient brakes and was fined \$10 and costs.

John Hall submitted to a charge of failing to dim head lights and paid the costs of court.

Methodists To Hold Quarterly Meeting

The fourth quarterly conference for this conference year will be held at the Hertford Methodist Church next Sunday at 7:30 P. M. The Rev. J. Herbert Miller, Superintendent of the Elizabeth City District, will preach at 7:30 and the conference will be conducted following the sermon. This will be a very important conference as the officers of the church for the next year will be elected at this time. The pastor, the Rev. B. C. Reavis, in making this announcement, urged that all members of the conference be present and have the reports for the conference in hand.

World Communion Sunday will be observed in keeping with the other churches throughout the world. Special message will be delivered by the pastor at 11 A. M.

Lions Club To Present Sunshine Sue Nov. 6th

The Hertford Lions Club will present Sunshine Sue at the Perquimans High School auditorium on the night of November 6, it was announced here this week. Further announcement concerning the show will be made later by the club committee handling the arrangements.

Parking Meters Installed On Streets This Week; Ordinance Effective Oct. 15

Forty Attended Girl Scout Tea Friday

The Hertford Troop of Girl Scouts entertained at a tea at the Hotel Hertford last Friday afternoon. Forty guests attended and enjoyed the program presented by the girl scouts.

Flowers and candles were used for decorations and a display of the Scout Motto and Laws was shown the guests. The Quilt Project of the local troop was shown and explained to the parents and friends attending the tea.

The refreshments were made and served by the members of the scout troop. The troop netted a sum of \$17 from the tea and each of the members expressed appreciation for the support given.

On Saturday of last week members of the troop assisted the Lions Club with the White Cane sale, sponsored by the Lions.

The members enjoyed a winter roast on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Warner Madre.

Health Department Sponsors Campaign Of Rat Poisoning

Acting upon receipt of several complaints about rats, The Perquimans Health Department is planning a rat poisoning campaign to be carried out by the residents of this community.

The poison to be used in the campaign is called red squill and an order has been placed for the poison. It will be sold by the Health Department at a non-profit cost of 25 cents. Each bag of poison will contain 24 torpedoes or baits. The rat poisoning campaign will get under way just as soon as the poison is received at the local Health Office, it was announced today by K. J. Eyer, Sanitation Officer.

Every resident of Hertford will be asked to join in the program to rid the community of rats. Too much emphasis cannot be placed on the need for increased community interest in rat control measures. Many are aware of the great economic damages caused by rats, but far too few persons realize that the rat is instrumental in causing and in the taking of human life. The rat carries diseases of both man and animal, the most important of which are bubonic plague, epidemic typhus fever, food poisoning and trichinosis.

According to officials of the Health Department, the rat has become dependent on man, and will make its home anywhere that food is also obtainable. Permanent rat control, Mr. Eyer said, can be accomplished by the elimination of the rat's food supply, and of his places of breeding and harborage.

Surveys have shown that rat harborage are the enclosed spaces in homes and buildings which provide shelter, a home and a breeding place. Structural defects of buildings, debris and trash inside and outside buildings should be eliminated as this will destroy the rat's harborage.

The elimination of the rat's food supply is second only in importance to rat-proofing. Probably the chief reason why so many homes are infested with rats is due to careless handling of garbage and the Health Department officials urge local residents to place garbage in containers suitable for the purpose. All food should be stored in places inaccessible to rats.

Rats are a menace to health and the local department urges every person in this community to join in with its rat poisoning program which will get under way as soon as the poison arrives. Meanwhile, they urge home owners to clean up trash piles and other possible harborage before using the bait. A good clean-up will make the rats hungry for bait, and this will lead to a successful campaign against the pests.

Photo Developing Service Opens Here

Announcement was made today by Jerry Wright of the opening of a photo developing service to serve the needs and desires of local residents interested in photography.

The service is located in the Wright Jewelry Store and is being operated by Mr. Wright, William Elliott and J. H. Stephens. A complete photo service is offered as well as a complete line of photo supplies.

The Photo Lab is equipped with complete and modern equipment and offers 24 hours service in film developing. All developing is done by William Elliott. The service offers portrait sittings every Wednesday.

Motorists to Have Grace Period; No Double Parking

Workmen were busy this week installing parking meters on Church and Market Streets in Hertford to conform with a parking ordinance recently passed by the Town Commissioners, and Mayor V. N. Darden stated that the ordinance would become effective about October 15, this date giving local motorists a short period of grace in which to become familiar with the new parking laws.

The definite date that the parking meter rules will go in effect, the Mayor stated, would be announced next week. The staff part of the parking meters were being installed on Wednesday and on completion of this work a representative of the meter company was expected here to install the clock part of the meter, which will regulate the parking time. The meters will be so timed that a motorist will be able to insert one cent for a 12-minute parking period, or up to two nickels for a 120-minute period. The meter will operate automatically upon insertion of the coin.

Members of the Town Board voted and passed the parking meter ordinance for a trial period and the meters are being installed upon that basis. No outlay of cash for the meters was made by the Town Board, the company installing the meters having agreed that payment of the meters will come from the collections made from them.

Mayor Darden issued a warning to all motorists in connection with the new parking ordinance. He stated that when the law goes into effect that all double parking on Church and Market Streets, as elsewhere, will be subject to action by the Police Department. Double parkers will be cited for violation of the ordinance.

Details of the system to be used in parking after the meters are placed in operation will be announced next week and motorists will have the opportunity to learn the regulations during the grace period.

Farm Bureau Drive Moving Along With 364 Members Signed

Perquimans County's Farm Bureau drive for 492 members is moving along at a successful pace, according to reports released this week by I. C. Yagel, County Agent, and F. T. Mathews, president of the Bureau. A total of 364 members have been signed to date and the Bureau leaders are hopeful that the goal of 492 will be reached within a few days. The membership figures to date reveal that the various township teams have signed up 316 regular members and 48 associate members.

The next check up on the membership drive will be made on October 23, when the Farm Bureau will hold a county-wide meeting at the Agriculture Building, at which time officers for the coming year will be elected.

This year's membership drive is being conducted by five teams representing the five townships of the county. Jacob L. White is the chairman of the drive. Township chairmen are Roy Chappell, Bethel; G. A. Jordan, New Hope; Otis J. Lane, Parkville; Clarence Chappell, Belvidere, and Jacob L. White, Hertford.

Creosoting Plant Opened Near Here

Another new industry began operations in Perquimans County this week with the announcement that Eldon Winslow and James Parker Perry, Jr. had opened their Albemarle Creosoting Company on the Hertford Center Hill highway about five miles from Hertford.

The firm is now ready to treat timber and lumber for preservation with creosote having completed work on their plant last week. All lumber treated by the firm is creosoted under pressure and by a method of proven worth.

Jordan-Morgan Vows Spoken September 21

In a simple but impressive ceremony, Miss Eula Mae Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Morgan, and William Edward Jordan, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jordan, were married Sunday, September 21, at Mt. Sinai Church with the Rev. Oscar Williams officiating.

The vows were spoken before members of the immediate families and friends.

CONTEST ENTRIES

Here is the first list of names entered in The Weekly's big "Every Day Is Pay Day" subscription drive. The names listed below show the people who have been nominated in the race. This is not a standing of the workers. Several of the workers listed have yet to get started and turn in subscriptions, but the drive is off to a good start and a big campaign is likely to develop for the big awards to be given at the close of the campaign. The first standing of the workers will be published in next week's paper.

There are some sections of the county that still remain without a representative. A big opportunity exists to make extra money by entering the contest. It is not too late to enter. If you have been thinking of making and earning extra money... paid daily... let us know by sending in your name today.

Here are the workers who have been nominated to date:

MISS DORIS BUTTS	New Hope
MRS. SARAH JANE BANKS	White Hat
MRS. TOM COX	Hertford
MRS. DOUGLAS WOODWIN	Ballahack
MRS. CLAUDE LANE	Hertford
MRS. E. J. PROCTOR	Whiteston
MRS. HATTIE SPIVEY	Bethel
MRS. R. M. SMITHSON	Hertford
MRS. JULIAN A. WHITE	Tyner
MRS. ELIZABETH WILDER	Hertford
MISS JULIA WESTON	Belvidere

FIRST STANDING NEXT WEEK — WHO WILL LEAD?