

Inspection Lanes To Visit Counties Several Times In '48

Arthur T. Moore, head of the State's Mechanical Inspection Program, says that a great portion of the State's citizens were needlessly upset over plans for the inspection program.

He added that many had the idea they would have to drive several hundred miles to lane headquarters for their inspection this year. Moore said: "There is absolutely no need to worry, for we have emphasized over and over again that the lanes are portable, and that they will be transported from county to county in order to reach all motorists in the State."

He said he had had numerous queries from vehicle owners in Craven and Carteret counties, who believed that just because headquarters for lane 33 had been set up in Greenville that everyone in those counties would have to drive to Greenville for an inspection.

Moore added that headquarters for each of the State's 36 inspection lanes were set up on the basis of motor vehicle population, and each lane was planned to take care of 20,000 vehicles twice a year. In some counties there are 20,000 or more vehicles within a given county, and in such cases there is one lane to service that county. However, in cases where there were not 20,000 registered vehicles within a given county, then adjoining counties were taken in until the required 20,000 vehicles could be found.

Headquarters were set up, therefore, in counties with the heaviest vehicle population, but this does not mean that the lane will remain there all the time. It merely means that for administrative purposes the headquarters were established there, but the lanes will be transported from county to county in order to reach all vehicle owners. And Moore added that no car or truck owner should worry, for a lane will visit each county several times during the year, regardless of whether headquarters are set up there or not.

Meeting Planned For Asheville Feb. 1

North Carolina Farm Bureau will hold its 12th annual State convention February 1, 2, 3 and 4 in Asheville, with leading representatives of agriculture, industry and labor joining with outstanding legislators in a program of unusual interest, R. Flake Shaw, executive vice president, has announced.

"This year's convention will be one of the most important ever held by the North Carolina Farm Bureau," Shaw said. "A well-rounded program is being developed and we feel sure everyone who attends will receive considerable benefit from the discussions, addresses and commodity conferences."

Arrangements have been made to run a Farm Bureau special train on the Southern Railway, if at least 300 members indicate they wish to make the trip by train, Shaw said. The special train would originate at Goldsboro, as did last month's Farm Bureau special for the organization's national meeting in Chicago, with stops scheduled at major points enroute to Asheville. Early registration for the train must be made by those planning to go by rail, Shaw added.

Main sessions of the meeting will be held in the City Auditorium, adjacent to the George Vanderbilt Hotel. The opening ceremony will be a colorful and impressive candlelight Vesper service, Sunday, February 1.

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at 8 P. M., sponsored by the Farm Bureau Associated Women, headed by Mrs. B. B. Everett, Palmyra, president.

Hotel reservations are being handled through County Farm Bureau, Shaw said. The county units, he added, are engaged now in electing official voting delegates to the State meeting, official representatives on all State Farm Bureau committees and adopting individual county resolutions to be presented for consideration at the convention.

CHAPANOKE NEWS

Mrs. Irma Dorsey has returned home after spending a month at Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson spent Sunday at Norfolk attending the United Preaching Mission.

Crawford Wilson, USN, Weeksville, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Quincy visited friends in Hertford Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vaughan of Portsmouth spent Sunday with relatives here. He returned but Mrs. Vaughan is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Ima Dorsey.

County Agent Urges Rat Proof Buildings

One way that Perquimans County farmers can increase the supply of grains for human food is to stop feeding so much of it to rats, says I. C. Yagel, county agent for the State College Extension Service.

While 100 per cent control of these wasters of human food is not regarded as practical, certain measures can be taken to materially decrease the losses, Mr. Yagel said.

Not only do the rats on your farm destroy many bushels of corn and other grains each year, but they are carriers of bubonic plague, typhus, and other deadly diseases, he declared.

It should be the earnest desire of every farmer as well as the townspeople in the county to rid his premises of rats. This will not be so easy for many, but others should be able to control the infestation with very little expense and time.

One of the best ways to control the infestation is to first get rid of those now on your premises. Then by following certain sanitation practices the year-round, you can soon have your farm or home rat proof.

Rat proofing the farm in the broadest sense takes in not only the exclusion of rats from buildings of all types but also the elimination of their hiding and nesting places and cutting off their food supply. Through open doors and in other ways, rats may frequently gain entrance to structures that are otherwise rat proof, but they can not live there unless they find safe retreats and food. When rat proofing becomes the regular practice

the rat problem will have been largely solved, Mr. Yagel said.

Former Resident Dies At Wilmington

Mrs. T. A. Sikes, former resident of Hertford, and widow of the Rev. T. A. Sikes, who served as pastor of the Hertford Methodist Church from 1907 to 1911, died in Wilmington last Saturday, according to word received here.

Survivors include Dr. Earl Sikes, who is a frequent visitor in Hertford, and two other sons, John and Claude Sikes, both of Wilmington.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday at Charlotte.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Winslow was the scene of a birthday party Thursday afternoon, January 1, from 2:30 until 5 o'clock. The party was in honor of their daughter, Lois Violet, who was 10 years old on that day. Flags were used for decorations.

Games and contests were enjoyed by all, after which the gifts were brought in, unwrapped and acknowledged by the honoree. A birthday cake decorated in pink, green and white centered the table, which was covered with a cloth designed in the birthday motif. As the children were served ice cream, cakes and mints, they sang "Happy Birthday to Lois Violet."

Those attending were Pat Lane, Jeanette, Joan and Doris Faye Chap-

pell, Carolyn Faye Rogerson, Louise and Betty Lou Chappell, Shirley and Sylvia Wrae Copeland, Janet and Wynda Lynn Chappell, Beverly Lane, Peggy and Shirley Chappell, La Clair Winslow, Ann White, Christine Winslow, Vida Lane, Judith Winslow, Evangeline Copeland, Avis Winslow, Clara Gay Lane and Miss Johnnie White, Mrs. Clarence Chappell and Mrs. Nurney Chappell.

Y. W. A.'s MEET

The Y. W. A.'s of Bethel Baptist Church met at the home of Miss Blanche Goodwin Friday night, January 9th.

The leader, Mrs. Ernest Long, presided over the meeting. An interesting program was given, and yearly officers were elected as follows: President, Emmett Long; vice president, Pat Phillips; secretary, Madelyn Phillips, and Personal Service Chairman, Elizabeth Proctor.

The hostess served delicious refreshments to the members present, which included Misses Jeanette Chappell, Mary Inez Chappell, Louise Mansfield, Madelyn Phillips, Elizabeth Proctor, Pat Phillips and Robert Evans, Wade Jordan, E. J. Proctor, Tom Proctor, Emmett Long and Mrs. Ernest Long.

A familiar "man-about-the-court house" was being discussed.

"He used to be powerfully energetic," one old observer said. "For years he chased around like mad trying to get a political job."

"What does he do now?" someone asked.

"Nothing. He got the job."

The Panhandler Again

A bum who had held out a battered hat on the corner for months is standing in his accustomed spot, begging, but he has a sign, "Business going on as usual during alterations," at which one of his regular customers asks him how come.

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Having qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Roscoe Smith, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Route 3, Hertford, N. C., on or before the 12 day of January 1949 or this notice

will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 12 day of January, 1948.

MOLLIE SMITH,
Administratrix of Roscoe Smith.
Jan 16, 23, 30, Feb 6, 13, 20

NOTICE

Sale Of Valuable Property

By virtue of a Deed of Trust executed to me by Toney N. Hurdle and wife, Minnie Hurdle, for certain purposes therein mentioned, which said Deed of Trust bears date January 10th, 1936, and is registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Perquimans County, North Carolina, in Mortgage Book 19, page 243, I shall, at 11 o'clock Monday, February 16th, 1948, offer for sale at the Court House door in the said county, at public auction, for cash, the property conveyed to me in said deed of trust, to wit:

Beginning on the Towle Lane at second ditch from the road, thence westerly along said ditch to the Hardy Sutton land, thence along the Hardy Sutton line to the Norfolk Southern Railroad, thence along the railroad to the Towle Lane, thence along said lane to the second ditch, the point of beginning; containing twenty acres more or less, and being a part of the land conveyed to Henry Hassell by deed from J. J. White and wife. See deed recorded in Deed Book No. 6, page 133.

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