

### High School Cagers Get Letter Awards

Members of the Perquimans Indiana boys and girls basketball teams were presented letter and star awards during the Friday morning chapel period at Perquimans High School by Coach Joe Levinson.

Winning letters for their achievements on the Indian team during the

past basketball season were Carroll Barry, Guy Cannon, Richard Futral and Clarence Madra. Receiving star awards were Howard Pitt, Bobby Jordan, Bill Pegrum, Edward Lane and James E. Layden.

Girls winning letters were Peggy Sawyer, Lillian Russell and Shirley White. Star awards went to Jean Chappell, Janice Perry, Catherine Ann Holmes and Mary Lou Butt.

### Perquimans School Students Witness Safety Program

Edward S. Adams, assistant safety director, Farm Bureau Mutual Automobile Insurance Company, of Columbus, Ohio, conducted several safety demonstrations at the Hertford Grammar School Thursday for Perquimans students.

Adams, who stressed the importance of safety with an automobile, showed a movie, *Driven to Kill*, and urged the youthful drivers and prospective drivers not to let their car be driven to kill.

He also conducted a demonstration on Market street adjacent the school building on several ways to operate a car, including a braking demonstration in which several students took part.

He pointed out that 16, 17 and 18 year old drivers are involved in the majority of automobile accidents resulting in death or life long injury and stated that a car if used improperly can be the most dangerous deadly weapon known in the daily walk of life.

Adams told his youthful listeners that they should do something about the death and destruction being done in the nation by erratic driving and this would never be accomplished until a generation of teen-agers would give the proper amount of study and consideration to safe driving that is given to other arts and sciences today which is one of the greatest challenges to take place in our American youth.

In defining an accident Adams contended that "we fail to do something that we should have done or we do something that we should have not done" which directly results in what we term an accident.

"Just what can be done about the high rate of automobile accidents? Let each of us ask ourselves that question," the safety director said. "First mark it a personal problem, not a lot of things for the other fellow to do. Learn and follow the rules of the game of driving, respect the rights of others and develop a proper driving attitude."

In closing, Adams urged the students to make their best driving practice a daily driving habit which will help bring the auto accident death toll in the nation below the present average of one death every five and one half minutes.

#### CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR FORMED

The young people of the Berea Church of Christ met Sunday night to organize the Christian Endeavor.

Officers were elected as follows: Norman Miller, president; Shirley Eure, vice president; Molly Lou Yeates, secretary and treasurer; Elwood Long, program committee, and Mrs. Delmar Eure, the group leader.

This group will meet at the church every Sunday night except the first Sunday night.

### Warriors to Play Game Here Sunday

The Hertford Warriors, Perquimans County's Carolina-Tidewater League entry, will play their first exhibition game of the season at 3 o'clock Sunday, April 3, when they encounter the Edenton Spinners on the local field.

Kerry Lane, manager of the local squad, said today, following regular practice session, that he was very much impressed with the club's progress thus far, but added, however, that the Warriors are still in need of practice and that the team would not be up to par until the season is well under way.

Among the players who have showed up well thus far are Billy Winslow, R. Griffin, Joe Forehand, Jim Robbins and Carl Winslow, all of whom are listed on the pitching staff. Chester Winslow and Howard Pitt are making a good showing in the outfield and Manager Lane appeared to be very much impressed with the performance of Edward and Johnnie Lane in the outfield. Johnnie, however, will have his services limited, apparently, to that of a utility assignment.

Other players who will round out the team are Paul Smith, Quincy Riddick, Elva Winslow, Hom Lane, C. D. Monte, H. Ryan and the manager.

#### BETHEL CIRCLE MEETS

The Mary Long Circle of the Bethel Baptist Church met Monday night, March 14, at the home of Mrs. Irvin Long.

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