

Thos. Lindsay Evans Dies As Result Of Self-Inflicted Wound

Thomas Lindsay Evans, 66, prominent Chowan County farmer and merchant of the Cross Roads community, died Wednesday shortly after noon while enroute to Chowan Hospital. Mr. Evans died of a self-inflicted wound when he shot himself in his store shortly after dinner. No reason was given for his act, but he had been in ill health for a long time. He was a native of Chowan County, the son of the late Thomas Lindsay and Mattie Speight Evans. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the Ballard's Bridge Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mary H. Evans; two sons, T. J. Evans, Jr., and Melvin H. Evans, both of Chowan County; three brothers, R. E. Evans of Edenton, Ray L. Evans of Guilford, N. C., and W. C. Evans of Haddonfield, N. J., and two sisters, Mrs. J. H. Asbell and Mrs. R. C. Privott, both of Edenton. One grandchild also survives.

Funeral services will be held at Ballard's Bridge Baptist Church this (Thursday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The pastor, the Rev. Ralph W. Knight, will officiate, with interment taking place in the Ballard's Bridge Church Cemetery.

SOIL CONSERVATION NOTES

Charles Henc and W. B. Jordan are setting out Multiflora Rose for living fences. Mr. Henc is putting out 2,000 plants and Mr. Jordan 400. The plants are placed one foot apart and will produce a living fence in three to six years. These plants will bloom every year for two or three weeks. When fully developed Multiflora Rose provides an excellent living fence for pastures where horses, cattle and sheep are grazed. It will also hold hogs that have been ringed. Multiflora Rose does not spread from root-stalks. Drooping side canes, if they touch exposed soil, may take root and grow. Ordinary care of adjacent ground by mowing, cultivating or grazing will keep the Rose from spreading where you don't want it.

These Multiflora Rose plants were furnished the farmers by the N. C. Wildlife Resources Commission.

Julian A. White, T. H. Jones, Chas. Henc and W. G. Gaither are setting out Bicolor Lespedeza plants on their farms for Wildlife borders. Bicolor is a shrub that grows five to ten feet high. Like other lespedezas it is a legume. By observation and food studies it has been found that Bicolor is a preferred foot for quail. They eat the seeds in preference to their usual favorites—annual lespedeza, cow peas, partridge peas and acorns. These Bicolor plants are set in rows along the edge of fields next to woods where crops will not usually grow. These plants were also furnished the farmers by the N. C. Wildlife Resources Commission.



For most trees and shrubs the best time to apply fertilizer is at the time the buds begin to swell or when spring is just around the corner. At this time the plants are beginning active root growth and leaf development and are able to make use of the soluble salts in the fertilizers. An exception to this rule would be azaleas which should be fertilized as soon as they are through blooming.

Although there is some variation in the requirements of different shrubs it is usually safe to apply 3 to 4 pounds of a 6-8-6 or 5-10-5 mixed fertilizer per 100 sq. ft. of bed space or from 1/4 pound to 1 pound around each shrub where planted separately according to the size of the shrub. A 6-8-6 fertilizer means that it contains 6 per cent of available nitrogen, 8 per cent of available phosphoric acid and 6 per cent of available potash. The fertilizer should be thoroughly raked into the soil under the shrubs and watered in if the soil is dry. For azaleas, camellias and other acid-loving plants there are

special acid-reacting fertilizers, or a mixture containing one-third sulphate of ammonia and two-thirds cottonseed meal may be used.

Shade trees and fruit trees require a little different treatment than shrubs. The feed roots of trees are not close to the trunk but extend out to a zone under and just beyond the tips of the branches. Therefore the fertilizer should be applied in this zone and not near the trunk. Apply 1 to 2 pounds of 6-8-6 mixture the first year and about 4 pounds per inch of diameter of the trunk of the tree each year thereafter. If the land is cultivated the fertilizer may be cultivated in. Otherwise it should be applied in holes made with a crowbar or soil auger.

For grape vines apply one-half pound of 6-8-6 mixture the first year, one pound each the second and third year and two to three pounds per vine per year thereafter.

Stable manure is an excellent fertilizer for trees, shrubs and vines and should be used if available.

Public Is Warned About Bird Diseases

Warning against bird disease, which may be harmful to public, is issued by Dr. B. B. McGuire, District Health Officer.

Such diseases, as psittacosis have occurred in Minnesota, according to a recent directive received from the State Board of Health.

Psittacosis is a disease of birds which is transmitted to human beings, usually through contact with parrots or parakeets. Occasionally cases have been contacted by canaries.

The presence of psittacosis in several aviaries in Florida has been demonstrated and it is known that large numbers of birds have been shipped to other states and have been purchased by tourists.

It is recommended that bird dealers destroy any specimens on hand that were known to have been shipped from Florida since January 1, 1952 and among which illnesses or deaths have occurred.

Carcasses can be submitted to the State Board of Health for examination where psittacosis is suspected.

State Auto Tag Sales Lead 1950

Tarheel motorists may not think of them as bargains, but they are sure buying license plates at an astonishing rate according to licensing officials in the Department of Motor Vehicles.

The Department has released its latest sales figures, which topped one million several weeks ago and has since climbed to 1,033,583. With just over two months of the year gone new tag sales are running 64,615 ahead of last year. And based on 1950 figures, which are still reasonably accurate, that makes North Carolina 15th in the nation in the number of autos and trucks registered.

In talking about its sales record the Department also issued a stern reminder to motorists who have failed to remove their 1951 front tag. It must come off, the Department cautioned, or else the careless car owner is leaving himself wide open to embarrassment when he is stopped by enforcement officers. Leave it at your favorite service station, was the Department's advice.

Local Resident Indicted By Jury

A federal grand jury this week indicted 21 North Carolinians on charges of income tax evasion. Included in the list was Dr. T. P. Brinn of Hertford.

The indictment alleges Dr. Brinn failed to report \$12,068 in taxes due for the years 1945, 1946 and 1947. There was no indication, in the announcement of the indictment, as to when a hearing will be held in the cases.

Advertising is not bragging. It is merely a device to show buyers where they can get more for their money.

WINEALL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Delaney, E. B. Hollowell, Mixon Trueblood, Miss Amy Van Roach, John Earl Hollowell, Kay White Stanton, Grover Hollowell, Joel Hollowell, Jr., Mrs. J. F. Hollowell, Evelyn Ann Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Gregory are sick with the flu.

Mrs. J. H. Baker is able to be up after being very sick for some time.

Rev. H. M. Jamieson has been very sick with the flu for the past week.

Mrs. T. H. White has been on the sick list for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Umphlett and children, Leva, Douglas and Charlie Morgan, have returned from a 3 weeks trip to San Francisco, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woodard and daughter of Norfolk, Va., visited Mrs. Woodard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Delaney, over the week-end.

Mrs. Chas. Fadio, Jr., has returned home from West Hazleton, Pa., where she visited her mother-in-law, Mrs. Chas. Fadio, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Selby Stokes and family of Raleigh, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Munden and daughter of Suffolk, Va., and Miss Hattie Pearl Nowell of Norfolk, Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nowell, Sr., over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Britton of Norfolk, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Holmes of Portsmouth, Va., Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wovler of Hertford visited Mrs. Nonie Nowell and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Lane Sunday.

Mrs. Lula Lane spent Sunday in Norfolk, Va., and visited Mrs. Edgar Lane, who is a patient in Norfolk General Hospital.

Miss Betty Lu Trueblood is a patient in Albemarle Hospital having been operated on for appendicitis. She is getting along fine.

Miss Geraldine Gregory of Newport News, Va., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Gregory.

MASSES SUNDAY IN MARINE CHAPEL AND EDENTON CHURCH

The Most Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered March 9 at 7 and 9 A. M., in Marine Air Station Chapel, near Edenton, and at 11 A. M., in St. Ann's Catholic Church, corner North Broad and Albemarle Streets, Edenton, each including sermon on "The Holy Bonds of Matrimony," Holy Communion, followed by Rosary for Peace, Sunday School, with confessions in chapel 8:30 to 9:55 and 9 to 10:55 A. M., Saturdays 7:30 to 10:15 P. M., stated Father F. J. McGraw, Auxiliary Chaplain to Air Station and pastor of St. Ann's Missionary Parish.

Week-days mass in church at 7 A. M., Thursdays 7:30 to 8:50 P. M., Discussion, Study, Instructions, Information, Inquiries meet in Edenton Rectory Library, Lenten Prayers 7:30 P. M., choir practice, 8 P. M. Rosary for Peace, Stations of the Cross, Benediction, confessions.

BABY CHICK SPECIAL FOR WEEK-END

New Hampshire and Barred Rock Chicks. Already started. If you want some quality chicks, now is the time to buy them for early layers or broilers.

SUPERIOR HATCHERY

Phone 359-W-1 Edenton, N. C.

IT'S NEW! IT'S GREAT!

Westinghouse

FROST-FREE

COUNTS

NO DEFROSTING... Anywhere! Any Time!

See the new Westinghouse FROST-FREE—the only refrigerator that COUNTS! It counts door openings, because door openings let in warm air which causes frost to form. At every 60th door opening, which is just when frost begins to build up, FROST-FREE automatically defrosts itself, and automatically evaporates the frost water!

Westinghouse FROST-FREE is the only home-proof automatic refrigerator. See it and other Westinghouse Refrigerators today. You'll find prices surprisingly low!

WOMEN LOVE THESE FEATURES TOO

- GIANT-HEED FREEZER CHIEF
- CONVENIENT BUTTER KEEPER
- ROAST-ORF MEAT KEEPER
- EXTRA-LARGE HUMIDIFIERS
- SEE KIFFERS and Shelves-In-The-Door
- TURF-PLATE SHIVES
- EASY-TO-USE 3-way Door Handle

YOU CAN BE SURE... IT'S Westinghouse

Hertford Hardware & Supply Co.

"Trade Here and Bank the Difference"

PHONE 3461 HERTFORD, N. C.

LUNCHEON MENU

Menu for Perquimans High School lunchroom for week of March 10th.

Monday: 1/2 pint milk, cream of tomato soup, cheese-bologna burger, tomatoes, cape muffins.

Tuesday: 1/2 pint milk, spaghetti with meat balls, turnip salad, beet alleles, corn bread, cookies.

Wednesday: 1/2 pint milk, orange juice, meatloaf with gravy, creamed potatoes, peas, apple sauce, biscuits.

Thursday: 1/2 pint milk, hot dogs, relish, onions, potato salad, hot rolls, oatmeal cookies.

Friday: 1/2 pint milk, lima beans, tomatoes, slaw, corn sticks, cherry short cake.

WHITESTON NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. George Plumley of Houston, Texas, and Mrs. Faye Bryant of Baytown, Texas, were recent visitors of Mrs. Sallie Davis.

Miss Marjorie White of Goldsboro and Miss Thelma White of ACC, Wilson, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. White.

Miss Geraldine Stallings of the Blind School, Raleigh, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lola Stallings.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Baker, Miss Marilyn Baker, Mrs. Russell Baker and Mrs. Walter Dale spent Friday in Norfolk, Va., shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Barrett, Mrs. Virginia Barrett and Misses Fyrlis and Pauline Barrett of Hertford, Roma, visited Mrs. Ida Winslow and family Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lanier and daughters, Carol and Nancy of Norfolk, Va., spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lanier and Mrs. Verna Winslow.

Charlie Winslow of Norfolk, Va., visited his mother, Mrs. Ida Winslow, Sunday.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to my friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness shown me for each prayer that was uttered, the beautiful flowers, gifts and cards sent, and for each visit during my illness in the hospital and at home.

Every act of kindness was greatly appreciated.

FREELAND COPELAND

IS MIND-READING A FACT OR FANCY?

Do you believe some people are endowed with the powers of exploring the minds of others? Read the amazing results of laboratory tests made by a well-known psychologist. One of the many fascinating features in March 16th issue of

THE AMERICAN WEEKLY

Nation's Popular Magazine With THE BALTIMORE SUNDAY AMERICAN

Order From Your Local Dealer

THE BEST FOR YOUR HOME

When you remodel or modernize your kitchen or bathroom, we suggest you consult us for the best possible materials.

WE NOW HAVE ON HAND FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY

Electric and Oil Water Heaters
Double and Single Drain Cabinet Sinks
Flat Rim Sinks
Bath Tubs
Toilet Combinations
Lavatories
Galvanized, Cast Iron and Terra Cotta Pipe
Drain Tile
Tile Board
Sheet Rock

ELECTRIC WATER PUMPS

MADE BY

Myers, Dayton, Delco, McDonald
Flint and Walling

Hertford Hardware & Supply Company

"Trade Here and Bank the Difference"

PHONE 3461 HERTFORD, N. C.

ROLL-O-MATIC

One more reason why John Deere is first choice of the tractor-wise!

One trip across the field behind the wheel of a John Deere Tractor equipped with Roll-O-Matic "knee-action" front wheels and you'll agree—there's nothing like it for driving ease... riding comfort.

It's easier steering... smoother, surer-footed operation all the way—over rough ground, on top of beds, along contours, in practically every operating condition. There's no fighting the wheel, no creeping or weaving from side to side.

Roll-O-Matic reduces front-end bounce because up-and-down movement of the front end is cut exactly in half. Front tire life is prolonged because the load is shared equally by both front wheels.

Roll-O-Matic is but one of many John Deere Tractor features. Ask us for a free demonstration the next time you're in town.

In addition, John Deere Tractors offer:

- OUTSTANDING ECONOMY
- GREATER DURABILITY
- LONGER LIFE
- GREATER COMFORT
- OUTSTANDING QUALITY
- EASIER HANDLING
- EASIER MAINTENANCE
- COMPLETE INTEGRAL EQUIPMENT
- UNEQUALLED VIEW
- GREATER ADAPTABILITY
- HYDRAULIC POWER-TROL
- LUGGING POWER

J. C. Blanchard & Co., Inc.

"BLANCHARD'S" SINCE 1843
HERTFORD, N. C.