

## Youth Faces Count Of Manslaughter In Fatal Accident

A warrant charging Greg Felton, Lane, 20, of Route 100, Hertford, with manslaughter was issued in Perquimans Court Monday morning following an investigation of a highway accident which caused the death of Virgil Copeland, 28, also of Route 100, and injuries to Lane, Marvin Rufus Lilly and Graham Lee Overton.

Copeland died in the Albemarle Hospital Sunday morning of injuries he sustained when a car in which he was riding was wrecked in the Beech Springs area of Perquimans County shortly after midnight Saturday. Lane and Lilly were hospitalized for treatment of their injuries while Lilly was released after being treated for slight injuries he suffered.

State Highway Patrolman B. R. Inscow, who investigated the accident, said that Lane was driving the automobile "evidently at a high rate of speed" heading south towards Hertford on the Belvidere-Beech Springs road 3.2 miles west of Hertford when the vehicle went out of control on the dangerously curvy road and skidded a total of 471.8 feet including what appeared to have been two complete turns of the car. It came to rest on all four wheels.

Copeland was thrown 41 feet 6 inches into a ditch. The other occupants were distributed on the shoulder of the road, one on the pavement and the fourth in the woods alongside the road.

Patrolman Inscow, who is continuing investigation, said that the quartet had met at Chapel's store several miles from the wreck scene and had decided to go to the "Y," some six miles north of Edenton to get some food.

A preliminary hearing on the charges against Lane will be conducted in Perquimans Recorder's Court at the term scheduled for Tuesday July 2.

## New Regulations On Excess Cotton

Some very important changes in the regulations concerning "excess" cotton acreage were pointed out today by Helene W. Nixon, Perquimans County ASC Office Manager. At the same time she called attention to some other important points in the regulations. When farmers receive a notice of their measured cotton acreage there are some very important deadlines that must be observed, she stated, if the farm is to be free of any marketing quota penalty and be eligible for price support on the cotton produced.

If a remeasurement of the cotton acreage is desired, a request for the remeasurement, accompanied by a deposit covering the cost, must be filed with the county ASC Office within 20 days from the date of the notice of measured acreage. If excess acreage is to be disposed of without remeasurement, a written notice of this intention must be filed with the ASC Office and the excess acreage must be destroyed within 20 days from the date of the notice.

### SOIL CONSERVATION NOTES

Perquimans County farmers have done more drainage work this spring than any similar period since the Albemarle Soil Conservation District was organized. From January 1, 1957 through May 20, 1957, Perquimans County farmers constructed 28 miles of ditches with drainage.

At one time this spring there were seven draglines operating in the county. A. W. Lane dug a pond to provide water for irrigation. Warner Madre dug a pond to furnish water for livestock.

Thomas and J. M. Fleetwood, Jr., installed 2000 feet of tile drainage this spring. This was the first machine-installed tile to be laid in the county.

These farmers received assistance through the Agricultural Conservation Program to carry

## Honor Roll For Perquimans High Is Announced

Names of students winning scholastic honors during the final grading period of the school year at Perquimans High School were announced this week by E. C. Woodard, principal. Those listed on the honor roll were:

8th Grade — Mary Frances Baker, Ann Benton, Dianne Hollowell, Joyce Owens, Carlye Woodard, J. D. Hollowell, Linda Bass, Phyllis Hendren, Ellen Trueblood, Hubert Burden, Carroll McDonald and Faye Wood.

9th Grade — Allan Bonner, Jimmy Sullivan, Jack White, Rebecca Burton, Jo Ann Cartwright, Mary Lee Glen, Betsy Stallings, Carolyn White, Dorothy White, Jack Briann, John Winslow, Pauline Baccus and Brenda Elliott.

10th Grade — Donald Baker, Dave Burton, Lawrence Layden, Kathleen Blanchard, Vickie Johnson, Letitia McGoggan, John Matthews, Beverly Tucker, Ray Winslow, Mary Alice Benton, Ethel Sutton and Jo Davis Towe.

11th Grade — Jimmy Batts, Jake Myers, Janice Chappell, Becky Cox, Jean Edwards, Kay Matthews, Gail Pierce, Phyllis Bagley, Amanda Lou Corprew, Patsy Elliott, Sophia Godfrey, Lois Ann Hurdle, Jane Keel, Jean Keel, Beth Skinner, Rachel Spivey, Dorothy Taylor, Iris Wilder and Dan Winslow.

12th Grade — Don Baker, Sandy Divers, Bob Fields, Charles Whedbee, Sylvia Copeland, Betty Ann Felton, Lois Howell, Marcia Stallings, Jane Winslow, Nancy Lane, Mac Elliott, Charlie Johnson, Edward Lee Madre, Arnold Winslow, Joann Chappell, Lillian Ann Hofer and Avis Layden.

## County Soybeans Need Manganese

R. M. Thompson, County Agent, reported this week observation on some of the soybeans in the county, especially in the Belvidere and Whiteston areas, indicate manganese deficiency has appeared on lands that have an over-liming history. A number of farmers who had experienced this trouble know the situation can be remedied by the application of manganese mixed in a spray at the rate of 3 pounds per acre.

Application of manganese on soybeans, where this trouble has appeared has increased the yield as much as 17 bushels to the acre, the agent said, and the cost of the material amounts to about 75 cents per acre.

Mr. Thompson stated the manganese may be obtained at his office and he suggests immediate use of the material if soybean leaves are yellow with the ribs and veins of the leaves showing green.

## Rites Held Friday For Merrill Layden

Funeral services for James Merrill Layden, who died Wednesday of last week, were conducted Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Whiteville Grove Baptist Church by Rev. J. Paul Holoman, pastor.

During the service "Does Jesus Care?" and "Rock of Ages" were sung by the church choir, accompanied by Mrs. J. Paul Holoman at the piano.

Theasket was covered with a pall of red roses, white carnations and Easter lilies. Pallbearers were Wallace Layden, Eugene Byrum, Louis Spivey, Harold Copeland, Charlie Rogerson and Quinton Stallings.

Burial followed in the Layden Cemetery.

MASONS TO MEET  
The Perquimans Masonic Lodge will meet Tuesday night



TORNADO TERRORE was visited on this west Dallas apartment house (right), while the twister which hit the afternoon of April 2 also showed a grisly prankishness (left). Returning residents found only debris, and workers from Dallas County Civil Defense, police, firemen and Red Cross guarding the wreckage and ready to provide temporary shelter. (Dallas Morning News Photos)

## White Knowles Vows Spoken At Methodist Church

The Hertford Methodist Church was a scene of a lovely wedding on Saturday, June 15, at 12 o'clock noon, when Miss Dorcas Knowles, daughter of Mrs. Robert Lee Knowles and the late Mr. Knowles, became the bride of Charles Edgar White, son of Cecil Wood White and the late Mrs. White.

The church was decorated with standards of white stock, pom-poms, and lilies and was lighted with cathedral candles. Miss Kate Blanchard, organist, presented a program of wedding music.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. James A. Auman, pastor of the church, in the presence of the families and close friends of the couple.

The bride and bridegroom entered the church together. The bride wore a waist length dress of white Chantilly lace over a white tulle, fashioned with a portrait neckline embroidered in pearls. Her veil of imported illusion was attached to a cloche of matching lace and pearls. She carried a cascade of white roses and stephanotis.

Ushers were Robert Hollowell, cousin of the bridegroom, and William B. Byrd, brother-in-law of the bride.

The mother of the bride wore a dress of rose lace with harmonizing accessories and a corsage of garnette roses.

For traveling the bride wore a dress of Lazuli blue duponi silk. Her accessories were white and her corsage was a crescent of white roses.

The bride was graduated from Greensboro College and is a member of the faculty of the Hertford Grammar School. The bridegroom was graduated from the University of North Carolina, where he was a member of Lambda Chi Alpha social fraternity. He is superintendent of the Perquimans County Welfare Department.

After a wedding trip south, Mr. and Mrs. White will make their home in Hertford.

After the ceremony the mother of the bride entertained at a wedding breakfast at Hotel Hertford.

No announcements will be sent in Hertford or the county.

## Winslow Funeral Conducted Sunday

Mrs. Ida W. Winslow, 83, died Friday at 3:15 P. M. at her home in Perquimans County after a long illness.

She was the daughter of the late Samuel and Margaret Ann Winslow and the widow of Charles E. Winslow. She was a member of the Up River Friends Church.

She is survived by two sons, Bennie Winslow of Belvidere, and Charlie E. Winslow of St. Petersburg, Fla.; three daughters, Miss Mary Winslow and Miss Della Winslow of Belvidere, and Mrs. Sarah Hobbs of Hobbysville; one sister, Mrs. Sarah E. Davis of Belvidere; nine grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday at 2 P. M. at Up River Friends Church with the Rev. Mr. Dillon officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

## Indians Retain Top Position In League Play Here Thursday

Hertford Indians are pacing the Albemarle League for the second straight week of play with a 6-2 record despite a loss last Saturday night at the hands of Williamston.

The Indians play Sunbury here Thursday night, at Sunbury on Friday, then play Camtuck here next Wednesday night and Elizabeth City here on Thursday night. Parker Chesson pitched the Indians to a 16-10 victory over Elizabeth City Wednesday night of last week in what was a rather sloppy ball game. Hertford piled up a 6-0 lead in the first inning and added one more in the third. Hertford's defense weakened in the sixth permitting the Albies to knot the count. It was tied again at 9-all, then the Indians went on to win 16-10.

Last Friday night the Indians tangled with Williamston in the first of a two-game series and big Paul Matthews hurled Hertford to a 6-4 victory against the pitching of Mack Cherry. Williamston ace. Both pitchers were impressive, Matthews giving up eight hits while his teammates collected nine off Cherry. Matthews fanned five visitors and Cherry whiffed 10 Indians. Morris, Hunter and Carver collected two hits each to lead the Indians' offensive play.

Tommy Matthews, Hertford left fielder, was struck on the head by a pitched ball in the fourth inning and he was unable to continue in the game. He was replaced by Parker Chesson.

Saturday night the Indians traveled to Williamston and came home on the short end of a 5 to 1 score. Ted Chappell held down the mound duties for Hertford while Williford was the winning pitcher for Williamston. The Indians lacked some of the regular players for this contest, which, no doubt, affected the final outcome. Williamston collected 11 hits off Chappell while the Indians got three off Williford.

## Copeland Funeral Conducted Tuesday

Funeral services for Joseph Virgil Copeland, 20, who died Sunday of injuries sustained in an automobile accident, were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Piney Woods Friends Church by the Rev. Virgil Pike.

He was the son of Roland H. and Maggie Perry Copeland. In addition to his parents, he is survived by three brothers, Harold H. and Sherman Copeland, both of Belvidere, and Roland Copeland, Jr., of Norfolk. Va.; three sisters, Mrs. Ralph Dail of Edenton, Mrs. Aubrey Asbel of Norfolk and Mrs. Glenwood Stallings of Elizabeth City.

Burial was in the family cemetery.

## BPW CLUB PLANS TO HOLD WEINER ROAST JUNE 27th

The Perquimans BPW Club will meet June 27 at 8:30 P. M., at the home of Mrs. Miriam Haskett, 3 Woodland Circle, when she will be hostess to a weiner roast. Later in the evening the club's officers will be installed.

ROTARY TO MEET  
The Hertford Rotary Club will meet Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock. Friends are invited.

## Rotary Club Hears Holmes Talk On General Assembly

A resume of the activity of the General Assembly was outlined to the Hertford Rotary Club Tuesday night by Representative Carroll R. Holmes, who told the club members the steady growth of the state is developing problems which must be solved by the Legislature.

Public demands for new and greater services, Mr. Holmes said, made it necessary for the Legislature to adopt the largest budget in the history of the state. Practically every department of the state will operate on a bigger scale during the next two years than it has during the past two.

The Representative pointed out the 1957 General Assembly set a couple of records, in addition to adopting the largest budget, it also passed more laws than any previous Legislature. Most of these laws pertained to local levels such as town and counties.

Some changes were made in the state's revenue structure which is expected to attract new industry into North Carolina, and at the same time corrected some inequalities which had existed in the tax laws since the 1930s.

One of the headaches always present during the General Assembly, Mr. Holmes stated, is the great demand for ever-increasing services but the hesitancy on the part of those demanding increased services to increase revenue to pay for the services.

The Legislature voted into effect vast changes in the operation of the State Highway Department and set up a new Department of Administration which is in line with the constant growth of the state.

Holmes also explained the new automobile liability insurance law which he says requires a car owner to show proof that he has a liability insurance policy or has made financial responsibility arrangements with the Motor Vehicle Department before he can buy his 1958 license tags.

## Harvey Point

Navy plans for reconstruction of the Harvey Point Naval Base are proceeding on schedule.

This was the advise reported to Mayor V. N. Darden by Congressman Herbert C. Bonner Monday night following a conference Mr. Bonner had with Secretary of the Navy Gates.

Invitations for bids on some four million dollars worth of construction at Harvey Point have been released and bids on this work are to be received and opened at the Public Works Office of the Fifth Naval District at Norfolk on next Thursday afternoon at two o'clock.

During the past two weeks a number of contractors, interested in bidding on the projects to be let shortly, have visited Hertford and Harvey Point inspecting the site and inquiring about possible leases on sites to be used for storage of machinery and materials.

## Five Cases Before Recorder Tuesday

Five cases were listed on the docket of Perquimans Recorder's Court at Tuesday's session presided over by Judge Chas E. Johnson.

James Dixon entered a plea of guilty to a charge of driving drunk. He was given a 60 day sentence to be suspended upon payment of a fine of \$100 and court costs.

Roderick Reynolds and Leslie Winslow submitted to charges of driving on the wrong side of a highway and each paid the costs of court.

Andrew Winslow paid the costs of court after submitting to a charge of failing to yield the right of way.

David Pike was fined \$35 and costs after being found guilty on charges of driving after his license had been revoked and for possession of tax-paid liquor, with the seal broken.

## ASC Provisions On Remeasurement Of Crops Is Explained

### Peanut Producers Advised By Agent To Check Crops

"If you have not checked your peanuts in the past few days, it would be a very good idea to do so, as leaf spot hoppers have already appeared in peanut fields in Perquimans County," says R. M. Thompson, County Agent.

"Both of these troubles can be controlled in the same application if you will dust with sulphur and 5% DDT or copper sulphate and 5% DDT.

"You should apply between 40 and 60 pounds of copper sulphate dust to the acre of peanuts, and it would probably be better in most instances to apply this in 3 applications, and in just about every case in the first dusting, use a dust containing 5% DDT. Also in the case of peanuts this year, there is a material that has been released that will control Southern Stem Rot. In years past, we have had some slight and some serious trouble with Southern Stem Rot in our peanut varieties and this is truer in cases of runner peanuts than in the case of N. C. 2 variety," stated Mr. Thompson.

"We are not recommending that you apply terrachlor which is a fungicide that is used to control Southern Stem Rot, unless you have had history showing Southern Stem Rot to be a real problem or unless it shows up on your farm this year. This fungicide is mixed in landplaster and can be applied right along with the application of landplaster to your peanuts but the cost prohibits a widespread recommendation for its use on peanuts unless this disease is present. On the heavier lands where peanuts are planted it would be wise to consider the use of Aldrin, to be applied on peanuts to control the Southern Stem Worm. This dust can be applied at the rate of 2 actual pounds of Aldrin per acre and it is a practice that when followed, has put dividends in yield and quality of peanuts," the agent said. "I would certainly consider some or all of the above practices in producing peanuts as it is necessary in most cases on the peanut lands in the county and most of these practices are just good cultural practices that should be followed year after year."

Miss Nixon pointed out that the time allowed for filing the request for remeasurement is different for most allotment crops. In the case of cotton the time allowed is 20 days. For peanuts and corn the request must be filed in 15 days. In each case the time allowed for filing the request starts from the date of the notice of measured acreage and not from the date the notice is received by the farm operator. Under present regulations, only one remeasurement of the crop acreage is permitted and the acreage determined by the remeasurement reporters will become the final acreage for the farm.

If the farm operator is satisfied with the original measurement, no remeasurement should be requested but the farm operator should be sure to take prompt action if the acreage is in excess of the farm acreage allotment for any crop. Miss Nixon also pointed out that if the farm operator desires to dispose of excess acreage to bring the acreage within the farm allotment he must notify the County ASC Office of his intention to do so within the time specified in the notice. Disposition of the excess acreage must also be made within the specified time allowed for the particular crop.

## Wake Forest Club Plans Dinner Meet

The Wake Forest College Alumni Club of Northeast North Carolina will hold a dinner meeting in the Virginia Dare Hotel in Elizabeth City Friday, June 21, at 7:15 P. M.

Ray Jones of Elizabeth City, club president, is handling arrangements for the dinner which will be a Dutch affair.

Murray Gresson, recently retired basketball coach and new assistant athletic director, will attend the dinner along with freshman football coach Elmer Barbour. Mark Reece, associate director of alumni activities, also will attend and will play recordings from talks by a number of Wake Forest professors who were prominent on the old campus.

Wake Forest alumni in the following counties are members of the club: Camden, Chowan, Currituck, Gates, Perquimans and Pasquotank.

## Special Clinic Tuesday Afternoon

A special polio vaccine clinic will be conducted at the Health Center in Hertford next Tuesday afternoon, from 3 to 5 o'clock for the purpose of giving anti-polio shots to persons who received their first shot at the clinic held June 6 and 7, it was announced today by D. F. Reed, Jr., chairman of the Jaycee committee sponsoring the program.

Mr. Reed stated individuals who missed receiving their second shot on June 6 or 7 may also receive the shot at this special clinic next week. He reported some 760 anti-polio shots were given during the clinic.

## Rain Gives Relief From Heat Wave

A heat wave, with temperatures in the 90's, of several days which gripped this community was broken by rain Tuesday afternoon. The weatherman reported temperatures might rise again Wednesday and Thursday but more relief was expected, from rain, by Thursday night.

The rain Tuesday added to crop situation in the county to some extent but most farmers were in agreement additional rain is needed if crops are not to suffer from drought.