

Peanut School Scheduled To Be Held At Court House Monday Night, Jan. 28th

There will be a peanut school held at the Court House in Hertford on Monday night, January 28, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Astor Perry, peanut specialist from State College in Raleigh, and Dr. J. C. Wells, plant pathologist from State College, will be here to discuss peanut production, diseases and insect control. "There are many changes in recommendations for 1963 over 1962, therefore it would be to your advantage to come and listen and ask questions concerning points that you are not clear on," stated R. M. Thompson, County Extension Chairman.

Mr. Thompson also states that "As most everyone has heard, the peanut yield in Perquimans County this year was the highest that we have made since records have been kept, but yields in other counties are increasing also. If we are to continue to produce peanuts in quantity comparable to the yields in counties adjoining us, we will have to continue good practices. By attending these meetings, you will know the practices that are recommended for increased yields. You must also know the point at which you are starting in your production and therefore you should have a soil sample. If it is possible for you to get your soil samples to the Agricultural Building before Monday night, we will be glad to take these to Raleigh and save you the postage and the handling."

One other highlight of the peanut meeting will be the presentation of the awards for the three top producers in Perquimans County. The top man will get a cup donated by the Peanut Growers Association and the second and third place men will receive prizes of insecticides and fertilizer donated by peanut buyers of Perquimans County. Therefore, we hope you will make a real effort to attend this peanut school, as we think it will be very beneficial to you for the coming year."

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Urgent Appeal Being Made For Final Donations To TB Seal Sale

Mrs. Roxanna C. Jackson, chairman of the Perquimans County TB Seal Campaign, sends out an urgent plea to all those in Perquimans County who have not yet mailed in their donation to the TB Seal Sale Campaign to please do so. It is not too late. The county's goal was set at \$1,635, necessary to carry on the various activities of the organization for this year.

All efforts are being made to speed up this year's Christmas Seal Campaign. The letters mailed to this county received containing the seals if answered with a message of hope and cheer. It is in fact, they are not only a source of joy but also a source of strength to the patients from whom they are receiving treatment there. At the present time, there are five cases scheduled for the January term of court here.

PTA To Sponsor Talent Program

The PTA of the Perquimans Union School held its monthly meeting in the gymnasium Monday night, January 15, at 7:30 with Mrs. I. E. Rogerson, president, presiding. The general procedure of business was followed.

Mrs. M. W. Strowd, chairman of the program committee, announced that the PTA of the Union School will sponsor a talent program on Monday night, January 28. She also informed the group that a popularity contest has been scheduled for February 25 at 8 P. M. At this particular time the winner will be honored as "Queen for a Day." Each community is urged to participate in this event. According to the program committee,

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February 16 Is Car Tag Deadline

A word of warning was issued today to motorists who have yet to buy and display 1963 automobile licenses. Friday, February 16, is the deadline for displaying the new tags on all motor vehicles.

The law applies to both state and town licenses for the vehicle owners who reside in Hertford.

R. C. Elliott, Town Clerk, is reminding Hertford automobile owners of the deadline for purchasing and displaying of 1963 plates and points out a town ordinance requires all Hertford vehicle owners to comply with the ordinance on or before the deadline. The tags are on sale at the clerk's office in the Hertford Municipal Building.

Penalty On Taxes Goes Into Effect On February 2nd

Perquimans County taxpayers are reminded by County Tax Collector J. K. White and Town Clerk R. C. Elliott that the tax books for 1962 are in their hands for collection of taxes.

Both tax collectors urge taxpayers to pay their taxes before the penalty goes into effect on February 1.

Dog Owners Must Purchase Licenses

Captain B. L. Gibbs of the Town Police Department of the Town of Hertford reminds all dog owners that the 1963 dog tags are now on sale at the Municipal Building.

All dogs are required to be tagged at all times or will be subject to being picked up and impounded for a period of three days. If impounded dog is not claimed at the end of three days, then said dog is disposed of.

A Look Backward

As "Proud In The Perquimans Weekly Files of Yesterday"

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Little Interest Shown In January Court Term: The January term of Superior Court for the trial of civil cases only, convened in Hertford on Monday, with Judge Thomas J. Shaw of Greensboro, presiding. While a number of cases had been placed on the calendar at this term, only a very small percent of them were actually tried, although several were disposed of by agreement.

240 Masons At District Meeting Held In Hertford

Charles C. Ricker, Grand Master of Masons of North Carolina, addressed 240 Master Masons of the First and Third Districts at a combined district meeting held in Perquimans Lodge No. 106 of Hertford at the Perquimans County High School Wednesday evening, January 16.

The meeting began at 5 P. M. in the afternoon with a meeting of the officers of the lodges in the First and Third District and the Grand Secretary Charles A. Harris, with Malachi D. Burgess, District Deputy Grand Master of the First Masonic District presiding. Clifton Williams, lecturer of the First District, spoke on the Grand Lodge Lecture Service available to the lodges and the schools of instruction held by the districts each year. G. D. Buck, 50-year Mason of Perquimans Lodge spoke to the brothers on the lodge systems of Masonic education. Mr. Harris, Grand Secretary, presented information concerning the dignity of conferring the work in the lodges and of Masons in general.

At 6 o'clock the meeting was closed and the brothers were fed by the host lodge with a very fine meal served by the Perquimans County High School PTA.

At 7:30 W. H. Batchelor, master of Perquimans Lodge, opened a Master Masons lodge, and received Malachi D. Burgess and Anderson Midgett, district deputies of the First and Third District, in true Masonic tradition of the office and presented Mr. Burgess the gavel with which he received distinguished guests consisting of W. J. Bundy, Past Grand Master; James W.

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Variety Of Cases In Recorder's Court

Alvah E. Cartwright, charged with driving on left side of road not in passing after operator's or chauffeur's license were suspended or revoked, was given six months on the roads in Perquimans Recorder's Court here Tuesday, presided over by Judge Charles E. Johnson.

Cartwright's driver's license was suspended for an additional time as already suspended. The road sentence was suspended upon payment of \$200 fine and costs, and good behavior as to driving an auto without license for a period of 12 months.

J. H. White paid the cost on a charge of driving on left side of highway not in passing.

Ruby L. Turner, charged with possession of tax-paid whiskey, paid a fine of \$10 and court costs.

Vincente B. Lbanly, charged

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Hertford Couple Married 58 Years Feb. 8



W. M. MORGAN

Congratulations and all good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Morgan of Church Street, Hertford, who will observe their 58th wedding anniversary on Friday, February 8, 1963.

The Morgans were married in 1905 right here in Perquimans County. They are one of the county's older married couples and are well known throughout the county and surrounding counties.

W. M. Morgan, who for 49 years has been known as "The Furniture Man," celebrates two anniversaries this month — his wedding anniversary of 58 years and his birthday on February 16. The furniture business must have been good for Mr. Morgan. He has birthdays just like the rest of us, the only thing is they just don't seem to age him. He is still active and greets you with a warm friendly smile when you enter his business here. If he feels bad at times you would never know.

Mrs. Morgan played an important part in the success of the "W. M. Morgan furniture

Grain Program Scheduled Feb. 6

There will be a meeting at the Feed Grain Program at the Agricultural Building on Wednesday, February 6 at 1:30 P. M. There have probably been more questions concerning this program this year than ever before on any specific program.

R. M. Thompson, County Extension chairman, states that the purpose of this meeting is to give each of you the information for you to be able to make up your mind on the amount of participation in the program that you do this year. From the conversation of several people, there is a great deal of misinformation about the Feed Grain Program and its changes, and it is felt that the more facts that you have, the better you will be able to make a decision that suits you as an individual.

"There will be plenty of time after the meeting for you to take these facts and figure out whether it is profitable for you to participate or not," further states Mr. Thompson.

The meeting will be held on the 6th of February is one that all grain producers should attend. There will be more information on this school at a later date.

Court Cancelled For Next Week

The death of Judge Malcolm Paul of Washington, N. C., who was to have been on the bench here next week for the January term of Perquimans Superior Court has cancelled the January term of court here.

The January session will be combined with the regular March civil term of court, the cases scheduled for the January term will be heard at that time.

member, and she explained to the importance of building tomorrow's homes. She reviewed the Home Demonstration Club members' creed and explained the different items while she urged us to review them often. We then explored the yearbook Reports were given of the loan fund by Mrs. Delvin Euse, music scholarship by Mrs. Melvin and education by Mrs. Leigh Flinchum.

The minutes were read and the roll called by the secretary. There were 15 members and one visitor present. The treasurer's report was given by Mrs. Jane Harrell, reporting a balance of \$8.93 in the treasury. Plans were made for a covered dinner in February, with Mrs. Jean Harrison as hostess. The hostesses were named for the year, and the yearbooks were filled out. The Collect was repeated in unison as the closing benediction.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Annette Lane Weds Curtis M. Trueblood

Sunday, January 20 at 5 P. M.

Her activities were generally confined to the book-keeping end of the business, beginning when the store opened here in Hertford on May 3, 1914. For over twenty years Mrs. Morgan assisted her husband in the business until her health began to fail, and to restore her to good health she retired from the store in 1939. Although her health hasn't been too good, considering being hospitalized last year for a while, Mrs. Morgan is active at home.

Editor's Note: The Morgans haven't planned any fanfare for the celebration of their 58th wedding anniversary, due to Mrs. Morgan not being too well, but it's our guess that everyone that reads this story will be wishing the Morgans a very "Happy Anniversary" because these people, through long years of honest endeavor, hard work and fair dealing, have built up the W. M. Morgan furniture business in which the entire community is proud and kindled friendship among all those that know them. Happy Anniversary "Mama and Papa Morgan."

Music Leaders Course Held

The goal of Extension service in leadership training is the development of people.

Mrs. Fred Mathews, county music leader, held a county music leader training and planning meeting January 17 from 10:40-12 o'clock at the Agricultural Building.

The following clubs were represented: Bethel by Mrs. Emmette Long and Mrs. Joe Ward; Bullhuck by Mrs. C. W. Reed; Show-Hill-White Hat by Mrs. John Harrison; Belvidere by Mrs. R. L. Stevenson; Helen Gaither by Mrs. Fred Mathews. Plans and goals for the 1963 music program were discussed and set up. We worked on new songs we want to learn this year.

Mrs. Mathews announced the spring music workshop for the district will be held at Rocky Hook Baptist Church February 26, beginning at 9 o'clock.

She urged all club music leaders to attend, also other interested people.

Personal qualifications of good

S & L Stockholders Meet February 13

A. W. Hefren, president of the Hertford Savings & Loan Association, announced today the annual meeting of stockholders of the Hertford Savings & Loan Association will be held Wednesday afternoon, February 13, 1963, at 2 P. M. at the office of the Association, located at 102 North Church Street (the old Hertford Banking Company Building) in Hertford.

This is a very important meeting called for the purpose of electing officers and directors of the ensuing year and transacting any other business that might come before the meeting.

C. of C. Points Out Importance Of Civic Clubs

Participation in civic clubs and organizations was cited Monday night by the Civic Committee of the Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce as an important factor in community betterment. The group went on record as endorsing community improvement projects by these clubs and urged more community participation in them.

Emmett Landing, Chairman of the Committee, stated that much of the work toward improvement of a community is done through civic club projects and that active support of these projects was vital to their success. "I would urge everyone who can to join a civic club as much for the benefits available to the member as for the benefits available to the community at large from active civic clubs."

Larry Aydtlett, Jr., Executive Manager of the Chamber said that the Chamber facilities would be available for practical help with such projects as the club involved desired it. He also urged civic organizations to take a more active interest in community affairs.

The Committee aired proposals for construction of a community center building on the Perquimans County recreation grounds on Grubb Street. Although a number of cost estimates were presented plans were not complete enough to permit an accurate estimate, according to a committee spokesman.

Scout Paper Drive Nets Over \$60

John Ward, Assistant Scoutmaster of the Hertford Boy Scouts extends his thanks to the people of the community for their cooperation in the paper drive conducted by the Hertford Scouts last Saturday.

Mr. Ward stated that a little over \$60.00 was netted in the drive, the proceeds from the sale of the paper to be used in purchasing of equipment for the Scouts.

An all-out effort is being made here to activate the Scout troops and a finance campaign just completed and headed up by W. W. "Bill" White as chairman and Mrs. Ray Haskett as co-chairman, resulted in a collection of \$604.50, the goal had been set for \$500.

The grown-ups are showing much interest in keeping the Scouts active and it's expected that the Hertford Scout roster will grow.

Birthdays

- January 29—Rotary Club, 6:15 Masonic Lodge Mrs. T. E. Madre Pamela Sawyer Sarah Faye Wood
 - January 30—Blanche Kanoy
 - January 31—American Legion Charles Eley
 - February 1—PCHS vs. Gates County 7:30, Here Johnny Wayland Byrum, Jr. Horace Miller Lenny Pentress
 - February 2—Mrs. T. G. Howard Mr. and Mrs. Odus Mansfield wedding anniversary
 - February 3—Bobby Riddick
 - February 4—County Commissioners First Methodist WSCS Edge Fields Anne Simpson Lester Keele Edna Winslow
 - February 5—Masonic Lodge Parkville Ruritan Rotary Club, 6:15 Henry C. Stokes, Jr. Lillian Dail
- TEACHING IN MARYLAND
Miss Mary Morris has accepted a teaching position on the faculty at Princess Ann, Maryland, where she assumed her duties this week.

Mothers' March Will Be Conducted In Hertford Tuesday Evening, Jan. 29

Capt. Winslow Aids In Airlift Near North Pole

Captain Dolan A. Winslow is a member participating in the 62nd TCW Supplies Party on ice near the North Pole.

Captain Winslow is the husband of Mary Sue Cook of Woodville and son of Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey A. Winslow of Route 1, Belvidere. He is the father of two children, a daughter Denise and a son, David.

Air Force C-124 Globemasters and crews of the 62nd Troop Carrier Wing today continued to race against sub zero Arctic weather conditions in an effort to replenish the dangerously low fuel oil supply of an American scientific expedition spending the winter on an ice island 300 miles south of the North Pole.

Two C-124s loaded with 20,000 pounds of diesel fuel oil roared off from the Elmendorf AFB shortly after dawn on Friday, November 16, and headed for the 3,600 mile round trip and airdrop of the fuel oil. A flight complete in just short of 18 hours, including a refueling stop for the C-124 at Eielson AFB on the return trip to Elmendorf.

The airlift, a joint effort by the Air Force, Army and Navy, will continue until 150,000 pounds of fuel has been successfully airdropped to the expeditionary party on a chunk of polar ice 1,800 miles north of Anchorage, Alaska. The airlift will consist of 250 barrels of diesel fuel and 50 barrels of aviation fuel and 50 gallon drums dropped five at a time in special airdrop containers. The mission, which was anticipated to take from two weeks to two months, depending on weather conditions, has been one-third completed.

Jan. 31 Deadline For Tax Listing

Perquimans County property owners are reminded today by Julian C. Powell that time for listing property for 1963 taxes is rapidly drawing to a close.

The law requires all property owners to list property for taxes by January 31 or failure to do so results in a penalty being charged against the property owner. The regular tax listing schedule appears elsewhere in this paper for your convenience. Consult it today and remember the regular tax listing period will end on January 31.

Biography Of R. B. Cox

(Continued From Last Week)

In last week's issue of The Perquimans Weekly we published the first half of an autobiography of R. B. Cox, a native of Perquimans County who lived in Hertford in the mid 1800's. Today we will conclude the story.

The crops had all been planted and most of the Negroes had remained at home working steadily until about the time of my arrival. The Freedman's Bureau had just been started and the Negroes finding they were their own master, quit work. Several small Negro boys were left on the farm with one or two old men.

The wealth of the South previous to the war was in land and slaves. The possession of either gave standing and position, although as a general rule land gives a higher social position, still the increase of the Negroes was so rapid and the availability of it in the way of sale, hire or use, it became a favored investment of those owning large estates, particularly where there were daughters to give the landed estate to the sons and the Negroes to the daughters

An army of Perquimans women will be knocking on every door in the county Tuesday evening, January 29 in the 25th anniversary March of Dimes Mother's March.

All of the volunteers in the March of Dimes Mother's March know how important the job is, even though it will take only an hour or so of her time. Every woman realizes that her efforts will help people to give for the life of a child.

Every Marching Mother also knows that the research program financed by the March of Dimes means a great deal to every family in this county. She knows that the March of Dimes research program produced two polio vaccines which are right now protecting her children against this crippling disease.

This same research program has been expanded to include support of the Salk Institute for Biological Studies, being built in San Diego, Calif. The Institute, to be directed by Dr. Jonas Salk, developer of the first effective vaccine against polio, will be a center where world famous scientists will live and work, seeking basic information which may be applicable against a variety of human ailments, ranging from the common cold to cancer.

Mrs. John Beers, director for the Perquimans County March of Dimes, said, "Just about every person in this county will be visited by a neighbor next Tuesday evening, and we sincerely urge you to give generously for the life of a child."

Mary Lee Glenn At Nurse Meeting

Mary Lee Glenn of Route 3, Hertford, was among the approximately 31 members of the Nurses Club in the School of Nursing at East Carolina College, who attended at Rex Hospital in Raleigh the District VI Student Nurses Association meeting, held on Thursday, January 17.

The Student Nurses Association, a professional organization, serves as a channel of communication between state, national and international student nurses. There are five schools in nursing for District VI, which includes Rex Hospital, Eastern N. C. Sanatorium, Wilson; Park View Hospital, Rocky Mount; Leinor Memorial Hospital, Kinston, and East Carolina College.

Miss Glenn represented East Carolina College at this bi-monthly meeting of the Nurses Club. She is a graduate of Perquimans County High School and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn of Route 3, Hertford.

because of a ready income and less trouble. This, of course, gave the possession of Negro property high social position. Negro men usually hired out January 1st for twelve months, frequently at public auction. A great many slaves would select those to whom they wished to be hired by promise of good conduct and faithful service induce them to hire them.

The hospitality of the South at this time was unbounded. The South was exporting with money coming in and comparatively little going out, that is when good crops were made. A man had no immediate use for the money preferred a good note at 8% interest. These notes were based upon land or Negro value, yet it was a man of very bad character or a very poor neighbor who would not go security for a neighbor who had neither. It was a network of "I owe you" in the shape of promissory notes, which pervaded all classes of our people. The results of the war, all the notes were left and only the land to back it.

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