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Winslow Parrish House Dedication At Holy Trinity Episcopal Church April 20

The new Parish House of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, completed recently, was dedicated Saturday, April 20.

Service for the dedication of Winslow Parish House was by the Right Reverend Thomas H. Wright, D.D., Bishop of East Carolina and the local church rector, the Rev. Edwin F. Moseley.

Prayers appropriate for the dedication were made. During the singing of the hymn "The Church's Foundation," the choir and congregation proceeded to the walkway, which was dedicated to the glory of God and in loving memory of Catherine Winslow Hudson. Then all entered the Parish House, which was dedicated to the glory of God in loving memory of Martha Leigh Winslow and Ellen Winslow McCallum. An altar for the older children and adults of the Church School was dedicated to the glory of God and in loving memory of Frank Nixon Jessup. An altar for the small children was dedicated to the glory of God and in loving memory of Penelope Norcom and Rachael Harvey.

The Rev. E. F. Moseley is rector of the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church. Mrs. H. A. Whitley is organist. The vestry consists of Dr. Allan Bonner, senior warden; Charles Payne, junior warden; Nathaniel Fulford, Herbert Nixon, Julian Winslow and Joe Towe, Jr.

The building committee for the new Parish House was composed of ex-officio, the Rev. E. F. Moseley, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Winslow, Walter Oakey, Charles Campen, Mrs. Silas Wiedbee, and Mrs. Charlotte Umphlett.

The late J. J. Rowland, who died February 17, 1963, was the architect. Lewis Byrum and Trader Construction Company was the contractor for the new building.

First Tetanus Clinic May 1st

The first of the two tetanus immunization clinics being sponsored by the Parkville Ruritan Club and the Hertford Jaycees will be held Wednesday, May 1 at 6:30 o'clock to 9:30 and will be held in the Winfall Community Building.

The tetaenus shots are free to everyone in Perquimans County and it is hoped by the Parkville Ruritan Club, the Hertford Jaycees and the Perquimans County Medical Society that all the residents of the county will take advantage of this free clinic. It costs you nothing but your time. The clubs are footing the bill and Dr. R. L. Poston and Dr. T. P. Brinn are giving of their time to conduct this clinic.

Dr. R. L. Poston will have charge of the first clinic to be held on Wednesday night from 6:30 until 9:30. Dr. T. P. Brinn will conduct the clinic to be held on May 16.

Perquimans residents of all ages are urged to take advantage of the free injections, to help protect you from possible lockjaw commonly a fatal disease entirely preventable to those immunized or who need only the booster shot. Spring and summer months bring about accidents, which could give you lockjaw. Protect yourself, show up at the clinic Wednesday night for your shots. Meet us in Winfall at the Community Puilding 6:30 until 9:30, the time is important, so attend the clinic during the hours listed. See you there.

Episcopal Rector Honored Sunday

On Sunday last St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Kinston, honored its long time rector, the Rev. Edward F. Moseley, now rector of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Hertford, by dedicating its new parish hall in his honor. The Right Rev. Thomas H. Wright, D.D., Bishop of the Diocese of East Carolina, presided at the dedication and the unveiling of the commemorative plaque reading:

"Moseley Hall
To the Glory of God
And in memory of Edwin Fountain Moseley
1933 - 1959
By whose devoted and untiring efforts this church was erected."

Mr. Moseley graduated from Oxford University, Cambridge, England, as a Rhodes Scholar and subsequently served four years as a Methodist Missionary deep in the interior of China. Among his other services of that

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Superior Court Ends Thursday

The April term of Perquimans County Superior Court was concluded here Thursday. The mixed term of criminal and civil court was presided over by Judge Elbert S. Peele, Jr., of Williamston.

Clarence Twiford, charged with larceny, no operator's license, escape and simple assault, was given a 24 month jail sentence to be assigned to the roads for work under the supervision of the State Highway and Public Works Commission. It was recommended that Twiford be given psychiatric care and treatment.

Cleveland Sutton, charged with breaking and entering and larceny, was given a six months sentence on each county; to be assigned to the roads for work under the supervision of the State Highway and Public Works Commission, sentence to run consecutively.

Elijah Privott ,charged with forgery, aid and abetting, pleaded guilty. It was ordered by the court that Privott be con-

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EASTERN STAR MEETING

The Hertford Chapter of the Eastern Star will meet Monday night, April 29, at 8 o'clock in the Masonic Lodge room in the Perquimans County Court House.

Episcopal Church First Week Winner In Clean-up Drive

The Holy Trinity Episcopal Church has been named winner of the first week under the Clean-up — Paint-up — Fix-up campaign sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. Rev. E. F. Moseley, pastor, has received the check for $10 on behalf of the congregation.

The church was named this week's winner on the basis of ground improvements around the new addition and not for the new addition. The 217 points came from such improvements as the amount of grass sown, walks trimmed, curbs trimmed, shrubs planted (60), dead trees removed, stumps removed, etc. Other landscaping including a parking area to accommodate 25 cars next to the Parish House was listed in the total points.

Each week for the four weeks of the campaign a winner will be awarded $10 based on weekly property improvements. Any home or business within the county is eligible and entry sheets may be obtained from merchants or the Chamber of pal Building. All entries must Commerce office in the Municibe received by the Chamber of Commerce on Friday 12 o'clock P. M., each week.

Dr. Fink Mental Health Speaker

Dr. Robert Fink, consultant, mental health section of the North Carolina State Board of Health, will meet Thursday, April 25, with the county commissioners from the four-county area and all interested persons, to discuss the proposed mental health clinic for this area.

The meeting is being held in the new Winslow Memorial Parish House of the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church in Hertford.

Funds have already been made available for the establishment of a mental health clinic in this area, provided local funds are raised and there is local desire for the establishment of such a clinic.

The establishment of the clinic depends on the action of the participating counties—Camden, Perquimans and Chowan. The Pasquotank County Commissionsr have designated funds for the clinic for the fiscal year beginning July 1, if the other counties do likewise.

Reed Matthews In Charity Game

Reed Matthews has been selected to play in the Lake Waccamaw Boys' Home Charity game on August 9 at East Carolina College.

The game is a charity competition between a team of football stars selected from high school teams in the northeastern part of North Carolina and a team of football stars selected from high schools in the southeastern part of the state. The proceeds from the game will be used for the benefit of the Lake Waccamaw Boys' Home.

This honor was accorded Matthews, a member of the trophy winning Perquimans High football team, for his excellent record as a fullback. His repeated powerhouse slams into enemy defense lines gained valuable yards and points for the Indians.

A Look Backward

As Found In The Perquimans Weekly Files of Yesteryear

MAY 1938

Senior Class Names Year's Superlatives: The superlatives of the Senior Class of Perquimans High School, as elected this week are as follows: Prettiest girl, Esther Ward; handsomest boy, Kenneth Hendren; best all-around boy, Tim Brinn; best all-around girl, Prue Newby; most attractive girl, Naomi Spivey; most attractive boy, Carlton Barclift; cutest girl, Mary Wood Koonce; cutest boy, Carlton Barclift; best dressed girl, Edith Everett; best dressed boy, Jesse Lee Harris; most popular girl, Edith Everett; most popular boy,

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Nine Candidates Seeking Office In Election Which Will Be Held On April 29

Hertford voters will have a selection of nine candidates to chose from when they go to the polls here on Monday, April 29, to select a mayor and four commissioners.

Candidates seeking office are: V. N. Darden, seeking re-election to the mayor's office and opposing him is Emmett Landing.

For the four seats as Town Commissioners W. A. (Billy) White and Henry C. Sullivan, both seeking re-election on the board. Other candidates are John Beers, Willie F. Ainsley, J. W. Dillon. Erie Haste, Jr., and C. C. Winslow. Therefore, there are four seats available and seven candidates seeking a seat on the Hertford Town Council.

The primary election will be held Monday, April 29, at the Perquimans County Court House in Hertford. The polls will open at 6:30 A. M. and close at 6:30 P. M. 'Registrar is Mrs. Mattie A. White; judges, Mrs. Francis Nixon and David Pritchard.

The high candidate for mayor and the first four high candidates for commissioner will be placed upon a ballot for the regular election to be held on May 7.

Hertford's Fire Chief Seeks Help

R. C. "Bobby" Elliott, Hertford Fire Chief, is asking the help of the residents of Perquimans County. He urgently requests that when residents of the county call in to report a fire that they give the number of the road on which they are located.

The State Highway Department has erected signs at all rural roads with numbers of the roads on them. If the persons reporting a fire will give that number when they make a fire call it will enable the fire department to reach its destination much quicker and possibly will cut the destruction of the fire by the department being able to locate the fire by the road number.

Chief Elliott stated that in some cases the department has lost time in arriving at fires in the county due to directions given when the calls are made. So, please, when you call the Fire Department to report a fire, give your road number. Go out right now, if you don't already know your number and write it down where it will be handy in case you have to report a fire.

Senior Class Play On Friday Night

The Senior Class of Perquimans High School will present its annual dramatic production at 8 o'clock on Friday night, April 26 in the high school auditorium. The public is invited to attend this presentation; admission will be fifty cents for adults and twenty-five cents for students.

The play is a comedy entitled "Let Me Out of Here". Practice for the play, under the direction of Mrs. Fenton Britt, has been in progress for the past month.

The cast of the play features Verna Ann Perry, Betsy Barbee, Carolyn Rogerson, Becky Felton, Philip Lane, Vick Roach, Jim-

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David Wold Hurt In Auto Accident

David Wold, 26, of 315 N. Church Street, Hertford, was charged with exceeding a safe speed as result of a one-car accident which caused some estimated $350 damage to his 1961 Ford Falcon.

Wold was driving toward Rabbit Corner Friday afternoon on Halls Creek Road in Pasquotank County, when he ran off the left side, traveled 500 feet, hit a culvert which threw him to the other side of the road, hit a driveway entrance and buried the nose of the car in a sand bank, according to State Trooper Charles Elliott, investigating officer.

Besides the damage to his car, Wold suffered a few abrasions about his face.

AUXILIARY MEETS MAY 2

The Prequimans County Chapter of the American Legion Auxiliary will meet Thursday night, May 2, with Mrs. Annie Miller at her home in Woodland Circle.

All members are urged to be present for this meeting.

Indians Suffer Season's First Loss

The Plymouth Panthers took the Perquimans Indians for their first defeat on Friday, April 19. The Panthers pulled in five runs to better the Indians score of three.

Ray Nobles pitched the length of the game for the Panthers, allowing six hits, striking out six and walking five. Freddie Combs started on the mound for Perquimans and allowed four hits and one walk, and struck out three. Jimmy Hunter came to the mound in the fourth inning; he allowed one hit and struck out seven.

The Indians opened the game by scoring three runs. Freddie Combs doubled to centerfield and advanced to third on a ground out to first. Francis Combs doubled to centerfield to score Freddie. Then Gene Nixon doubled to centerfield to score Francis Combs. A fourth run-making double, this one by Alvin Kirby, scored Nixon to round out Perquimans' three runs for the game.

The Panthers immediately sought revenge with two tallies in the bottom of the first inning. Tim Long advanced to first on a hit batsman. Bob Hall

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Sawyer President Of Beagle Club

Carl Sawyer was elected president of the Albemarle Beagle Club at a recent meeting; Joe Tunnel will serve as vice president; Jimmy Sawyer, secretary and treasurer; Jack Phillips, assistant secretary; Field Marshals are Ed Benton and Ben Owens.

The Albemarle Beagle Club will hold a field trial on Sunday, April 28, at the running grounds just outside of Hertford on the Brinn farm.

The 13-inch class will be drawn at 7:30 A. M., and the 15-inch class will be drawn at 1:00 P. M. All dogs will be measured thirty minutes before each drawing.

Entry fee will be $2.00 per dog. You do not have to be a club member to enter a dog at this trial, it was announced by the president.

PTA School To Be Held April 27

The Rev. F. L. Andrews announced today that the annual School of Instruction for District I Parent-Teacher Congress will be held in Hertford on Saturday, April 27, at the King Street Elementary School beginning at 9:30 and lasting through 12:30.

The theme will be "Drop-outs—the Cause and Remedy".

Participating in the program will be Dr. George Walker, of the State Teachers College and Dr. Louise Sutton, head of the Department of Science at State Teachers College. Also the youth will present a skit entitled "The Great Anniversary".

IN NEW POSITION

Ralph E. Winslow has accepted a position in the sales department of the Winslow-Blanchard Motor Company here.

Mr. Winslow assumed his duties as car salesman last week.

Jurors For Dare Court Scheduled To Leave By Bus

The sixty residents of Perquimans County whose names were drawn to serve as jurors for a special term of Superior Court in Dare County, which convenes on Monday, April 29, are scheduled to meet at the Hertford Bus Station at 7:30 for trip by bus to their destination.

A special term of Dare County Superior Court is scheduled to begin April 29th in the Court House, for the trial of Edwin G. Moore III, who is charged in three separate bills of indictment with the unlawful burning of the Parkerson Hotel at Nags Head April 25, 1961. The case has been postponed for more than two years because of indecision as to where it should be tried.

The case was scheduled for a special session last June 8th, over which Judge Henry Stevens was presiding. Judge Stevens, however, decided against a previous ruling by Judge Chester Morris, in which Judge Morris refused to let the case be moved to another county after the defense counsel claimed that Moore could not get a fair trial in Dare County.

Judge Stevens ruled that the case be transferred to Pasquotank County. An appeal by the State Solicitor to the State Supreme Court resulted in a reversal of Judge Stevens' ruling, and finally the case is to be held in Dare County with a jury from Perquimans County.

According to Clerk of Court Chauncey Meekins, a list of sixty names as a selected jury is now in his hands. He has no information as yet as to which of the persons are to be excused.

Morgan's Observes 49th Anniversary

The W. M. Morgan Furniture Company here is this week celebrating its 49th anniversary of the business in Hertford.

Each year since W. M. Morgan founded the store in 1914 the store has observed the anniversary with an annual sale during the month of May. Mr. Morgan invites the public to visit the store during the anniversary sale.

ATTEND FLORIDA MEETING

Mrs. Sylvia W. Winslow and Miss Mildred Pate, supervisor of Gates County schools, accompanied Miss Annie Maie Murray of East Carolina College on Friday, April 19 to Miami Beach, Fla., to attend the Association Childhood Education International convention.

The theme for the week's convention that drew educators from all parts of this and several foreign countries will be "Essentials For Every Child."

Birthdays

April 23—
Rotary Club, 6:15
Masonic Lodge
R. C. Murray
Evelyn Fields
Carl Sawyer
Susan Rogerson
J. W. Hampton

April 24—
Jaycee Dinner
Rolac Webb
Jo Hunter

April 25—
Bethel Ruritan
American Legion
Garland Eure
Betty Carol Broughton

April 26—
Nathan Sawyer
Irene Byrum
Rachel Bass
Susanne Towe
Welly White

April 27—
Lynne Marie Rose
Dina Beers
Pearl Chalk

April 28—
Michael Winslow
Mrs. Willie Lamb

April 29—
First Meth. Official Board
Mary Beth Hurdle
Gail Pearce
Etta Turner
C. D. White

First One Hundred Years Attracts Capacity Crowd In Court House Saturday

"Perquimans' First One Hundred Years," an historical drama, was presented Saturday night to an over-flow crowd at the Perquimans County Court House. The drama was a series of tableaux based on old records and documents found in the Court House, such as the first deed on record in Carolina, that of the sale of land to George Durant by Kilcocanen, king of the Yeopim Indians in March, 1661. Other scenes included the first Justice of the Peace Commission and Apprentice Bond, a land gront from the eight Lords Proprietors to William Barclift, the first suit in a Court of Chancellory, a marriage bond, a guardian bond, a license for an Ordinary (or tavern), an act establishing the Town of Hertford and a Quaker petition that asked that Quakers be excused from jury duty.

The Rev. Fred Still narrated the program in the role of the ghost of George Durant. Carroll Berry acted as Clerk of Court and presiding over the court was the Hon. Francis E. Winslow of Rocky Mount, chairman of the Carolina Charter Tercentenary Commission. Following the drama Mr. Winslow made a closing statement.

The drama was written by Mrs. J. Emmett Winslow of Hertford with an introduction by Bill Sharpe of Raleigh. It was directed by A. Laurence Aydlett, Jr., and sponsored by the Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce.

An estimated 400 to 500 persons saw the presentation with more standing outside the Court House door or looking in through the windows.

Teachers Elected For Local Schools For 1963-64 Term

Members of the Board of Education for Perquimans County met in special session on Friday night, April 19, with all members present and approved the election of principals and teachers for the schools for the 1963-64 school term.

The board met jointly with the district school committee to witness the members taking the oath of office and organization of the committee.

Carroll Williams was elected chairman of the district school committee and Mrs. Thelma Rogerson was elected secretary.

The superintendent, J. T. Biggers, discussed briefly laws concerning the school committee, their duties and powers.

Harry Winslow appeared before the board in behalf of his brother, Waldo Winslow, to discuss an insurance claim.

Perquimans County Representative Archie Lane, Sr., sent the board copies of several bills now before the General Assembly. After reading portions of the bills and discussing them

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Historic Group Meets In Greenville

The North Carolina Historic Coast Line Association met in Greenville, N. C., Monday, April 22. Representatives from Hertford were Mrs. J. Emmett Winslow and A. L. Aydlett, Jr.

John W. Crawford of the Conservation and Development was elected director.

The constitution was read by Glen Tucker. The by-laws were not ready.

Appointed were:

1—By-laws Committee.

2—Organization Committee.

3—Executive Committee, which will be the Membership Committee.

Memberships for the organization were discussed:

1—Brochure ideas were presented.

2—Suggested "Blue Ridge Parkway" brochure as a model.

3—A full time executive secretary will eventually be necessary.

Types of memberships suggested were:

1—Individual.

2—Business.

3 — Non-profit organizations (Chambers of Commerce, Historical Societies, etc.)

4—Sustaining memberships.

Governor Sanford was present and made a short talk.

New Bern was designated as the next meeting place.

'64 Wheat Program Topic Of Meeting

A meeting to explain the 1964 Wheat Program will be held at the Agricultural Building in Hertford Wednesday night, May 1, at 7:30 o'clock. All wheat producers are encouraged to attend and hear the program discussed by the District ASCS Fieldman, W. R. Carver.

Wheat farmers who wish to participate in the program for 1964 and vote in the referendum on May 21 must state their intentions by May 13, therefore, it is important that they have an understanding of the program.

Mrs. D. M. Jackson Costume Winner

Mrs. D. M. Jackson of Hertford won first place for colonial costuming at Dare Shrine Club Saturday night. A new buccaneer king and queen, David Stick of Kitty Hawk and Delores Ward of Manteo were announced during the Jamboree Feast of the Pirates at Dare Shrine Club Saturday night after being selected by a secret committee which designated them as man and woman of the year on Dare coast.

The Jamboree coronation ceremonies will take place at Fort Raleigh on May 11. William Davis of Kitty Hawk and Mrs. D. M. Jackson of Hertford, won first place for their colonial costumes while Ann McGraw of Kitty Hawk and E. Burton Lightner of Hampton, Va., won first place for the best pirate costumes.

River Surveyed By Highway Commission

The State Highway Commission brought in a ferry from the Outer Banks this week and began surveying the river from the highway near the Oak Point Service Station across for the proposed bridge that will cross the water in the event the road goes in that direction.

Three other points have been surveyed, in other directions of the county already.

BOARD OF EDUCATION WILL MEET APRIL 29

The Perquimans County Board of Education will meet Monday night, April 29, in the Court House. The budget for 1963-64 school term will be discussed at this meeting.

Betsy Barbee Is Outstanding 1962 Teenager In Perquimans

The Hertford Junior Chamber of Commerce Wednesday night at 7 o'clock installed a new slate of officers for the coming year and honored the recipient of its teenager of the year award in a special ladies' night banquet held at the new Winslow Memorial Parish House at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church. The group was served dinner by members of the St. Catherine's Auxiliary of the church.

Betsy Barbee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Barbee of Hertford, was chosen as the outstanding teenager of Perquimans County. Some of the achievements that led to her selection for the award: She is president of the senior class, president of Future Homemakers of America Club, school pianist and Glee Club accompanist, a member of the Beta Club, on the staff of the school year book and member of the Student Council. She was chosen as Student of the Month during the school year, also was selected to represent Perquimans as a maid of honor in this year's anniversarry celebration of the International Azalea Festival in Norfolk April 15-21 of this year.

Officers installed at the banquet were: President, Hilliary Scaff; vice president, Don Norman; secretary, Welly White; treasurer, Sid Harrison; state director, Dave Hallock; board of directors, Walter Humphlett, chairman, Charlie Skinner and Sherman Long.

Work Rapidly Progressing On Water Line To Annexed Area

Work began this week and is moving at a rapid pace on the new water line to the newly annexed section just south of Hertford on the Hertford-Edenton Highway. Mayor V. N. Darden stated Wednesday that he was very pleased with the progress being made on this project.

Virginia-Electric Power Company gave the Town of Hertford the land on which the deep wells are located near the Power Company's sub-station on Rabbit Road just off U. S. 117 south of Hertford, and the Norfolk-Southern Railroad gave the right-of-ways to the town.