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Plans Shaping Up For Market Hog Show-Sale Wednesday, February 12

The Market Hog Show and Sale is only about a month away, being scheduled for Wednesday, February 12. Now is the time to start looking around to see if you have hogs that you could enter in this Market Hog Show and Sale.

These hogs should be either barrows or gilts and weigh between 180-200 pounds and grade either No. 1 or No. 2. Hogs that grade No. 2 cannot be shown but will be sold. The purpose of this type show and sale is to encourage farmers to produce good grade hogs as they are usually the most economical to grow, and also to show people what quality is as far as hogs are concerned and to advertise to the packers and other persons connected with processing the fact that we grow hogs in the Albemarle area that are as good as can be grown in any other region.

"It is hoped that if you have hogs that will qualify as far as weight and grade is concerned, that you will be thinking about entering them in this show and sale. Each farmer is entitled to enter 9 hogs in classes of 5-3 and 1 and if there is a 4-H or FFA members in the family, and they have hogs, they are also entitled to enter 9. Be sure and keep this date in mind, because if you do have hogs to show it is very possible that you would like to come out and see this show and sale," states R. M. Thompson, County Extension chairman.

Perquimans Votes 911 to 110 For Little Federal Plan

Perquimans County residents favored the icy cold grip to go to the polls here Tuesday and voted 911 for the Little Federal amendment to an opposed 110. The Little Federal amendment lost, however, by a huge majority in other parts of the state. The amendment would have given one Representative to each of the state's 100 counties. Now there is one for each county and 20 others based on population. In the Senate the amendment would have increased the number from 50 to 70. The other amendment voted on here Tuesday was for women's property rights. This went over in a landslide with 780 for and only 123 against.

Cub Scouts Visit Chenoweth Home

Mrs. Troy Elliott, den mother for Den 1, Pack 155 visited the plantation home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Chenoweth, Route 1, Belvidere.

The six Scouts, Larry Chappell, Billy Stallings, Wayne White, Van Harris, Andy Elliott and Clay Kirby, enjoyed the visit very much. They also had an extra treat. Mrs. Inglis Fletcher, sister of Mrs. Chenoweth, talked with them and autographed each boy's Scout book.

Student Teacher Is Impressed With Hospitality In Hertford

Miss Carol Aldridge, currently student teaching at Perquimans County High School, is from Harrisburg, North Carolina, and is living here with the Willie Ainsley family. She is a senior in home economics education at East Carolina College. Miss Aldridge commented, "I am very impressed with the hospitality of the people in Hertford. Everyone has been extremely friendly, making me feel quite at home. I'm already looking forward to returning in the spring to enjoy a new view of the beautiful river." Her hobbies are art and tennis. Miss Aldridge's activities at East Carolina in the past two years have been:

Wheels of Justice Turn In Hertford On Election Day

Perquimans County Recorder's Court was in session here Tuesday in spite of it being election day. Court was held in the Hertford Municipal Building with Judge Charles E. Johnson presiding.

George Lee Morris, charged with driving without due caution and at a speed or in a manner so as to endanger or be likely to endanger any person or property, was fined \$25 and taxed with court costs.

Will Paul Staples, charged with improper brakes, paid the court costs.

Joseph B. Perry, Jr., charged with failing to dim lights when meeting traffic, paid the court costs.

Ervin R. Ferebee, Luther Burse and Milton Earl Bunch, charged with speeding, each paid fines of \$10.25 plus the court costs.

James Harrell, Jr., charged with failing to drive on right half of highway and failing to report an accident immediately as required by law, was fined \$10 and taxed with the court costs.

Thomas Shelton White was taxed with court costs on a charge of disobeying a stop sign.

Marshall Sutton, charged with using the wrong traffic lane, paid the court costs.

Craftsman Fair April 15 and 16

The Albemarle Craftsman Fair is to be April 15 and 16. If you have a craft that you would like to submit for screening, please contact Mrs. Ila Grey White, Home Economics Agent. Each new craft is to be presented to a screening committee on January 24. Persons who have participated in the fair in years past are not required to submit an example for screening. Mrs. White will make arrangements for persons in Perquimans County to submit items for screening. The craft may be exhibited or demonstrated at the Fair.

The purpose of the Albemarle Craftsman Fair is to increase the appreciation for fine craftsmanship and to provide an opportunity for persons to sell crafts.

Swine School Planned Jan. 30

There will be a Swine School at the Agricultural Building on Monday night, January 20. This school will start at 7:30 and Jack Kelly, head of the Extension Livestock Department, will conduct this meeting.

The one that was scheduled for Monday night, January 12, was cancelled because the men who were to hold this particular meeting could not get out of Raleigh due to the snow and ice, but this one will be held at a later date.

The subject of brood sows and boars will be discussed in more detail than in schools held previously, as the whole meeting will be taken up in this one subject.

R. M. Thompson, County Extension chairman, states that "We feel like you would receive more information by attending meetings like this than like you have been attending in the past, where it was all covered at one session." Schools held on the next Monday nights are feeding; diseases and swine management. "It is our hope that all of you that are interested in swine will make a real effort to attend all of these meetings."

Crewel Workshop Taught In Hertford

Would you like to learn Crewel Embroidery? Workshops will be taught by Mrs. T. P. Brinn. If you are interested, please contact the County Home Economics Agent, Mrs. Ila Grey White, for further information. The workshops will be the latter part of January.

Scrutinize Occupational Outlook Handbook



Dr. Allan Bonner, chairman of Perquimans County Board of Education, Joe Dempsey, principal of Perquimans Union School, Ike P. Perry, principal at Perquimans County High School and Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce president Marion Swindell are shown looking through the new Occupational Outlook Handbook. Copies of the 800-page Occupational Outlook Handbook 1963-64, put out by the Labor Department, were presented to the Perquimans High and Union Schools by the Chamber of Commerce. The book is one of the best tools yet for the befuddled teenager unable to decide what to become in life. It furnishes definitions and salary ranges for nearly 700 kinds of jobs. The book devotes about 20 pages to analyzing the job market.

Money From Seals Help Make Tests

Because of certain concern over diseases that severely threaten the very of life, scientists at the North Carolina Sanatorium at McCain Sanatorium are engaging in some special investigations.

They are seeking the answers to some unanswered questions regarding certain other respiratory diseases and their relationship to tuberculosis.

According to Dr. W. H. Gentry, associate superintendent of the Sanatorium, emphysema, chronic bronchitis, asthma, silicosis and bronchiectasis are among the diseases found in addition to tuberculosis.

The patients, a group of adults seen in special clinics, get routine tests to determine breathing, tapidity, chest X-rays, tuberculin skin tests and physical examinations.

Approximately 1,000 tests have been made since July. The completed study is expected to include more than 2,000 patients.

The study is helped financially by the Tuberculosis Association through Christmas Seals.

Home Ec Teachers Meet In Hertford

"Developing Concepts in Child Development" was the topic of the regular Albemarle home economics teachers' meeting at Perquimans County High School in Hertford Thursday, January 9. Mrs. Edna Reeves from John A. Holmes High School was in charge of the program discussing content, activities, teaching materials and evaluation devices for teaching child development in Home Economics I, Home Economics II and Home Economics III. Mrs. Jean Alexander of Creswell High School and Mrs. Mary Ann Combs of Columbia High School served as hostesses for the meeting.

Other teachers attending the meeting were Miss Grace Whitman from Elizabeth City High School, Miss Frances Newby from Perquimans High School, Miss Sandra Rountree from Manteo High School, Mrs. Evelyn Willey from Gates County High School, Mrs. Carol Lewis from J. P. Knapp High School, Mrs. Pat Griffin from Central High School, Mrs. Loraine Rogerson from Chowan High School, Mrs. Frances Warren from Camden County High School, Miss Carolyn Brinkley from Plymouth High School.

Student teachers attending were Miss Carol Aldridge, Hertford; Brenda Reges, Edenton and Delores Tudor, Plymouth.

The battalion is a unit of the Second Marine Division, Fleet Marine Force at Camp Lejeune, N. C. This constant training is designed to insure combat readiness and military effectiveness of the Marine military force.

Birthdays

- January 13— Mr. and Mrs. Joe Layden, Sr. wedding anniversary Howard Milton Long Kathryn L. Williams Guy McCracken J. T. Lane Mrs. Mary E. Winslow Herman Caddy January 14— Lucious Winslow Nancy Mathews January 15— Albert Eure Helen Morgan Judy Long Franklin McGoogan, Jr. Carson Spivey, Sr. January 16— Suzanne S. Bunch Tommy Sawyer Evelyn Hurdle Helen Winslow January 17— Frances P.monds January 18— Connie Sawyer Peggy Simpson Celtic Skinner Susan Cox Warren Nowell January 19— Joe Towe White, Jr. Ruby Coleman Rufus Proctor Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Umphlett wedding anniversary Sally Peters Rose Phillips January 20— No birthdays January 21— Beatrice Evans Buddy Tilley Wayne Ivey January 22— Matt Spivey, Jr. Mrs. Jack Hunter Mrs. Simon Chappell Charles E. White, Jr. Mrs. Ralph White Kelvin Williams Terry Kenton Kent Insoce Sadie Eure Rickie Owens Mrs. Seth Umphlett January 23— Tom Byrum Elsberry Wheelbee, Jr. Julian H. Broughton Bill Boyce Willis Williams Elizabeth B. Ward January 24— Wanda Kaye Owens Anna Elizabeth Winslow Darlene Felton Bobby Tilley Bill Cox Stephen Graham January 25— Fenton Eure, Sr. Darryl Morgan Mrs. Tom Byrum J. A. Bray.

FIRE DAMAGES LANDING HOME ON SUNDAY NIGHT

The Hertford Fire Department was called out Sunday night at 9:45 to the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Landing where a furnace explosion did extensive damage. The fire originated in a closet in the home where the furnace was located and fire spread between the walls to the attic of the home, doing fire and smoke damage.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fowler who have an apartment on the second floor of the home, lost clothing stored in a closet above the furnace.

Chinese Chow Features Of 4-H Leaders Meeting

A Chinese chow climaxed the 4-H adult leaders training and program planning meeting which was held Thursday at the Agricultural Building. Nine community 4-H clubs were represented by 16 leaders who evaluated the 4-H work of 1963. Communities' needs and 4-Hers' interests were incorporated in the 1964 year's plan of work to include International Relations, Learning About and Respecting Our American Flag, Health-Physical Fitness and Recreation, Manners and Subject Matter Material in Clothing, Nutrition, Field Crops, Electric and other projects.

Mrs. Paige L. Underwood, Associate Home Economics Agent, presented a demonstration on International Relations, introducing the United Nations, and featuring the country of China. Missouri Ann Batesman and Brenda Wood, 4-Hers of the Greenwood Community Club, assisted Mrs. Underwood in decorating for the Chinese study and luncheon. Chinese characters, dragons, lanterns and dolls set the atmosphere for luncheon which was served with chopsticks. Leaders were encouraged to ask members of their local clubs to choose a country and then prepare a short report to present before the club sharing facts about the way of life in other countries. A kit was assembled for leaders' use and many clubs will begin their new year with an international relations study.

All youth from 9-21 are invited to join a 4-H Club. Mr. Brown and Mrs. Underwood, Extension Agents, state that there are many opportunities available for boys and girls who join a local club in 1964.

Perquimans High Defeated Twice

Bertie defeated Perquimans High School Wednesday night in an Albemarle Conference double bill.

The Bertie girls came through 34 to 12 after a 12-6 first half lead. Peele with 11 points and Baughman 10 led the winners while Cox was high for Perquimans with 3 tallies.

The Bertie boys won 47 to 43 after leading 24-21 at half time. Mitchell with 15 points and Alston 11 led Bertie's attack. Freddie Combs turned in 17 and Nixon 10 for Perquimans.

Plymouth's Panthers scored a double Albemarle Conference victory over Perquimans here last Friday night.

The Plymouth boys won 80 to 64 after leading 42 to 34 at half time. Hall, with 23 points, led the Panther scoring, followed by Columbia with 10 and C. Gardner 8. Freddie Combs had 20, Francis Combs 12 for Perquimans.

The Plymouth girls triumphed 32 to 19. Edwards with 10 and Ferguson 9 paced the winners. Sutton had 7 for Perquimans.

Hertford Town Board Signs 10-Year Contract With VEPCO For Current

Janice Stanton In Concert At ECC

The East Carolina College Choral Union presented Bach's "Weihnachts Oratorium," a Christmas oratorio, on Sunday, January 12, at 3:30 P. M. in the Wright auditorium.

Under the direction of George V. Cripps, the 126-voice group joined with the East Carolina Orchestra for the six-part musical program. David Serrins, faculty member in ECC's School of Music, is director of the orchestra.

Janice Stanton of Winfall is a member of the Choral Union at East Carolina.

Deadline Set For NCPA Entries

A deadline of January 31, 1964, has been set for entries in the second annual joint awards programs of the North Carolina Planning Association and the North Carolina Section of the American Institute of Planners. Announced in November, 1963, by Mrs. Josephine Rowland of Kinston, president of the NCPA, and J. Ben Rouzie, Jr., of Winston-Salem, NCAIP director, these programs are designed to honor the citizens most responsible for sound community planning programs in the state and newspapermen providing the best coverage of these programs.

Annual "Citizenship Certificates" are awarded "in recognition of the outstanding contribution made by a private citizen in bringing about community understanding and support of the value of a comprehensive and long-range program of community planning." Local governing boards, school boards, planning boards and similar groups may nominate any local citizen for this award. As many as three awards may be conferred in any one year. Professional planners are not eligible.

Recognition of newspaper coverage of community planning programs are in the form of a series of awards (two of which may be cash prizes of \$100 each) to reporters, feature writers and editors for the best "series of articles, editorials or features which combine to develop an awareness in the public of a community problem or problems and of a planning program, either public or private, for the solution or alleviation of those problems."

Copies of the procedures governing each award may be obtained from Mrs. Ruth L. Mace, secretary, Citizenship Award-Community Planning Press Award Committee, care Institute of Government, Box 990, Chapel Hill, N. C.

BARBER PROMOTED

James R. Barber, senior chief personnelman, USN, son of Mrs. Mary Barber of Route 2, Hertford, was recently promoted to his present rate.

He is serving in the Flag Administrative Unit Office of Commander Naval Air Force, Atlantic Fleet at the Naval Air Station, Norfolk, Va.

A graduate of the Perquimans High School, Chief Barber entered the Navy in October, 1947.

Should North Carolina Recruit Farmers As Well As Industry?

North Carolina may be missing an opportunity for economic development by not hunting for outside farmers as well as outside industry.

At least this is the belief of some horticulturists at North Carolina State.

Valuable farm land in much of the metropolitan east is being gobbled up by industrialization and urbanization. Large, highly skilled producers of ornamental and vegetable crops are falling victim to the concrete.

Why not encourage some of these farmers to relocate in North Carolina? asked Dr. Frank

The Hertford Town Board meeting here Monday night in its regular January session, approved a 10-year contract with Virginia Electric & Power Company. The rate under which the town purchases electricity for re-sale is not changed. The old contract would have expired in 1966, according to Town Clerk Bobby Elliott.

The board voted to have the N. C. League of Municipalities bring its ordinance book up to date. The revision will cost \$800, including printing and will be the first complete streamlining of the town law.

It was agreed that work will begin on opening a driveway into the land at the end of the Perquimans River bridge which will be used for a park area, just as soon as the weather will permit. Following the opening of a driveway the filling in of the land can be started.

Engineering tests were ordered of a possible sewage disposal plant site in the vicinity of Vinegar Valley to determine how much piling will be needed and cost estimates for a conventional type treatment plant.

Perquimans Per Capita Income \$1,161 In 1962

Governor Terry Sanford terms the report on personal income in North Carolina "as further proof, if any were needed, that we must redouble our efforts in North Carolina to lift the economy of all sections and all citizens."

The North Carolina Department of Tax Research released a county by county break-down on "Estimates of Personal Income in North Carolina for 1962." It showed the per capita income of the state as a whole at \$1,732 for 1962.

Perquimans County's personal income for 1962 with an estimated population of 9,159, amounted to \$10,637. Per capita personal income was \$1,161. The county rank in the state was 75.

Funeral Held For Willie S. Ainsley

A funeral service was conducted last Wednesday in Phillips Church of Christ by the Rev. David Davis for Willie S. Ainsley, 30, retired Creswell police chief, who died Tuesday morning in Columbia Hospital after a long illness.

A lifelong resident of Washington County, he was a son of Mark and Mrs. Sarah Ainsley. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Nannie Woodley Ainsley; two sons, T. Rupert Ainsley of Mid-dlesex and William S. Ainsley of Norfolk; two daughters, Mrs. Wilma Sexton of Norfolk and Mrs. Emma A. White of Belvidere; two brothers, Jim Ainsley of Creswell and Leman Ainsley of Norfolk; 10 grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

MASONS MEET TUESDAY

Perquimans Lodge No. 306, A. F. & M., will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. All Masons are urged to attend.