

Jaycees To Solicit Items To Be Sold At Big Auction Sale

Walter Humphlett, Jr. and Sid Harmon are co-chairmen of solicitations for the annual fish fry and auction sale held each year by the Jaycees for the benefit of the Perquimans County Recreation Park. They will be in contact with as many people of the county as possible between now and the date of the sale. If for some reason you are not contacted but have an item to donate, the co-chairmen request that you please give the item to any Jaycee member.

The date has been set for Friday, August 6, promptly at 5:30 for this year's Auction Sale and Fish Fry. All Perquimans County residents know that this is the time of the year when the Fish Fry-Auction Sale is held to make their contributions to help keep the recreation park going. The co-chairmen said, "we earnestly solicit your continued support of this most worthwhile project."

Co-chairmen of the overall project, Charlie Fowler and Carson Spivey, Jr., report that plans for the event are underway and they too are in hopes it will be the most successful fund raising project yet for the Recreation Park.

Mrs. Mathews Taken In Death

Mrs. Maggie Ward Mathews, 88 of 133 N. Railroad Ave., died Friday at 11:30 a. m. in the Albemarle Hospital following a long illness. A native of Perquimans County, she was the widow of Harvey Mathews. She was a member of Woodland Methodist Church. Her parents were John and Adeline Spaight Ward.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Janie Stanton of Winfall and Mrs. Hazel White of Hertford; seven sons, Claude Willis Williams of Rt. 3, Hertford; Walter Marvin Williams of Elizabeth City; Alfonso Hollis (Bill) Williams of Hertford; Johnny Floyd (Dyna) Mathews of Rt. 3, Hertford; Charles Edward Mathews of Rt. 1, Hertford; William Nathan Mathews of Winfall and Matthew (Pete) Mathews of Long Island, N. Y.; three sisters, Mrs. Irene Matthews of Virginia Beach, Va.; Mrs. Pearl Clark and Mrs. Maude Lane of Winfall; two brothers, Elmer Ward of Rt. 2, Hertford and British Ward of Winfall; 26 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sunday at 2:30 in the Woodland Methodist Church by Rev. Claude Wilson, pastor, assisted by Rev. R. L. Berne, pastor of First Methodist Church.

Burial was in Cedarwood cemetery. "Under His Wing" and "Sometimes We'll Understand" were sung by Mrs. Evelyn Benton and Mrs. Jean Pierce. They were accompanied by Mrs. Allen Murray, pianist. The casket pall was made of white chrysanthemums, pink carnations and ferns.

pallbearers were Willie Williams, Wendy Mathews, Douglas Williams, Floyd Mathews, Jr., Richard Mathews and Walter Mathews.

Bargain Revival Begins July 19th

Bargain Revival will hold its revival beginning July 19 at 7:30 p. m. and lasting through Sunday, July 25.

The past speaker will be Rev. W. Robinson of Atlantic City, N. J. Robinson was a highly respected at Chowan College for ten years.

The revival is most cordially invited. Pre-arrangements for the most successful revival in the history of the church will be held at the church grounds.

41 In County Attend 4-H Event

Forty-one Perquimans county 4-H Club members, adult leaders and parents attended the Eastern District 4-H Demonstration Day last Wednesday in New Bern.

Maureen Nixon was declared Eastern District Girls Electric Demonstration winner. She received a scholarship from the Tar Heel Electric Membership Assoc. to attend 4-H Club Week, July 26-30 at the University of N. C. at Raleigh. During this week, Maureen will compete against winners from five other districts for the State Title.

Nancy Matthews won a blue ribbon in the Dress Revue and will represent Perquimans County and the Eastern District for the third year in the State Dress Revue to be held Wednesday, July 28 at the coliseum.

Talent participants from the county also won blue ribbons. Wanda Winslow who danced the French Twist has been invited to perform in the State Talent Show on Thursday, July 29. Others who won were Claudia Stokley who sang "Carolina In The Morning" and Gail and Karen Watson and Patsy Harris who sang "Five Hundred Miles". Sybil Jean Bateman presented her Hula Dance during the talent program.

According to Mrs. Paige Underwood, Assoc. Home Ec. Ext. Agent, other 4-H'ers did an outstanding job in their chosen area, but the district competition was very keen. Other winning blue ribbons for achievement were: Becky Elliott, Junior Dairy Foods; Harriette Williams, Poultry Bar-B-Que; Carolyn White, Wildlife; and Carmen Ann Sutton, Fruit and Vegetable Use. Red Ribbon achievement winners were: Joyce Copeland, Public Speaking; Becky Roberson, Sewing; Dianne Layden, Livestock Conservation; and Victor Lamb, Poultry Marketing.

Joe Towse White won third place in the Tractor Operators Contest. He will perform in the State Contest in October during the State Fair.

Missouri Ann Bateman cast the Perquimans County vote for the District Election. Those running from Perquimans County were Nancy Matthews, President; Bobby Harrell, Vice President; Dave Boyce, Sec. Treas.; and Carolyn White, Treasurer.

Home Demonstration Clubs during July to share their educational information to Homemakers. If any civic club is interested in having a 4-H Program, please contact the Extension Office.

Three blue ribbon winners in the 4-H Junior Dress Revue. From left to right: daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Harrell, Carmen Ann Sutton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sutton and Maureen Nixon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ned Nixon.

A Look Backward

As Featured In The Perquimans Weekly Files of Yesterday
JULY, 1958
City Tax Rate Will Remains at \$1.16 For Year Despite Dark Situation At Times: Hertford better off financially now than 12 months ago. Within budget. City Council appropriates \$100 for Bridge Celebration. At the City Council meeting Monday night, the Commissioners voted to appropriate \$100 toward allying Perquimans County's assessment in the fund of the Albemarle Sound bridge celebration. This amount matched the sum granted by the County Commissioners at their meeting last Wednesday. As a

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Another Perquimans Industry Destroyed

Give Sheriff Glenn Matthews and the ATU agents time and they'll either clean up the county of home-made whiskey or break up a lot of the folks that continue to go in and be put out of the business. Shown in the top photo is Perquimans Sheriff Glenn Matthews, Jack Gaskill, R. A. Lundell and Officer Torrance looking over their early Tuesday morning catch in the garage of Ellis Sutton, located on the Harvey Point highway just off on Southern Shores. The officers made the raid at 8:40 at the Sutton home—business and arrested Ellis Sutton and Edgar Harvey. The still was in the garage of the Sutton home and was being operated or the cooking of the whiskey was done by gas. Sutton and Harvey had a right big operation setup in the Sutton garage, it is not known just how much mash, or finished product was in process... however it's out of order now. The barrels or steel drums were chopped up and the copper part of the still brought into the yard at the Perquimans County jail, as was three tanks of gas used in the making of the whiskey.

O'Neal Ordered Held For Trial

Judge Charles E. Johnson, found probable cause in Perquimans County Recorder's Court here Tuesday morning in case against Link O'Neal 35, charged with murdering his wife Mary Foster O'Neal last Saturday night. Milton O'Neal, nine year old son of the couple was placed on the stand and testified that his mother and he were taking a walk and his daddy came up behind and stabbed his mother in the back. The woman was stabbed beside the old Tom White store and managed to get to the steps of her mother, where she apparently died on the steps. O'Neal was jailed without bond to await the November term of Superior Court. The judge found probable cause in still another case that of Tony Freeman, charged with larceny of an automobile, the property of George D. Trueblood, Jr. His bond was set at 500. He too was placed in the Perquimans jail to await trial. McKinley Jones, charged with assault on Madison Mebane, was given a 30 day sentence, the sentence to be suspended upon payment of \$25.00 fine and court costs. Michael D. Ivey, charged with assault on his wife Maggie Byrd Ivey with his fist and a window shade, was taxed with court costs. Betty Lou Harrell, charged with being drunk on street and disorderly conduct, was given a week in jail to be suspended upon payment of \$10.00 fine and court costs. The following were charged with exceeding the speed limit: Herman R. Sutton, Jr., \$25.25 and costs; Herbert T. Reeves \$20.25 and costs; William L. Harris, reckless driving \$25.00 and costs; Wm. Ray Bunch \$44.25 plus the costs; George Autry Swain and Archie Franklin, Allen, Jr., and Edward L. Racy, each \$9.25 plus the costs; Wm. Clyde Spencer \$11.25 plus the costs. Elmer Stone, charged without having a valid operator's or chauffeurs license, \$26 fine and court costs. Luther L. Lamb, Jr. William A. Ross, McCarthy Mitchell and Gerald H. Stanley, each charged with failure to drive same on right half of highway, were taxed with court costs. Louise Scott, charged with being drunk and disorderly, paid a fine and court costs. Thos. H. Worthan, charged with failure to dim headlights when meeting traffic was fined and taxed with court costs. Thomas Lee Ward, charged with following truck too close at a distance of less than 300 ft. was taxed with court costs. Thomas S. Russell, improper passing, court costs. Emmett M. Lane, charged with a license plate used on vehicle other than the one which it was issued, was assessed court costs. Edgar Mallory, driving faster than was reasonable and prudent, court costs. Homer Wayne Burr, drunk on the streets, \$2.50 fine and costs. Smith Cook, drunk on the highway, \$3.50 plus the costs.

Fred Winslow Dies Suddenly

Frederick Snellings Winslow, 67, owner and operator of Fred's Grocery in Winfall, died suddenly Wednesday morning at 5 o'clock at Nags Head. A native of Perquimans County, he was a member of the Epworth Methodist Church. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alonice Riddick Winslow of Winfall. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Doris Reed Winslow; a son, Dan R. Winslow of Winfall; two sisters, Mrs. W. D. Bryn of Oxford and Mrs. R. L. Towse of Roanoke Rapids; one brother, A. R. (Chip) Winslow of Winfall. A graveside service will be held Friday at 3 P. M. in Cedar Grove Church Cemetery by Rev. Frank Parham, pastor of Epworth Methodist Church.

Field Trial Set By Beagle Club

The Albemarle Beagle Club will hold a field trial the 18th of July. Drawing for both classes will be at 8:00 a. m. at the club house. Lunch will be served at the club house. Experienced judges from Hampton Roads, Va., will judge this trial. The club has over 50 acres of fenced in running grounds with plenty of rabbits to insure an easy, smooth running trial. You do not have to be a member of the club to enter these trials and everyone is welcome.

Broughton Family Holds Reunion

Decendants of Thomas Sutton and Mary Frances Long Broughton arrived Saturday, July 10, 1965 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Johnson for a family reunion. The local Broughtons entertained their relatives to a fish fry supper Saturday night on the lawn of the Johnson home on Front St. Sunday at noon the clan met at the Hertford Grammar School for a dinner served by the Hertford Cafe. Seventy people attended the reunion. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Broughton and son, Leewood, Kanasa, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Broughton.

Pitt Recovers From Illness

W. H. (Howard) Pitt, prominent Perquimans County businessman, who for years was Clerk of Superior Court and is at present owner and operator of the Pitt Hardware Co. here, who has been a patient in Memorial Hospital at Charlotte, returned to his home this week and is getting along nicely. At the same time Mr. Pitt was hospitalized. Mrs. Pitt was a patient in the Albemarle Hospital, she is also out of the hospital and recuperating. In appreciation for all the interest shown the Pitt's had this to say, "Please let us express our appreciation for the love and interest shown us while we were both in hospitals. We are deeply grateful to all of you. Thank you, sincerely Sue and Howard Pitt."

At Greenville Workshop Held

Thirty-six principals, present and future teachers and guidance counselors are exploring the causes and methods of control for problems of juvenile delinquency in a special workshop at East Carolina College. Under the direction of Dr. Melvin J. Williams, director of the ECC sociology department, the Juvenile Delinquency Workshop is designed to help its participants develop a better understanding of youth problems in order to be able to better cope with them. The two-week workshop program included guest lecturers and field trips. Among special lecturers was North Carolina's commissioner of juvenile correction, Blaine M. Madison of Raleigh. By using a step-by-step analytical approach, the workshop sought to cover within a short period of time the causes, extent and methods of controlling juvenile delinquency. Its overall objective was framed around an effort to help the teacher to deal constructively with students as individuals and as members of groups in the school and community. The program began June 28 and concludes Friday, July 9. Mrs. Ruth H. (Julian) Powell, graduate student in ECC School of Education is attending.

Plans Are Made For Tournament

The tournament held each year at the Perquimans county recreation center, will begin on Monday, July 26 and last thru August 9 according to an announcement made this week by the summer recreation director Carl Overton. Mr. Overton is urging all those who have not signed up to please do so before July 25. For those who haven't signed up as yet and wish to do so, there is a list posted at the recreation center for this purpose. You may sign up for all events. They are: table tennis, tennis, horse shoes, badminton and shuffleboard. The director further stated, that if there are enough clubs or groups who would like to have volleyball teams, to contact him before the days of July 25 and volleyball will also be included in the tournament.

Trellis Tomatoes Grown In County

The first trellis tomato project is now underway on the McCoy Phthisic farm in the Chapel Hill Community", states Mr. W. W. Reid, Area Horticulture Specialist. This tomato planting utilizes the wire and string method which is so successfully used in the mountain counties. The quality of the tomatoes from trellising is superior to the staked tomato, for the reason that there is no abrasion of the fruit on the rough surface which would cause scarring of the exterior tomato flesh. The tomato rows are six feet wide. Plants are set approximately twenty inches apart and pruned to one main stalk, plus one sucker; or in effect, two stalks per plant. Another method would be to set plants 18 inches apart and prune to one main stem only. Some disadvantages of the trellis method are (1) an increase in number of blossom-end rot fruit, (2) the necessity of continual spray or dust covering for insect and disease control, (3) cultivation between the rows. However, yields normally run very high, and a very high quality product normally matures from this method of culture. This is a very intensive way of producing high quality tomatoes and costs are relatively high; however, the increased income from the sale of the marketable fruit allows trellis tomatoes to be a very profitable operation when handled properly and marketed as a quality product.

Perquimans Board Of Education meets; Six New Teachers Added

Powell Retained In Tax Position

The Perquimans County Commissioners meeting here last Tuesday for their July meeting, due to the fact that the 5th was observed as a holiday, re-appointed Julian C. Powell, Tax Supervisor for two years.

Reports were received from the Agriculture Extension Service and Welfare Departments. The board adopted a resolution authorizing the execution of contract for planning services, between the North Carolina Department of Conservation and Development and Perquimans County.

The board approved a tentative Public Health Department budget to be amended and increased \$920.00, and that tentative budget as amended be adopted for fiscal year 1965-66, and set the tax rate at \$1.60 per \$100 assessed value. The county accountant was authorized by the board to transfer \$1,500.00 to the Welfare Department fund, and \$250.00 to the Surplus Commodities fund, if needed.

The bid submitted by Winslow Oil Co., to furnish county agencies fuel oil and kerosene for year 1965-66, beginning July 1, 1965, and ending June 30, 1966, was accepted. The board took no action on beer license applications submitted by Joseph Milton Spruill, trade name: Community Gas and Coal Service.

Head Start Open House

The Perquimans Head Start Kindergarten Project held its first open house for parents July 8 and 9. Approximately 150 parents were in attendance at King St., Perquimans Central, Hertford Grammar and Union Schools. Parents talked with teachers and discussed the aims and activities involved in the eight weeks summer readiness program. Miss Frances Setzer, Field Secretary of the N. C. Parent-Teacher Association talked to parents on children's health. The Head Start Program has been in session since June 28 and will run until August 20. Approximately 190 children are enrolled. Among the aims of Head Start is to have children physically ready for school in September. All parents are urged to complete their child's physical checkup and immunizations as soon as possible.

Local Students On Dean's List

Students making the dean's list for the spring semester at the University of North Carolina were announced this week. Approximately 1046 students attained the "B" average (equivalent to a 90-95 average numerically) necessary for inclusion on the list. Announcing their lists were the College of Arts and Sciences (comprised of juniors and seniors in the arts and science departments, the General College (all freshmen and sophomores) and the School of Business Administration. Perquimans students attending the University included on the list follow: General College: Alvah Price Monds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Riley S. Monds, Jr. College of Arts and Sciences: William F. Ainsley Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ainsley.

LITTLE LEAGUE SCORES

July 6—Hertford Blues, 6; Parkville, 10; Yankees, 11; Cardinals, 9.
July 8—Belvidere-Whitstone, 6; Hertford Reds, 10; New Hops, 3; Parkville, 2.