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J. Richard Futrell Is Promoted By NCNB

J. Richard Futrell, Jr., Vice President in charge of the Tarboro offices of North Carolina National Bank, has been appointed city executive in charge of the bank's three offices in Durham, effective immediately.

He will succeed Allan T. Frey, Jr., who will be transferred to Greensboro in charge of NCNB's 13 offices there.

Futrell is a native of Hertford and is a graduate of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He also graduated from the School of Banking of the South at Louisiana State University.

He came to Tarboro from Raleigh in 1959 after having been associated with Wachovia Bank for 3 years to join the W. J. Bateman Agency. He joined NCNB in October, 1960, and two years later, became credit and marketing officer. He served as acting city executive for the bank here about 6 months before becoming city executive in January, 1967.

Futrell was president of the Tarboro Junior Chamber of Commerce in 1961-62, secretary and a director of the Tarboro Rotary Club in 1963-64, president of the Tarboro Merchants Association and Chamber of Commerce in 1965, vice president and director of the Tarboro Edgecombe Development Corp. in 1967-68. He also is serving as Edgecombe

Geo. Stephens, Jr. Meets With City Officials

George Stephens, Jr. of Asheville, City and Regional Planning Consultant retained by the First Union National Bank, told a meeting of Hertford city officials and the Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors that he might be able to assist the area in getting a grant or loan to help beautify the county.

Stephens said Monday that there were a number of possibilities whereby beautification funds could be obtained.

Tom Brown, director of the county's Industrial Development Commission, said that such a project is necessary if the county is to succeed in bringing in industry. He said this was emphasized by Roy Sowers, Jr., director of the State's Department of Conservation and Development, during a trip to Hertford in March. Stephens said that an open space lands program allows acquisition and development of certain areas. He said that a Federal Outdoor Recreation program and the Department of Housing and Urban Development also have funds that could be used for beautification.

He told the group that the county's efforts toward restoration of old homes and buildings could be aided by financial help from the Institute of Government. If Perquimans County and/or the town of Hertford decide to seek Stephens help, he said he would work with them free initially, then charge \$50 a day for his services which include the seeking of grants and loans and aid in paperwork until the money, if made available, is obtained.

Although invited, no representatives from the Perquimans County Commissioners attended the meeting. Brown will arrange for Stephens to meet with them at a later date.

Red Cross Fund Drive Report

The fund drive in Perquimans County for the American Red Cross is lagging far behind, according to Mrs. Nathan Sawyer, chapter chairman. Goal for the county this year is \$1615 but to date, only \$412.45 has been collected.

She again stressed the importance of our county meeting its goal this year, both to carry on the local work and the work done nationally. The floods in the Midwest and the increased activity in Vietnam have drained the available funds in the Red Cross and it is important each chapter meet its goal to meet the needs for the coming year.

Mrs. Sawyer urges all solicitors to complete their assigned areas as soon as possible and asks that anyone who has not been contacted and who will give to the fund drive to please do so. They can contact her or any of the five area chairmen for the fund drive - Mrs. J. T. Biggers, Mrs. Tom Brown, Mrs. Clyde Lee Lane, Mrs. M. B. Taylor or Talmage Byrum.

She asks, "Won't you give and give generously? The next person helped through the blood program or the next family having to contact their servicemen through the Red Cross might be you or yours."

County Completes Easter Seal Drive

The 1969 Easter Seal appeal has resulted in \$492.00 for the Perquimans County Easter Seal Society's year-round services to the physically handicapped. Two hundred forty-five families responded to the appeal.

In expressing her thanks to the people who contributed to Easter Seals, Mrs. Marion S. Swindell, chairman, said, "The money we now have is the result of the generosity of the residents of Perquimans County."

"We are grateful for your support of Easter Seals; your dollars bring direct services, campships, and other types of assistance to our crippled children and adults."

This year's appeal, sponsored by the Hertford Business and Professional Women's Club ran from March 21 until April 21.

The Perquimans County Easter Seal Society is an affiliate of the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of North Carolina, Inc. and the National Easter Seal Society, the oldest and largest voluntary agency serving the physically handicapped.

Dr. Thomas P. Brinn Dies Monday at 4 P.M.

Perquimans County's only full-time physician, Dr. Thomas Preston Brinn, age 69, died Monday afternoon in the Albemarle Hospital in Elizabeth City. His last request was that flowers be omitted from his funeral and that the money go instead into a fund to further medical care in the county. During his illness Dr. Brinn spent a great deal of time working with North Carolina Medical and Health Agencies to plan for the future medical needs of his Perquimans County people. Working toward this purpose, a meeting has been scheduled next week between our County Commissioners and representatives of the top ranking medical care planners in North Carolina.

Mrs. J. Emmett Winslow, acting treasurer of the Memorial Fund has asked that checks and contributions be made to the T. P. Brinn Memorial Fund, an Advisory Committee is being setup to decide how best to use the fund as a suitable tribute to Dr. Brinn.

He had been practicing medicine in Perquimans County since 1927. He was a member of the American Medical Association and the Medical Society of North Carolina. He served as president of the 1st District Medical Society for several years and was president of the Seaboard Medical Society in 1967-68. He was counselor of the 1st District of the state society for 10 years and was an organizing member of the North Carolina Academy of General Practice. He was a member of the Southern Medical Association for 10 years. He was a former President of the Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce and county representative to the 10 county Albemarle Area Development Association.

He was a member of the First United Methodist Church having served on the official board of the University of Penna. His internship and residency were served at Methodist Hospital in Philadelphia, N. C. and Mrs. Brinn was born in Tyner, North Carolina in Chowan County and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thomas Brinn. He was graduated from Hertford High School in 1913 and received an A. B. degree from the University of North Carolina in 1919.

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Miss Spruill Dies

Miss Essie Mae Spruill, 65, died Sunday at 3:45 a.m. in the Lane Nursing Home following a four year illness. A native of Perquimans County she had made her home with her sister, Mrs. George Caddy on Route 3.

She was a daughter of the late James Martin and Mrs. Susie Alice Rogerson Spruill and attended the Berea Church of Christ.

Surviving besides Mrs. Caddy are two other sisters, Mrs. Susie Godwin of South Mills and Mrs. Harry Corprew of Portsmouth; and a brother, Norwood Spruill of Norfolk.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2:00 in the Chapel of the Swindell Funeral Home by the Rev. Norman Miller, pastor of the St. Clair Church of Christ in Bath, N. C.

Burial was in Cedarwood Cemetery. "In The Garden" was sung by the Berea Church of Christ Choir. They were accompanied by Mrs. Pauline Webb, organist.

"The casket full was made of pink carnations, white chrysanthemums, white gladioli and fern. Pallbearers were Carl Godwin, Dennis Godwin, Leroy Sutton, George Sutton, Clyde Sutton and Clayton Spruill.

Home Economists Will Meet May 7

Home economists from fourteen counties will meet together on May 7, at 6:00 p.m. at the Edenton Restaurant in Edenton, N. C. to launch a regional home economics association. The new association will be a spinoff of the state-wide 1,500 member North Carolina Home Economics Association.

The state organization has the framework to cope with general living, but it is unable to tackle situations peculiar to one area of the state, Frances S. Voliva, temporary chairman of the regional association, said today. The important problem may be management in one region of the state; consumer competence in another, she explained.

Under the new organizational structure, each region may define the problem it believes to be most pressing and work toward its solution. The five other regions may select unrelated challenges.

Other benefits of the new association include: the opportunity for greater professional participation, a chance for home economists to become acquainted with other persons in the same field, a more compact method of expediting business and coordinating activities, and hopefully increased membership.

Serving on the steering committee with Mrs. Voliva are Mrs. Edna Reaves, Home Economics Teacher; Mrs. Hattie S. Byrum, Homemaker, and Mrs. Fran Ward, Extension Home Economist. For more information, home economists may contact Mrs. Ila Grey White, Home Economics Extension Agent.

Youth Week At Hertford Baptist

April 28 through May 4 has been set aside as Youth Week at the Hertford Baptist Church. Youth Week, sponsored by the Training Union Department of the church, provides the opportunity of learning about the responsibilities of church membership through the experience of serving in the capacity of church officers for one week. The Youth will conduct all Biblical Teaching and Training on Sunday, May 4th.

Donald Stallings as Youth Pastor will lead the Wednesday Evening Prayer Service and he will speak in the Sunday Evening Worship Service at 7:30 p.m.

Thursday evening at 6:00 the youth will meet at the church for a fellowship meal with Rev. Rick Penner, Pastor of Epworth Methodist Church in Winfall, as the guest speaker.

Sunday morning at 11:00 a.m. Worship Service Frank Cahoon, a Baptist Layman and Sheriff of Dare County, will be the speaker for the youth service.

A cordial invitation is extended to both youth and adults in this area.

B. C. Berry, Jr. Receives Honor



B. Carroll Berry, Jr., CLU of the Atlanta, Ga. Agency has been named to the President's Council for 1969 with the Home Life Insurance Company, New York. Membership in the President's Council is Home Life's highest honor, reserved for the top men in the company's field organization. It is a symbol of extraordinary skill, service to clients, and dedication to their financial well-being.

Berry currently serves as President of the 800 member Atlanta Life Underwriters Association. He is a former director of the Atlanta Chapter of the American Society of Chartered Life Underwriters, and is a qualifying Member of the Million Dollar Round Table and the Life Insurance Leaders of Georgia. Berry has been with Home Life since 1955 and led our Atlanta Agency in sales in 1968. He is also a winner of the National Sales Achievement Award and National Quality Award for service to his clients. A graduate of the University of North Carolina he and his wife, Jeanne, live with their two children in Atlanta.

Berry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Berry, Sr. of Hertford.

Melvin M. Bonner Listed Delinquent

Melvin McKinley Bonner was declared delinquent by Local Board No. 73, Perquimans County for failure to report for armed forces physical examination as directed. Delinquency subjects a registrant to immediate induction

and we urge him to communicate with the local board immediately in an effort to remove his name from the delinquent list. We also urge members of the delinquent's family and others acquainted with him to render assistance in locating him.

Mrs. Margaret Scaff, Executive Secretary of the board, will be attending a Selective Service Conference in Raleigh May 1 and May 2. The local board office will be closed those two days.

Livestock Show & Sale Scheduled For May 7th

The 24th Annual Albemarle Livestock Show and Sale will be held on Wednesday, May 7 at Small Bros. Warehouse (formerly Scott and Halstead) on the Weeksville-Elizabeth City Highway. This is the same location as the show and sale has been in the past.

The following are the boys and girls who will be showing steers this year: Earl and Bobby Lane, Route 1, Hertford, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Winston Lane, Jr.; Edmond White, Route 1, Hertford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. White, Jr.; Clarence C. Chappell, III, of Belvidere, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence C. Chappell, Jr.; Alvin and Joey Winslow of Belvidere, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee Winslow; Stanley and Claudia Winslow of Belvidere, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Winslow; Jarvis Miller of Route 2, Hertford, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Miller, Sr.; Richard Banks, Route 2, Hertford, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Tom Banks; and Johnny Wood, Route 3, Hertford, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Wood, Jr.

Boys and girls who will be showing hogs are: Edmond White, Route 1, Hertford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. White, Jr.; Clyde Elliott, Route 1 Hertford,

son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Elliott; Eddie Baker, Route 1, Hertford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Baker; Tony Copeland, Route 2, Hertford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Copeland; Marvin Riddick, Route 1, Belvidere, son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Riddick; Clarence Chappell, III, Belvidere, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence C. Chappell, Jr.; Glenn Morgan, Route 3, Hertford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Morgan; and Darlene Felton, Route 1, Belvidere, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McKay Riddick.

"Perquimans County merchants have supported this show and sale in the past in a very fine manner. They have bought these steers and hogs and have really been a credit to the county in showing their support of the youth," states R. M. Thompson.

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American Legion Meet Thursday

The William Paul Stallings Post 126 American Legion will hold the regular monthly meeting at the post home on Thursday, May 1, at 8 p.m. All members are urged to attend.

Perquimans Co. District Court Convened Wed.

Judge W. S. Privott presided over the Wednesday session of Perquimans County District Court and disposed of the following cases:

Preston Copeland, charged with assault with a deadly weapon, and Wayland L. White, Jr., charged with assault, were both found guilty and received fines of \$50.00 and costs with the additional amount of \$12.37 to be for damages to Texaco Service Station; An appeal was noted in the case of Rolan Reid, who was charged with driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor and given a fine of \$150.00 and further condition that he surrender his driver's license to the Clerk of Court and not operate a vehicle for 18 months; Paul Snyder, Jr., charged with larceny of a motor, received a 6 months road sentence; Lawson Stallings paid costs and Lewis Ray Stallings was fined \$25.00 and costs on charges of fishing without license; William Maxwell White, charged with reckless driving, was fined \$50.00

and costs; Hamilton Edward Davis, Jr., charged with speeding, was given a fine of \$15.00 and costs; Robert McLean Harkrader was taxed with costs on a speeding charge; Barry Lloyd Askew, charged with speeding, was given a fine of \$50.00 and costs; Alonzo Barnett received a fine of \$50.00 and costs on a speeding and reckless driving charge; Willie Roger Brooks, charged with failure to report an accident, was given a fine of \$5.00 and costs; Mary Mildred Sexton paid a fine of \$15.00 and costs on a speeding charge; and an appeal was noted in the case of Calvin Ray Lamb, charged with speeding and given a fine of \$100.00 and costs and the further condition that he could not operate a vehicle for a period of 12 months. Bond was set at \$250.00.

E. T. White Family Loses Home And All Possessions

The Ellisha Thomas White family of Durants Neck lost all of their possessions in a fire which destroyed their home this week. The White family is in need of items for the home as well as all types of clothing.

They have four children - three girls, an 8 year old who wears a size 12 dress and 6-1/2 shoe; a 5 year old who wears a size 7 dress and 15-1/2 shoe; a 4 year old who wears a size 6 dress and size 12-1/2 shoe; and one boy - 15 mo., who wears a size 2 suit and size 9-1/2 shoe. The wife wears a 36-3/4 size dress and 10 wide shoe and the husband wears a size 38-41 pants and 11-1/2 shirt.

The Perquimans County Chapter of the American Red Cross is asking the public for donations of money, clothing, furniture and any other assistance available for this unfortunate family. They have a house in the area for immediate use but they are in urgent need of the necessities of house-keeping and clothing.

Anyone wishing to contribute is asked to contact Mrs. Nathan Sawyer, Chapter Chairman, or Mrs. Marion Swindell. Telephone - 426-7648 or 426-7311.

WSCW Meets

The Women's Society of Christ and the World of the First United Methodist Church will meet on Monday evening, May 5, in the Fellowship Hall.

Mrs. Billy Cherry, chairman of the Helen Bane Circle, will be in charge of the program, "Understanding Modern Youth." All members of the Women's Society will want to attend the general meeting.

P.C.H.S. Honor Grads



Martha Jane Evans and Donald Edward Perry have been named valedictorian and salutatorian, respectively, of the graduating class of Perquimans County High School.

Jane is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Evans of Route 1, Hertford. Donald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Perry, Jr. of Route 1, Hertford.

In addition to these two students, twelve other students made the Grand Honor Roll. These were: Susan Harrell, Brenda Baucus, Douglas Haskett, Dianne Stallings, Louise Ivey, Cindy Winslow, Don Morgan, Cheryl Copeland, Mike Bunch, Linda Long, Mark Thompson, and Elizabeth Ivey. In order to get on the Grand Honor Roll, a student must have a ninety (90) average for the four years of high school.



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Three Candidates File For Council



Three candidates have filed for Town Commissioners, Cecil C. Winslow is seeking re-election and the other two who are running for seats in this election are John Beers, a former Board member, and Graham A. Trent, Henry C. Sullivan did not run. Two councilmen will be elected from this list.



Thursday, April 24, was the deadline for filing as a candidate. Election Day is May 6. Winslow has been associated with Winslow-Blanchard Motor Company for 33 years and is currently serving as President and Dealer of the Company. Beers is Vice President of J.C.



Blanchard Co., Inc. and participates in all phases of church, civic and community activities. Trent is Chairman of the Department of Industrial Arts at Elizabeth City State College and is married to the former Vivian Sharp of Hertford. They have 2 daughters, Granelle and Maria.

BE SURE TO VOTE TUESDAY, MAY 6

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