

Cong. Walter Jones Announces Loan For Water System

WASHINGTON, D. C. - 1st District Congressman Walter B. Jones today announced approval by the Farmers Home Administration of \$125,000 insured loan and a \$50,000 grant to group of 123 farm and rural families in Perquimans and Pasquotank Counties for development of a central water system.

The loan and grant will enable the Inter-County Water Association to drill a well, construct a pumping station, erect a 50,000 gal. water storage tank and construct a distribution system. Jones said further that the insured loan is to be repaid over a period of 40 years at an interest rate of 5 per cent.

"This will mean much to the people of these two counties, offering to many a new, adequate and safe source of water, plus the added benefit of fire protection. It will also serve as a sign to further industry of the planning which the area has made in advance," Jones pointed out.

Library News

The Perquimans County Library has received four memorial books recently. Adventures in Stitches, in memory of Mrs. J. C. Blanchard; Home Book of Electrical Wiring and Repairing in memory of Mr. Singleton Lane; and The Pursuit of Poetry, by Untermeyer and America The Beautiful in the words of Henry W. Longfellow, both in memory of Joanna Willford Stiles.

Other recent acquisitions are: America's Horses and Ponies, by Brady; The Negro in America, by Bergman; The Collapse of the Third Republic, by Shirer; Audels Home Refrigeration and Air-conditioning; Science and Mechanics Electrical Guide; The Sons of Isaac, by Keller (a history of the Byrum Family containing information about related families).

New fiction titles include: Travels with my Aunt, by Graham Greene; Mr. Samler's Planet, by Bellow; The Marigold Field, by Pearson; Speak Now, by Verby; The Glass Virgin, by Cook; and Marry in Haste, by Hodge; also fifteen new mysteries, several Westerns, and five light romances.

For young people the library has The Teen-Age Cookbook; Riverboat Family; The Black Stallion's Ghost and several other mysteries.

New Postal Program Will Aid Home Delivery Service

Congressman Walter B. Jones (D-N. C.) announced today a major new postal service program that will for the first time expand home deliveries to a large number of postal patrons throughout the First District.

Under the program, persons living more than a quarter mile, but less than a half a mile, from a post office that does not have city delivery are now eligible to receive the delivery at home. Previously, they have been compelled to go to the post office for their mail.

Since these patrons live less than half a mile away from a post office, or near a post office that does not have city delivery service, they have not been eligible to receive rural or city delivery service prior to the new order, the Congressman explained.

Congressman Jones stated further that he had been advised that the Postmaster General is issuing instructions in the Postal Bulletin Thursday making the new service available to those families living in the eligible areas.

The only requirement to obtain the service is that it must be requested of the postmaster, and a majority of those living in the area must desire the service.

The expansion will be achieved by such steps as extending shorter rural routes and adding delivery stops to some rural routes. In other instances, "star" or contract routes may be used to provide the service; in some locations it may be necessary to establish new rural routes, Congressman Jones stated.

POSTAL FACILITIES AFFECTED BY NEW ORDER

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Maysville
Pollocksville TYRRELL
Trenton Columbia

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Deep Run Creswell
Pink Hill Roper

Revival Meeting At Woodland Methodist Church

Revival Services will be held at Woodland Methodist Church February 22-27 at 7:00 p.m. by the Rev. Sid Huggins, Conference Evangelist.

Monday night has been designated as Youth Night and Wednesday night as Family Night.

Special music will be presented each night. The Nursery will be available for all services. The Rev. Howard B. Harrell is Host Pastor.

WHO KNOWS?

1. Can you name the first seven Presidents of the U.S.?
2. What was the former name of the Hawaiian Islands?
3. What was Napoleon's first name?
4. Who was Premier of France at the time of her defeat by Germany during World War II?
5. Who was the author of "Show Boat"?
6. Name another of her works.
7. What English poet "saw the heavens fill with commerce"?
8. Which is closer to Tokyo - Seattle, Washington or Sydney, Australia?
9. Before Alaska and Hawaii, which was the last state to be admitted to the Union?
10. Where is the Eisenhower museum located?

Answers To Who Knows

1. Washington, John Adams, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, John Quincy Adams and Jackson.
2. Sandwich Islands.
3. Napoleon-Bonaparte was his last name.
4. Paul Reynaud.
5. Edna Ferber.
6. Saratoga Trunk.
7. Tennyson, in "Locksley Hall."
8. Seattle, Washington.
9. Arizona, on February 14, 1912.
10. Abilene, Kansas.

Perquimans S&W Supervisors Have Poster Contest

Floyd Mathews, Chairman, of the Perquimans Soil & Water Conservation Supervisors announced today that all the elementary schools in the county are participating in the Conservation Poster Contest this year. February is the month the students concentrate a portion of their study time on conservation, and following this study they have the opportunity to express their conservation ideas in the form of a poster, according to Mathews. He stated that the best posters from the 4th, 5th, and 6th grades will compete in the county contest; and the county winners will be invited to compete in the Albemarle District Poster Contest on March 18th.

"Dennis the Menace" booklets carrying out the conservation theme have been distributed to the schools and it is hoped all the students will participate in this project," said Mathews.



HEARTY YEAR - John H. Parkinson, Montreal's only living heart transplant patient, laces up ice skates as he celebrates a year with a new "ticker." Parkinson says he plays golf in the summer and rides a bicycle exercise machine the equivalent of 4 to 6 miles every day.

ON SEX APPEAL IN ADS

Rio De Janeiro - Juvenile Court Judge Alirio Cavalleri has requested that 11 advertising agencies operating in Rio de Janeiro reduce the "sex appeal" content of their layouts. A survey carried out in 23 city schools among students 13 to 17 years of age showed 70 per cent were interested in sexual problems and another 10 per cent in the use of drugs.

Some Tagged Fish And Lobster Valued at \$25.00

Some of the fish and lobsters tagged by biologists of the N.C. Division of Commercial and Sports Fisheries are now worth up to \$25 each, according to Ed McCoy, Chief of the Division's research section.

"The Division has been offering a \$1 reward for each returned tag. Fishermen have been cooperating, but to increase their incentive to return tags we have started to place \$5, \$10, \$25 values on some tags," McCoy said. Therefore, if a fisherman catches a tagged fish and returns the tag to the Division's Morehead City office, he could get a \$5, \$10, \$25 reward. He will at least get a dollar. "Of course," McCoy said, "the majority of the tags will be worth \$1."

Return of the tags is extremely important. Studies of migration and growth cannot be completed unless tags are returned. Fish are caught by biologists, tagged, then released back into the water. When a tag is returned later the biologists know where the fish traveled and how much it grew.

The higher value tags will be selected randomly. If a fisherman catches a tagged fish he will not know the value of the tag until he mails it in.

Fish and lobsters have been tagged, and any tags returned will be automatically in the running for the higher rewards.

Besides lobsters, striped bass and sturgeon have been tagged recently, along with a scattering of other kinds of fish. Tagging of these species will continue. Future plans call for tagging of sea trout, croaker, spot, channel bass, and others.

Tags are lengths of spaghetti-shaped, yellow, plastic anchored below the dorsal fin of fish, and on the back of lobsters.

Fishermen are urged to include information about when and where the tagged fish was caught, how large it was (length and weight) and what type gear was used to catch it. McCoy asked fishermen to send tags to Box 338, Morehead City, N.C. 28557.

\$10 TAG AND THREE \$5 TAGS RETURNED

The four fish were tagged aboard the R/V Dan Moore in

the ocean December 16-18, 1969, along the beach between Kitty Hawk and the North Carolina-Virginia line.

A tag worth \$10 was turned in by J.W. Roughton, Columbia. He caught the 3-pound striped bass January 26 in Albemarle Sound between Alligator River and Columbia.

A tag worth \$5 was turned in by Jasper Williams, Buxton. He caught the 5-pound striped bass January 15 in the surf at Cape Hatteras Point.

A tag worth \$5 was turned in by Payton Jones, Jr., Smithfield, Virginia. He caught the 9-pound striped bass in the James River near Newport News, Virginia.

A tag worth \$5 was turned in by Floyd Parker, Mamie. He caught the 2-pound striped bass in Albemarle Sound near the mouth of Alligator River.

Local Occupational Education Planners At 2-Day Workshop

C. C. Walters, local planner of occupational education for Perquimans Public Schools attended a two-day workshop on Feb. 16 and 17 at Williamston.

A. G. Bullard, Associate State Director of Occupational Education; W. W. McClure, Program Analyst; Robert Williams, Research Associate at the Center for Occupational Education and John Hassell, Area Director of Occupational Education conducted the workshop.

This is one of a series of workshops to be held in each of the State's eight educational districts.

"The main purpose of this workshop," states Bullard, "is to help local planners of occupational education in each administrative unit look at the needs of their students and the needs of the labor market for the next decade as a basis for occupational education decisions."

"During this two-day workshop, local planners will identify occupations where there is a critical shortage of manpower and also emerging occupations in our State's rapidly changing economy," said Superintendent of Public Instruction Craig Phillips.

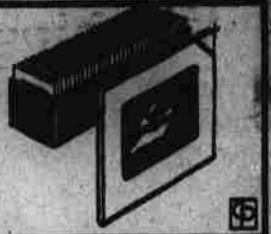
PTA Meeting Scheduled Tonight

The Hertford Grammar School PTA will hold its monthly meeting tonight at the school.

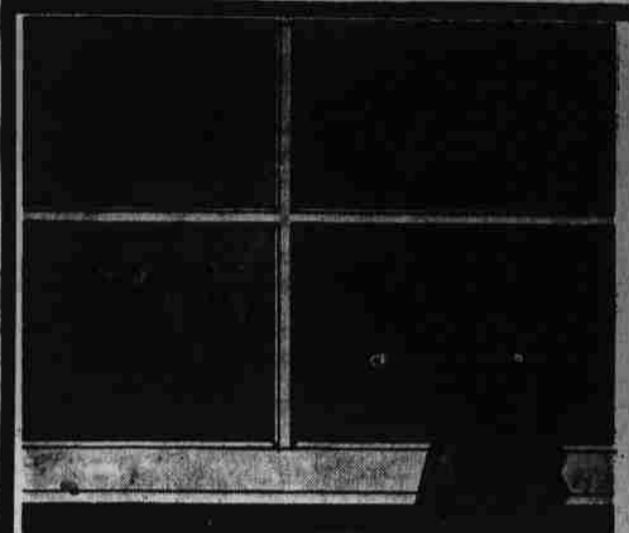
The program will feature slides of the Museum of the Albemarle, an organization of importance to the county's cultural life.

The meeting begins at 8 p.m. and all PTA members and their families are urged to attend.

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North Carolina Years Of Beauty Competition

North Carolina communities interested in entering the statewide Years of Beauty competition are urged to write the Governor's Beautification Committee now for entry blanks.

The contest period covers two years, from January 1969, through December 31, 1970, but entries in the contest will be closed on March 1.

The community may choose any aspect of civic improvement, according to Mrs. Marion Odom of Akoskie, general chairman. Years of Beauty competition.

Cash prizes, trophies, plaques and certificates will be awarded on the following scale:

Community of less than 100 families, first prize, \$300; second prize, \$150; third, \$75; community of 100 to 500 families, first prize, \$300; second, \$150; third, \$75; village under 1,000 population; village from 1,000 to 5,000; town, 10,000 or under population; city of over 50,000 population; first prize, Years of Beauty Trophy; second, Years of Beauty plaque; third, Award of Merit certificate.

The scale of points used for judging includes 30 points for importance of activities to community; 20 points, extent of community participation; 15,

scope of activities in relation to community; degree of permanence; 25; and presentation of material, 10.

A panel of qualified judges will study all entries at conclusion of the contest December 31. Awards will be presented in the spring of 1971 at a special ceremony at the Governor's Mansion.

Report forms will be mailed all entrants on receipt of the official entry card. Write Mrs. Lee Wilder, Executive Director, Governor's Beautification Committee, 310 N. Blount Street, Raleigh, 27601, for competition forms and entry cards.

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