

Paintings On Display At Perq. Library



MRS. JAQUELIN JENKINS, left, is shown giving Peggy West of Elizabeth City the benefit of her artistic knowledge. Mrs. Jenkins' talent as a painter is now being displayed in an exhibition at the Perquimans County Library which will continue through Saturday, March 25.

Peoples Bank Computer To Be Completed By May

Paul B. Cone, Vice President and Cashier of Peoples Bank and Trust Company has announced recently that the bank's new computer center will be completed as scheduled in May, 1970.

Peoples Bank's new computer center is located at 1818 Sunset Avenue in Rocky Mount immediately to the rear of the bank's west office. The 10,000 square foot building will house a Burroughs 500 Computer System which will be installed in June of this year. The center will also be used for various other bank operations as well.

At present various phases of employe training are being completed and a transition to new methods of systems and procedures have been initiated by the bank.

Commenting on the new computer facility, Cone said, "Peoples Bank has a great deal of confidence in the future of Northeastern North Carolina and feels it is time for the installation of its own computer facilities. Also the volume of record keepings has greatly increased as a result of the bank's successful growth in the last few years. We feel the computer center is another example of Peoples Bank's philosophy of innovating timely services to meet customer needs."

Marvin Hunter New Town Clerk

Marvin Hunter, former prominent Perquimans County farmer and at the present is employed by Rogersons Chemical Co., was hired Monday night at a meeting of the Hertford Town Board to fill the position of Hertford Town Clerk. His office is located by the sign of R. C. (Bobby) Elliott who has accepted the position of Administrator of the town of Windsor, N. C.

Hunter will begin work on Monday, March 30. Mr. Elliott will leave Hertford for his new duties on April 1.

Mr. Hunter is a graduate of Perquimans County High School and served two years 1953 to 1955 with the United States Army. He is company clerk 18 months of a tour of duty.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Abbot Hunter of this county (and brother of Jimmy (Catfish) Hunter. He is married to the former Naomi Riddick, the couple has three children. They reside in their home on Grubb Street, Hertford. (The home was the former William Tucker home.)

Ruritan Club To Sponsor Fish Fry

The Durants Neck Ruritan Club will have a Fish Fry at the New Hope Community Building on March 28th beginning at 5:30 p.m. thru 8:00 p.m., according to Donald S. Baker. Proceeds of this feast will be used for repairs on the Community Building. The public is cordially invited to attend. Give the wife a night off and bring the family out.

Sunrise Services Planned

This year's Easter Sunrise Service will be held on the water front lawn of the R. S. Monde's home on Front Street with the Reverend Norman Harris, Pastor of the Hertford Baptist Church, speaking. The combined choirs of the local churches will present special music. The service will begin at 5:45 a.m.

Following the service light refreshments will be served at the Hertford Baptist Church.

All are invited to attend this Sunrise Service.

In case of rain the service will be held at the Hertford Baptist Church.

House Student



Miss Cheryl Anita Newby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Newby Sr. of Star Rt., Winfall, was listed on the Honor Roll for the first semester of this school year at North Carolina Central University, Durham, N. C.

Miss Newby is a Junior, Majoring in Pre School Education and Minorning in Sociology. She is a 1967 graduate of Perquimans Union School.

Coastal Veneer Company Resumes Operation

"Jackie W. Strickland, President of Coastal Veneer Co., Inc., announced today that the plant in Hertford was reopened Monday, March 23, 1970, and would immediately commence production on a limited basis contingent upon orders and availability of logs. The plant has been closed temporarily to make some internal adjustments."

Gives Appreciation

The Senior Usher Board of First Baptist Church, Hertford, N. C. wishes to thank everyone for coming out and helping them with their program Sunday night, March 22. It was a very successful program and a special thanks to our organist, Mrs. Mary E. James, who labored with us so hard trying to patch our voices up.

Also, Mrs. Annie M. Hurdle and Mrs. J. C. Thomas. Again many thanks to all.

Hertford Car Is Damaged At Southgate Mall

Gloria J. Sawyer, 18, backed her car out of a driving space at Southgate Mall last Saturday afternoon and collided with a car driven by Gaither James of Hertford.

Damage to the right rear door of James' car was estimated at \$50., while damage to the left rear fender of Miss Sawyer's car was estimated at \$100.

Final Rites Held For Mrs. Brinn

Mrs. Harriett Virginia Chappell Brinn, 83, of 210 N. Front Street died Friday at 1:20 a.m. in the Park View Hospital, Rocky Mount, N.C. Anative of Perquimans County she was a member of the First United Methodist Church, a life time member of the W.S.C.S., and a member of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

She was a daughter of the late Rufus E. and Mrs. Sarah Bond Chappell and the wife of the late Robert Timothy Brinn.

Surviving are one son, Tim Rufus Brinn of Rocky Mount, N. C.; one daughter, Mrs. Jesse Parker Perry, Jr. of Glenn Head, Long Island, N.Y.; one brother, Lee Chappell of Eureka, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Marvin Horton, Sr. of Farmville, N. C. and Mrs. M. G. Brown of Edenton, N. C. and eight grandchildren.

Graveside services were conducted Sunday at 2:00 in Cedarwood Cemetery by the Rev. C. J. Andrews, pastor of the First United Methodist Church. The casket pall was made of lavender dutch iris, pink carnations, yellow jonquils, yellow larchasia, and fern.

Pallbearers were Clinton Ray Winslow, Eldon Winslow, Jack Brinn, Charles Skinner, Jr., Henry Stokes, and Ernest Knotts.

Nathan Riddick Dies At Belvidere

Nathan Adolphus Riddick, 63, of Route 1, Belvidere, died unexpectedly Tuesday morning in his home. A native of Perquimans County, he was a son of the late Augustus Riddick and Mrs. Mary Ann Lane Riddick. He was a retired farmer and logger.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ounice Stallings Riddick, a son, Stanley Riddick of Route 1, Belvidere; three sisters, Mrs. Mattie Cahoon of Chesapeake, Va., Mrs. Elizabeth Hunley of Wybord, Kentucky and Mrs. Sallie Carver of Route 1, Belvidere; and four grandchildren.

The body was removed to the Swindell Funeral Home pending completion of funeral arrangements.

Mrs. M. B. Taylor Given Special Recognition



Mrs. M. B. Taylor, Perquimans County Home Economics Extension Agent was given special recognition at the 1970 Agricultural Extension Service State Conference Meeting which convened in Raleigh, North Carolina March 16-20. Mrs. Taylor was awarded a certificate and a pin by Dr. George Hyatt, Jr., Director of North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service for the United States Department of Agricultural, in recognition of the completion of twenty years of service as a Federal employee. This honor was made during the Annual State Banquet of which Dr. George Hyatt, Jr. was the Toastmaster. Special remarks were made by Dr. William C. Friday, President of University of North Carolina, also, special music was rendered by the North Carolina State University Choir, James E. Dellinger, Assistant Director of music, conducting.

While at State Conference Mrs. Taylor attended the Annual Meeting of the Epsilon Sigma Phi XI Chapter of which she is affiliated. During the meeting Mrs. Taylor was awarded by Dr. George Hyatt, Jr., for the XI Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Phi a certificate for Twenty Years Meritorious Service in Agricultural Extension work. The Epsilon Sigma Phi is interpreted a mean a fraternity of Extension Service Veterans and is the name of our Extension Fraternity.

Mrs. Dail Dies After Long Illness

Mrs. Evelyn Madre Dail, 61, of Route 2, Hertford, died Tuesday morning in the Albemarle hospital following a long illness. She was a daughter of a native of Perquimans County and was a former clerk at the Garden's Department Store, a member of the Hertford Baptist Church and the W.M.S. of the church. She was a daughter of the late William Francis and Mrs. Sarah Parrish Madre and the wife of Clarence L. Dail. Surviving besides her husband are, one son, Clarence Lee Dail, of Plymouth, N. C.; one daughter Mrs. Sarah Parrish Dail of Virginia Beach, Va.; two brothers, Tom E. Madre, of F. Madre, and Warner Madre of Hertford, James A. Madre and Lenon A. Madre of Elizabeth City; three sisters, Mrs. Clyde Lavden and Mrs. W. E. Rogerson of Route 3, Hertford, and Mrs. W. E. Rogerson of Route 3, Elizabeth City; and two grandchildren.

A funeral service was held Tuesday at 2:30 in the Chapel of the Swindell Funeral Home by the Rev. Norman Harris, pastor of the Hertford Baptist Church. Burial was in Cedarwood Cemetery, Hertford, N. C.

"Beyond the Sunset" and "In the Garden" were sung by the Ladies' Choir of the Hertford Baptist Church. They were accompanied by Mrs. Chester Winslow, organist.

The casket pall was made of pink carnations, white gerberas, and fern and was centered with pink roses and white lilies.

Pallbearers were Forrest H. H. Dan Berry, John Madre and William Rogerson.

Suzanne Keel District Winner In Albemarle Poster Contest



Suzanne Keel was among the six district winners, who were awarded plaques for first and second place honors in the Albemarle District Conservation Poster Contest held at the Holiday Inn, Elizabeth City, N. C. on March 18th.

Thirty contestants who had won in their respective counties of Chowan, Pasquotank, Currituck, Perquimans, and Camden, were luncheon guests of the Elizabeth City Chamber of Commerce and their co-sponsors. At this time individual trophies were awarded by J. Carroll Abbott, Chairman of the Agriculture Committee, assisted by George Attix, Executive Secretary. The students were from the fourth, fifth, and sixth grades and were accompanied by their principals, Albemarle Soil and Water District supervisors, the district clerks, and SCS personnel.

Rod Amundson, Editor, N. C.

Wildlife Magazine; Elmer O. Graham, Asst. State Conservationist, USDA; and W. W. Stevens, Watershed Coordinator for N. C. Soil and Water Conservation Committee, served as judges.

Mr. Amundson, in speaking to the contestants of the 17th Annual Contest, centered his points around the theme: "The Kind of World We are Giving You". He cited environmental problems in the world today such as erosions, water and air pollution, among others. He challenged the young generation to build the tools and find the answers to these vital problems.

Pictured with their winning posters are R to L, front row, 4th-5th-6th first place winners: Donald Johnson, Chowan; Amy Meiggs, Currituck; Nancy Boswell, Chowan; Second Row, 4th-5th-6th second place winners: Hall Abbott, Camden; Suzanne Keel, Perquimans; and Vera Williams, Pasquotank.

Craftsmen Must Submit Samples By April 1 For Fair

All new Craftsmen desiring to participate in the Albemarle Craftsman's Fair September 23-26, 1970 or to become members in the Albemarle Craftsman's Guild must submit 3 samples of their best work on or before April 1. Then, a secret committee will judge the work and select the new member and/or participants for the Fair on the quality of their work.

Guild membership is not necessary to participation in the Fair, but all Guild members, along with the participants in the Fair for the last 2 years will automatically be invited to return to the 1970 Fair. In addition to these, will be those whose articles meet the standards requirements by the committee.

The Standards Committee meets only once a year to approve new workers and new members. Thus those who do not qualify at the April 1 meeting of this committee will have to wait another whole year to be approved.

4-H members and other youth will have to submit only one sample of their work April 1, but all youth participants must submit each year if they desire to take part in the 4-H and youth center of the Fair.

At the 1969 fair, there were 36 booths manned by about 50 approved adult Craftsmen and 52 4-H members and other youth.

The articles are to be in the Home Agents Office at the Perquimans County Office Building or in the office of Miss Edna Bishop, Area Home Economics Agent in Edenton by April 1.

Perquimans FFA Land Judging Team Winners In District



Pictured above is the FFA Team from Perquimans County High School who won first place honors in the District Land Judging Contest held in Chowan County March 19th. The Albemarle and Gates County Soil and Water Conservation District sponsor the annual event, under the technical supervision of Soil Conservation Service personnel, assisted by local S&W supervisors.

L. C. Bunch, Albemarle District Chairman, is shown presenting the \$15.00 check to the Perquimans team, reading from left to right: Julian Baker, Edmond White, C. L. Godfrey, and Donald Hurdle. J. L. Tunnell, vo-ag teacher, is proudly looking on. Julian Baker also received the individual high score and received a \$5.00 check.

Second place honors went to Chowan County High School, E. S. White, vo-ag teacher, and won \$10.00; Third place prize of \$5.00 went to O. J. Gaylord's FFA team at Camden County High School. D. F. Walker High School at Edenton and Perquimans Union School fielded teams also.

By virtue of this win, the Perquimans team will compete in the 18th Annual N. C. FFA Land Judging Meet at Chatham Central High School, Goldston, North Carolina at 8 A. M. on April 11th. Mr. Tunnell announced the team will leave on Friday, April 10th and return after the meet on Saturday. The trip is being made possible through the sponsorship of the Perquimans Soil and Water Conservation Supervisors and the local FFA Chapter.

The winning team are members of the P.C.H.S. Junior Class, where each year students are challenged to develop abilities to:

- (1) Classify soil according to its physical characteristics, and
- (2) Determine the use and management of soil according to its capabilities, according to Mr. Tunnell.

Two New Hats In Perquimans Political Pot

W. L. Tilley, Perquimans County Election Board Chairman announced following the filing deadline last Friday that only one political office in Perquimans has opposition in the May 2 Democratic Primary, that is the office of County Treasurer. Floyd Benton, incumbent filed for re-election. Mrs. Becky White, mother of two children, filed for the office opposing Benton for the County Treasurer seat.

The only other new candidate up for election is G. H. (Tuck) Webb who filed for the seat as commissioner from District 3 held by R. L. (Bob) Spivey who did not seek re-election.

Julian H. Broughton filed to succeed himself for sheriff. W. Jarvis Ward as Clerk of Superior Court, R. S. Monds, Jr., for re-election for commissioner representing District 1.

The two open seats on the Board of Education were not opposed. These seats are held by Clifford Winslow from Belvidere and Ralph F. Harrell, both men filed for re-election.

Keith Haskett, who was appointed County Coroner at the death of Dr. T. R. Brinn, filed for the office.