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Claude M. Long Jr. Receives Award

Claude M. Long, Jr., Construction Inspector with Soil Conservation Service of Davie County, was presented a U.S.D.A. Certificate of Merit for outstanding performance during Fiscal Year 1972.

The award was presented to Long by Jessie L. Hicks, State Conservationist, on behalf of the Soil Conservation Service at the Annual Awards Ceremony at the Hilton Inn Motel in Raleigh on September 22.

Long was one of 14 Soil Conservation Service employees from throughout North Carolina to receive such an Award.

Dr. J.E. Legates, Dean, School of Agriculture and Life Science at N.C. State University, delivered the principal address.

Claude is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Long, Sr. of Perquimans County and is married to the former Ruby Bunch of Edenton.

Services Held

Irvin Rupert Blanchard, 85, of Route 1, Belvidere, died Friday at 12:45 p.m. in the Chowan Hospital.

A native of Chowan County, he was the son of the late Reuben and Mrs. Sarah Copeland Blanchard and the husband of Mrs. Sinnie Hollowell Blanchard.

He was a member of the Warwick Swamp Baptist Church and was a veteran of World War I. He was a retired farmer.

Besides his wife he is survived by three sons, Stanley Blanchard of Rt. 2, Edenton, Gerald Blanchard and Leon Blanchard of Route 1, Belvidere; a daughter, Mrs. Julian Perry of Elizabeth City; a sister, Mrs. Mollie Winslow of Route 2, Hertford; 11 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sunday at 3:00 in the Jack Harrell Funeral Home in Gatesville by the Rev. William E. Carter. Burial was in the Warwick Swamp Church Cemetery.

Horse Show Scheduled For Saturday Night



Sandy Haste, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Haste of Hertford, is a club member and participant in Perquimans Horse and Pony Club. The club will hold a show Saturday night October 7, 1972 at 7:00 p.m. at their show ring two miles west of Hertford on Preston Nixon's farm. Children and adults will participate in various classes: Western and English Pleasure, Speed, Halter and Roadster Pony. Please plan to attend and enjoy the show!

Perquimans Ties

Perquimans and Scotland Neck battled to a 12-12 tie in Albemarle Conference play Friday night. Perquimans is still winless with an 0-2-3 record.

Scotland Neck is 1-2-1. Scotland Neck got on the scoreboard first as Donald White climaxed a drive with a four-yard run in the first period. The extra point was missed, as were all in the game.

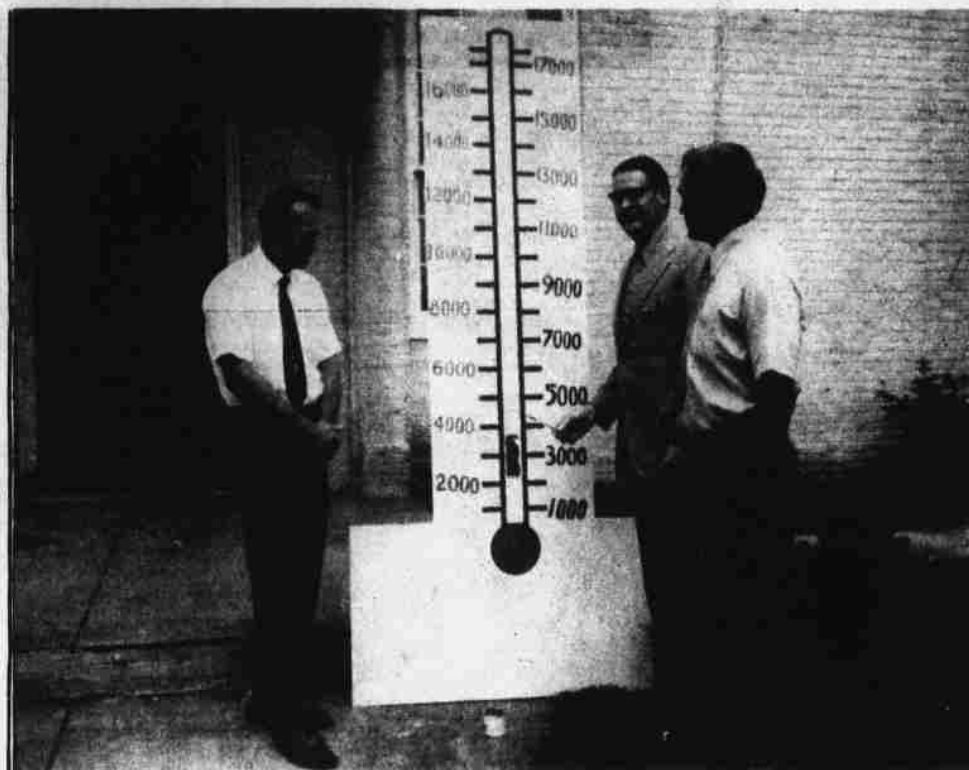
Jeff Jones put the second three-year run for Scotland Neck in the third quarter. Perquimans, though, came through with a touchdown in the third and another in the fourth

Perquimans Restoration Association Receives \$3,805.00 In Contributions

Perquimans County, which observed its 300th anniversary in 1970, has many historic attractions, perhaps the most outstanding of which is the Newbold-White House, just southeast of Hertford. A fund raising campaign to help restore this house (the oldest known brick dwelling of the hall and parlor type in the state), began on September 15 and will run through November 15, 1972. Along with the restoration of the Newbold-White house, the Theophilus White House (circa 1700) will be moved to the site and used as an example, in the building itself, of how the earliest buildings in America were built by hand. It will also house exhibits of early tools, drawings and pictures of methods, together with objects and items of architectural and building trade significance from this early period.

The N.C. Legislature has appropriated \$25,000 for acquisition and restoration. The Smith Richardson Foundation has appropriated \$5,000 and the National Park Service has appropriated \$7,500, but none of these funds will be available unless our community can raise \$17,500 in matching funds.

R.L. Stevenson, Executive Vice President, Peoples Bank & Trust Co., is serving as Chairman of the Finance Committee for the Perquimans County Restoration Association, during this drive. Stevenson stated that this was "go for broke" campaign which will last only 60 days and that pledges from 175 families at \$100 each would put us over the



R.L. Stevenson, center, is shown posting pledges which have been turned in to the restoration project as Lester Simpson, chairman of the Perquimans County Commissioners, and Joe Nowell.

president of the Perquimans County Restoration Association, Inc. Looks on. The thermometer has been placed on the courthouse green.

top, but that any amount pledged would be greatly appreciated.

All contributions are tax deductible and subscription pledges above the goal of \$17,500 will be used on additional features of the Newbold-White House restoration project. If the total goal of \$17,500 is pledged, those pledges would be expected

to make full payment of their pledge on or before December 16, 1972. If the goal is not reached, Stevenson stated, that the matching grants would expire and Perquimans County would have lost its opportunity to help restore the state's oldest known dwelling.

During the first two weeks of the fund raising campaign, 49

pledges were received totaling \$3,805.00. A solicitation of local businesses and individuals is now in full swing and a thermometer has been placed on the courthouse green which reflects the progress of the drive. Stevenson stated that total pledges will be posted on the thermometer every two weeks until the campaign is ended.

Union School PTA Will Meet

Perquimans Union School will have their first PTA meeting of the new school year on Monday, October 9 at 8 p.m. All parents are urged to attend this first meeting.

Birthdays And Civic Meetings

October 8
Mr. and Mrs. Dallas White Anniversary
Maude B. Winslow
Mrs. Louise T. Reid
Nellie Ruth Matthews

OCTOBER 9
Columbus Day
Mrs. Walter J. Kanoy
Claudia Lane
John Coston
William "Billy" White, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hunter Anniversary
Belv. Ch. Hill Firemen
Wesleyan Service Guild
Anderson Methodist Men
Marching Unit Parents
Hertford Town Council

OCTOBER 10
Hertford Rotary Club 6:15
Masonic Lodge 8:00
Whiteston H.D. Club
Perq. Horse & Pony Club

OCTOBER 11
Mrs. J.E. Everett
Thomas Howell, Sr.
Edna N. Godfrey
Pam Bunch
Janet Layton

OCTOBER 12
Pailen Lane
Mrs. D.F. Reed, Sr.
Mrs. Alline J. Hawkins
David Eure
William Spruill
Hertford Grammar PTA

OCTOBER 13
Ann Rogerson
Catherine Byrum
Joel B. Perry, Sr.

OCTOBER 14
Joe W. Rogerson
Debbie Robertson
Joe Layden
Thomas "Pete" Proctor
Mrs. Sarah Downing
Jo Ann Morris

Mrs. Williams Dies In Beaufort

Mrs. Myrtle Williams, sister of Mrs. Jack Burbage, died in Beaufort County Hospital, Washington, N.C. on September 24, after a critical illness of two weeks and failing health for several years. Mrs. Williams made her home here with the Burbages for thirteen years prior to entering a nursing home three years ago.

Deadline Listed On Registration

Prospective voters in Perquimans County have until October 9, to get their names on the registration books if they hope to cast their ballots in the November 7 election. The law requires registration books to be closed 30 days before an election.

The office is open for registering Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings at the Agricultural Building in downtown Hertford. The office will also be open Saturday morning, October 7, from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon for the

convenience of those wishing to register at that time.

Persons whose names are already on the permanent registration books will not be required to re-register, however if you have not registered since 1969 your registration is not up to date and you will not be able to vote in the coming election.

New Course Offered At COA

A new course, "Parents of Exceptional Children," will be offered through the Adult Education Division of College of The Albemarle starting Wednesday, October 4, 1972, at 7 p.m. in room 218 in the COA Technical Center. This course emphasizes student involvement and participation. As a non-credit course it brings to parents and interested citizens an opportunity to share and discuss experiences, to exchange ideas, and to formulate alternatives in resolving the problems with which parents are confronted in rearing exceptional children. It is a means of gaining additional understanding and awareness of exceptional children through group dynamics.

The problems in the exceptional child's development, the parents' and community's inheritance of these problems, and the most adequate and effective alternatives in dealing with these most important problems are vital topics for group discussion and interaction.

The changing role of exceptional children both in the home and in the community, their opportunities for developing skills which might have been thought impossible in the past, and the many resources and services available to them are also topics of interest in the course. The parents' key position in all that's evolving in the realm of "exceptional children" is the basis for the course and their interests and concerns are what the course is all about.

For further information call the Adult Education Division, 335-0821, extension 233.

BPW Club Has Program On Fire Prevention

The Hertford BPW Club met Thursday night, Sept. 28th., with Mrs. Billie Miller at her home on Dobb Street.

A business session was presided over by Mrs. Addie White. During this time, Mrs. Roxanna Jackson reported that four new mattresses and two new wheel chairs had recently been purchased for the sick loan closet. She also reported that forty seven (\$47.00) dollars had been received in donations to the loan closet by four friends of the club. Mrs. Marge Ambrose, chairman of Perquimans County Easter Seal sales, reported the purchase of five new walkers for the loan closet. The Hertford BPW Club sponsors the Easter Seal sales campaign in this county.

For the program, Francis Nixon, Hertford Fire Chief, and Billy Griffin, volunteer fireman, showed a film on fire fighting. Then, Mr. Nixon gave a very informative talk on fire prevention in the home, what to do in case of fire, etc. He stated that the Hertford fire department is rated among the highest in North Carolina and that there are five fire departments in the county. A question and answer period followed and club members learned much about the fire department which is made up of men who give of their time and risk their lives for our safety.

Rites Held For H.G. Mathews

H. Graham Mathews, 70, a former resident of Hertford and a resident of Baltimore, Maryland for 46 years, died September 24 at 8:00 p.m. in Carroll County, Maryland.

A Hertford native, he was the son of the late William and Mrs. Annie Corbett Mathews and the husband of Mrs. Addie May Bateman Mathews.

Before his retirement, he was a supervisor in the maintenance department of Bethlehem Steel Corporation. He was a member of the Westminster United Methodist Church.

Besides his wife he is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Lin McLain of Baltimore; two sons, Clifton H. Mathews of Joppa, Md. and Herbert Mathews, Jr. of Baltimore; three brothers, Jake Mathews and Howard (Tim) Matthews of Hertford and Henry Mathews of Detroit, Michigan; a sister, Mrs. Maude Godwin of Hertford; two half-sisters, Mrs. Annie Mae Baker of Belvidere and Mrs. Will Hoffer, Jr. of Williamston.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Sept. 27 in Baltimore.

They Should
When they change the football rules they should do something to prevent an upset from being inevitable.

34 Participate In PP&K Competition

There were thirty-four boys who participated in Fords PP&K competition sponsored by Winslow-Blanchard Motor Company, which was held at Perquimans County High School football field on Sunday, October 1.

The contest began at 2 p.m. when boys age 8 through 13 competed with boys in their own age group. Scoring was based on accuracy and range with one point added for every foot of punting, passing and kicking distance and a point subtracted for every foot off a center line.

8 year old group, First place winner, Robert Winslow, Jr. First place winner in the 9 year old group, Eric Tilley. First place winner in the 10 year old group, Gary Hunter. First place winner in the 11 year old group, Ricky Owens. First place winner in the 12 year old group, Kent White and First place winner in the 13 year old group was Howard Williams.

These winners will travel to Roanoke Rapids Saturday, October 7 to participate in the Zone Competition.

American Cancer Society Memorial Program

Do you know what is meant by a living memorial? A memorial gift to the American Cancer Society is a living memorial—a thoughtful gift and a tribute to someone loved. Many individuals, firms, and other groups give regularly through the Perquimans Unit Cancer Memorial Fund so that others may live.

Memorial funds are used to support the Society's fight against cancer through coordinated programs of research, education, and service. Contributions support cancer research in hospitals, laboratories, and clinics. They provide fellowships for doctors and scientists and provide education to alert the public to cancer's early symptoms and urge prompt diagnosis and treatment. Memorial gifts make possible service needed for patients stricken with cancer.

Every contribution is acknowledged with an official receipt from the American Cancer Society, and a memorial card is sent to the family of the deceased, with the name of the person honored and the name of the group or individual donor. These contributions may be made in any amount and are tax deductible.

The American Cancer Society is grateful to families, individuals, and groups of Perquimans who are using this practical means of assisting the Society in expanding a counter attack on cancer.

Local Extension Agents To Attend Meeting In Colorado

Mrs. Paige Underwood and Mrs. M.B. Taylor, Home Economics Extension Agents in Perquimans County, will be among 35 active home economists and 7 honorary or retired agents from North Carolina attending the 38th annual meeting of the National Association of Extension Home Economists in Denver, Colorado, October 9-13, 1972.

The theme for the conference is, "A Better World Begins With Me." Those attending will have an opportunity to hear outstanding speakers and participate in educational tours. They will also take part in discussions and rap sessions, and exhibits will be available for their observation.

Miss Jean Childers, Home Economics Extension Agent in Transylvania County, is a candidate for national third vice president.

Five agents from North Carolina will receive the Distinguished Service Award. They are: Mrs. Minnie Taylor, Perquimans County; Mrs. Mary Estelle Doyle, Lee County; Mrs. Floy Garner, Carteret County; Mrs. Esther Burgess Roscoe, Vance County; and Mrs. Freida Morgan Terrell, Buncombe County.

Services Held For Mrs. Hattie Perry

Mrs. Hattie Weaver Riddick Perry, 55, of Windsor, died Sunday afternoon in the Bertie County Memorial Hospital.

A native of Hertford, she was the daughter of Mrs. Dora Taylor Riddick of Hertford and the late Rufus Marion Riddick, Jr. and the wife of John Lewis Perry.

Besides her husband and mother, she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Jane P. Kelchum of Sulloway, Okla. and Miss Joan Gregory Perry of Raleigh; two brothers, R. Marion Riddick, 3rd, of Hertford and Robert Riddick of Stevensville, Mich. and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2:30 in the Windsor United Methodist Church by the Rev. Robert Drew. Burial was in Edgewood Cemetery. Windsor, with Byrd-Walker Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Edith Hinshaw, Rowan County Home Economics Extension Agent, will receive the Florence Hall Award.

The following agents will be serving on national committees: Mrs. Iberia Tunnell, Chairman-elect, of Registration; Mrs. Jean Hubbard and Mrs. Bernice Harris.

Airman C. E. Butler Assigned To Keesler AFB



Airman Clarence E. Butler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgard W. Butler of Rt. 1, Belleross, N.C., has been assigned to Keesler AFB, Miss., after completing Air Force basic training.

During his six weeks at the Air Training Command's Lackland AFB, Tex., he studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

The airman has been assigned to the Technical Training Center at Keesler for specialized training in the armament systems field.

He will begin that training this month as the Air Force is celebrating its 25th anniversary.

Airman Butler attended Perquimans High School, Hertford, N.C. His wife, Vikki, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shephard of 107 W. Academy St., Hertford.

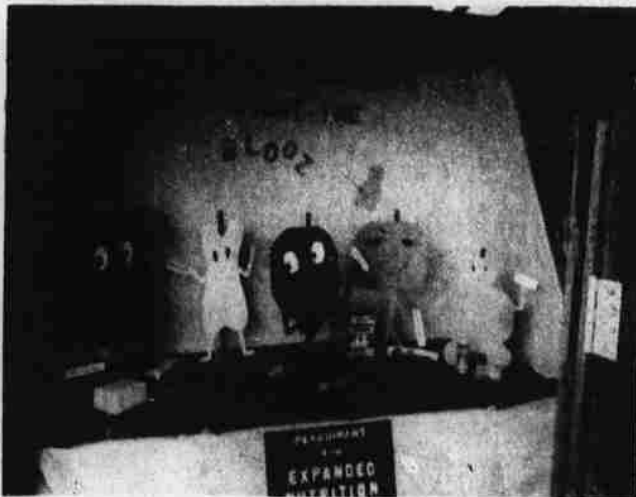
To Hold Revival

Rev. Charles E. Ledford will be the guest speaker for revival services to be held nightly, beginning October 9th and continuing through October 14 at 7:30 p.m. The services will be held at Burgess Baptist Church near Hertford.

Ledford is the pastor of Meedonia Baptist Church in Edenton. Special music will be provided each night.

Noah A. Toler, pastor of Burgess Baptist Church, cordially invites the public to attend these services.

Exhibit Wins Prize At Six County Fair



Who says it's a waste of time to enter an exhibit in the Fair? This exhibit won \$30.00 at the Six County Fair in Elizabeth City. The funds from this will go to the Expanded Nutrition Youth Club for demonstrations and recreation. Mrs. Earline White is doing well with this group and hopes the information will be of some help. In order to get our Key Nutrients we do have to eat the right foods daily. What we mean by the right foods is that we follow the Basic 4 food Guide and eat the daily requirements suggested. A variety of foods is how we obtain our nutrients, we need all five—proteins, minerals, vitamins, carbohydrates and fats, working as a team in order for us to look, feel and act normally.