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## CHRISTMAS PARADE FRIDAY, DEC. 1st

### N.C. Must Plant 1.3 Million Acres Of Trees

"If the people of North Carolina are going to have the trees to meet their needs for wood and wood products thirty years from now, 1.3 million acres to trees will have to be planted in this state during the next decade," according to County Forest Ranger Lewis Stallings. "Since it takes 20 to 30 years of growing before a pine forest can be harvested, it doesn't take much reasoning to figure that North Carolina will have to plant 130,000 acres of trees every year between now and 1983."

This is the goal set for North Carolina at the recent National Tree Planting Conference in New Orleans. The ever-increasing demand and use of

wood in the United States and the nation's growing population indicate that 50 million acres of trees will have to be planted during the next ten years. The southeastern states alone plan to set out trees on more than 14 million acres during this time period.

County Ranger Lewis Stallings stated that the N.C. Forest Service is helping to fill this need by assisting landowners reforest their woodlands and restock the woodlands which are not growing the number of trees they could. "There are 8.5 million acres of forest in North Carolina which are growing only about 40 per cent of the trees they could produce."

Lewis Stallings said he has applications for forest tree seedlings and is available to help landowners obtain seedlings from the N.C. Forest Service. "We can help the landowner manage his forest, prepare his land for tree planting, plant the trees, and even find a buyer for the wood when he is ready to harvest it. All he has to do is come by my office at Winfall Tower of give me a call at 297-2557."

### Bowles To Be Guest Speaker At Chamber Banquet

The Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce banquet will be held Dec. 27 at 7 p.m. at the Hertford Grammar School. Tickets that have been distributed to C of C members have been sold and others for general sale can now be purchased through the Chamber office.

Hargrove (Skipper) Bowles, Democratic gubernatorial nominee earlier this month will be guest speaker. Entertainment will be provided by The Young Believers.

There will be a host of door prizes, new members of the Board of Directors will be installed and a delicious roast beef dinner will be served.

Tickets must be purchased in advance. Bowles is one of the state's political and business leaders and his appearance at the Perquimans Chamber banquet marks a continuation of the C of C policy presenting outstanding speakers to provide an interesting evening.

### Funeral Services Held For Miss Pearl White

Miss Pearl White, 81, of Route 1, Belvidere, died Friday in the Chowan Convalescent Unit in Edenton following a long illness.

A native of Perquimans County, she was the daughter of the late Jim Frank and Mrs. Mary Jane Lane White. She was a member of the Upriver Friends Meeting. Prior to her retirement, she taught school for 49 years.

Surviving are three brothers, Berry Lee White of Woodland, N.C.; J. Hugh White of Winston-Salem, N.C.; and Archie B. White of Route 1 Belvidere, N.C.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 3:00 by the Rev. Waldo Smith at Up River Friends Meeting.

"How Great Thou Art" was sung by Mrs. Clifford Winslow, Mrs. Jesse Roundtree, Elmer Lassiter and Seldon Raintree. The casket pall was made of pink carnations, white snapdragons, white chrysanthemums and fern.

Pallbearers were Leslie White, Lyndon White, Lanier White, Fred Upton, Jasper Winslow and Jimmy Walker. Burial was in the Upriver Cemetery with Swindell Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

### Parade To Begin At 4 O'Clock

A special plea is being made by the Christmas Parade committee of the Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce, to parents of children who will

be viewing the festivities asking them not to allow their youngsters to use such things as pea shooters.

In the past they have created dangerous situations. When aimed at horses it could mean a rider thrown. It could also result in serious injury to an individual as well as destruction of property.

Such things have no place during a parade celebrating a season of good will and happiness.

The parade will be held Friday. Participants will meet at the Perquimans County High School at 3:30 where they will line up. Most of the viewers are expected along Church Street.

There will be bands, floats and other holiday related viewing for young and old. And, of course, Santa Claus will make his initial appearance in the county, with some special surprises for the children.

### Jones Completes Training

31 — Army Private Erle L. Jones, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler W. Jones, Route 1, Hertford, N.C., recently completed eight weeks of basic training at Ft. Jackson, S.C.

He received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, combat tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and army history and traditions.

PVT. Jones received his training with company C of the 20 Brigades 10th Battalion. His wife, Janet, lives on route 3, Hertford.

### NCSU Schedule Area Meeting For December 14

An area meeting has been scheduled for Elizabeth City on Thursday, December 14, to give local people an opportunity to discuss agricultural matters with several administrators from North Carolina State University.

Richard Bryant, Perquimans County extension chairman, said the Elizabeth City meeting has been planned for the people of Currituck, Camden, Gates, Dare, Hyde, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Chowan, Tyrrell and Washington counties.

Fourteen such meetings are planned across the state in an effort to improve communications between local citizens and the School of Agriculture and Life Sciences at NCSU, Bryant explained.

"The NCSU officials will report on what the University is doing in the way of agricultural teaching, research and extension. Local people will have an opportunity to discuss their problems and needs," Bryant added.

Farmers, agri-businessmen and other people with an interest in agriculture are invited. Starting time is 2 p.m., and the place is the Agriculture Building in Elizabeth City.

J. Worth Gentry, president of the N.C. Agricultural Foundation, plans to attend the meeting. NCSU will be represented by Dr. James E. Legates, dean of the School of Agriculture and Life Sciences at NCSU, and several members of his staff.

### Birthdays And Civic Meetings

DECEMBER 3  
Mrs. Helen Burner  
Laura C. Chappell  
J. Kelly White  
Murtie Layden  
Mrs. Mattie T. White

DECEMBER 4  
Earl Lane  
Debbie Thach  
W.A. Chappell  
Dick Spruill  
Winfall Town Council  
Perg. C. Commissioners  
W.S.C.S. First Meth. Ch.

DECEMBER 5  
Nellie D. Stallings  
David Trueblood  
Betsey White  
Wayne Howell  
Melissa Hunter  
Essie Turner  
Hertford Rotary Club 6:15  
Masonic Lodge 8:00  
Parkville Ruritan Club  
Bethel Fire Dept.

DECEMBER 6  
Doris Harrell  
Cindy Cox  
Suzanne Keel  
DECEMBER 7  
Donna Thach  
Glenn Matthews  
Jane Perry  
P.C.H.S. PTA 7:30  
American Legion Aux.  
Lions Club

Am. Legion Post 126  
DECEMBER 8  
William T. Fowler  
Lloyd Lane  
DECEMBER 9  
Bill Crumney  
Selma Stallings  
Marjorie Fields  
Terri George  
J.W. Ward

### Bloodmobile Collects 45 Pints



### 47 Donors Turn Out Monday For Bloodmobile Visit Here

Mrs. Nathan Sawyer, Red Cross Blood Chairman reported a very successful visit of the Bloodmobile Monday with 45 donors and 2 rejects as compared with 24 pints at the last visit. The quota for the visit on

Monday was 56 pints.

Those assisting were Lois White, Peck Cherry, Maude Jones, Mary Alice Davis, Debbie Sawyer, Mattie Matthews, Dorothy Owens and Fern Simmerson.

### County Sales And Use Tax For Quarter \$21,618.82

County Sales and Use Tax summary of distributable proceeds for the quarter ending September 30th. Perquimans net quarterly

collections amounted to \$21,837.85, cost of collection \$219.03, net dist. proceeds \$21,618.82.

County Sales and Use Tax one percent distribution report on per capita basis: Perquimans \$21,618.82 net dist. proceeds, on population figures used in this distribution based on the most recent estimates of population as certified to the Commissioner of Revenue by the Director of the N.C. Department of Administration. Perquimans 8,251, Per Capita Distribution \$16,339.37. Hertford bases on 2,013 population \$3,986.32. Winfall, population 653, \$1,293.13. A county total of \$21,618.82, population 10,917, per capita distribution \$21,618.82.

#### NEW LOOK

Carpets and rugs take on a flat look and will continue to do so for the next decade or two, according to a recent issue of Home Furnishings Daily.

### Watt Winslow Killed Friday In Auto Accident

Watt Winslow, 50, of Newport News, Va. and a former resident of Hertford, was killed Friday night in an auto accident at Moyock.

A native of Perquimans County, he was the son of the late Herman Rawlings and Mrs. Ruth Spivey Winslow. He was employed by the Newport News Shipyard.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Jane Raper Winslow; a son, Robert Winslow of Richmond; two daughters, Miss Patty Winslow and Miss Ellen Winslow of the home in Newport News; and a sister, Mrs. Ruth Winslow Cole of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Funeral services were held Monday at 2:00 in the Peninsula Funeral Home in Newport News with burial in a Newport News Cemetery.

### Nurses Complete Cancer Screening

Twenty North Carolina nurses have completed a Cancer Screening Workshop at East Carolina University. The two-day event, held last week, was specifically designed for nurses who work in physicians' offices.

The workshop was sponsored by the ECU School of Nursing, the ECU Division of Continuing Education, the North Carolina Regional Medical Program and the N.C. Academy of Family Physicians.

Staff included ECU nursing instructors Therese Lawler and Barbara Oyler, Dr. Hubert Burden and Dr. Howard Gradis of the ECU School of Medicine, and Dr. Joseph L. Murad, Greenville Obstetrician and gynecologist.

Topics of lecture and discussion sessions included anatomy, physiology, examination techniques, records and reports, and counseling of patients with malignancies.

Participants included nurses from Davidson, Martin, Pitt, Onslow, Pamlico, Cumberland, Stanly, Craven, Pasquotank, Chowan, Edgecombe, Bladen and Washington Counties.

### C Of C Signs Resolution In Support Of Medical School At ECU

The Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce added its voice to a resolution in support of expansion of the medical school at East Carolina University. It had been drawn up by Plymouth Mayor Bill Flowers and will eventually be presented to Gov. Bob Scott. Other clubs and organizations have also been asked to support the resolution.

The support came at the December meeting. Also at that time, officers for 1973 were elected. They will be sworn in during the Dec. 7 banquet. Tickets for that affair are now on sale from board members and at the Chamber office.

Before the banquet comes the Christmas parade. And we want to ask that all parents made sure their children are not armed with such things as pea shooters. In a news story elsewhere in this paper, you'll see the reasons why.

Also look for later news stories concerning the presentation of some of the most famous feature films ever produced. These major productions will be presented

by the Chamber to combine culture and entertainment, with the emphasis on the later.

The first showing will be held mid-December and, if successful, there will be movies every month. The date, time and place will be announced in later news releases.

The first presentation, for film and history buffs, will be a story of the American Revolution. Called "America" it was directed by one of the greatest men in Hollywood history — D. W. Griffith, famous for "Birth of a Nation" and "Intolerance." With that feature will be a delightful documentary on the history of "Slapstick."

The programs are designed to appeal to every age and are being presented with the excellent cooperation of the Pasquotank-Camden Library. The films come from the state's collection. They are the same as have been shown in major theatres.

This is an unusual, and a large undertaking by the Chamber — but it is for the benefit of those we serve.

### "Catfish" Hunter To Assist With White Cane Drive

Hertford Lions Club will solicit contributions for the Annual White Cane Drive, Friday, December 1st, at Harris Shopping Center, from 6 to 9 P.M. Lion Jimmy "Catfish" Hunter will be on hand to assist and sign autographs.

Contributions will be received for the N.C. Association For the Blind Inc., to support the projects undertaken to aid and assist blind people of North Carolina.

Some projects are—Camp Dogwood, on Lake Norman, a recreational facility for the blind of all ages; N.C. Eye & Human Tissue Bank, this program's main purpose is for corneal transplants, (Eye Wills blanks will be available at this event for anyone over 18 years of age to donate their eyes after death). Free radios are



### Mrs. Grace Llewellyn Life Membership

Past President T.P. Byrum of Hertford Lions Club with Past District Governor, Wm. Claude Brinn, presented Mrs. Grace Llewellyn with a Life Membership Certificate to the N.C. Association of the Blind Inc., for her contribution to the White Cane Fund.

available to any blind individual; scholarship, for high education, is available to any child of legal blind parent; Glaucoma and Diabetes Clinics are held for the public (next such Clinic will be held in Elizabeth City, in March, sponsored by Elizabeth City,

Hertford and Weaverville Lions Clubs).

Hertford Lions Club wishes to extend their thanks to the area for its assistance in the past and invite you to visit with us on Friday, December 1st, and meet Lion Jimmy "Catfish" Hunter.

### Christmas Open House

Christmas exhibits and special interest displays will be featured at the Christmas Open House to be held at the County Office Building in Hertford Wednesday, December 6, 7:30 - 9:30 p.m., Thursday, December 7, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. (night), Friday, December 8, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon.

"Sing A Song of Christmas" will be the 1972 theme as the following Extension Homemakers Clubs feature a Christmas Song or Carol: Whiteston - "Happy Holidays", Winfall - "White Christmas", Bethel - "Silent Night", Beech Springs - "Away In A Manger", Burgess - "Jingle Bells", Snow Hill - "White Hat - Joy To The World", Helen Gaither - "The Night Before Christmas", Belvidere - "Home For The Holidays" where refreshments will be served Wednesday and

Thursday nights between 7:30 - 9:30 p.m.

Participating carolers and groups will provide music during the two nights: Wednesday - Belvidere Community, Hertford Methodist Church, Young Believers, Thursday - Up River Friends, Hertford Baptist Church, Woodland United Methodist Church, Pierce Boys. The public is invited to attend. There is no charge for this event.

### Lodge No. 106 Election Night

Perquimans Lodge No. 106 will hold its election of officers for the coming year on Tuesday, December 5 at 8:00 p.m. All members are urged to attend this important meeting. Refreshments will be served.