



BAH, BAH, BAH — There aren't many of them left in North Carolina, but sheep are back in favor economically. The manager of this Orange County flock who raises sheep

and cattle, declares that the sale of lambs—plus a token amount of wool—is just as profitable as his beef operation. (N.C. State University Photo)

March Super N.C. Month

Today's North Carolina travel question is: What does a six-foot raccoon, the world's top golfers, and fast cars have in common?

Answer: Each is connected to one of three "super" events that will take place during the month of March.

The six-foot raccoon is named "Ringo" and he is the official "Animal Ambassador of Fun" for Carowinds, the nation's newest theme park. "Ringo" is just one of many animal characters that will stroll throughout the park. Carowinds, located near Charlotte, will have its opening day March 31.

Not only is Carowinds one of the nation's largest theme parks, it is the first one to be built in two states. The North Carolina-South Carolina line goes right through the park. In 73 acres of excitement and fun, Carowinds will "recreate the culture and heritage of the Carolinas." Themes are developed around seven major historical areas: Plantation Square, Queen's Colony, Indian

Thicket, Country Crossroads, Frontier Outpost, Pirate Island, and Contemporary Carolinas. In addition there are dozens of unique rides.

The park will be open on weekends during April and May, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. It will be open daily June through August, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

It's an old story about spring and the GGO, but the Greater Greensboro Open always comes up with plenty of golfing excitement. This year's event, March 26-April 1 with the tournament proper, March 29-April 1, is the 36th edition, and the prize is \$210,000.

One of the oldest stops on the PGA tour, the GGO is also one of the most popular layovers. There's always tough competition as exemplified by George Archer's "sudden-death" playoff win last year.

The nation's top stock car drivers will do battle on March 18 in the legendary Carolina 500 race at North Carolina Motor Speedway at Rockingham. Bobby Isaac won last year's event in a Dodge averaging

113.895 mph. Time for the race is noon on the 18th.

Other events during March are: The N.C. Open Quail Championship at Hoffman, March 12-15; the Longhorn World Championship Rodeo at Winston-Salem, March 30-April 1; "Easter the Awakening" at Morehead Planetarium at Chapel Hill, March 27-April 30; the North Carolina Travel Council will meet in Raleigh March 13-14.

The Carolina Cougars of the American Basketball Association continued their

scheduled during March at Charlotte and Greensboro.

Probable Cause On Drug Charge

Judge Wilton Walker presided at the session of Perquimans County District Court and heard the following cases:

Probable cause was found in the case of James Everett, Jr., charged with possession of an instrument for administering controlled substance, the case was placed on the Superior Court Docket for trial; William Delight Rea was taxed with a fine of \$50 and costs on a charge of reckless driving; Thurman Grady Howard was taxed with costs after he was found guilty of failure to see that movement could be made in safety; and Dwight Edward Spruill, charged with exceeding a safe speed, received a fine of \$10 and costs; Jake White, III, charged with reckless driving and speeding was given — speeding charge — 12 months suspended upon payment of a fine of \$125 and costs and ordered not to operate a motor vehicle until license privilege is restored by the State; reckless driving charge — 60 days at the expiration of suspended term, 12 months suspended upon payment of a fine of \$100.00 and ordered not to operate a motor vehicle until privilege is restored by the State. An appeal was noted and Bond was set at \$500; Robert Lee Jones, charged with breaking, entering and larceny, received the following sentence and con-

ditions: 1. a 6 months sentence suspended upon payment of a fine of \$100 and costs; 2. to pay \$14.95 to office of Clerk Superior Court for Keel's Trading Post; 3. that the defendant be allowed to have shoes upon payment of same.

PAP SMEAR

All women should have a Pap Smear Test for cancer every year. If you have not had this test, talk with your family doctor or call the local health department. A Pap Smear Screening Test will be given on the second and fourth Thursdays from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Perquimans County Health Department, Hertford. Anyone desiring an appointment is ask to call the Health Department at 426-5488.

WEEK-END IN RICHMOND

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde White and son, David, spent the week-end in Richmond, Va. with relatives.

VISIT IN GREENVILLE

Mrs. Maude Jones, Mrs. J. H. Bagley, Mrs. Phillip Jackson, and Mrs. Mattie Matthews visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Landing and Mrs. Cassie Sawyer in Greenville on Tuesday of last week.

IN HOSPITAL

John Lane is a patient in the Chowan Hospital.

FHA Rural Housing Funds Available

Melvin E. Howell, County Supervisor of the Farmers

Lenten Series Scheduled

The families and friends of the Church of the Holy Trinity, Hertford will gather at the Church each Wednesday during the Lenten Season for the Services of the Litany of Evening Prayer from 5:05 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

The Spiritual Foundations of Early Christianity will be briefly examined through sketches from the lives of the early founders as follows: Ash Wednesday, March 7, The Apostle Paul; March 14, Clement of Alexandria (150-212); March 21, Tertullian (150-220); March 28, Ambrose (340-397); April 4, Chrysostom (344-407); and April 11, Augustine (354-430).

Home Administration in Hertford announced today funds to construct, purchase or repair homes are still available through the local office in Hertford.

Howell said only the interest credit assistance in the housing program had been temporarily discontinued and that housing loans at 7 1/2 per cent interest were still available to eligible families.

The announcement of funds available for homes is being made due to some misunderstanding of the recent announcements concerning the temporary discontinuance of the interest credit assistance program.

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Homemakers Entertain

DURANTS NECK — The Snow Hill White Hat extension **Bridge Club Hostess**

Mrs. C. A. Davenport was hostess to her bridge club Thursday afternoon at her home on Front Street. Those playing were Mrs. S. P. Jessup, Mrs. C. R. Holmes, Mrs. J. H. Newbold, Mrs. J. R. Futrell, Mrs. T. W. Wilson, Mrs. S. M. Windbee, Miss Mary Helene Newby, and Miss Elizabeth Tucker.

Miss Tucker won the high score prize. A sweet course was served.

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Miss Mary Sumner was hostess to her bridge club Tuesday night at her home on Church Street. Those playing were Mrs. T. L. Jessup, Mrs. J. T. Biggers, Mrs. C. R. Holmes, Mrs. W. C. Dozier, Mrs. G. W. Barbee, Mrs. H. C. Stokes, Mrs. John Coston, and the hostess.

Mrs. Coston won the high score prize. A sweet course was served.

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Mrs. C. T. Skinner entertained her ruck club Thursday afternoon at her home on Dobb Street. Players were Mrs. Walter Dale, Mrs. G. R. Tucker, Mrs. J. E. Morris, Mrs. D. F. Reed, Mrs. John Coston, Miss Louise Chalk, Miss Gladys Felton and the hostess.

Mrs. Dale was high score winner. A sweet course was served.

homemakers club served supper recently at the Durants Neck Community Building.

Some 71 persons attended. Rev. John Ledford, minister of the New Hope and Woodland United Methodist Churches led in prayer and gave the invocation.

A girls trio and accompanist from Roanoke Bible College sang several songs. Keith Stiltner, minister of Barco Church of Christ gave an inspiring devotional reading from the book of John and closed with prayer.

Richard Bryant, Perquimans County farm agent was guest speaker. He showed slides of the proper use of insecticides. Bryant emphasized that directions should be read on the container and followed carefully.

The meeting adjourned with the singing of "Blest Be the Tie."

FROM HAMPTON

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Powell and Mrs. Hal Rogers of Hampton, Va. spent the week-end at the Rogers cottage at White Hat.

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