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OUTSTANDING JAYCETTES — Pictured above are Diane White (left) who was voted Rookie of the Year by the Perquimans County Jaycettes and Kathy Newbern who was voted Jaycette of the Year.



PROJECT CHAIRMEN OF THE YEAR — Lee Tunnell and Kay Tice were named the Project Chairmen of the Year by the Perquimans County Jaycees and Jaycettes.



PINNING THE PRESIDENT — Ann Winslow places the President's pin on husband Wayne's label officially making him the 1976-77 President of the Perquimans County Jaycees.



GUEST SPEAKERS — Guest speakers for the Jaycees at the Installation Banquet were Joe Hollowell (third from left), a candidate for North Carolina Jaycee President and Jim Hastings (pictured beside Hollowell), past president of the State Jaycee organization. Also shown at left are Wayne Winslow and his wife Ann, the incoming Jaycee president and at right is Diane and Welly White, the outgoing Perquimans County Jaycee president.



SPECIAL GUESTS — Louise Ward (left) incoming Jaycette president and Jean Brown (right), outgoing Jaycette president pose with special guests at the Installation Banquet. They are Louise McColl, president of the North Carolina Jaycettes and Francis Davis, Regional Vice President for the State Jaycette organization.

Jaycees & Jaycettes Hold Joint Installation Banquet

A combination awards night and joint installation banquet was held last Thursday night for the Perquimans County Jaycees and Jaycettes at Angler's cove.

Several awards were presented, notably Diane White received the Jaycettes' "Rookie of the Year" award which is presented to the first year member of the club who is outstanding. "The Jaycette of the Year" award, also voted on by the club, was presented to Kathy Newbern. The Jaycees named Rufus Hudson the "Key Man I of the Year" and Parker Newbern was named "Key Man II of the Year." Both of these awards are for the year's outstanding club member.

Sallie Halsey, Jaycette charter president, was awarded a lifetime membership in the organization.

Lee Tunnell who chaired the Jaycees Happiness Walk for Cerebral Palsy last November was named Outstanding Project Chairman of the year by the Jaycee organization.

Project Chairman of the Year in the Jaycette organization went to Kay Tice for chairing the club's fashion show held in the fall to benefit the Perquimans County Rescue Squad. Welly White, outgoing president of the Perquimans County Jaycees, presented the Presidential Award of Honor to Archie Miller and Ed Brown. The Jaycette Presidential Award of Honor to Archie given by outgoing president Jean Brown, went to Louise Ward.

Several certificates of appreciation were given out

by the clubs. From the Jaycees, these went to Bill Cox and the Town of Hertford; Ray Ward, Area Director for the North Carolina Jaycees; the Perquimans Weekly; Tommy Privott, disc jockey with radio station WCDJ in Edenton; and to the Perquimans County Jaycettes.

Also outgoing Pres. White gave a certificate of appreciation to each of the 1975-76 officers that served with him during the year. Area Director Ward presented certifications to Jaycees Kenny Stallings and Welly White and the Perquimans County Jaycee club. Ward also presented a plaque to Ed Brown, local and area winner in the professional division of Speak Up competition.

Key Man I awards were presented to those Jaycees members who have been in the club one year or less and met certain requirements. These winners were Edward Byrum, Kenneth Ray Winslow, Johnny Caddy, Troy Harrison, Steve Lane, John Scott, and Claude Russell. Thomas Hurdle and Charles Barnes received certificates for being named Key Men II. Louise Ward, incoming Jaycette president, presented a plaque from the club to outgoing president Jean Brown.

Guest speakers for the Jaycees were Jim Hastings, a past president of the North Carolina Jaycees and a recent candidate for U.S. Jaycee President. In his remarks, he complimented the local club for an outstanding year and urged members to continue to work to improve the local community. Also on the program for the Jaycees was Joe Hollowell, Regional National Director for the North Carolina Jaycees and a candidate for 1976-77 North Carolina Jaycee President. Hollowell, who was nominated from the Perquimans club, thanked the members for their encouragement and help thus far and asked them for their continued help.

Making remarks for the Jaycettes' part of the program were Francis Davis, Regional Vice-President for the North Carolina Jaycettes and Louise McColl, president of the state Jaycette organization. Both praised the accomplishments made this year by the local Jaycette club and urged them to continue assisting the Jaycees and working on community projects.

Remarks were made by outgoing Jaycette President Jean Brown and incoming president Louise Ward. Welly White, outgoing president of the Jaycees,

reflected on the past year and incoming president Wayne Winslow, urged members to look ahead to the future.

A slide presentation of the Jaycees year's activities was presented by Victor Lamb.

The 1976-77 Perquimans County Jaycee officers are: President Wayne Winslow; External Vice-President Bobby Harrell; Internal Vice-President Parker Newbern; Administrative Vice-President Ben Berry; State Director Archie Miller; Recording Secretary Victor Lamb; Corresponding Secretary Wallace Morgan; Treasurer, Bill Bentley; and Directors Chuck Barnes, Edward Byrum, Rufus Hudson, Blainie Jones, Billy Layden, Julian Nixon, John Scott, Douglas Stallings, and Billy Winslow.

The 1976-77 Perquimans County Jaycette officers are: President Louise Ward,

Donations Made To Rescue Squad

According to Jean Winslow, secretary, the following donations have been made to the Perquimans County Rescue Squad from Jan. 20th through April 28th:

In memory of Zack Robertson, a donation was made by Mr. and Mrs. William C. Bunch Sr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Calvin Pritchard. In memory of D.M. Jackson, donations have been received from Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cobb Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ned Nixon, Mrs. Bessie H. Miller, and Mr. and Mrs. Julian A. White.

Mr. and Mrs. T.R. Harrell have made a donation to the rescue squad in memory of Harry Litchfield.

In memory of Ernest Bowden, donations have been made by Sybil Skinner, Emma Byrum, Linda Bundy, Audrey Goodman, and Edna Hollowell.

George Lightfoot has made a donation in memory of Calvin Lightfoot. A donation was received from Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Hollowell in memory of Wilbur S. Swindell.

A donation has been given in memory of Aubrey Sawyer by Mr. and Mrs. Julian A. White and Mrs. and Mrs. C.M. Williford made a donation to the memory of Charles Parker.

A donation has been received from Mrs. Regina McDermott in memory of Mrs. Beaufort Jones.

The following persons have made donations in memory of Carroll Holmes: Wayne Beal Sr., Wayne Beal Jr., Charles Cedric Davis, Mrs. Sue T. Holmes, Mrs. George W. Davis, S.M. Fleetwood, Mr. and Mrs. Julian J. Fleetwood, Mrs. Sidney Jessup, Mrs. J.H. Newbold, Mr. and Mrs. John Fayers, Mrs. Camille B. Clarke, and Mrs. Minnie T. Wilson. Also a donation was made by the Perquimans County Coon Hunters Club.

Other donations to the Perquimans County Rescue Squad have been received from the Ladies Triangle Club, the Snug Harbor Civic League, and the Norfolk Carolina Telephone and Telegraph Company.

Will Attend Reading Conference

A Perquimans County school team will be attending a Reading Conference held at Nags Head this Friday evening and continuing through noon on Saturday. Representing the local school system will be Bill Tice, principal of Hertford Grammar School; Ms. Naomi Spence, primary teacher at Hertford Grammar; and Pat Harrell, assistant superintendent.

The focus of the conference is to explore and possibly outline steps that can be taken with local school units, institutions of higher education (specifically Elizabeth City State University and East Carolina University), and

the State Department of Public Instruction in the area of reading. It is hoped that this will be the first of many sessions to discuss things of mutual interest to all of the agencies involved. Items to be discussed will include an attempt to gain a better understanding of the preliminary undergraduate programs in reading at the universities. And the schools will explain to the university personnel what is expected in the line of competencies from these graduates. In this manner, both groups hope to gain a better understanding of how their programs effect the others and how both can work closer to effectively teach reading.

Don Juan News

By MAUDE M. WHITE

We want to congratulate Carolyn Harrell for being the winner of the "Make It Happen" trophy last week. She works in Mary Bryant's department.

Those having birthdays recently were: Pat Ballance, Pauline Holley and Rosa Skinner. Ruby Lassiter will be celebrating her birthday on Friday.

Mrs. Mary Bryant and Mrs. Estelle Felton attended the Quadrennial Testimonial Dinner in honor of Bishop and Mrs. James Wesley Nactor on April 26. The dinner was sponsored by the Albemarle Conference at Mt. Lebanon A.M.E. Zion Church in Elizabeth City.

Mrs. Rosa Skinner visited her aunt, Mrs. Lillian Dilliard on Sunday.

Mrs. Pamela Sams from Henderson, N.C. is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Wayne White, in Elizabeth City.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Harrell from New Bern, N.C. spent the weekend with Mrs. Harrell's mother, Mrs. America Robertson.

Julian Phelps from Windsor, N.C. was the Saturday night guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White and family.

Mrs. Dorothy Perry visited her father, Willie Bunch, on Monday night.

E.D. Byrum has returned home from the hospital and is doing nicely. He is the husband of Mildred Ann Byrum.

Jack Goodwin is still in the hospital at Durham, N.C. He is the husband of Marjorie Low Goodwin.

To Attend Status Of Women Conference

Perquimans County Council on the Status of Women members have received joint invitations from Governor James E. Holshouser, Jr. and the State Council on Women to attend the second Annual Conference on the Status of Women to be held at the Hilton Inn in Raleigh on May the thirteenth and fourteenth.

Activities planned for the Conference include a luncheon with Dr. Renee Hill, Director of Social Services as the keynote speaker, an opening address by Mr. John Morrissy, Executive Director of the North Carolina Association of County Commissioners; various workshops which will include Grant Writing, Projects, and Credit Legislation and How to Borrow Money. The highlight of the two day

event is a banquet with Governor Holshouser as the keynote speaker. Four of our local Council Members have confirmed their intentions of attending; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Bibb, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom White. Also attending from our County is Ms. Jenny Cosner, the Regional Coordinator for the State Council on the Status of Women for Region "R" and Ms. Marie Hurdle the Region "R" Secretary.

This year's Annual Conference is geared toward meeting the needs of the County Coordinators and Council Members.

Exciting things are happening concerning women across North Carolina and through this Conference the Perquimans County Council on the Status of Women members hope to share many of them with the women of this County.

Homemakers' Week Is Scheduled

NATIONAL EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS' WEEK OBSERVANCE DEMONSTRATION SCHEDULE

MAY 7 - COURTHOUSE GREEN

Quilting — "Variety of Patterns" — 9 a.m. — Belvidere Club — Mrs. Claude Winslow, Mrs. Estes Copeland and Mrs. Paul Byrum.

Program — 10 a.m.

Dried Floral Material — 11 a.m. — Snow Hill-White Hat Club — Mrs. Molly Tucker.

Homemade Soap — 12

Noon — Bay Branch Club — Mrs. Isetta Hollowell.

Pickles 1 p.m. — Winslow-Nicanor Club — Mrs. Eva Hurdle.

Quilting Bee — 2 p.m. — Bethel Club — Club Members

Stitchery — 3 p.m. — Burgess Club — Mrs. Dorothy Riddick.

Quilting "Cathedral Window Quilt Square" — 4 p.m. — Helen Gaither Club Mrs. Singleton Lane.

Vice-President Kathy Newbern, State Director Patsy Miller, Recording Secretary Barbara Bentley, Corresponding Secretary Carolyn Rogers, Treasurer Betty Hare, Historian Diane Stallings, and Directors Phyllis Byrum, Sandra Hudson, and Jonetta Long.

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Card of Thanks

To our many friends and relatives of Perquimans and surrounding communities: How can we express our sincere appreciation to each and everyone who offered their friendship by coming to our assistance when we lost our home completely. As you have shared our misfortune—you have given us courage to look forward to tomorrow and renewed our faith in the love you have shown.

If the world were filled with people like the people of Perquimans, then it would be the world God intended.

"Thank You" is a very small expression for the aid of the Bethel and Hertford Fire Departments, the Rescue Squad, and for every one who tried to comfort us as we saw our life's possessions burned to the ground.

For every action and expression of love and kindness we again say, "many, many thanks with sincere gratitude."

Mr. & Mrs. T.T. Harrell