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## Activities Set For Flag Day

A Flag Day celebration has been planned for Monday, June 14 by the William Paul Stallings Post 126 American Legion in Hertford.

The events will begin with a Bicentennial Flag Day Motorcade. All Extension Service Clubs, community organizations and groups as well as individuals are invited to participate in this motorcade. The group will assemble at the Perquimans Union School driveway at 4:15 p.m., proceed through Winfall on N.C. 37, go across the Perquimans River Causeway, then along Church St., down Dobbs St., along Edenton Road St., and end up at the Perquimans High School ball park. The motorcade will begin at 4:30 p.m.

Those participating in the motorcade are asked to follow three guidelines. First, a licensed operator must drive a licensed motor vehicle; second, those participating are asked to display an American flag from the vehicle; and third, individuals must ride inside of the vehicle.

The American Legion Post 126 pointed out that they will not furnish flags or signs or vehicles and the post will not be responsible for any vehicle or accident.

The festivities will continue with a fish fry at the Legion home on Grubb St. from 5 to 7 p.m. The drawing for the C.B. radio will be held at 7 p.m. with the proceeds going toward payment of the July 4th fireworks.



**RETIRING PERSONNEL** — The retiring school personnel include (l. to r.) Laura Matthews, PCCGS clerical asst.; Julia Simpson, PCHS maid; Jonetta Billups, PCHS lunchroom employe; and Mattie Everett, PCHS lunchroom manager. Not pictured is Hertford Grammar maid Marie Felton who is also retiring.



**RECEIVE TEACHERS' PINS** — Among those teachers retiring are Joe Tunnell at left and Elizabeth Britt (center). Both are teachers at Perquimans High. Also shown is Margaret Maston, retiring school supervisor, receiving her pin from C.C. Walters.



**WALTERS RETIRES** — C.C. Walters (left) was among those honored at Friday's luncheon as retiring personnel. Clifford Winslow, chairman of the Board of Education, is shown above presenting Walters' with his pin. (Newbern photos)

## School Appreciation Luncheon Held; Retiring Personnel Are Honored

The Perquimans County Board of Education sponsored their annual end-of-the-year Employe Appreciation Luncheon last Friday at Perquimans Central Grammar School. Attending were teachers, aides, and staff members employed in the Perquimans County School system.

Clifford Winslow, Board of Education Chairman, welcomed the group and lunch followed. Entertainment was provided by county music teachers Danny Meads and Caroline Wright. Two numbers were performed. In the first, Ms. Wright performed a trumpet solo "How Great

Thou Art" accompanied on the piano by Meads. Then Meads sang "It's Time To Pray" from "I Love America." He was accompanied by Ms. Wright on the piano.

Members of the Board of Education were also in attendance and were recognized. They were Thelma Elliott, George Baker, Emmett Long, Ralph Harrell, and Clifford Winslow.

The remainder of the program was devoted to those school personnel retiring. Among those honored as retiring were two Perquimans High lunchroom workers Mattie Everett,

manager; and Jonetta Billups. They were presented gifts from the other lunchroom employes. Also leaving PCHS will be Julia Simpson, maid, Laura Matthews, a clerical assistant over the past years at Perquimans Central Grammar, is also retiring. And Hertford Grammar School maid Marie Felton was also honored though she could not attend the luncheon.

Two Perquimans teachers have marked this past year as their last for teaching. Joe Tunnell, agriculture teacher; and Elizabeth Britt, English teacher, were honored with retiring teachers' pins. Both have taught for many years at Perquimans County High School.

Also among the retiring personnel is Margaret Maston, Perquimans County

School Supervisor. During the luncheon, she too was honored and presented a gift from the faculty and staff of the county's schools.

C.C. Walters, Superintendent of Perquimans County Schools, is also retiring. Clifford Winslow recognized

him for his many years of service to public education in Perquimans County and presented him with his retirement pin. He was also presented a gift from all school personnel.

In brief comments, Walters described his school

work as both a joy and a pleasure and said he had been "blessed with good people to work with."

Recognition was also given to Thelma Elliott who will soon be retiring from the Perquimans County Board of Education.

## Civic Calendar

THURSDAY, JUNE 10

The Annual Banquet of the Albemarle Regional Planning and Development Commission (ARPD) scheduled for tonight at 6:30 p.m. at Mrs. Boswell's Restaurant in Edenton has been cancelled. The public will be informed of the new banquet date when it has been rescheduled.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 11

The Perquimans County Arts Council will present their Bicentennial drama, "Freedom's Way" and "The Rivals," a play within a play, beginning at 9 p.m. in the Perquimans High School ballpark. Tickets may be purchased at the Chamber of Commerce office for \$2 for adults and \$1 for children under 12.

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The Bethel Homemakers Club will meet at 2:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, JUNE 12

A Benefit Supper for heart patient Jack Goodwin will be held from 4-7 p.m. at J & N Supply Company in Winfall. The fried chicken supper is being sponsored by the Winfall Volunteer Fire Department and proceeds will be used to offset Goodwin's medical expenses. Tickets are \$2 and may be purchased from Winfall firemen or by calling George Roach at 426-7434 after 5 p.m.

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The second performance of the Arts Council's play within a play entitled "Freedom's Way" and "The Rivals" will be presented at 9 p.m. in the high school ballpark. Tickets are \$2 for adults and \$1 for children under 12.

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The Hertford Saddle Club will sponsor a horse show beginning at 1 p.m. at the club's ring site located next to the Little League Ballpark outside of Hertford.

MONDAY, JUNE 14

Flag Day activities are being sponsored by the William Paul Stallings Post 126 American Legion and include a motorcade at 4:30 p.m. and a fish fry at the legion home on Grubb St. from 5-7 p.m. There will be music and entertainment during the fish fry. The drawing for the C.B. radio will be held at 7 p.m. Proceeds from these events will be used to defray the cost of the Fourth of July fireworks.

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A ribbon cutting ceremony will be held at the newest Perquimans Weekly office on the Courthouse Square at 10 a.m. Coffee and light refreshments will be served to visitors from 10 a.m. until noon.

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The Perquimans County Rescue Squad Ladies Auxiliary will meet at the Rescue Squad Building at 8 p.m.

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The Town Beautification Committee will meet at 8 p.m. at the Municipal Building in Hertford.

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Intercounty Fire Department meets.

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The Wesley Circle meets at 8 p.m. with Mrs. "Pete" Broughton.

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Della Shamburger Circle will meet at 8 p.m. with Mrs. Ray Haskett.

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The Helen Bame Circle meets with Mrs. Dianna Hunter at 8 p.m.

TUESDAY, JUNE 15

The Hertford Saddle Club will meet at the Agriculture Building.

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Hertford Rotary Club meets.

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Perquimans Masonic Lodge 108 will meet at 8 p.m. at the lodge hall in Hertford.

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The Belvidere-Chappell Hill Ladies Auxiliary meets.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16

Citizens United for the Improvement of Reading will meet at the County Office Building on Edenton Rd. St. at 2:45 p.m.

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The regular monthly meeting of Garland Onley Post 8148 Veterans of Foreign Wars will be held at the

## Correction

An error appeared in the June 3 (last week's) issue of The Perquimans Weekly. In the front page article headlined Candidates File For All Offices, Jean B. Harrison, a candidate for Register of Deeds was incorrectly referred to as Francis Jean Harrison. It should have read Jean B. Harrison. Our apologies.



**MARIE FELTON HONORED** — Marie Felton, maid at Hertford Grammar School, was the guest of honor at the School's Employe Appreciation Luncheon held June 2. Retiring staff members and those going to other schools next year were recognized and honored during the luncheon. Ms. Felton is pictured above receiving a gift from the faculty and staff at Hertford Grammar presented by Principal Bill Tice. Ms. Felton has been employed since 1957. (Newbern photo)

Municipal Building at 7:30 p.m. All members are urged to attend.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 17

Hertford Lions Club meets.

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The Hertford BPW Club will meet.

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Hertford Fire Department meets.

## Referendum Is Planned

The Inter-County Water Association voted at its regular meeting Thursday night to hold a referendum on Nov. 20, 1976 to determine if the members desire to sell the Inter-County Water System to Perquimans County. A referendum was held previously on this same issue in February of this year, at which time the members opposed selling the system. The referendum will be held on a Saturday between the hours of 3 and 7 p.m. and will be conducted and regulated in a manner similar to those in state and local elections. There will be no other business of the association conducted during these hours. Voting will be by secret ballot.

## Ribbon Cutting

The management and staff of The Perquimans Weekly will be officially opening their new office space with a ribbon cutting ceremony at 10 a.m. on Monday, June 14. Officials from the Town of Hertford and Chamber of Commerce office will be doing the honors.

The additional office is located next to the office currently used by the newspaper on the Courthouse Square in Hertford.

The public is invited to attend. Coffee and light refreshments will be served from 10 a.m. until noon in the new office.



**A LITTLE DIRECTION** — Opening night nears for "Freedom's Way" and "The Rivals," a play within a play, to be performed Friday and Saturday

nights in the high school ballpark at 9 p.m. Shown above, Cliff Towe, director, works with two of the performers during a rehearsal.



**ON THEIR OWN** — After a word of encouragement from their director, Tony Jordan and Susan Rogerson rehearse the last scene in the play. Jordan appears as Capt. Jack Absolute and Richard Lyndon in the performance. Ms. Rogerson portrays

Lydia Languish and Sally Noir. A full dress rehearsal was held Wednesday night in preparation for the Friday night debut. The play is being sponsored by the Perquimans County Arts Council. (Newbern photos)

# June 11 & 12, Bicentennial Drama, 9 P.M. Ballpark