

Horse Show Results

The results of the recent Perquimans Horse & Pony Club Show are as follows:

Halter 3 yrs. over — 1. Miss Come Bars, Ray Huffman, Ches.; 2. Fancy Bar Gold, Diane Jenkins, Great Bridge; 3. Brancy, Kay Dixon, Ches.

Halter 2 yrs. under — 1. Miss Bar Sassy, Jackie Bowden, Ches.; 2. Eternal Streak Bar, C.T. Rogerson, Jr. Belvd.

Showmanship At Halter — 1. Dial Hollywood, Kathy Winslow, Eliz. City; 2. Little Bid Speedy, Shirley Jones, Barco; 3. Pepper, Barbara McCarter, Currituck.

Open Go As You Please — 1. Brandy, Kay Dixon, Ches.; 2. Dial Hollywood, Kathy Winslow, Eliz. City; 3. Connie, Shirley Jones, Barco.

Childrens Go As You Please — 1. Brandy, Kay Dixon, Ches.; 2. Country Bumpkin, Gary Taft, Eliz. City; 3. Maily, Hope Harrell, Tyner.

Balloon Race — 1. Garcia, Bill White, Eliz. City; 2. Poco, Wilbur Parker, Ches.; 3. Bald Eagle, Huddle Williams, Eliz. City.

Trail Class — 1. Briarfield Pixie, Donna Stallings, Belvd.; 2. Gwananza Bar, Sandra Williams, Ches.; 3. Dial Hollywood, Kathy Winslow, Eliz. City.

Barrell Race — 1. Mike Leyo, Debbie Agnor, Ches.; 2. Scorpio, Jackie Bowden, Ches.; 3. King Dave, David Brown, Va. Beach.

Barrell Race — 1. Four Corners, Bobby Dearing, Ches.; 2. Poco, Wilbur Parker, Ches.; 3. Mike Leyo, Debbie Agnor, Ches.

Costume Class — 1. Candy, William Fowler, Htd.; 2. Satan, Eddie Fowler, Htd.; 3. Little Joe, Steven & Mike Bowden, Ches.; 4. Sandy, Sandy Weeks, Eliz. City.

Open Ladies Pleasure — 1. Connie, Shirley Jones, Barco; 2. Briarfield Pixie, Donna Stallings, Belvd.; 3. Brandy, Kay Dixon, Ches.

Open Ring Spearing — 1. Star Burst, Donnie Tadlock, Eliz. City; 2. Lady, Donnie Tadlock, Eliz. City; 3. Hocus, Larry Agnor, Ches.

Youth Western Pleasure

— 1. Country Bumpkin, Gary Taft, Eliz. City; 2. Dial Hollywood, Kathy Winslow, Eliz. City; 3. Sandy, Sandy Weeks, Eliz. City.

Pole Bending — 1. Nugget Ronnie Byrd, Ahsokie; 2. Scorpio, Jackie Bowden, Ches.

Open Ring Spearing — 1. Trigger, Brian Thomas, Ches.; 2. Four Corners, Bobby Dearing, Ches.; 3. Poco, Wilbur Parker, Ches.

Novice Western Pleasure — 1. Waukeshaw Time, Cathy Taft, Eliz. City; 2. Hancock, Denise Harrell, Tyner; 3. Thunder, Norma Wood, Eliz. City.

Western Horsemanship — 1. Connie, Shirley Jones, Barco; 2. Dial Hollywood, Kathy Winslow, Eliz. City; 3. Brandy, Kay Dixon, Ches.

Mail Train — 1. Frances Poco, Shortie Layden, Tyner; 2. Duchess, Theresa Griggs, Eliz. City; 3. Manzola Boy, Curtis Stevenson, Eliz. City.

Men's Western Pleasure — 1. Dan, Jimmy Kirby, Edenton; 2. Dial Hollywood, Talmadge Winslow, Eliz. City; 3. Mr. Sonny, Dallas Weeks, Eliz. City.

Mail Train — 1. Trigger, Brian Thomas, Ches.; 2. Lady Luck, Nancy Neal, Ches.; 3. Duchess, Theresa Griggs, Eliz. City.

Open Western Pleasure — 1. Dial Hollywood, Kathy Winslow, Eliz. City; 2. Connie, Shirley Jones, Barco; 3. Dan, Jimmy Kirby, Edenton.

Fastest Pony Around the Ring — 1. Nugget, Darlene Creviston, Ahsokie; 2. Pay Check, Donna Ray, Ahsokie; 3. Cheyenne, Mike Davis, Ches.

Fastest Horse Around the Ring — 1. Four Corners, Bobby Dearing, Ches.; 2. Trigger, Brian Thomas, Ches.; 3. Poco, Wilbur Parker, Ches.

There were 202 entries in the show. The next show will be held July 4, at 1:30 p.m. at the ring site. There will be classes for everyone to enjoy and the concession stand will be open featuring the July 4th favorite, homemade ice cream.

Summertime and your electric bill.

When temperatures soar into the 90's, a lot of us will turn to our air conditioners for relief. And because air conditioners are such big users of electricity, this will mean higher electric bills.

The peak load.

For us here at Vepco, it will mean that virtually all of our equipment may be operating at peak or near peak capacity to provide this electricity. And this is expensive.

This heavy demand for electricity is called peak load. And it's one reason why electric rates for over 600 kilowatts per month are higher in the summer. Let's take a closer look.

How peak load affects your rates.

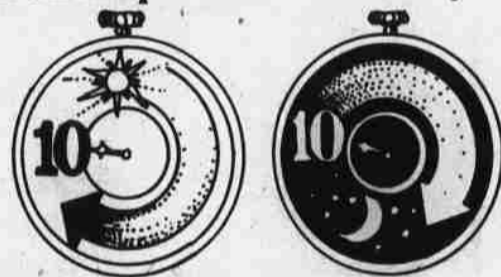
Because the demand for electricity is greater in the summer than the winter, we must have generating equipment and facilities to handle it. Even though this equipment may operate only during this peak load period, we still have to pay for it throughout the entire year

— for things like maintenance, interest payments on the money that we borrowed to build it, and labor costs. Therefore, to offset these costs, higher rates are charged to customers who help create the heavier summer demand.

How to take the peak out of the load.

Peak loads generally occur on weekdays, rather than weekends when many industrial and commercial operations are shut down.

The biggest way you can help is by shifting your heavy weekday consumption of electricity away from the peak times of the day.



On a hot summer day this means doing some jobs before 10 a.m. or after 10 p.m. Things like laundry, dishwashing, baking, and using hot water or heavy appliances can often be scheduled so as not to come during the hottest part of the day.

If we could get everyone to do this, it would lessen the impact of the peak load. And by reducing peak loads, we could cut the cost of providing equipment and facilities that operate only a small portion of the year.

Fourteen ways to help during a peak load period.

Temperatures in your home are very important, especially with your air conditioner running. 78 degrees is the recommended setting in most cases. However, when it gets super hot, remember never to keep the inside temperature more than 15 degrees cooler than the outside.

Air conditioners are a blessing, but make sure yours gives you its best. Keep filters clean. Dirty filters will run up your cooling costs. Also, be sure large pieces of furniture aren't blocking your air conditioner's circulation of air.

Buying an air conditioner? Be sure to buy one with a high Energy Efficiency Ratio (EER). It'll save you money on operating costs. An EER of 6 to 7 is fair, 8 to 9 is good, and 10 or higher is excellent.



Refrigerators and home freezers are big energy users. Keep door opening to a minimum and avoid overchilling. 40 degrees is the recommended setting for refrigerators, 0 degrees for freezers. Check door gaskets. If a dollar bill doesn't fit snugly when the door is closed, it needs replacing. And defrost the units before frost is one quarter inch thick.

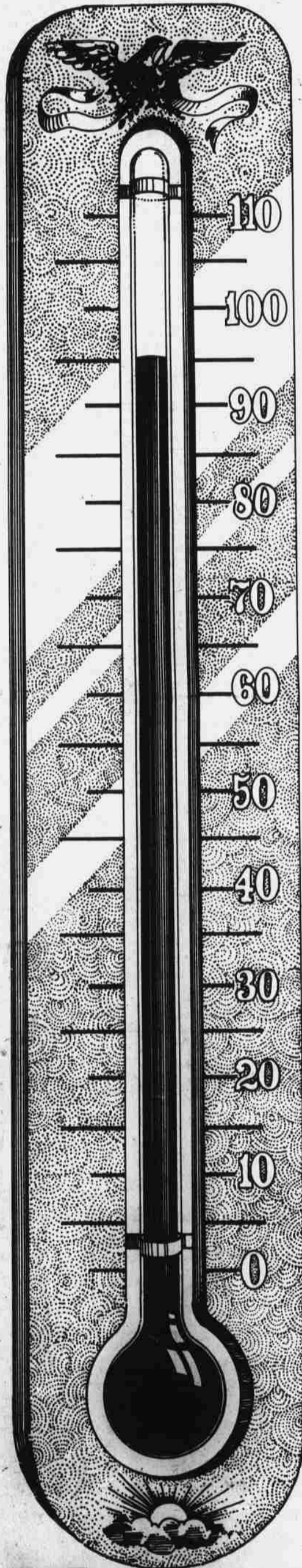
Dishwashers should be used only when there's a full load. So wait till it's full and then run it late at night or early in the morning. And to reduce costs on your dishwasher, turn it off when it starts the drying cycle.

Laundry is most economical when you use cold water detergents and full loads. Also, on weekdays use your washer and dryer early in the day or late at night.

Showers generally use less hot water than tub baths. But don't let your youngsters stay in there for 15 to 20 minutes. That's a lot of hot water — and money — down the drain.

One final reminder, on weekdays try to use your electricity as much as possible before 10 a.m. and after 10 p.m., when the weather gets really hot.

By following these simple tips, you can help us reduce peak loads — and help control your electric bill.



Vepco

Puzzle Answers

The following are the answers to last week's Biblical Crossword Puzzle:

- ACROSS
1. Ruth
4. an ark
6. Cain
7. ten
8. Ezra
9. Eve
11. Paul
14. Uz
16. God
17. James
20. Adam

22. her
23. Lord
DOWN
1. Rachel
2. Hannah
3. Matthew
5. kin
10. eat
12. Asia
13. Luke
15. Jona
17. John
18. Mark
19. Saul
21. mad

Classifieds & Legals

NOTICE OF RESALE IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION BEFORE THE CLERK File No. 76-SP-3

NORTH CAROLINA PERQUIMANS COUNTY MARY P. DANCHISE, et vir, Petitioners

vs. JOSEPH E. PROCTOR, et al, Respondents

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred in the Order dated March 5, 1976, in that certain special proceeding in the Superior Court of Perquimans County, N.C., entitled "Mary P. Danchise, et vir, Petitioners, v. Joseph E. Proctor, et al, Respondents," and under and by virtue of an Order or Resale upon an advanced bid made, the undersigned Commissioners will on the 2nd day of July, 1976, at 12:00 o'clock Noon, at the Courthouse door in Perquimans County, Hertford, N.C., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash upon an opening bid of \$108,200.00 that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Bethel Township, Perquimans County, N.C. and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning on Harveys Neck Road at the foot of Pender Road, and running along the Pender Road South 40 degrees West 23 chains; thence South 48 degrees West 10 chains, to a ditch, T.C. Lane's corner; thence North 53 degrees West 26.9 chains to a lane; thence along said lane South 48 degrees West 23.47 chain to F.E.

James' line; thence North 40 degrees 30' West 9.20 chains; thence along the line of F.E. James, T.M. Farmer and Hardy Skinner, the following courses: North 54 degrees East 2.85 chains; North 6 degrees 30' East 3.4 chains; North 63 degrees 30' East 3.35 chains; thence North 42 degrees 30' East 9.57 chains; thence North 31 degrees 30' East 10.67 chains; thence South 46 degrees East 1.3 chains; thence North 47 degrees East 20 chains; to Harveys Point Road; thence along said road South 49 degrees East 2.95 chains; thence South 54 East to Sanders' Bottom Public School lot; thence along the line of the said school lot to the lane, W.R. Blanchard's line of the land conveyed to him this day by the parties of the first part; thence along the lines of said land of W.R. Blanchard as follows: South 47 degrees West 11.2 chains; thence South 58 degrees 30' East 13.07 chains; thence North 38 degrees East 12.5 chains to Harveys Neck Road; thence along said road South 64 degrees East to the beginning. Containing 118.3 acres by survey.

The successful bidder or bidders at said public auction shall be required to make a deposit with the Commissioners in the amount of 10 per cent of the first \$1,000.00 and 5 per cent of the balance of his or her bid, and will assume and pay the 1976 taxes assessed against the property.

THIS NOTICE dated and posted this 16th day of June, 1976. W.H. OAKLEY, JR., Commissioner O.C. ABBOTT, Commissioner June 24—July 1

questions and answers

Q. I visited the social security office during the first week of last month. It was really busy, and I had to wait quite a while before I got to talk to someone. Is the office always so busy?

A. Usually, social security offices are busiest on the first few days of the week and during the first 2 weeks of the month. Unless your business is urgent, the best time to visit the office is at the end of the week or during the last half of the month. And it's a good idea to call the office first. Often, business can be handled by phone

and you won't have to make a trip.

Q. I started getting social security student benefits this month. I work part time and know my earnings can affect my monthly payments, but does this include earnings I had before my benefits started?

A. Yes. In determining your social security benefits for the year, earnings for the entire year are counted. This includes months before your benefits begin, as well as months after your benefits end. If you earn over \$2,520 for the year, your benefits will be reduced \$1 for each \$2 over \$2,520.