

Forest Ranger Explains Job

My Name is County Forest Ranger Lewis Stallings. I am employed by you the taxpayers of Perquimans County and the state of North Carolina's Division of Forest Resources.

As Perquimans County Ranger I am charged by law with the responsibility of protection and management of the 72,282 acres of forest resource in Perquimans County. I protect the forest land, streams and related resources from fire, insects, disease and pollution. It is a major job in planning, coordinating the protection and management of all the forest resources in Perquimans County.

More meets the eye than merely waiting for fires, insects and disease attacks or taking a group of scouts on nature hikes.

It is my responsibility to assist you with the management of your forest land by assisting you with examinations to determine the vigor of your forest and management plans on how to keep your forest healthy and productive for the present and the future. Reforestation of unproductive forest land insures a continuous supply of forest products for future generations.

The science of forestry is a broad field; working with mother nature in reaching goals in management, protection and balancing an environment is a tedious job. We have a lot of goals to reach in this county that are reviewed and renewed annually in able to keep on top of the forestry needs. Expertise from many other departments within the Forest Service, other state, federal and private agencies are combined to accomplish overall goals of forest conservation in Perquimans County.

Work and cooperation between the citizens, landowners, and me is needed in able to reach our future goals.

The future goals are reduced loss from fire, insect, disease and pollution, and last but not least, to put every acre we can back in production and under management. Without the cooperation we have received in the past we would have never made it this far. It will take more effort in the future.

Don't forget that as Perquimans County Ranger I am here to serve you. If you have a forest problem we will work with you in getting a solution. But please don't call just when you have a problem call before, and maybe we can diagnose a potential problem before it occurs.

The work as Perquimans County Ranger is not always enjoyable. The ticks, snakes, fires, briars, nights and weekends away from family and friends, and hassle make up the job, but above this I still feel there is purpose in why I am employed. There is a lot of worthwhile accomplishments that have to be made for the future. Let's work together!

In The News

Miss Judy Long of Raleigh spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Long.

Mrs. Regina McDermott is a patient in the Albemarle Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Matthews, Jr. and family of Suffolk, Va. were guests of Mrs. Fred Matthews, Sr. on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian White were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julian White, Jr. in Bel Aire, Md.

Mrs. T. W. Nixon is a guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Nixon, at Virginia Beach, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Britt were guests of Miss Bea Skipsey at Nags Head on Sunday.

Miss Linda Banks of New Bern spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. C. C. Banks.

Mrs. Donald Norris is a surgery patient in the Chowan Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stallings spent the weekend in Greenville with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Stallings.

Joe Campbell visited R. B. Kirby in Norfolk, Va. on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Martin Towe will spend this weekend in Richmond, Va. with her daughter, Miss Jo Davis Towe. She will be accompanied home by Miss Towe for a visit in Hertford.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Williams, Jr. spent a few days last week in Richmond, Va. with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Morgan, Jr. of Fort Lauderdale, Fla. visited relatives in Hertford several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Christensen have returned to their home in Charlotte after spending several weeks in Hertford and Nags Head.

Miss Ann Winslow, student at Peace College in Raleigh, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Winslow.

Miss Mary Bryant, student at Peace College in Raleigh, was a weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Myers of Chesapeake, Va. were guests of Mrs. L. D. Myers on Sunday.

Mrs. Marshall Ownes spent the weekend with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Latham, in Ayden.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Long of Hertford and Miss Judy Long of Raleigh were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Jones, Mrs. Mary Lou Sutton, and Miss Helene Britt in Shelby.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Matthews and family of Snow Hill were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Matthews and family of Suffolk, Va. were guests of Mrs. Fred Matthews on Sunday.

Mrs. Addie Keegan was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Symons on Sunday in Elizabeth City.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harrison spent a few days this week at Virginia Beach, Va. and attended the funeral of Mrs. Harrison's mother, Mrs. Mary Detterman, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Long of Hertford and Miss Judy Long of Raleigh have returned from a trip to the Blue Ridge Parkway.

Miss Sarah Goodwin represented the Hertford Girl Scouts as the Executive Mansion in Raleigh on Saturday, when the North Carolina Girl Scouts presented a Heritage Quilt to be used in the Mansion. Sarah designed the quilt square for Perquimans County.

Mrs. L. D. Myers, Miss Sarah Goodwin, of Hertford, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Myers of Chesapeake, Va. visited some old homes and churches in Bath on Sunday.

Mandatory Tagging: Key To Deer Management Program

By ROD D. MCCLANAHAN, Wildlife Biologist

As the days begin to progressively grow shorter and the trees begin to shed their red and yellow leaves, we are well reminded that winter is once again on its way. Along with this continual encroachment of winter comes the opening of the hunting season to Eastern North Carolina.

With the deer and squirrel season well under way, it seems that there is an abundant supply of game, with many hunters having good success in bagging their elusive quarry. Most hunters report that the bucks appear to be in full rut, with many bucks having been seen trailing does. This year's mild summer has seemed to produce a plentiful supply of high quality food such as hickory nuts, acorns, beechnuts, and wild grapes. Such an abundant supply of high quality food will help to insure good populations of game species next year. Most of the deer that have been harvested so far appear to be very fat and in good condition.

As many hunters may or may not be aware, those who are successful in bagging an antlered deer this year are required by law to tag the animal and report it to a big game cooperater agent. Failure to do so not only constitutes a violation of the state law, but also represents a lack of consideration for wildlife management and conservation in North Carolina. This mandatory tagging regulation is not intended to create

an additional problem for hunters; but rather, it is designed to provide valuable data to wildlife biologists that will enable them to more efficiently manage the deer population. In past years, big game hunters were only required to tag antlerless deer, bear, boar, and wild turkey. This regulation though, did not provide any accurate indication as to the total deer kill throughout the state. Hopefully, through the cooperation of deer hunters in tagging and reporting all deer harvested, wildlife biologists will have a more accurate indication as to the total deer harvest. Such data will enable biologists to depict long term trends and thus assist in the establishment of the best possible deer season for the sportsmen of North Carolina.

Based upon periodic surveys of big game cooperators in the Albemarle area, all indications are that deer hunters are not responding as well as anticipated to the new tagging regulation. The North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission would like to remind hunters that tagging the deer is not enough to comply with the regulation. In order for the tagging regulation to be successful, hunters must also report the deer that are harvested at a designated big game cooperater agent. Hunters may report their deer kill at any of the big game cooperater agents, which are designated by a yellow and black triangular sign displayed in the window. If hunters are unable to

locate a cooperater agent, they may contact Rod D. McClanahan, Wildlife Biologist (264-3180) to report their kill. To assist hunters in locating a big game cooperater agent in their area, the big game cooperater agents and wildlife enforcement officers in the Chowan, Perquimans, Pasquotank, Camden, and Currituck County area are listed as follows:

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Ms. Knight Wins First Place Award

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Throughout North Carolina this Christmas hundreds of Extension Service homemakers will be hanging stockings they made this year to commemorate the nation's Bicentennial.

Entered in the North Carolina Extension Service's first Christmas Stocking Contest this fall, the stockings are all original designs and all homemade using every craft technique imaginable, including crocheting, knitting, embroidery, tooled leather, quilting, needlepoint, handweaving and applique.

This beautiful handiwork will be displayed in a special feature exhibit in Olde Towne of the SOUTHERN CHRISTMAS SHOW, November 6-14 at the Charlotte Merchandise Mart.

The exhibit includes the 100 first-place winners from each of North Carolina's 100 counties, the top winners in each of the Extension Service's seven districts, a Best of Show award and two Honorable Mentions.

The Best of Show Purchase Award went to Mrs. Diane Wold of Chapel Hill and Honorable Mention Awards went to Mrs. Eve Boettcher, Selma and Mrs. W.T. Harrison, Winston-Salem. First place winner from Perquimans County was Mrs. Marshall Knight of Rt. 3, Hertford.

The Extension Service is also sponsoring daily Christmas Craft Clinics at 12:30 p.m. during the SOUTHERN CHRISTMAS SHOW. Home Economics Extension Agents will be making Christmas stockings, textile and china painting, quilting and small handsewn items.

The unique display of stockings will be one of several special attractions of the Christmas Show's Olde Towne, a recreated village of yesteryear where nostalgic memories of small town Christmases

become reality once more. You can step into the music maker's shop and hear Christmas tunes on player pianos, visit the toymaker, sniff the good aromas of country hams, nuts, apples and cookies in the general store, have your photograph made in period costume at Dr. Feelgood's Pictorial Paladium and shop for unusual candles, quilts, old lamps, and clocks.

You can mail your Christmas cards from the vintage post office, let the children sit on Santa's lap and later chat with WBT's giant candy cane that only talks to children.

An antique doll collection will bring back pleasant memories to mothers and grandmothers and fascinate their small daughters. A new addition to Olde Towne this year is a church, where crosses, creches and Madonnas from a private collection will be displayed. Live trees decorated in competition by local clubs and organizations will be another featured attraction in the Christmas Tree Court.

Hundred of booths filled with bazaar items, crafts, holiday foods, and plants, cooking and craft clinics, a Christmas Flower Show, promise an exciting, fun-filled, happy event for the entire family.

Hours are 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. weekdays and Saturdays, an from noon to 6 p.m. on Sundays.

Advance sale adult tickets are \$2.00, youth (10-18) are \$1.50 and senior adults (65 and over) are \$1.50. Children through age 9 will be admitted free with an adult (does not include groups).

For more information, please contact: Southern Shows, Inc., 2500 E. Independence Blvd., Charlotte, N.C. 28205.

To Attend Convention

Members of the Perquimans County Board of Education will be attending the North Carolina School Boards Convention to be held in Asheville, N.C. Nov. 4 through Nov. 6. Representing Perquimans will be board chairman Clifford Winslow, member Thelma Elliott, member George Baker and member Ralph Harrell. Also attending will be school superintendent Pat Harrell.

Diego, Calif. The keynote address will be delivered by Dr. John T. Caldwell, former chancellor of North Carolina State University.

Local board members will join those across the state in attending various clinics on current concerns such as personnel policies, discipline and due process, new developments in school law, and the use of school facilities. There will also be roundtable discussions and exhibits.

At the delegate assembly meeting, Thelma Elliott and Clifford Winslow will serve as official delegates. Items to be discussed include a look at proposed expansion of services for NCSBA and budget requests to the General Assembly from NCSBA.

Flu Shots

Mrs. Flora Carter, Nursing Supervisor for Perquimans County Health Department, reported that 167 Swine Flu shots were given last week in the county.

will be giving the Swine Flu Shots on Thursday of each week from 9:00 — 11:00 a.m. and 2 — 4 p.m. Those who haven't received their shot should make plans now to attend the Clinic Thursday.

The Health Department

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EXCITED! Hangover McGloom, the hyperactive basset hound above, expresses her elation upon learning from her owner, Doreen Warren, that she has been awarded the coveted role of the "other dog" in Lyceum Series production of "George M" which will be presented at the college on November 19 and 20. Mrs. Warren, who is enrolled in the pre-Business Administration curriculum, reported that Hangover was so thrilled at the prospect of performing in the musical, she almost fully-opened one eye! Lucy Vaughan, director, said the rather demanding role calls for the animal to do absolutely nothing, a part which she feels is particularly adapted to Hangover's talents. Advance sale tickets for "George M" are on sale at Oxena Newsstand and the

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