

# Extension news

PAIGE UNDERWOOD

Can the calendar be right? The holidays are just around the corner! Or should I say, here?

The efforts of baking will be wasted if proper storage is not carried out for baked goods. Whether for the family or for gifts, here are some tips I feel will be helpful:

- To freeze unbaked dough, use one of these two methods:
  - Pack dough into freezer containers or wrap air-tight in foil or freezer bags. Dough can thaw at room temperature, but allow to thaw only to the point where it can be spooned out.
  - Drop cookie dough according to recipe directions onto wax paper-lined cookie sheets. Place cookie sheets in the freezer about 1 hour. Remove unbaked, frozen cookies; quickly pack into freezer container. To thaw, remove from container, place on ungreased cookie sheets, let stand 10 minutes, then bake.
- Cool all cookies thoroughly before storing. Do not overlap or stack cookies until completely cool.
- Properly wrapped cookies or cookie dough can be stored in the freezer several months without losing flavor and freshness. Be sure to label each item with date and recipe name. When ready to serve, cookies and bars should be frosted while still frozen but before thawed.
- Soft cookies should be stored separately from crisp cookies.
- Plain and frosted cakes and cookies, except those with whipped cream or custard fillings, are usually not stored in the refrigerator as they absorb too much moisture.
- Store soft cookies in a tightly covered container and crisp cookies in a container with a loose cover.
- If crisp cookies soften, they can be rejuvenated by placing them on a baking sheet before serving and heating 3-5 minutes in a slow oven (350 F.)

If soft cookies dry out, place a slice of apple, orange or bread into container. Here's to happy baking and to a happy holiday!



## Mathews

Floyd Mathews, right, is shown receiving a 15 year length of service award as a district supervisor for Perquimans County. Ralph Tucker, left, State President of the Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts presented the award to Mr. Mathews at the Area Five Soil and Water Conservation meeting held in Edenton recently.

## Williams

Carroll Williams of Perquimans County, right, receives a ten year length of service award as a district supervisor for Perquimans County. Ralph Tucker, left, State President of the Association of Soil and Water conservation Districts presented the awards at a recent meeting.

## Goodman-Mathews

Audrey Goodman and Crayton Mathews Sr. were united in marriage at the home of the groom on November 16 at 7 p.m. Pastor Bullard performed the double ring, candle-light ceremony. After the wedding the couple took a trip to the mountains of Tennessee. They are making their home at 124 West Grubb Street, Hertford.

## Hudson-Ward to wed

Lessie Cartwright Hudson and Charles Henry Ward of Hertford will be married on Sunday, December 23 at 3 p.m. in Bethel Baptist Church, Route 1, Hertford. No invitations are being sent but friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend the ceremony and the reception which will be held in the church fellowship hall immediately following the ceremony.

## Ms. Bunch honored

Janet Bunch, formerly of Hertford, is currently employed with the Veteran's Administration in data processing at The Technical College of Alamance. While a student at T.C.A. she attained high scholastic honors and was named to the President's List. The list includes those students taking a full curricular load and maintaining a 3.00 grade average or better.

## Iredell House opens

On Sunday, December 16, from two until seven o'clock in the evening, the James Iredell Association in Edenton will sponsor "Christmas in the Iredell House." The Iredell House will be decorated for the holiday season and traditional refreshments will be served. Of special interest on this festive occasion will be the appearance of Patrick Mead, a local instrumentalist and folklorist, and performing Christmas carolers in gaily dressed costumes.

## White accepted at Campbell

James Gregory White, Jr. of Hertford has been accepted for admission to Campbell University and will be entering as a freshman when its fall term opens in August. White will be a graduate of Perquimans High School and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James G. White, Sr. White plans to major in pre-law at Campbell.

# People Briefs

Mrs. F. E. Shortall from Cocksylvia, Md. and Mrs. Ann Sarato from Columbia, Md. were weekend guests of Mrs. Max Campbell. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bumbarger from Hickory spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ward. Mrs. Reba Owens was a guest of Mrs. and Mrs. Alan Latham at Greenville on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Britt have returned from a two weeks visit with relatives in Shelby. While there Mr. Britt spent a week in Houston, Texas with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Britt and other relatives. Mrs. Monnie Ross and son, Jason, from Raleigh spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Hayward Divers. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams, Jr. and Mrs. C. C. Banks were guests of Miss Linda Banks in Greenville on Saturday. Mrs. Ralph Wallace from Belhaven was a guest of Mrs. W. G. Wright on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ward from Winston-Salem were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ward. Miss Donna Thach, student at ECU, Greenville, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thach, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Julian White, Jr. from Bel Air, Md., Miss Joan White, student at St. Mary's College, Raleigh, Miss Sue White from Virginia Beach, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Worth Britt from Tarboro were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julian White, Sr.

# Civic Calendar

Thurs. Dec. 13	Perq. Co. Jaycees PTA Hertford Grammar School Alcoholics Anonymous Hertford United Methodist Church 8 p.m. Al Anon 8 p.m. Hertford United Methodist Church	Mon. Dec. 17	Perq. Co. Bd. of Comm. p.m. Perq. Co. Bd. Education Bethel Fire Dept. Memory Lane Senior Citizens Club 2 p.m. Perq. Co. Social Service Bd. 7:30 Old Agriculture Bldg.
Fri. Dec. 14	Bethel Homemakers 2:30	Tues. Dec. 18	Snowhill-Whitehat Homemakers Club Meridan Lodge 8 meets 8 p.m. Lodge Hall Perq. Masonic Lodge 06 8 p.m. Lodge Hall Hertford Rotary Club 6:30
Sat. Dec. 15		Wed. Dec. 19	Durants Neck Ruritans
Sun. Dec. 16	Snug Harbor Civic League Welcome Program for Dr. H. H. Greer St. Paul A.M.E. Zion Church Hertford, NC 2:30 p.m.		

## Craftsmen sought

Persons desiring active membership in the Albemarle Craftman's Guild must submit three articles of their craft accompanied by an application to the Standards Committee by February 15, 1980. Application blanks may be secured by writing to Mrs. Paige L. Underwood, County Home Economics Agent, P.O. Box 87, Hertford, N.C. 27944, or calling 426-7697. The application form has complete details for those interested in submitting a craft for approval. The Albemarle Craftman's Guild was founded in 1966 by a small group of craftsmen and is dedicated to the improvement of quality of crafts produced and sold, to encourage original design, to promote the continuation and authentic reproduction of earlier crafts, to study the aspect of marketing crafts produced by the members and to stimulate public interest in high quality crafts. Dues for active craftsmen are \$5 per year. Those interested in crafts but not craftsmen themselves may become associate members and pay \$3 a year. Dues should be paid to Ms. Audrey Tuttle, Treasurer, Route 6, Box 276, Elizabeth City, N.C. 27909.

## Ladies night

Some 85 persons, including guests and members, attended the annual Perquimans County Masonic Lodge Ladies Night, held at Angler's Cove on Friday, Nov. 30. Rev. Glen Greenway of Berea Baptist Church was the featured speaker of the evening, and special guests included the wives of deceased lodge members. Cecil Winslow, deputy grand master, introduced the guests, and Lawrence Spivey, master of ceremonies, handed out door prizes. The program was preceded by a buffet supper.



## WINSLOW-BLANCHARD

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73 Ford Torino, 2-dr., V8, AT, PS, AC.	77 Ford LTD, 4-dr., V8, AT, PS, AC.	
74 Chev. Camaro, V8, AT, PS.	78 Ford Landau, 2-dr., V8, AT, AC.	
74 Ford Gran Torino, 2-dr., V8, AT, PS, AC.	78 Ford Fairmont, 6-cyl., AT, AC, PS.	
75 Malibu, 4-dr., V8, AT, PS, AC.	78 Ford LTD II, 2-dr., V8, PS, AC, AT.	
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73 Ford F-100, V8, LB, AT.	76 Ford F150, V8, AT, PS, LB, 4x4.	
74 Chev. C-10, V8, AT, LB.	76 Dodge Van, 6-cyl., SS.	
74 Ford F100, V8, AT, LB, PS.	78 Ford Club Wagon, 8-pass., V8, AT, PS, AC.	
75 Ford F250, V8, AT, LB, PS, 4 x 4.	78 Chev. C10, V8, AT, PS, AC, LB, 4 x 4.	
75 Ford F150, V8, AT, PS, LB.		
76 Ford F150, V8, AT, PS, LB, AC.		

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