

LOCAL NEWS

Community Calendar

Cotton Meeting Scheduled

The Perquimans County Cotton Meeting is scheduled, Monday, December 19, at 7:30 p.m. at the Perquimans County Extension Office, Hertford. The topics of the meeting will be "Cotton Marketing and Grading" and "Weed Management in Cotton." The meeting is open to all persons interested in cotton.

Library Schedule

The Perquimans County Public Library will be closed December 23-26 and on January 2 for observance of the holidays.

Special Hours

The Hertford Post Office will be open on Saturday, December 17 from 9 a.m. until 12 noon.

High School Concert

The Perquimans County High School Chorus will present its winter music program on Thursday night, December 15, at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. The public is cordially invited to attend.

4-H Craft Workshop

Craft workshops for youth will be offered at the Perquimans County Extension Office Building from 9 a.m. to 12 noon, Saturday, December 17 and on Wednesday, December 21. The crafts youth make are lace tree ornaments, beaded tree ornaments and stenciling. Call 426-7697 for cost of workshop and more information.

Chamber Hours

The Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce Office will be close on Saturday, December 24 and Monday December 26 for the Christmas holidays. The office will close at 4 p.m. on Friday, December 30, and will be closed Saturday December 31 and January 2.

Bloodmobile To Visit

The Bloodmobile, from the Tidewater Division of the American Red Cross, will be in Hertford at the Hertford United Methodist Church, on Wednesday, December 21, from 3:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. The Perquimans County quota for this month's drive is 50 pints. The Bloodmobile is sponsored by the Perquimans County Jaycees.

Area obituaries

SPRUILL

Harry Lee Spruill, 60, of Route 2, Hertford, died Saturday night at his home. A native of Chowan County, he was the son of the late Jesse and Fleetie Spruill and the husband of Mrs. Cassie Winslow Spruill.

He was a retired millwright with Jones Lumber Co. and was formerly a truck driver. He attended Piney Wood Friends Meeting. He was a World War II veteran having served in the Army and Merchant Marines.

Besides his wife, surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Terry (Linda) Godfrey of Belvidere and a son, Dick Spruill of Route 2, Hertford; one sister, Mrs. Evelyn Atkinson of Norfolk, Va.; one brother, Douglas Spruill of Norfolk, Va., and one grandson.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at 2:30 p.m. in the Piney Woods Friends Meeting by Ken Spivey.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ray Perry sang "The Old Rugged Cross" and "This World is Not My Home."

Pallbearers were Willard Copeland, Rudolph Perry, Earl Parker, Richard Winslow, Roland Eure, Earl Ward and Howard Winslow.

Burial followed in the Family Cemetery.

Swindell Funeral Home was in charge of funeral arrangements.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Piney Woods Tape Ministry or the Perquimans Co. Rescue Squad.

SPIVEY

Mrs. Carrie Miller Spivey, 83, of Hertford, died Saturday morning in Albemarle Hospital. A native of Perquimans County, she was the daughter of the late Thomas and Absilla Byrum Miller and the widow of Algernon Spivey. She was a member of Hertford Baptist Church.

Surviving is one daughter, Mrs. W. S. (Vivian) Winslow of Route 1, Belvidere; one brother, Henry Spivey of Route 1, Belvidere; eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at 11 a.m. in the chapel of Swindell Funeral Home by the Revs. Raymond Needham and Randal Cosand.

Mrs. Chester Winslow played "Oh, How I Love Jesus" and "The Old Rugged Cross."

Pallbearers were Wayne Winslow,

Reggie Winslow, Scott Winslow, Martin Scott, Mac Miller and Conroy Miller.

Burial followed in Cedarwood Cemetery.

BENTON

Claude Cefus Benton, 89, of Route 3, Hertford, died Thursday in Virginia Beach General Hospital. A native of Perquimans County, he was the son of the late George and Sallie Matthews Benton and the husband of Mrs. Molly Smith Benton.

He was a member of the Berea Church of Christ. He was a retired farmer and grocer. Other survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Broughton of Roanoke Rapids, Mrs. Mae Moore of Chesapeake, Va., Mrs. Margaret Prudin of Virginia Beach, Va., and Mrs. Leola Todd of Mitchell, Va.; and two sons, Ralph Benton and Claude D. Benton, both of Virginia Beach, Va.

Other survivors include three sisters, Mrs. J. Elmer Wood, Mrs. Lucille Saunders and Mrs. Beatrice Russell, all of Route 3, Hertford; two brothers, Edward Benton of Hertford, and Wallace Benton of Deland, Florida; 24 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday at 1:30 in the chapel of Swindell Funeral Home by the Rev. Ronnie Woolard. Burial was in Cedarwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Preston Morgan played "The Old Rugged Cross."

Pallbearers were White Cartwright, Lloyd R. Dail, Albert Eure, Delvin Eure, Belvin Eure and John Elmer Wood.

WINSLOW

EDENTON — Mary Ethel Turner Winslow, 85, a native of Perquimans County and the widow of Roland Winslow, died Monday in a nursing home. She was a former resident of Elizabeth City.

Mrs. Winslow was a member of Elizabeth City Church of Christ.

Survivors include a daughter, Ruth W. Everette of Milton, Fla.; a sister, Lillian T. Bunch of Tyner; two brothers, Wilford Turner of Edenton and Stockton Turner of Tyner; and one grandchild.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the chapel of Williford-Barham Funeral Home by Rev. Homer Styons. Burial followed in Beaver Hill Cemetery.

Mailing tips from the post office

By HENRY C. STOKES, JR., Hertford Postmaster

Here are some "shopping tips" for you to use when you visit your post office. At least one of them should save you money or get you more value for what you spend.

Post cards are a bargain. Thirteen cents will speed your message anywhere in the country, use your own card and a 13-cent stamp, or even better, buy the 13-cent postal card sold at your post office and get the card thrown in free.

Make special delivery count. Don't use it if you're mailing to a box number. Post office boxes get "special" deliveries several times a day anyway. Don't use it with a rural route address. (The cost of having rural route carriers standing by all over the country is unthinkable.) Do

use it if you expect your letter to arrive in its destination city on a weekend or holiday and you want immediate delivery. The \$2.10 (minimum) fee will assure carrier delivery on Sundays or holidays and during prescribed hours beyond the hours for delivery of ordinary mail.

Order stamps by mail. Call or write your post office for order blanks and postage-paid envelopes to get books, sheets or rolls of stamps, or stamped envelopes. The 40-cent handling charge is probably less than the cost of the gas you'd use to drive to the post office.

Use your return address. Put it in the upper left-hand corner of your letter, with your Zip Code (not on the back where it will take longer to find.)

Mail before 5:00 p.m. — the earlier the better. Mailing early in the day

means that you put your letters at the head of the line for processing and travel on the first available transportation. With many airports forbidding late-night flights, this could make a difference in arrival time for mail going long distance.

Use strong tape on parcels. Use filament tape, the kind that needs cutting with scissors. Don't bother with wrapping paper if you have a

good sturdy box with enough space to print a large, legible address and return address.

Want to know more about the services available at the post office? Ask your postmaster for "A Customer's Directory of Postal Services and Products" (Pub. 201). Or write the Consumer Advocate, U.S. Postal Service, Washington, D.C. 20260-6320.



Willie Anderson is the only player to win the U.S. Open golf championship three consecutive years. He accomplished the feat in 1903-1905.

Johnny Miller won golf's biggest purse in history when he won \$500,000 in last year's Sun City Golf Challenge played in Sun City, Bophuthatswana.



The world's oldest amateur golf tournament is the British Amateur Golf Championship. It has existed since 1885.

According to Figgie International's Rawlings Golf, a player can use up to 14 clubs, usually four woods, nine irons and a putter.



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Holiday Hours

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- Dec. 24 — 6:30 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
- Dec. 25 — 6:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
- Dec. 31. — 7:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
- Jan. 1 — 6:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

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