

### Merry Hill News

By Mrs. Ethel Winborne

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Williford and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goodwin of Edenton visited J. L. Williford and Mr. and Mrs. Wright Williford Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Tart of Princeton were the week-end guests of her mother, Mrs. C. T. Baker and sister, Mrs. Viola Coward.

Mrs. D. A. Byrd spent Friday in Aulander with relatives and friends.

Mrs. T. A. Smithwick of Raleigh spent from Wednesday until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Newbern of Williamston were the guests of Mrs. Belva Taylor Sunday afternoon.

Misses Mary and Margaret Haste, Miss Janie Hughes, Mrs. Clyde Jordan of Windsor and Mrs. H. E. Foxwell visited in Edenton Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Winborne spent Tuesday in Windsor with Mrs. Emily Mizelle.

Mrs. Dewey Crabtree of Raleigh was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Sallie Adams and brother, Sammie, from Wednesday until Saturday. Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Crabtree visited in Ahoskie and Edenton while she was with her mother Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Irvin Early, Mrs. Jesse Clay and Mrs. Jordan Leicester of Harrellsville and Mr. and Mrs. Masler Perry of Raleigh, Mr. and Mrs. James Holder of Mt. Gould and Mrs. J. D. Smithwick visited J. L. Williford on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Winborne visited relatives in Windsor and Harrellsville Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lynch and children of Greenville spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Bunch and family and Mrs. Lynch's father, Jud Mitchell.

Mrs. H. G. Cobb and children, Gray and Deborah, Mrs. Ronald Outlaw and son, Hersey and Mrs. Raymond Outlaw attended a birthday party at Rocky Hock Saturday afternoon for Gail Harrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Seaten Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hogard spent Saturday at Morehead City and visited Mrs. Frank Langdale.

Miss Vannie Mae Coward, Mr. and Mrs. W. Harden and Mrs. Livingston White visited relatives at Rocky Mount Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Barfield and children spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Noah Small and Mrs. M. B. Barfield of LaGrange.

Miss Fonda Smithwick of East Carolina College at Greenville spent the week-end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Britt Smithwick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pierce of Kelford and Mrs. Elwood Overton and daughter Betty of Windsor visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Outlaw Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smithwick, Mrs. Jimmie Love and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Davenport made a trip to Greenville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Coward and daughter, Tommie Ann, Miss Frances Cowan and Mr. and Mrs. Livingston White spent Saturday in Portsmouth with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Keeter and Eddie of Hampton spent Sunday here at their home.

Miss Patricia Phelps of Raleigh spent the week-end at her

home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Phelps.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas White of Newport News spent the week-end with their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Williford visited Mrs. Bob Gray of Williamston Sunday.

Misses Luray and Dorothy Askew and brother Merle Askew of Mill Neck, Miss Vivian White, Mrs. Mittie Sue Bowen and daughter, Patsy of Windsor visited Mr. and Mrs. William White Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Rhea and baby of Franklin, Va., visited his grandmother, Mrs. C. T. Baker and aunt, Mrs. Viola Coward on Sunday.

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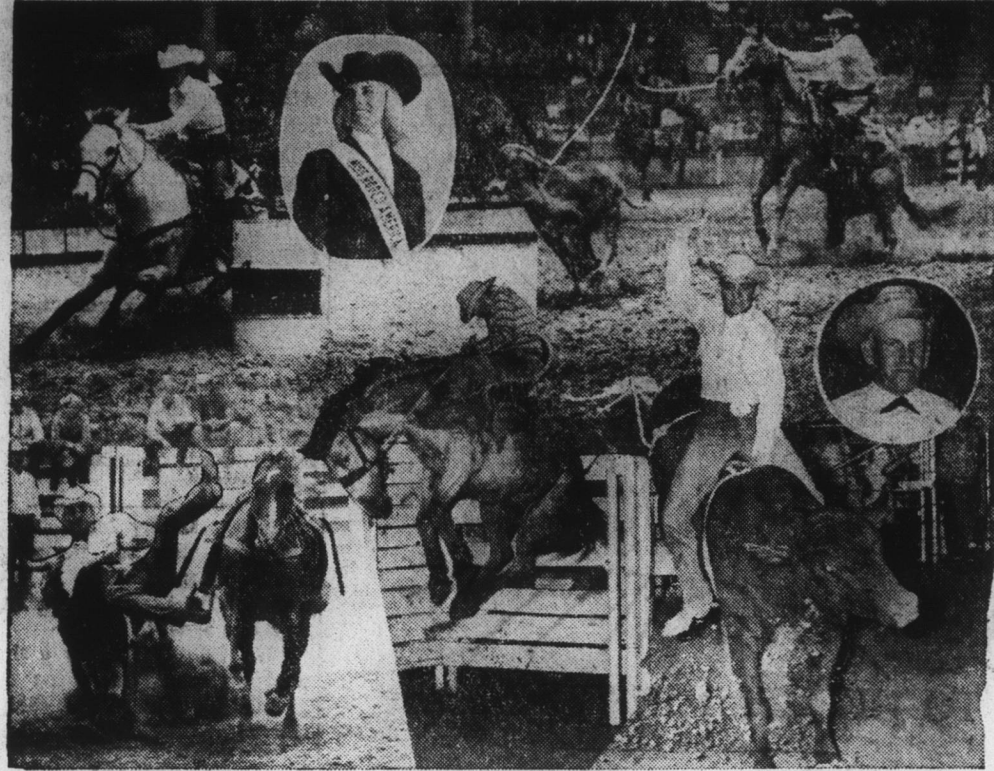
### Bridge Marathon Now Under Way

Play began this week for the seventh annual Hospital Auxiliary Bridge Marathon. The 20 competing teams are as follows:

Dr. and Mrs. David Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Smith, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Frizell, Mrs. Leon Leary and Mrs. E. W. Spire, Paul Stanton and Archie Fairley, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hobbs, Mrs. J. H. McMullan and Hiram Mayo, Mr. and Mrs. John Ward, Miss Ruby Felts and Miss Myrtle Jenkins, Nathan Dail and John Raines, Mrs. A. M. Forehand and Mrs. H. A. Campen, Cecil Fry and Medin Belch, Mrs. J. W. Davis and Mrs. Earl Goodwin, Mrs. Watson Bell and Mrs. Oscar Duncen, Mrs. J. Clarence Leary and Mrs. A. B. Harless, Mrs. Willie White and Mrs. L. H. Haskett, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wood, Mrs. W. B. Rosevear and Mrs. L. A. Patterson, Mrs. Frank Wood and Mrs. R. F. Elliott, Dr. Richard Hardin and Joe Thorud.

All scores and money must be turned in to Mrs. J. W. Davis at the end of each round. Play will continue until May 1, with prizes of \$15, \$10 and \$5.00 awarded to the top three couples when the marathon is completed.

All that is human must retrograde if it do not advance. —Edward Gibbon.



Wild horses and Brahma bulls bring danger and action to State Fair Rodeo, October 16-20. Top professional cowboys and cowgirls will compete in six events: Barrel races, calf-roping, steer wrestling, bareback and saddlebronc riding and bull riding. Insets show Karen Lavens, Miss Rodeo America, who will be one of the featured stars, and Dittman Mitchell, producer, announcer for the featured event.

### County News

By MRS. ROLAND EVANS

A WMU Leadership Conference was held at First Baptist Church in Elizabeth City Tuesday. Sessions were held from 2:30 to 4:30 P. M., and 7:00 to 9:00 P. M.

An association-wide evangelistic conference will be held today (Thursday) at Berea Baptist Church, Elizabeth City at 3:30 to 5:45 P. M., and 7:00-9:00 P. M.

On Friday and Saturday the 11th State Brotherhood Conference will be held at First Baptist Church in Winston-Salem.

Mrs. G. O. Lane underwent surgery at Chowan Hospital recently.

Sympathy goes out to the Bunch family. Sympathy goes out to relatives of Mrs. Vernon Turner.

Sympathy goes out to relatives of Mrs. Pattie Harrell.

Mrs. Marie Peele is much improved.

Belated congratulations go out to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Saunders on being great-grandparents.

Sympathy goes out to relatives of Carolyn Jethro.

Miss Frances Ober visited her sister, Miss Faye Ober at Elizabeth City over the week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Hollis have returned to Tennessee after a visit with his father, H. T. Hobbs of Paradise and his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hobbs.

Mrs. E. A. Byrum of Hertford visited H. T. Hobbs and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hobbs in Paradise.

H. T. Hobbs, Mrs. E. A. Byrum, Mrs. H. G. Hobbs visited Mrs. H. G. Hobbs' brother, Oscar Perry in Elizabeth City recently.

Mrs. Artie Bass, Mrs. H. E. Bass and Mrs. Iris Bass went to see Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oliver on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Barbara Sawyer of Elizabeth City, Mrs. Peggy Hooper of Elizabeth City and Mrs. Jessie Perry of Hertford visited Mr. Evans and Mr. Perry last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Perry of Suffolk visited mother and sister on Sunday afternoon.

Calvin Keeter and boys visited Mr. Evans and Mrs. Perry on Monday.

Chowan County Fair is being staged this week at the American Legion grounds.

Billy Grey Leary preached his first sermon on Sunday night at the Rocky Hock Church.

Mrs. Lillie Saunders of Edenton spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Effie Evans in Rocky Hock.

Mr. and Mrs. Alma Byrum visited relatives in Norfolk on Sunday.

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### Dr. A. F. Downum, Jr. Is Sent To Mississippi

Dr. Allen F. Downum, Jr., of Edenton, who recently came to active duty in the United States Air Force in the rank of second lieutenant, has completed the orientation course for officers of the medical service at Gunter AFB in Alabama.

The doctor, son of Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Downum, was given familiarization instruction covering administrative procedures, military medicine and medical service support of USAF objectives.

Lieutenant Downum is being reassigned to Keesler AFB, Miss. He will join the staff there for practice as a doctor of optometry.

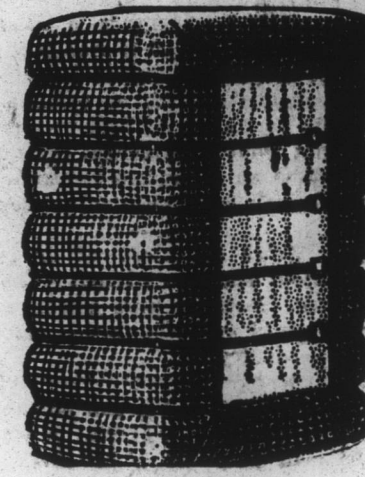
Dr. Downum attended the University of North Carolina and Southern College of Optometry, Memphis, Tenn.

He is married to the former Patricia A. Bunch of Edenton.

### Notice To The Public!

The tract of land formerly known as Edenton Air Base is now private property. The only roads open to the public are the road to the air strip; the Bower Road, which ends at the railroad track; and No. 32A, which goes directly thru the base. Anyone caught trespassing will be prosecuted by the law. This action was brought on by property being destroyed by sight-seers. Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated.

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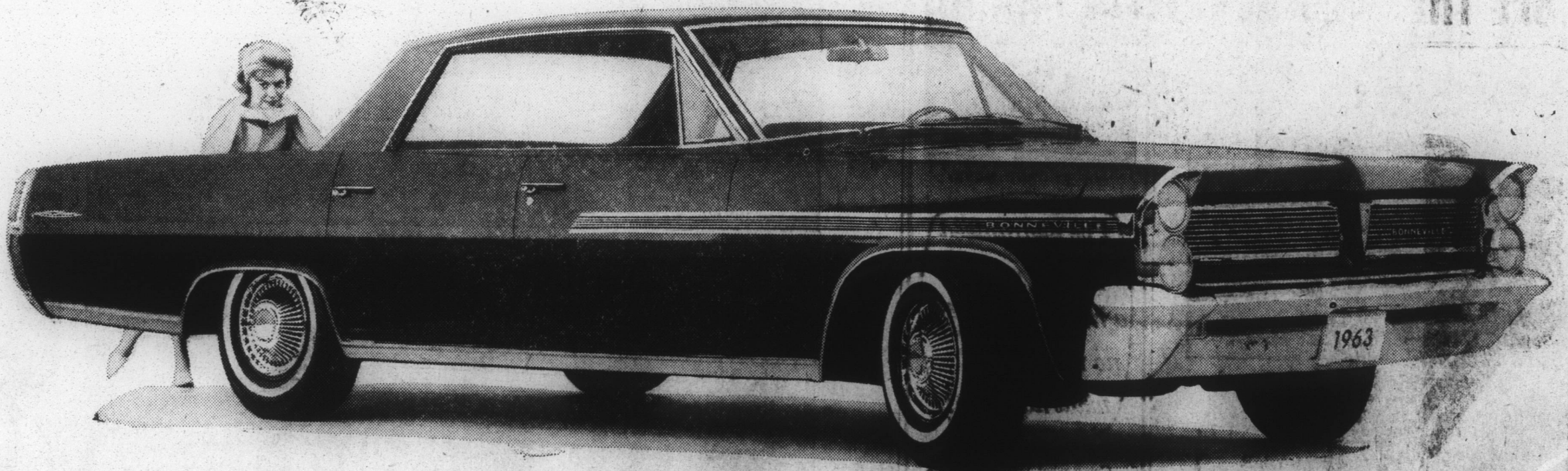
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