

## Jurors Are Notified Of Court Term Here The Week Of March 6

Commissioners for Perquimans County at their February meeting here drew the names of 40 residents for jury service at the March 6 term of Superior Court, which will convene here for the purpose of hearing civil actions on the first Monday in March.

Jurors are:  
Alec Stallings, Wilbur M. Phthisic, William Eugene Byrum, Johnnie Stallings, John T. Stallings, Abbott Hunter, Clarence Winslow, Garland Stallings, George Robert Riddick, Jr., Jarvis D. Winslow, Mary P. Riddick, Marnie Wynn, Anne L. Towe, Bryant Woodell, Gaston Lee Turner, Maurice W. Byrum, Lindsey C. Winslow, Dorothy T. Moore, Fred T. Riddick, Davi E. Branholm, J. Elmer Wood, Sr., Lester Revell, Reba H. Owens, Julian E. Winslow, Jr., Mrs. Ruth Hurdle Burden, Susan H. Whidbee, Garvin Dill, Matthew Smith, Holve Eason, Myrtle W. Copeland, Floyd Modlin, William Ervin, John O. White, Jr., Robert Brown, Hubert A. Chappell, Joseph Banks, T. S. Sawyer, Mary L. Winslow, Sidney White, Harvey H. Stallings.

## Joe Rogerson Is Candidate

Joe Rogerson, vice president of Hertford Livestock & Supply Company, a past president 1965-66 of the Hertford Jaycees, is a candidate for the office of Northeastern Regional Director of Jaycees. He is opposed by Norman Lee of Rocky Mount.

The Hertford Jaycees have campaigned at district Jaycee meetings held in Rocky Mount, Farmville and Oxford. The election will be held at the regional meeting to be held in Elizabeth City on March 4 and 5.

Rogerson has been a member of the Hertford Jaycees for the past eight years. A member of the board of directors two years, president of the Hertford Jaycees 1965-66. He was a state director, 1964-65; state vice president, 1967, and attended all state meetings while vice president.

He has served as chairman of the annual fish fry and auction sale for recreation lot for one year. He was food chairman for a year, chairman of the annual children's Christmas party two years. He was chairman of the Valentine dance one year; served as county chairman of the Heart Fund in 1966; is a member of the Perquimans County Recreation Commission.

## Riddick Named To Dean's List

Rufus Marion Riddick, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Marion Riddick of Route 1, Hertford, made the Dean's List at N. C. Wesleyan College for the fall semester which ended Jan. 27. Dr. Jack W. Moore, academic dean, released the names of 71 students who achieved this honor at the Methodist senior liberal arts college here.

To attain Dean's List honors, a student must take at least 12 semester hours and score above a B average. Better than 12 per cent of Wesleyan's full-time enrollment attained this high average.

N. C. Wesleyan, opened in 1869 and recently accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, has this year enrolled 689 students from 17 states, the District of Columbia, and 7 foreign countries.

Riddick, a freshman at Wesleyan, is a member of the college's newspaper staff, The Decree.

**MARCHING UNIT ACCEPTS INVITATION**  
The Perquimans County marching unit has accepted an invitation to take part in the Bands Festival to be held in Norfolk, Va., on April 22, and will arrive in the city in the afternoon on that date.

## Editor Returns, Wins Over Flu

After a bout with the flu and a reaction to a mien taken to combat the nasty little germs, Virginia White Transeau, editor of The Perquimans Weekly, is back on her feet. Mrs. Transeau returned to her desk last week, but was confined to the office until the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Transeau was ill at home for a week before returning to her office and had this to say. While confined to my home I almost went stir crazy, missed the usual beat of the Court House, calling on advertisers other than by phone and the daily dozen visits to Harmon's Drug Store. While at home and when not working on news or advertising, or in the bookkeeping department and for a little diversion I decided to watch a few of the TV continued shows. Already feeling about as sorry for myself as anyone could possibly feel, after viewing a few of the TV shows, I began counting my blessings. Those folks on TV have a lot more troubles.

To the many folks who were kind enough to give me their advertising and news via phone, and assisted in any way during my recent illness a great big thanks. Especially to Juanita Divers of Divers Jewelry, who did her work at the store and then picked up the ads and news for the paper and brought them to me, also to Mrs. Charles Willford, who kept the office open and the many who assisted in any way.

My most grateful thanks to each of you.

## Store Hours To Be Changed

The Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce Merchants Committee will set new store hours effective Saturday, April 1, in order that the employees of the stores will have more time with their families.

The stores will close on Saturday night as a general policy at 7 P. M. and will remain open until 6 o'clock on Fridays to serve those who use the bank on Friday nights. This policy is not mandatory, however, most merchants have agreed to follow these hours.

The stores will be open Wednesday afternoons except during the months of June, July and August.

It is the hope of the merchants that this action will not inconvenience any of their customers.

## Space Available For Crafts Shop

Mrs. Montford (Elsie) Haslam of Hertford will manage the gift shop of the Museum of the Albemarle. Located in the lobby of the museum, the shop will specialize in hand-made items from the 10-county Albemarle area.

"Hooked rugs, crevel embroidery, felt work, weaving, knitted things, jams and jellies, paintings, woodwork, and caning are some of the crafts we hope to include in our shop," says Mrs. Haslam. "Craftsmen who have been screened for the Albemarle Craftsman's Fair will be accepted without further screening." The Museum Shop will have its own screening committee for new contributors.

The shop will also carry books, maps, and other items of historic interest to the Albemarle area.

Mrs. Haslam will be at the Museum on Mondays and Wednesdays from 10 to 4 to talk to craftsmen and look at their products. She may also be contacted at her home in Hertford or by mail.

## GUEST SPEAKERS

Mrs. Lydia Nesbitt of High Point and Mrs. J. Edgar Morrow of Greensboro will be guest speakers at Up River Meeting, Whitesboro, on Sunday evening, February 26, at 7:00 o'clock. They will show slides and tell of the work being done by the American Friends Service Committee. The public is invited.



## Long Presented Scout Honor

W. S. (Sam) Long was recently presented the Silver Beaver Award at the Tidewater Council's annual supper in Norfolk. This award is made annually by the National Council, BSA, upon receiving and approving nominations by the Tidewater Council for noteworthy service of exceptional character to boyhood. It is the highest award within the province of the Council, and is limited to one award for every 75 units or fraction thereof on record December 31 of the previous year.

Sanford Aydtlett of Elizabeth City, past district chairman of the Albemarle District, made the presentation. The only other person from Hertford to ever receive this award besides Mr. Long was the late E. C. Woodard.

Long has been active in Scouting in Perquimans and the Albemarle District since 1950. He has served as troop committeeman, committee chairman, institutional representative and assistant district commissioner. He is presently neighborhood commissioner for Hertford. He received the Scouter of the Year award in 1965.

Mr. Long is a member of the Masonic Lodge, York Rite Bodies, a Shriner, member of the Moose Lodge, the Hertford Lions Club and incidentally he was presented the Lions Distinguished Service award. He is a member of the Hertford Baptist Church and is Civil Defense director of Perquimans County. He has spent many hours during hurricanes and storms to keep Perquimans County informed.

## Heart Sunday February 26th

Mrs. Richard Morgan, Jr., Mrs. Henry Clay Sullivan and Mrs. Charlie Skinner have been appointed City Heart Sunday Chairman for Hertford for the Heart Sunday drive which will be held February 26. The appointments were announced today.

All rural communities in Perquimans are being done by the Junior and Senior 4-H Clubs. Heart Sunday is a one-afternoon residential solicitation to be held during February, Heart Month, when the North Carolina and American Heart Associations held their annual campaign. The organization of the Heart

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By Ray A. Winslow, Jr.

While the old bridge at Hertford is closed, it is interesting to look back through history to see how people crossed the river in earlier days. For several weeks the story of the Hertford ferry and the unique float bridge, supported directly on the water by empty barrels, will be presented.

Ever since the Court House for Perquimans County was appointed to be built on Phelps Point, residents on the opposite side of the river encountered some difficulty and

## Continued on Page 5 M. D. White Laid To Rest

Funeral services for Marvin D. White, 57, who died in Dune Hospital Wednesday, were held Friday at 2:30 in Epworth Methodist Church by Rev. Frank Parham, pastor, assisted by Rev. Earl Edwards, pastor of City Road Methodist Church in Elizabeth City.

During the service, "The Lord Is My Shepherd" and "Be Still My Soul" were played by Mrs. Walter Nowell, organist.

The casket pall was made of red and white carnations, white gladioli and fern. Pallbearers were Joe Layden, Rufus Proctor, Clyde Layden, Nathan Matthews, Raymond Stanton and Emmett Elmore. Burial was in Cedarwood Cemetery.

## County Action Group Meets

Monday evening there was a meeting of the Perquimans County Community Action Committee held in the Court House and attended by about 70 persons from many parts of the county. The chairman for the meeting, Mr. Joseph Spruill, who is co-chairman of Community Action. The first order of business was the election of a second co-chairman, and the Rev. Walter Henricks was elected secretary.

The first speaker was Billy Revelle, executive director of the Economic Improvement Council with offices in Elizabeth City and covering an area of 10 counties. Miss Virginia Tucker, chairman of the Vista Committee and Assistant Director of the ESEA office, spoke on the Vista program for the county. The Job Corps was described by Victor Basile and Stuart Gelb, Vista Volunteers. John Biggers, executive director of the Neighborhood Youth Corps, described the work of his office throughout the 10 counties.

Mr. Henricks discussed the theme of "How the Churches Can Help", and this was followed by an open discussion. Much attention was given to the creation of a job placement agency and also to the possibility of having a Head Start program and a child care center. Three new members were added to the Vista Committee.

## Miss Elliott Gives Program

Miss Thelma Elliott presented the International Relations program when the Hertford Business and Professional Women's Club met Thursday night for their monthly dinner meeting. Using as her topic "General Charles DeGaul", she gave a very interesting talk on DeGaul as a man, world leader and military man and stated that although he was a hero in France, he has become quite a problem to the allied nations who saved France in World War I and World War II. She quoted one world leader as asking whether DeGaul was a "world wrecker or a world leader."

During the short business meeting, presided over by Mrs. Mary Cobb, president, Mrs. Dora Riddick reported that six organizations had submitted nominees for the Career oman of 1967. She reported that a committee would meet at a later date to select the nominee who would represent Hertford at the district meeting to be held in Tarboro April 16.

Miss Hulda Wood, Mrs. Marie Elliott and Mrs. Cobb are to work on the specifications for the scholarship offered to a member of the Health Careers Club each year. Miss Wood will serve with Mrs. Burbage on the Welcome Committee for the coming month.

The March meeting will be a supper meeting at the home of Mrs. Emmett Winslow.

## Willie Pierce On CG Cutter

Engineman Airman Willie C. Pierce, USCG, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pierce of Route 3, Hertford, contributed to his ship being selected as the top Coast Guard cutter in the North Atlantic for 1966, while serving aboard the Coast Guard home-ported in Wilmington, N. C.

She was chosen after winning three excellence awards for military readiness, anti-submarine warfare and gunnery at the U. S. Navy Fleet Training Command, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.

The McCulloch performs ocean station patrol duty in the Atlantic Ocean, and has a primary mission of search and rescue. While manning an ocean station, she provides communications and navigational service to aircraft, conducts meteorological and oceanographic observations, and stands ready to provide required rescue assistance at sea.

The Coast Guard is the United States' major maritime safety and law enforcement agency, and operates as part of the Department of the Treasury.

## NINE NEW HOMES UNDER CONSTRUCTION

According to Leon Edwards, Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce manager, there are nine new homes under construction in the county. Construction began on these homes since December, with plans underway for six more homes to begin construction soon.

## Judge W. S. Privott Hears Lengthy Docket Here In District Court

## Miss N. C. To Be Here March 1st

The Junior Class of Perquimans County High School and local merchants and businesses are sponsoring the annual Miss PCHS contest. The beauty pageant is to be held at 8 P. M., next Wednesday, March 1, in the Perquimans High School auditorium.

Dick Brewer will act as master of ceremonies. The theme for this year's pageant is "The Garden of Magic Moments." Miss North Carolina, Miss Nanette Minor, will be here to perform. In the contest junior and senior girls will compete and be judged on beauty, talent, poise, personality and their answers to various questions. Tickets are on sale for the contest. Student tickets are 75 cents and adults \$1.00.

## Superior Court Cases Docketed

Twenty-four cases are listed on the calendar for the March term of Perquimans County Superior Court which convenes here Monday, March 6, with Judge Elbert S. Peel, Jr., presiding over the all civil term of court.

Cases calendared for the term as announced by Clerk of Court W. Jarvis Ward follow:  
H. D. Hurdle vs. Oliver D. Layden, et ux.  
R. S. Chappell vs. Norman Lee Bass, et al.  
Thomas E. Chappel by R. S. Chappell vs. Norman Lee Bass, et al.  
Fred T. Riddick vs. H. D. Hurdle, Jr.  
Rosa S. Russell vs. T. C. Story, Jr., et al.  
Clarence and Lillie Mae Winslow vs. Wise Homes, Inc.  
B. D. Pierce vs. Coastal Lumber Co., and R. G. Bell.  
Perquimans Drainage vs. John Raines.  
William W. Bundy vs. Will Ayscue.  
Lucy H. McPherson vs. Lyman Felton Brickhouse.  
J. L. Harris et us vs. L. A. Truax et ux.

The above cases are all for motion and or orders or notice.

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Army Private James H. E. Robertson, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. Zack P. Robertson, Sr., Hertford, completed eight weeks of advanced infantry training February 10 at Ft. Jackson, S. C.

He received specialized instruction in small unit tactics and in firing such weapons as the M-14 rifle, the M-60 machine gun and the 3.5-inch rocket launcher. His wife, Linda Sutton Robertson, lives on Route 3, Hertford.

## Death Claims Mrs. Fulford

GREENVILLE — Graveside services for Mrs. Maud Blow Fulford will be conducted at the Old Episcopal Churchyard today (Friday) at 2 P. M., by the Rev. John W. Drake, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Alice F. Snow, and Mrs. Bruce Warren, both of the home, and Mrs. J. Weston Hodges of Greenville; one son, Capt. Nathaniel S. Fulford, Jr., U. S. Coast Guard, Retired, now living in Hertford; one sister, Mrs. Lloyd N. Whited of Fayetteville; eight grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

## WHITE NAME OMITTED FROM HONOR ROLL

Perquimans County High School regrets its omission of Minnie Norman White 8-D student, name from the high school AB honor roll, which was published on February 10.

## Twenty-eight cases, listed on the court docket were disposed of here in Perquimans County District Court on Wednesday, February 15, by Judge W. S. Privott who presided.

James Henry Brown, charged with driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor, was given a four-month sentence. The sentence to be suspended upon payment of \$100 fine and court costs.

The following were taxed with court costs for failing to have vehicles inspected: Milton Hawkins, Raymond Luther Mason, Ellis Ray Marshburn, Joyce Ola Banks, Eloise Bowser James and Marion Olson Gray.

John Lewis Urbanex, Jr., charged with speeding, was fined \$50 and court costs. Others charged with speeding were: Lloyd Charles Jones was fined \$13 and costs; Edward I. Miller and Robert Carr Collier, William A. Lewis, Jr., John William Potter and Dennis Irvin Harris, Jr., each \$5.00 plus the costs; Lee Ernest Shannon, \$9.00 and costs; Michael P. Wilkins, \$8.00 and costs; Robert Louis Chavis \$15.00 and costs.

John Gaines Wallace, charged with expired registration plates, court costs. Arthur E. Bunch, charged with improper registration, and improper brakes, was fined \$25.00 and taxed with the costs.

George Waley Frierson, charged without having a valid operator's license, was fined \$25 and costs. Ronald Alton Forbes, failing to yield the right of way, was assessed with the court costs.

Alice Elliott Tillett, charged with passing while in an intersection, was fined \$10 and costs. Willie James Lucas, improper brakes, costs of court.

## Continued on Page 6 C. G. Chappell High In Grades

A Perquimans County sophomore in electrical engineering at North Carolina State University has been cited for outstanding academic achievement during the first half of the 1966-67 school year.

Chancellor John T. Caldwell has announced that Charles W. Chappell has been named to the Dean's Honor List for earning a grade average of "B" or better in his fall semester coursework.

Chappell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Chappell of Winfall.

He ranked in the top 10 per cent of the University's 10,200 students in the fall semester. In contrast to the 1,000-plus students who earned honors, about 4 per cent—452—failed and were suspended.

## Chappell is a graduate of Perquimans County High School. Battle Of Bands Set Saturday

The Perquimans County Marching Unit Parents Club on Saturday, February 25 at 7:30 P. M. until 11 P. M., will have a "Battle of the Bands" program in the Perquimans County High School auditorium.

Six bands will participate, the Krazy Kritters of Ahoskie, Beats Unlimited of Plymouth, Changing Times Elizabeth City, the Patriots from Gates County, Likes of Us of Camden and the Clef Dwellers of Elizabeth City and Hertford.

The winning band will receive \$100. Preceding the "Battle of Bands" at 5:30 P. M., the Marching Unit Parents Club will serve supper. Hot dogs, hamburgers and French fries will be sold from 5:30 until 7:30 in the cafeteria of the school.

Dave Cummings of WGH will act as master of ceremonies for the "Battle of Bands" program. Advance tickets are on sale at Harmon's Pharmacy in Hertford, Overman and Stevenson in Elizabeth City and at Hollowell's Drug Store in Edenton.