

Area obituaries

LONG
ELIZABETH CITY, N.C. — Irvin Long, Sr., 65, of Route 2, Box 176, died Friday in Albemarle Hospital. He was a native of Pasquotank County and the husband of Theresa S. Long. He was retired from Sanders Co.

and was a member of Porter's Chapel AME Zion Church.

Other survivors include a son, Irvin Long, Jr., of Hertford; four daughters, Beatrice Dorsey of Dorchester, Mass., Doris Moore of

Queens Village, N.Y.; Catherine Frost of Hertford and Margaret Spellman of Brooklyn; a brother, Allen Long of Elizabeth City; a sister, Helen Stewart of Hertford; a stepbrother, Rev. Edward MacPherson of Houston, Texas; three stepdaughters, Helen Wood of Hertford; Mary Ann MacPherson of Long Island, N.Y. and Dorothy Lee of Riverhead, N.Y.; 10 grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

A funeral was held at 2 P.M. Monday in Poole's Grove Baptist Church, Woodville, by the Rev. J.L. Williams. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery, Elizabeth City. Visitation at Stallings Funeral home.

ODOM

CHESAPEAKE — Sarah Elizabeth Thompson Odom, 75, of 224 Hurdle Drive, a native of Hertford, died Friday in her home.

Survivors include her husband, Arthur Leroy Odom, Sr.; three daughters, Jeannine Menden and Diane Mahoney, both of Chesapeake, and Cherie Pezella of Burke; a son, Arthur Leroy Odom, Jr., of Tallahassee, Fla.; a brother, Aubrey H. Thompson of Richmond; and nine grandchildren.

The graveside service was held at 11 A.M. Monday in Chesapeake Memorial Gardens. Twiford Colonial Chapel has charge.

The family was at 525 Warhaws Road, Chesapeake.

BURKHEAD

LEEMONT, Va. — Junius Jones Burkhead, 67, died Saturday near his home. He was a native of Davidson County, N.C., and the husband of Velma Smith Burkhead.

He was a member of St. Thomas United Methodist Church and was an Army veteran of World War I. He was retired from the lumber and milling business.

Other survivors include six daughters, Maxine Cherrix of Hertford, N.C., Colleen Walker of Leemont; Janet Williams of Salineville, Ohio, Shirley Johnson and Judy Zimmerman of Poquoson, Va. and Virginia Batliner of Newport News, Va., five sons, Edwin Burkhead of Hopkins, Va., Dumont Burkhead of Parksley, Va., Robert Burkhead of Stockton, Md., Joseph Burkhead of Pocomoke City, Md., and John Daniel Burkhead of Leemont; 28 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

A funeral was held at 2 P.M. Tuesday in Williams-Parksley Funeral Home by the Revs. W.J. Milliner, Jr. and Gene Gee. Burial was in Parksley Cemetery.

FEILD

Mrs. Ann S. Feild, 56, of 4730 Iowa Avenue, Tampa, Fla., died January 12.

A native of Barfield, Tenn. She had been a resident of Tampa since 1959

and was a member of the Manhaman Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, William S. Feild, Sr., formerly of Hertford, a son, William S. Feild, Jr., a daughter, Mrs. Debora F. Elliott and four grandchildren all of Tampa; mother, Mrs. Reba Smotherman; three brothers, Frank Summar, Paul Summar and Bobby Summar; two sisters, Mrs. Virgil Young and Mrs. Clyde Holt, all of Murfreesboro, Tenn.

Interment was in Myrtle Hill Memorial Park, Tampa, Florida.

OVERTON

EDENTON, N.C. — George Thomas Overton, 67, a native of Perquimans County, died Monday in a hospital.

He was a member of St. Luke's Disciples Church.

Survivors include his wife, Vera Overton; two daughters, Mary Davis of New York and Helen Carter of Edenton; six sons, Edward Overton, Earl Overton and Raymond Overton all of New York, Thomas Overton of Edenton, Ernest Overton of Columbia; two sisters, Bertha Ward and Vessie Jackson both of Edenton; three brothers, Isaac Overton of Edenton, Willie Overton of Roper and Elibue Overton of Portsmouth, Va.; 20 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

The funeral was held at 2 P.M. Saturday in St. Luke's Disciples Church by the Rev. Alfred Stephens.

Burial will be in Beaver Hill Cemetery, with Rowson Funeral Home in charge.

MCPHERSON

A graveside service for Clarence Hinton "C.H." McPherson, age 36, who died Monday February 7, at 2 P.M. in Highland Park Cemetery in Elizabeth City with the Rev. Ray Whitman officiating. Swindell Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

BURKE

WINFALL, N.C. — Connie Newbold Burke, 64, a native of Perquimans County and the widow of Alonza Burke, died Wednesday in a nursing home.

She was a member of Bagley's Chapel Missionary Baptist Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Beulah B. Modlin of Hertford; two sons, James C. Burke of Hertford and William A. Burke of Winfall; 10 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren and 10 great-great-grandchildren.

The funeral was held at 2 P.M. Sunday in Bagley's Chapel Missionary Baptist Church by the Rev. W.B. Moore. Burial was in Riddick's Grove Baptist Church Cemetery, Belvidere.

Visitation was held from 7-9 P.M. Saturday in Stallings Memorial Chapel, Hertford.

News briefs

COA accepts Bridges applicants

Applications are now being accepted for enrollment in the Bridges Program at College of The Albemarle. The third cycle of the 1982-83 school year will begin on March 28.

Teresa Hyatt, program director, said it was established for economically disadvantaged adults who have not completed their high school requirements. The program serves as a "bridge" for individuals to prepare for their General Educational Development (GED)

tests for a high school equivalency certificate, she explained.

Participants receive academic advice and career, personal, and social counseling. Hyatt said the services often motivate students who complete each cycle to continue their education by enrolling in the occupational or college transfer programs offered at COA.

Applications will be accepted from February 14-March 11. Forms may be picked up from 10-3 in room A-113.

Telephone bill collector changed

T.F. Daniels, District Commercial and Marketing Manager for Carolina Telephone and Telegraph Company has announced that the Bank of North Carolina, N.A. located at Harris Shopping Center in Hertford will no longer act as a collection agent for telephone bills.

The Bank of North Carolina NA has recently merged with N.C. National Bank which necessitated the change.

Beginning Monday, February 28, Riverside Insurance Agency located

at 119 W. Grubb St. in Hertford will assume this responsibility. Riverside Insurance Agency will accept telephone payments from 9:30 A.M. to 5 P.M. Monday thru Friday.

Daniels further stated that it will still be necessary to present both portions of your bill with your payment.

Payments may also be made by mail, using the envelope that is enclosed with the telephone bill.

ARPD meeting set February 17

The Albemarle Regional Planning and Development Commission will meet at 7:30 P.M., Thursday, February 17 in the ARPD-Perquimans County Office Building in Hertford.

The agenda will be as follows:
 Call to order.
 Invocation.
 Determination of presence of a quorum.
 Approval of January 20, 1983 minutes.

Clearinghouse Committee report.
 Emergency Medical Services Council report.

Manpower Advisory Group report.
 Bylaws amendment.
 Committee appointments - Chairman Bill Cox.
 Report on ARPD Advisory Committees-Purpose and Structure.
 March Quarter Meeting - vote whether or not to have dinner meeting.
 Other business and adjournment.

Union PAC group to meet Feb. 16

The Perquimans County Union Parent Advisory Council will meet on Wednesday, February 16 at 1:30 P.M. in the school reading lab. The public

is invited. The Union School Vocational Dept. will be the featured guests.

Foundation gives dogwoods

The National Arbor Day Foundation is giving three free White Flowering Dogwood trees to new Foundaton members joining during February.

The free trees, which are part of the Foundation's efforts to promote tree planting throughout America, will be shipped at the appropriate time for planting this spring.

The National Arbor Day Foundation, a nonprofit organization, is working to improve the quality of life throughout the country by encouraging tree planting. The Foundation will give three Flowering Dogwood trees to new members contributing \$10 or more during February.

The trees will be 3-4 ft. tall and will be sent postage paid with enclosed planting instructions. They are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free by the Foundation.

To become a member of the Foundation and to receive the free trees a \$10 membership contribution should be sent to "Free Dogwoods", National Arbor Day Foundation, Arbor Lodge 100, Nebraska City, Ne. 68410 by February 28.

Bateman supper slated

The Perquimans County Lions Club and Rescue Squad will sponsor a benefit pig-pickin' to help defray the hospital expenses of Marshall Bateman.

Mr. Bateman has recently undergone two eye operations at an approximate expense of \$13,000.

Democrats schedule area precinct meetings

The precinct meeting is the foundation of the nation's democracy. And precinct meetings will be held all across N.C. on Thursday, March 3 at 8 P.M.

"Democrats from Perquimans Co. will meet at their precinct polling place," Estelle Felton, chairman of the Perquimans County Democratic Party announced today. "All registered Democrats are urged to attend these meetings.

This year, precinct meetings are more important than ever before. Democrats face historic campaigns in 1984 and the precinct meetings are the beginning of setting the tone for that race," Felton said.

The purpose of the precinct meetings is to elect delegates to the county Democratic convention to be held on April 30 and to elect precinct officers.

"It is at the precinct meetings that those who want to work for a Democratic victory in 1984 for the

The pig-pickin' will be held March 12 from 12 to 6 P.M. at Perquimans High School. Tickets may be purchased for \$4 per plate from any Lions Club or Rescue Squad member. Donations may be made at Woodard's Pharmacy or Brinn Insurance where tickets may also be purchased.

Presidency, the U.S. Senate, and legislators can assure that they will be fully involved," Felton said.

"We want to make sure that every precinct in Perquimans County is organized and that all Democrats can fully participate in the historic 1984 campaigns," Felton concluded.

Classifieds sell

WINTERGREEN SKIING MARCH 4-6	NEW YORK CITY MARCH 26	CHERRY BLOSSOM WASHINGTON, D.C. APRIL 15-17	ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. APRIL 27-29
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The Future Farmers of America Organization prepares students for careers in agriculture. However, they also play a vital part in stressing the importance of certain values that make these young people very special. Members learn through active participation how to speak in public, to market farm products, to solve personal problems, to use new and improved farming methods and to assume responsibilities as good citizens. We are very proud of the Future Farmers of America and wholeheartedly give our full support to them. Thank you!

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