

LOCAL NEWS

Area obituaries

AUSTIN
POPLAR BRANCH, N. C. — Lela Belle Hayman Austin, 86, of Poplar Branch died Sunday afternoon at 12:46 at her residence following a short illness. She was a native of Corolla, N. C.

She was the daughter of the late William H. and Lillie Lewark Hayman and the wife of the late Pell Burrus Austin. She was a member of the Corolla Baptist Church.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Alma Ruth Everett, Miss Helen Louise Austin both of Poplar Branch and Mrs. Grace A. Mead of Virginia

LAMB
 Bennie "Boy" Marshall Lamb, 54, of Route 1, Box 83, Belvidere, died Thursday evening, March 22, from injuries sustained in an auto accident in Chowan County.

A native of Perquimans County, he was the husband of Mrs. Christine Bass Lamb and the son of the late Bennie A. and Sophronia Boyce Lamb. He was retired from Norfolk Shipbuilding and Drydock Co. as a Maintenance Foreman and was an Army veteran of Korea.

He was a member of Rocky Hock Baptist Church, the William Paul Stallings Post of the American Legion and the Suffolk, Va. Moose Lodge.

Besides his wife, survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Chris (Beverly) Morris of Rt. 1, (Arrowhead Beach), Edenton; a son, Terry Lamb of Rt. 1, Belvidere; two sisters, Mrs. Jake (Elodia) Hathaway and Mrs. Leroy (Artelia) Hobbs, both of Hobbsville; and three grandchildren.

Graveside services were held Sunday at 1:30 p.m. in the Lamb Family Cemetery, near Belvidere, with Rev. George Cooke, Rev. Billy Old and Rev. Donald Wagner officiating.

Swindell Funeral Home, Hertford, was in charge of arrangements.

KELLEY
CHARLOTTE — Mr. Robert Maxwell Kelley Sr., 68, 1625 Woodbury Rd., Charlotte, died

Tuesday, March 20, at Mercy Hospital in Charlotte.

Born July 12, 1915 in Goreville, Ill., he was a retired accountant for Welding Supply Co. in Charlotte. He was a member of St. John's Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife Jennie of the home; two sons, Rev. Robert M. Kelly Jr. of Tyner, and Richard Kelly of Charlotte; two sisters, Mrs. Leah Weiss of Denver, Colorado and Mrs. Jessie Smith of Goreville, Ill.; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Friday at McEwen West Chapel. Burial was in Sharon Memorial Park in Charlotte.

LILLEY
GATESVILLE — Elma Barnes Lilley, 81, of Gartesville, N. C. died Tuesday night at 11:32 o'clock in the Elder Lodge, Edenton, after long illness.

A native of Northhampton County, she was the daughter of the late Edwin Harvey and Elia Fleetwood Barnes and the widow of the late Glenn N. Lilley Sr.

She was a member of the Gatesville United Methodist Church, Harrell's Missionary Society, Gatesville Homemakers Club and a former Gates County Mother-of-the-Year.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Bob (Elia) Dorsey of Hazelhurst, Ga. and Mrs. James (Marie) Blaylock of Ft. Worth, Texas; three sons, Glenn N. Lilley Jr. of Rt. 1, Hobbsville, J. Harvey Lilley of Hubert, N. C. and Fleetwood Lilley of Clinton, S. C.

Other survivors include one sister, Mrs. Charlie Corbitt of Franklin, Va.; ten grandchildren, four step grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and two step great-grandchildren.

SKINNER
 William Edward Skinner, 73, a retired farmer and a native of Perquimans County, died Thursday in a hospital.

Skinner was a member of Bagley's

Chapel Missionary Baptist Church in Winfall, where he served as an archdeacon of the deacon board. He had been a former Sunday School superintendent and teacher.

He was a past president of the Perquimans County branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Survivors include his wife, Emma B. Skinner; five daughters, Nora S. Taylor of South Hill, Va., Wilma S. Wright of Jamaica, N. Y., Edna S. Worrell of St. Albans, N. Y., Mary S. Berry of Elizabeth City and Lillian S. Dozier of Philadelphia.

Other survivors include six sons, William A. Skinner of New York City, Ronald E. Skinner of Norfolk, Va., Alexander Skinner, Carlton R. Skinner and Reginald L. Skinner, all of Landover, Md., and Michael P. Skinner of Hertford; two brothers, Richard D. Skinner Sr. of Camden and Herbert L. Skinner of Chesapeake, Va.; and 20 grandchildren.

The funeral was conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in Bagley's Chapel Missionary Baptist Church by the Rev. Willie B. Moore.

Burial was in a local cemetery. Stallings Memorial Chapel was in charge.

Winslow to address National School Board Association

Clifford S. Winslow, Chairman of the Perquimans County School Board, has been invited to be a speaker at the annual convention of the National School Boards Association to be held in Houston, March 31-April 3.

He will speak on the subject, "What it takes to be an effective board president."

The NSBA convention is expected to attract about 15,000 persons, including school board members, superintendents, state and federal education officials, and other responsible for school policies and

operations. Winslow said "The convention is a once-a-year opportunity for public school officials throughout the nation to confer face-to-face, share mutual concerns, and gain a better perspective on local, state and national education issues."

"By comparing our school district with others, we are exposed to many constructive ideas and gain invaluable insight into finding workable solutions to mutual problems."

NSBA, headquartered in Washington, D. C., is a federation of state school boards associations and

serves the nation's 97,000 local school board members.

Service news

Pvt. Joseph F. Pettus, son of Carol E. and William E. Umphlett of Rt. 3, Hertford, has completed the basic field artillery cannoner course under the one station unit training (OSUT) program at Fort Sill, Okla.

During the course, students were taught the duties of a howitzer or gun section crewman. They also received instruction in communications, maintenance and the handling of ammunition and explosives.

Correction

In last week's edition of THE PERQUIMANS WEEKLY the story on the Perquimans County Commissioners meeting wrongfully stated the purpose of proposed renovations to the kitchen facilities at the Perquimans County Agricultural Extension Office. The kitchen facilities will be used by County Homemakers and Youth. We regret the error.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TOWN OF HERTFORD

The citizens of the Town of Hertford are hereby informed that the Town intends to submit a Small Cities Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) application to the N.C. Department of Natural Resources and Community Development. The Town will be requesting \$750,000 to undertake community revitalization and local option activities. Proposed activities include:

1. King Street Revitalization Project (Phase III) - acquisition disposition, clearance, housing rehabilitation and administration. \$600,000
2. Local Option - acquisition, disposition, clearance, relocation, and administration. \$150,000

In order to allow the citizens of Hertford to comment on the proposed CDBG projects, the Town will hold a public hearing on April 9, 1984, at 7:00 p.m. at Town Hall. All interested citizens are invited to attend.

W.D. Cox, Mayor

POOL TOURNAMENT

EVERY MONDAY AT 7:30 P.M.
 MUST REGISTER BEFORE 7:30 P.M.

THE GAME ROOM

HARRIS SHOPPING CENTER
 HERTFORD

Call 426-8397 for information
 Prizes & Trophies to be awarded

DARDEN'S INTRODUCES



- WOMEN'S LEE RIDERS Straight Leg - Sizes 32-44 **\$29.95**
 LEE ESP STRETCH DENIM
- MISSES LEE RIDERS - Straight Leg - Sizes 8-18 **\$26.95**
 LEE ESP STRETCH DENIM
- PETITE LEE RIDERS - Straight Leg - Sizes 6-14 **\$26.95**
 LEE ESP STRETCH DENIM
- MEN'S FIT-JEAN PANTS - Sizes 34-44 **\$25.95**
- BOY'S LEE RIDERS - Straight Leg - Sizes 8-14 Slim & Regular **\$17.95**
- STUDENT LEE RIDERS - Sizes 28-30 **\$19.95**

AVAILABLE SOON
 MEN'S STRAIGHT LEG DENIM JEANS

DARDEN DEPARTMENT STORE

CHURCH STREET

426-5464

HERTFORD

Legislative workshop held

Water quality and day care for preschoolers, latchkey children and senior citizens were issues covered during a legislative workshop for members of the North Carolina Home Economics Association (NCHEA) held March 19 & 20.

Ila Grey White of Hertford represented the Northeast Region at the workshop.

Participants heard two legislators, Representative Louise Brennan and Senator Rachel Gray discuss perspectives on North Carolina day

care needs. Representative Charles Evans of Manteo policymakers and political leaders discussed water quality and the impact on North Carolina citizens.

Lobbyists and political strategists offered suggestions on how Home Economists could network with other organizations to influence family's policy.

NCHEA members reviewed strategies used to affect policy development to inform membership.

Awards

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organizations in the community will also be considered.

A volunteer reception and recognition day is tentatively scheduled for May 20 at Missing Mill Park. Winners from each of the categories will be announced at this time. Recipients will be honored by Governor James B. Hunt, Jr. this fall.

Applications for nominations of the

outstanding volunteers in Perquimans County are available at the Hertford Town Office, Winfall Town Office, The Perquimans Weekly office, and the Perquimans County Recreation Department. Applications should be turned in to Bill Cox at the Hertford Town office no later than May 1, 1984.

For additional information contact Bill Cox at 426-7805.

The Louch Faircloth Committee

Cordially Invites You

Attend A Luncheon
 On April 4, 1984 12 O'Clock Noon
 At Anglers Cove Restuarant

The Public Is Invited To Attend

Also

On The Evening of April 4
 From Six O'clock 'til Eight O'clock
 A Rally For Faircloth,

Featuring A Barbecue Dinner and Entertainment, Will Be Held At

The National Guard Armory
 In Elizabeth City

Tickets for the rally are available
 by calling W.W. White Jr. 426-7556

Come out and meet our candidate
 during these events.

Paid For By The Committee To Elect Louch Faircloth For Governor