

# SOCIETY NEWS

Mrs. George P. Byrum has returned home after a motor trip to Asheville, Murphy, Atlanta, Knoxville and Fontana Dam.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Edwards and two children returned home Monday after spending a week's vacation at Rest Haven Beach near Bath.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Haskett and Mrs. Ethel Boyce, Mrs. Annie White and A. S. Hollowell spent Sunday in Norfolk.

Mrs. Rollins Guild and two sons returned to their home at Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., Saturday. Mrs. Guild has been in Edenton several weeks during the illness and death of her mother, Mrs. A. S. Hollowell.

Mrs. Frank Waters and granddaughter, Evelyn Ann Waters, and Mrs. W. D. Sullivan of Palm Beach, Florida, returned home Sunday after spending a three weeks' vacation visiting Mrs. Waters' sister, Mrs. Geo. P. Byrum and Mr. Byrum.

Miss Dolly Kehayes spent Saturday in Norfolk, where she visited relatives.

Mrs. M. M. Perry and daughter, Marietta Perry, spent Saturday in Norfolk.

## Albemarle Sound And Its Many Tributaries

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along the banks of Chowan River and Weapomeock Sound and later crossed over and settled the Roanoke River section.

At this time between the dates of 1622 and 1663 this whole section between the James and Roanoke Rivers was considered a portion of Virginia and was governed if governed at all from Jamestown, Virginia.

Albemarle Sound receives and carries to the Atlantic Ocean a larger volume of water than any stream on the Atlantic Coast except Chesapeake Bay. It is 60 miles long by an average width of 5 miles. It has several main tributaries, the Pasquotank, Perquimans, Scuppernon, Roanoke, Chowan, Meherrin, Nottoway, and Blackwater Rivers. All of them are deep enough to be navigable by steamers and dozens of smaller streams, some of which are navigable. In all of them are 350 miles of navigable water.

Albemarle Sound and tributaries are the watershed for 24 Virginia counties and 20 in North Carolina. There is living on this watershed more than 2,000,000 people of the purest native stock. Only 3 per cent of which are foreign born. Along the banks of the Sound and its tributaries, there are located 22 towns and cities besides hundreds of villages. The Sound and its longest tributary in length (the Roanoke River) is 436 miles from the north end of Roanoke Island to a mountain spring 40 miles west of Roanoke, Virginia, where the Roanoke Rives rises on the continental divide.

In days long past Albemarle Sound

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Garrett and two children of Rocky Mount spent Sunday visiting Mr. Garrett's mother, Mrs. John Garrett.

Lance Bufflap of Forest City, N. C., spent a few days last week visiting his father and sister, J. Edwin Bufflap and Miss Dorothy Bufflap and Mrs. Bufflap.

Col. and Mrs. R. B. Wheeler and daughters, Mrs. Harry Kemp and Miss Jean Wheeler of Houston, Texas, are spending a month's vacation with relatives, Miss Clara Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Carr and Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler.

daughter, Jane, of Rochester, Indiana, arrived Thursday of last week to spend a vacation visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwin Bufflap, Robert and Jimmy White and Miss Dorothy Bufflap spent Saturday in Norfolk, Va., where they visited Miss Elizabeth Hurdle, a patient in Norfolk General Hospital.

Henry G. Quinn, Bill Harris, John L. Bass, Jim Basnight and Charles Baker returned Monday morning from Wilwaukee, Wis., where they attended the national convention of Veterans of Foreign Wars.

and its tributaries ably served its purpose as a means of transportation, for the early settlers used it exclusively for all purpose. This was in the days of the sailing vessel. Then the steamer came into general use and at one time in the 80's and 90's there were more than 200 steamers plying its waters. It was indeed a bearer of commerce but after the railroads came and later improved highways that provided quick means of transportation, the water traffic faded away and Albemarle Sound ceased to be a bearer of commerce but became a barrier to commerce instead and now only occasionally a lonely tug boat pulling barges is seen plowing its waters.

The old Albemarle has served its purpose to the generations that have gone on and maybe the Good Lord will find another good use for it except just to be a watershed for 34,000 square miles of Virginia and North Carolina territory.

### ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Miss Addie Lucille Smith of Edenton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Smith and the late Mrs. Minnie Smith announces her engagement to Sgt. James Bobby Edwards of Camp Lejeune, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Edwards of Edenton. The wedding will take place Thursday, September 20th.

## Coast Guard Aid Hits All-Time High

### Fifth District Reports 117 Assistance Cases In July

The number of distress assistance cases handled during July by Coast Guard units in the Fifth District, which stretches from the Delaware border to South Carolina, soared to an all-time record for any other single month, the Coast Guard reports.

Coast Guardsmen assigned to the Fifth District Rescue Coordination Center in the Norfolk Post Office building from which nearly all rescue activities are directed, report July's total of 171 assistance cases breaks all monthly records, at least as far back as old-timers around the office can remember and old record books indicate.

And the Coast Guard points out that about an additional 100 reports of Coast Guard assistance rendered during July that were not of an emergent enough nature to be included on the regular total are still due to be reported to the rescue center in Norfolk.

Almost without exception the month of July, with its pleasure boatmen and bathers, accounts for the greatest number of assistance cases handled by the Coast Guard throughout the year.

The lives of some 15 persons and an estimated three million dollars' worth of property were saved by the Coast Guard during July.

Chief reasons for the greatly increasing rescue totals probably are that more and more Americans are buying motorboats and sailing craft every year, and that in the past few years the Coast Guard has considerably enlarged its fleet of utility and rescue vessels, which gives assistance to many craft that in the past might have gone unaided.

## Knotty Problems Vex Town Councilmen

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beside the baseball park to the rear of the new high school, which is almost impassable at times, and to spread marl back of the school for a bus parking area. It was agreed that the town will improve the road and that the school will purchase and spread the marl after the area is graded by the town.

The matter of title to Hicks Field

again cropped up. It was agreed to hold a special joint meeting of Town Council and the school trustees Tuesday night, August 25, at 7:30 o'clock in another effort to iron out this tangle of ownership.

Some discussion of the armory also developed and it was the sense of the Councilmen that the Town should transfer ownership to the North Carolina National Guard. J. Clarence Leary, John Mitchener and George Alma Byrum were appointed as a committee to see if this can be done.

A petition was properly presented to lay a sidewalk on the north side of Church Street from the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Brunson to the Norfolk Southern Railroad. Not enough property owners signed the petition for a sidewalk on the south side of the street.

Speeding hazards on Granville Street were reported, where in three blocks there are 48 children. It was decided to reduce the speed limit from 35 to 25 miles from Water Street to Freemason and place stop signs at Gale and Albemarle Streets. It was also ordered to allow parking on only the west side of Granville Street between Gale and Freemason Streets.

### ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Lackey of Asheville, N. C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Augusta, to Hector Lupton, Jr., of Raleigh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Lupton of Edenton.

The wedding will be solemnized on Sunday, September 6, in the Central Methodist Church, Asheville.

## Citizens of Chowan Pass County Quota

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Blanc, Jr., Sgt. John R. Schelzo, Sgt. Jerome M. Gess, S-Sgt. Louis L. Fine, Pfc. Joseph W. Sterkis, S-Sgt. James S. Barry, Pfc. L. B. Alexander, Pfc. Raymond C. Piesen, Pfc. James O. Crigger, Cpl. Rodney D. Noren, Cpl. Allen L. Jackson, Cpl. Harold D. Myrick, Pfc. Federico A. Caban, Pfc. Charles Perkinson, T-Sgt. John M. Garow.

### Civilians

Ernest P. Kehayes, Heilig G. Harney, Bristoe Perry, Mrs. Bertie Cross, Mrs. Sarah B. Wilson, Mrs. Ethel Simpson, L. E. Davenport, Preston Cayton, Mrs. Grace Sawyer, Elizabeth Byrd, Lee R. Sutton, Mary Lee Copeland, John L. Foxwell, Charles H. Wood, Jr., Murray W. Wheeler, Gerald T. Lassiter, Daphney Jackson, Franklin H. Habit, William B. Gard-

ner, Margery Thigpen, Thomas A. Goodman, Barbara W. Leary, Mrs. Mary S. Burton, Sharon Lupton, Lloyd C. Burton, John E. Roberts, Mrs. Hattie Hobbs, Thomas S. Harris, Mrs. Mary White, Frank T. Adams, James B. Stillman, Elbert Perry, Oliver Carter, Jr., Mrs. Isadora Bunch, Nehemiah Bunch, Mrs. Vonda Lee Hall, Mrs. Lena M. Leary, S. J. Phipps, Henry Sienkiewicz, Mrs. Pattie J. Jordan, Theodore Jordan, James Lee Williams, Joe B. Preston, Mrs. Agnes Hollowell, Ben E. Perry, Evelyn R. Wills, Mrs. Louise Pratt, Anna Lee Asbell, Luther P. Forbes, Mrs. Clara Williams, Mrs. Fanny R. Parks, Mary Lee Jordan, Mrs. Marion Jones, Mrs. Angelina Leary, Leon Nixon, Mack Privott, William Elliott, James Harrell, Mrs. Hazel Harrison, Inez Felton, Mrs. Cora B. Hollowell, Mrs. Anna Belle Hollowell, Elwood Nixon, Mrs. Florence Webb, Mrs. Willie Brabble, Robert W. Leary, Henry J. Jordan, Thomas O. Harrell, Mrs. Thelma Harrell, Miss Sarah Harrell, Mrs. Etta

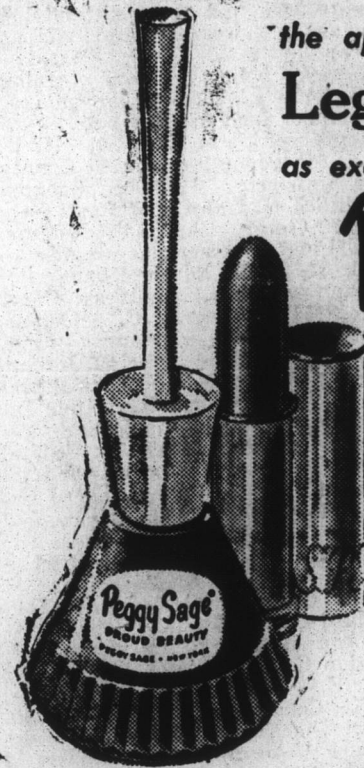
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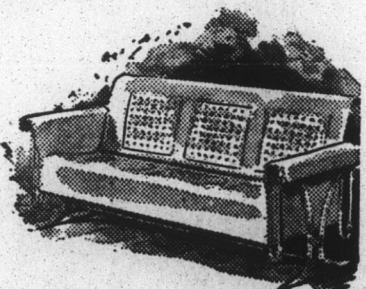
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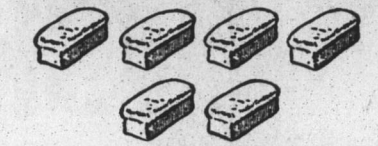
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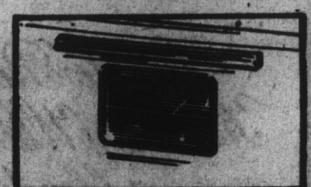
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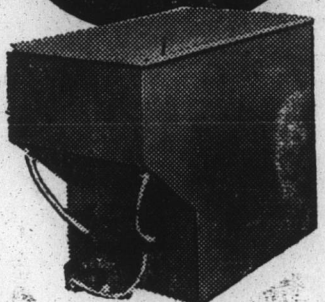
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