

# SOCIETY NEWS

**Visit In Suffolk**  
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hobbs and children spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brinkley in Suffolk, Va.

**Minnesota Visitors**  
Mrs. Don Schutts and daughter, Loretta, of Mapleton, Minn., are spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Morris.

**Week-end Guests**  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holmes had as their week-end guest her sister, Miss Alice Copeland of Washington, N. C.

**Move To Seattle, Wash.**  
Mrs. George Donney and children, Deana and Michael, have moved from their home in Albemarle Court to Seattle, Washington. Major Donney is on his way overseas.

**Visits Grandmother**  
Miss Ida Kay Jordan of Wake Forest College and Elizabeth City was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. J. G. Campen, on Thursday. She attended the Berryman-Woolery wedding.

**Visits Parents**  
Miss Sarah Miller has returned to Durham after spending the week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Miller.

**Attend Wedding**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cates of Norfolk were in Edenton Thursday for the Berryman-Woolery wedding.

**South Carolina Visitors**  
Mrs. T. C. Cox, Jr., and daughter Vicky of Montclare, S. C., were guests of Mrs. R. P. Badham.

**Week-end Guests**  
Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Downum had as their week-end guests his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Downum of Beaufort, N. C.

**Visits Grandparents**  
Miss Emily Holmes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holmes, spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Copeland in Ahoskie.

**Visits Mother**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Moore, Jr., and children, Shirley, Linda and Cliff of Grifton visited Mr. Moore's mother, Mrs. W. C. Moore, during the week-end.

**At Nags Head**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Clarence Leary, Jr., Miss Mary Anne Rose and Graham White spent the week-end at Nags Head.

**Garner Visitors**  
Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Bunch, Jr., and son of Garner spent the week-end with Mr. Bunch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Bunch.

**Washington Visitors**  
Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Eymann and daughter, Suzanne of Washington, D. C., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Heywood Ziegler.

**Visits Sister**  
Mrs. J. L. Hawkins spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. A. B. Hill, in Greenville.

**Visit Relatives**  
Mr. and Mrs. Pete Manning and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Manning spent Sunday in Fayetteville visiting relatives. Mrs. J. C. Manning remained to spend a few days with her mother and other relatives.

**Virginia Visitors**  
Mr. and Mrs. John Bond had as their week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles Casciano and children, Christine and John of Hampton, Va.

**Rocky Mount Visitors**  
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cash, Mrs. Mona Hoffer and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Byrum of Rocky Mount were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Byrum in Rocky Hock on Sunday.

**Returns To Norfolk**  
Ashton Morgan has returned to Norfolk, where he is stationed, after a visit with his mother, Mrs. Graham Robertson.

**Virginia Visitors**  
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Godfrey and Miss Pattie Godfrey of Lynn Haven, Va., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Bunch over the week-end.

**Week-end Guests**  
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ange had as their week-end guests Miss Lula Ange of Washington and Creswell; William Harrell of Chapel Hill and Creswell; Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow White of Gatesville, and Mr. and Mrs. William Phelps of Creswell.

**In Norfolk**  
Mrs. Alvah Bunch and Miss Frances Tillet spent Monday in Norfolk on business.

**Visit In Como**  
Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Worrell and children visited relatives in Como, N. C., over the week-end.

**Return From Florida**  
Preston Morris, Kenneth Worrell and Woodrow Lowe have returned home after a week's visit in Florida.

**Returns To College**  
Francis Hicks, a student at Carolina visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hicks over the week-end.

**Visit Daughter**  
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mansfield spent Sunday in Greenville visiting their daughter, Margaret Ann, who is a student at E. C. C.

**Visit Father**  
Gene Ward of E. C. C., and John Ward of N. C. State visited their father, Ernest J. Ward, over the week-end.

**Visits Parents**  
Miss Harriett Conger, a student at St. Mary's visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Conger over the week-end.

**Spend Week-end At Home**  
Billy Gardner, a student at Carolina, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gardner, over the week-end.

**Visits Parents**  
Richard Hines, a student at Carolina, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hines over the week-end.

**Week-end In Goldsboro**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pierce spent the week-end in Goldsboro visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hinson.

**Visit In Greenville**  
Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Spruill spent Sunday in Greenville visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Parks.

**Richmond Visitor**  
Mrs. Joe Darden of Richmond visited Frank Darden, who is quite ill, over the week-end. She also spent some time with Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Miller.

**Leaving For Japan**  
Mrs. Norman Schwartz returned to Washington, D. C., Monday after spending the week-end with her mother, Mrs. W. C. Moore. Mrs. Schwartz will fly to Seattle, Washington today (Thursday) and on March 1 she will sail for Tachikawa City, Japan, to join her husband, Staff Sergeant Schwartz.

**Visit In Newport News**  
Mr. and Mrs. Medlin Belch and children, Claire and Bobby, spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Belch in Newport News, Va.

**Rocky Mount Visitors**  
Dr. and Mrs. Richard Hardin had as their guests for the week-end Mrs. Hardin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. James of Rocky Mount.

**Attending Gift Show**  
Mrs. Percy Smith and George Alma Byrum are attending the annual gift show in New York this week.

**Visit In Farmville**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Harry and children, Nancy and Billy, spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyce Bagby in Farmville, Va.

**Visit Parents**  
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Weeks and children of Burlington visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Clarence Leary, over the week-end.

**Visit Parents**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank White had as their guests over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Alex White and daughter Becky of Greenville, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank White, Jr., and son Joe of Charlotte.

## Minutes Of County Board Of Education

The Chowan County Board of Education held its regular meeting in the office of the Superintendent, February 1, at 10:00 o'clock. The following members were present: G. E. Nixon, Carey Evans, D. H. Berryman, Conroy Perry, J. I. Boyce and G. B. Potter.

The chairman, Mr. Potter, called the meeting to order by having the secretary read the minutes of the previous meeting. The minutes were read and approved by a motion made and passed.

The county treasurer's report of school funds was read for January, and same adopted by a motion made and passed. The local school fund treasurer's reports for January for Chowan High, Rocky Hock Central and White Oak Consolidated Schools were read and same adopted by a motion made and passed.

The superintendent presented the report of the district committee in the election of Raymond R. Purnell, teacher of the eighth grade for the White Oak Consolidated School, replacing Mrs. Royce Howell Tompkins, resigned effective February 3, at the end of the fifth month. Mr. Purnell will teach public school music throughout the grades. This election was approved by a motion made and passed.

At this time Wilbur Privott, took the oath of office as district committeeman to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Carey Hollowell.

The superintendent called attention to a meeting for superintendents and board members who might care to attend. The meeting was to be in Washington, N. C., at 6:00 P. M., February 5. Mr. Potter and Mr. Boyce expressed a desire to attend.

The secretary read the bills paid since last meeting in the amount of \$6,149.56. Same were approved by a motion made and passed.

Edenton City, per capita, \$3,119.50; teacherage fund, \$37.59; capital outlay, \$45.58; Chowan High School PTA, refund, \$114.57; lunchroom program, \$518.34; veterans program, \$738.72; vocational teachers' salary and travel, \$718.00; current expense, \$857.26; total, \$6,149.56.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.  
G. B. POTTER, Chairman  
W. J. TAYLOR, Secretary

## Ruby Byrum Bride Of Whichard Davis

In the presence of a few relatives, Miss Ruby Byrum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Byrum of Edenton Route 1, became the bride of Whichard Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Davis of Hertford, at the home of the bride's pastor in Rocky Hock, Saturday night, February 6.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. B. L. Raines.

The bride wore a light blue suit with matching hat and navy blue accessories. Her only ornament was a necklace, a gift of the bridegroom, and her corsage was red roses.

Miss Bettie Davis, sister of the bridegroom, was maid of honor and only attendant. She wore a royal blue suit with black accessories. Her corsage was red carnations.

Mark Byrum of Suffolk, brother of the bride, was best man.

The bride attended Chowan High School and the bridegroom attended Perquimans High School.

The newlyweds will make their home in Hertford with the bridegroom's parents. He is employed at the Dail Gulf Service Station in Hertford.

## Sidney White, Jr. 4-H Peanut Champion

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test, Robert S. Marsh, Assistant County Agent, explained the rules of the contest and expressed appreciation for the interest and cooperation of fathers of the boys. This year's yield by the 4-H boys, said Mr. Marsh, was the third largest since 1946, when the contest was inaugurated.

Average yield by 4-H Club boys during the eight years were:

- 1946—31 projects, 1,531 pounds per acre.
- 1947—28 projects, 1,697 pounds per acre.
- 1948—15 projects, 2,165 pounds per acre.
- 1949—20 projects, 1,631 pounds per acre.
- 1950—17 projects, 1,702 pounds per acre.
- 1951—22 projects, 1,910 pounds per acre.
- 1952—16 projects, 2,579 pounds per acre.
- 1953—24 projects, 2,337 pounds per acre.

Each one of the boys introduced themselves and their father and during the program colored pictures taken at the National 4-H Congress in Chicago in 1951 were shown and commented upon by Leon Privott, State 4-H Club peanut champion for that year.

## Red Cross Fund Raising Drive Starts Next Week

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The Red Cross spent \$35,147,100 last year in providing these services. Red Cross workers at military posts and hospitals helped 117,200 servicemen each month and provided \$6,736,306 in financial assistance during the year. Chapter Home Service workers helped 105,200 service families each month; provided \$3,735,200 for emergency financial needs and basic maintenance.

Recreation programs were conducted in military hospitals here and abroad and clubmobiles were recently placed in operation in Korea to supply supplemental recreation for soldiers at isolated outposts.

Red Cross staff at VA offices helped 20,000 veterans' families and surviving dependents with claims each month; chapter workers assisted 27,400 veterans' families monthly.

To make life-giving blood available quickly and surely, the Red Cross spent \$12,879,400 last year. The organization procured 4,121,200 donations of blood and provided between January 1 and December 31, 1953, over 9,000,000 cc. of gamma globulin to the Office of Defense Mobilization for use against measles and paralysis from polio.

For disaster preparedness and for relief here and abroad the Red Cross spent \$6,776,100. Some 25,000 disaster-stricken families were assisted.

In preparing for the drive, Mr. George appeals to Chowan County people to seriously consider the merits of the Red Cross appeal and for contributions to be as liberal as possible.

## Contributions For Heart Fund \$150

Up to Monday of this week, contributions to the Heart Fund Appeal amounted to over \$150. This is the first year an organized effort has been made to solicit funds with which to combat heart diseases, so that members of the committee are very much pleased with the response.

Replies have not been received from all the letters mailed, so that it is hoped more contributions will be made. If anyone was overlooked in mailing these letters, any members

of the local committee will be delighted to receive any contributions. The committee is composed of Dr. R. H. Mitchener, Jr., Bill Perry, Mrs. E. K. Vaughan, chairman, Miss Elizabeth Moore, J. Edwin Bufflap, George Alma Byrum, Mrs. J. H. Conger, Jr., John White and W. J. Yates.

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## TAYLOR THEATRE

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Week Day Shows Continuous From 3:30

Saturday Continuous From 1:30 Sunday 2:15, 4:15 and 8:45

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, February 24-25-26—Burt Lancaster in "HIS MAJESTY O'KEEFE" MRS. PAUL H. WARD

Saturday, February 27—Hoot Gibson in "THE MARSHAL'S DAUGHTER" J. E. ROGERSON

Sunday and Monday, February 28-March 1—Rhonda Fleming in "JIVARO" MRS. J. H. THIGPEN

Tuesday and Wednesday, March 2-3—Double Feature Rock Hudson in "THE GOLDEN BLADE" —also— "THE MAZE" J. W. WHITE

Coming Soon— "The Eddie Cantor Story" "Ride Clear of Diablo" "All American" "Walking My Baby Back Home" "Knights of the Round Table" "Jesse James vs. The Daltons" "How To Marry A Millionaire" "Saadia" "The Long Long Trailer" "The Glenn Miller Story" "Beneath The 12 Mile Reef" "Saskatchewan" "Ma & Pa Kettle At Home" "King of the Khyber Rifles" "Money From Home" J. P. PARTIN

## EDEN THEATRE

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Friday and Saturday, February 26-27—Yvonne De Carlo in "FRONTIER GAL" MRS. T. J. WOOD

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