

Albemarle Historical Council Is Formed By Four Societies

With Chowan County steeped in history, the following article written by Alma O. Roberts of Moyock for the Virginia-Pilot should be of interest to Herald readers:

A group representing the historical societies of four counties of the original Albemarle County have organized "The Historical Council of Albemarle."

The council was organized to further the aims of individual societies in the area in seeking out, collecting and compiling all possible materials of historic value pertaining to the Albemarle area.

The counties represented in the initial organizational meeting were Pasquotank, Perquimans, Currituck and Camden. It is the goal of the council that all the other counties of which Albemarle County was originally composed, will become members of the Historical Council of Albemarle.

Members of the council will include the president, past president and one other delegate from each county society.

Each participating county will share equally in all necessary expenses of operation.

Officers of the council will include a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer, each

various objects from their particular counties and for setting up their displays.

Interested historians of the other counties encompassed (by division) within the original Albemarle County, are invited to contact Jack Baum, 1124 Riverside Avenue, Elizabeth City, or Mrs. Alma O. Roberts, Moyock, for further information.

"Ye Counties of Albemarle" was one of the only two counties permanently organized in North Carolina prior to 1667, the other being Craven, embracing "the territory south of Cape Ro-maine."

Albemarle County was created in 1663, and named for George Monch, Duke of Albemarle, and embraced "the territory lying north and northwest of Albemarle Sound." In October, 1667, Samuel Stephens was appointed as the first governor.

The present counties of Currituck, Pasquotank, Perquimans and Chowan were the first four divisions made from the original Albemarle.

Later divisions include Camden, formed in 1777 from Pasquotank; Bertie formed in 1722 from Chowan; Tyrrell formed in 1729 from Chowan, Bertie, Currituck and Pasquotank; Hertford formed in 1759 from Chowan, Bertie and Northampton; Gates formed in 1779 from Chowan, Perquimans and Hertford.

Part of Currituck was annexed to Hyde in 1745 (Lake Mattamusket); part of Hatteras Banks, adjoining Currituck, but without the bounds of any county (some records in Currituck Court House), was annexed to Carteret in 1770; part of Currituck was annexed to Hyde in 1823, (south of New Inlet); Dare formed in 1870 from Currituck, Tyrrell and Hyde.

Also Edgecombe formed in 1741 from Bertie; Granville formed in 1746 from Edgecombe; Halifax formed in 1758 from Edgecombe; Nash formed in 1777 from Edgecombe; Wilson formed in 1855 from Edgecombe, Nash, Johnston and Wayne.

Also Martin formed in 1774 from Halifax and Tyrrell; part of Hyde was annexed to Beaufort in 1819; Northampton formed in 1741 from Bertie; part of Northampton was annexed to Bertie in 1766 and Washington was formed in 1799 from Tyrrell.

The first project of the new council will be that of working in conjunction with the Elizabeth City Chamber of Commerce to set up a temporary display of museum objects collected in the area and to hold the first dinner meeting with Pasquotank County as host.

The tentative place for the display is the Elizabeth City High School gymnasium sometime in June.

Local residents with the assistance of their various committee chairmen and others, will be responsible for collecting the

Lunch Room Menu

Menus at the John A. Holmes High School lunch room for the week of May 16-20 will be as follows:

Monday: Weiners, cole slaw, chocolate block cake, butter, weiner rolls, pork and beans, milk, cheese slices.

Tuesday: Meat loaf with mashed potatoes, garden peas, gingerbread, butter, biscuits and milk.

Wednesday: Sliced ham, string beans, apple pie, milk, potato salad, bread, cheese, butter.

Thursday: Creamed chicken on rice, garden peas, sliced peaches, biscuits, butter, milk.

Friday: Spaghetti with meat balls, buttered corn, cup cakes, butter, cole slaw, milk, cheese.

POCAHONTAS MEETING

Chowanoke Council No. 54, Degree of Pocahontas, will meet tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock in the Red Men hall. Mrs. Leroy Harrell, Pocahontas, urges all members to make a special effort to be present.

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