



The Roundup

By WILBORNE HARRELL



This, I apologize for: I'm shore glad customs change. In the old days when a fellow came down with a spell of sickness, it was a standing invitation for the ladies of the community to barge in, and settle themselves, in the sick room, around the bed. There they'd sit and rock and gossip and knit and dip Three Thistles Sweet or Rooster or Railroad Mills. The poor sick man was usually driven frantic, and if he got well at all, it was in spite of and not because of, all this kindly solicitation. Because the joker in the deck was that the ladies really thought they were angels of mercy. For they did give the poor sick man an occasional drink of water. Me—I've just had a spell of sickness—and when I'm sick, I'm strictly the

lone type. All I want, is to be left alone. I am writing this from a hospital bed, and I am looking at things from a more realistic viewpoint. The above printed item was entirely selfish, without good taste, and an overall indictment of all my friends and others who have come to my help. For that bit of irresponsible writing I humbly apologize. Well, this is my first experience in a hospital. Everything is so strange, I haven't formed much of an overall opinion. But I have learned one lesson: I thought I was an awful sick boy, but the fellow sharing my room, Marvin Owen Tyson of Roper, had a shattered leg, and an injured head, caused by a falling tree. It was very hard, after seeing him, to feel sorry for my-

self. There, but for the grace of God, lay I. Owen Tyson has a very loyal family. In short order, his mother, Wilma, his father and brothers were right there; his mother staying all night. Nothing like that happened to me—I was the old chick in the brood. A hospital is a nice place to go when you are sick or need treatment of some kind—but it's a heck of a place to go for a rest. The dietician classified me as "toothless—soft foods." Then they brought me meat loaf, fish and other items I couldn't have chewed under any circumstances. Howcum? No compromise with Communism!

Mrs. E. L. Belch. Thursday, March 23, 3:30 P. M.—Colonial Club at ball room of Hotel Joseph Hewes. Tuesday, March 28, 7:30 P. M.—Rocky Hock Club at home of Mrs. Henry Bunch.

County News
By MRS. ROLAND EVANS

The churches of the Chowan Association are engaged in a week of Mission Study and Mission Revival this week. A Missionary Rally was held at Hertford Baptist Church Wednesday, March 1, at 10 A. M. The purpose of the rally was to give people an opportunity to meet the various missionaries of our association. The Rev. R. L. Smith delivered the message at Rocky Hock Baptist Church on Sunday morning and the Rev. L. E. Blackburn Sunday night. Week of Prayer for Home Missions will be observed in various churches during the week of March 6-12. The Intermediate and Junior RA's of Rocky Hock church will meet at the Community Center March 6 at 7:30 P. M. Extension Member of the Week at Rocky Hock is Mrs. J. F. Harrell. A fellowship meeting for pastors and visiting missionaries was held at Center Hill Baptist Church February 27. Mrs. Norman Keeter is still a patient in Chowan Hospital. Lester Forehand is a patient in Chowan Hospital. Gerald Harrell, Zackie Harrell, Faye Ober, Kathryn Tynch and Betty Bunch of Rocky Hock were home from school for the week-end. The Youth Choir of Rocky Hock has reorganized and meets each Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock. Choir officers elected were as follows: President, Nancy Spivey; vice president, Jimmy Allred; secretary, Annie Ruth Nixon, and social committee, Sandra Harrell and Danny Long. A Training Union Executive Committee meeting will be held at Center Hill Church March 7 at 7:30 P. M. The Rev. John Privott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Privott, is one of the missionary speakers in the mission school and revival being held this week at

various churches of the Chowan Association. Mr. Privott is now serving as associational missionary in North Roanoke Association. He lives at Enfield. Mrs. Geraldine Evans spent Friday night and Saturday in Elizabeth City. The County Council of Home Demonstration Clubs met Wednesday afternoon, March 1, at 2:30 o'clock at the Advance Community Building. Miss Helen Marshbourne, Virginia Electric Power Company Home Economist of Elizabeth City gave a demonstration on refreshments for various occasions. Mr. Alfred Perry celebrated his 88th birthday on Sunday instead of Mrs. Perry as was printed in the paper last week. Audrey Gordon Circle remembered Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haste on Friday. Misses Argie and Diane Crumrey celebrated their birthday on Saturday with a party held in the annex of the Christian Church. Many little folks were present. The honorees received many nice and useful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Keeter and family were in Edenton Sunday afternoon. They visited Mrs. Norman Keeter in Chowan Hospital and Mrs. Edith Perry at home. The finals of Tidewater Conference were played Saturday night in the Elizabeth City High School gymnasium. Knapp High School boys' and girls' teams were declared champions. Gold basketballs were presented to those selected on the regular season all-conference. Janet Hendrix and James Copeland were Chowan High School recipients of this award. The Chowan High School boys' team received runner-up trophy and sportsmanship trophy. Jimmy Turner was named to the all-tournament team.

and Development. The new movie was two years in the making during which State Advertising Division staff photographers ranged the fabulous fishing coast from Kitty Hawk on to the north to Calabash, more than 300 miles to the south. This coast yields over 30 varieties of game fish, and many of them are seen being caught from charter boats, head boats, the surf and the nearly 30 salt water piers dotting the coast. The movie is 16mm, in full color with sound, and running time is 13 1/2 minutes. It may be booked for group showings through the Department Conservation and Development, Advertising Division, Raleigh.

of dolomitic limestone per acre and 100 pounds of 60 per cent muriate of potash. "He planted 65 pounds of peanuts in early May. His stand was excellent. He dusted with 60 pounds of copper sulfur dust in three applications, beginning in early July. Instead of his usual 300 pounds of land plaster per acre, he applied 600 pounds. "Moore admits he left out several practices that would have paid off, too. But he's proven to himself that he can grow peanuts." Reveill says the gross income bobst was \$174.90 per acre on Moore's three-acre demonstra-

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Merry Hill News
By LOUISE B. ADAMS

Mr. and Mrs. John Piland of Scotland Neck visited Mrs. C. T. Baker and family Wednesday afternoon. Tommie Cobb and son, Kenneth of Elizabeth City visited Mrs. T. E. White and Mrs. Virgie Baker Sunday. Mrs. E. J. Pruden, Jr., and son, Edmund III, were in Ahoskie Tuesday on business and attended the funeral of Miss Baker in Harrellsville Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Wesley Winborne spent Thursday in Windsor visiting her sister, Mrs. G. E. Keeter. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halsey and Mrs. Lina Halsey of Edenton spent Sunday with Mrs. Henry Foxwell. Miss Mary and Margaret Haste, Mrs. Clyde Jordan of Windsor visited Mrs. Henry Foxwell on Saturday. Later in the afternoon, Mrs. Foxwell accompanied them to Edenton. Mr. and Mrs. Owen Barfield and children, Marilyn Kay, Marcia and Randy spent Sunday in LaGrange visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Small and Mr. and Mrs. Barfield. Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Mizelle and Billy Umphlett of Edenton visited Mrs. Mizelle's mother, Mrs. C. T. Baker and sisters, Mrs. Louise Adams and Mrs. Viola Cowan Sunday afternoon. The Mizelles

and Mr. Umphlett were returning home from Wilson where they had been to see Mrs. Mizelle's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tart of Princeton, who had the misfortune of being in an automobile wreck last week-end while on their way to spend a few days with Mrs. Tart's mother, Mrs. C. T. Baker and sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Tart are patients in Carolina General Hospital in Wilson. Mrs. Mizelle was so glad to find her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tart, somewhat improved on their visit. E. J. Pruden, Jr., was in Roxobel Friday on business. Mrs. Roy Baker is a patient in Bertie Memorial Hospital, Windsor. Mrs. Baker entered the hospital Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis visited Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Altman in Portsmouth, Va., Sunday, also relatives in Norfolk. The Rev. and Mrs. Oscar Turner spent last week visiting their daughter, Odean Chilton in Winston-Salem, also relatives and friends in Leaksville. The Rev. and Mrs. Van Wheeler and daughter of Windsor, the Rev. and Mrs. Garth Long and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Evans, Jr., Sunday night. Mrs. Milton Robertson of Rosemead spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chet White. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Baker are spending some time visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ambröse in Portsmouth, Va. Mr. and Mrs. Talbert Jackson and children visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jackson, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Privott Sunday night in Edenton. Spring revival is being held this week at Capehart Baptist Church. The Rev. Van Wheeler, pastor of Siloam Baptist Church of Windsor is the guest speaker. Dot Wright and Sonie Jethro of Edenton visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis Saturday. A-3C and Mrs. Bobby Gray of Fort Jackson, S. C., spent Sat-

urday night and Shunday with Mrs. Gray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wright Williford. J. L. Williford was dinner guest of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lawrence in Windsor Sunday. J. L. Williford spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Williford in Edenton and also visited Mrs. N. H. Spruill of Windsor who is recuperating at the home of her brother and sister-in-law. Mrs. Vernon Hardin and Mrs. Frank Cowan of Windsor were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Williford. Wesley "Skimp" Winborne spent Friday at Nags Head.

Club Calendar

Clothing leaders will do the demonstration for the March Home Demonstration Club meetings in Chowan County. Leaders reports will be given by community service leaders and house and house furnishings leaders. Following is a schedule of meetings for the month of March: Monday, March 6, 2:30 P. M.—Advance Club at Advance Community Building. Tuesday, March 7, 7:30 P. M.—Oak Grove Club at Oak Grove Community Building. Wednesday, March 8, 2:30 P. M.—Wards Club at Wards Community Building. Wednesday, March 8, 2:30 P. M.—Gum Pond Club at home of Mrs. Z. T. Evans. Thursday, March 9, 7:30 P. M.—Ryland Club at home of Mrs. Edgar Ray Taylor. Monday, March 13, 2:30 P. M.—Chowan Club at Chowan Community Building. Monday, March 13, 8:00 P. M.—Yeopim Club at home of Mrs. Bobby Bunch. Tuesday, March 14, 7:30 P. M.—Beech Fork Club at home of Mrs. Lester Harrell. Wednesday, March 15, 2:30 P. M.—Byrd Club at home of Mrs. J. D. Swindell. Monday, March 20, 7:30 P. M.—Enterprise Club at home of Mrs. Rodney Harrell. Tuesday, March 21, 7:30 P. M.—Center Hill Club at home of

Fishing At Hatteras Featured In Movie

Blue marlin battle fiercely off Cape Hatteras, huge channel bass are hauled from the surf, and large-mouth bass strike from fresh water almost within sound of the salt surf. These are features of the new movie entitled "From Kitty Hawk to Calabash—Fishing North Carolina's Coast," which has just been released by the Department of Conservation

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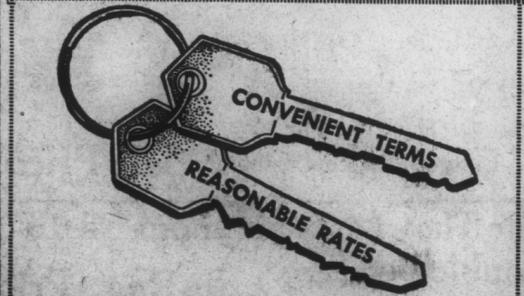


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