

## The Roundup

By WILBORNE HARRELL

CRITIQUE—One of the greatest mysteries of the literary and entertainment world, to me, is why the producers of the Tarzan movies so distorted and misrepresented the character of Tarzan in the Tarzan films. There is not the slightest resemblance of affinity of concept and portrayal between the original Tarzan and the movie version. A greater mystery, it also appears to me, is why Edgar Rice Burroughs, the author of the Tarzan books, allowed this grotesque misrepresentation of character to be carried out. As every reader of the Tarzan novels knows, the original Tarzan as conceived by Burroughs, although reared by apes in the jungle, grew into adulthood as an educated man, a gentleman, a scholar and an English lord in his own right. The sharp contrast between Tarzan's jungle world and its modern and civilized counterpart is, in my opinion, the necessary ingredient that makes the Tarzan stories so

unique and interesting. It is this very contrast of scene and activity that opens up a wealth of intriguing plot conceptions. And as the reader of the Tarzan books also knows, the movies present Tarzan in an entirely different characterization. The movies cast the jungle god as an uneducated, primeval human beast, with all of the physical attributes of the literary Tarzan, but with none of his intellectual awareness. This "Me Tarzan, you Jane" bit is nauseating. Missing is the completely satisfying rapport between Tarzan's jungle world and his jungle friends; and Tarzan's human world and his human friends. This, to me, is the golden thread that runs through the Tarzan books and was as Burroughs intended when he wrote them. The first Tarzan book, Tarzan of the Apes, was published in 1914, and it was so tremendously successful it was followed up by a long series of Tarzan novels. It is

inevitably was made into a movie—the first and real Tarzan movie—only real Tarzan. The success and fame of Tarzan mounted over the years until he became a legend and a literary classic. That is, until now, where the modern movies have dragged the original Tarzan from his pedestal and cast him in the role of a gibbering idiot.

My editor wears a cap while at his desk or working at the linotype machine. I wonder if he is like a barber I once knew. He wore a small, round skull cap while at work, because he said it gave him balance and confidence, and he couldn't work without it. Maybe it goes deeper than just the superficial cap; the cap is a subconscious haven to protect us from the unrest and uncertainty of this world we now live in. Don't we all wear a confidence cap?

### Negro Communities Compete For Honors In E. City Dec. 11th

The counties in the Albemarle Area Association with organized Negro Community Development groups will hold an Area Awards Program on December 11 at Elizabeth City State Teachers College at 8 P. M. The following six counties will be competing for top honors at the program: Gates, Perquimans, Pasquotank, Camden, Currituck and Chowan. The Center Hill-Cisco community will represent Chowan County in the competition. The program will be highlighted with greetings from Dr. Walter Ridley, president of the college; remarks on some objectives of community development by George Lewis, Albemarle Area

community Development Chairman; an address by R. E. Jones, Extension state agent of Negro Work, Greensboro, N. C., and presentation of awards to the three top communities judged on November 26 and 27.

All community groups and individuals throughout each of the counties are invited and encouraged to attend this area award program. This will be the first meeting of the counties in the

Negro division since the area program was organized. It is left up to each community to get together and share rides so that a large number of individuals in each community will obtain first hand information as to how it may contribute to the total program.

Well arranged time is the surest mark of a well arranged event. —Sir Isaac Pitman.

### BLOODSHED BOXSCORE ON N.C. HIGHWAYS



Raleigh — The Motor Vehicles Department's summary of traffic deaths through 10 A. M., Monday, December 3, 1962, follows:

Killed To Date ..... 7199

Killed To Date Last Year ..... 1118

### A Correction

In writing heads, an error was made in last week's Chowan Herald relative to the Center Hill-Cisco Community. The heading of the story conveyed the impression that the Center Hill-Cisco Community Development organization was winner in the area community development contest.

The Center Hill-Cisco community was declared the Chowan County winner, which qualified it to compete in the area development contest. This contest will be held at the Elizabeth City Teachers College Tuesday, December 11.

### ROBERTS COMPLETES ARMY (NCO) COURSE IN GERMANY

Army Specialist Five George W. Roberts, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Roberts, Route 1, Edenton, recently completed the 6-week combat engineer Non-Commissioned Officer (NCO) course at the U. S. Army School, Europe, in Murnau, Germany.

Specialist Roberts entered the Army in June, 1957, and was stationed at Fort Bragg, N. C., before arriving overseas in March 1960 on this tour of duty. He is a construction supervisor in Company D of the 293d Engineer Battalion in Baumholder. Roberts is a 1957 graduate of Edenton High School.

### Hospital Patients

Visiting hours: 10-11 A. M.; 2-4 and 8-9 P. M. Children under 12 not permitted to visit patients.

Patients at Chowan Hospital from November 27 to December 3 included the following:

**Admissions**  
White — Henry Phelps, Jeff White, Thomas Gregory, Alvin Stallings, Vance Moore, Arthur Furlough, Melvin Davis, Cecil Wood White, Master Emils Copeland, Dottie Wilbur Wheeler, Mrs. Margaret A. Holmes, Mrs. Lois Hathaway, Mrs. Page Chappell, Mrs. Juanita Trotman, Mrs. Mary Williams, Mrs. Syble Maxine Harrell, Mrs. Mary Spruill, Mrs. Ida Spruill.

Colored — Mrs. Mae Dempsey, Mrs. Marion Fricson, Mrs. Ella Sylvester Gregory, Mrs. Alice Holley, Mrs. Bessie Saunders, Mrs. Lois Riddick, Mrs. Emma Hall, Mrs. Zuline Blount, Mrs. Irma Blanchard.

**Discharges**  
White — Joseph Wilson Ferrell, Joseph E. Debnam, Jr., Rowland Thornton, Henry Phelps, Jeff White, Thomas Gregory, Alvin Stallings, Vance Moore, Master Emils Copeland, Mrs. Celia Byrd Umphlett, Mrs. Charlotte Lane, Miss Betty Louise White, Mrs. Evelyn Mansfield, Mrs. Margaret A. Holmes, Mrs. Lois Hathaway.

Colored — Mrs. Delilah Holley, Mrs. Annie Moring Williams, Mrs. Hazel Ruth Holley, Mrs. Flora Jennings, Mrs. Zuline Blount, Mrs. Irma P. Blanchard, Mrs. Lugania Taylor, Mrs. Mary Dempsey, Mrs. Marion Frierson, Mrs. Ella Sylvester Gregory, John Abner Everett, Leroy Hunter.

**Births**  
White—Mr. and Mrs. Marshall

William, Mansfield, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Chappell, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harvey Williams, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Linwood Harrell, a daughter.

Colored—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Saunders, a son; Mr. and Mrs. James Gregory, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. George Waley Frierson, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Watson Blanchard, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blount, a son.

### Elementary School Lunch Room Menu

Menus at the Edenton Elementary School lunch room for the week of December 10-14 will be as follows:

Monday: Lunch meat, carrot and cabbage salad, sandwich bread, green beans and potatoes, cherry pie, milk, cheese slices.

Tuesday: Beef stew, potatoes and carrots, school baked rolls, butter, candied yams, apple sauce, milk.

Wednesday: Beef vegetable soup, crackers, block cake with white icing, toasted cheese sandwiches, milk.

Thursday: Roast turkey, turnip greens, giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, creamed potatoes, school baked rolls, milk, butter, school baked cookies.

Friday: Fish sticks, cornbread, cole slaw, milk, butter, blackeye peas, peach pie.

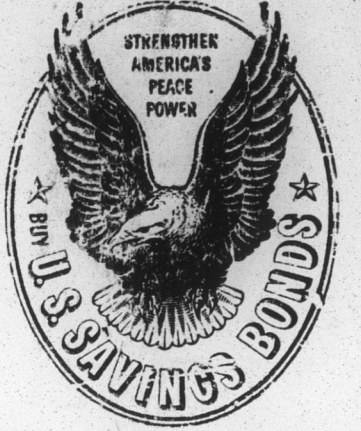
### Albemarle District Boy Scout Officers For 1963 Elected

The Albemarle District, Boy Scouts of America, held its annual business meeting on Tuesday night, November 27, in Elizabeth City. The Institutional

Representatives from Northeast Carolina elected the following officers for 1963:  
District Chairman, C. O. Robinson, Jr., of Elizabeth City; vice chairman, Alden Baker of Elizabeth City; vice chairman, R. T. Orr of Elizabeth City; vice chairman, E. C. Woodard of Hertford.

In accepting the district chairmanship, Mr. Robinson expressed his appreciation to the men present and said that the district will begin a three-year program during Scout Week, next February, to give more and better Scouting to boys. In order to start 1963 out with vigor, Mr. Robinson introduced the following committee chairmen for 1963: Organization and Extension Co-Chairmen—A. A. Jenkins and P. R. Little of Elizabeth City. Training Chairman—Dr. C. R. Benson, president of The College of The Albemarle. Camping Chairman—Col. Her-

bert E. Bass, retired of Chowan County.  
Activities Chairman — W. J. Tucker of Moyock.  
Health and Safety Chairman—Dr. William A. Hoggard, Jr., of Elizabeth City.  
Advancement Chairman—M. C. Sawyer of Elizabeth City.



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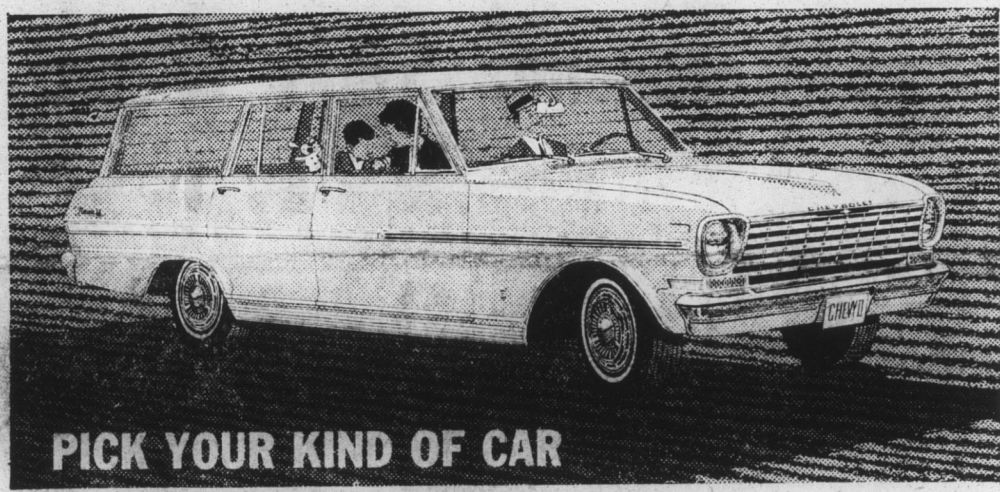
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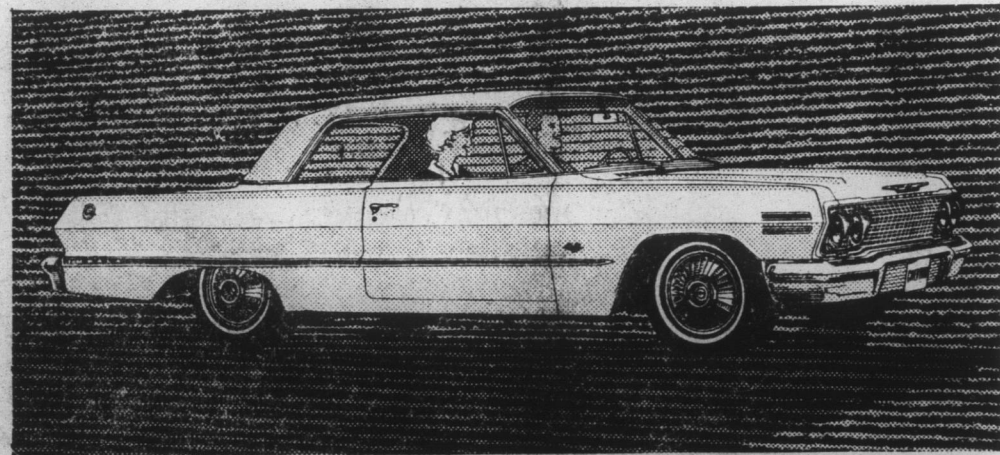


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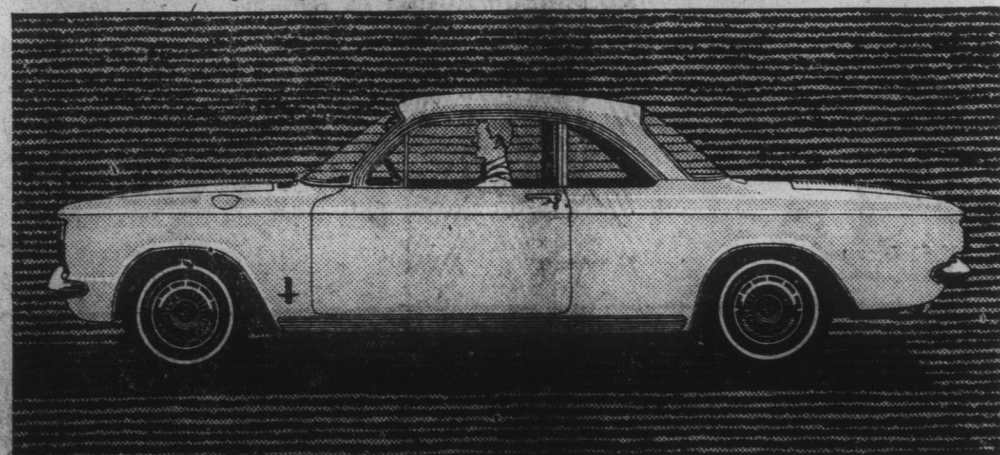
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## TAYLOR THEATRE — EDENTON

Season's Greetings Go Out to a Movie

Wed., Thurs., Fri. and Sat. December 5-6-7-8—  
**ELVIS PRESLEY** HAL WALLIS' **GIRLS! GIRLS! GIRLS!** TECHNOCOLOR

Saturday, December 15—  
DOUBLE FEATURE  
WARNER BROS. PRESENTS **CHIT-CHANGIN' WALKER** **FORT DOBBS** His First Big Motion Picture! MARY-KATH EYER

— also —  
JANE FONDA and TONY PERKINS in **"Tall Story"**

Sun., Mon. and Tues. December 16-17-18—  
DOUBLE FEATURE  
ACTION! THRILLS! COLOR!  
**THE WILD WESTERNERS**

— Also —  
JERRY LEWIS **as the Bellboy** A Paramount Release

Wednesday, Dec. 12—  
PLAY LUCKY—IT'S FREE  
Robert Mitchum in **"One Minute to Zero"**

Thurs. and Fri. December 13-14—  
MAN'S OWN CREATION! CAN HE CONTROL MACHINES THAT PRODUCE PEOPLE?  
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Wednesday, December 19—  
PLAY LUCKY—IT'S FREE  
JERRY WALES **MARDI GRAS** BOONE-CARRE

Thursday and Friday December 20-21—  
INDESTRUCTIBLE! What was this BEAST born fifty million years out of time?  
**REPTILICUS** COLOR

Saturday, December 22—  
DOUBLE FEATURE  
JOHN WAYNE STEWART GRANGER ERNIE KOVACS FABIAN **NORTH TO ALASKA** GASPICHINE

— Also —  
LIKE I MEN! IT'S WAY OUT!  
**"GO, JOHNNY GO!"** STARRING ALAN FREED - JIMMY CLANTON SANDY STENHART - CHUCK BERRY

Sunday and Monday December 23-24—  
IRVING BERLIN'S **WHITE CINEMAS** BING STARBUCK DANNY CROSBY-KAYE ROSEMARY VERA CLOONEY-ELLEN

Tues., Wed., Thurs., Fri. and Saturday December 25-26-27-28-29—  
MERRY CHRISTMAS!  
**Period of Adjustment** JANE FONDA JIM HUTTON  
Shows: Christmas Day: 3:30, 7 and 9 P. M.  
Week Days: 7 and 9 P. M.  
Saturday Continuous from 3:30  
**PLAY LUCKY WEDNESDAY ... IT'S FREE!**  
Special Show Saturday Afternoon December 29 — 3:30 P. M.  
M-G-M presents A George Folz Production **"Tom Thumb"** ... It's colorful! the wonderful musical adventure... starring Russ Tamblyn Alan Young Terry-Thomas - Peter Sellers