

FRANCES W. FENNER

Frances Williams Fenner, a resident at Britthaven of Edenton, died there Dec. 24. She was 98.

A native of Hampshire, IL, Mrs. Fenner was a daughter of the late Alonza and Libby Williams, and the wife of the late Sherman Fenner.

She was a retired grocery store owner/operator.

Survivors include: a son, Donald Fenner, and his wife, Joan, of Edenton; a daughter-in-law, Rosemary Fenner, of Liverpool, NY; two

sisters, Vera Johnson of Clay, NY, and Verna Johnson of Palermo, NY; six grandchildren, John Fenner, Kathryn Heil, Maureen Fallor, James Fenner, Judy Fenner, and Andrew Fenner; and four great-grandchildren, Colin Fenner, Lauren Fallen, Brandon Roberts and Danielle Roberts.

She was predeceased by a son, Alvin Fenner.

A funeral service was held Monday, Dec. 27, at 3 p.m. at the Evans Funeral Home Chapel in Edenton. A service is scheduled to be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 29, in

Mexico, NY. Burial will be held at Mexico Village Cemetery in Mexico, NY.

Memorial donations may be made to the Cystic Fibrosis Association, 6931 Arlington Rd., Bethesda, MD 20814.

Evans Funeral Home in Edenton served the Fenner family.

NORMAN F. HATHAWAY

WICHITA, KS — Norman F. Hathaway, 89, of Wichita, KS, died there Dec. 19.

He was a native of Creswell, NC, and the son of the late Joseph Benjamin Cox and Geraldine Carey Cox. He was the husband of the late Florence Catherine Burns.

Mr. Hathaway was an engineer,

and a U.S. Navy veteran. He was a member of the Wichita Lions Club.

Survivors include: a son, Jay Hathaway of Wichita, KS; two daughters, Ann Hathaway and Gail Hathaway, both of Wichita, KS; a brother, Robert C. Hathaway of Charlottesville, VA; four sisters, Mary V. Eichelberger of Virginia Beach, VA, Nell Kello of Virginia Beach, VA and Dorothy Copley of Virginia Beach, VA.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Philip J. Hathaway.

A funeral service was held at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 22, at Culbertson-Smith Mortuary in Wichita with Dr. Dean Linsenmeyer officiating. Inter-

ment followed at White Chapel Memorial Gardens in Wichita.

The family suggests that memorial donations be made to the Wichita Lions Club in Wichita, KS, Culbertson-Smith Mortuary in Wichita was in charge of arrangements.

RICHARD E. PERKINS

HERTFORD, NC — Richard Earl Perkins, 58, of 93 Oliver Street, Hertford, died Thursday evening, Dec. 23, in the Chowan Hospital Skilled Nursing Facility.

A native of Baileyville, ME, he was a son of the late Clifton and Thelma Hayden Perkins. He was a self-employed long distance truck driver.

Survivors include: two sons, Ri-

chard M. Perkins of Tyner, NC and Clifton E. Perkins of Yukon, OK; a sister, Carol Weston of Old Town, ME; two brothers, George Perkins and Thomas Perkins, both of Woodland, ME; three grandchildren; and a close companion, Sandra Potts of Hertford, NC.

A memorial service will be held Thursday, Dec. 30, at 2 p.m. in the Swindell Funeral Home Chapel in Hertford, NC.

In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be sent to the American Cancer Society, Perquimans County Chapter, PO Box 156, Hertford, NC 27944 or blood may be donated in his memory to the American Red Cross.

Swindell Funeral Home in Hertford is handling arrangements.

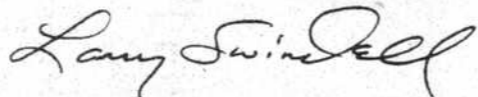
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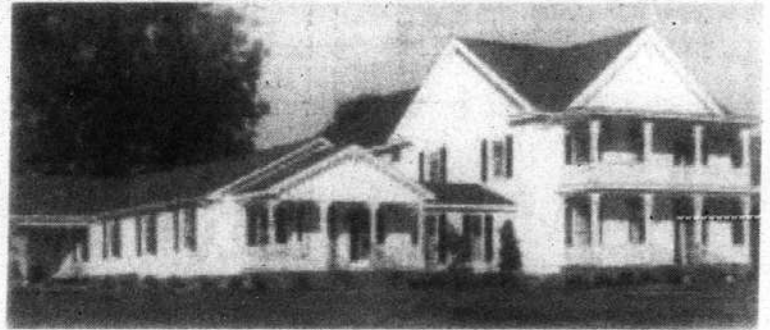
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