

Mayberry focus of new arrival

You'll be sure to smile when you pick up *Mayberry Memories: The Andy Griffith Show Photo Album*. The eight seasons of the show began in 1960 and endure as re-runs to this day. And everybody has a favorite episode. Remember when Opie shot the bird with his slingshot?

Seabiscuit: An American Legend was a rags-to-riches horse whose dismal early racing career was eclipsed by his later performances. Bought for a song and trained by two unlikely candidates, Seabiscuit became a popular favorite in the late 1930s when the country struggled through the Great Depression.

American Furniture: Understanding Styles, Construction and Quality features diagrams and thorough explanations of styles from the early seventeenth century to the early twentieth century. How cabinetmakers created their styles and how you can train your eye to recognize them are the themes of the book. The author encourages collectors to love the ratty look of old pieces rather than ruin them with refinishing.

Here's one for the believe-it-or-not category. William F. Buckley's new novel features Elvis Presley. The premise is as follows: A friendship that began when Elvis was in the Army in Germany continues even though the two young men take very different paths in life. Buckley uses the characters to chronicle America during the 1960s in *Elvis in the Morning*.

From E. Lynn Harris, *Any Way the Wind Blows* is another steamy chapter in the lives of former football star Basil Henderson and singing sensation Yancey Braxton.

Jeff Shaara's Rise to Rebellion is a novel of the American Revolution and is told from the perspective of American historical figures. The book opens with the Boston Massacre when lawyer John Adams must defend the British peacekeepers who fired on civilian colonists. The book is the first of two planned by the

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author on this crucial period in American history.

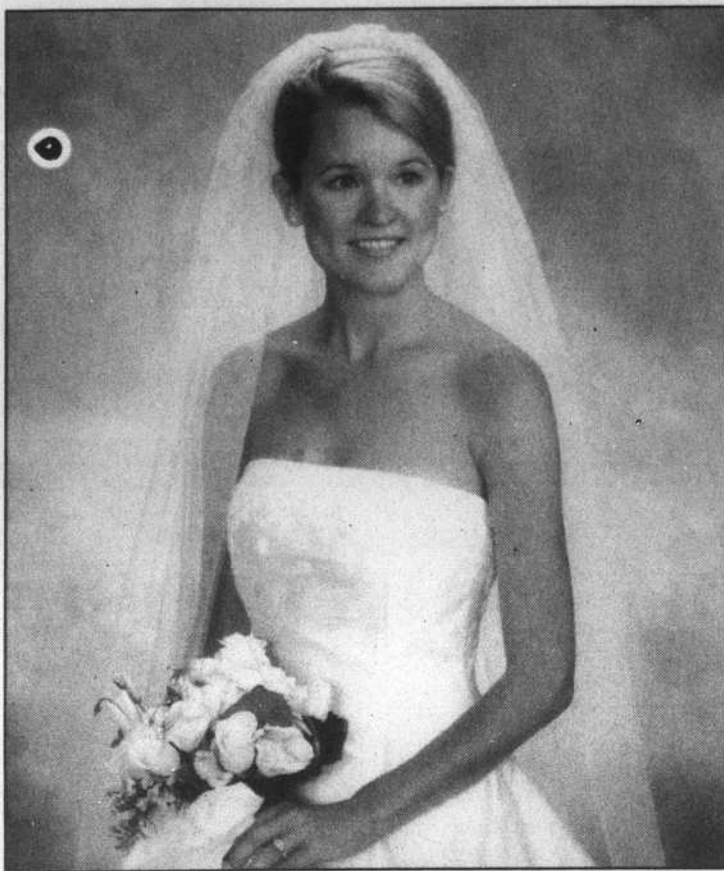
A television journalist loses his left hand (while the cameras are rolling) in a freak accident. He then becomes involved in a chain of events that hopefully will lead to a hand transplant. Reviewers are calling *The Fourth Hand* by John Irving both poignant and funny.

Big Cherry Holler by Adriana Trigiani, a sequel to *Big Stone Gap*, returns to that rural Virginia community to pick up the stories of Ave Maria and her friends and neighbors.

In *Summer Light* by Luanne Rice, May, a professional wedding planner, has little use for marriage herself until she meets a professional hockey player whose public persona hides inner rage and isolation (which she, of course, can cure).

Tres Navarre, private detective and English teacher, takes a summer teaching job at the University of Texas hoping for a respite from his practice in San Antonio. But once there he becomes entangled in a Texas-size case that involves big oil money, a corporate takeover and love, hate, and revenge. It's all in *The Devil Went Down to Austin*.

Old money and manners in the Hamptons provide an aura of respectability in *Misfortune*, a novel of suspense by Nancy Geary. The county's star prosecutor goes into an exclusive country club in Southampton when a list of murder suspects includes its prominent members.



Mrs. Harold William Wells IV

Vows exchanged by Chesson and Wells

Meredith Marie Chesson of Raleigh and Harold Williams IV of Wilmington, NC were married July 28 at six o'clock in the evening at the Duke University Chapel. The Rev. Dr. J. Thomas Smith officiated the ceremony. A reception followed at the Carolina Country Club in Raleigh.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Merritt Chesson III of Raleigh. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Margaret Brand Lemen of Raleigh and the late Mr. Ralph Maynard Lemen, and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Merritt Chesson Jr. of Edenton.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold William Wells III of Wilmington. He is the grandson of Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. Joseph Francis Dunn of Wilmington and Mrs. Laura Fleming Wells of Wilmington and the late Mr. Harold William Wells Jr.

Margaret Gammon Blythe of Charlotte served as matron of honor.

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Little Theatre seeks help with fall play

The Edenton Little Theatre has scheduled auditions for its next production, "Love, Sex and the IRS," on Aug. 15-16 at 7:30 p.m. at the Edenton United Methodist Church.

The play has roles for three women — two younger, ages 25-35, and one older, perhaps 40 to 50. Also needed are five men — two younger (ages 25-35), an older gentleman to portray the IRS agent, another older man to play the part of the landlord and yet another older "mystery man".

"Anyone will be permitted

to try out, whether you're a seasoned actor or a first-time performer," said Bud Weagly, ELT spokesman.

"We feel that this play, which has been described as a "wild farce," is going to be a very exciting one, both for the performers and the public."

The play is scheduled to run Nov. 9-10 at the White Oak Elementary School on Hwy. 32 North and will be a dinner theatre.

Anyone needing more information is encouraged to call 482-2570 for details.

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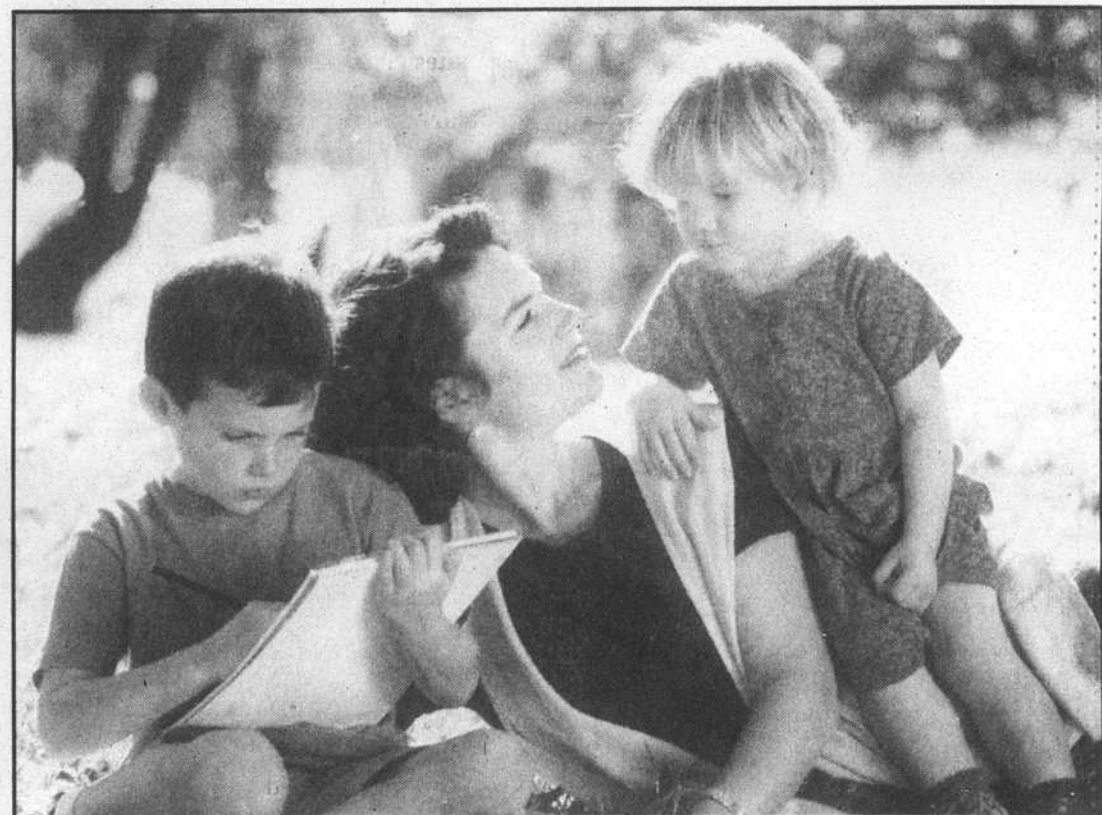
Thanks also to the Bear Swamp Hunt Club and Bear Swamp/ Beach Spring Runners for the benefit that was so successful. A special thanks to the community for tickets purchased and donations made.

All churches, thank you so much for the cards and prayers. They have meant so much to me. Please continue to remember me in your prayers.

I thank you all for your cards, letters, prayers, visits and words of encouragement.

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Dr. Hamby will also have office hours at Plymouth Medical Center, US Highway 64 East in Plymouth, on Tuesdays, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm and Thursdays, 8:00 am - noon. Call 252-791-0901.

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Blake and Lynn Holmes and Cody announce the birth of their son and brother, **Kyler Blake Holmes**, on July 21 at 3:11 a.m. at Chowan Hospital in Edenton.

The little boy weighed 7 lbs., 6 ozs and was 21 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Lehman and Mary Ambrose of Creswell, NC.

Paternal grandparents are Kenny and Debbie Stallings of Belvidere, NC and George Holmes of Greenville, NC.

Maternal great-grandparents are Learolean Brickhouse of Columbia, NC and James and Caddie Capps of Elizabeth City, NC.

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