

Harold Whitley stated this week that he has about ten cinder blocks which he isn't using that he plans to give to be used in building a septic tank at the local Scout Hut.

For the benefit of all and sundry who may have cases in the local Recorder's court, Court Clerk W. M. Darden stated this week that absolutely no credit arrangement can be made with his office for future payment of fines or court costs by installment or otherwise.

With the total collections reported from the county in the current March of Dimes campaign standing at \$2,434 as of yesterday, County Director Bill Ruffin urged all those who have collected not yet reported to turn them in at once to Benton Liverman in Plymouth in order that the quota of \$2,500 may be reached as soon as possible.

The James E. Jethro Post No. 164 of the American Legion will meet at the Legion Hall tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. Rev. P. B. Nickens, chaplain of the post, who is on the speakers' bureau of the mass chest X-ray survey, will speak concerning that work and its importance to the community.

Out-of-town students attending the Northeastern District meeting of Beta Clubs here Wednesday at the Plymouth High School were much in evidence on the downtown streets in the afternoon.

A meeting of the Plymouth Merchants Association held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock was pretty well attended. The group discussed ways of promoting increased business in Plymouth.

A very attractive display of Scouting equipment, flags, literature, rope knots and such calls attention to Scout Week, being currently observed, from the center display window at Leder Brothers here.

Word was received here late yesterday of the death of Joseph Frank, father of Jack Frank who formerly managed the Margolis Store which was closed here the first of the year.

Mr. Frank died yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Philadelphia, his home. He was around 80 years of age and was a buyer of general merchandise. He was at one time in business in Williamston.

Annual District Meeting of Beta Clubs Held Here

Representatives of Fourteen Schools in Northeastern District in All-Day Session Here Yesterday

The annual meeting of High School Beta Clubs of the Northeastern district was held at Plymouth High School yesterday (Wednesday). The meeting convened at 9:30 o'clock in the morning and adjourned at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

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Polio Fund Totals \$2,434 in County

The March of Dimes campaign in Washington County has progressed to within shooting distance of the goal, according to information received yesterday from Bill Ruffin of Plymouth, county director.

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County To Have 14 Census Takers

To Enforce New Trash Ordinance

Effective next week, town trucks will not pick up trash or garbage unless it is placed in approved containers, the city council ruled at its meeting Monday night. Officials ruled that sufficient time had been given for all householders to secure proper containers as required by an ordinance passed several months ago.

District Office Established At Washington; W. T. Freeman to Head Work In Washington-Tyrrell

The office for the 17th Decennial Census of the United States to serve this district has been established at Washington, it was learned from information received here this week from Mrs. J. B. Spilman, of Greenville, assistant supervisor for the district.

Night School for Adults Is Having Good Attendance

Enrollment Here Now Numbers 43; Halfway Mark Reached Tuesday; Three Subjects Offered

A new venture was begun in Plymouth on January 4, which has proved quite successful in the ensuing weeks. That date marks the opening of night school classes for adults, held at Plymouth High School, the attendance of which has grown from 18 registrants on opening night to a current enrollment of 43 students.

Board Approves Revised Plans of Proposed School

Letters from State and Local Men Relative to Proposed Washington County High School Read

The Washington County Board of Education met in regular monthly session at the courthouse here Monday. Several matters of a minor nature were discussed at the meeting and the members of the board conferred with their attorney, Carl Bailey of Plymouth, but the nature of the conference was not divulged.

County Joins Dare In Seeking Better Facilities at Inlet

Action Taken at Regular Board Meet Monday; Other Matters Considered at Session

The Washington County Board of Commissioners held a rather lengthy session Monday consuming most of the day taking up a number of routine matters. Highlight of the session was the action taken in response to a letter from the Dare County Board of Commissioners relative to the improvement of Oregon Inlet and which letter was read to the board.

Set Up Schedule For Chest X-Rays

League Meeting Set for Monday

Baseball plans for the coming year are to be made at a meeting of Albemarle League directors in Edenton Monday night. The session will be held at the courthouse, starting at 7:45, according to a letter issued this week by Howard Gaylord, league president.

Organizational Work Expected To Be Completed This Week; Schedule for Washington-Tyrrell

Organizational work for the mass chest X-Ray survey to be held in Washington and Tyrrell Counties February 17 through March 1 is expected to be completed this week, according to a statement from Miss Lulu Belle Highsmith, senior health educator with the division of tuberculosis control of the State Board of Health, Raleigh, who has been in Plymouth for the past two weeks supervising the planning work.

Lengthy Session Held by Council Monday Night

Several Arguments Enliven Session; Begin Work on Little Richwood Water Line July 1

The monthly meeting of the Plymouth City Council Monday night was enlivened by a couple of stiff arguments, but everything was settled peaceably finally, and the session ended on a harmonious note.

Washington County — Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., at all stops. No X-raying on Sundays and Mondays. Citizens are urged to go to the most convenient location for the X-Ray.

Plymouth: In front of Branch Banking & Trust Company, Feb. 17 through March 1, except Sundays and Mondays; Roper White High School (school only), Feb. 17; Plymouth White High School (school only), Feb. 17; Plymouth Colored High School (for school and community), Feb. 17 and 18; Roper, Texaco Service Station, Feb. 18 through March 1; Prison Camp (camp only), Feb. 18; Roper, J. J. Clemmons High School (school only), Feb. 21; Plymouth, Atlas Plywood Corp. (plant only), Feb. 21; Creswell White High School (school only), Feb. 22; Creswell Colored High School (school only), Feb. 23; Creswell, Creswell Barber Shop, Feb. 24, 25, 28 and March 1.

County's History Is Finished by Darden

Manuscript, 'Story of Washington County,' Completed After 15 Years Work by Plymouth Man

By JAMES L. BOND For the past fifteen or more years John W. Darden, Washington County's historian, has been working on a history of the county. During those years he has spent considerable money, time and energy in research work.

Thomas Hopkins Is Named 'Man of Year' by Jaycees

Award Is Made at Charter Night Banquet of Columbia Club Held Last Friday Night

Thomas F. Hopkins, president of the Plymouth Junior Chamber of Commerce, received a plaque and watch charm at the Columbia Charter Night meeting last Friday in recognition of his being chosen the Young Man of the Year in Plymouth. The award was presented by Micou F. Browne, president of the North Carolina Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Services Friday For Mrs. Jordan

Funeral services were held Friday for Mrs. Bell Spruill Jordan, 73, at Creswell Baptist Church by the pastor, the Rev. W. R. Stevens, assisted by the Rev. J. L. Smith and the Rev. B. W. Gaither.

Service Station Is Damaged by Fire

Fire of undetermined origin last night did considerable damage at Marrow's Esso Station at the corner of Washington and Main Streets. The wooden shanty temporarily housing the office while a modern new station is being built was just about gutted by the fire, which burned a number of tires, tubes and other stock as well as ruining a cash register and other equipment.

Local Scouts To Hold Honor Court Monday Evening

Nine Boys of Troop 84 Will Be Advanced to Second-Class Rank; Board of Review Held Monday

Monday night at their regular troop meeting the boys of Troop 84 had their first board of review in months, as this week is Birthday Week for Scouts. Thirty-nine years ago scouting started in America and has grown until this week, February 6 to 12, 2,500,000 boys and men are putting forth a concerted effort to let the people know what scouting is doing for them.

Parents-Teachers To Meet Tuesday

A meeting of the executive board of the Plymouth Parent-Teacher Association was held yesterday morning at the home of Mrs. K. S. Trowbridge.

Lake Phelps Legion Post Meets Next Monday Night

Lake Phelps Post No. 391 of the American Legion will hold its regular meeting Monday night, February 13, at 7:30 o'clock at the Starlite Club. This will be a very important meeting, according to an announcement from Post Adjutant H. S. Woodley, and all members are urged to attend.

Local Firemen Called to Philip Stillman's House

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To Hold Conference Tourney Next Week

The Albemarle Conference basketball tournament will be held in Williamston next week, starting on Wednesday and continuing through Friday night, it was decided at a meeting of conference officials in Williamston Monday night. The conference tournament is for boys' teams only, and there will be two games each night.

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Roper Town Council Will Meet Next Monday Night

The Roper Town Council will hold its regular monthly meeting Monday night, February 13, at 8 o'clock in the Community Building.

Creswell Parent-Teacher Meeting Set for Tonight

The Creswell PTA will hold its regular meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Creswell High School auditorium.