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Obituaries

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Hugh Herbert Ross, Jr., 70, formerly of Beaufort County, voungest son of the late H. H.Ross and Lula Rowe Ross. died Tuesday at his home in Rome, Ga. He is survived by his widow, Sara Chadwick Ross and



Dresses 1/4 to 1/2 Off Shorts & Tops 1/4 Off Shoes 1/2 Off Handbags 1/2 Off Robes, gowns, pajamas Pants & Pantsuits 1/4 Off

BIRDIE'S **FASHIONS**

Alliance, N.C.

The deceased was the brother of Mrs. Irma Ross Midyette of Oriental and Miss Mildred Ross of Wilson, now residing in Durham with her nephew, Robert Paschall. He was a brother of the late John R.Ross of New Bern and was a long time employee of Metropolitan Life Insurance until his retirement three years ago. Burial was in Rome on Thursday. In liew of flowers a memorial gift to the Cancer Society was requested by the family. The address is

Schnecdity. N. Y., Chadwick

Ross of Red Bank, N. J. and

Dickinson Ross of Atlanta, Ga.

and four grandchildren.

Ray Hathaways

In St. Louis Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hathaway of Hobucken, who were recently married, attended the Hathaway family runion in St. Louis, Mo. and report having a wonderful time. According to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, for Ray it was like gaining an instant family. He had never attended a family reunion before. He said he had never met any Hathaways before because his father was an orphan and he never had any way to trace the family.

He began the search about 10 years ago when he heard about Mrs. Elizabeth Versailles, a Ollison, Paul Peterson, Angel Hathaway descendent who is genealogist for the the associa- in New England were shiption. He wrote to her for information about the family. He plans to start attending the reu-

nion each year. The annual event is held every other year in New England and in different cities across the country in alternate years.

The first settlers of the family Oriental.

Pamlico Junior **High Honors List**

4th Nine Weeks Honor Roll Making the honor roll Pamlico Junior High for the fourth nine weeks were, 7TH GRADE, Bendore George Golden, Dudley Alvin Paul, Steven Earl Hollowell. Sara Louise Brady, Catherine Denise Muse, Joseph Dalson Mc-Cotter. Gina Renee Willie. Lynn Barnes, Teresa Marie Caldwell, Sharon Ann Bennett, Duffy Nolan Harrison, Lisa Annette Gaskill, Brenda Lee Dixon, Ethen Lee Edgerton, Shervl Jean Holton, Diane

Rodney Charles Rowland, Anna Joyce Wheeler, Karen Fisher, William Bartling Gooding, Raymond Edward Lewis, Jr., Susan Elizabeth May, Jennifer Helen Kirschner, Wendy Renee Powers, Alton

Wright Spruill. 8TH GRADE, Joan K. Smith, Edward Lee Hood, Dana Christine Lee, Carolyn Denise Stokes, Douglas Earl Woolston, Angela Williams, Cathy Hagmaier, Lori Rowe, Johnny Whitfield Rice, Kim Carraan, Allison Cowell and Melanie Patterson.

9TH GRADE, Kenneth Robert Wheeler, Debra Murgalia, Timothy Murray, Brenda O'Neal, Andrea Nichelle Page, Lisa Gayle Peacock, Brenda Phipps, David Prescott, Carla June Lupton, Hiram Watson Lupton, Paula Francis Lupton, Rhonda Alisa Hudson, Taffy Connett, Dale Cooper, Michael Credle, Carol Davis, Kimberlee Gatlin, Sandra Lorraine Baker. Sandra Louise Bennett and Dwight E.Caroon.

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builders and iron workers, according to a spokesman for the group. The story of the Hathaways is recorded in a 1,500 page volume called, 'Hathaways of America.'

Mrs. Ray Hathaway is the former Ms. Irene Newsome of

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5 PAIRS OF SHORTS COULD FORCE USTO

Flo Gaskins and Teresa Ann

8TH GRADE, Phyllis Hill. 9TH GRADE, Rebecca Prescott, Nancy Ann Lewis, Gary Wayne Linton, Lois Gumbrecht, Sherri Cooley, Douglas Cross, Kimberly Dixon and Gina

Second Semester Honor Roll 7TH GRADE, Benders George Golden, Dudley Alvin Paul, Steven Earl Hollowell, Sara Louise Brady, Catherine Denise Muse, Joseph Deleon McCotter, Gina Renee Willis, Teresa Lynn Barnes, Teresa Marie Caldwell, Sharon Ann Bennett, Brenda Lee Dixon, Ethan Leo Edgerton, Angel Flo Gaskins, Sheryl Jean Holton, Diane Jones, Anna Joyce Wheeler, Karen Fisher;

William Bartling Gooding, Cynthia Denise Greene, Raymond Edward Lewis, Jr., Susan Elizabeth May, Wendy Renee Powers, Alston Wright Spruill, Teresa Ann Scott.

8TH GRADE, Martha Mwvo. Brenda Hopson, Joan K. Smith, Dena Christine Lee, Angela Williams, Cathy Hagmaier, Donna Morris, Lori Rowe, Kim Carawan, Allison Cowell, Frances Baxley, Melanie Pat-

9TH GRADE, June Elizabeth Venters, Kenneth Robert Wheeler, Artis Moore, Debra Murgalia, Brenda O'Neal, Andrea Michelle Page, Lisa Gayle Peacock, Brenda Phipps, Gary Wayne Linton, Carla June Lupton, Hiram Watson Lupton, Rhonda Alice Hudson. Taffy Cornett, Dale Cooper, Michael Credle, Sandra Ensley, Kimberlee Gatlin, Sandra Louise Bennett, Dwight Elmo

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In And Around **Oriental**

by Mrs. G. P. Midyette Joint Vacation Bible School Held The First Baptist Church and United Methodist Church have Rotarians Install Officers been involved in a joint vacation

Bible School that has now come to a close. Mrs. Inez Hargrove served as principal and Mrs. Betty Welsch was pianist. Teachers were Candy Broughton, Barbara Lupton and Mrs Freeda Lupton; Mrs. Fay Bond, Mrs. Lucille Murray and Nancy Piner. The youth group was under the direction of Mrs. Irma Midvette and Mrs. Lil Midyette. There were around 50 students attending each day to learn about the Bible and its

served daily. On hand to serve refreshments, different ones serving on different days were Linda Sanderson, Ruth Statham and Freeda Lupton; Sylvia Roberts, Lucy Gilgo, Clara Bailey, Doris Rockwood, Annie Willis, Eva Mae Lewis, Rebecca Paul and John Bond.

teachings. Refreshments were

Commencement exercises were at 10 o'clock Friday with parents present

Excitement In The Air Everyone was getting excited last week this time about the Independence Day Celebration that was held on July 3 at the mini park. We must look to our next edition to see who won the many prizes offered for several contests.

Surprise Visit

Betsy Thompson was pleasantly surprised last Tuesday by a visit from a college classmate, Mrs. G. C.Webb and her husband from Weldon. They spent the afternoon together reminising. She was surprised again on Wednesday when her sister, Billie Jean MidyetteFurlong, came home from Charlotte to spend some time with her mother, brothers, sisters and friends

Changing Hands The Harboer View Galley in Oriental has changed hands; also Norman's Grocery Store. Johnny Pye and his wife, Cheryl bought out Brantley and Sylvia Norman. Let us welcome them to the community.

Celebrity Here It is reported that Foster Brooks of TV fame was a visitor at the Oriental Marina Restaurant recently. He was with a group who were taking part in the sail boat races.

Take Up Summer Residence Here

who could eat the most corn.

of Raleigh have taken up sum- job so worthwhile.

Celebration . . .

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A parade, Oriental's second, was held beginning at 3:30. Due to newspaper deadline on Sunday, these pictures will not appear

until next week. The parade was followed by many special

events at the park where booths had been erected by civic or

In addition to these, there was a sidewalk art show displaying

work of local artists, this being under the direction of Ms. Nancy

Tuttle; A quilt raffle for the Bicentennial quilt made last year by

members of the Oriental Junior Woman's Club; old fashioned

games such as a tug o' war, sack races, dashes and egg throw-ing, culminating with a Corn-On-The-Cob Eating Contest to see

The square dance held at Lou Mac Park under the stars at 8

o'clock was thoroughly enjoyed by the many attending who were serenaded throughout by "Bruce and his Buddies." Oriental's Independence Day celebration ended with a

fabulous fireworks display, sponsored by Oriental Service Sta-tion and Oriental Tavern. This was held on the waterfront of

Lou Mac Park' bringing to a close a most meaningful observance of America's 201st birthday.

The celebration was sponsored by the Oriental Recreation Department in cooperation with local churches and businesses. Cheri Bond, Oriental Recreation Director and members of the

Oriental Independence Committee are to be congratulated on such a well planned event that brought joy and renewed patriotism to so many. Members of the committee were Norma Smith, Clara Bailey, David Lupton, Linda Sanderson, Inez Hargrove, Betsy Thompson, Grace Evans and Cheri, of course.

church groups to serve refreshments or sell various items.

nic, with lunch spread on tables in the Park or on

mer residence here in one of the depot apartments which is their

During the June 27 meeting of

the Oriental Rotary Club officers for the year that began July 1 were installed. The meeting was opened according to established Rotary procedure with Ottis Peele offering the invocation. This was followed by a cook out for members and their Rotary Anns and guests. The cook out was held on the water front of the Preston Midyette home. Following the meal and prior

to the installation of officers, James Wiley of New Bern addressed the group on the purpose and objectives of Rotary Club activities. At the conclusion of his presentation club officers, including the Board of Directors, were called forward. Retiring president M. G. Murray presented the president's pin to the newly elected president, Burt Bailey. The Board of Directors, Dennis Barkley, Robert Jones, Jack Mason, Jr., Thomas Reed, Carvie Oldham and John MacRay were then acknowledged. Mr. Murray was presented a past president's pin and was giving a standing vote of thanks along with the outgoing officers. A vote of confidence was given to the new officers.

Upon completion of the installation ceremonies, a social period was enjoyed. Special thanks were given to the Midyette family for making the event possible.

Pamlico County-Past, Present And Future

Recently United Press Inter-national released several ar-ticles about the Civil War ships, the Monitor and the Merrimac. It was exciting to learn that recovery experts now feel that the Monitor can be exhumed from "The Graveyard of the Atlantic" one hundred and fifteen years after her death. The ship was equipped with as many as 40 inventions of the designerinventor John Ericsson which Sailing is another of the were never patented due to lack of time. Included in this number were a movable turret, flush toilets, a hidden anchor, and a forced air ventilation system. Nicknamed "Cheesebos on a Raft." she sank in a storm New Year's Eve 1862 some nine mon-

the Merrimac. John Newton, executive director of the Monitor Research and Recovery Foundation, is creating authentic documentation of the construction and life of these two ships from this historical era of our past. Any information pertaining to these vessels would be appreciated, but he is especially interested in locating descendants of the ships' crews. Perhaps someone from Pamlico County was a crew member. If you have any information, please forward it to Mr. Newton in care of the foundation, P. O. Box 1862, Beaufort, N.C. 28516. It will be gratefully

ths after the inclusive battle with

Vacation time is here once again. There are many at-home and nearby attractions. The outdoor dramas at Bath and on this information along.

Roanoake Island are just a "stone's throw" from Pamlico County. Ticket information for "Blackbeard, Knight of the Black Flat" is available by writing Blackbeard, P. O. Box 209, Bath, N.C. 27808. Roanoke Island's drama, "The Lost Colony," first performed in 1937. continues to entertain audiences both young and old. A schedule and prices may be obtained from The Lost Colony, Ticket Information, Manteo, N.C.

favorite summer pastimes in Pamlico County as evidenced by the many sailing boats on our waterways. The Neuse River Sailing Association starts its season in March but the big event is the Oriental Sailing Social. For information about memberships and events, contact Ed Bailey, The Shipyard, Oriental, N.C. 28571. The Blackbeard Sailing Club is headquartered just at the edge of Pamlico County but on the Craven County side of the boundary line. The club sponsors the annual Blackbeard Regatta. Charles Marr, P. O. Box 303, New Bern, N.C. 28560, dispenses membership and racing event information

Thank you for all the information you have shared this week about the cemeteries in Pamlico County. The file is beginning to be an armful and hopefully will soon include every burial site in the county. Many sites cannot be catalogued before Fa., but sites are being marked on our map to be visited. Please keep passing

Casey generation Sunday. Atten-

ding were Mr. and Mrs. W.

H. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Rav

Snelling, Mr. and Mrs.Gilbert

Alexander and children from

Portsmouth, Va., Hurley Casey

of Richmond, Va., Mr. and Mrs.

Winton Hill and children of

home, which makes it quite at-

tractive. Mr.Robert Whorton is

To Open Salt

Water Fishing

Tournament

by C. Ray Dudley

tournament will be held

sometime during the month of

July . Fish must be caught in

waters adjourning Pamlico

County and the port of entry for

boats must be in Pamlico Coun-

ty. Fish must be caught on hook

and line and there will be no gill

netting. Fish must be weighed at

destinated wiehg stations. The tournament will start on July

23rd and end at 8 p.m. on July

30th. Entry fees are \$1.00 per

person. Prizes are for the larges

croker, largest speckled trout, gray trout, bluefish and largest

fish. For further information contact the Recreation Department at 745-4240. Most of the

An open salt water fishing

Last Years Celebration

In a letter to Ms. Cheri Bond, Oriental Recreation Director, Mrs. Ruch C. Wilson of Oriental said that she noticed in The Pamlico County News that Oriental had planned another July 4th celebration on the Sunday preceding the holiday.

with last year's that she would like to have a small part in the financial support of the 1977 program and enclosed a check to be used for the event.

Stonewall News By Mrs. Ina Gaskins Mr. Ernest Daniels of Chesapeake, Va. spent the Remembered weekend here with relatives.

Mr. Hurley Casey of Rochmond., Va. visited relatives in Stonewall during the weekend and attended a family reunion at the H. M. Alexanders on Sunday.

She said she was so impressed

In expressing her appreciation for Mrs. Wilson's letter and contribution, Ms Bond said something like this really made The Kenneth Midyette family her day and made her feel her

There are still many im-Mrs. Tony McCleese, Mrs. J. B. Daw and grandson visited provements being made on Mrs. Ina Gaskins Friday. homes here. Mrs. Luville Gatlin Mr. and Mrs. B.W.Lupton is having work done and Mr. Ray were in New Bern Friday. Gatlin has put white siding on his

Greenville.

Mrs. LeRoy Lupton visited her sister in Havelock Monday. Mrs. Beaulah Alexander and also having work done. Mrs. Ray Snelling of Port-smouth, Va. visited Mrs. Ina

Gaskins Saturday and Mrs. Eba Pritchard of Reelsboro visited her on Sunday. We were sorry to hear of Mr. Sutton Venters' passing

away. There were many relatives who came and stayed throughout the weekend. Mrs. Verne Woodard entered the hospital and was to undergo

surgery on June 28. We hope she has a speedy recovery. We also hope to hear good news from T. J. Collier who went back to the hospital last week.

Sunday School was at 10 a.m. conducted by Garey Whorton, superintendent. There were 69 present. Subject of the lesson taught by J. P. Stovall was "What Is Our Concery ." Rev. Cliff Schoof conducted the worship service at 11 o'clock. Verne Woodard and Morris Daniels were ushers. Kari Gatlin was acolyte. After the church service Mr. and Mrs. Asa Gatlin left for Chapel Hill where Kim Galin and Gail Heath were to sing during a special program.

Mr. Robert Whorton, Ray
Gatlin and family, Mrs. George

Taylor and children, the Garey Whorton family attended the Whorton family reunion in Whortonsville Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Kafer Taylor

had a family reunion at their home Sunday with many relatives and friends attending. Many relatives were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Alex-

ander for a get together of the

New Born, N.C.

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Trousers

321 Pollock St.

plans are still in the making and sponsors have yet to be finalized. Lees Visit In Florida Red and Sophia Lee have been in Jacksonville, Fla. where they visited their children, Rose and

visited their children, Rose and Ravon and grandchildren, Lynn, Leanne, April and June.

Their trip included a tour of Six Gun Territory in Ocala. They returned home Wednesday with their grandson, Lynn who will spend the summer with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee report a very enjoyable Florida visit.

Little League Baseball

PIANOS Before You Buy 0.00 a Month Rents a New Wurlitzer Plano. Rent Applies to Purchase If you Buy

FULLER'S MUSIC HOUSE

It may sound strange, but it this "Peak Load" period. Use could happen. Here's why.

At CP&L, our plans are to provide more than adequate power for that one day of the year when the demand is the greatest.

This particular time is called"Peak Load".Nobody knows exactly when it will come, but it's usually in the summer.

Whenever it comes, the higher the peak, the greater the chance of our having to plan and build more generating capacity.

building costs, (our new units at Mayo will cost about \$460 million each) that eventually means higher costs for your

electricity.

So we're doing all we can to avoid having to build new plants before they're absolutely necessary.

And you can help. Here's how. Do everything you can this summer to keep down the "Peak Load" between the hours of 10 AM and 10 PM.

cold water whenever you

full loads. Don't use until it's full, and ers before 10 AM or after 10 PM.

whenever possible. Most importantly, keep your air conditioner at the warmest possible setting, day and night.

There's more you can do to help "Beat the Peak" and, at the same time cut down on your electric bill. The information's available at any CP&L

BUILDA 460 MILLION DOLLAR PLANT. ladies age one through five, was next with all of the contestants attired in old fashioned dresses and displaying much poise for their tender ages. Do your laundry outside cloths laid on the grass, was enjoyed by hundreds of people of all ages, making a truly old fashioned family day.

> can and always run your dishwasher do it after 10 PM. Try to take show-Tryservingcooler

meals; cook outside 'Peak Load" periods

It helps to keep drapes closed to direct sunlight. And And with today's high the insulation that will hold down heating bills in winter, will do the same for cooling bills in the summer.

office. So call or come in soon.

After all, you don't want it to be your next load of laundry that forces us to build another multi-mil-3.1. lion dollar plant.