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was an infinitely greater discovery than a new route to India. He had made the most memorable voyage in history; yet, he died broken in spirit and in health and without recognition.
 Today, Columbus Day takes a new meaning. The English, Russian and Chinese, and the people in conquered territories, can celebrate October the 12th as the day that Columbus discovered "the arsenal" that is now dedicated to end totalitarian aggression.

Superintendent Of Schools Urges All Pupils Attend Fair

Superintendent F. T. Johnson of Perquimans schools, today joined State Superintendent of Public Instruction Clyde A. Erwin and Governor Broughton in urging as many as possible of the 1,080 students in the Perquimans schools to attend the State Fair in Raleigh, October 14-18. "Young North Carolinians' Day" will be observed at the Fair on Friday, October 17, and all students will be admitted for three cents each, the amount of a National Defense tax levied by Congress, effective October 1st.
 "I am particularly anxious for the children of the State to have an opportunity to review the Fair," Dr. Erwin declared. "In times like these we need to do everything possible to stimulate a spirit of understanding and patriotism."
 Governor Broughton added his approval of the Fair, commenting that "the esteem of the people of our State for this constructive type of exposition has been manifested in many ways."
 "I commend this great institution to the people of North Carolina as worthy of their continued interest and support," Governor Broughton said.
 Primary emphasis will be given agricultural, industrial and educational displays which will occupy nearly 100,000 square feet of exhibit space, but an ample entertainment program has been arranged including the World of Mirth Shows with 22 rides and 20 shows on the midway; nine outstanding grandstand acts and a revue; auto and harness races; fireworks each night and Lucky Teter and His Hell Drivers on October 16.

CIRCLE NO. THREE MEETS
 Circle Number Three of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Hertford Baptist Church met on Monday evening with Miss Helen Morgan at her home. The meeting was opened with the hymn "How Firm a Foundation." The devotional was given by Mrs. G. R. Tucker. Mrs. J. W. Zachary and Mrs. J. W. Ward gave interesting readings. The meeting was dismissed by Mrs. C. R. Holmes. The following members were present: Mesdames G. R. Tucker, C. C. Cannon, Trim Wilson, J. W. Zachary, C. R. Holmes, L. N. Hollowell, J. W. Ward, B. C. Berry, T. L. Jessup and E. L. Laughinghouse.
 A sweet course was served by the hostess.

BRIDGE PARTY HOSTESS
 Mrs. Norman Trueblood entertained a number of friends at a bridge party on Friday evening at her home. Those playing were Mesdames E. S. Pierce, Gladys Morgan, Hudson Butler, R. S. Jordan, Corbin Dozier, Fred Chalk and Carlton Perry.
 High score prize was awarded Mrs. Morgan with prize for second high score going to Mrs. Perry. A sandwich course was served.

This Is America

This is America. Mountain peaks strung together like rough-hewn beads on a giant chain. Fertile river valleys where grasses and grains grow lush, and corn ripens in the ear. Broad expanses of prairie land where waves of wheat and oats ripple like endless swells of an ocean. Stretches of dark, rich loam etched with symmetrical rows of cotton on which the white cloud-puff boils away. Stone walls encircling green meadows, stony fields and granite-studded hillside pastures.
 This is America. Bustling, teeming cities. Whirring wheels of huge factories. Trains and busses and trucks carrying men's goods to ten thousand destinations. Great stores thronged with people. Small stores serving neighborhoods. Newsboys calling their papers. Subways and airplanes. Taxi cabs and pushcarts.
 This is America. Long docks by the ocean side. Steamers and freighters and ferries. Miles of wharfs and warehouses. Piles of merchandise going back and forth to serve mankind. Fishermen's sloops in small harbors.
 This is America. Dams that control rivers. Dams that slake a million-acre thirst. Dams that make lights flash in cities far away, and wheels turn because of an unseen power.
 This is America. Men and women who have caught the vision seen by others long ago. Men and women who know that human life has dignity and integrity. Men and women who believe that there are standards for human beings and for nations.
 And this shall be America.—The Christian Science Monitor.

SOCIETY HELD MEETING MONDAY EVENING

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Hertford Methodist Church held its monthly meeting at the church on Monday evening. Mrs. T. S. White was in charge of an interesting program, using as her topic, "He Giveth All." The devotional was given by Mrs. White and Mrs. W. H. Pitt, followed by a lovely solo by Miss Nell Riddick. Talks were given by Mrs. J. R. Jarvis, Mrs. T. J. Nixon, Jr., and Miss Bertha Chappell. The program was closed with prayer by Mrs. Cecil Winslow.
 Mrs. C. T. Skinner presided over the business session. Plans were made for the Week of Prayer, which will be held the last week in October. The Fall Zone Meeting was announced to be held at New Hope Church on October 22. After other routine business was taken up, the meeting was dismissed with prayer.

"ROCKY MASON"—NEW THRILLER IN COLOR

Boys and Girls! Meet "Rocky Mason," Government Marshal, in a new adventure feature depicting the Far West at its exciting best. Look for this new thrill feature beginning October 19 in the **COMIC WEEKLY "PUCK"**
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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR WEEK

STOP THE QUARREL SENSIBLY
 —Say not thou, I will recompense evil; but wait on the Lord, and He shall save thee.—Prov. 20:22.

To Our Readers

Once again The Perquimans Weekly is putting on a campaign for new subscribers, and for the collection, in advance, of subscriptions now on our lists.
 Most of you know that the postal rules will not allow a newspaper to send its papers through the mails to subscribers who are behind, and those of you who do not know it, it becomes our duty to acquaint you with this fact.
 The Perquimans Weekly appreciates your loyal support in the past. The Weekly's readers are its greatest assets because without you, there certainly could be no newspaper, and we sincerely hope to continue giving you the best possible newspaper within our power.
 In today's issue complete details of our campaign are announced. Read them carefully, if you are interested in becoming a candidate in this campaign, let us know and we shall be glad to furnish you with all necessary supplies, etc. No doubt many of you will not take an active part in the campaign, but you will be asked to renew your subscription to The Perquimans Weekly, and in order that we may retain you upon our lists, you can help some friend by giving him or her your subscription to Perquimans County's only newspaper.

HURDLETOWN

Mr. and Mrs. W. Q. Hurdle and children attended the funeral of Mrs. Elmer Benton at Winfall Methodist Church Sunday afternoon.
 Mrs. C. M. Hurdle and children, Eugene and Shirley, attended services at Winfall Monday evening.
 Those visiting Mrs. Nellie Sumner Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sumner, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harrell, Jr. and baby, of Norfolk, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Lesje Sumner and children, of Hertford; Mrs. Hazel Combs, Miss Loraine Basnight and Lloyd Hurdle, of Elizabeth City.
 Mrs. Ernest Stallings, of Cumberland, spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. J. V. Stallings. In the afternoon she called to see Miss Shirley Hurdle.
 Odell Baccus, of Norfolk, Va., was the week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Baccus.
 Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hurdle and children visited the airport in Elizabeth City Sunday afternoon.

WHITESTON NEWS

Mrs. Merrill Winslow and son, Mrs. Bernard Winslow and daughters and Mrs. Alvah Winslow, all of Petersburg, Va., are spending the week as guests of their respective parents.
 Mr. and Mrs. Alton Winslow and son, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Winslow and family, of near Belvidere, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lane Sunday afternoon.
 Mrs. Verna Winslow returned home Saturday after a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Winslow and Mr. and Mrs. Leverette Winslow, in Norfolk, Va.
 Mr. and Mrs. B. L. White and family, of Sunbury; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph White and family, of Belvidere, visited Mrs. Mary J. White Sunday afternoon.
 Mrs. Ida Winslow, of Elizabeth City, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie E. Winslow.
 Leverette Winslow, of Norfolk, Va., is spending this week with his mother, Mrs. Verna Winslow.
 Mr. and Mrs. Asa Winslow and son, of Norfolk, Va., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie E. Winslow.

NEW HOPE NEWS

Gaston Banks, U. S. C. G., Staten Island, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Banks.
 Mrs. Gregory Webb and children, of Norfolk, Va., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Webb.
 Mrs. S. D. Banks has been on the sick list, but is now convalescent. The condition of Mrs. Tom Foster remains about the same.
 Mrs. Bircher Banks and little daughter, Waverly Ann, visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Banks Sunday.
 T. O. Williams and granddaughter, Edna Mae, of Portsmouth, Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Banks on Sunday.
 Mrs. Lonnie Rouse, of near Edenton, Nev. and Mrs. J. O. Odom and Mrs. Nettie Baskin, wife of former guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dill on Sunday.

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Celebrating Columbus Day

About five hundred years ago in the busy harbor of Genoa, Italy, a small boy of great vision watched the ships come and go. At school he was studying Latin, mathematics, and astronomy and was becoming a skillful maker of maps and charts used by navigators.
 Stirring tales of seamen persuaded him at an early age to enter on a seafaring career. In his first years as an experienced seaman, we find him living at Lisbon, Portugal, which had become the center of geographical knowledge as a result of the explorations of Prince Henry, the Navigator, who was continually pushing further and further down the coast of Africa.
 Realizing that the earth was round Columbus became convinced that the shortest route to India would be to sail west, rather than go around the continent to Africa.
 Unknown and without money, this middle-aged man began looking for a financial backer in order to make his dream a reality. In 1483 he presented his plans to John II, the progressive young ruler of Portugal; John was interested, but not interested enough.
 The next nine years of his life he spent wandering from one court to another. In these different courts he was ridiculed, treated as a beggar, deluded by false promises, and betrayed.
 But, finally, with the aid of a simple monk, this heartbroken man persuaded Ferdinand and Isabella of Spain to help him in fitting out an expedition. His crew was made up of criminals who agreed to make this dangerous voyage as an alternative to the Spanish dungeons.
 Only a strong and courageous man could have kept this crew of cutthroats sailing toward what they believed to be certain death. But this man was strong, he was courageous, and the success of this voyage meant more to him than anything else.
 Finally, with mutiny in the air, this great leader promised his crew to sail home if land was not sighted within three days.
 Before the three days were up, however, land was sighted—it was San Salvador, in the Bahamas. That day, October 12, 1492, became a historical landmark. Columbus had discovered America!
 When Columbus died he considered himself a failure, for after four trips to the New World he had not succeeded in finding a western route to India. He did not realize that he had discovered a new world and that this

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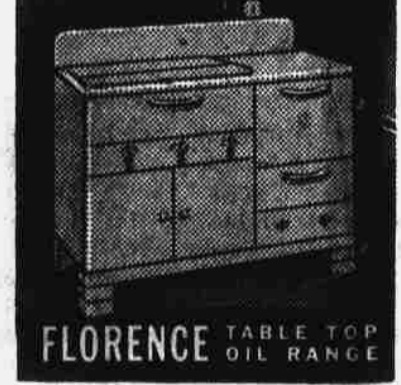
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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF HERTFORD BANKING CO.

Of Hertford, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business on September 24, 1941.

ASSETS

1 Loans and discounts	\$174,736.12
2 United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	70,455.04
3 Obligations of States and political subdivisions	273,275.53
4 Corporate stocks	6,700.00
5 Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	288,617.57
6 Bank premises owned \$8,066.64, furniture and fixtures \$1,750.08	9,816.72
7 Real estate owned other than bank premises	21,574.70
8 Other assets	29,030.66
12 TOTAL ASSETS	\$874,206.34

LIABILITIES

13 Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	\$360,756.64
14 Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	320,289.10
15 Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	52,016.82
16 Deposits of States and political subdivisions	40,485.47
17 Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	5,421.82
19 TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$778,970.05
23 Other liabilities	2,786.42
24 TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	\$781,756.47

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

25 Capital	\$48,500.00
26 Surplus	14,000.00
27 Undivided profits	21,574.87
28 Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	8,375.00
29 TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$92,449.87
30 TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$874,206.34

*This bank's capital consists of first preferred stock with total par value of \$23,500.00, total retirable value \$23,500.00; and common stock with total par value of \$25,000.00.

MEMORANDA

81 Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	\$46,955.04
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	25,360.14
(c) TOTAL	\$72,315.18
82 Secured and preferred liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	\$72,315.18
(d) Deposits preferred under provisions of law but not secured by pledge of assets	6,257.04
(e) TOTAL	\$78,572.22
84 (a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was	\$79,596.48
(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to	\$288,617.57

I, R. M. Riddick, Jr., Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. M. RIDDICK, JR.

Correct—Attest:
**CHAS. WHEDEE,
 CHAS. E. JOHNSON,
 W. F. C. EDWARDS,**
 Directors.
 State of North Carolina,
 County of Perquimans,
 I, L. C. WINSLOW, Notary Public,
 My commission expires October 15, 1941.
MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION