

WHO KNOWS

1. Which Presidents of this country were father and son?
2. Name the U. S. Senator who is son of a former President?
3. Which of the Great Lakes is gateway to the St. Lawrence river?
4. Of what is the white feather a symbol?
5. What is pyrography?
6. In what state is Brown University located?
7. What is a leprechaun?
8. How does the Prime Minister of England get his post?
9. Which is higher in rank—a rear admiral or a vice admiral?
10. Who painted "The Horse Fair"?

THE ANSWERS

1. John Adams and John Quincy Adams.
2. Robert A. Taft.
3. Lake Ontario.
4. Cowardice.
5. The burning of designs, pictures or mottoes in wood or leather.
6. Rhode Island.
7. An Irish elf or fairy.
8. He is chosen as leader of the majority party in the House of Commons, an appointment by the King.
9. A vice admiral holds one rank higher than rear admiral.
10. Rosa Bonheur.

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WILMER B. CHAPPELL

Mr. and Mrs. John Ervin Chappell, of Belvidere, have received word of the promotion of their son, Wilmer B. Chappell, USA, to the rank of Corporal.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Mrs. Meador Harrell pleasantly surprised Mrs. Winston Lane and Annie Lou Lane on their birthday Monday night at their home near Winfall.

As they entered the dining room the guests sang "Happy Birthday." Games and contests were enjoyed, with Joan Matthews, Winston Lane, Jr., Annie Lou Lane and J. B. Basnight won prizes.

Gifts were presented to the honorees, which they opened and acknowledged.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Basnight, "Sonnie" Matthews, Winston Lane, Jr., Morris Harrell, Joanne Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Lane and Mr. and Mrs. Meador Harrell.

The hostess served ice cream and cake.

Wildlife Club To Meet Saturday Night

A meeting of the Perquimans County Wildlife Club has been called for next Saturday night, April 22, at eight o'clock in the Court House in Hertford, it was announced today by R. M. Riddick, president of the club.

Mr. Riddick stated that this is an important meeting and all members are urged to attend, and bring their friends.

Quick Aid To Be Provided In Event Of Polio Epidemics

If polio strikes anywhere in North Carolina this summer, local and state health authorities can count on the entire resources of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis and its nation-wide network of chapters, Jack E. McGee, National Foundation state representative, said this week.

Returning from a six-day epidemic preparedness conference in New York City with National Foundation officials and representatives of other national organizations, McGee declared: "Organizational machinery has been established to insure, at the request of the state and local health officers, the quickest possible aid to communities if polio strikes this summer as it did in 1949 in North Carolina.

"During that epidemic when 2,516 cases were reported in this state, the National Foundation sent \$1,376,110.37 to chapters within North Carolina to help hospitalization and other costs, in addition to \$1,039,562.45 sent in 1949 to help patients requiring financial assistance for continued care. Our state received more money from the National office last year—a non-epidemic year—than any other state

with the exception of California," Mr. McGee said.

Representatives of three other national organizations, the American Red Cross, the Joint Orthopedic Nursing Advisory Service, and the American Physical Therapy Association, were present at the conference, McGee reported. Assistance available from their groups in recruiting and training nurses and physical therapists for polio work was also outlined.

"The nation's experience with polio in the past few years," McGee continued, "has shown that few communities in the country are equipped to cope with a major outbreak without outside assistance. Organizational machinery has been established to insure at the request of state health officers, the quickest possible aid to communities if polio strikes this summer, as it did here in 1949."

National Foundation President Basil O'Connor told the conference that the recent March of Dimes appears, on the basis of early reports, to have been successful. However, no prediction with regard to 1950 polio incidence can be made at this time.

The conference approved steps taken in many states to set up a year-round State Poliomyelitis Planning Committee along lines worked out by the National Foundation and the Children's Bureau of the Federal Security Agency. The North Carolina Planning Committee, set up in July, 1949, is headed by Dr. G. M. Cooper, Director of the Crippled Children's Department, State Department of Health, Raleigh.

Chief task of the planning committees is to enlist the cooperation of state and local public and private agencies concerned with the various phases of combatting polio.

Children Problem For Auto Drivers

"Little feet can lead to big trouble." That is the warning issued by L. R. Fisher, acting head of the Highway Safety Division of the North Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles, as balmy April weather lured droves of North Carolina's small fry onto streets and playgrounds.

"Sheer childish exuberance and thoughtfulness," he said, "make April, with its nice weather, a hazardous time for children, an anxious time for parents, and a responsible time for motorists."

Fisher explained that when spring first invites children's outdoor activities four or five months of pent-up energy are unleashed suddenly and safety training learned in the Fall may have been largely forgotten.

"Motorists must realize that children are likely to be unpredictable and

irresponsible," Fisher said. "Responsibility must, therefore, be assumed by motorists and parents."

The knowledge that he may not be legally responsible for an accident involving a child would be small consolation to any driver, the Motor Vehicle Department official pointed out. The parent's remorse will always stem not from what he did, but from what he did not do. It is the parent's obligation to teach his child safe traffic habits, and the motorists's responsibility to give the child the benefit of his most careful driving.

The North Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles' program of traffic safety education for April has as its theme: Child Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety.

"Play Safe—Walk Safely," Fisher said, "is our slogan for this month's program. It's one of those things we must impress on the minds of children, parents, and motorists. North Carolina doesn't have one child to spare as an accident victim!"

Smokey Says:



Nine out of ten forest fires are caused by man!

Poets were the first teachers of mankind. —Cicero.

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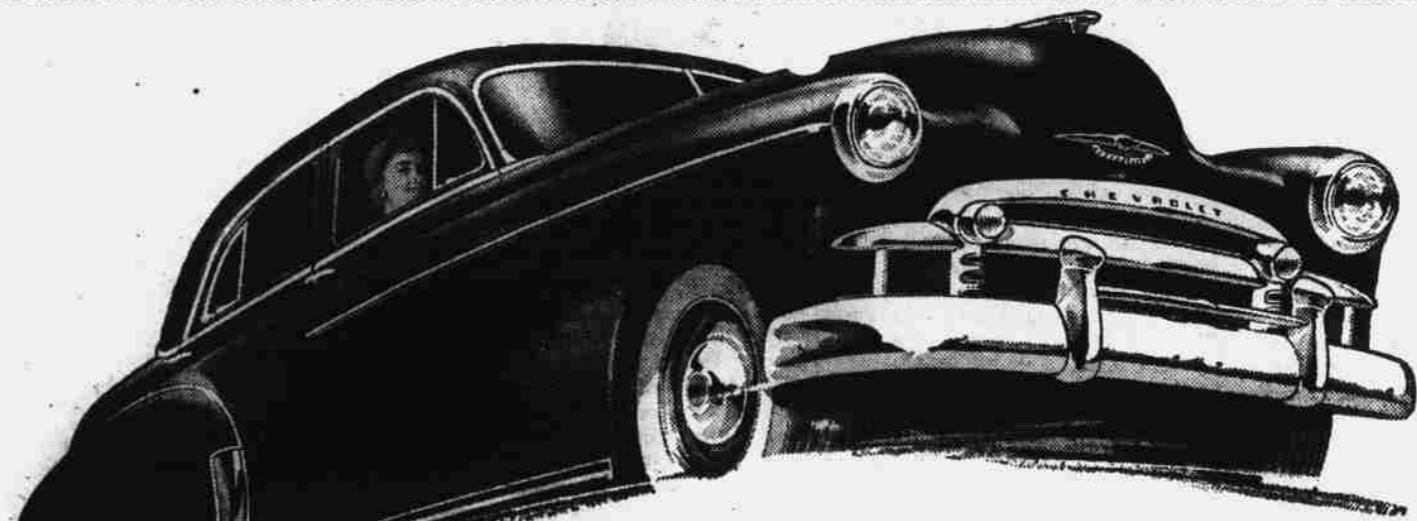
CHARLES R. WARD

NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF HERTFORD

Beginning next week, trash collection within the Town of Hertford will be made on TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS of each week, and residents are urged to place trash for collection on the streets on these days ONLY. Residents are urged not to place trash upon the streets on any other days, in order that the Street Department may keep our streets clean and free of debris.

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