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"SINK THE ARMY"—New mascot for the U.S. Naval Academy, "Billy XVI" gets spruced up for presentation to the midshipmen. Beauty treatment takes place in Dallas, Tex., on the pedigree Angora, who replaces one which died recently.

County Business People Urged To Attend PIC Meet

THIS WEEK'S HEADLINES

President Eisenhower requested the federal courts to issue an injunction halting the steel strike after a fact-finding board had reported to him there was little chance the industry and union might come to agreement concerning the strike issues. Under the Hart-Connery law work must be resumed for a period of 90 days, after which the strike could be started again unless agreement had been reached during the cooling-off period.

General George Marshall was buried Tuesday in Arlington Cemetery near Washington. The General was chief military leader for the U. S. during World War II, and later served in high government posts. His death came following a long illness, which started with a stroke last January while he was living at Pinehurst.

Senator Lyndon Johnson, Texas, made a bid for the Democratic nomination for President last week when Rep. Sam Rayburn announced he was nominating Johnson for the office. Later Johnson held a huge barbeque dinner at his ranch honoring the President of Mexico. The event was attended by a large number of people, including some very high ranking party officials.

The U. S. State Department announced Tuesday it will not take action to oust a Soviet official from the United States in retaliation for the Russian move which removed Russell Lane, U. S. security official, from Moscow. Russia charged Lane with spying and demanded his return home.

Belvidere Child Injured By Car

An 8-year-old Negro child, Wendell Jordan of Belvidere, was seriously injured when he was struck by an automobile Tuesday. He was taken to Albemarle Hospital for observation and treatment. According to Patrolman B. R. Ince, who investigated the accident, the child was struck by a car driven by Wilton Bray of Blithers. The child had left a rolling store vehicle, which he started by the roadside, and started to run across the highway toward his mother who was working in a field picking cotton. When he was struck by the car, he reported the accident was unavoidable but Patrolman Ince says he is continuing his investigation.

All business and professional men and women, as well as other interested individuals in Perquimans County desiring to advance the economic development of this community are urged to attend a meeting next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in the Municipal Building in Hertford, at which time progress reports will be made showing the degree of interest for organizing a Chamber of Commerce.

Last month a meeting was held for the purpose of reorganizing the Perquimans Industrial Committee and a survey team composed of Charles Harrell, Claude Brinn and Broughton Dill was named to survey the county to determine if sufficient interest existed for development of an organization such as a Chamber of Commerce or similar setup with a paid full time director.

This team, with a number of interested volunteers, have been contacting some 195 individuals to secure information and financial support for the program. The survey committee worked out a budget for one year, and determined that some \$8,000 to \$10,000 will be needed to finance the program for the first year. Results of this survey will be analyzed at the meeting next Wednesday and if it appears there is sufficient public support plans will be placed in motion toward final organization.

It is the desire of the survey team to determine, if possible, the scope of development individuals desire to see stressed, and include such items as industrial development, tourist development, retail promotion, farm marketing and credit ratings.

Rites Thursday For Mrs. Hudson

Mrs. Katherine Winslow Hudson, 73, died Tuesday at 6:30 P. M. in Albemarle Hospital after a long illness. She was a daughter of Tudor F. and Mrs. Mary Wood Winslow, and widow of William H. Hudson. A native of Hertford, she formerly lived in Norfolk. She was a member of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church. Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. J. Kenyon Wilson, Jr., of Elizabeth City; one brother, F. E. Winslow of Rocky Mount; one sister, Mrs. Thomas H. Wilcox of Norfolk, Va., and four grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted at the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church here Thursday at 2 P. M. by the Rev. E. F. Mosier, pastor. Burial was in Holy Trinity cemetery.

State Election On Huge Bond Issue Is Scheduled Oct. 27

Perquimans County voters will go to the polls next Tuesday, October 27, participating in the special election in which the State of North Carolina is seeking authority to issue bonds in the amount of \$34,400,000 for construction and major improvements at the state's educational institutions, hospitals and other agencies.

W. A. White, chairman of the Perquimans County Board of Elections, stated the polls will be open from 6:30 A. M. until 6:30 P. M. for the convenience of the voters to cast ballots on the proposals. He announced that registrars for the election are as follows: Bethel, William Stallings; Belvidere, J. M. Copeland; Hertford, Mrs. F. B. Nixon; Nicotator, Mrs. R. M. Baker; New Hope, W. E. Dail; Parkville, J. F. Hollowell, Jr.

The ballots for the election will list nine proposals for the bond program and voters can vote for either one or all of the proposals.

The various bond proposals, as listed on the ballot, are:

1.—The issuance of \$18,891,000 State Educational Institutions Capital Improvement Bonds of the State of North Carolina for capital improvements at the state's educational institutions and agencies.

2.—The issuance of \$12,053,000 State Mental Institutions Capital Improvement Bonds of the State of North Carolina for capital improvements at the state's mental institutions.

3.—The issuance of \$1,500,000 Community College Capital Improvement Bonds of the State of North Carolina or grants-in-aid for community college capital improvements.

4.—The issuance of \$500,000 Hospital Capital Improvement Bonds of the State of North Carolina for the purpose of providing funds for participation by the state through the Medical Care Commission in local hospital construction.

5.—The issuance of \$100,000 State Army Capital Improvement Bonds of the State of North Carolina for capital improvements for the North Carolina Army Commission.

6.—The issuance of \$466,000 State Training School Capital Improvement Bonds of the State of North Carolina for capital improvements at the state's correctional institutions.

7.—The issuance of \$140,000 State Blind Rehabilitation Center Capital Improvement Bonds of the State of North Carolina for capital improvements at the state's Blind Rehabilitation Center.

8.—The issuance of \$500,000 North Carolina State Ports Bonds of the State of North Carolina for port facilities at Southport, Brunswick County, North Carolina.

9.—The issuance of \$250,000 Historical Sites Construction and Restoration Bonds of the State of North Carolina.

Jaycees To Sponsor Show On November 5

Hertford Junior Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a show featuring "The Joe Franklin Entertainers" at Perquimans High School on Tuesday night, November 5, at 8 o'clock, it was announced today by John Beers, committee chairman.

Door prizes will be awarded and children up to the age of seven will be admitted free. Tickets may be secured from any member of the organization or at the door. Proceeds from the show will be used by the Jaycees to help defray expenses of local projects.

PHS Students At Press Institute

Five members of the Perquimans High School newspaper staff, Betsy Stallings, Carolyn White, Lena Umphlett, Kathryn Sawyer and Raiford White attended the Scholastic Press Institute held last Friday and Saturday at the University of North Carolina. The students were accompanied to the meeting by Mrs. Clifton Stallings and Mrs. L. B. Rountree. Mrs. Jeanette Walker is the staff sponsor.

PTA Subscription Drive Is Underway, Ends November 12

Members of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Hertford Grammar School and Central Grammar School are now acting as subscription agents for The Perquimans Weekly, seeking renewals to your home-town newspaper, and will continue this drive to raise funds for the next three weeks.

The groups are working independently of each other, in a drive to help raise funds for school equipment usually furnished by PTA. The Perquimans Weekly is paying each group a substantial commission on all subscriptions sold and subscribers who renew their subscriptions through the PTA will be helping the local schools and at the same time they are paying for their home newspaper for another year.

All subscriptions taken by the PTA will be marked up at the end of the present expiration of the subscribers. Thus if a subscriber's paper expires January 1, the renewal given a PTA member will run from January to January the following year.

Likewise, subscriptions that have already expired will be dated back to the original expiration date.

Each street in Hertford and each community in the county has a PTA representative seeking renewal subscriptions and subscribers are urged to cooperate by giving their renewals to the solicitors calling at the individual home.

No notices of expiration will be sent to subscribers following the close of the PTA drive. However, subscriptions which have expired by that time will be discontinued.

If you have not renewed your subscription as yet, do so today through a member of the PTA.

Owens Funeral Held Thursday

Mrs. Mattie Mitchell Owens, age 58, died Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Lane Nursing Home after a lingering illness. She was a native and life-long resident of Perquimans County and lived on Route 1 in the Burgess section of the county. She was the wife of Benjamin Cecil Owens and a member of the Bethel Baptist Church.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Will Spruill of Route 1, Mrs. Vivian Faye Patnaud of Cole-run, Minn.; one son, Cecil Owens, Jr., of Route 1; one sister, Mrs. Mary Coffield of Perquimans County and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the chapel of the Swindell Funeral Home by the Rev. Bryan Holloman, pastor of the Bethel Baptist Church.

Members of the Baptist Church sang "In The Garden", accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. Ellie White. The casket was covered by a veil of white mums, pink carnations and ferns.

Pallbearers were Ben, Wilbur, Lloyd, Carl, Carlton and Earl Owens, all nephews of Mrs. Owens. Interment was made in the Cedarwood Cemetery in Hertford.

CUB SCOUT MEETING

Cub Scout Pack 155, Hertford, will meet at the Agricultural Building in Hertford on Thursday night, October 29. All boys interested in joining the Cub Pack and their parents are invited to attend the meeting. It was reported by D. F. Reed, Jr.



URBI ET ORBI—When in Rome, future tourists will be able to walk the streets as they were in ancient times. The city will be a model with streets the size of sidewalks. Here, a woman checks the miniature Colosseum.

Central PTA Holds Business Meeting And Party Monday

Indians Marked As Underdogs In Game With Edenton Aces

The Indians of Perquimans High will definitely be rated as the underdog when they travel to Edenton Friday night for a renewal of their football contest with the high stepping Edenton Aces.

Holding a one-win-five losses record Perquimans will be aiming to upset the Aces who have an outstanding record this year. Edenton has won six contests and lost only to a strong 4-A Rocky Mount team by a 2-0 margin.

In an Albemarle conference game last Friday night the Indians lost their fifth straight game to Williamston High School by a score of 18-13. Williamston scored in the first period to take a 6-0 lead, then hit pay dirt again in the second quarter to lead 12-0. Perquimans came back to make the score 12-7 during the same period. Both teams scored TD's in the final quarter.

Williamston built up a 12-0 lead on a 29-yard touchdown run by Melvin Bowen and one-yard plunge by Lyle Paradise.

Hertford bounced back and marched 55 yards for a TD, with Preston Winslow going over from the three. Tom Tilley passed to B. Nixon for the point. Phil Kerley passed 37 yards for the final Williamston TD.

Winslow scored for Hertford from the five to climax a 63-yard drive.

Next Friday night Perquimans will play host to Manteo on Memorial Field and play at home again on November 6 against Scotland Neck and November 13 against Camden.

King Street School PTA Holds Meeting

King Street Elementary School PTA held its regular monthly meeting Monday night with a large number of parents attending. Committee chairmen were appointed to work on different projects for the improvement of the school during this term. The main projects for the year are to have the name of the school placed on the building and to secure a flag and pole for the campus.

Plans were made for a Halloween Carnival to be held on Friday night, October 30, in the Activity Room.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones of Durants Neck announce the birth of a son, Thomas L. Ford, on October 17 at the Albemarle Hospital. Mrs. Jones is the former Audrey Stallings.

Tax List Skippers Given Sentences In Recorder's Court

Carroll McDonnell State Winner In 4-H Club Project

Carroll McDonnell, State 4-H Home Improvement Winner, will represent North Carolina at National 4-H Club Congress November 29 through December 3, in Chicago.

This announcement was made at a 4-H Fiftieth Anniversary Recognition Program at North Carolina State Fair in Raleigh on October 18. Carroll, a member of the Perquimans County Senior 4-H Club, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bright of Durants Neck.

Carroll has been active in community, school, and county 4-H activities. She has completed 29 projects during her seven years of club work. She has given demonstrations, narrated for dress reviews, held offices in school and county clubs, served on committees, and participated in many other county activities.

She completed units during the four years she participated in the Home Improvement Project. She remodeled her bedroom and helped improve other rooms in the home. Plaster was torn down from the walls and replaced with wallboard. The old plaster was used to fill in the driveway as a part of home beautification. She used celotex for the ceiling for a sound proof and more comfortable room. She painted the walls and woodwork, sanded and refinished the floors and added a closet for storage. She made curtains, dust ruffles and rugs for the room. A new bedroom suite came as a Christmas present from her parents. Accessories were added for the finishing touch. Her color scheme is lavender, yellow, green and white. She has helped the family with painting and improving the bedroom, living room, porches and kitchen.

This project is a challenge to other 4-H Club members in Perquimans County as Carroll was influenced by the work and leadership of a former 4-H member in her community.

Maston To Direct County Seal Sales For 1959 Campaign

Thomas Maston, principal of Perquimans Central Grammar School, has been named chairman of the 1959 Christmas Seal Sale for Perquimans County.

In announcing the appointment today, J. H. Moore, association president, said the Seal Sale will open November 1, and continue through December. The local campaign, the only source of funds for the tuberculosis prevention and control activities of the association, will be part of the Seal Sale of the 3,000 associations affiliated with the National Tuberculosis Association.

"This year marks the 53rd anniversary of the first Seal Sale in the world held in Denmark in 1904," Mr. Maston said. "In this half century, the Christmas Seal has played a vital part in the fight to control tuberculosis throughout the world. Here in Perquimans County, Christmas Seal funds help to pay for: Chest X-raying programs, year round health programs, research programs now going on in North Carolina, and services to our patients."

Mr. Maston said, "We are starting immediately to organize the annual Seal campaign which provides funds for the voluntary tuberculosis control program. I am sure the campaign will be a success because the women, men and children of Perquimans County are concerned about the tuberculosis problem in this area."

Fourteen defendants, all charged with failure to list their taxes in Perquimans County for 1959, were cited into Perquimans Recorder's Court last Tuesday to answer to the charges of violating the law. The State took a nol pro in two of the cases when it was discovered the defendants lived in Gates County.

Two of the defendants, Cleveland Riddick and Ulysses Skinner, both Negroes, were given 30-day sentences on the charges, sentences to be suspended upon the conditions they list their taxes and pay same and pay the costs of court.

Two other defendants failed to appear in court to answer to the charges and the court ordered they be held in jail for bonds of \$50 each for appearance in court next week. These defendants were Grady White and Joseph McIntyre, both Negroes.

Other defendants charged for failing to list their taxes submitted to the charges and paid the costs of court. These were D. L. Sanders, Jeremiah White, Negro, James Burke, Negro, Elworth White, Negro, James Harris, Negro, William Gram White, Negro, William L. White, Negro, and Jimmie M. White, Negro.

Submitting to charges of speeding and paying the costs of court and fines as indicated were Robert Lockridge \$14.25, Pearl Willis \$10.25, Francis Stanley \$10.25, Simon Moskoff \$10.25, William Hollen \$10.25, Harry Peters \$10.25.

Costs of court were paid by Josiah R. Proctor, who submitted to a charge of exceeding a safe speed limit.

Addie Mae Hoffler, Negro, paid the costs of court after submitting to a charge of failing to see intended movement could be made in safety.

Costs of court were paid by Robert Platz, who submitted to a charge of driving on the left side of a highway.

James Riddick, Negro, paid the court costs on a charge of driving a truck loaded above the height limit.

David Brown, Negro, submitted to a charge of following too closely and paid the court costs.

Andrew Fox was fined \$2 and costs after submitting to a charge of being drunk.

Jimmy Curlings pleaded guilty to a charge of using an improper muffler. He was ordered to serve a 30-day road sentence or pay a fine of \$10 and costs.

Henry White, charged with driving on the left side of a highway, failed to appear in court to answer the charges. He was ordered held on a bond of \$50.

Hertford Grammar Carnival Oct. 30th

The spirits of old spooks of past Halloween Carnivals will be on hand to welcome everyone to this year's carnival. The carnival will be held at the Hertford Grammar School Friday night, October 30. Why not dress up as one of your favorite characters and join in the fun?

The PTA has planned a wonderful evening of entertainment for the entire family. Supper will begin at 5:45 P. M., and at this time, hamburgers, hot dogs, French fries, desserts, candies and drinks will be on sale at a small price. After supper everyone is invited to participate in the games which will begin about 6:30 P. M. About 2,000 prizes will be given to those taking part in the exciting games. The gypsy fortune teller will be in her booth for those seeking valuable information. No one will want to miss the terrible house of horrors, bowling, shoot the birds, and all the other fun games. Make plans now to take your family to the Halloween Carnival for an evening of fun and fellowship.

MASONS MEET TUESDAY

Perquimans Lodge No. 168, A. F. & A. M., will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.