## THE PERQUIMANS WEEKLY

WHERE THERE'S A WHEEL—It probably wouldn't do for an amusement park, but this ferris wheel is fine for Boy Scouts at the Scoutorama, Kansas City, Kan. The lads made it from hickory poles and rope.

The Perquimans County Board of Education met in a long ses-

Perquimans County, North Carolina, Friday, July 7, 1961

## **5** Cents Per Com

## Wilmington Firm Awarded Contract For Harvey Point

Miller Building Corporation of Wilmington, N. C., has been awarded a \$177,800 construction contract at Harvey Point Navy

Base, according to an announc last Monday.

construction, which will begin this summer, will involve erecting concrete, steel and frame buildings and remodeling others. Testing and evaluation of certain classified material will be done at the reactivated facility: Up to now this special testing work has been done at Camp Peary, Va.

The Navy has not elaborated on the nature of the classified work. In an announcement last month the Navy said the facility will be staffed mostly by civilian personnel, "primarily specialists from private industry

in the area."

Harvey Point was selected be-Education Board cause of its "relative isolation and quality of existing build-ings," the Navy said. About \$12 million in construction had been completed on the \$45 mil-Hold Long Session been completed on the \$45 mil-tion base when the seaplane

plans were scrapped. Harvey Point, situated 10 On Varied Agenda Harvey Point, situated 10 "And In Today Already Walks miles south of Hertford on the Perguimans River, has been on State Farm-Home Week to be practically a caretaker basis held in Raleigh July 11-14 at since the Navy abandoned the State College. According to Ila Seamaster program two years Grey McIlwean, Home Econom-

The facility is being and will stration Club women will reprecontinue so, used as a practice sent Perquimans County.



the Perquimans County Home Melvin Eure, Mrs. C. T. Roger-Demonstration County Council son, Jr., and Mrs. Freeman for the event.

est was tabled to enable the Linda Boyce, Kim Rose, class vice president; Mrs. C. T. Roger-

**Very Promising** 

Prospects that Hertford will ement made by the Fifth be chosen as a site for a veneer Naval District office in Norfolk mill, with a possible employee roll of 30 persons, appeared very According to the report the promising here Wednesday.

Allan W. Mills, manager of the Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce, then said the owner of the plant expected to be in Hertford Thursday to negotiate a lease with the site owner, after which time plans would go forward toward estab-

The plant owner has been no gotiating with the site owner for several weeks, and Mr. Mills stated it now appears almost a certainty Hertford will soon have another industry employing local

**Local Delegates** To Have Part In

**Revealed By Supt** 

ics Agent, seven Home Demon-

Navy men assigned to the sta- Edenton, is the State Recording quimans County Schools for the Secretary. Mrs. Fred Matthews coming year has been announced of Route 1, Hertford, State Mu- by the Perquimans County Board sid Chairman will be responsible of Education and will be as foloecial music during the

August 22, Principals report on week, Mrs. Warner Madre, Perquimans County Council presi- duty. dent, and Mrs. Fannie Hurdle, August 30, teachers report on District 2 vice president, will duty.

represent the county at the August 31, pupils registration State Council meeting. Mrs. day. September 5, first day

chool. Umphlette will also be present November 23-24-Thanksgiving holidays.

Other persons who would like December 21-January 1, Christto attend Farm Home Week are mas holidays. asked to contact Miss McIlwean April 20-23, Easter holidays.

May 31, schools close.

It was found that wives do a



"DON'T SEND ME BACK"-A three-month-old lion cub gives his mistress, Mrs. Vada Stovall, a pleading look. But the Stovall's, of Portland, Ore., must send their pet to the zoo because it's growing too wild. They nurtured the animal when it was too small to get along in the usual environment

**County** Finances In Good Condition End Of Fiscal Year School Calendar

Perquimans County completed its 1960-61 fiscal year on June 30 with its annual budget underspent by a figure of \$18,000. made to the County Commissioners on Monday by Max R.

The official calendar for Per- Campbell, County Accountant. Income during the year exceeded expenditures \$20,276. Total income from all sources amounted to \$430,465, while excanditures totalled \$440,198. Tax collections during the fis

cal year amounted to \$170,541. beautified. leaving approximately \$6,500 of the levy to be collected and in-

ad valorem taxes amounted to school system, churches, com-\$266,723. The county closed out the fiscal year with cash bal

843; Capital Outlay, \$2.25.

ances amounting to \$128,327. Total income for the various departments of the government was given as follows: General

Debt Service, \$53,639; Welfare Administrative Fund, \$14,498; OAA Fund, \$87,574; ADC Fund,

\$39,673; APTD Fund, \$37,886; County, meeting here last Mon-

General School Fund, \$80,738; day, read letters from Congress-

Hertford Awarded Third Place For **Pedestrian Safety** 

State Official In **Meeting With Local Chamber Officers** 

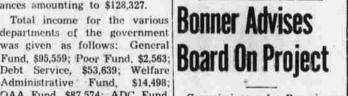
Officers of the Perquimans Chamber of Commerce were in, dustrial representative of the Board of Conservation and Development, for the purpose of reviewing the results of a recent industrial survey submitted

to the CD Board by the local Chamber of Commerce. officers the survey revealed announce this program had much information to his depart- brought about a reduction of acment which will be used and made available to industries trians. seeking locations in North Caro-

an industrial commission is ne- this project. cessary to expedite loans and to a new industry.

Mr. Harris also recommended according to a financial report to the Chamber of Commerce it townspeople, the town board approaches to the town, since appearances create a lasting impression on prospective industrial officials. He suggested old houses and buildings be repaired and painted, business buildings be updated and highways approaching the town be

He commended the survey for its information relative to Hertcome from sources other than ford's business sites, county munications and transportation.



Commissioners for Perguiman

the Congressman advised there

The Town of Hertford won third place in the 1960 Carolina Motor Club program on pedestrian safety and was presented a plaque at ceremonies held here last Monday, at which time G. E. Harris, representing the motor club, presented Mayor V. N. Darden with the plaque signifying the town's achievement in traific safety.

a meeting here Friday of last the Municipal Building and was week with Eugene Harris, in- attended by members of the town board, the police department and a number of interested persons.

Mr. Harris pointed out that AAA had for the past 30 years been engaged in promoting traffic safety, especially for pedes-Mr. Harris told the Chamber trians, and he was pleased to

cidents and injuries to pedes-At first, Mr. Harris said, the

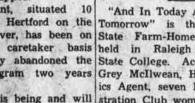
pedestrian program was for He pointed out, however, it is larger towns and cities but ssential for the community to some three years ago, the Moorganize an Industrial Commis- tor Club set up a program for in if it desires to participate towns under 5,000 population, in securement of new industry, and that Hertford had made He told the Chamber members much progress participating in

He stated some 67 towns in other financial matters which North and South Carolina parmight arise in the event the ticipate in the program each community desires to construct year but interest was greater in buildings and lend financial aid Northeastern North Carolina than elsewhere.

Mr. Harris congratulated the conduct a program to clean up and police department for the the community, especially the safety record achieved during the past year and stated the judging of the award is made on the basis of the town's safety measures near and around the schools, crosswalks and car operators' attitude.

In accepting the award, Mayor Darden thanked Mr. Harris and the Motor Club and expressed appreciation for the program which assists small owns to promote safety on their streets. He also praised Police Captain B. L. Gibbs and memcers of the police force for the splendid job each carried out to enable Hertford to win third place award for 1960.





bombing site with some 20 Mrs. M. T. Griffin of Route 2,

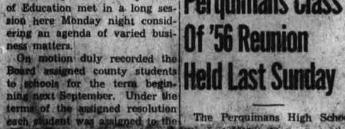
1962 officers were elected at

mascots, were special guests of son, Jr., secretary, and Mrs. asked to contact Mi the class. Wernon Harrell, treasurer. The as soon as possible.

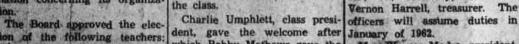
The Perquimans High School HD County Counci

each student was assigned to the pupils beginning school for the first time were assigned to the school where the child attended achool where the child attended school where the child attended achool achool

ation concerning its organiza-



tended with their wives, hus-the Board requesting a imer school session for ele-ntary children. Action on this the set of 53. Mrs. George Barber, Mrs. Hannah Holmes, class advisors, Demonstration County Council meeting on June 29. Mrs. Melvin Eure was elected president; Mrs. C Iff Morgan, vice president; Mrs. C. T. Roger-Thirty of the class of 56 at-



lishment of the industry.

people.

Mrs. Richard Bryant, Central Grammar School; John Wynn, King Street School; Theresa Eb-ron, Perquimans Unian School. e new teachers were secur-under the additional allotment made Perquimans County under the terms of the budget recently adopted by the Legisla-ing the last 5 years.

bourd adopted a new policy con-cerning the granting of permis-sion to permit school groups to take trips which require them Charlie Umphlett from New but to be away from home over-

The Board voted no future mission for such trips will granted except in cases of cial delegates to school spon-ed activities. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Ca

## Welfare Secretary

. Edger White director

which Bobby Mathews gave Mrs. Warner Madre, president, devotional. conducted the meeting which Linda Boyce sang Chattanooga opened with the singing of On-

Shoe Shine Boy and Kim Rose ward, Ever Onward. The devotional was given by Mrs. Clinplayed the piano and auto-harp. Class members introduced their ton Ray Winslow.

Mrs. Fred Mathews, State, Dishusband, wife or guest and told what they had been doing dur- trict, and County Music Leader, Judy Long, Carolyn Paige Long and Ruth Harrell gave a

Everyone enjoyed Mrs. Barber After much discussion, the and Mrs. Holmes as they told report on the State Music Work- data that it gathered while mak-

op at Brevard College. Mrs. Edgar Long, County

Council Treasurer, presented a budget plan for use of the treasury. She suggested that each club should send all dues to her ury. Britain, Conn., and Mrs. Clarence Watson (Annette Proctor)

of Philadelphia, traveled the zear.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Baker, Vivian Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baker The Board also named the following school junitors for the coming year: Perquimans High School W. V. Brubble, Gladys Hall, Daisy Manley; Hertford Grammar School Leroy Light-toot, Marie Felton; Central Grammar School Ernest Stall-ing, Odel Stallings; King Street School Stephen Vaughan, Bee-thee Vaughan, Perquimars Ind. Mr. and Mrs. Emmeti School Stephen Vaughan, Bee-thee Vaughan, Perquimars Ind. Mr. and Mrs. William School-Stephen Vaughan, Bee-triee Vaughan; Perquimans Un-toa School-Junius Spellman, Emma Lamb, Lourella Collins. Mrs. Campen New Welfare Secretary Water Mrs. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lane, Mr. and Mrs. William Proctor, Mary Ann Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rogerson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Alfreiton, Lois V. Winslow, Charles Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Miter Benten Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Benton, Mr.

id Mrs. Fr

**Population Census Data Says** 

More Children In The Local

What has been Perquimans ability. County's natural growth rate in the last five years?

"remarkably accurate" job of Fund, \$92,423; Poor Fund, \$6,067; gress concerning a drainage surforecasting how many children Debt Service, \$58,852; Welfare vey project for the upper To help measure this progress, they will have over a five-year Administration, \$14,037; OAA reaches of the Perquimans the Census Bureau has analyzed

ing its recent population count. It has also released comparable figures for communities in other sections of the country.

In Perquimans County, according to the report, the trend

at once at the beginning of the has been toward larger families. most exactly. The Census Bureau uses the Hand in hand with a rise in

Mrs. Ray Godfrey presented unromantic but scientific term the report from the nominating "fertility ratio" in describing its the birth rate in an area go

committee composed of Mrs. Earli findings. Hollowell and Mrs. L. B. Elliott. 1 What toys, children's apparel, medi-The group decided that hus- children there are, under the bands would be invited to the age of five, for every 1,000 cines and rent move upward. Less necessary expenditures take women who are within the nor- a drop. a line mal child-bearing ages. It gives

"a rough index of the natural

lectober. Mrs. John Schler liscted as alternate. The group decided to begin work on the kitchen project im-Its ratio compares favorably work on the kitchen project im-mediately. Cups, saucers, plates and aliver for 50 is to be furn-lahed for the kitchen at the Agricultural Building. Each Home Demonstration Club is to with that found in the United five per 1,000 women: It top-ped the South Atlantic States because the bill of sale which States, 488 children below age ratio, 481, as well.

The effect of the increased be July 6, 1931. proportion of small children in

of family growth, con-by the University of

a number of factors,

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igh, N. C. July 12-14; East District Crafts Comp. Au 14-18 at Manteo, and Na On the basis of the 1960 cen

ite to the kitchen.

3.46 in the South Atlantic States. ecorder's Cour According to an independent n Recess Tuesday

Fund, \$85,f07; School Supple- River, In a 1955 sampling, followed ment Fund, \$23,901. up in 1960, those who were During the past year the he was in receipt of a resolution asked how many they expected county reduced its bonded in- adopted by the Commissioners in the next five years gave debtedness by \$30,900, plus in-requesting he introduce a mea-The followup showed that their predictions were fulfilled, al-Sanders - Nixon

**Vows Spoken In** changes in the way people spend their money. Outlays for food, **Woodville Church** 

In a ceremony characterized **Model-A Birthday** 

ward Arnold Sanders Sunday When the little black 1931 Model A Ford leaves Hertford afternoon, June 25, in the Wood- drainage district. ville Baptist Church. The pas-Thursday- morning with Richard

tor, the Rev. William S. Brown, the board meeting included reap-Auman driving it to his new tor, the Rev. william S. Brown, the board meeting included reap-home in Garner, it will be the officiated in the double ring pointment of Julian C. Powell ord for the long 4th of July home in Garner, it will be the officiated in the Gildon Whiteceremony. Mrs. Gildon White- as county tax supervisor for a hurst was planist and accom- period of two years.

the owner still has shows the panied Bobby Ray Spence, who purchasing date of the Ford to sang "Where Thou Goest" and awarded Sinclair Refining Com- and the remaining five were list-The Ford, a familiar sight to Prayer."

the county is also to be seen in Hertford residents, was the property of the late James S. Mr. and Mrs. David Leroy Nix- ted the low bid for this service

cNider, whose son gave it to on of Route 3, Hertford, and the at a discount of .0275 per cent sus, there are now 3.77 people Richard Auman about two years bridegroom is the son of Mr. and off tank wagon prices. In the average household in ago. Written in bold silver let. Mrs. William Edward Sanders of The board approved The board approved applica

Perquimens County as against ters across the front of the car Route 4, Elizabeth City. 3.29 in the United States and are the words "Hertford, N. C., Given in marriage by her mitted by Will Matthews, Mrs. Where Prosperity Is a Habit" father, the bride wore a formal Clara Layden and Roy Hall, at a meeting of the club and the present owner has de- gown of silk organza with lace Negro.

cided to leave this familiar bodice embroidered with se-A request for a budget allo- liott's Cafe. stichard left quite early Thursday morning to drive the Ford to Garner on what may well be the little car's imagest trip in its thirty-year history. dogan on the car, saying "Then quins and pearls over satin and cation for civil defense, submituple will have few or many Richard left quite early

Headlines \*

School Supplement Fund, \$21,- man Herbert C. Bonner in which President Kennedy secured a Expenditures for the different is little hope that special legiscourt order late Monday invokfunds were listed as: General lation be introduced in Coning the Taft-Hartley law into the Maritime strike which had crippled U. S. shipping for the past month. The court order requires strikers to resume jobs

for a period of 80 days. Mr. Bonner advised the board

British troops have established defense lines in Kuwait, as terest on the bonds outstanding, sure before Congress calling for a preventive measure against relief from threatened floods in Iraq's threat to overrun the tiny the area. He pointed out spe- area which only recently achievcial legislation, such as this, caned its independence fom Great not be introduced without fay- Britain. Word from Kuwait on orable recommendation by the Wednesday indicated the pres-District Office of the U. S. Corps ence of the British troops foiled of Engineers and forwarded the the Iraq plans.

local board a letter from this Governor Sanford on Tuesday District Office nointing out the situation involved is a drainage reduced prison sentences for problem rather than a flood some seven union leaders, concontrol project, and apparently victed of conspiring to dynamite by beauty and charm, Miss Judy Nixon became the bride of Ed-parties involved revealed no in-in 1959. The governor's action terest in establishment of a results in a possible early parole for the men.

> Other matters handled during North Carolina's fatality rec-14 of the deaths came from auto

accidents, nine persons drowned On motion passed the board as a benediction "The Wedding pany a contract to furnish fuel ed as miscellaneous accidents. The highway death toll was unoil to the county for the comder the predicted total of 21.

> **New Officers Tuesday Rotary To Install**

New officers of the Hertford Rotary Club will be inst Tuesday night at 6:15 at El-

The incoming pres