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Candy Strippers Report For Duty



Pictured in front of the Albemarle Hospital from left to right are Louise Dail, Pam Cox, Sandra Smith and Carla Elliott, Perquimans County Candy Strippers, on their first day of volunteer duty at the hospital.

Mrs. Haskett Elected President Parents Club

Mrs. Keith W. Haskett was elected president of the Parents' Club of the Perquimans County Marching Unit at a meeting held Monday night in the High School Library.

Plans Completed Area Craft Tour

Mrs. T. P. Brinn announced this week that final plans are completed for the Albemarle Area Craft Tour to Gatlingburg, Tenn.

Perquimans High PTA Has Meeting

The Perquimans County High School PTA held its first meeting of the 1967-68 school year Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium.

Raymond Shaw Speaks to IDC

Raymond Shaw, SBA representative of Charlotte, spoke to the Perquimans County Industrial Development Committee at their regular meeting Wednesday night at the Municipal Building in Hertford.

Health Career Club Helps With Crusade

PCRS Health Career Club help with Cancer Crusade. Pictured left to right are Shirley Gregory, President of the Health Club, and Sandy Webb, Treasurer.

Parents Urged To Have Children Vaccinated

Surgeon General William H. Stewart has urged parents to have kindergarten, first and second grade children vaccinated against measles as the school year starts.

2,000 Educators To Convene At NCEA Meet

Increased attention will go to associational affairs when more than 2000 educators convene in Rocky Mount for the 45th North-eastern District Convention of the North Carolina Education Association.

The General Session will feature Dr. A. C. Dawson, NCEA Executive Secretary, who will report on association activities including sanctions, legislation, progress toward merger with the NCTA, and others.

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Homemakers To Meet October 20

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Meeting To Be Held October 12

The Perquimans County Council will hold its county-wide meeting on Thursday, October 12, at 8 p.m. at the Multi Service Center, 210 Hyde Park St., in Hertford, according to Chairman Joseph Sprull.

Booster Club To Be Formed

Plans are under way to form a "Booster Club" for Perquimans High School. A membership drive will begin the 1st of November with each township and community having a representative to contact interested persons for membership.

Plymouth Trims Hertford 35-0

HERTFORD — Ernest Ferguson scored three touchdowns here Friday night to spark Plymouth to a 35-0 victory over Perquimans.

Watches Boat Launching



Lester Simpson, owner of the Snug Harbor Marina, is shown with his pet dog watching the launching of a boat at the Marina by a group of sportsmen.

Colon, Rectum Cancer Exam A 'Must'

Since cancers of the colon and rectum take the lives of more men and women in the United States than any other kind except lung cancer, the procto examination is a "must" in any sound and realistic health program.

One's chances of being saved from death from cancer of the colon and rectum are best when it is detected before any warning appears.

The proctoscopic examination, commonly called the "procto" examination, enables a doctor to examine visually the walls of the lower colon and rectum for possible cancer.

It has been said that cancer is one of the most curable of



Colon-rectum cancer strikes 73,000 Americans each year. Three-quarters might be saved by early diagnosis and proper treatment.

Have a "procto" as part of your annual checkup.

Education Board Has Meet Monday

The Perquimans County Board of Education met in regular session here Monday night in the superintendent's office and the employment of Margaret Kay Bradley and Shelton Davis as teachers in Perquimans High School was approved by the Board.

Practical Nurses Complete Course

Two Hertford licensed practical nurses have completed a year-long postgraduate course at Baptist Hospital.

They are Miss Evelyn Ruth Tarkenton, daughter of William F. Tarkenton Sr., of 112 Covent Garden, and Miss Sandra Kay Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wood of Rt. 3, Hertford.

Miss Tarkenton received a certificate as an obstetrical technician.

Miss Wood is certified as an operating room technician.

Both have accepted positions at Baptist Hospital.

The program is designed for LPN's who seek to extend their service into specialized areas of the hospital.

First Meeting

The Hertford Grammar School PTA will meet for its first meeting of the new school year Thursday night October 12 at 8:00.

Local BPW Club Joins National Observance

The Hertford Business and Professional Women's Club will join the 175,077 members of the National BPW Club in observance of National Business Women's Week from October 15 to 21.

National Business Women's Week was first celebrated April 15-22, 1928 with the announced purpose of dramatizing the contribution of women to the business and professional life of the country.

Local Fans See Redskins

Last Sunday was the annual trip to Washington to see the Redskins. The Dallas Cowboys defeated the Redskins 17-14 with only 10 seconds remaining in the game.

Some of the fans had already left the game thinking that Washington had won the game. Those making the trip were: Willie Ansley, Claude Brinn, Jay Dillon, Buddy Tilley, Julian Broughton, Herbert Eure, Noah Gregory, Tim Gregory.

October 15th To 21st Community Health Wk.

Citing that good health is the most priceless possession of every man, woman, and child in our State, Governor Dan Moore has designated the week of October 15-21, 1967 as Community Health Week - 1967.

Perquimans Gets State Fair Tickets

A broader usage policy has been adopted for its social tickets by the North Carolina State Fair, which comes up for the 100th time next week, October 9-14.

In distributing some 425,000 tickets to school children and teachers of the secondary schools of the state, Manager Arthur K. Pitzer, has announced that school tickets may be used any day of fair week, and at any time of the day.

Previously the tickets could be used only on certain days. In 1962 Commissioner L. Y. Barentine honored them Mondays through Fridays if they were presented before 6:00 p.m.

Continued requests by school people for an unlimited time usage brought about the new regulation. The tickets may be used now at any time during fair week. But, instead of being a free full admission, they are good for half of the price of admission; i.e., for students the ticket and 25 cents are required for a single gate admission, and for teachers the ticket and 50 cents are required.

Manager Pitzer explained that many children and teachers were unable to reach the Fairgrounds on days the tickets were accepted, or could not arrive before the 6:00 o'clock deadline. These were required to pay the full admission price, while those arriving earlier paid nothing.

"This year, each student and each teacher coming to the Fair will pay a small amount, but it will be an equitable charge for all," Pitzer stated.

Jones Slates Visit To Area Counties

Congressman Walter B. Jones begins this week a series of official visits to counties of the First Congressional District by making stops in Pasquotank and Perquimans Counties.

The congressman will be at the Pasquotank County Courthouse from 9 a.m. to 12 noon Friday, Oct. 13. The same day, from 2 to 5 p.m., he will be at the Perquimans County Courthouse in Hertford.

The purpose of the official visits, according to the congressman, is to give his constituents in the counties visited an opportunity to meet him and discuss any matters of concern to them.

A Look Backward

a look backwards found in the perquimans weekly files of yesterday

10,000 PEOPLE ENTERED FAIR GROUNDS LAST WEEK. The finance committee is waiting for the electric light bill to determine whether the Lions Club is in the red as far as the County Fair is concerned or whether there will still be enough funds left from the project to turn a little over to the State Blind Commission and to spend a little for blind work here in the county.

From any angle the results of the first large County Fair are viewed (except financially) the festival was a huge success; slightly less than ten thousand people paid admission-fee at the gates during Fair Week, more people were seen here than had ever been in Hertford before on any given day.

FALL ARRIVED IN A HURRY SOMETIME LAST SUNDAY NIGHT. Riding on a fast moving cold wave and concealed in a downpour of rain, fall arrived in Hertford all of a sudden sometime between midnight Sunday and daylight Monday after three of the hottest days of the year.

NINTH DISTRICT OF P.T.A. ENTERTAINED HERE BY MRS. WARD. Mrs. L. A. Ward,

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Mayor Emmett Landing is shown in the above photo with Mrs. Marion Swindell BPW Public Relations Chairman, signing Proclamation for National BPW Week.

RECENTLY AWARDED

Miss A. M. Hoffer, a faculty member of the Perquimans County Union School, has recently been awarded her Certificate of Advance Study from New York University, New York, N. Y.

In addition to her teaching duties, Miss Hoffer serves as part time psychological examiner.