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Virginia Transeau Meets

That which follows is the Ad-

# Mark Beers Couple Found Guilty In Calld Abuse Case

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"I can't see how at those in ne hey're in Pr

before sentencing that Mrs. Pearson had been under psychiatric treatment a few years ago. They did not say where,

The child's father, Arthur Pearson, 65, was tried on the same charges as Mrs. Pearson child abuse and neglect plus failure to send a child, Albert, 10, to school. Albert was not enrolled in any school for this term. man's

Pearson pleaded guilty to both charges; Mrs. Pearson pleaded ody could unless not guilty. Judge Privot did not hold Mrs. Pearson liable for the second count since the rehistric sponsibility of schooling lay with the parent he said.

help," Judge Proceed. He recommended with the bee given a complete wysical and such treatmend at they be con-sidered appropriate." Defense lawyers, O. C. Abbott and John S. Kisiday pointed out

Legion's Membership

BooksGiven The Museum of the Albemarle has added through the

generosity of several donors the following books to its reference library recently. Three of the books were given in memory of Mark Winslow Beers, late son of Mr. and Mrs. John Beers of Hertford, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Winslow. "A Diderot Pictorial Encyclopedia of Trades and Industry" (2 vol. set) Dover Pub-

lications, Inc., was presented by Miss Susan Stitt and Mrs. Montfort Haslam in memory of Mark Beers.

"American Bird Decoys" by William J. Mackery Jr., was presented by Mrs. T. P. Brinn of Hertford in memory of Mark Beers.

"Early America at Work, A Pictorial Guide to Our Vanish-ing Occupations" by Everett B.

Wilson, was presented in memory of Mark Beers by Mr. and Mrs. William D. (Bill) Cox

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Baum presented in memory of Julian Fearing Baum, "Biblical Arch-aeology" by G. Ernest Wright (Phila, 1962)

"The Handbook of Old Ameri-can Toys" by Louis H. Hertz presented by Salem Extension Homemakers Club.

"Field Guide to American Victorian Furniture" by Thomas Ormspee was presented by Salem Home Extension Club. These books on antiques and history are available for study

> \$800 Reported In **Cancer** Crusade

Mrs. D. M. Jackson, Perquiits service programs," Com-mander Broughton stated, Also, reports that approximately he reported that the Post is \$800,00 has been collected to planning to expand its local pro-grams and activities, depend-be heard from. She urges all ing on the final results of the 1968 membership drive.

# With Wynn Fork 4-H Club Memoríal



Shown in the above photo are the Wynnfork 4-H Club members. First row, reading right to left is Gail Proctor, Joan Hunter, Kathy Evans, Sybil Lou Hobbs and Debbie Roberson, Second row, Earl Lane, Clyde Elliott, Debbie Sue Sawyer, Sue Proctor, Debbie Perry and Kay White. Third or back row: David Trueblood, Frances White, Brenda Mansfield, Joyce Sawyer and Sidney Jessup. Absent when the picture was taken were Cheryl Phillips and Karen Copeland.

### Perquimans weekly editor thanked Mrs. Transeau, and the Virginia W. Transeau, "Miss club got down to the business at club got down to the business at Virginia" as she is known to the hand. They elected next years -H'ers met with the Wynnfork officers, discussed Achieve-Club and their leader Mrs. Joe ment Day, their annual Christmas party, and project selection

Kathy Evans was hostess for the meeting and served delicious



Perquimans County is moving folks, it would be impossible to ahead, and we're moving with it, keep our county paper "our supplying the needs of our sub- own".

scribers and advertisers with a The editor, also expresses to larger circulation, a stronger the Parent Teachers organiza-paper, and better equipped to tions of the schools who have just serve the county than ever before completed their annual Perwith modern princing equipment gumans Weekly subscription second to none, and experienced campaign, her appreciation and congratulates them on chalking

and skilled printers. The Perquimans Weekly has up the best subscription a birthday this week, on Nov-ember 24, 1967, the Weekly is celebrating it's twenty-eight birthday, as a homeowned and the before. Each schools TA turned in more subscrip-tions than has ever been secured homeoperated newspaper in this since this editor has owned the county. You can count on your paper. The PTA's have been Perguimans Weekly to partici- conducting a subscription drive pate in every good move affecting for the Perquimans Weekly for progress in Perguimans County. many years now, in October of

Virginia White Transeau, each year. They deserve double editor and owner of The congratulations this year, as Perquimans Weekly, expresses there were other campaigns appreciation t he many going on here in the county at the

### **Homecoming** At Center Hill Church Set For Nov. 26

Homecoming Day is planned for the Center Hill Baptist Church of Tyner on Sunday, November 26, it was announced

today by the Rev. David L. Harris, pastor. The service for the day is set for 10:30 a.m. A former pastor, the Rev. W. Franklin Cale, of South Boston, Virginia, will be the major speaker. It will be the first such observance of the church in nearly Facility (Diagnostic Clinic) exnine years.

The feature of the day will be the dedication of the "new" church auditorium. It has been completely renovated on the interior, with new walls, a new ceil. ed about our need of doctors. ing, new pews, a redesigned pulpit and choir area, new lighting fixtures, and wall to wall carpeting. The day will also be be done. Doctors were sought by annual church building individuals and by groups to no the avail. fund,

An extended service has been planned, with a variety of special it was discovered that two young music from the choirs of the doctors wanted to locate in church. In addition, Mr. and Mrs. Alphonso Jordan of Raleigh and Bill Cale, the son of the Rev. Cale, will be singing. Speaking also will be the Rev. doctor's offices with a Lab Room David L. Harris, pastor of the and an X-Ray Room had been church.

Two nurseries have been planned for infants and toddlers, trained to practice with the help and following the service all at. of a "Lab" and an X-ray matending will be encouraged to chine; and they did not want to remain for dinner, planned by waste their time waiting to see the ladies of the church under if a county would build such a the direction of the hostess for facility. They wanted to practice the day, Mrs. J. Cameron Boyce, medicine upon completion of the church social director.

Mr. Cale is a graduate of trained and they did not want to Campbell College, the Univer-sity of Richmond, and Southern "maybes." Baptist Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky. He succeeded his fath. Chamber of Commerce of Herter as the pastor of the church, ford began to investigate the and served for eleven years, in need, cost and construction of this his first pastorate. He has pastored in Culpepper, Virginia, and is currently pastor of the First Baptist Church of South Boston, Virginia, He has served Commissioners to let the numerous Baptist agencies in citizens of Perquimans County Virginia. He is married to the decide by ballot whether they former Dorothy Bragg of Gran- would or would not support the ville County, and they have one construction of a Hospital son, Bill, who is a ministerial Facility. The County Commisstudent at the University of Rich- Sioners said that they would put the matter before Perquimans mond.

Former members, friends, County Citizens and let the and relatives are invited to at. citizens decide by ballot on this proposal, The County Commistend.

# **Central PTA Hears Rescue Squad Leader**

The Perquimans County Cen-tral Grammar School held its bury, N.C. Parents were encourber meeting on Monday, aged to join the P.T.A.

# Meaning Of Hospital Facility In Hertford

Citizens of Perquimans Coun-ty will have the opportunity on visory Committee for this Hos-Saturday, January 13 to vote in pital Facility (Diagnostic Clinic) the special election for the pro-posed "Hospital Facility." A (Chairman), Roy Chappell, spokesman for the Advisory (Bethel Township), Julian White Committee for this Hospital (Hertford Township), Joel Hoilowell (Parksville Township), G. H. "Tuck" Webb (New Hope Township) Joe W. Nowell (Belplains what it is all about, and the advantages. videre Township). A part of the

"For a long time the citizens function of this committee is to of Perquimans County have talk- | explain to the citizens of Perguimans County the terms which A group of county citizens bewill be found on the ballot and came tired of just talking; so what is involved in this medical they decided to see what could facility to the citizens of Perquimans County, visory Committee's explanation

During the quest for doctors, of the ballot. The ballot will ask the people to decide on a \$250,000 bond issue for the con-Eastern North Carolina; and they struction of a 'Hospital Faciliwould have been interested in loty". The Advisory Committee cating in Perquimans County if believes that \$125,000 will be ample to build the facility. The a medical facility that included Building will be built adequately with the thought of long range available. These men had studied economy in mind and with the to practice medicine; they were idea of saving as much on the cost of construction as is possible. The reason \$250,000 is placed on the ballot is so that county officials will not have to ask the people of Perquimans County for more money to complete a partially constructed facility, No medical training as they were more bonds will be sold than are absolutely necessary to construct the "Hospital Facility"

(Diagnostic Clinic). A committee appointed by the On the ballot will be the term "Hospital Facility". What is actually being planned is a Diagnostic Clinic which will include offices for two doctors, and X-ray Room, a "Lab" Room and an Emergency Room. The X-ray, "Lab" and Emergency Rooms are considered to be "necessities", The reason that the term "Hospital Facility" is used on the bond issue is due to the fact that laws governing the "Diagnostic Clinic" which is planned

come under the North Carolina Law entitled "Hospital Facilities Act". That which is now being planned, that which will be voted upon is not a hospital but is a Diagnostic Clinic composed of offices for two doctors with an X-ray Room, a "Lab" Room and an Emergency Room. The ballot also provides for a

vote which enables the County Board of Commissioners to levy up to 10¢, per \$100 property evaluation on the Perquimans County Citizens to keep up the Hospital Facility (Diagnostic Clinic). This does not mean that the citizens of Perquimans County will be taxed this 100

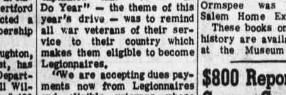
### Drive Is Successful received here ment," from Department Headquarters of The American Legion in Ra-leigh indicates that Heriford Post # 126 had conducted a highly successful membership drive. Post Commander Broughton explained that "68 - Can Do Year" - the theme of this # 126 had conducted a year's drive - was to remind

drive. Mr. Julian H. Broughton, Commander of the Post, has received a letter from Depart-ment Adjutant J. Carroll Wil-son reporting that Post # 126 has exceeded its Legion Membership Incentive Goal for 1968. The Legion Adjutant ex-pressed congratulations and thanks to the Post leaders and membership workers for their effort.

A statement of high praise for the local Post was issued by Robert A. (Bob) Tart of Benson, North Carolina, Depart-ment Commander of The Ameri-

can Legion. Commander Tart said, "The membership of every Legion-naire makes it possible for The American Legion to maintain service for the sick and disable in hospitals, Memberships make possible all the Legion programs; such as care for needy children, Baseball, Boys' State, Boy Scout Troops, Ora-torical Contest, Community Service, and all the others. I

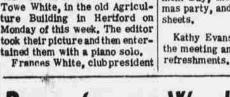
proud to congratulate Post upon this notable achieve-



and eligible veterans whose membership is essential if the local organization is to continue



### Bids were opened on Pe-The Hertford Town Board troleum products and the bid meeting here Monday night adopted a code of ordinances submitted by Winslow Oil Company was approved, which was compiled for the Town Elizabeth City Mayor Harland



## Winslow Is Moved To Wilmington



Preston Winslow employe with General Electric Company's Atomic Products Depart-ment in San Jose, California, has been transferred to Wil-

ans been transferred to Wil-mington, N.C. Winslow's responsibilities with S.E. will envolve Qualify Control Engineering Activities for the sew Wilmington Plant, which will manufacture Nuclear reactor hel and related equipment. Prior to his transfer to Wil-mington, Mr. Winslow completed raining assignments in San Jose, California, Jonesboro, Ark., Scheneotady, N. Y. and Philadelphia, Pa.

rk., Schenectady, N. Y. and biladelphia, Pa. He is married to the former locky Nixon and they have three hildren, Cindy, Denise and ommy.

## Greensboro Glee Inb To Perform

by the North Carolina League of Municipalities. They discussed Municipalities. They discussed Murther the proposed sub-division regulations which adop-ed a copy of resolution "thankdivision regulations which adop-tion was tabled to a later date. ing the Hertford Fire Depart-ment for their assistance rend-

The Board approved a pledge of \$500,00 for the Chamber of Commerce. This is the same as the 1967 pledge. ered during the March 1, 1967 fire which destroyed the old Carolina Building in Elizabeth City.

# Ten Area Girls To Try For Junior Miss Crown

Ten girls from the Albemarle Banks and Linda Winslow the area have entered the race for the Albemarle Junior Miss rence Winslow.

crown, three of the girls are from Perquimans, Hollis Wil-liams, Margie Banks and Linda The ten contestants from the Albemarle Area to compete at the pageant Saturday night are: Marjorie Banks, Hollis Wil-liams and Linda Winslow from Winslow,

The Albemarle Junior Miss Contest is sponsored again this year by the Hertford Junior of Chamber, Ed Nixon is theirman of the Jaycees Pagean com-Hertford; Joyce Harris and Alice Sue Knowles, from Elizabeth City; Corrie Virginia Scott from Plymouth; Carroll Lassiter, Edenton; Wanda Jean Morris, Hobbsville; Vicky Juanita Rog-

The ten girls from the Albe-The ten girls from the Albe-marle area will compete in the finals of the pageant, to be held at 7:30 p.m., Saturday, Novem-ber 26, in the auditorium of the Perquimans High School. The contestants will make four ers, Ahoskie; and Shirley Frances Simpson, from Shawboro,

Master of ceremonies will be Ray Jones of Elizabeth City; Director of Choroegraphy will be Roy Askew of Elizabeth City. The contestants will make four appearances on the night of the judging; in talent, evening dress and sports wear division, plus an individual interview which will test their intelligence, poise and personality. There will be no bathing suits. Gary Stevenson from Hertford will be the organist.

will be the organist, Judges will be: Curtis Albert-son, Elizabeth City; Mrs. Dot Wagoner of Gatesville; Robert Hollowell, Hertford; Frank Rob-erts, Jackson, N. C., and Edgar "Red" Garganus of Williamston, The winner in Saturday night's commettion will be presented a

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for winner in each category, The winner in the contest will also receive a trib to contest will scribers a parent that in subfor winner in each category. to compete in the State pageant, present.

Last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Erie Haste Jr., entertained the contestants and their parents at a tea.

Wednesday night is rehearsal night for the contestants and this begins at 7 o'clock p.m. Friday night is dress rehearsal at 7:30 p.m.

On Saturday beginning at 4 p.m. the Judges conference with each girl will be held. At 6 p.m. on Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Harmon will entertain all the contestants at a supper at the Harmon home on Market

The pageant will get under-way at 7:30 following the supper. Tickets may be purchased bathing suits. The winner of the local pageant will compete in the state finals in Charlotte in February. Hollis Elaine Williams is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eili Williams, Margie Banks is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hollowell, Hertford; Frank Rob-erts, Jackson, N. C., and Edgar "Red" Garganus of Williamston, The winner in Saturday night's \$100 scholarship. Trophies will be awarded the winners and run-ner-ups and a charm bracelet Way at M30 following the su Tickets may be purcl Tickets may be purcl Tickets may be purcl the unner in Saturday night's Harmon's Pharmacy or mi purchased at the door at Perquimans High School. tickets are one dollar. from any Jaycee or any contestant and are also available at Harmon's Pharmacy or may be purchased at the door at the Perquimans High School. All

loyal subscribers, the mer-chants and businesses who have for the Weekly was underway. long been contributors of ad- And none of the drives were vertising to this paper, making begun until after the Weekly it possible for the county to drive had already gotten it possible for the weekly underway. maintain it's "OWN WEEKLY underway. The Perquimans Weekly has

operation of these Perquimans endeavored, under obstacles, to give you a good newspaper, and

we hope to continue to improve the paper until a copy goes into every home in this county. It is the first to have used color in

also receive a trip to Charlotte like and be proud of. We will use every modern method to Special guest Miss Linda Christian Hand of Gatesville, the Junior Miss 1967, will be work the state of the st moving times and to keep up with the daily newspapers. It's

a challenge, but we will make a stab at it, as we want the best for what we think is the best county in the state", says editor

Merchants

Transeau.

Atha Tunnell's first grades, under the direction of Miss Caroline Wright. The President recognized the uest. Minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, and approved as read. A note of

thanks was read from Tommy Maston Principal, to the people for their thoughtfulness during his sickness.

The Perquimans Weekly drive was most successful, Wallace Onley with the highest number of perscriptions, Rebecca Hurdle, second place, Karen Stall-

ings also leading in number. The room representative chairman, Mrs. Hilton White requested to meet with the grade-parents after the meet-

The President reported that tions and on Tuesday, had begun we were well represented at the putting up the decorations.

November 20, 1967 at 7:30 p.m. Albert Eure, introduced Durin the school auditorium with Mrs. Johnny Gregory presiding. The devotional was given by Mrs. Mary White's and Mrs.

garding foreseeable expenses, it is believed that the maximum Parents were invited to visit cost to citizens of Perquimans the children's rooms. There being no further business, the meeting was declared adjourned.

## Hertford Xmas **Decorations** Up

Perquimans County folks will be getting the Christmas spirit

Workmen began setting poles on Monday to hold the decora-

Seagulls Enjoy End Of Harvesting Season

# Set Holiday Schedules

being taken all the birds were chatting away their familiar sea- ember 27th. gull sound,

Jay Dillon made a motion that bolidays be established the same as last year namely New Years Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas, The motion was seconded by John Beers and carried. Some are busy eating from the harvested field, and others have gotten the message and are fly-ing in. The work of a seconded by John Beers and carried. holidays be established the same

The above picture was taken near the home of Dr. Joshua Skinner, on the Old Neck road, What appears to be snow, is a field covered with seagulis.

Some are busy eating from the

Albert Eure, introduced Dur-wood Barber, Captain of the Per-quimans Rescue Squad, who was in charge of the program. Mr. it is believed that a lease can be in charge of the program. Mr. Barber, assisted by Seymore Chappell and Willard Copeland Det cost the citizens anything chappell and williard Copeland gave a most informative pro-rram on the operations and by-for upkeep on the building. Regram on the operations and bylaws of the Rescue Squad.

County will not be over 1¢ to 2¢ per \$100 property evaluation. Even when equipment in the X-ray and "Lab" Rooms need to be repaired or replaced, or should the building need any re-

pairs, which should not be a year-after-year expense, we believe that on that particular year of need only then will the 1-2¢ be needed, if it will be needed then.

The reason that in spite of the foreseeable need of only a couple of cents that the request for 10¢ is made is due to the fact that the County Commissioners do not under any circumstances want to have to come back to the people to request additional tax for the maintenance of this "Hospital Facility (Diagnostic Clinic).

**Our County Commissioners** promise to levy no tax for this Hospital Facility (Diagnostic Clinic) unless it is necessary and then to levy no more than is absolutely necessary. They are all property owners and they don't want to pay any more tax than is absolutely necessary either.

### **Perquimans Schools Observing Holiday**

Thanksgiving Holidays are be-ing observed by the schools in Perquimans County, Students in the schools here get two days holiday, Thursday November 23, and Friday November 24. They will return to their usual classes and schedule on Monday Nov-

Christmas holidays will beguil sound. This is a bird that rarely ever leaves here, they just hang around summer and winter, in the summer they stay on the river diving for fish. In the spring they follow anyone on a tractor thats busy plowing the fields. Then in the fall they are back in the fields again after the harvest. Christmas holidays will be-gin for the Perquimans Schools, at the close of the school day on Tuesday, December the 19th. This will be a nice long holiday with school beginning after Christmas on Wednesday; Jan-uary 3rd, Actually the studen's will have a fourtees day holiday counting the Saturday's and Su-day's.



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lished holidays for 1968 was stated by the Chairman.

Present for the meeting was Mrs. W. E. Nelson, Chairman of the Committee; Jay Dillon, Keith Haskett, John Beers, Willie Unsley, Talmage Bose, Mary Ainsley, Talmage Rose, Mary Beth Layton and Leon I. Ed-wards, Chamber Manager.

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It was decided that each store should set the Christmas hours in accordance with their own competition or as business might

Perquimans County

Chamber of Commerce's Mer-

chants Committee met here this week and discussed the store

hours for Christmas and estab-