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Delegates To Attend U.N. Wash. Study Tour

Jennifer Ann White and Susan Humphlett, 16 year old daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. Emory White of Route 3 and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Humphlett, Jr. of Winfall, are two of the forty-one delegates selected to attend the U.N.-Washington Study Tour sponsored by the United Methodist Youth Fellowship of the N.C. Conference of the United Methodist Church-March 11-17.

Jenny is vice-president and Susan is secretary of the Hertford First United Methodist Youth Fellowship.

The tour has four purposes: To understand and the functions and operations of the United Nations and the United States Government; to provide the opportunity to participate in discussion of current world affairs; to discuss the Christian's responsibility and the role of the church in the issues raised before the United Nations and the Federal Government; and to discuss how United Methodist Youth can determine his Christian responsibility in these issues.

Jenny is a member of the Hertford First United Methodist Church. In 1971 she was a delegate to the Annual Conference Session in Fayetteville, attended the Senior High Workshop in Rocky Mount and the Conference Youth Rally in Durham, all sponsored by the United Methodist Youth Fellowship. A Junior at Perquimans County High School she is co-assistant editor of the annual and a member of the Health Club. She is employed by Albemarle Hospital as a nurse's aide.

Susan is a member of the Epworth United Methodist Church in Winfall. A junior at Perquimans High School, she is a member of the Beta Club, a varsity cheerleader, co-assistant editor of the annual, treasurer of the Junior Class, a member of the Health Club and the Letter Club. She also works as a nurse's aide at Albemarle Hospital.

Donkey Ball Game March 8th

Donkey Ball, the world's craziest sport, comes to Perquimans County High School on March 8, at eight o'clock This ballgame, played from the backs of trained donkeys, is reputed to be wilder than a rodeo and funnier than a circus.

For the game, the guidance Club members have obtained the services of the nationally know Buckeye Donkey Ball Co., Columbus, Ohio.

All local riders will be used for the exhibition and the local boys and gals have gone into serious training for the big event. The girls and boys teams announced that its players are on a strict diet of Mothers Oats and raw carrots.

Charles Woodard, the local druggist, announced on hearing of the game, that he is increasing his supply of liniment in anticipation of a large increase in business the morning after the game.

Tickets are now on sale at Perquimans High School, or they can be bought at the door. Unless tickets have been purchased by game time, an extra 25 cent will be charged at the door.

Janie Proctor And Gene Boyce Promoted At Peoples Bank Hollowell Re-Elected To Board

H. Gene Boyce

Janie W. Proctor

R. L. Stevenson, Executive Vice President, of Peoples Bank and Trust Company, Hertford, announced today the promotion of H. Gene Boyce from Note Teller to Assistant Cashier and Mrs. Janie W. Proctor from C. C. Clerk to Assistant Cashier in the Hertford operations of Peoples Bank, at a directors meeting held in Rocky Mount, J.C. on February 15.

Mrs. Proctor joined Peoples Bank in April, 1968. She attended Perquimans County High School and graduated from American Schools, Chicago, Illinois. Mrs. Proctor is the wife of Willis Proctor, Route 1, Hertford. They have one son, A. Willis Proctor. She is the daughter of O. Roy Winslow and the late Mrs. Sobelia W. Winslow of Belvidere. She has resided in Perquimans County most of her life and has been active in various church, business and civic organizations.

Boyce joined Peoples Bank in February, 1969. He graduated from Perquimans High School in 1961 and attended Evangel College, Springfield, Missouri. He is the son of Mrs. Grace Boyce, 705 W. Grubb Street, Hertford and the late Mr. Edward Boyce. He is presently serving as treasurer for the Perquimans County Cancer Society and has been active in church, business and civic affairs.

W.W. Shaw, Chairman of the Board of Peoples Bank and Trust Company, presided at the bank's annual shareholders meeting held at the Home Office in Rocky Mount on Tuesday, February 15.

W.H. Stanley, president, announced to the shareholders that the bank's total assets had reached a new all-time high of $134,666,173.52 compared to assets of $121,519,479.68 for 1970.

Stanley stated, "Despite the uncertainties of the year, Peoples Bank experienced a very satisfactory gain in all areas. Deposits increased by $11,205,981.51 to a total of $117,232,772.58, loans increased by $6,742,065.38 to a total of $76,838,560.86, net profits after bond transactions increased by $90,752.72 to a total of $1,208,574.60 and total resources increased by $13,146,693.84 to a total of $134,666,173,52."

Stanley also highlighted the continued branch office expansion of the bank. During 1971 Peoples Bank opened a new office in Nashville, remodeled the existing William Street office in Henderson and held the grand opening of its new Main Office in Edenton.

Stanley also pointed out that since the beginning of the year, Peoples Bank has begun operations in Hobgood and will soon open its Tarboro office.

"These two new facilities will provide us with a total of 32 offices in 18 northeastern North Carolina communities. Quite naturally we are most proud of our continued expansion. Our aim is to provide the finest banking services available to a wide area of this growing and vital region of the state," said Stanley.

During the annual shareholders meeting the following were re-elected to the bank's Board of Directors: W.W. Shaw, chairman; W.H. Stanley, president; Dallas L. Alford, Jr., Rocky Mount; Frank G. Baldwin, Jr., Rocky Mount; Ray Bandy, Rocky Mount; Allen C. Barbee, Spring Hope; Richard H. Barnhardt, Rocky Mount; William H. Batchelor, Rocky Mount; J.C. Carlton, Pinetops; John T. Church, Henderson; W.R. Coleman, Rocky Mount; D.W. Davenport, Rocky Mount; W.B. Gillam, Harrellsville; John W. Graham, Edenton; W.B. Harrison, Rocky Mount; Thomas W. Hicks, Rocky Mount; Robert L. Hollowell, Hertford; Robert R. Mauldin, Rocky Mount; J.L. Parker, Rocky Mount; Frank P. Spruill, Jr., Rocky Mount; H.H. Strandberg, Jr., Rocky Mount; S.S. Toler, Jr., Rocky Mount; J. Dewey Weaver, Jr., Rocky Mount; W.D. Wester, Henderson; and John G. Wood, Jr., Edenton, N.C.

Following the shareholders meeting, the Board of Directors declared a regular quarterly dividend of 18 cents per share for shareholders of record on March 15 and payable on March 31.

In addition the Board of Directors promoted H. Gene Boyce from Note Teller to Assistant Cashier and Mrs. Janie W. Proctor from C.C. Clerk to Assistant Cashier in the Hertford operations of Peoples Bank.

Churches To Observe World Day of Prayer

The women of the Church of the Holy Trinity and the First United Methodist Churches in Hertford will observe World Day of Prayer, the international celebration of faith and unity among Christian women on Friday, March 3rd, at 4:00 p.m. in the Church of the Holy Trinity. The theme, to be used in similar gatherings in 169 countries, is "All Joy Be Yours."

Since the first small gatherings in the United States 85 years ago, the idea of united prayer by women around the world from sun to sun has increasingly captured the imagination of community groups. Today, World Day of Prayer can be described as the most important ecumenical occasion during the year. This celebration is the most widely observed activity of church women, which is the ecumenical expression of Protestant, Orthodox and Roman Catholic women who wish to mobilize around common goals and channel their energies into effective action. The goal of Church Women is to form a visible fellowship of belivers in Christ, and move in every community and nation as instruments of reconciling love.

Chariman of the International Committee is Gudrun Diestel of Germany, who also compiled the material which was developed into a service for the 1972 celebration. Women from at least ten eastern and Western European countries contributed material. The service is adapted by the national committees to fit the individual needs of each country.

As the women of eastern and western Europe chose what petitions should be included in this year's worldwide prayers, they were aware of three problems affecting the whole world: the plight of displaced peoples, the strained relationships between the generations, and the unsettling effect of the technological revolution.

This year's theme, "All Joy Be Yours", is designed to raise the consciousness of the participant that the joy found in Christ is transcendent, permeating all of life no matter what conditions prevail.

The World Day of Prayer offering goes into a fund called Intercontinental Mission-the process by which Church Women participate in a ministry to people all over the world.

Bethel Ruritan Club To Celebrate Anniversary

The Bethel Ruritan Club met Thursday, Feb. 24 in the Community Building with J.T. Biggers, president, presiding. An informatiove program on safety in the use of pesticides was given by Billy Griffen, assistant agricultural extension agent. He showed a film to illustrate his talk.

During the business meeting the members voted to paint the roof of the community building. To celebrate the 25th. anniversary of the Bethel Ruritan Club, a joint meeting with the Parksville and the Durants Neck Ruritan Clubs will be held Saturday, April 29. At this time. The National President of Ruritan Clubs, Richard J. Klyne of Sandusky, Ohio will be the guest speaker.

Annual Variety Show Scheduled March 25

The annual Heart Fund variety show is slated for Saturday, March 25th, funds derived from the show will go towards the goal for the 1972 Heart Fund campaign in Perquimans which is $3,165.

John Beers is Heart Association President, in Perquimans.

Mrs. Jane Cherry and Mrs. Billy Miller are co-chairman of the Heart Fund show. They request that anyone who would like to participate in the benefit program to contact them, Mrs. Cherry call 426-5855 or Mrs. Miller at 426-7017.

The benefit show promises this year to be another performance to be remembered. Mark the date on your calendar now.

Nanette Ambrose On G.C. Dean's List

Nanette Ambrose member of the sophomore class at Greensboro College from Hertford made the dean's list for the fall semester.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.L. (Leo) Ambrose of 221 Market St.

To be eligible for the dean's list a GC student must have a 3.40 or better average of a possible 4.0.

American Legion Celebrate Birthday

The Wm. Paul Stallings of the American Legion Auxiliary Unit 126 will hold its March meeting at the Legion Hut on March 2nd at 8 o'clock, at which time members will celebrate the Legion birthday. All members are urged to attend.

Birthdays And Civic Meetings

Birthday and civic meetings from the Community Birthday Calendar sponsored by the Perquimans County Marching Unit.

March 5
Eras Chappell
Beverly Walton
March 6
Tammy Copeland
Elsberry Whedbee
(Meetings)
Winfall Town Council
Perq. Co. Commissioners
W.S.C.S. First Meth. Ch.
March 7
Kent Chappell
Diana Hunter
Julia Griffin
(Meetings)
Hertford Rotary Club
Masonic Lodge
Parksville Ruritan Club
Bethel Fire Dept.
March 8
Claudia Barclift
Darlene Goodman
James Winslow, Jr.
Raymond Winslow
Cindy Elmore
Margo Perry
March 9
John E. Jones
(Meetings)
Hertford Grammar PTA
March 10
Mr.&Mrs. Ralph Harrell
wedding anniversary
Eddie Joe Adams
March 11
Walter Humphlett, Jr.
Mrs. Linwood Hawkins, Sr.

Watkins Upholstery New Business Opens Broughton Building

M.L. Watkins, this week will begin operation of a business he first opened here in February of 1968 and later successfully retired, the upholstery business.

Mr. Watkins, too energetic for retirement, this week re-opened his upholstery business and in addition will custom build furniture.

Watkins and his wife are residens of Perquimans County, having a home at Snug Harbor where he moved following his retirement from Civil Service. He has 20 years experience in the upholstery work. He is expertly qualified to rebuild your furniture from frame out.

Graveside Services For Staci Lynn Crain

Graveside services were held Sunday at 2:00 in Upriver Cemetery for Staci Lynn Crain, 16 day old daughter of George and Mrs. Phyllis Williams Crain. The Rev. Waldo Smith, pastor of the Upriver Friends Meeting and the Rev. Robert Nolan, pastor of the First-Christian Church in Elizabeth City officiated.

The casket pall was made of pink roses, white pom poms, baby's breath and fern.

Senior MYF Visit Jewish Temple

Eleven members of the Senior MYF of First United Methodist Church, Hertford, visited Ohef Shalom Jewish Temple in Norfolk, Va. on Friday, February 25.

Jenny White, Vice President, represented the local group.

They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Marion Swindell, Mrs. Paul Byrum, and Rev. and Mrs. C.J. Andrews.

Rites Held For Mrs. Vera Batten

Mrs. Vera Hemingway Broughton Batten, 70, of 130 Grubb Street died Saturday at 10:55 a.m. in the Albemarle Hospital following a week's illness. A native of Florida, she was a daughter of the late Amy and Mrs. Anzie Newton Hemingway and the widow of J.L. Batten, Sr.

She was a member of the Hertford Baptist Church, the Mary Ellen Dozier Circle, the Helen Gaither Homemakers Club and was employed by Harmon's Pharmacy.

Surviving are two sons, Julian Broughton of Hertford and Sidney C. Broughton of Wilmington, Del.; two brothers, Paul Hemingway of Dunn, N.C. and George Hemingway of Bronson, Florida; two half-brothers, Horace Hemingway of Tallahassee, Fla. and Si Hemingway of Tampa, Fla.; and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at 3:00 in the Chapel of the Swindell Funeral Home by the Rev. Norman B. Harris, pastor of the Hertford Baptist Church.

"How Great Thou Art" was sung by Mr. Harris. He was accompanied by Mrs. Chester Winslow, organist.

The casket pall was made of red roses, white chrysanthemums, orchids, and fern.

Pallbearers were Jack Broughton, Milton Dail, Jr., Howard Broughton, Joe Nowell, Broughton Dail and John Broughton, Jr.

Burial was in Cedarwood Cemetery.

Perry On W.F.C. Dean's List

Donald Edward Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiliam Dewey Perry Jr., of Hertford, Route 1, has qualified for the fall semester dean's list at Wake Forest University.

Perry is a junior and is majoring in history.

Meet Tonight

American legion post 126 will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday, March 2nd at 8 p.m. at the post home.

Commander Lloyd Stallings has asked that all members keep this date in mind. Important matters concerning the post will be discussed at this meeting.

County, Towns Share $20,264.69

Perquimans County, Hertford and Winfall will share $20,264.69 net collections for the past quarter in the 1 per cent sales tax levy.

G.A. Jones, Jr., commissioner of the North Carolina Department of Revenue, has released the figures for all counties participating in the 1 per cent sales tax for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1971.

Perquimans net proceeds amounted to $20,264.69 distributed on per capita basis, population 8,351 for the county, $15,447.78. Hertford, population of 2,023, $3,742.17 and Winfall; population 581, per capita distribution $1,074.74.

The above figures represent the net collections with cost of collecting the tax $1,035 per $100. Cost of collection for Perquimans was $211.93.

Rev. Harris To Head Mission Advance Rally

Baptists of Ahoskie will welcome church leaders from a 16-county area in northeastern North Carolina to a Mission Advance Rally in First Baptist Church on March 7 at 7:30 o'clock p.m., according to Norman B. Harris, pastor of Hertford Baptist Church, who is the Cooperative Program Consultant for this region of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

Roger Williams, Superintendent of the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina at Kinston, will give a testimony on mission work.

There will be a panel to answer questions from any member of the audience concerning Baptist mission work around the world. In addition to Mr. Williams, this panel will be composed of: Bobby Cross, who is Director of Development for Chowan College; W. Perry Crouch, General Secretary-Treasurer for the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina; R. Tom Greene, Director of Cooperative Program Promotion for the Convention; and Hugh McKinney, Director of Public Relations at Campbell College.

The concluding part on the program will be a challenge entitled, "We Can Advance," given by the General Secretary-Treasurer, Dr. Crouch.

"This is a marvelous opportunity for each pastor, Chairman of Deacons, Brotherhood Director and Woman's Missionary Union Director to learn more of what he is doing through the largest Protestant missionary force in the world. This mission work is supported through what Missionary Baptist call The Cooperative Program," concluded Norman B. Harris.

Mr. Harris will preside at this Mission Advance Rally on March 7, in the First Baptist Church, Ahoskie, beginning at 7:30 o'clock p.m.

Jackson, Ball & White Officers

Officers of Elizabeth City York Rite Bodies for 1972 were elected last week. The officers, left to right, are: George Jackson, high priest, Cherokee Chapter No. 14; James W. Ball, eminent commander of Griff Commandery No. 14; and Claude White, illustrious master of Tyriant Council No. 19. Grand York Rite Bodies are scheduled to meet in Washington, N.C. from March 5 through March. 7.

Fair Participants Deadline April 1

All new craftsmen desiring to participate in the 14th Annual Albemarle Craftsman's Fair September 27 - October 1, 1972 or to become members in the Albemarle Craftsman's Guild must submit 3 samples of their best work on or before April 1. They should be submitted to the Home Economics Extension Agents Office and delivered to Mrs. Elsie B. Edwards, Area Home Economics Agent, Edenton, N.C. A secret committee will judge the work and select the new member and or participants for the Fair on the Quality of their work.

Guild membership is not necessary to participate in the Fair, but all Guild members, along with the participants in the fair for the last 2 years, will automatically be invited to return to the 1972 Fair.

In addition to these, will be those whose articles meet the standards requirements by the committee.

The Standards Committee meets only once a year to approve new craftsmen and new members. Thus those who do not qualify at April 1 meeting of the committee will have to wait another year to be approved.

4-H members and other youth will have to submit only one sample of their work April 1, but all youth participants must submit each year if they desire to take part in the 4-H and Youth Center of the Fair.

"Applications may be secured from the Extension Office", states Mrs. Paige Underwood, Home Economics Agent. For more information, contact the Home Agent. At the 1971 Fair, there were 35 booths manned by about 50 approved adult craftsmen and 4-H members and other youth.