

# Bits Of Interest For Our Readers

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The Division of Motor Vehicles at Raleigh reports that we are experiencing more traffic accidents on the Secondary road system than in 1975. During 1975, 469 persons were killed on secondary roads, 381 deaths on U.S. Highways, 336 fatalities on North Carolina numbered highways, and 64 persons killed on Interstate highways. Let's think Safety!

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N.C. Department of Human Resources announces that the Sickle Cell Syndrome Program can no longer fund medical services for patients with sickle cell disease. This measure which became effective July 1, 1976, is part of state-wide cutbacks in spending. Included in the services being eliminated are inpatient and outpatient hospitalization, physician and dental services, drugs and appliances. Provisions which will continue in the program is

education, testing, screening, counseling, referral and follow-up services, which are provided by local health departments, funded sickle cell projects and the Division of Health Services' Regional Office Staff. However, efforts are underway to replace budget reductions with aid from both other state and private agencies.

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Now in the seventh week of the official hurricane season which began June 1 and will continue through November 30, we are reminded that most hurricanes occur in August, September, and October. This year any unwelcome guests will bear names like Anna, Candice, Emmy, and Frances. It is hoped that the number of these visitors will be quite small, that Orpha, Ruth, Trixie, and others on the list will not materialize. By the way, does anyone know why they don't bear names such as Albert, Bertrand, Charles, etc.?

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Senior citizens in Perquimans County who are interested in joining the Perquimans County Senior Citizens Club are invited to come to the meetings which are held the 3rd Monday of each month at the American Legion Hall. Anyone desiring transportation to and from the meetings should contact Mrs. Grace Dixon at 426-7359.

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Homemakers looking for interesting and different ways to prepare chicken for their families and guests will find many suggestions in the new 1976 "Chicken Cookbook." The attractive 128-page paperback book was compiled by the Na-

tional Broiler Council, America's "chicken association" and contains over 80 chicken recipes and nine full color photographs. The Cookbook is now available at the reduced price of \$1 a copy, including postage and handling. Order from: Chicken Cookbook, Dept. NBC, Box 307, Coventry, Ct. 06238.

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Vacationers who are setting their sights on history this year are offered a comfortable day at the Williamsburg Bicentennial events. Activities scheduled for the remainder of the summer include the following: July 25—Special obser-

## A Special Tribute

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The following article was submitted by Barbara Winslow Rose of Hertford and was written by Jack White, son of F. Murray White of Kernersville, N.C. It concerns several women known to many of the residents of Perquimans County and is printed here for the interest of our readers.)

**A TRIBUTE TO MY AUNTS**

A couple of weeks ago, I sat in the Meeting House of Up River Friends at the funeral of the last of my father's sisters. During the service which was held in the manner of friends, there was a period of silence and an opportunity for those assembled to speak if the Spirit so led them. As is so often true few spoke, but all could feel the presence of God, as we silently turned our thoughts toward Him and the loved one whose memory we were recalling. As my thoughts varied, I found myself thinking about not only my Aunt Sylvia, whose funeral it was, but also others of my aunts and great aunts who had their heritage at Up River Friends. I began to realize how we so often do not consider the part this very special group of people play in our lives.

First I thought of Aunt Pat (Mrs. Henry Winslow) my granddaddy's sister. I almost turned around to see if she was still sitting the pew about three or four behind where I was. I do not think there was ever a time when I attended that Church, she wasn't there. In the summer, slowly moving a straw fan back and forth as her very presence stated to all to see "These are my people, this God we are hearing about is my God, and I am at peace with the world." I thought of the heritage Aunt Pat had given me, the knowledge that for her the Christian faith was the answer, and whenever other's were gathered in Christ's name she would be there too.

Then there was Aunt Lizzie (Mrs. Robert White), what a great lady. How many of those who filled the church that day were following Christ because of Aunt Lizzie's tender care over the years as pastor of Up River Meeting? Her sermons were not great theological treatise, in which she expounded on some vague doctrine. Rather her messages were those which spoke to the needs all of us me' as we tried to live in the world. With every word, and every glance of her eyes, one could feel the unmistakable thought and unspoken word of "I love you, because you are you." How many hundreds of people had Aunt Lizzie comforted in their sorrow, or congratulated in their joys? I remember well that day, very close to the end of her ministry. By then sometimes it was difficult for her to be heard, and even more difficult for her to speak. She stopped me in the yard outside the meeting and looked in my eyes and said, "Jack, good to see you. I hope that someday it will be Jack in the pulpit." Well, Aunt Lizzie, I haven't made it get to the pulpit, but maybe I have been able in some ways to continue to show that Christ is alive and in our world, just as you taught through the years.

My mind then turned to

Aunt Mattie (Mattie Saunders). She wasn't a member at Up River, preferring rather to attend a Conservative Meeting, but what a true and gracious person. Kind, gentle, and the most unselfish person I think I ever knew. It seemed she was always gathering clothing for the American Friends Service Committee, and trying to help someone who had a need. I remember the many times when my folks would send her a scarf, a pair of gloves, or some other article of clothing for Christmas and then in a few weeks get a letter from her thanking them for the gift, but with the little phrase attached "I knew someone who needed them worse than I, so I gave it to them." How could anyone leave a greater legacy?

There was of course my daddy's sister, Aunt Myrta (Mrs. L.C. Winslow). She spent her early years at Up River Friends, and inherited the same gentleness and kindness which seemed to characterize my aunts. When she moved to Hertford she became a member of the Methodist Church there. For many years she served as organist. Going about her duties often when her health made it a supreme physical effort. In all her life, I don't remember hearing her speak an unkind word about anyone. Rather she was forever visiting those who were sick, speaking a word of encouragement to those who had a need, and by every action showing that love was the important thing in life. Whenever Aunt Myrta was around there was no question in your mind that things were right with the world, you were safe and you were comfortable, you were warm. This quality is found in so few.

Then of course Aunt Sylvia (Mrs. Linwood Winslow) a member of Up River Friends all her life, a first grade teacher for years, and a friend to all people young and old alike. How many hours had she spent driving young people to "Quaker Lake" for summer conferences — How many miles had she walked as she visited nursing homes to bring a little joy into older peoples lives? How many young people had she influenced to see that there were human qualities which one needed in this world? She didn't wait to be asked, but rather sought ways to help others. What a lady, what a lot of lives she touched.

It seemed to me as I thought about my aunts sometimes we too often ignore them. But really how could one have a greater legacy, how could one be more blessed. Their influence, usually in a quiet way, and sometimes when we least expect it, or even notice it, is a part of us and what we might do in this world. I suppose I should have said it when you all were living, but I didn't. So now Aunt Sylvia, Aunt Myrta, Aunt Pat, Aunt Lizzie, and Aunt Mattie, there is so much about death I don't understand, but I do believe that you all in some way can hear me, when I say, Thank you for all you have meant to me. Thank you for being my Aunts. Thank you for your lives.

Written By: Jack Murray White

## Classifieds & Legals

**OPPORTUNITY**

Opening: Coordinator for Aging Program, responsibility for coordination of all Title III projects conducted in 10 counties of Region "R."

This resale is made subject to the confirmation of the Court. This is the 13th day of July, 1976. Joseph J. Flythe, Commissioner July 22, 29, 76

**Special Qualifications:** Minimum BS degree preferably in Behavioral Sciences. Ability to plan, organize and work effectively with people. Equal Opportunity Employer.

Contact: Naomi C. Hester, Albemarle Aging Unit, 100 E. Queen Street, ARPDC Annex, Edenton, NC. Phone: 482-8437. Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**LOST:** Ladies' eyeglasses, Brass metal fms, phtology lens, aviator style. Call 426-7994. Small Reward offered.

**FOR SALE — 1973 Chevrolet C-10 1/2 ton Pick-Up, 6 Cyl. Low mileage. One owner. Call 426-5670 after 6 p.m.**

**WANTED MAN OR WOMAN FULL OR PART TIME (HUSBAND & WIFE TEAMS INVITED)**

to service and collect money from U.S. Postage Stamp Machines in your area. All accounts established for you. No experience needed. REQUIREMENTS: Car, references, 10 hrs. minimum per week, & CASH INVESTMENT FROM \$1,950 to \$5,198. For interview or information write U.S. Postage Stamp Machine Distributing Co., Inc. 1409 East Blvd., Suite 106, Charlotte, N.C. 28203, or call 704-377-6359.

**CARD OF THANKS**

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the friends, neighbors, and relatives who remembered me with cards, visits, flowers and phone calls while I was a patient in the hospital and since my return home. Each kind gesture is greatly appreciated.

Thomas Harrell

**NOTICE OF RESALE OF LAND IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION FILE NO. 75SP24**

**NORTH CAROLINA PERQUIMANS COUNTY IN RE: JOSEPH J. FLYTHE, ANCILLARY ADMINISTRATOR C.T.A. OF THE ESTATE OF BESSIE ALEXANDER, ET AL'S**

Under and by virtue of an Order of Resale by the Superior Court of Perquimans County, made in the above entitled special proceeding, the undersigned Commissioner will on the 30th day of July, 1976, at 11:00 a.m., at the courthouse door in Hertford, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash upon an opening bid of \$2,545.00, that certain tract of land lying and being in Bethel Township, Perquimans County, North Carolina, and described as follows: Bounded on the West by State Road No. 1340, on the South by the lands of Charles Ward; on the East by the lands of J.T. McDonald; and on the North by the lands of Lillian M. Alexander, and containing 14.36 acres according to survey of Carlyle C. Webb, dated March 22, 1976, recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Superior Court of Perquimans County.

But this sale shall be made subject to county taxes for 1975 and thereafter.

A deposit of 10 per cent of the bid shall be required as evidence of good faith.

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of William F. Madro, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Route 1, Hertford, N.C. on or before the 15th day of January 1977 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 9th day of July 1976  
Pauline B. Madro  
Executrix  
July 15, 22, 29, August 5

**WE'VE MOVED!**

**Hilda's Florist**

has now moved from Grubb St. Hertford to Old Neck Road to be operated in the home of Mrs. Ruth Matthews.

**PHONE: 426-5851**

"Flowers & arrangements for every occasion"

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**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Benjamin Ricks, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at 300 Kramer Building Elizabeth City, N.C. on or before the 31st day of December 1976 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 25th day of June 1976  
Dorcas K. White,  
Executrix  
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July 1-8-15-22-76

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July 1-8-15-22-76

Please make immediate payment. This 22nd day of June 1976  
Robert B. Lantry  
Administrator of Benjamin Ricks, Dec'd.  
July 1-8-15-22-76

**HARRIS SHOPPING CENTER**  
STORE HOURS 9 A.M.-9 P.M. SUN. 1-6 P.M.

**SCOTTIE DISCOUNT CENTER**  
"FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY"

**RIGHT GUARD** ROLL ON DEODORANT 75¢  
1 1/2 OZ. LIMIT 2

**CHARCOAL FILTERS 2 FOR 1.00**

**BAYER ASPIRIN** 200 TABLETS 163¢  
LIMIT TWO

**BAYER TIMED-RELEASE ASPIRIN** 100¢  
LIMIT TWO

**AIM TOOTH PASTE** 7.0Z 93¢  
LIMIT TWO

**AIM FLUORIDE TOOTH PASTE** 7.0Z 93¢  
LIMIT TWO

**PEPSODENT TOOTH PASTE** 7.0Z 93¢  
LIMIT TWO

**SURE SUPER DRY DEODORANT** REG. UNSC 79¢  
5 OZ. LIMIT 2

**PEPTO BISMOL** FOR UPSET STOMACH 125¢  
12 OZ. LIMIT TWO

**TAME CREME RINSE** REG. LEMON W. COND. EX. BODY 87¢  
8 OZ. LIMIT 2

**NEW LISTER MINT MOUTHWASH & GARGLE** 89¢  
12 OZ. LIMIT 2

**SINEX NASAL SPRAY** 93¢  
1/2 oz. Limit 2

**ADORN HAIR SPRAY** Reg.-Super Ultra-Hold Unsc. 139¢  
13 oz. Limit 2

**FIRM & FREE HAIR SPRAY** Non-Aerosol Super Hold Unsc. 135¢  
8 oz. Limit 2

**SOFT & DRI DEODORANT** Reg.-Powder Super Unsc. 109¢  
8 oz. Limit 2

**VANQUISH** The extra-strength pain formula with gentle buffers 59¢  
Extra Strength 10's LIMIT 2

**MIDOL** 12's 41¢  
30's 89¢  
LIMIT TWO

**TONI** PERMANENT REG. SUPER GENTLE 153¢  
LIMIT TWO

**STAYFREE** MAXI PADS 149¢  
30's LIMIT 2

**RAID** HOUSE & GARDEN BUG KILLER 143¢  
11 OZ. LIMIT 2

**RIGHT GUARD** DEODORANT POWDER OR ANTI-PERSPIRANT 159¢  
LIMIT TWO

**EARTH BORN** SHAMPOO & FRAGRANCES 135¢  
11 OZ. LIMIT TWO

**EARTH BORN** BABY SHAMPOO 59¢  
4 OZ. LIMIT 2

**SCOPE** MOUTHWASH 112¢  
18 oz. Limit 2

**TAME** CREME RINSE Reg.-Lemon W. Body 125¢  
16 oz. Limit 2

**Head & Shoulders** SHAMPOO 7 oz. Tube 175¢  
11 oz. Tube  
Limit 2

**LISTERINE** ANTISEPTIC MOUTHWASH 53¢  
7 oz. Limit 2