

Taking a look backward

MARCH 1940
By VIRGINIA WHITE
TRANSEAU

TO CIRCULATE FIVE THOUSAND BOOKS COST LIBRARY \$13.85: To circulate more than 5,000

books throughout the county for two months and over more than 1,600 miles, the county library board itself was put to the expense of only \$13.85 according to a statement from Miss Mae Wood Winslow. The method

of circulation was by the way of the WPA Bookmobile working in cooperation with the State Library Commission. The traveling Bookmobile will be brought back to the county again according to Granberry Tucker, member of the library board.

Forty year-old system nominating commissioners changed by assembly: Following the coming election, each individual township in Perquimans County will be represented in the Board of County Commissioners. An act to provide for the nomination and election of the County Commissioners of Perquimans adopted by the last General Assembly changes the procedure that made it possible since the year 1900 to elect the county's whole governmental body from one township alone.

Recreation pier begins to take definite shape: The recreation pier at the foot of Grubb Street has reached a

point two hundred feet or more out in the river. The floor of the pier, for a distance of approximately 75 feet, is yet to be laid. The site of the pavilion is already floored, and the bath houses at the shore end are beginning to take the shape of buildings. A concrete bulkhead rises at the shore end and the walkway has been constructed all the distance out to the pavilion. WPA labor and a Federal grant of more than \$5,000 are building the recreation pier.

Birth announcement: Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Mathews wish to announce the birth of a daughter, Catherine Alice, on Monday, March 4, 1940.

Hazel Mayes Weds Mickey Hooper: A wedding of interest took place in the Hertford Baptist Church Wednesday morning when Miss Hazel Jeanette Mayes of Hertford and Julian Aydlett Hooper of Elizabeth City were married at 11 o'clock by the Rev. J.F. Stegall.

VISIT HERE Mr. and Mrs. Doug Benton and children, Melanie and Trevor, of Raleigh, N.C. visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Benton on Sunday.



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RECEIVES ASSISTANCE - A donation from The Albemarle Ladies Les Beau Cheveaux will provide medical assistance to this young Muscular Dystrophy patient, Garrett Mitchell of Elizabeth City.

Donations made

A check for \$50 has been donated to a Muscular Dystrophy patient by The Albemarle Professional Ladies Les Beau Cheveaux, Chapter 73, Beautification Club of Edenton.

The club's donation will help with medical expenses for Garrett Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eunice Mitchell of Rt. 1, Elizabeth City.

Grants offered

April 1 is the application deadline for organizations seeking financial support from the N.C. Arts Council for certain arts programs, according to Mary Regan, executive director of the Council, a section of the Department of Cultural Resources.

The April deadline applies to the categories of local government challenge grants, salary assistance grants, grants for small presses and publications, and general grants.

The local government challenge grant program helps insure a strong funding base for community arts programs, said Ms. Regan. The Arts Council has traditionally given this program a high priority in its funding formulas, she continued.

Through the 1978-79 program, city and county governments will again be able to double the resources they provide for the arts in their communities. Grants will be available in amounts up to \$5,000.

Salary assistance grants are awarded to local arts organizations for the purpose of establishing permanent administrative positions. These grants are based on a three-year sliding scale. A grant may be a maximum of \$8,000.

Grants for small presses and literary magazines support the publication of work by North Carolina writers. These grants are intended to supplement the budgets of continuing, non-profit literary publishing endeavors of statewide or regional significance, according to Ms. Regan. Each of these grants is usually less than \$3,000.

General grants are awarded for a variety of projects in the areas of architecture, arts administration, crafts, dance, drama, literature, multi-arts, music, photography, film-public media and the visual arts. A general grant is usually less than \$5,000.

The money for Arts Council grants comes from state legislative appropriations and the National Endowment for the Arts, a federal agency.

All grant requests submitted at the April 1

Musicals at PCGS

In commemoration of National Music Week, the fourth grade students of Perquimans Central Grammar School will present two patriotic musicals on Thursday, March 9 at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. The musical presentations are "When I See the Flag" and "I Like the Sound of America." These musicals are complete with Uncle Sam, Betsy Ross, the Minutemen, Pioneers, Indians, and other characters depicting the history of early America.

"I See the Flag" is about liberty and freedom. The public is cordially invited to attend the performance.

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Lunch menus for March 13-17

The following are the Perquimans County School lunch menus for the week of March 13-17:

HERTFORD GRAMMAR PERQUIMANS CENTRAL PERQUIMANS UNION

Mon. March 13
Beef-A-Roni
String Beans
Cornbread
Peach Pie
Milk

Tues. March 14
Baked Beans
Grilled Cheese Sandwich
Slaw
Rice Pudding
Milk

Wed. March 15
Lasagna
Tossed Salad
Cornbread
Baked Dessert
Milk

Thurs. March 16
Ham
Cabbage and Beets
Potatoes

Cornbread
Milk

Fri. March 17
Hamburger on Bun
French Fries
Lettuce & Tomato
Pears
Milk

PERQUIMANS HIGH
Mon. March 13
Pizza OR Beef-A-Roni
String Beans
Buttered Corn
Cornbread
Sliced Peaches
Milk

Tues. March 14
Grilled Cheese Sandwich
OR Battered Fried Fish
French Fries
Cole Slaw
Cornbread
Baked Beans
Rice Pudding
Milk

Wed. March 15
Lasagna OR
Hot Dog on Roll
Tossed Salad
Garden Peas
Applesauce
Baked Dessert
Milk

Thurs. March 16
Ham OR
Country Style Steak with Gravy
Steamed Cabbage
Whipped Potatoes
Mixed Fruit
Hot Rolls
Milk

Fri. March 17
Bamburger on Bun OR
Hoagie Sandwich
French Fries
Lettuce & Tomato
Sliced Pears
Milk

ATTEND MEETING
Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Dillon attended the North Carolina Shell Club meeting at the Ramada Inn, Nags Head, during the past weekend.

PANCAKE VARIETY
Small amounts of leftover corn can be added to pancake batter for variety.

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deadline should be for projects that are planned for July 1, 1978 through June 30, 1979.

Grant applications and further information about any grant program may be obtained from the Grants Office of the N.C. Arts Council, Department of Cultural Resources, Raleigh, N.C. 27611.

Conference, at High Point College. Miss Boyce, a 1977 graduate of Perquimans High School, is a freshman at the college majoring in Medical Technology. She has been elected Assistant Treasurer of the Sorority.

Joins sorority

Miss Michelle Denise Boyce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Boyce of Rt. 1, Belvidere, has recently been initiated by Gamma Camma Chapter of Kappa Delta Sorority, a member of the National Panhellenic

Library update

By WAYNE HENRITZE
Perquimans County Librarian
Recurring Events
Bookmobile Route: Friday, March 10 - Durants Neck and Woodville areas. Call the library at 426-5319 for times and stops.
Preschooler's Story Hour: Every Friday from 10-11 a.m. for children 3-5 years old.
Nutrition Site Film: Every Wednesday at 11:45 a.m. Indians in Perquimans County

The library has obtained an interesting magazine article dealing with Indians in the Albemarle Sound area. Major and minor tribes and groups are located and traced from the first Roanoke colony to their disappearance as identifiable tribes.

Entitled "An Algonquian Ethnohistory of the Carolina Sound" is a 1944 issue of the *Journal of The Washington Academy of Sciences*, the article mentions a variety of Indian tribes and settlements in the area but reports that the Perquimans Indians were not a tribe, but only some Yeopim Indians living in what is now Perquimans County. A copy of this article can be checked out to anyone interested in the subject.

New Books

Agatha Christie: An Autobiography chronicles the life of the world's most famous mystery writer.

The Dark Goddess by Marvin Albert is a spy novel in which a Presidential advisor's wife is kidnapped by the KGB and the ransom is secret information.

Hunter's Stew and Hangtown Fry: What Pioneer America Ate and Why is an interesting combination of history and cookery.

Imprudent Lady by Joan Smith is a regency novel in which a young lady novelist becomes embroiled with a womanizing male author who is the literary rage of London.

A Killing in Gold by Joe Hensley is a Crime Club Mystery involving a counterfeit collection of old coins and an amateur detective.

A Judgment in Stone by Ruth Rendell is an unusual mystery in which the killer is known from the start and in which the victims ignore clues about the inevitable murders to come.

Silver on the Tree by Susan Cooper is an adult fantasy novel that mixes history, fantasy, and science fiction in a story of dark versus light.

SEARCHING FOR HOME ECONOMISTS

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If you are a home economics graduate or know someone who is, please call Paige L. Underwood at 426-7697 or 426-5315.

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