

Letters From Our Readers:

Editor's Mailbag



Good Samaritans

TO THE EDITOR:
This is my first experience at writing a letter to the editor of a newspaper; but after a heart-rendering experience last Sunday afternoon (May 28) with five Hertford boys, I felt this was indeed the time to take my pen in hand.
Two of us had chaperoned 16 teenage girls to Nags Head for the weekend and were returning to our homes Sunday afternoon. Somewhere in Currituck County, my car stopped and so we sat. Eventhough several people offered help, the car would not start...even when the boys from Hertford were there. They were indeed a "lift" to our otherwise downed spirits; they were so refreshing and we felt safe with them. While they were looking over the motor, the car did start on its own. They insisted on following us until they had to turn off for Hertford. It was such a comfort to have them with us, and we wanted to thank them for being true Samaritans.
As you have probably guessed, we do not know their names, but hope that this letter may somehow find its way to them. They are certainly a credit to the younger generation.

SARA BRANCH
MAE COX
Roanoke Rapids, N.C.

Congress should...

TO THE EDITOR:
To provide for the common defense and general welfare of "We The People," our elected employees in our Congress should:
Establish an Education Department and ratify the gen-cide treaty...Because the Old Testament is reliable history and the New Testament is our guiding light, the quality leadership of our President helps each of us do our share to provide for our common defense and general welfare.
Require the bottom line of each pay schedule to be that amount which will enable the lowest paid employee to pay net income taxes...because our free (responsible) enterprise economy should enable us to operate our Republic with a budget surplus, more jobs, more incentive to the competent, less infalation and more self respect.
Limit the terms (years) any one of us may serve in any one position...because eternal vigilance is the price of liberty and the problems in our future are inherent in the solutions in our present.
An example is the best measure of our integrity quotient. And the first step to self respect is registering to vote.

HUGH D. DUDLEY
1009 Martindale Dr.
Fayetteville, N.C.

P.S. In 1987, those of us with incomes of \$40,000 and \$100,000 will pay the same, a little more than \$3,000 in social security taxes. Who rides in the welfare limousine?

COA offers local courses

Four adult interest courses will be offered at varying times for a total of nine classes by the Continuing Education Department at College of the Albemarle in Perquimans County this summer.
The first, Sewing, began June 5 and meets from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. at Wynne Fork Courts. It is being taught by Eva Hurdle.
The most ambitious class scheduling will be undertaken by Jo Elaine Dixon, who will teach five Ceramics classes at J-Dee's Ceramics in Hertford. Two morning classes, from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m.,

are included among these. Three evening classes will meet from 7:30 until 10:30. Evening classes started June 5; morning and evening classes got underway June 6; and another set of morning and evening classes will begin today, June 8.
Rev. William Martin is providing a choice of either morning or evening classes for his Religion course. The night class meets from 7-10 each Tuesday at Perquimans County High School Occupational Building and began on June 6. The daytime class will be

Two local students are among ORU graduates

Two local students graduated from Oral Roberts University this Spring. Glenn Alan Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Phillips, graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree in French, and Barry L. Lane, son of Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Lane, graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Religious Education.
Phillips is a member of

the class of 1974 from Perquimans County High School. During his career at ORU he received the French Award (1978) and graduated summa cum laude.
Lane is also a member of the class of 1974 from P.C.H.S. During his career at ORU he was active in the following stage productions: "Devil and Daniel Webster," "Brigadoon," and "My Fair Lady."

INCENTIVE
Install low hooks, rods, drawers or open shelving to encourage children to put away their own clothes.

SAVES CLEAN-UP
Use a plastic cloth or mat under a small child's eating area to save clean-up time.

STORAGE IDEA
Organize newspapers and manazines by neatly storing them in a basket or wire rack.

Oral Roberts University is a fully-accredited arts and sciences institution recognized as having one of the fastest-rising academic programs in the nation. Degrees are offered in 29 fields on the undergraduate level, with graduate programs including master's degrees in business administration, theology, and divinity. Medical and dental schools are scheduled for this fall, with schools of law, education, and graduate nursing to open by 1980. The City of Faith Medical and Research Complex, a \$250-

Taking a look backward

JUNE 1940
By VIRGINIA WHITE
TRANSEAU

BATHING PAVILION PROVING POPULAR WITH YOUNGSTERS: The new municipal bathing pier, not yet completely outfitted with electric lights and showers and dressing rooms, is proving very popular with the youngsters. The diving

platform, mounted on piles in twelve feet from the river-end of the pier, is also drawing its share of attention. There are no spring boards on the diving platform. Workmen Tuesday were finishing interior paint jobs on the locker rooms, shower rooms and bath houses. Youngsters bathing at the second level, in about four and a half feet of water,

said Monday that the bottom of the south side of the boardwalk was only slightly muddy, but that the north side at the same level is extremely muddy. At the first level, less than two feet, the bottom is all sand, which makes it more desirable bathing spot for the young children, those too small to swim.

MARIE ANDERSON IS NAMED QUEEN FOR POTATO FESTIVAL: Four strangers, guests at the Hotel Hertford, were hard-pressed to reach a decision Monday night at the State Theatre that finally resulted in the selection of blond Marie Anderson to represent Perquimans County at the Potato Festival in Elizabeth City yesterday. Twenty samples of young feminine beauty were paraded across the stage before each of the four judges selected a favorite; four beauties were selected from the total in the first elimination. Called back for a second viewing were the winner, Miss Anderson, Sybil Layden, Mary Thad Chappell and Ruth Hollowell. Miss Anderson was selected Perquimans County Queen to ride on

the float with the queens from other counties in the Albemarle. Among those in the contest were: Mary Wood Koonce, Katherine Jessup, Margaret Whedbee, Margaret Mayes, Wally Cobb Mayes, Nancy Darden, Florence Darden, Cleo Trueblood, Minnie Wilma Wood, Helen Mae White, Jean White, Mary Thad Chappell, Marie Anderson, Ruth Hollowell, Sybil Layden, Geneva White, Marian Phelps, Annie Mae Matthews, Hazel Madre and Janet Murray.

FARMERS SELLING CABBAGE TO SCC: A number of Perquimans County farmers are selling cabbages to the Surplus Commodities Corporation at the receiving station in Elizabeth City and getting 45 cents a basket for them, L.W. Anderson, county agent, said Tuesday. The baskets at this price are containing one and a half bushels and not less than 61 pounds to the basket. The cabbages should not weigh less than one and a half pounds per head, he said, and there should not be more than four flat leaves to the cabbage.

Inducted in ECU honor society

GREENVILLE — Eighty-three students and alumni of the East Carolina University School of Education have been initiated into ECU's Eta Chi chapter of Kappa Delta Pi honor society in education.

Rebecca Hurdle of Rt. 2 Hertford was among those initiated.

Among the new members are residents of 34 North Carolina counties and three other states. They formally accepted membership in recent campus ceremonies.

The chapter's membership also installed its new

officers for the 1978-79 academic year. All are recent graduates of ECU School of Education.

New president is Frieda Sanders Bunn of Spring Hope, and Mary Daughtridge of Dunn is vice president.

John Maye of Greenville is the chapter's new secretary, and William Bryan of Newport is historian/reporter.

The purpose of Kappa Delta Pi is to promote the education profession and to reward excellence among educators. Its membership includes students, faculty members and practicing teachers.

On Dean's List

WILSON — Some 363 Atlantic Christian College students earned places on the Dean's List for academic achievement during the Spring semester of the current academic year, according to Dr. Kenneth St. John, acting dean of the college.

To earn places on the Dean's List students must achieve at least a 3.20 (B-plus) grade average for the semester while carry-

ing a minimum of 12 semester hours. Brenda K. Layden of Belvidere was among those students earning Dean's List honors.

Appreciation supper set

The three Ruritan Clubs of Perquimans County will be hosting an appreciation supper for all firemen in the county on June 15 at Perquimans High School. The supper begins at 7 p.m.

Any fireman in the county that has not been contacted concerning the supper should contact one of the following people by Saturday, June 10: Fenton Eure, Charles Ward, James Harrell, Donald Madre, Willard Copeland, or Thomas Nixon.

The supper is being sponsored by the Durants Neck, Parkville, and Bethel Ruritan Clubs. Members expressed a desire to have as many county firemen as possible in attendance.

Driver's education offered

Perquimans High School's Driver Education Supervisor, W.G. "Pete" Hunter, announces that those interested in taking driver education during the summer should meet at the high school on Monday, June 26 at 11 a.m.

All students must be at least 14 and a half years of age and must have their birth certificate with them that day.

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ANNIVERSARY PARTY
A surprise 30th Wedding Anniversary lawn party was held Sunday afternoon for Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Rose, Jr. given by their children, Mr. and Mrs. Kim Rose and Mr. and Mrs. John Gillikin.

SALAD CREATION

The perfect salad for fish or game is easily created. Arrange alternate slices of peeled oranges and onions, cut wafer-thin on lettuce. French dressing adds the final touch.



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Says

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Alert family to tick bites

If you think you have a virus this summer, and you suffer from chills, fever, vomiting, headache, and muscle pain, be certain you are not suffering from an occasionally fatal case of Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever.

line, or apply the hot end of a blown-out but still hot match to its underside.

Spotted Fever is carried by the dog and wood tick. So, Mom and Dad, be alert. Check your children often for tiny ticks. If you find one firmly attached, don't jerk it off tearing the skin, but freeze, smother with vase-

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