



Fireman retires

Emmett Landing, left, of Hertford, retired after 30 years as a firefighter with the Hertford Fire Department. The department held a banquet in his honor last Thursday at the fire station.



Diane Reeve, left, project manager at the county Health Department's pre-natal clinic, receives a check representing \$25 in supplies for the pre-natal clinic from Cathy Liles-Moody, center, Hertford Business and Professional Women's Club vice president, and Janice Boyce, BPW treasurer. The BPW Club, a group founded to elevate the standards of women in business and promote educational, literary, scientific and charitable activities, donated \$2,048.70 last year to several of such local organizations.

White promoted at Peoples

Peoples Bank & Trust Co. recently announced the promotion of Vivian D. White to Assistant Vice President in the bank's Hertford office.

A Perquimans County native, she is a graduate of Perquimans County High School and is presently enrolled in the College of the Albemarle, where she is majoring in accounting. She has also completed the Dale Carnegie Course.

White has been associated with Peoples Bank since May of 1973, working primarily in the commercial loan department. She is a member of the Hertford Business & Professional Women's Club. Also, White is a

Director of the Executive Board and Treasurer of the Perquimans County Restoration Association.

She and her husband, J. Richard White of Belvidere, have one son, Ryan, age three.

Now you know

Brussels sprouts are really an ancient vegetable that originated in northern Europe in the 1500s.

Eggs darken aluminum, so it's a good idea not to beat egg whites in an aluminum bowl.



Perquimans High School Principal William Byrum, right, recently receives a check for \$2,000 from PCHS Athletic Boosters President Richard Bryant, to be used for the school's athletic fund. The Boosters raised the money through the sale of football programs and a barbecue supper last fall.

Area obituaries

DARDEN
SUFFOLK, VA — Vergie Mae Darden, 55, of 337 Holiday Street, died Monday in her home.

A native of Nansemond County, she was the widow of Claude Percy Darden, Sr. She was a member of the Sixth Street Baptist Church and its senior choir.

Survivors include a stepdaughter, Mary Stevenson of Newport News, Va.; two stepsons, Claude P. Darden, Jr. of Courtland, Va., and Guy Darden of Greenville, SC; two sisters, Odell P. Sykes of Suffolk, Va. and Veredell McClenney of Hertford; and a brother Willie Porter of Suffolk, Va.

A funeral was held at noon Saturday in Sixth Street Baptist Church by the Rev. James Washington. Burial followed in Oak Grove Cemetery in

Southampton County, with Crocker Funeral Home in charge.

BELL
EDENTON — Frank Watson "Sunk" Bell, 83, of Route 3, died Monday in his home.

A native of Chowan County, he was the son of the late Joseph H. and Mrs. Lilla Taylor Bell and the husband of the late Mrs. Margaret Miller Bell. He was the retired owner of Bell's Tackle Shop.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Ruth Pulchrano of Woodville, and three nieces.

A funeral was held at 3 p.m. Wednesday in Williford-Barham Funeral Chapel by Dr. John Allen. Burial followed in Beaver Hill Cemetery.

BUNCH
EDENTON — Mrs. Harriett Callie Goodwin Bunch, 74, of 804 Johnston Street, Edenton, died Friday in Chowan Hospital. She was a native of Chowan county and was the daughter of the late Johnnie and Mrs. Leora Privott Goodwin and the wife of Joseph A. Bunch. She was a homemaker and a member of the Edenton United Methodist Church.

Survivors include one son, Joseph L. Bunch of Kansas City, MO; two daughters, Mrs. Lessie Ruth Hutchcroft of Kansas City, MO and Mrs. Mary Barrow of Edenton; one brother, Raymond I. Goodwin of Sunbury; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sunday in the Williford-Barham Funeral Chapel by Rev. Richard Blankenhorn and Dr. John Allen. Burial followed in Beaver Hill Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Billy White, Billy Spruill, Billy Stallings, Bob Brooks, William White and Chuck Westbrook.

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Local briefs

PCHS Band Boosters meet

At the mostly meeting of the Perquimans County High School Band Boosters, the theme of this year's Band Day was set as "Carolina Moon".

Competition for the festival will be held May 8th at the high school for Concert and Jazz Bands.

Activities will also be held on the high school grounds and at the Perquimans County Horse and Pony Club Show Ring.

There will be a bake sale, many games, and plenty of entertainment and food scheduled for the day.

Photography class slated

A beginning photography class will be taught, free of charge through the community schools, for 4-8 grade students of Perquimans County by Val Short. Classes will begin Wednesday March 3 at 3:30 in the King Street Vocational Center.

Basic photo techniques, camera

handeling, composition, and flash photography will be among the topics covered.

Students must have access to a 35mm or instamatic camera. A limited number of students will be accepted. Call to reserve your spot, 426-8476.

County Democrats to meet

Estelle Felton, Perquimans County Chairman of the Perquimans County Democratic Party, announces a democratic call meeting will be held Thursday night, February 25 at 7:30 p.m. at the Perquimans County Courthouse.

Precinct meetings are scheduled statewide for Thursday, March 11, at

8 p.m. The make-up date, in the event of severely inclement weather or failure to assemble a quorum of ten (10) Democrats is Thursday, March 18th, at the same time and place. Meetings are usually held in each precinct at the polling place.

Also, county conventions will be held on Saturday, April 3 at 1 p.m.

Band Boosters hold chicken fry

The second annual Band Benefit Chicken Fry will be held on March 5th, from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m. the price of the plate will be \$3.50. Each plate will consist of a half fried chicken, potato salad, string beans and a roll.

You may eat in the Perquimans High School Cafeteria or have your plates brought to your car in the circle

by the cafeteria.

Baked goods and ice tea will be on sale too. Tickets may be purchased from any High School band member or at the door.

Please come on out to support this excellent Band in their effort to make their Spring trip a success.

Patchwork course scheduled

The Community Schools program will hold a free patchwork-by-hand class for beginners for five weeks beginning March 1 at the Perquimans County Extension Office.

The teacher will be Caroline Pratt of Colrain, who teaches at the Roanoke Technical Institute. The class will be held from 9 a.m. to noon for five Mondays beginning March 1. Among other things, Pratt will

teach methods of using scrap material to make patchwork quilts, and to enlarge graphs.

Students must bring to class a pair of scissors, pins, and scraps of material. Class size is limited and students must preregister. To preregister, call Gladys Hall at the Board of Education Office, 426-5741, or Mary White, 426-8471.

Young Democrats elect officers

The Perquimans County Young Democrats met Tuesday, February 16 at the Olive Branch Restaurant. The Democrats elected officers which are: Douglas Layden — President, Alverta Hurdle — Vice President, Shelia Leigh — Secretary, and LuAnn

Chappell — Treasurer.

It was decided that the Democrats be responsible for getting people to register and vote.

The next meeting will be held March 2 at 7 p.m. at the Courthouse.

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