

# People briefs

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Dillon attended the World's Fair several days last week. They were accompanied there by their daughter, Jan, who lives in Durham. The Dillon family held a reunion during the same period.

Royce Vickers of Virginia Beach spent several days last week with his mother, Mrs. Ellie Vickers.

Mrs. Roy Harris and children of Winston-Salem and Mrs. Melvin Wright of Elizabeth City were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kanoy on Wednesday.

Mrs. Anna Parker and Miss Mary Outland of Woodland were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Ward.

Mrs. W.E. Shawn, Sr. of Alexandria, Va. is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Max Campbell.

Mrs. Cleo Whitley and Mrs. Beulah Gurganus of Williamston were weekend guests of Mrs. Dick Brewer.

Mrs. Tony Celibrezze and children of Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. Charles Godwin, Jr., Mrs. Donald Mills and children of Williamston, and Mrs. Dennis Holliday of Scotland Neck were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Winslow and Miss Thelma Elliott on Thursday last week.

Mr. Julian White and Miss Sue White have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Julian White, Jr. at Bel Air, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Grayson Inman of Chesapeake, Va. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Britt for several days last week.

Mrs. Karl Weideman and sons of Clearwater, Fla. are guests of Mrs. H.C. Stokes.

Megan, Blair and Bev Tucker, Jr.

of Henderson spent last week with their grandmother, Mrs. G.R. Tucker.

Mrs. John Coston was an overnight guest of relatives at Mayesville on Sunday last week.

Joe Pickhardt and friend of Miami, Fla. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Bagley last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Winslow, Miss Sarah Winslow, and Miss Thelma Elliott were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Godwin, Jr. at Williamston on Sunday.

Billy Wooton spent last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Wooton in Farmville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Britt spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Saint Clair Basnight at Nags Head.

Mrs. Fred Irons and children of Chapel Hill spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Charles Harrell.

Mrs. Jackie Bowles of Norfolk, Va. was a weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.F. Williams, III.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Britt of Houston, Texas are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Britt.

Mrs. George Clarke, Miss Marian Clarke, of Petersburg and John Morris of High Point were guests of Mrs. J.E. Morris last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wetzel and children of Richmond, Va. were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Newby.

Mrs. Andrew Toxey and Jay Toxey of Fort Lauderdale, Fla. were guests of Mrs. Trim Wilson on Wednesday.

Mrs. W.M. Moore of Fayetteville, N.C. recently spent the day with

Nettie Lee Wilcox.

Mrs. Jim Presley and children of Raleigh spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Ainsley.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Thach and son, Lee, and Mrs. Phillip Thach attended the Beckwith family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beckwith in Raleigh last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Stallings and Mr. and Mrs. Julian Matthews have returned from a trip to the Pennsylvania Dutch Country.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Niver of Southern Pines spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stokes.

Miss Martha McNeill of Rocky Mount was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Thach during the weekend.

Mrs. Hazel B. Matthews spent last weekend in Durham with Dr. and Mrs. H.B. Matthews, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Nixon of Virginia Beach, Va. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Nixon and Mrs. Addie Keegan on Sunday.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

Allen Winslow, H.C. Sullivan and R.S. Monds are patients in Leigh Memorial Hospital in Norfolk. Jack Symons is a patient in Norfolk General Hospital.

Mrs. Claude Brinn and Mrs. Wesley Nelson have returned home from Leigh Memorial Hospital. Mrs. J.T. Biggers and Lloyd Lane have returned home from Norfolk General. Mrs. Edgar Lane has returned home from Albemarle Hospital. Mrs. LaClaire Rogerson has returned home from Pitt Memorial Hospital.

# District conservationists hold annual meeting

The Albemarle Conservation District and the Albemarle Resource Conservation Development Committee held their annual joint meeting last Tuesday at the Soundview Restaurant.

Several local members and guests attended the meeting followed by a tour.

One of the first stops on the tour was at the Tidewater Research Station in Plymouth. There the guests saw some new water management techniques.

There were drainage systems that also served for irrigation. The water was held back in drainage canals for irrigation and released when drainage was needed.

Underground drain tile was used in the fields for both drainage and irrigation.

Dr. Wayne Skaggs of NCSU is researching these techniques. He has also found that retaining water in the ditches helps reduce nitrogen content in the water.

This will improve the quality of released water.

Wayne Nixon, a graduate student at NCSU, showed his plots on no-till soybeans. Nixon is doing research on burning wheat straw versus not burning.

He is also looking at nitrogen response to the soybeans. Nixon said

that one of the most important advantages of leaving wheat straw on the land is that of moisture conservation.

The average temperature under soybeans with wheat straw can be 10 degrees cooler than without straw.

Leaving the wheat straw also adds organic matter back to the soil. Wayne is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nixon of Perquimans County.

The tour also stopped at roper

School where the group saw a drainage measure through the Resource Conservation and Development (RC&D) Program.

The drainage around the school site was funded about 85 percent federally and 15 percent locally. A similar proposal has been made for Union School in Winfall.

This annual tour is designed to show local officials and the general public some of the work available through the Conservation District and the Resource Development Committee.

# Monds family holds their annual reunion

On June 26 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Sutton (Laura Monds) of Rt. 3, Hertford, the following children of the late Thomas and Annie Monds attended a family reunion:

Martha Trueblood, Margaret Butt, Mary Carter, Grace Leffler, Laura Sutton and Joseph Clinton Monds.

Martha Trueblood now resides in Brandenton, Fla.

Margaret Butt and husband Ike,

Rt. 3, Hertford, their son Thomas, wife Mary Raper Butt, grandchildren Tommy with wife Shelia, great-grandchildren Matt and twins Mary Beth and Sarah; Phyllis and husband Tommy with great-grandchildren Ike and Jennifer; granddaughter Ann Butt; their daughter Shirley with husband Pete Spivey. Their son Bruce was absent.

Mary Carter now resides in Elizabeth City. her guest was

Haywood Simpson.

Grace Leffler with husband George reside in Brandenton, Fla. Their sons Wayne and Tommy and their wives and twin grandchildren Greg and Missy were absent.

Laura Sutton with Robert and their children: Linda with husband Jim Robertson and grandchildren Dennis and Laurie Anne; Ethel with husband William Wray Chappell and grandchildren Laurence Wray, Perry and Roberta Lynn; Margaret Ann with husband John L. Hill and grandchildren Terry with husband Norman Brown and Robert Edward.

Joseph Clinton Monds resides in Virginia Beach, Va. with wife Sallie

Trueblood Monds. Their children Joe with wife Patsy, grandchildren Scott, Kevin and Sally Jo; their daughter Janice with granddaughter Kelly Jo; Judy with husband Bob Carter and their children, Cathy and husband Bill Lebo and children were absent.

Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Basnight and Kevin's friend Sherry from Virginia Beach; Mr. and Mrs. King George Byrum and Mrs. Liza Hoskins from Tyner; Mr. and Mrs. Carson Monds, Belvidere and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Sutton of Rt. 3, Hertford.

## Senior Center calendar

The following is a list of events to be held during the coming week at the Senior Center located on Grubb Street in Hertford.

- AUGUST**
- 19 — Ceramics 9:30; Bible Study Class 1-3 p.m.; District 1-B Meeting at Knobbs Creek Rec. Dept. 2 p.m.
  - 20 — Blood Pressure Clinic 9 a.m.-12 noon, 2-5 p.m.
  - 25 — Bingo 2-4 p.m.

26 Ceramics 9:30 a.m.; Bible Study Class 1-3 p.m.

The College of the Albemarle is sponsoring a crochet class. Register August 25-September 20 at the Senior Center.

The cost is \$15 to those under 65 and free for those 65 and over. The class will be held on Mondays beginning September 13 from 1-4 p.m.

The classes will last 11 weeks and will be taught by Doris Toler.

## Reids go on a cruise

Mr. and Mrs. George N. Reid and Mrs. Dora M. Spruill cruised the Caribbean for seven days and nights on board the USS Mardi Gras on a trip sponsored by the General Alumni Association of the Elizabeth City State University.

Special attractions included stops in Cozmel, Mexico; The Grand Cayman and Echo Rios, Jamaica. Shopping tours, sight-seeing trips, shows and parties were also features of the vacation.

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## Service news

Marine Cpl. Bobby G. Johnson, son of William C. and Evelyn M. Johnson of Rt. 1 Box 363A, Hertford, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with 2nd Tank Battalion, Camp Lejeune, N.C.

**CHOWAN ACADEMY OF DANCE  
ENTERS SEVENTH YEAR**  
Aerobic Dance For Ladies  
Classes For Children, Teenagers, and Adults  
Creative Dance For Boys At Ages Four and Five

Registration for Chowan Academy of Dance classes directed by Marsha T. Gordon will be on Tuesday, August 24th from 2:00-6:00 p.m. at the Shepard-Pruden Memorial Library in Edenton.  
The 1982-'83 schedule is as follows:

	<b>MONDAY</b>		<b>Monthly</b>
Ballet 1A	Ages 6-7	4:00-5:00	\$15.00
Jazz 1	Ages 6-7	5:00-5:30	\$12.00
Jazz 1	Ages 11-12	5:30-6:30	\$15.00
Classic Tap/Character Dance	Ages 15-35	7:00-8:00	\$15.00
Aerobics	Six-Week Session	8:00-9:00	
	<b>\$20.00</b>		
	<b>TUESDAY</b>		<b>Monthly</b>
Ladies Jazz Exercise	No age limit	1:30-2:30	
	Ten-Week Session		\$28.00
Creative Dance	Age 4 (Girls)	3:00-3:30	\$12.00
Ballet 1B	Age 7-8	4:00-5:00	\$15.00
Trip 2	Age 7-8	5:00-5:30	\$12.00
Jazz 2	Ages 11, 12, 13, 14	5:30-6:30	\$15.00
	<b>WEDNESDAY</b>		<b>Monthly</b>
Creative Dance (Boys)	Age 4 & 5	3:00-3:30	\$12.00
Ballet 2A	Ages 8-9	4:00-5:00	\$15.00
Trip 3	Ages 8-9, 10	5:00-5:30	\$12.00
Tap/Character Dance	Ages 11, 12, 13, 14	5:30-6:30	\$15.00
Open 6:30-9:00			
	<b>THURSDAY</b>		<b>Monthly</b>
Pre-ballet	Age 5	3:45-4:30	\$13.50
Ballet 2B	Ages 9, 10, 11	4:30-5:30	\$15.00
Open 5:30-6:30			
Teen/Adult Basic Jazz			
Dance	Ages 15-35	7:00-8:00	\$15.00
Aerobics	Six-Week Session	8:00-9:00	
	<b>\$20.00</b>		

Children will be placed on their proper level according to age and amount of dancing experience. Three-year-olds with a fourth birthday before December 1st will be accepted in the Creative Dance class.

Classes will begin on Tuesday, September 7th. A registration fee of \$10.00 per student is required for enrollment with the exception of the Ladies Jazz Exercise class. This fee will not be refunded. A recital performance is scheduled for June, 1983.

For further information concerning dance classes contact Marsha Gordon at 482-8239.

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