

LOCAL NEWS

Local Briefs

New x-ray equipment reduces radiation

Albemarle Hospital's Radiology Department has recently installed new intensifying screens and has changed the type of X-ray film it uses, thus reducing the radiation exposure to the patients by 50 percent.

According to Bob Carson, director of radiology services at Albemarle Hospital, this technology has been available for some time, but

drawbacks existed with respect to loss of detail.

"Recent enhancements enable us to use a super speed X-ray film with no loss of detail" said Carson.

In addition to reducing radiation exposure to patients, maintenance of the x-ray equipment should be less costly, said Carson, because the load placed on the X-ray tube is also reduced by 50 percent.

Spring litter campaign scheduled

RALEIGH — The North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) has scheduled the spring Clean-Up Litter Campaign for April 8-14, 1984.

NCDOT officials are urging all motorists to drive cautiously and be aware of extra pedestrians along the roadside who are participating in the clean up.

State Transportation Secretary William R. Roberson Jr. noted, "The Clean-Up Litter Campaign continues to be an excellent opportunity to involve citizens and focus their attention on our roadside environment."

Roberson added, "With the 400th celebration approaching, this is a good chance to combine our efforts in beautifying North Carolina's roadides before increasing numbers of visitors come to our state for this important event."

Since the inception of the Clean-Up Litter program in 1979, NCDOT, with the help of citizens across the state, has been responsible for removing 53,148 truckloads of litter from nearly 53,148 miles of the state's highways.

Coordinator for the Clean-Up Litter Program for Perquimans County is L. H. Bunch who can be reached at 426-8304.

Cystic Fibrosis Foundation to meet

The North Carolina Chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation will hold its annual state meeting of volunteers and families on Saturday, April 14 at the Sheraton-Crabtree Motor Inn in Raleigh, beginning at

10:00 a.m.

For more information about the annual meeting contact the CFF Chapter state headquarters at 1-800-682-6858.

Lions Club to help tornado victims

John Biggers, Secretary-Treasurer of the Hertford Lions Club, announced that Lions International is sending \$5,000 to help the tornado victims in District 31-J.

The money will be allotted to Hertford, Gates, Bertie and Perquimans County.

He stated that \$700 is being turned over to the Hertford Lions Club to be used in Perquimans County.

A committee of Hertford Lions is in the process of contacting the victims at Snug Harbor to determine their losses and the best way to assist them with funds available.

Area Obituaries

MILLER
Teresa Ann Hibner Miller, 28, of 111-M Hemlock Street (Snug Harbor) died Wednesday evening in her home from injuries sustained when her home was destroyed in a tornado.

A native of Portsmouth, Va. she was the daughter of William Kenneth Hibner, Sr. of Portsmouth, Va. and Mrs. Beulah Fryer Katrobos of Route 2, Edenton and a member of Woodland Heights Baptist Church of Georgetown, Chesapeake, Va.

Besides her parents, survivors include a daughter, Miss Shannon Pearl Hibner Miller of the home; a son, Dennis Ray Miller Jr. of the home; and a brother, William K.

Hibner, Jr. of Virginia Beach, Va. Funeral services were held Saturday at 2:00 p.m. in the chapel of Swindell Funeral Home, Hertford, with Rev. John Stanley officiating. Burial was in Cedarwood Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Jule Fleetwood, Dave Barnes, Jimmy Godwin, Reggie Bisin, Timmy Kane, Doug Pickop, Louis Anderson and David Harrell.

GRISWOLD

Cassandra Lee Griswold, 18, of 322 Stokes Drive, died Sunday morning, March 25, in Chowan Hospital.

A native and lifelong resident of

Hertford, she was a 1983 graduate of Perquimans County High School. She was a student at Elizabeth City State University, majoring in computer science.

She was the daughter of Mrs. Mattie Ruth White Griswold Mebane of the home.

Besides her mother, she is survived by a stepfather, Madison E. Mebane of the home; three sisters, Nena Felton and Sera Jones, both of Hertford, and Geryl Knight of

Brooklyn, N. Y.; four brothers, Petty Officer Menford Griswold and Jeffery Butts, both of Philadelphia, Pa., Senior Airman Quin A. Griswold of West Germany, and Pfc. Joseph E. Griswold of Augusta, Ga.; and a grandmother, Mrs. Neppie Johnson of Winfall.

Funeral services were held Sunday, April 1, at 2 p.m. in St. Paul A. M. E. Zion Church, Hertford by the Rev. W. J. Taylor.

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Counseling is provided on the upkeep and maintenance of the unit, tenant/landlord relationships, etc. Those in need of supportive services will be provided or referred to other agencies.

Follow-up is done once a client is

placed in standard housing to ensure that the property is properly maintained and to find out if other assistance is needed.

For further information, call the local Economic Improvement Council office in your county.

Albemarle Sheep and Goat Assoc. to meet

The Albemarle Sheep and Goat Association will hold its Second Annual Sheep Day Conference on Tuesday, April 10, from 12 noon to 6:00 p.m. at the Albemarle 4-H Livestock Arena in Elizabeth City.

A sponsored lamb lunch will start the afternoon, followed by a demonstration on cutting and preparing a lamb carcass by Dr. Dwain Pilkington of North Carolina

State University.

Following Dr. Pilkington's demonstration, Dr. R. E. Lichtenwalner, area livestock specialist, will discuss marketing problems and opportunities. A Sheep Management Session will also be conducted by area producers and extension personnel.

For further information contact Walker Rayburn at 426-7167.



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