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# **Community news**

## **Phthisic-Pierce** speak vows

Karen Rachel Pierce and Scott Anhony Phthisic were married Saturiay, August 15, at Warwick Baptist in Hobbsville, N.C. Rev. Gene Asbill officated the double ring

reremony. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dewitt Pierce, Jr. of Hobbsville, N.C. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Norene Taylor and the late Millard Taylor of Gates, N.C., 1 Mr. and Mrs. Fahey Byrum of Edenton, N.C. and the late Herman Dewitt Pierce, Sr.

The Groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCoy Phthisic of Tyner, N.C., and Mrs. Annie Mae Tynch and the late Frank Tynch of Belvidere, N.C.

The bride wore a gown of white satin which was heavily embroidered with alecon lace. The fitted bodice with a high victorian neckline was eded in pearl illusion. Juliet sleeves accented the dress and were adorned with alecon lace and schiffli embroidery with buttoned cuffs. Her skirt, a full cathedral length train and the hemline, was finished in wide alecon lace. Her finger tip veil of illusion was enchanced with china roses and sequins.

Maid of Honor was Miss Rosa Lee Pierce, sister of the bride. The Bridemaids were Julie Hendricks of ary, N.C., Miss Amy Perry of Gatesville, N.C., Miss Christy Hill of Hampton, Va., all cousins of the bride and Mrs. Jana Privott Hurdle of Belvidere N.C.

Mistress of ceremonies was Mrs. Carolyn Copeland of Hobbsville, N.C. Best Man was Mr. Robert McCoy Phthisic of Tyner, N.C., father of the groom. Ushers were Mr. Tim Phthisic of Tyner, N.C., brother of the groom, Mr. Paul Ward III of Tyner. C., cousin of the groom, Mr. Warren/Perry of Clenton, N.C., cousin of the bride and Mr. T.W. Hurdle of Belvidere, N.C.

Music was presented by Mrs. Sheila Ward and soloist was Mr. Kenneth Blanchard both of Hobbsville. N.C.

The Flower girl was Miss Virginia White of Hobbsville, N.C.

The Ring Bearer was Master Brannon Mills Taylor, of Eure, N.C.

Program attendants was Miss

Leah Ward of Tyner, N.C. and Miss Donna Harrell of Hobbsville, N.C. The Registering of Guest was Mrs. Mary Ward of Tyner, N.C.

A Reception was held at the church social hall following the wedding ceremony. Reception Director was Mrs. Christine White of Hobbsville, N.C., assisting over the cutting of the cake and pouring of the punch was Mrs. Brenda Perry of Gatesville, N.C.,

Mrs. Nancy Hill of Hampton, Va., Mrs. Sharon Hendricks of Cary, N.C., Mrs. Frances Baker of Hertford, N.C., Mrs. Dorothy Pierce of Norfolk, Va., Mrs. Linda Privott of Hertford, N.C., Mrs. Vickie Taylor of Eure, N.C., and Mrs. Lillie Taylor of Chesapeake, Va.

The registering of Guests for the reception was Mrs. Stephanie English, cousin of the bride from Buckroe, Va.,

After the wedding trip, the newly married couple will reside in Tyner, N.C.

Hobbsville, N.C.

June 26-Candle Light Shower was given by Mrs. Vickie Taylor, Mrs. Cathy Howell and Mrs. Dennis White at the home of Mrs. Vickie Taylor of Eure, N.C.

July 18-Floating Miscellaneous Shower at Warwick Baptist Church Social Hall given by friends.

Pat Ward, Mrs. Zenovah White, Mrs. Norma Bunch and Mrs. Becky Winslow at Snug Harbor, the home of Mrs Pat Ward

Mrs. Mary Ward at her home.

August 1-Miscellaneous Shower was given at Piney Woods Friends Meeting.

honor of Scott and Karen at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.E.R. Perry was given by the brides family

Woods Friends.

land of Hertford, N.C.

**Stokely-Corprew** 

Miss Mary Melissa Corprew and Sheldon White Stokely were married Saturday, August 15 at 7 p.m. in Burgess Baptist Church, Hertford by the Rev. Noah A. Toler.

The bride is the daughter of Mr.& Mrs. Johnny Corprew and the granddaughter of Mrs. Dorothy Barbee and Mrs. Pensie Corpres, all of Hertford. She is also the granddaughter of the late George Barbee and John Corprew. Sr.

The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Virl S. Stokely of Portsmouth, Va. and Mr. & Mrs. Paul Stokely of Hertford. He is the grandson of Mrs. Hatzabeth City, Mr. Virgil Sutton of Michigan and Mrs. Celtic Stokely of Hertford and the late Mr. Murden Stokely. The bride was given in marriage by her father. The bride's dress was made of satin and Venise lace fashioned with a Queen Anne neckline, fitted bodice, modified Elizabethan sleeves, basque waist, and full skirt with tiers of chantilly lace ruffles that extended to a chapel-length train. Her veil of illusion was arranged from a halo of silk lowers and pearls. The maid of honor was Miss Melanie Corprew, sister-of-the bride, Hertford. The bridesmaids were Ms. Shaun Stokely, sister of the groom, Hertford and Miss Abby Corprew, sister of the bride, Hertford. The maid of honor and the flower girl wore aqua tea-length dresses of scallop-edged lace over satin with a Vneck in back, accented by a cummerbund with back bow. The bridemaids wore identical pink dresses.

### COURTESIES

June 20-Kitchen Shower was given by Ms. Martha Hair at her home in

July 19-Cook Out was given by Mrs.

July 26-Luncheon was given by

August 9-BBQ Chicken Supper in

August 14-Rehearsal Supper was given by the grooms family at Piney

August 15-Bridesmaid Brunch at the home of Mrs. Phyllis Young of Belvidere, N.C. and Mrs. Barbara Cope-

The best man was Ernest Stokely,

brother of the groom, Hertford. The ushers were Tim Corprew, brother of the bride, Hertford and Murden Stokely, brother of the groom, Hertford. Miss Nicky Stokely, neice of the

groom, was the flower girl. The Mistress of Ceremony was Mrs. Nancy D. Madre of Hertford.

Music was presented by Mrs. Terry Chappell, organist, Mrs. Amanda Harrell, pianist and Mrs. Marta Price, soloist.

The receiption was held at Church Fellowship Hall. After a wedding trip to Outer

tanks and Williams Va **MRS. SCOTT A. PHTHISIC** 

## **Jennings-Jordan united**

Miss Mary Elizabaeth Jordan and David Bates Jennings were married August 8th at 11:00 in Ghent United Methodist Church by the Rev. Bob Watts

The bride is the daughter of Carroll W. Jordan and Doris G. Jordan of Norfolk, Va.

The bridegroom is the son of John and Dot Jennings of 147 Bay Street, Snug Harbor, Hertford, N.C.

The bride's dress was tea length and made of white satin and lace. The maid of honor was Miss Caro-

lyn Williams, Virginia Beach, Va. The bridemaid was Sally Ann Jor-

### Engagement announced

NARRON-COPELAND

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Narrow announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Sarah Ann Narron, to Mr. Arthur David Copeland.

Mr. Copeland is the son of Minnis Copeland and the late Lillian Copeland.

Miss Narrow is a graduate of Northeastern High School and Roanoke Bible College. She is employed at Stepping Stones of Albemarle Inc.

Mr. Copeland is a graduate of Bridgewater Raynham Regional High School, Mass. He is employed at Atlantic Forests Products, Inc.

The wedding will take place Sept.

### **Historic Edenton** program premiere

A new audio-visual program about Historic Edenton will premiere at the Barker House Visitor Center Monday, August 24. There will be six showings throughout the day. The public is invited to attend, but reser vations are required. There is no charge for the showings, however, because space is limited reservations will be taken only until available seating is filled. "Edenton is a Special Place" is the title of the all new program which will be shown daily at the Barker House to acquaint visitors with the beauty and history of the town. "Many people who stop by the Barker House have never visited Edenton before," states Linda Eure, Site Manager."The new slide program is designed to acquaint them with the town's natural and architectural beauty, its historical significance, and in so doing, to encourage them to spend some time here.'

dan, sister of the bride, Norfolk, Va. The best man was Mike Johnson, brother-in-law of the groom, Rocky Mount, N.C. Ushers were John L. Jennings, Jr., brother of the groom, Goldsboro, N.C. and Carroll Weston Jordan, Jr., brother of the bride, Nor-

folk, Va. Susan Johnson, sister of the bridegroom, was the Mistress of Ceremony.

The reception was held at the Hotel Madison, Norfolk, Va. After a wedding trip to the Smokey Mountains, the couple will make

Ward of Route 2, Hertford, NC announce the birth of their second child, second daughter, Kelli Deanne Ward, born August 13, 1987 in Chowan Hospital, Edenton, NC.

and Mrs. Joyce F. Taylor of Hert-

KELLI D. WARD Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Donald

Look who's new-

Maternal grandparents are Mr.

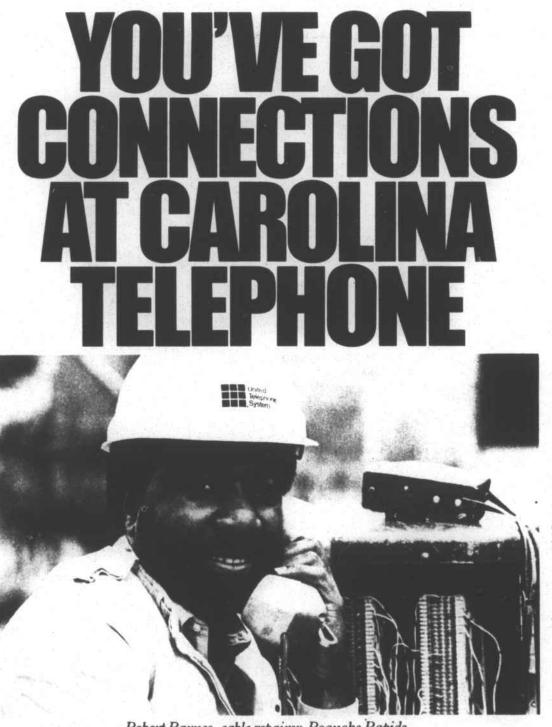
ford, NC and Aubrey N. Sims, Sr. of Richmond, Va.

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Paternal grandparents are Mrs. Emma O. Ward of Orlando, Florida and Howard K. Ward of Hertford. NC.

Mrs. Ward is the former Sharon, Sims of Hertford, NC.







MRS. SHELDON W. STOKELY



couple will live at Rt. 5, Hertford. COURTESIES

A surprise shower was given by friends at N.C. Wesleyan College in May.

On July 18, Mrs. Dorothy Barbee and Mrs. Betsy Little were hostesses at a rice-bagging party at Mrs. Barbee's home.

A floating miscellaneous shower was given by Mrs. Amanda Harrell, Mrs. Susan Winslow, Mrs. Margie Eure and Mrs. Marta Price on July 25 at the home of the bride.

A Bridesmaid's luncheon was hosted by Mrs. Nancy Madre at her home on August 8.

Mr. & Mrs. Bill Flippen, Mr. & Mrs. Douglas Umphlett, Mr. & Mrs. Bill Berry and Mr. & Mrs. Paul Ward honored the couple with a pool-party and cook-out at the Umphlett's home on August 12.

The rehearsal dinner was given by the groom's parents at Angler's Cove on August 14.

The program was written and produced by the Historic Sites Section fo the North Carolina Department of Cultural Resources.

Refreshments will be served at the premiere. Call the Barker House Visitor Center for reservations at 482-2637



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