

# Of local interest

## Area obituaries

**ISAAC H. RIDDICK**  
Belvidere—Isaac H. "Ike" Riddick, 80 of Route 1, Box 125 died Tuesday, December 22 in Albemarle Hospital.

The funeral was conducted Thursday at 2 p.m. in Hobbville Baptist Church by the Revs. Dave Pyatte and Bobby Hewitt. Burial was in the church cemetery. Miller Funeral Home, Gatesville, was in charge of the arrangements.

Mr. Riddick was a native of Gates County and a retired clerk from the Rountree and Riddick Store in Sunbury. He was a member of Hobbville Baptist Church, a deacon, and a member of the adult men's Sunday School class.

Riddick was the son of the late Simon and Mrs. Elizabeth Rountree Riddick.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ethel Bunch Riddick of the home; four daughters, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Bass of Edenton, Mrs. Janie Mitchum of Augusta, Ga., Mrs. Naomi Hunter of Hertford and Mrs. Edith Gloars of Woodbridge, Va.; a son, Paul J. Riddick of Columbia S.C.; 10 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

**JOAN PHELPS ELLIOTT**  
Hertford—Loretta Joan Phelps Elliott, 41, of Route 2, Box 335, Hertford, died Friday, December 25, 1987, in Albemarle Hospital.

A native of Washington County, she was the daughter of the late Raymond and Mildred Clifton Phelps. She was a clerk with Roses in Elizabeth City and a member of Holly Neck Church of Christ in Roper. She attended the Parksville Pentecostal Holiness Church and was a member of Albemarle Hospital Auxiliary.

Survivors include her husband, Thomas Preston Elliott, a son, Thomas Ivie Elliott of the home; a sister, Mrs. Debbie Ringgold of New Bern; two brothers, Raymond Phelps, Jr. and James Phelps, both of Roper.

Funeral services were held Sunday at 3:00 p.m. in the Swindell Funeral Chapel with Rev. Phillip Alligood and Rev. Gene Boyce officiating. Burial followed in Bagley Swamp Community Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Junior Elliott, Ray Cox, David Phelps, Chris Phelps, Mike Phelps and Jarvis Elliott.

Also officiating was Rev. Roger Gauthier.

**CORNELIA THRONEBERRY**  
Virginia Beach—Cornelia Throneberry, 60, of 1121 Leland Circle, Virginia Beach, Va. died December 26, 1987 in a local hospital.

A native of Hertford, N.C. she was the daughter of the late David and Sally Lane of Hertford. She was a member of the Elizabeth River Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Elra Steed Throneberry of Virginia Beach, Va.; one daughter, Thericia Throneberry of Chesapeake, Va.; two sons, Edwin D. Throneberry and Gary W. Throneberry both of Virginia Beach, Va.; two sisters, Gladys Appleman of Dallas, Texas and Laura Micklos of Akron, Ohio; two half sisters and three half brothers and two grandchildren.

Services were conducted by the Rev. J. Michael Wilkins in the Home Indian River Chapel of Virginia Beach on Tuesday at 3 p.m. Burial was in Woodlawn Memorial Gardens.

Hollomon-Brown Funeral Home of Virginia Beach, Va. was in charge of arrangements.

**H. BRAXTON TAYLOR**  
Hertford—Horace Braxton Taylor, 75, of 225 Woodland Circle, Hertford, died Friday, December 25, 1987, in Chowan Hospital.

A native of Davidson County, N.C., he was the son of the late Annie Cogins Taylor and A. L. Taylor, Sr. and the husband of the late Frances Aly Taylor. He was a former resident of Carbondale, Ill. and a retired Heating and Plumbing Contractor. He

## Clinic schedule

The Perquimans Health Department Clinic schedule for January is as follows:  
1st-Holiday, 4th-Prenatal a.m. Family Planning p.m., 5th-8:00 Teen Clinic, 6th-Pediatric Clinic Dr. Slade p.m., 7th-5-7 p.m. Immunization Clinic, 8th-General p.m., 12th-Prena-

tal a.m., General p.m., 13th-Child Health all day, 15th-General Clinic p.m. Wic all day, 18th-Holiday, 20th-Child Health p.m., 21st-Pap Clinic, 22nd-General Clinic p.m., 26th-Prenatal, General Clinic p.m., 28th-Adult Health all day, 29th-General Clinic.

was a Navy veteran of World War II. Survivors include a sister, Mrs. J. T. (Margaret) Lane of Hertford; two brothers, R. G. Taylor of Wadesboro, N.C. and A. L. Taylor, Jr. of Portsmouth, Va.

Memorial services were held Monday at 11:00 a.m. in Eastview Cemetery, Wadesboro. Swindell Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**FRONZY W. LEE, JR.**  
Chesapeake, Va.—Fronzy Willop Lee, Jr., 91, of Chesapeake, Va., died at 2:55 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 24, in Hampton Veterans Hospital, Hampton, Va.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Thomas McPherson, at St. Paul Zion Church in Hertford. Burial was in Cedarwood Cemetery in Hertford. Stallings Memorial Chapel of Hertford was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Lee was a native of Dunn and a deacon of the Lee's Temple Holiness Church in Chesapeake, Va. Lee was a self-employed construction contractor and an Army veteran of World War II.

He was the son of Fronzy and Siliva Q. Lee.

Survivors include his spouse, Mrs. Elva J. Lee of Hertford; two sons, Alvin Lee of Manhattan, N.Y. and Freddie Lee of Hertford; two stepsons, Adolphus Lee of Brooklyn, N.Y. and Clifton Overton of New York, N.Y.; three daughters, Mrs. Callie Faye Miller of Hertford, Elders Willop Blanchard of Hertford, and Miss. Yvonne Lee of Norfolk, Va.; two step-daughters, Mrs. Beatrice Ferguson of Virginia Beach, Va. and Mrs. Janie Mitchell of Hertford; and 40 grandchildren.

**CORTEZ F. WINSLOW**  
Belvidere—Cortez Fitzhugh Winslow, 73, of Rt. 1, Box 302, Belvidere, died Friday, Dec. 25, at Hampton Veterans Hospital, Hampton, Va.

Funeral services were conducted at Stallings Memorial Chapel in Hertford. Burial was followed at Winslow's Family Cemetery in Belvidere. Stallings Memorial Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Winslow was a native of Belvidere and World War II Army Veteran. Wilson was a self-employed auto body repairman. He was a member of the Riddick's Grove Missionary Baptist Church and a Mason.

He was the son of the late John and Crene Felton Winslow. Survivors include three sisters, Miss Chelsie Winslow and Mrs. Katherine Hall, both of Belvidere, and Mrs. Arsula Worrel of Norfolk; and four brothers, the Rev. Alfreda M. Winslow, Arnold Winslow, Merriel Winslow, all of Belvidere and Sterling Winslow of Brooklyn, N.Y.

**ELLIS LYONS**  
Hertford—Ellis Lyons, 82, of 407 Cox St., Hertford, died December 20, 1987 at his home.

The funeral services were held Wednesday, Dec. 23, 1987 in New Haven Missionary Baptist Church, Hertford, the Rev. James I. Lightfoot officiating. Burial was in New Roadside Cemetery, Hertford.

Mr. Lyons was a native of Perquimans County and lived in Hertford. He was a member of the New Haven Missionary Baptist Church, Hertford, its Trustee Board and Choir. He was a member of the Most Worshipful Universal Grand Lodge No. 9 of N.Y. York. He was a retired employee of the Henderson Brothers Construction Co. of Valley Stream, N.Y.

He was the son of the late Jerry Lyons and Mrs. Cora Carter Lyons.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Emma Parsons Lyons of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Rose Willis of Great Neck, N.Y. and Mrs. Gloria Turner of Elmhurst, N.Y.; one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Skinner of Norfolk, Va.; three grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

## Bridges program is accepting applications

College of The Albemarle's Bridges Program is accepting applications for their next cycle through January 11, 1988 from 9:00 a.m. to noon and from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. in room 113 of Building C at the Elizabeth City campus. The 11-week GED preparation, job-seeking and job-

keeping skills course will begin Jan. 18, 1988, and continue through April 1, 1988.

The Bridges Program is funded under the Job Training Partnership Act. For more information, contact College of The Albemarle at 335-0821, ext. 242.



If you have a few ferrets you may officially refer to them as a ferretynp.



Damion Burke, rear, instructs Tim Phelps, front on how to make an ornament.

## Annual 4-H ornament workshops are held

**ANNUAL 4-H ORNAMENT WORKSHOP**  
**4-H'ERS LEARN MAKE SALABLE CRAFTS**

Several local 4-H youth and volunteers conducted our Annual 4-H Christmas Ornament Workshop. This annual workshop is designed to teach youth between the ages of 9-12 salable craft items they can submit for acceptance into the youth section of the Albemarle Craftsmen's Fair. In this workshop, fifteen youth learned to make five different items which are appropriate for sale at local and

area fairs. In the past such workshops have encouraged eight county youth to make and sale items in the Albemarle Craftsmen's Fair which draws a large number of buyers each September. Teachers for this years workshop were Nancy Madre, Extension Homemaker, Emma Burke, 4-H Leader, Leslie Godfrey and Damion Burke, 4-H Club Members and Juanita Bailey, Home Economics Extension Agent who organizes this annual workshop. For more information on this and other workshops call 426-5428.

## Redding selected to study lens implant

Dr. Marshall Redding, has been selected as a "principal investigator" in a process to have a new and revolutionary "foldable lens" for implants approved by the U. S. Food and Drug Administration for general use.

The selection of Dr. Redding, who founded the Albemarle Eye Care Center in 1971, was made by a leading world-wide supplier of lens implants on the basis of his extensive experience in performing cataract surgery by the "phacoemulsification" technique.

Dr. Redding explained the "phaco" method as the use of a small instrument that produces ultrasonic vibrations to dissolve the cataract, permitting the remaining particles to be removed through a tiny incision by vacuum. This allows the foldable lens, made of soft silicon and can be bent in half, to be inserted in the small incision instead of having to enlarge it to accommodate the hard lens currently in use.

"For patients who would have an

intraocular lens implant to replace the natural lens that is removed in cataract surgery, the foldable lens offers several distinct advantages," Dr. Redding said. He cited these advantages as "fewer wound sutures, reduced risk of implant problems, and faster healing and recovery."

Dr. Redding said the FDA has determined the feasibility of the folding lens and approved it for investigative use by the selected ophthalmologists. Following further successful controlled clinical studies, the lens should be approved for use by all eye surgeons, he added.

Dr. Redding is a former president of the North Carolina Ophthalmological Society and the North Carolina Medical Society. He earned his medical degree at Duke University and recently retired from the U. S. Naval Reserve as a Captain. He served on active duty as a Navy pilot and later as a doctor at the Navy Hospital in Long Beach, California and Philadelphia.

## Jordan honored by home economists

The North Carolina Association of Extension Home Economists recently honored Eula Jordan, 4-H EFNEP Aide, who works in Bertie, Chowan, Gates, Hertford, Martin and Perquimans counties. Dr. Mary Whitmore, EFNEP Coordinator, N.C. State University, Raleigh, presented the 1987 Paraprofessional Award to the Northeast District recipient at a recent meeting in Hertford, N.C.

Mrs. Jordan was selected by her peers to receive the award for outstanding accomplishments. She has the unique job responsibility of working across county lines to teach foods and nutrition to 4-H EFNEP youth in six counties. She coordinates with other EFNEP aides and the county extension staff to implement a program that has made a difference in the growth and development of 1,739 youth. With staff member support in identifying youth she conducts a series of foods and nutrition classes designed to fit their needs. She was certified to teach the new curriculum in January, 1987.

Eating Right is Basic offers a series of six foods and nutrition classes for youth 6-19 years old. One success is the day camp program. This past year she taught foods and nutrition classes 56 times at eight day camps to about 300 youths. She also trained leaders to assist with the food preparation activities.

She received the District EFNEP Award for "Outstanding Accomplishments with Groups" in 1986. She resides at Route 2, Edenton with her husband, Lin. They have two children, David and Debbie.

The 4-H Expanded Foods and Nutrition Education Program is a part of the County Agriculture Extension Service and offers a foods and nutrition education program families. The purpose is for individuals to improve diet for better health and to contribute to their personal development and the improvement of total family diet and nutritional welfare. The Northeast District program is supervised by Ila M. White, Area Specialized Agent, Edenton.



4-H leader, Emma Burke, shows Allison Boone and Jenny Hurdle the fine points of making a Christmas tree ornament.



Leslie Godfrey instructs Erica Ennis and Missy Umphlett in how to make ornaments.

## New regulations carry heavy fine

Could you stand a \$25,000 fine? That's the maximum per day penalty for violation of the new federal Superfund regulations is the stringent reporting requirements for facilities and industries with respect to hazardous chemicals located on site.

Known as the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1987 (or SARA), the act provides for community awareness with respect to hazardous chemicals by requiring industry facilities to file reports. Any facility having hazardous substances in quantities equal to or greater than the threshold planning quantities must notify their local planning committee and must designate their facility emergency coordinator. The location and amounts of hazardous chemicals in a facility must be monitored and made available to a State Commission which has been appointed by the Governor to carry out the authority spelled out under the Act.

All facility owners or operators having hazardous substances on site in the quantities listed are required to report. The percentage of operators reporting so far is rather small and officials fear this is due to a lack of awareness of the requirements. To file required notice or to obtain additional information operators may contact the N. C. Division of Emergency Management at 1-800-451-1403.

Failure to meet filing requirements is subject to fine up to \$25,000 per day under the Act. Prompt attention by facility operators having hazardous materials on site can prevent the heavy fines being applied.



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