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GLIMPSES THE PAST By CAROLYN LLOYD

Applications for charter membership in the AMA (Absent-Mindeds Anonymous) are coming in steadily. Names cannot be divulged, of course, but the qualifications submitted might be interesting, and even helpful, to those holding back out of modesty.

First case: A young woman, noted for her civic work, was preparing peanuts for a tea at the library. When the difficult job of shelling and skinning the nuts was done, she dumped the finished product into the garbage can, leaving the shells on the kitchen table. (No hopes of salvage; there was garbage in the can.)

Second case: One of Belhaven's most capable women, well-known as an excellent housekeeper, went from room to room emptying the contents of small wastebaskets into a larger one, preparatory to burning trash. The bathroom was the last stop. Here she emptied the last small basket, and then proceeded to dump the entire contents, of the large one into the bathtub.

Third case: A teacher (the proverbial absent-minded professor, no doubt) was asked by her young child at home for an aspirin. Teacher arose from her homework, went into the kitchen, shook an aspirin from the bottle, poured a class of water-and swallowed the aspirin. Some minutes after her return to the living room, she was jolted by the child's question, "Mama, where's my aspirin?"

Fourth case: Another teacherme again, still way out front. The scene: my classroom just before the bell rings to signal the beginning of class work. Teacher rouses herself from a deep study and inquires, "Isn't anyone going to lead the devotiional this morning?"-First, a dead silence; then startled looks and a few snickers-"We've just had devotional, Mrs. Lloyd." Is there hope? Can these sufferers be cured? Only time can tell. Psychologists may say that people forget because they want to challenge. Surely no one would want to throw away a good hour's work on peanuts, or clean trash out of the bathtub, or take an aspirin when suffering no pain, or give her pupils reason to doubt her sanitary. A charitable explanation would be that the absent-

minded one is thinking such deep thoughts that trivial things are crowded out. So far, no one has reported hav-

bonnet-that would be cause for alarm. It may be that many will wish they had forgotten by the

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TO PREACH 12 DAYS AT

EVANGELIST WM. F. VOODRE of Durants, Fla., who is coming to Wanchese to conduct a 12 day revival at the Assembly of God

the pastor. at the new styles. No doubt about it, hats are different this year. In cause of illness. case one should have forgotten to buy a new one, or is short of cash, bage can, the top of the roaster, or a large skillet, trim it with flowers and a bit of veil, and claim she forgot to buy the din- J. S. Turner visited Washington, ner and the man of the house can D. C.

take everybody out to eat. for being absent-minded, turn it to advantage. Sometimes it's smart to be dumb.

AVON PERSONALS

Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecid Midgette of Waves, Mr. and Mrs. Lance Midgette of Norfolk and Vernon Miller of Norfolk visited Bembra Martha Barnett. Miller and Mrs. Retta Morgan.

to Elizabeth City Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Aaron Tyson and people forget because they want to forget, but that theory is open Mr. and Mrs. Mark S. Edwards, PAPER INCOME RIS in Goldsboro last week.

> Venice Williams and Minnie Gray were in Elizabeth City Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Miller, Dallas Royce and Mrs. Retta Morgan

Mr. and Mrs. Gibb Gray, Jr. and son, Osbourne, were in Elizabeth Monday in New York City. City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams had earnings of \$5,977,000 equal were in Washington, N. C., last to \$1.17 per common share on ing forgotten to buy her Easter Thursday. Charles appeared on sales of \$62,503,000 in the four months ended February 29. This TV there.

led, "Easter Witnesses" will be 816,000 or 74 cents a share on sales time men get through snickering given at St. John's Methodist of \$55,070,000 in the same four Church Sunday evening at 7 months a year ago.

o'clock. Mrs. Bonita Williams is Basic reasons for the improved directing the program. The MYF results, said Luke, are the comgroup and young adults are par- pany's investment in physical I ticinating. plant and its imp

BUXTON PERSONALS

WANCHESE ASSEMBLY Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sande of Norfolk visited her mother, Mrs. Carrie Midgett and left for New Smyrna Beach, Fla. for a vacation with Mrs. Sande's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Midgett.

> Mr. and Mrs. Wallic Jennette of Raleigh spent hte week end here with relatives.

Ralph Swain of Manteo conducted religious services here at the Buxton Methodist Church Sunday. Mrs. Bertie Dixon returned Friday from a visit in Suffolk and Hampton, Va. with her children. Her son, Bert, Jr., is improving after an operation on his arm. Mrs. Dixon was accompanied home by her son, Elvin Dixon, of Suffolk.

Albert Jones is home from the Albemarle Hospital in Elizabeth City, and improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gray Church April 10th through 22nd. visited their daughter and son-in-People of all faiths are cordially invited says Rev. Alvin W. Price, Daniels, in Norfolk.

Mrs. Parley Miller is improving. Capt. Walter Barnett and Mrs Loran Barnett are shut ins be-

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goodrum of Raleigh, spent the week end she can take the lid off the gar- with her sister and brother-in-law,

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hooper. Mr. and Mrs. Bateman Miller, who recently moved to Hatteras no one will know the difference. Island from New Jersey, spent a Then, having no utensil left to week here with his mother, Mrs. cook the Easter ham in, she can Parley Miller, while Mr. and Mrs.

Capt. L. L. Woods spent Sun-Moral: if you have a reputation day here with his wife and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Williams and daughter Melissa of Portsmouth, Va. visited relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Anderson of Elizabeth City spent Saturday

Ottis Willis recently retired from the Coast Guard service, has moved his family here in the home with Mrs.' Willis' mother, Mrs.

Mrs. Essie Burrus made a trip

PAPER INCOME RISES

PAPER INCOME RISES 5.20 A.M. Sales and earnings of West Vir-ginia Pulp & Paper for the first four months of the current fiscal year were up sharply from re-sults in the comparable period a year ago, David L. Luke, Jr., told the annual stockholder's meeting Mesdames Holland Brothers.

were in Norfolk last week end. the annual stockholder's meeting

Luke reported the company

An Easter cantata-drama, entit- compared with earnings of \$3,-

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Tried Any New Angles Lately?

We know some cynical souls | activities and thus we get a good who maintain that there is an view of their faces. Here the camera angle gives a "angle" to everything-but that's

not the kind we're talking about. good clear picture of the activity It's camera angles we're inter- and finds an ideally plain background that at the same time tells part of the story. We want to remind you that

By varying your camera angle there are more ways to picture you can many times find a good, your children at play, for ex-ample, than to shoot them head situation which, if pictured in on. In many situations there's more straight forward fashion would present an unwanted mass much to be gained by taking a of clutter to call attention away worm's eye view of the situation, from the subject. or pretending you're snapping

Some subjects, however, are at the scene from a helicopter. their best when pictured straight The picture we've chosen to ahead. Just don't let yourself get illustrate this column shows clearin a rut and use any one angle ly what happens when you look all the time. Take a minute or down on your subjects through two to study your picture in the viewfinder from a number of In this case it seems like an angles and then shoot from the excellent idea, since the subjects one which gives you the picture have paused long enough in their you like best.

play to observe the cameraman's -John Van Guilder

HATTERAS PERSONALS

Effective Oct. 1 1955 through May 31, 1956 Mrs. Delores Burrus is visiting in Norfolk with her mother, Mrs. 5:30 A.M. 7:10 A.M. Belle Wilson. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Peele of

12:10 P.M. 1:50 P.M. 3:30 P.M. 5:10 P.M. 6:50 P.M. 8:30 P.M. Norfolk spent the week end with their parents here. Mr. and Mrs. David Austin of

Mantéo were home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Ballance been in Thailand for nearly two years, are back home. Fulton Scarborough and Harold

their family. Mr. and Mrs. William Lingo of

Norfolk spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ballance.

and Mrs. Juanita Parker of Manteo were the guests of Mr. and

- Mrs. Annie Stowe, who has

and daughter Sandra, who have ENGELHARD, N. C.

Stowe are spending the week with

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Midgette

Mrs. Carlos Peele Sunday.

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folk, is home with her family.

the group sang "Wild Irish Rose"

April, a Gay Ninety parade. May, children around the May pole.

Mrs. Celestial Scarborough is a patient in the Marine Hospital,

here.

By DAVID STICK	Ellis Gray, Jr., USCG, is visit- ing his parents, Mr. and Mrs.	
 Factual Accounts of Numerous Shipwrecks Along the Outer Banks \$5.00 at Your Bookseller or from the Dare Press, Kitty Hawk, N. C. 	Ellis Gray. Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Price of Wanchese visited relatives here.	quality products is flowin smoothly from new and model equipment made possible by the investments," he said. The company's current expansion sion program calls for expendent ture of more than 100 million do



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Mr. and Mrs. Murry Styron of Hatteras, took place Friday at the above ferries are State-operated Toll

SALVO PERSONALS

her father, the bride wore a gray suit with Navy blue accessories, Mrs. Perry Farrow, Mrs. Betty Ann O'Neal and children Cheryl and Sandra visited in Manteo with and a corsage of white carnations. their sister and aunt, Mrs. Claude After the ceremony the couple left for a short wedding trip. Williams.

Mrs. Katie Austin has returned Mr. and Mrs. Coy L. Anderson and children Charles and Carolyn to Norfolk to visit her daughter of Shiloh visited Mrs. Anderson's after visiting with her sister, Mrs. mother, Melvina Whidbee, Satur- Clifford Wade. **Contest Closed Friday**

day. The Alphabetic Contest sponsor Mrs. Mae Fulcher is visiting her sister, Mrs. Perley Farrow and ed by the Bible class and includfamily, and brother and family, ing each woman in the Methodist Mr. and Mrs. Vance Midgett, of church, was started in January and closed Friday night, March Buxton. Dallas Miller of Avon visited Mr. 23rd, with a birthday party for the

and Mrs. Perry Farrow Monday. Mrs. Josephine Gray and Mrs. was represented by stage act. For Melvina Whidbee and grandson January the Old and New Year Larry Midgett visited in Manteo was portrayed. Feb., a school in with Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Mid- George Washington's day. March, gett

Perry Farrow spent Tuesday in Manteo.

day night.

June, Secret wedding. July, Pledge Mrs. Salina Midgett, Mrs. Gasto the Flag and "America" was ton Midgett, and son Gaston, Jr. sung by all. August, "The Good Old Summer Time". September, "School Days" was sung. October, a ghost drill. November, a Pilof Manteo spent Tuesday night with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Josephine Gray. Charlie Whidbee of Manteo vis-

grim scene and song. December, ited relatives here Saturday. the Christmas Story, with children receiving gifts from Santa, and "Holy Night" was sung. Mr. and Mrs. Flora Midgett spent the week end at Kill Devil Hills with Mrs. Midgett's daugh-The group then assembled in the ter, Mrs. Pearl Twiford.

club room; where tables had been decorated to represent the months Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hooper and daughter Kay visited in Norfolk. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hooper and of the year and each had beauti-ful decorated cakes which were family of Manteo spent Friday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. served with lemonade to all present. The amount collected was Aaron Hooper. Mr. and Mrs. Pritchard Gray of \$877.68. There will be \$900.00 when Avon visited Mrs. Gray's mother all monies have been turned in. and brother, Mrs. Kitty Gray and The F.G.H. group with Mrs. Edna Garrish leader, won the contest. Wesley, Sunday. Perry Farrow visited Mr. and Mrs. Nacie Austin entertained

them with a tea at her home Mon-Mrs. Dallas Miller at Avon Saturday evening from 3 to 4 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Pharrow Payne

of Oregon Inlet spent Wednesday tives in Manteo. Rev. Ed Hooper filled his ap-pointment at the Pentecostal and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Austin. Irene Midgett is visiting rela- Church at East Lake Sunday.

visit the Norfolk Municipal Gardens during

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