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ENGELHARD PERSONALS

Miss Fay Marshall of Ahoskie spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Eura Swindell of Bath spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Mason of Wilson spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carr Cox and children of Kinston were here for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stalls and son, Jerry, of Washington visited here last week end.

Mrs. Horace Thompson and children, Mary Emily, Bennie and Darleen, of Colerain, have returned home after visiting here.

Mrs. Horace Gibbs was recently in Newport News.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Daugherty and children have returned to Jacksonville after a vacation in Florida and visiting relatives here and at Mirlo Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Selby of Norfolk and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Selby of Oklahoma visited here last week end.

Carroll Swindell left recently for Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Ephron Cahoon, Elizabeth Allen Cahoon and Mrs. Patsy Marshall were in Belhaven during the week.

Nat Gibbs is a patient in the Belhaven hospital.

Miss Alice Fay Etheridge has returned to Virginia Beach after visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Arnold of Elizabeth City spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Burrus, I. W. Gibbs and Dennis Selby were Stumpy Point visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Leslie Gibbs has returned from Belhaven where she was at the bed side of her son, Brent, who returned with her.

CONTEMPT HEARING REVEALS CARELESS HANDLING OF FUNDS

Hyde School Officials Scored For Disbursing \$19,000 Against Court's Orders

Testimony, brought out at a hearing for contempt of court directed against school officials of Hyde County and the State of N. C. illustrates effectively the wide-spread disregard of responsibility that exists among people who spend some public funds, namely other people's money.

School Superintendent Tommy Gaylord of Hyde County was found guilty of contempt of court, in obtaining from Raleigh state funds in the sum of \$19,000 and disbursing them in violation of a restraining order issued on April 23 by Judge Clifton Moore.

The Judge was not pleased with the disregard shown his order. It was one phase of the long drawn-out school controversy in Hyde County. Those who are contending for a two high school system on the Hyde mainland, contend that the "eager beaver attitude of Supt. Gaylord is mainly responsible for engineering and precipitating all the Hyde mainland, contend that the Board of Education has followed him with two thirds of this strength, and that the spending of this money, with the checks having been signed by Chairman Gratz Credle, who claims he didn't know what the checks were for, well illustrates their contention.

Chairman Credle's claim that he signed away \$19,000 of public funds and didn't know what it was for, caused the judge to comment that he should be home looking after his farming.

Judge Moore is quoted as saying "Men in public office who sign \$19,000 in checks without knowing what they are for, have little to recommend them for public office."

Gaylord was most censured and found guilty of contempt, but judgement was deferred last Friday in the hearing at Washington. Chairman Credle was censured, along with two state school officials, namely A. C. Davis, auditor for the State Board of Education; and Controller C. D. Douglas who issued the money on the request of Supt. Gaylord. The state officials contended they were unaware of the court order, and Gaylord that he was not a party to the suit, although the facts indicated he was well aware that the disbursement of this money was forbidden in the order.

The \$19,000 was paid to contractors engaged in building a central high school near Lake Comfort, but which it is alleged is unlawfully being built, in that Hyde County has not obtained title to the amount of land essential as a pre-requisite to building a project of this kind. The suit which resulted in the restraining order was brought by Earl Topping, a citizen of Sladesville.

OCRACOKE PERSONALS

On last Sunday night at the evening service at the Methodist Church the Ocracoke Boy Scouts Troop 290 and the Cub Scout Troop received charters for the year 1958-59 and scouts and committeemen were given their individual membership cards. Capt. Marvin W. Howard, scoutmaster, and Benjamin L. O'Neal, assistant, were recognized. Rev. W. W. Clarke, pastor, conducted the Court of Honor, with scouts and cubs participating.

Cecil Bragg and party are occupying the Albert Styron cottage this week. With Mr. Bragg, who is a native of Ocracoke, is an old friend, Rosario Bonaccorso of Catania, Sicily.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Farmer, Jr. of Richmond and family are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Gaskins. Mrs. Elmer Farmer, Sr. is visiting Miss Bertie Gaskins. Charlie Ahman's son, Jack, spent a week end here recently. It was his first visit. Also here were Charlie's brother, John Ahman and Mrs. Ahman and a nephew, of Charlottesville, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Beasley of Portsmouth is visiting her mother, Mrs. Eleanor Burrus.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Burgess of Raleigh are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Irving Forbes.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Schweitzer and son of Maplewood, N. J. are occupying one of the Wahab cottages. George Leon and party and Mr. and Mrs. Jasmir Tobias of New York and Walter A. Strong III of Beloit, Wisconsin, are occupying other Wahab cottages.

Mrs. Nina Warren of Norfolk, Mr. and Mrs. Lance Montague and Woodrow Fulcher are here for the July 4th week end, occupying the Alice Williams home.


Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Parker of Meriden, Connecticut, who are occupying their summer home this month, expect their daughter, Mrs. Sallie Rich, and granddaughter, for a visit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDermott and family of six children are back for another happy summer vacation at Ocracoke.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Runyon and family of New Haven, Conn. arrived Monday to spend a month at their summer home here.

Miss Kathleen Bragg visited Mrs. Pearl Midgett in Buxton recently.

FAMED JAZZ ARTIST TO APPEAR AT NAGS HEAD



LOUIS (Satchmo) ARMSTRONG, the world-famed trumpet player, is making an appearance next week at Nags Head. On tour he brings with him his orchestra of six or seven pieces plus vocalists.

The one-night appearance will be at Ras Westcott's Nags Head Casino, Saturday, July 12 starting at 9 p.m. Westcott says this appearance is in line with his policy of bringing the top stars to the area, at least occasionally. Big bands in the past have been Jan Garber, Dean Hudson, Bubbles Becker and others.

Armstrong is quite versatile in the entertainment business. Besides being the trumpet player that he is, he sings inimitably, emcees and performs other duties. He has made over a thousand recordings, made TV and radio appearances, acted in motion pictures. This performance will be with his All Stars, and promises to be top-notch entertainment.

NEW SYSTEM FOR BILLING LIGHT CHARGES ON ISLAND

In order to check the increasing cost of reading meters and billing accounts, the Virginia Electric and Power Company announced today that effective with July billing all consumer accounts on Roanoke Island will be billed on a bi-monthly basis. The every-other month billing plan has been effective elsewhere in the company's Albemarle District for some time, and it has been received very well.

Billing to larger commercial and industrial customers will continue on a monthly basis and other customers can, if they so desire pay monthly as they have in the past. By advising the company in advance, it will furnish such customers with the necessary cashier's coupons for payments to be made during the non-reading months. The coupons will be in an amount equal to approximately the average bill for one month and the payment received will be credited on the regular two month's bill.

In order to divide the island into two meter reading periods, customers billed in July will next be billed in September, and those in August will not be billed again until October.

The company realizes that some of its customers may have questions regarding the new billing plan, and it requests that these be directed to the local business office.

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DARE AGENT REPORTS ON MOLES, NEMATODES

Vernon Gaskill, of Wanchese, has a new remedy for ground moles. Gaskill has little wooden windmills attached to a stake and driven in the mole path. He says the windmill's turning causes vibration. "Moles do not like vibration and stay clear of the area", says Gaskill.

The Wanchese resident says his idea is not original. He got the idea from an old resident years ago. The old fellow would tamp on the ground with a big stick to drive moles out of his yard. Gaskill said everyone there thought the old man foolish. Gaskill said the windmill idea is easier, since it gets the vibrating effect easier.

Lonnie Gray, who lives near Manteo, has nematodes trouble in his garden. Gray said that his garden had done poorly all year. Gray pulled up several plants and found that nematodes or "root knot" had severely infested his garden. There are several materials that do a good job of controlling nematodes. EDB, DD, and Methyl Bromide are most com-

GUM NECK PERSONALS

Mrs. Mae Norman is here with her daughter, Mrs. Hiram White after spending the winter in California with her son.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cohoon of South Norfolk visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Snell spent Sunday in Washington visiting relatives.

Hal Cohoon and Johnnie White are at Camp Don Lee this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgbert Liverman of Norfolk are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlon Everton and family of Norfolk are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Doris Cohoon spent Wednesday in Washington.

Mrs. Troy Elliott of Winfall visited her parents here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Sawyer of Virginia Beach are visiting relatives here.

Raymond Combs is home with his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Turner and children spent Monday in Elizabeth City.

Joe Williams visited in Swan Quarter Sunday.

Mrs. Gertrude White attended her Class Reunion in Swan Quarter Sunday.

Ruben Berry of Norfolk was here for the week end.

Little Shirlene Jenkins of Elizabeth City is visiting here with her father.

beth City is visiting here with Arnette Cohoon.

Herman Cohoon spent Monday in Edenton.

Fulton Combs of Kill Devil Hills was home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Smithson spent the week end in Portsmouth.

Miss Judy Humphries of Portsmouth is visiting here.

Miss Grace Williams and Keith Ward of Norfolk were here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Jones and family of Norfolk visited relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kemp and family of Norfolk were here for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Tarkington of Norfolk visited relatives here.

Mrs. Otis Everton and children, Loretta and Dan, of Norfolk, spent a few days here with relatives.


Mrs. C. O. Workman and family spent Saturday in Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Sawyer of Norfolk spent the week end with relatives here.

Mrs. Annie Liverman and Ben Owens spent Friday in Plymouth.

Mrs. Gilbert Owens is in Columbia hospital.

Sam Sexton is in Columbia hospital.



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