

# NEWS OF BELHAVEN And The Pungo River District

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### PRECINCT MEETING HELD AT BELHAVEN

The Belhaven Precinct committee met Saturday afternoon in the Mayor's office with Dr. W. T. Ralph presiding.

The first item of business was to elect a member to replace the late H. V. Latham. Marion L. Dilday was nominated by J. Harold Lupton, nomination seconded by Jule Purvis. Election was unanimous. J. L. Lancaster then made a motion that the present committee members be unanimously re-elected, this motion was seconded by Victor Ambrose and passed. These members were Mrs. H. L. Harvey, Mrs. W. P. O'Neal, Franklin Noble and Dr. Ralph. Dr. Ralph was re-elected chairman. Dr. Ralph announced that the county convention will be held in Washington on Saturday, May 12, and urged that all good Democrats attend.

### BELHAVEN POST OFFICE LEASE IS EXTENDED

Congressman Herbert Bonner announced Thursday that he had been notified that the Post Office Department has accepted a bid from Dr. W. T. Ralph to extend the lease on the Belhaven Post Office for six years with the provision that heating and air conditioning be installed in the building.

Mr. Bonner said the Post Office Department had also advised that bids will be posted on May 18, for new quarters at Fairfield with the following specifications: 900 square feet of interior space; 80-square feet of platform, and 8,000 square feet of paved area.

The Fairfield specifications call for a five year lease with two-year renewal option on a monthly basis, it was reported.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin Franklin Stearn of Haddon Heights, N. J., announce the birth of a son, Benjamin Franklin Stearn III on April 27. Mrs. Stearn is the former Miss Corinne Lloyd. Dr. Stearn is a former resident of Belhaven and is the brother of Mrs. W. L. Phelps.

### TOWN BOARD MEETS

The Belhaven Board of Aldermen met Monday. Mayor James Younce presided.

Mrs. Sarah Latham appeared on behalf of the Matchapungo Garden club and asked for topsoil and cement blocks to fix a flower bed around the light pole at the Norfolk Southern Depot. The board agreed to investigate the project.

Mrs. W. L. Phelps appeared on behalf of the Odd Fellows Cemetery road. The property for the road has been donated by the Toss Riddick family and the town agreed to fix the street and assume the upkeep.

Vann Latham appeared on behalf of the Chamber of Commerce regarding mowing the sides of the streets but was told this was the responsibility of the State Highway commission.

Delma Tolan was appointed to the Light and Water Commission for a period of three years and L. R. Smith was appointed to fill out the unexpired term of the late W. E. Bateman, Jr.

The Board agreed to send an officer to Columbia to assist with the bridge celebration. Chief of Police Sam Boger gave a report.

### PUNGO HOSPITAL NEWS

White patients April 30-May 7: Mrs. Lucy Fulford, Miss Sue Bishop, Harry Weisgeber, Mrs. Rebecca Davenport, Eva Latham, Fred Sawyer and George Cooper of Belhaven. Mrs. Mary Paul, Mrs. Effie Langley, Jackie Respass of Pantego. M. R. Keech of Pinetown. Clay W. Gibbs and Mrs. Myra Cahoon of Engelhard. John B. Sadler of Scranton.

White births: Mr. and Mrs. James Hubbard Hope of Pinetown, a daughter, Tammie Linda Hope on April 21, mother was the former, Virginia Louise Hornsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Chancey Junior Sawyer of Scranton a son, Mike Leon Sawyer on April 28, mother was the former Nellie Mae Allen.

Colored patients: Mary Frances Bonner, Lillie Mann Carter, Joe Blount of Belhaven.

### BELHAVEN RECORDERS COURT NEWS

Delmar Leland Keech white of Rt. 1, Pinetown, failing to yield the right of way, not guilty. Stanley Ehsley Woolard white of Rt. 1, Pinetown, speeding 60 miles in a 45 mile zone, \$10 fine and costs.

Elmer Hubers white of Pantego, speeding 65 miles in a 55 mile zone, \$10 fine and costs.

Roy Jarvis Carawan, white of Swan Quarter operating a vehicle without registration plates, costs of court.

Clayton Con Lyons, colored of Belhaven illegal passing, \$10 fine and costs.

Mancey James, colored of Rt. 1, Pantego, of possessing non-tax-paid whiskey, 30 day suspended sentence upon the payment of a \$30 fine and costs.

### BEAUFORT TB ASSO. MEETS AT PANTEGO

The Beaufort County TB Association met Monday night at a Dutch dinner at Fossie's house in Pantego, with Dr. H. Mac Vandiviere of Chapel Hill as guest speaker.

Dr. Vandiviere is co-director of the Haitian-American Tuberculosis institute. The Washington based "Haiti", 85 foot former YP Patrol boat now used as a floating laboratory, is playing a key role in the launching of an unprecedented large scale humane evaluation study of two anti-tuberculosis vaccines in Haiti.

The boat sank last week in a squall on a mission off Haiti in the Caribbean. The boat was salvaged with the help of natives and is now being repaired at Guantanamo Naval base in Cuba.

Dr. Vandiviere expressed appreciation to the Beaufort County Association for its contribution of \$1,000 toward the Haitian-American TB Program. Hal Wilson of Washington is president of the N. C. TB Association. He presented Dr. Vandiviere.

Other business was the election of Mrs. George Salle of Washington to succeed Milo Gibbs as president. Other officers elected were Dr. Robert Sandy, vice-president; Mrs. Ashley Winfield, secretary; Charlie Claget, treasurer; board members at large, Mrs. Linwood L. Clayton, Mrs. Zeno L. Radcliffe, Jr., John Whalen, Milo Gibbs and E. L. Slack.

New Board members elected were Angus Miller, Mrs. Bernard Voliva, Miss Aitee Gorham, H. E. Rogers, Horace Harwell and Mrs. Jack Swindell. Re-elected were Mrs. D. M. Windley, Mrs. G. W. Marsh, E. L. Slack, Mrs. J. C. Cayton, Mrs. Sallie Woolard, Milo Gibbs, Mrs. John Winfield and Miss Eva Cratt.

It was announced that Dr. John Cotton Tayloe would act as Christmas seal chairman again this year. The sale netted \$5,111.23 last year.

A budget of \$4,041 was approved. Last year's budget was \$4,184.

### BELHAVEN PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Harold White spent the week end in Greenville with Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas.

Mrs. J. Harry Swindell and Mrs. John Harold Swindell of Swan Quarter spent Wednesday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith Harold and Laura Smith spent the week end at Williamsburg, Va.

Mrs. E. W. Midgett, Sr. and Mrs. R. D. Mitchell were in Greenville Thursday.

Mrs. W. C. Credle, Mrs. H. L. Harvey and Miss Mary Elizabeth Bell motored to Washington Sunday.

Mrs. M. L. Windley spent Sunday and Monday at Sladesville with her mother, Mrs. Ethel Gibbs.

The Rev. David Brown attended the annual State convention of the Disciples of Christ in Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Brumsey spent the week end at Barco and Wanchese.

Mrs. James W. Ambrose, Mrs. Clarence B. Jackson, Mrs. Marie Griffin and Mrs. Elizabeth Donitell spent Saturday in New Bern.

Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Woodard and Mrs. David Drapella and son of Norfolk, Va., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wilkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Credle visited in Norfolk, Va. with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hartman, and Mrs. Leslie Jones.

Capt. and Mrs. M. R. Blak and children of Mobile, Ala., are visiting Mrs. Blak's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jefferson.

Mrs. Ralph Green spent the week end at Sladesville with Mr.

### BELHAVEN MAN OVERSEAS

U. S. FORCES, GERMANY (AHTNC)—Army PFC Roy S. Selby, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Selby, Route 2, Belhaven, recently participated in Command Post Exercise Grand Slam I, a five-day Central Army Group (CENTAG) exercise in Germany.

He is a 1959 graduate of John A. Wilkinson High School.



Choices available to Variety season of the year create a dilemma. With a multiplicity of trees, shrubs and flowers bursting into annual Spring splendor, the dilemma is—Which way to go? However, fretting over an answer to this question is really unnecessary as one thing is for certain—regardless of the route the tourist will be well rewarded.

Realizing this, my family and I left our choice to the flip of a coin. The coin said, "Go West!" so we started. We stopped off at the neighborhood service station to fuel up and pick up a fresh map. In retrospect, the securing of the road map was unnecessary as I'm sure all had made the same silent mental choice of a westerly destination, an area that is delightful regardless of the season. After a few hours' drive through territory generally representative with Spring color, we arrived.

Our destination was the unofficial capital of Western North Carolina, popularly referred to as the "Land of the Sky." A jewel of a city, set in velvet green among the rumpled mountains of the Blue Ridge at an altitude of 2300 feet, Asheville is among the first and foremost resort areas of the South. Because of its accessibility to the rest of Western North Carolina, many visitors use the city as "home base" and make circle trips to the numerous nearby attractions and return. However, this particular journey had been made to view the riot of Spring mountain color in Asheville and surrounding territory, all of which would not be available a few weeks thereafter.

We drove into the near-central section of the city and picked up the "Dogwood Trail" at Patton and Biltmore Avenues. We found that sign markers, numbered consecutively, clearly identify the entire route so there is little likelihood that one will unknowingly leave "the trail." If you hurry on over, you too can enjoy the yellows, the pinks, the whites and the reds dotting the trail, and most particularly, the white and pink splashes ever-present across the rolling landscape—profuse blooms of our State flower, the Dogwood. At the same time you will get to see a large cross-section of this beautiful city as the markers lead you through a portion of the northerly and southerly sections and return you to the point of origin. As you cover "the trail," be sure to read the brief descriptions of the points of interest.

By this time our appetite for color had been whetted and we craved more. Upon questioning several residents as to another desirable local route, I received the same quizzical look from each and the same type of response. What they were saying (without offense) was, "Take your choice of any direction, mister, the color's all around you!" In the absence of a specific recommendation, a family huddle resulted in the decision to head south on Biltmore Avenue to the Biltmore Gardens.

Here we found a display of a bewildering wealth of flora that delights garden enthusiasts and color photographers the world over! Aside from acres of trees and shrubs in natural settings, there are five formal gardens which, together with the greenhouses, cover thirty-five acres. Particularly beautiful at this season is the Azalea Garden with more than 500 varieties. All in all, there are 40,000 azaleas on the Biltmore Estate; the only complete collection of native American kinds in the world. The greenhouses alone are worth a visit. Here are grown the plants and cut flowers which continually grace the Biltmore Mansion, and the giant tropical palms and ferns which keep green the famed Court of Palms. More than beautiful, this estate has one of the very few large private gardens left in America.

During our general sight-seeing the next morning, we followed the implied recommendation of the natives and found them to be correct as "the color was all around us." I'm sure time commitments on this trip prevented us from enjoying many more sections, equally colorful. And we've yet to see the many, many other natural and man-made attractions in the "Land of the Sky." We merely sampled the wonderful scenery, the modern accommodations and delightful food and hospitality. But the sample was good and we'll return to this section of Variety Vacationland. It cannot be surpassed!

and Mrs. Kenneth Gray. Mrs. I. W. Hughes, Miss Loyce Brinson, Mrs. Walton O'Neal, Mrs. John Tooley, Mrs. W. L. Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wahab, The Rev. and Mrs. Angus Miller attended the ceremonies at Bath Saturday.



BREASTS . . . . . lb. 45c  
DRUMSTICKS . . . . . lb. 35c  
BACKS & NECKS . . . 2 lbs. 29c  
GIZZARDS . . . . . lb. 29c  
HYGRADE F.F.V. WHOLE  
HAM lb. 69c

LARGE, JUICY, CALIFORNIA  
LEMONS DOZ. 29c

FREE 25 EXTRA GOLD BOND STAMPS WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF ONE OR MORE 15-OZ. BAGS STREITMAN PECAN SANDIES IN LOCAL COLONIAL STORES VOID AFTER MAY 12, 1962 5-3 R-25

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FREE 100 EXTRA GOLD BOND STAMPS WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF ONE OR MORE 20 GAL. SIZE GALVANIZED GARBAGE CAN IN LOCAL COLONIAL STORES VOID AFTER MAY 12, 1962 5-3 R-100

FREE 50 EXTRA GOLD BOND STAMPS WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF ONE OR MORE FOUND TINS C.S. VACUUM PACK COFFEE IN LOCAL COLONIAL STORES VOID AFTER MAY 12, 1962 5-3 R-50

FREE 25 EXTRA GOLD BOND STAMPS WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF ONE OR MORE 4-OZ. PKGS. GOLD LABEL TEA IN LOCAL COLONIAL STORES VOID AFTER MAY 12, 1962 5-3 R-25

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FREE 25 EXTRA GOLD BOND STAMPS WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF ONE OR MORE 3-LB. BAGS YELLOW ONIONS IN LOCAL COLONIAL STORES VOID AFTER MAY 12, 1962 5-3 R-25

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### SOCIAL ITEMS

Mrs. James W. Ambrose, Sr. was hostess to her bridge club Friday evening. She served a delectable course. Playing were Mesdames W. C. Swindell, Sarah Latham, W. C. Credle, D. C. Credle, J. Harold Lupton, J. R. Brown, Jimmie Hodges, L. R. Smith, and O. F. Walker, Miss Mary Elizabeth Bell and Mrs. Ben Spencer. High for the club went to Mrs. Lupton, second high to Mrs. L. R. Smith. Mrs. Swindell won at bingo. Miss Bell received the guest prize.

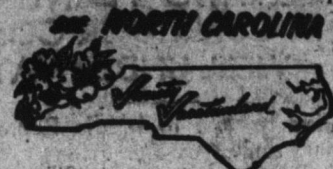
Mrs. E. W. Midgett, Sr., entertained her Rook club Tuesday evening. Mrs. Midgett served a delectable course. Playing were Mesdames Sarah Latham, Jule Purvis, Carl Cre-

### SCRANTON PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin recently visited in Greenville. Mrs. Mildred P. Poor and mother-in-law Mrs. Cora Burrill of Norfolk and Belfast, Maine, are visiting Mrs. Ernest Morris. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Flowers of Sladesville. Mr. and Mrs. Cary Dannelly and children Timmie, Cary Gene and Elizabeth of Elizabeth City, were Sunday guests of the Mack Mason family. Mrs. J. B. Bridgman is a pa-

dent in the Pungo hospital Belhaven. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bishop and Mrs. A. R. Alcox visited patient in the Belhaven hospital Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Merrett Bridgman of Newport visited his mother, Mrs. J. B. Bridgman and the Russel Bells. Mrs. Ellis Sadler is visiting S/Sgt. and Mrs. William Equal in Sprink Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Deal of Pomeroy on Sunday visited Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Equals.

die, R. D. Cutchell, Wilbur Johnston, J. E. Edwards, Sr., Paul Dawson, W. C. Swindell and Miss Catherine Topping. High score went to Mrs. Latham, low to Mrs. Purvis. Mrs. Credle won at bingo.



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BREASTS . . . . . lb. 45c LEGS . . . . . lb. 39c

DRUMSTICKS . . . . . lb. 35c  
BACKS & NECKS . . . 2 lbs. 29c  
GIZZARDS . . . . . lb. 29c

HYGRADE F.F.V. WHOLE  
HAM lb. 69c

LARGE, JUICY, CALIFORNIA  
LEMONS DOZ. 29c

SWIFT'S FRI-PAN SLICED  
BACON lb. 39c

FRESH, SWEET, TENDER YELLOW  
Corn . . . . . 5 FULL EARS 29c  
FRESH, LUSCIOUS, HOME GROWN  
Strawberries . . . . . PINT 29c

PACKER'S LABEL FREESTONE  
PEACHES  
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NU-TREAT  
ICE CREAM  
95c  
SAVE 14c GALLON ONLY

DAIRY MAID FRESH ORANGE  
JUICE . . . . . 2 QUARTS 49c

SAVE 26c ON HOLSUM STRAWBERRY  
PRESERVES . . . . . 3 -LB. JAR 89c

PILLSBURY & BALLARD BISCUITS  
BISCUITS . . . . . 6 8-OZ. CANS 49c

MORTON'S FROZEN CREAM  
PIES  
Banana, Choc., Lemon, Coconut, Strawberry  
2 16-OZ. PIES 89c

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BEEF HASH  
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