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### AASHOES CREEK HAS 17 FOLKS IN SEVEN HOMES

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s minest families moved eighborhood.

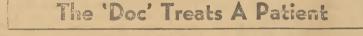
sed their voices too, but per cent respectively.

arly every month he tration of farm slaughterers. before the Dare Commis- Many farmers slaughter on'y

ork would stop for a long that date.

and again Capt. Midgett om a sick bed now and was often said of him king for this road was

vinced that all his neighgain build up. He died



Permission to slaughter 10 per cent more cattle, sheep, an d'ambs Dare County was once a during accounting periods beginning on o rafter July 1, was and school and was the granted non-federally inspected commercial slaughterers to obain a better balance in meat distribution, OPA District Director order to pursue the ad- Theodore S. Johnson explained today.

**OPA PERMITS INCREASE** 

IN SLAUGHTERING

This increase brings Class t began to look as if slaughterers' maximum percent-<sup>re</sup> would have to leave this ages up from 75 per cent to 85 per cent for cattle, with sheep and

bout eight years ago there lambs raised from the former 100 old man named Tom Loy- per cent to 110 per cent. Slaughsett who persisted in de- ter percentages for calves and g a road be built into Ma- hogs are unchanged, Johnson said, Om Manns Harbor. Other remaining at 75 per cent and 50

time when defeat star- Johnson also gave the reason in the face, it was Capt. for OPA's recent extension of who kept the battle go- the June 3 Odeadline for regis-

To his many friends in the late Fall, he said, and con-Nout the State he made ap- sequently were unprepared to make early application. The new

, in order to give Them deadline, Johnson pointed out, is ng to do, the WPA offi- October 14, and all farmers who ided to send men from intentd to slaughter meat ani-Point and East Lake to mals for sale, or have meat the five-mile road from slaughtered for them for sale, Harbor to Mashoes. Some- must apply for Class 3 permits by

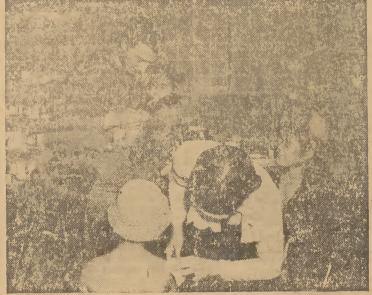
### me fort hto do battle, a- MRS. W. R., KNIGHT DIES ON ROANOKE ID. WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Leah Meekins Knight, 57, aim alive, and that he wife of W. R. Knight of Manteo, e soon after it was fin- died following a long illness Wed-

nesday at her home. She was the Capt. Midgett did live to daughter of the late C. P. and ad opening celebrated Mrs. Winnie Meekins of Manteo, g fish fry right in front and a long time member of the e, and heard many peo- Roanoke Island Baptist Church. the program chairman, Mrs. J. O. from far and near, and Besides her husband, she i ssurpeeches praising him for vived by four children: Williard work, and he died hap- Knight of West Palm Beach, Florida, Charles Knight of Stumpy and that Mashoes Creek Miss Louise Knight of Manteo; program proceeded as follows: the following mothers and sis-

population is 17 per-le. ins of Manteo. the houses are of elder-<sup>ys</sup>, for the present living <sup>here</sup> is Mrs. Martha

a choir of several persons.



Navy Pharmacist's Mate Second Class Loren Douglas of Princeton, Navy Pharmacist's Mate Second Class Loren Douglas of Princeton, Ind., is shown treating his favorite patient, injured slightly during the pre-invasion bombardment of Okinawa. The young lad in the foreground is being treated by the Japanese equivalent of a Girl Scout. Navy corpsmen are performing medical services usually rendered only by registered physicians in the U. S. because of the large number of Okinawans injured or suffering from illness, aggravated by long periods of cave dwelling. (U. S. Marine Corps Photo)

#### DAUGHTERS OF WESLEY TOM SPENCER HEADS **MEET MONDAY NIGHT** ENGELHARD ROTARY

Watson Hotel Thursday

Evening

Miss Natalie Gould Speaks About Officers Installed At Meeting In Her Experiences As Red **Cross Worker in Europe** 

Miss Natalie Gould, recently eturned Red Cross worker, was guest speaker Monday night, July 9, at the regular meeting of Engelhard Rotary Club at the he Daughters of Wesley of Maneo Methodist church, which was Watson Hotel in Engelhard Thursheld at the home of Mrs. C. S. day evening. Mr. Spencer suc-Meekins. She was presented by ceeds J. M. Long. Other officers installed were Basnight, who had arranged a patriotic program for the occasion. Mrs. D. E. Evans, president, treasurer, both for their second called the meeting to order, and 'terms, and R. S. Spencer as sertaken care of so far as Point, Mrs. Purdy Flowers and after a short business session the geant-at-arms. "Start Spangled Banner," sung and just a few weeks ters: Roland Meekins and Mrs. by group; Scripture reading and thful wife passed away. E. M. Twiford of Norfolk; Carl prayer, Mrs. Caleb Brickhouse; the stlement. Meekins, Mrs. C. C. Jones, and "God Bless Our Native Land,' Mrs. Gladys Brantley of Manteo by group; poem "A Patriotic Long and P. D. Midgette: atten-the stlement.

there are only seven oc-and W. S. Meekins of Panama. Wish," Mrs. Nevin Wescott; talk <sup>omes</sup> on Mashoes, and its Her mother, Mrs. Winnie Meek-<sup>bopulation</sup> is 17 people. as a Red Cross worker in the D. L. Berry and A. G. Silver- ernment will deepen Far Creek

HEAD CROP INSURANCE Julian E. Mann, Jr., native of Middletown, who has held the position of extension economist t State College, has been appointed State Director for Federal Crop Insurance Company.

MIDDLETOWN MAN TO

Mann is a graduate of the University of North Carolina where he received his B. S. degree in commerce, majoring in insurance in 1926. From State College he received an M. S. degree in Agricultural Economics in 1930. Mr. Mann is we'l known in Hyde County where he has a wide

circle of friends and relatives. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Julian E. Mann of Middletown, who now reside in Raleigh.

ENGELHARD SEES **IMPROVEMENTS BEING MADE** 

Engelhard is seeing improvements being made these days and hears that some construction work is to begin soon on two new buildings. Boosters of the town see this as an indication of continuing growth which they say is bound to come to Engelhard.

Gilbert Gibbs has made a great deal of improvements to the large store buiding which was bulit by his late father, Closs Gibbs. He has completed the annex tsarted some years ago, making it one o the best store buildings in Engel-

Thos. E. Spencer, editor of the hard. He is constructing a new Hyde County Herald, was install- porch roof to run the full length ed as the new president of the of the store and plans to lay a concrete wak the length of the weekly dinner meeting at the building.

S. S. Neal is planning to construct an oyster shucking house on the waterfront before the oyster season opens in the fall. His A. G. Silverthorne, vice president business will afford Engelhard and N. W. Shelton, secretary- oystermen a sure market and provide jobs for shuckers.

Another construction job that will be started as soon as possible Mr. Spencer announced the fol- is a cotton gin planned by R. L lowing committee appointments Gibbs & Company, progressive to assist him in administering seed, feed and produce dealers. club affairs: Community service, Some, residential development is

ited number of 117 year od young ig officer for this state.



Highway Chairman Visits Most Neglected Place in All North Carolina, and Is Reported Impressed With Needs; Community Roads As A Beginning **Considered Likely if Attempt Is Made** 

BONNER ON TRIP TO



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# MARINES ENLISTING MORE

done in the war.

Highway Commissioner Chairman A. H. Graham came this week PACIFIC WAR ZONE to Hatteras, bringing with him

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his Chief Engineer Vance Baise. He came and saw the place in allNort h Carolina most negected by the State Highway Commission, and its engineers in the 25 years before him; the place in which for 25 years the rule has been to avoid doing anything helpful. No doubt he was amazed and disgusted at what he saw, but without saying much, he impressed the people favorably, and left the impression that something must be done.

Melvin R. Daniels, Governor Cherry's campaign manager in Dare, who accompanied the party to Hatteras, was delighted at the first at Mr. Graham, who came to Dare County at the special request of Highway Commissioner Merril Evans, newly on the Board and long popular with Dare REPRESENTATIVE HERBERT County people. Mr. Evans and BONNER will depart Monday Mr. Graham and Mr. Baise had rom Washington by plane on a intended coming along together our of the Pacific War area, vis- and paying a quiet visit, but the ting as chairman of the Coast word leaked out, and Engineer fuard sub-committee of the J. C. Gardner of Tarboro followlouse of Merchant Marine, the ed along anyhow, probably to try ollowing places: Pearl Hanbor, to explain to Mr. Graham why ustralia, Saipan, Phillipines and he and done so little for those Okinawa. He wi'l accompany the House Naval Affairs sub-com-25 years. He brought along some nittee. Mr. Bonner's committee of his underlings to help him ex-

coast Guard. On this tour, he Maybe they didn't help him exwill have an opportunity to meet plain but something get written many Coast Guard boys from the into the Daily Advance to help District, to observe the throw cold water on the project, great work the Coast Guard has intimating that had a road been buit, the recent storm would have wiped out \$100,000 worth of road. What of it; a road sunk at the 17-YEAR-OLD YOUNG MEN front door of Elizabeth City without the help of a storm, and the

During the month of July a lim- State is spending a million dolars to replace it. Folks of Hatmen will be enlisted in the U.S. teras Island are not forgetting Marine Corps, it was announced that. Moreover, had a road been y Major John M. Grear, recruit- built, it is quite likely it wouldn't have washed away at all. But Young men who have not yet nothing seems to deter the cold

he is the widow of Capt. well into her 70's living Basnight, there were sung Lawrence Swain. And Mrs. Maude Basnight by Robert Midgett of Manteo, and resent time housekeeping hile her son Fred takes

<sup>ng</sup> parties at Oregon In- LT MAYNARD JOHNSON WITH NAVY IN HAWAII

ther four homes are those Lieut. Maynard S. Johnson, R. Midgett, Mr. and Mrs.

and Sam C. Basnight USNR, of New Holland, is now te Twiford. Five miles serving at the U. S. Naval Air re, at the lonely Durant Station, Puunene, Maui, Haiwaiian ub, Capt. J. S. Rhodes Islands-one of the Navy's key ne. This, he keeps for air installations in the Central of Rocky Mount business Pacific. His wife, Mrs. Arlene Johnson, and daughters, Ruth,

a dozen years ago, the Eleanor and Caroline, live in New Mashoes was a flourish- Holland.

with many fishing crews Lieutenant Johnson attended down on the creek Bates College and the University t the busy season. of Illinois, where he received the me from Manns Harbor, degree of Doctor of Philosophy City, Roanoke Island, He was employed by the U.S. County and elsewhere. Department of the Interior, Fish motor boats and good and Wildlife Service. He enterother places have fast ed the Navy in January, 1944, and the picture Capt. Mid- was stationed at Midway Island the road completed. prior to transfer to Hawaii. His today is still an inter- brother, Major Stuart M. Johnand fine for sport son, is serving with the Army Sigs sandy cook beach may nal Corps in the Phillipines.

become popular as a resort. Meantime, its Ve e happy, conted life, MRS. EVALENA TILLETT ways the part of good They are making an rebuild their Methodist damaged by storm Sept- lena Tillett, who died at her home

TOWN REVIVAL TO MONDAY, JULY 23RD Vance Lewis, pastor of the Wan-

chese Methodist church, of which meeting will begin Mas. Tillett was a member. Asdeletown Christian sisting Mr. Lewis were Rev. D. B. Monday night, July Lawrence of Edenton and Rev. lev. W. O. Henderson, Loyd Pierce of the Wanchese ity evangelist, will do Holiness church. Burial was in g, assisted by the pas- the family plot. Pallbearers were J. T. Brown. The M. R. Damiels, C. S. Meekins, nvited to attend and Crowder Davis, Dallas Tillett. Chions and fellowship Ralph Tillett and Dick Tillett.

Out-of-town people attending the funeral included Mr. and Mrs. wing Williams, Wr

DIES AT WANCHESE

Pasker Midgelt of

here is Mrs. Martha family cemetery by Dr. G. A. written by Miss Effie Westcott, R. S. Spencer and J. H. Jarvis; gr <sup>6</sup> last November, the old-<sup>an</sup> in Dare County living <sup>d</sup> doing her own houses

MASHOES WOMAN PROUD

In. Then there is Mrs. ers were Melvin Daniels, Chaun-tess served pie and iced drinks. The new president ann ced Payne, widow of Worth Basnight, Norfleet Cuthrell and August 13, at the home of Mrs. be responsible for programs as The Dare County ration board

W. Shelton.

OF AWARD TO SON and February; A. G. Silverthorne man J. E. Ferebee. Mrs. W. H. Mann of Mashoes March; R. S. Spencer and L. A. every day, as heretofore, the of-

of her son Max, who was the son Shelton and Dallas Cuthrell, No- three o'clock every afternoon from and parents' consent form. of her former marriage to Geo. vember and May; and P. D. Mid- Monday through Thursday, and Wonday infough finantiagy, and Wonday through finantiagy, and on Friday and Saturday the office to Parris Island, S. C., for recruit the Cape Hatteras Coast Guard t

is also a brother of Earl Mann of and June. Manteo, was awarded the bronze

star for gallantry in the village of Speyer, Germany, by Major tion from synthetic fibers after increased work load of the office General Willard G. Wyman, com- the war. Join the one-variety personnel. Up to this time the manding general of the 71st in- program to keep seed stocks pure board has made an effort to keep fantry division. His citation and produce only uniform, high- the office open longer hours, bereads: "For heroic achievement quality cotton.

of fertilizer.

in action against the enemy on the night of March 26th in the vicinity, Pfc. Mann volunteered longer will be required to obtain work has increased to such a Rivers and Harbors of the House needed first, and that is from for a patrol which crossed the

to have a machine gun position. Despite the fact that on a previous, night another patrol received several casualties on a similar mission. Pfc. Mann successfully com-

pleted the mission without regard to persona safety. The bravery and teamwork displayed by Pfc. Mann was particularly outstanding."

Pfc. Mann married Miss Bea-

trice Midgett, who is now living Funeral services for Mrs. Eveat Manteo, with her parents, Mr. and Mirs. Ellsworth Midgett. He went to school at Manteo High, at Wanchese Friday morning, following a long illness, were conand before going into = custodial officer for District of ducted at the home Saturday afternoon at three o'clock, by Rev. Columbia penal institutions at Lorton, Va. He went overseas in anuary, 1945, after having been the Army eight months.



### ELIZABITTI (TTTY

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Betty Jerry, on July 5. The

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### DARE RATION BOARD TO OBSERVE NEW HOURS

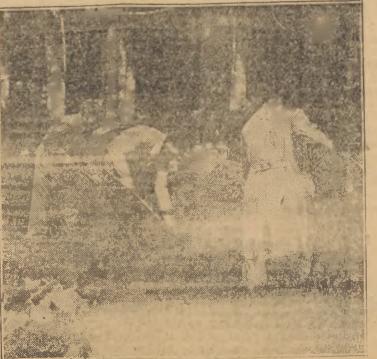
follows: D. L. Berry and J. M. will observe new hours, begin-Worrell, July and January; J. H. ning July 15, according to a state-Jarvis and Frank Gibbs, August ment issued this week by chair-

takes pride in the heroic record Dudley, October and April; N. W. fice will close to the public at will close to the public at one training and will be given six Station by Lieut. Bernice Balo'clock.

Cotto nwill get keen competi- This is made necessary by the overseas.

cause of the difficulty of people

become necessary.



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attained the age of 18 years and water process for some seem scarwho have an eighth grade educa-ied to death at the prospect of ion should write or appaly to the money being spent here. Marine recruiting office, post of- ' Anyway, those who had an oplice building, Raleigh, N. C., for portunity to meet Mr. Graham. and J. M. Long, September and Instead of being open all day application blanks. Such young Mr. Evans and Mr. Baise, were

men as apply should provide agreeably impressed with the visthemselves with birth certificates it. They were escorted along the Banks by Commissioner John Accepted applicants will be sent Meekins of Rodanthe, and fed at

### HOPE TO IMPROVE THE HARBOR AT ENGELHARD

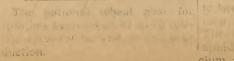
Congressman Herbert C. Bon-Dealers and manufacturers no ty in getting to Manteo, but the resolution by the Committee on to build a dependable road where special application forms from point that this move to close to of Representatives, directing the village to village, which in time Rhine river to fire a barge known farmers before making deliveries the public in the afternoons has Beard of Engineers for Rivers to come must certainly evolve and Harbors to make a survey into a complete system.

and report on Far Creek, North Cerolina, with a view to determining if it is advisable to mod- knows the needs of the people, ify the existing project at the and Mr. Graham being new on present time to a 12 foot depth, the Commission but early taking which wiuld conform to the depth an interest in the plight of the of the Infland Waterway.

make every possible cifort to get tion will be remedied if the ena favorable report.

# BELOVED BUXTON WOMAN

Mrs. Cyrus H. Gray, 70, of Buxan, Dare County, died July 10, to do. Howing a long illness. She was beloved citizen of Cape Hatterand a native of Avon, N. C., the chack of the late James I, and Mary Z. Quidley. Funeral serig children: Mrs. R. C. Gray, of in City, Mes. M. P. Wright of zone. ar Branch, and a sister, Mrs.



months training before being sent lance. Mr. Graham left a feeing of hope among the people that something would be done. He didn't rashly promise a road the whole 60 miles to Hatteras.

but did leave the impressionthat

Mr. Evans is looked upon as an old neighbor and friend who chizens, has won their good will Mr. Bonnier stated be would already. They believe the stua-

gimeering handicaps can be overcome. These handicaps ane so much geographical, mentally DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS they are not local, but in the minds of people who for 25 years have been unable to see anythong

### HOME FROM PACIFIC

Bill Thos. Spencer, U. S. Navy, vices were conducted July 11 by Mrs. A. L. Spencer at their home is visiting his parents, Mr. and Rev. E. R. Meekins of Hatteras. She is survived by the follow-at Middletown. The young Navy man has just returned from 18 months service in the Pacific war

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