

CHAPPELL'S ONE OF MOST POPULAR RESTAURANTS IN ALBEMARLE SECTION

Caters to Many Tourists, Visitors and Local Clientele; Has Grade A Rating

Appreciating fully the quality and variety of foods tourists or people who through necessity, or for convenience away from home, desire and enjoy, A. R. Chappell, a native of the Albemarle section, has provided and equipped one of the most modern eating places for the public in Eastern North Carolina.

While not yet air-conditioned, it is as cool as many which have the equipment, and the food served will meet the expectations of the most critical. The service is all one could wish for, even when in cities of metropolitan size.

The restaurant is equipped with a seating capacity for fifty people, has private dining rooms for parties, luncheon meetings, and banquets, private booths, center tables, and a quick service counter. The personnel is highly trained in the art of serving foods as well as the chefs employed in its preparation, making Chappell's truly a delightful place to dine.

Particular attention is given to parties and banquets, picnic lunches and suppers for any size group, this service being one of the features of the restaurant. These may be obtained in a range of several prices with a selection of practically any foods desired.

Chappell's is located at 302-304 S. Main Street in the heart of the main business section of Edenton, one block from U. S. 17, which turns South on Queen Street.

In connection with the "Grade A" Restaurant, Chappell's operates a recreation Billiard Parlor, conducted on the highest plane with a soft drink and beer parlor immediately adjoining the cafe, but entirely separate from the catering section devoted to the serving of food.

Sea Foods of all kinds, sizzling steaks and genuine North Carolina country ham are but a few of the specialties listed on the A La Carte menu, in addition to a large selection of regular lunches and dinners at most moderate prices.

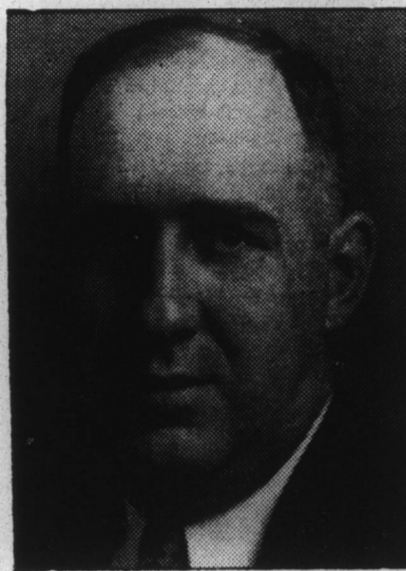
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A. R. CHAPPELL
Owner and operator of Chappell's Restaurant and Recreation Parlors, Edenton, N. C.

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THERE ORTER BE A LAW...

By RICHARD D. DIXON

With thousands of laws on the statute books and more being ground out every session of the Assembly, it is a wise citizen who knows what is the law and can escape some infraction of some law, however diligently he tries to do so.

Even with this great multiplicity of laws, we often, even now, hear someone say: "There orter be a law," meaning that something peevs him or maybe he has some pet idea that he wishes to see put into force.

However, in glancing back over the laws and ordinances passed many, many years ago for the "Good Government" of the town of Edenton, we find that people then, as now, were constantly saying "There orter be a law—" and then proceeded to bring enough pressure on their Assemblymen or city commissioners to pass their pet scheme. In those old days five commissioners composed what is now the Town Council and these were elected annually, with the Sheriff in complete charge of the election. The Sheriff was required

to open the polls at the Court House at 10 A. M., and at sunset count the votes and declare the winners. If a tie resulted in the voting, the Sheriff was authorized to name his man. One requirement was that the commissioners should each "own a piece of ground in the town."

Some of the duties of these commissioners were: To appoint 25 persons to work the fire engine at least once a month; to destroy dangerous chimneys; to prevent hogs, goats and geese running at large on the streets, and to prevent straining of horses on the streets. Disputes over property lines were just as common then as now and to settle these matters the Commissioners decreed: "That after the passage of this Act, the posts standing at the four corners of King and Broad Streets shall be the proper station to begin the admeasurements of the lines, each way, of all lots in town."

A fire was quite an exciting affair as we find that: "Whenever any fire shall break out in town, all inhabitants liable for militia duty shall re-

pair to the place of fire, with buckets and other necessary implements and render all aid for the extinguishment of the same and that in case of a fire which may threaten the total destruction of the town, the commissioners and the justices of the peace shall have full authority, to blow up any houses with powder to prevent further conflagration."

To some readers, probably the office of Official Gauger was the most attractive in town. Listen: "The Commissioners shall appoint a Gauger, whose duty it is to gauge all barrels containing liquor brought into the town, and if he has any doubts of the capacity of the barrel, to draw out the contents by exact measures." Fee, 25c per barrel, with sample tastes free, very probably.

Some of our older citizens will recall the heated controversy over the removal of the awnings over the sidewalks in Edenton, which dispute got into the courts and finally went to the Supreme Court. Read what the old law says: "The Commissioners are required to cause all encroachments to be removed and where any encroachments shall be found from which no immediate danger is to be apprehended, the Commissioners shall impose a ground-rent not exceeding

Parson Ashby Notes St. Paul's Activities

Interest Expected to Increase With Advent of Cooler Weather; Many Now Vacationing

CHARLES AYLETT ASHBY, LL. B., Rector

Most of the congregation is at Nags Head or elsewhere and has been gone through the summer. Those who can't stay the summer, week-end it. Congregations have been fair. Can't expect much of a turn-out in the heat. It is just too much for some of the christians to undertake. "Faithful Soldier and Servant to My Life's End," doesn't mean that much.

We have promise of a good Sunday School next session, and will come together soon after the vacation. Mr. Ernest Swain will be in charge; Miss Betty Wales, treasurer, and Logan Elliott, financial secretary. Few are keeping up their envelopes through the summer. Those failing will get statements from Logan. It is hoped all will pay up. New literature must be bought. The pledges of none are burdensome. Will parents please see how their children stand on this? (Continued on Page Seven)

40 shillings annually for each piazza, platform, chimney or other encroachment."

A few other more or less laughable laws were:

"No sulky, gig, buggy or wagon to remain in the street during the night-time."

"No person shall wash clothes at the town pump."

"No slave to be on the street after the 9:00 o'clock bell."

"Selling tainted meat to be fined \$25.00."

"Nothing but fresh fish to be sold on Sundays."

"The Town Clerk to inspect the ears of hogs sold at the market house."

"Riding a horse on the side-walk fifty cents fine."

"Tying a horse to a private fence, one dollar fine."

"Town Constable to keep the two town guns in order."

"Working the town streets, \$1.75 per day for a horse and a man."

"Pavilion shows to pay a tax of \$5.00."

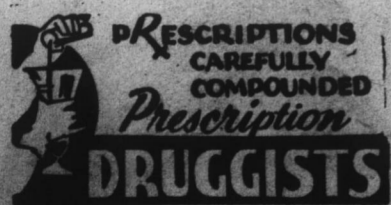


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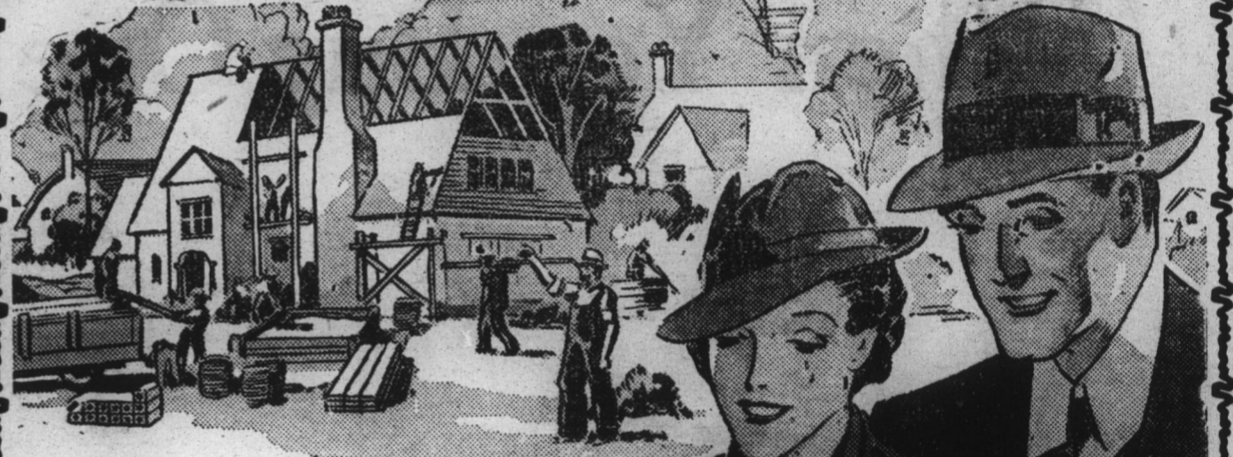
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