

Mrs. Jane Skinner Dies On Tuesday

Member of One of Oldest and Most Prominent Families

Many friends learned with regret Tuesday morning that Mrs. Jane C. Skinner had passed away shortly after midnight Monday at her home at the corner of Queen and Court Streets. Mrs. Skinner was 82 years of age and had been ill for some time. She was, however, during the last several days brighter than usual and her death for that reason was unexpected. She was a member of one of the oldest and most prominent families of Edenton.

Deceased is survived by two daughters, Mrs. C. E. Kramer, with whom she resided, and Mrs. Joseph B. Cheshire, and two Cheshire grandchildren, of Raleigh.

Funeral services were held at the home Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock, with the Rev. C. A. Ashby officiating. Interment was made in Beaver Hill Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: J. A. Moore, O. B. Perry, Dr. J. A. Mitchener, J. M. Vail, T. C. Byrum, Lloyd Griffin, O. M. Elliott and W. O. Elliott, Jr.

Students Enjoy Trip To National Capital

Eleven Edenton students, accompanied by C. D. Stewart, returned on Sunday from a trip to Washington, D. C., where they went on the fifth tour which is made every other year. The trip was very delightful, members of the party commenting especially upon the double cherry blossoms which were in full bloom. The party motored to Norfolk Friday, going from there to the national capital, returning in the same manner.

Those composing the group were Carolyn McMullan, Mary Ayres, Elizabeth Cudmney, Ruth Byrum, Jo Ann Easley, Dorothy Parker, Julia Burton, Mary Goodwin, Carrie Smith, Colin Cox and Janie Mitchener.

Mrs. Roy Baker Heads P. T. A. At Merry Hill

The Merry Hill Parent-Teacher Association held its final meeting for the year Tuesday evening. The meeting was called to order by singing "Come Thou Almighty King," after which S. A. Adams led in prayer. The following officers for next year were installed: President, Mrs. Roy Baker; vice president, H. R. Outlaw; secretary-treasurer, Miss Ruth Hollowell.

Several pupils of the first grade, under the direction of Miss Gertha Farlowe, presented an interesting program. Miss Frances Phelps recited, "Visiting With Vesta," and Mrs. Roy Baker made an interesting talk on Art. H. R. Outlaw dismissed the meeting.

W. J. Taylor Reports Sales Easter Seals

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Dr. J. C. Hines, \$1.00, Edenton Ice Company \$1.00, Anonymous contribution \$1.00, Hudson Grove School \$2.00, Britt's School \$1.00, White Oak School \$2.50, Oak Grove School \$1.56, Beech Fork School \$2.00, Center Hill (white) School \$2.00, St. John's School \$2.27, Virginia Fork School \$1.00, Edenton (colored) High School \$16.80, Chowan High School \$7.81, Warren's Grove School \$2.00, J. Clarence Leary \$1.00, Center Hill (col.) School \$1.00, D. M. Warren \$1.00, Chowan Motor Co. \$1.00, Arthur Chappell \$1.00, J. H. Holmes Co. \$1.00, Powell Clinic \$1.00, W. D. Pruden \$1.00, The Chowan Herald \$1.00, Byrum Hardware Co. \$1.00, J. H. Conger \$1.00, Ed Habit 50c, L. S. Byrum \$1.00, R. D. Dixon \$1.00, G. M. Byrum \$1.00, E. W. Spiers \$1.00, Edenton Peanut Co. \$1.00, Albemarle Peanut Co. \$1.00, Dr. L. P. Williams \$5.00, Canaan Temple School \$1.00, Home Fertilizer Works \$1.00.

Creswell Native Named Columbia School Head

Roy L. Litchfield, a former teacher in Creswell High School and for the past three or four years high school teacher in Columbia, has been recently elected principal of Columbia High School.

Mr. Litchfield, a native of the Creswell community, is a graduate of Wake Forest College. He has for many years been active in the business and social life of his home section. He is also one of the foremost leaders in the church life of the Albemarle Baptist Association.

Red Men Plan For Degree Work Monday

Degree work will feature the meeting of Chowan Tribe of Red Men at their meeting on Monday night. Aside from the exemplification of the usual degree, a number of candidates will be given the fourth degree, which is an occasion for much fun to the lodgemen.

Robbery at School Solved Friday

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about the floor.

Due to the nature of the first robbery suspicion pointed to an "inside" job and in an effort to find the guilty parties finger prints were taken of many students in upper classes. As the result of these finger prints, favorable comparisons were found on glass and envelopes with prints of Thomas Wilder, Harry Lee Spruill and James Cozzens, and warrants for these three boys were subsequently issued. The trio was taken to Greenville to compare their finger prints for themselves after information over the telephone was to the effect that their prints were very similar. The boys, however, maintained their innocence and it was while the specimens were being examined by the Bureau of Investigation at Washington that Jackson was captured and the robbery solved.

Jackson's confession exonerated the three boys and they were immediately released from their \$200 bond.

In Recorder's Court Tuesday morning Jackson faced four misdemeanor counts, three of larceny and one for destroying property. He was sentenced to 16 months on the roads, four months on each charge and ordered to be returned for trial in the September term of Chowan Superior Court on two counts of breaking and entering.

In fairness to the three boys who were arrested in connection with the crime, Thomas Wilder, James Cozzens and Harry Lee Spruill, Judge J. N. Pruden ordered the warrants publicly destroyed so that there would be no trace of any court record against the boys so far as the school incident is concerned.

FOR SALE Seed Stock Peas

\$1.00 Per Bushel
— SEE —
J. A. Davenport
EDENTON, N. C.

CANDIDATE CARD

This is to inform Edenton voters that I am a candidate for re-election to the Board of Public Works in the election to be held Tuesday, May 2. Your vote and support will be very much appreciated.

Fred P. Wood

Pretty Gardens

It is a source of gratification to learn that following mention of beautiful gardens in Edenton appearing in The Herald last week a large number of friends have called to see the various gardens listed.

Since appearance of the item, attention has been called to the garden of Mrs. W. A. Graham and the beautiful climbing roses in the yard at the home of Mrs. W. O. Elliott, Sr. While commenting upon beautification in town, it would be little short of a crime to omit complimenting Father E. L. Gross for the improvement made at St. Anne's Catholic Church property. A beautiful tulip bed for several weeks adorned the yard at the church and the property as a whole is a source of pride compared to the more or less of an eyesore which was the case before Father Gross began making improvements.

Guild Fashion Revue Proves Successful

Sponsored by St. Mary's Guild, an active group of St. Paul's church ladies, the fashion revue presented at the high school Friday night far exceeded expectations by those interested. As the result of the entertainment the ladies realized over \$40 by paid admissions and numerous requests have been made to have the affair repeated, which may be done at a future date.

During the entertainment, which was featured by special music, a group of models appeared on the auditorium stage attired in wedding dresses dating as far back as 1888, which proved both interesting and entertaining.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Miss Carolyn Oglesby was honored at an enjoyable dance Friday evening when her mother, Mrs. J. N. Oglesby entertained a number of the younger set. Many pretty and useful gifts were presented the honoree.

During the intermission Coco Cola and sandwiches were served.

The guests included, in addition to the guest of honor, Misses Frances Hollowell, Elizabeth Hurdle, Grace Wilkins, Juanita Hayman, Edna Wilkins, Annie Macon Byrum, Emily Howard, Catherine Reaves, Kathryn

Shump, Mary Ellen Moore, Margaret Bunch, Mary Privott, Sarah Hurdle, and Mary Louise Nelson, and Sammy Cates, Murray, Muriel and Gray Byrum, Bill Cozart, Jimmy Hassell, John Hassell, James Bond, Norbert Sawyer, Cullen Swindell, A. J. Mason, Daniel Reaves, George Ward, Hayward Ziegler, Elton Forehand, Parker Helms, Raymond Ward, Billy Brunson, J. M. Boyce, James Mitchener, Carroll Stewart, Alex White, Herbert Hollowell and Edward Parker, Mrs. Foster Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McCullers, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jackson.

McMILLAN CIRCLE MEETS

The regular meeting of the H. H. McMillan Circle was held Monday afternoon with Mrs. George P. Byrum at her home on Blount Street. Routine business was followed by study of II Samuel, after which Mrs. E. J. Griffin dismissed the group into the social hour. Mrs. J. Frank White, a visitor, poured tea, and Mrs. Byrum served cookies.

The Circle was glad to welcome Mrs. J. S. Davis as a new member.

Those present were: Mrs. George P. Byrum, Mrs. J. L. Chestnutt, Mrs. D. M. Carter, Mrs. B. F. Francis, Mrs. E. J. Griffin, Mrs. J. H. Holmes, Mrs. S. E. Morris, Mrs. J. Frank White and Mrs. J. S. Davis.

OPPOSITION IN CITY ELECTION NEXT TUESDAY

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more interest than the race for any other office.

Though Gurnie Hobbs was mentioned as much as a month or more ago as a likely candidate for councilman from the Fourth Ward, it was not until Monday of this week that he filed to oppose Walter M. Wilkins. Mr. Wilkins was appointed to the Board when W. E. Bond moved to the country necessitating his resignation and agreed to seek election to the position only after many friends

CANDIDATE CARD

Following my appointment as successor to the late J. A. Woodward on the Board of Public Works, I have filed for election at the hands of the voters. Your vote and support in the election to be held Tuesday, May 2, will be greatly appreciated.

W. W. Byrum

voters qualified to cast a ballot in a city election, the heaviest vote in several elections is anticipated.

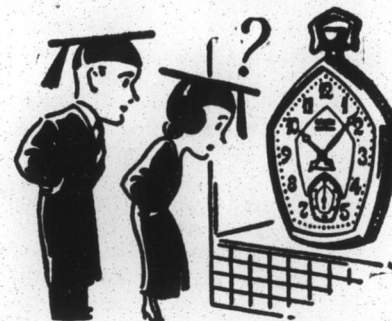
CANDIDATE CARD

I am taking this means to inform the voters of Edenton that I am a candidate for re-election as a member of the Board of Public Works in the election to be held Tuesday, May 2. Your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

F. W. Hobbs

To The Lucky Graduates

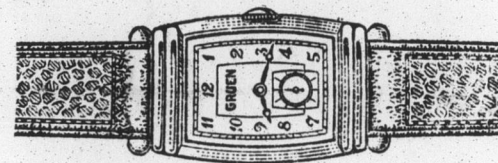
— of — CHOWAN HIGH SCHOOL AND EDENTON HIGH SCHOOL



We will award two fine GRUEN Watches
In a few days the GIANT WATCH tells!

Who . . . will be the lucky GRADUATES

See this Giant Watch on display in our window. When it stops, the hands will point out the lucky winners. The two fortunate graduates will indeed be very happy over these wonderful awards. We know they will give great pleasure and serve a daily usefulness for years to come. For no other watch represents such fine quality and recognized worth as a GRUEN.



CARLYLE . . . 15 jewels, yellow gold filled case with Guildite back \$29.75

CAMPEN'S JEWELERS

EDENTON N. C.

NOTICE TO Electric Users

The Board of Public Works has for several months been considering reducing our electric rates and establishing a one-meter rate.

At our February meeting we definitely decided to make this change but before attempting to determine the new rates we requested the Virginia Electric & Power Company to let us have one of their rate experts to help us determine the rate. One of their representatives met with us at a special meeting in February and at this meeting he suggested a tentative schedule of rates. He advised us, however, to wait and get our April readings before definitely deciding on the new rates, as the VEP had found that April showed the nearest average monthly consumption for the year.

We then decided to wait and get our April readings and on the basis of same try to determine the lowest rates we could safely establish. We will determine these rates as soon as possible after the April 20th readings and make the rates effective on the May 20th reading, or from April 20th.

F. W. HOBBS, Chairman.
W. W. BYRUM.
F. P. WOOD.

NOTICE!

DELINQUENT TAX-PAYERS

By order of the Town Council, I will, on Monday, May 15, 1939, advertise all property for sale on which taxes for the year 1938 have not been paid.

To avoid being advertised, taxes must be paid not later than Saturday, May 13, 1939.

LOUISE D. COKE

Collector, Town of Edenton, N. C.

WAREHOUSE STOCK REDUCING
A Whole SALE WEEK April 28 To May 4th.

SKINLESS	LAND O' LAKES
Franks Lb. 15c	Cheese 2 lbs. 33c
Mustard Qt. jar 9c	COLONIAL Macaroni 2 pkgs. 7c
Salt Meat, lb. 71-2c	
SOUTHERN MANOR	
Fruit Cocktail 2 Cans	for 23c
SOUTHERN MANOR TINY	
Green Lima Beans 2 No. 2 Cans	27c
VIRGINIA MAID	
Peanut Butter 2 lb. Jar	19c
WHITE HOUSE	
Apple Jelly 2 12 oz. Jars	15c
LARGE SIZE	
Prunes 2 1 lb. Pkgs.	23c
DOUBLE FRESH	
COFFEE D. P. Blend, lb.	20c
Golden Blend, lb.	14c
TRIANGLE	
FLOUR	SOUTHERN MANOR (Orange Pekoe)
12 lb. Bag 29c	2 oz. pkg. 7c
24 lb. Bag 55c	1/4 lb. pkg. 12c
48 lb. Bag \$1.09	1/2 lb. pkg. 23c
	1 lb. pkg. 45c
	Pkg. 15 bags 10c