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Cemetery Groups Agree To Deed Beaver Hill Cemetery Over To Town Of Edenton

Action Taken at Joint Meeting Held Tuesday Morning

TWO PROVISIONS Group of Ladies From Churches Will Act For Time

At a joint meeting of the Beaver Hill Cemetery Corporation and the Beaver Hill Cemetery Association Tuesday morning, both groups agreed to turn over to the town of Edenton the Beaver Hill Cemetery, and passed a resolution to that effect which has been turned over to the town, the latter already agreeing to the proposition.

The entire cemetery plot containing about 24 acres will be deeded to the town, except that portion of lots owned by individuals, with only two provisions, one being that the town maintain and keep up the cemetery in a proper manner. The other provision is that what funds remain with the original organization be turned over to a committee composed of a lady from each of the seven denominations, who have already been selected and include the following:

- Mrs. R. F. Tuttle, Catholic Church.
 - Mrs. R. E. Leary, Presbyterian Church.
 - Mrs. Millard F. Bond, Jr., Methodist Church.
 - Mrs. C. E. Kramer, Episcopal Church.
 - Mrs. R. C. Holland, Baptist Church.
 - Mrs. Eva Alexander, Christian Church.
 - Mrs. George Shaw, Church of Assembly of God.
- The funds turned over to this committee are to be used only for beautification and improvements as long as the money lasts.
- The Beaver Hill Cemetery Association has \$216 in hand, which, under the terms, will be turned over to the town, which will have supervision of the cemetery hereafter.
- The Beaver Hill Cemetery Corporation was organized November 11, 1889, with 12 members. These members, all of whom are dead, were W. D. Pruden, W. J. Leary, Jr., C. E. Robinson, Jacob Wool, J. L. Rogerson, R. J. Mitchell, J. R. B. Hathaway, C. S. Vann, R. N. Hines, L. L. Brinkley, Dr. Thomas H. Leary and J. E. Bonner. At present Fred P. Wood is president and Mrs. R. C. Holland, secretary and treasurer.
- The Beaver Hill Cemetery Association was organized in 1914 by three ladies whose purpose was to keep the cemetery in a more attractive condition. These three ladies were Mrs. R. F. Tuttle, Mrs. E. S. Norman and Mrs. S. W. Taylor.

AUXILIARY MEETS FRIDAY

A meeting of the Legion Auxiliary will be held Friday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. L. Chestnutt. All members are urged to be present.

MAYOR LEROY H. HASKETT DESIGNATES APRIL 8-13 CLEAN-UP WEEK IN EDENTON

Urges Cooperation In Effort to Make Edenton More Attractive; Street Department Will Aid In Promptly Collecting Trash During Week

Mayor Leroy Haskett has designated next week, April 8-13, as clean-up week in Edenton and during the week he is appealing to all citizens to make an extra effort to tidy up about homes and premises in an effort to make Edenton cleaner and more attractive.

Mayor Haskett says he is frequently complimented upon the attractive appearance of Edenton homes and streets, but that there is still room for improvement and he hopes that during next week there will be much evidence of cooperation in helping to make Edenton the cleanest town in the State.

During the week, the Street Department will cooperate in carrying away trash which is put out, so that housewives are asked to rid their premises of as much trash as possible.

At the same time a nation-wide "farm cleanup week" from April 8 to 14 is announced by livestock health authorities.

Chief objective of the effort in this state will be a thorough cleanup of livestock quarters, barnyards, and lots, to eradicate parasites, germs, and disease hazards which could be a threat to livestock health. Cleanup

Gifts For Chowan

Chowan County Commissioners were delighted Monday when they learned from the Panel Room Committee that two more portraits have been contributed for the panel room of the Court House. The two portraits will be one of Joseph Hewes and the other of Hugh Williamson.

The Hewes family presented the portrait of Joseph Hewes, while Mrs. James Webb is the donor of the Hugh Williamson portrait.

In the panel room now hangs the portrait of George Monk, Duke of the Albemarle, which a few years ago was presented by Mrs. Inglis Fletcher.

The Commissioners expressed their thanks and appreciation to the Panel Room Committee, as well as the donors of the portraits for their interest in the historic room.

Jurors Drawn For Civil Term Court

Session Scheduled To Be Held During Week Of April 29

Chowan County Commissioners on Monday morning drew 24 names from the jury box, those whose names were drawn being scheduled for jury duty at the term of Chowan Superior Court, which will convene April 29. This term will be for the purpose of trying civil cases only.

Those whose names were drawn include: Willie Crumney, Clarence Cates, L. C. Bunch, W. D. Elliott, J. L. Layton, W. M. Chesson, Ray Hollowell, B. T. Boyd, H. V. Asbell, Bristow Perry, Eugene Baker, H. E. Lane, Fred P. Wood, C. T. Griffin, Robert P. Morris, V. E. Jordan, Fred L. Ashley, H. V. Bass, W. H. Pearce, James Swindell, Emmett Dail, C. A. Perry, Thomas B. Wood, and H. T. Copeland.

Two Veterans Buy Ed Habit's Plant

Edenton's oldest dry cleaning and pressing establishment changed hands this week when Skinner White and Claude Griffin purchased Ed Habit's dry cleaning plant, which was started by Mr. Habit in 1917.

Both young men are returned veterans and plan to continue in business under the same name for the present. The plant will remain in the Habit building. A pick-up and delivery service will be maintained.

BUY EASTER SEALS



Again the season has arrived to buy Easter Seals, which go toward helping crippled children such as pictured above. Children in numerous cases are helped by funds from the sale of these seals who otherwise would not be helped, so that everyone is urged to purchase seals generously from now until Easter, April 21.

Grand Jury Sets Record In Finishing Work In One Day

Recommend Centralized Heating Plant For Court House

One day was all that was required of the Grand Jury for the term of Chowan County Superior Court, the work having been completed and the report submitted Tuesday morning. B. W. Evans was foreman and Gilmore Johnson, secretary.

Everything was found to be satisfactory except the annual account lacking of Lessie B. Wiggins, administrator for the Mattie E. Burke estate. The administrator is out of the state and has been notified by mail by the clerk.

The grand jury noted that the toilet and water system in the jail needed repairs, as well as the fence on the side of the jail keeper's residence and woodwork and gutters on the house.

At the county home, the grand jury recommended that the old jail be torn down and repairs made to the house.

Following a recommendation of Judge Henry Stevens, the Grand Jury went on record as recommending to the County Commissioners that they proceed as soon as feasible to install a centralized heating plant for heating the entire Court House, jail and the jail keeper's residence, the Grand Jury understanding that the County Commissioners have already had plans drawn for this work.

Final Report In Red Cross Drive Boosts Total To \$3,302.27

Chairman J. Clarence Leary Extends Appreciation For Help

J. Clarence Leary, chairman of the Chowan County Red Cross Fund Raising Campaign, reported Tuesday that contributions had amounted to \$3,302.27 and that he expected very little more to be reported. The county's quota was \$2,500, so that again Chowan has exceeded what it was asked to raise.

Mr. Leary is very appreciative of the splendid work done by the various captains and their canvassers and requested The Herald to publicly thank all who in any way contributed toward the success of the drive, both in time and energy as well as in a financial way, throughout the county and at the Edenton Naval Air Station.

Mr. Leary's records show that the total of \$3,302.27 was raised by the following reports:

Taylor Theatre	\$444.35
Industry—W. W. Byrum and P. S. McMullan	406.00
Initial Gifts—W. H. Gardner	312.50
Business Section—Rodney Byrum and W. S. Malone	172.50
West Edenton—Mrs. M. A. Hughes, Mrs. Dick Weeks	659.92
East Edenton—Mrs. T. W. Jones, Mrs. Dick Goodwin	242.35
North Edenton—Mrs. Mildred Sprull	152.75
Rural County—Miss R. Colwell and Charles Overman	643.93
Rural Colored—J. B. Small	37.70
Edenton Residential Colored—Prof. D. P. Walker	96.60
Naval Air Base—Murriel A. Bloss	154.57

Rain Halts Game Friday Afternoon

Elizabeth City In Lead 2-0 After One Inning Was Played

Only one inning was played in the Edenton and Elizabeth City high school baseball game Friday afternoon in Elizabeth City, the game being called off due to rain.

Edenton went to bat first, but did not score, and Powell, on the mound for Edenton, got in trouble when he walked the first two Elizabeth City players. Brinson then slashed a triple, scoring the two men on base. However, Powell then settled down and after Brinson was caught by Keeter between third and home, the other two batters were easily put away. At that point the game was called.

The game is scheduled to be played on April 9.

Edenton's lineup was as follows: P. Hassell, c; E. Rogerson, 1st base; W. Goodwin, 2nd base; F. Keeter, 3rd base; A. Whitson, rf; B. Byrum, cf; H. Powell, p; J. Habit, lf; R. Harrell, ss.

Music Festival In Edenton April 12th

The Competitive Music Festival of the North Eastern District of the Federated Music Clubs will be held in the High School auditorium on Friday, April 12, beginning at 10 a. m. There will be nine entrants from Edenton, some of whom have won honors in other festivals. Any one who is interested in making America truly musical is invited to attend.

Binghamton Plays Raleigh On Hicks Field Next Sunday

Triplets Play 12-Inning Deadlock In Norfolk Last Sunday

With the Binghamton baseball players rapidly rounding into shape, the first game was played Sunday in Norfolk, when the Triplets and Tars played a 12-inning tie game, the score being 8-8.

Local fans will have an opportunity to see the boys in action next Sunday afternoon when they cross bats with the Raleigh team on Hicks Field, the game being scheduled to begin at 2:30 o'clock.

About half of the players have been at Camp Shelton at Portsmouth the first part of this week, while the remainder have been practicing daily on Hicks Field.

Next Sunday's game has been advertised, so that a large crowd of fans is expected to be on hand.

CHOWAN PTA MEETS

Chowan High School Parent-Teacher Association will hold its regular meeting Tuesday night, April 9, in the school auditorium at 7:30 o'clock. All parents are urged to attend.

Judge Stevens Emphasizes Slaughter On Highways In His Charge To Grand Jury

Gosh Darn It!

Local inland fishermen can, after Friday, lay away their fishing poles and casting rigs for over a month due to the closed season during spawning. The fishing season closes Saturday and remains closed in all inland waters until May 20, so that this favorite sport will be taboo until May 20.

More Killed By Automobile Accidents Than War

CAN BE STOPPED Recommends a Modern Heating Plant For Court House

In a charge to the Grand Jury of unusual length Monday morning, Judge Henry L. Stevens, presiding over a term of Chowan Superior Court, devoted the major portion of his remarks to the slaughter of human lives on the highway. He paid tribute to those who serve in the armed forces, deplored the fact that crime has increased among boys and girls under 18 years of age and took occasion to criticize the County Commissioners for allowing the Court House to be heated with stoves.

Upon calling the jurors, Judge Stevens at once emphasized the importance of jury duty and made it plain that he would not excuse any without a very good excuse. "We cannot operate without a jury," he said, "and I don't want any loafers on my jury. There is no better service you can perform for your government aside from wearing a uniform in the armed forces."

A few were excused, after which the Grand Jury was called, as follows:

Those chosen for Grand Jury duty were: Robert A. Boyce, H. J. Copeland, Percy E. Saunders, J. Elton Jordan, A. D. Ward, W. T. McClenney, J. W. Hollowell, Gilmore Johnson, Lee Roy Barrow, W. B. Hassell, E. A. Bunch, Johnnie Bass, J. H. Harrell, H. C. Brinkley, Floyd Griffin, B. W. Evans, Lloyd Parrish, and O. B. Perry. Mr. Evans was designated as foreman.

Judge Stevens said he was delighted to come back to Chowan County and to conduct court in the historic Court House. "It was here that the nation was practically born," he said, "and you people are fortunate to live in this county, where the forebears took such an active part in moulding the future of the nation." He paid tribute to those who served in the two world wars and said he prays to God that the peace may not be lost as it was in 1918.

He deplored the fact that veterans are coming home to find no houses and jobs so that families cannot be properly reunited, and that only worn-out automobiles are available, which brought him to the slaughter on highways.

"Thousands are killed on our highways by recklessness, carelessness and other causes which could be remedied," said the judge. "One person per minute is killed, which is a higher rate than in the war. Living is a sweet sort of thing and I want (Continued on Page Five)

Lions Will Sponsor District Meeting Of Boy Scouts April 22

Tex Lindsay Reports on Progress of Scout Troop 170

Edenton Lions at their meeting Monday night decided to sponsor a meeting of the West Albemarle District of Boy Scouts, the meeting scheduled to be held April 22, at which a barbecue supper will be served. Tex Lindsay, scoutmaster of Troop 170, which is sponsored by the Lions Club, reported very encouraging progress of the troop and said he expected very soon to have uniforms for all of the boys.

W. E. Malone, chairman of District One, presented an invitation from the Elizabeth City Club to attend a joint family night meeting to be held in Elizabeth City during May.

No little interest developed at Monday's meeting due to the fact that for the first time in many months all nine of the club's past presidents were present. These include J. Clarence Leary, W. W. Byrum, W. S. Priyott, Gaddes Potter, W. E. Malone, Dr. W. S. Griffin, Oscar Duncan, Ralph Parrish and John Mitchener.

Linwood R. Worrell was admitted as a new member of the club.

Bear Grass Trio At Rocky Hock Friday

The Bear Grass Trio will present a program at the Rocky Hock Central School Friday night at 8 o'clock, the entertainment being sponsored by the Parent Teachers Association of Rocky Hock with proceeds scheduled to go toward purchasing playground equipment.

During the evening a quilt will be sold at auction, the quilt now being on display in the window of Quinn Furniture Company.

ED BOND POST MEMBERS VOTE TO BUY EVERETT PROPERTY FOR LEGION HOME

Court House Full of Legionnaires Listen Spellbound to Stirring Address By Judge Henry L. Stevens Tuesday Night

A group of Legionnaires which filled the Court House Tuesday night voted almost unanimously to purchase the W. A. Everett property on South Broad street as the site for a Legion Home and heard one of the most stirring Legion addresses ever delivered in Edenton with Judge Henry Stevens as the speaker.

A Legion home has been one of the dreams of Ed Bond Post members for several years, and at the meeting it was voted to accept the recommendation of the building committee, which for a long time has been considering sites. The site chosen is known as "Little America," which extends from the Willis warehouse to the Thomas Wood property. The price of the property is \$4,500, and it was expressed at the meeting that the Legion would be able to finance the cost as well as the cost of the erection of a suitable home.

Other sites considered by the building committee included the Brown property on East King street, the Elliott property on West King street, the old Presbyterian Church property on Broad street and previously a portion of the Gordon property on East Church street.

The same building committee, with the addition of Jack Pruden, an archi-

tect, was continued and instructed to secure a plan of a building, so that work can be started as soon as possible.

Judge Stevens, a past department commander and past national commander, was introduced by John W. Graham, one of the newest Legion members.

At the outset, Judge Stevens said he was glad to come back to the court house after a hard day's work to meet and speak to his comrades in the American Legion. He expressed his pleasure over the enthusiastic manner in which the Legionnaires decided upon a site for a home and predicted that when he comes back to Chowan County he will see a home commensurate with the needs of the Post.

Judge Stevens briefly rehearsed some of the early experiences of the Legion when the going was tough, then took from his wallet his Legion membership and held his audience practically spellbound, as he commented on the various things the Legion stands for, among which are God and country, to uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States, maintain law and order, foster and perpetuate 100% American (Continued on Page Six)