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Year.

Work Is Started On Concrete Bleachers For Football Games

Old Bleachers Are Torn Down By Street Department Crew

200 FEET LONG

Hoped to Be Completed In Time For Opening Game

Meeting in special session Friday morning, Town Council took definite steps to replace the wooden football bleachers on Hicks Field, which will be replaced by a concrete block structure.

The proposed bleachers will be 200 feet long with 12 rows of seats, with a field house to accommodate the home and visiting teams.

The Street Department was instructed to tear down the present bleachers which last year were considered dangerous, so that late in the football season only the lower portion was used to seat spectators. Members of the Street Department on Monday began tearing down the bleachers so that the site will be cleared before a contractor begins the construction of new bleachers.

At Friday's meeting C. B. Mooney was employed to prepare a plan and specifications for the new bleachers, which will be submitted to various contractors in order to bid for the job.

It is hoped the bleachers, especially the seating portion can be completed in time for the first football game early in September. Of course, the field house under the bleachers will not be completed in time, but the old field house on the other side of the field will be used until the new one is completed.

Lost Colony Will Close August 31st

Hundreds of Tar Heel History Students Seeing Drama

Paul Green's symphonic drama The Lost Colony, now being shown for its 12th season at Waterside Theatre on Roanoke Island, will present its final performance for the year on Sunday night, August 31. Until that time there will be performances every night except Monday, August 25.

The drama this year has attracted patrons from every state and many foreign countries. The drama has also attracted several hundreds of North Carolina history students who were given complimentary passes to the show.

More than 1,500 4-H Club members have attended the show this year. They came from counties throughout the State.

Many of the persons seeing the show season had witnessed performances previous years. One new scene, an Indian attack on Fort Raleigh, has added much to the second act and won the acclaim of all who have seen it. During this exciting scene, through clever work of technicians, the fort in which the colonists have taken refuge is set a fire. The scene is also a turning point in the drama's love interest, as Eleanor Dare's husband Captain Ananias Dare is slain by the Indians and from there on out her widow and John Borden lead the group of colonists until they march away into the wilderness at the drama's finale.

By the end of the current season more than 600,000 persons will have seen The Lost Colony. The drama's premiere was on July 4, 1937. It was not shown during four war years. It is now the world's longest-lived outdoor drama and it tells the story in pantomime, dance, song and the spoken word of Sir Walter Raleigh's ill-fated attempts to establish a colony in the New World that became America, and of an unsolved history mystery.

Chestnutt Gives Bible Quiz At Rotary Meet

J. L. Chestnutt was in charge of the program at last week's Rotary meeting, when he presented a very interesting quiz on the Bible. He asked quite a few questions which the Rotarians were to answer true or false.

Frank Holmes, the club's statistician, reported that the club had two 100 per cent meetings within three weeks.

Two Edenton Boy Scouts Win Honor

Billy Moore and Jerry Downum Initiated Into Order of the Arrow

Two Edenton Boy Scouts, Billy Moore and Jerry Downum, were signally honored at Camp Darden, Va., Saturday, when they were initiated into the Order of the Arrow, honorary Boy Scout degree.

The honor was conferred for their outstanding activities while in camp with the Edenton Boy Scouts earlier this summer.

The two boys were accompanied to Camp Darden Friday by Ben Browning and the trio returned home Sunday.

Legion - Auxiliary Officers Will Be Installed Tuesday

Roy MacMillan Will Be Speaker and Install New Officers

Edward G. Bond Post, No. 40, of the American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary will meet jointly Tuesday night of next week, August 26, in the Legion hut on the Edenton-Windsor highway. The meeting is scheduled to begin promptly at 8 o'clock.

A distinguished guest at the meeting will be Roy MacMillan, past Department Commander, who will speak and install new officers for the Legionnaires and the Auxiliary. Mr. MacMillan is an outstanding speaker, so that W. J. Yates, commander of the post, urges all members of both groups to attend the meeting.

Badham Bros. Store Undergoes Changes

Better Lighting, More Room and Convenient For Shoppers

Badham Brothers store, one of Edenton's oldest business establishments, has undergone some interior remodeling, which makes it up-to-date and will make it more convenient and pleasant for their customers. The changes were made under the supervision of Mrs. Laura Harrell, who invites friends to visit the store at any time, if they are shopping or not.

In the change a few counters were removed which resulted in more room and at the same time placing of merchandise is now on a more systematic basis. The boxing at the show windows was removed, which provides more light in the store. A special ladies' hat department is located in the rear of the store, where a goodly number of hats are on display and a series of drawers provides ample storage for a stock of hats.

A small but attractive display of gifts will be seen in the stairway leading to the second floor, so that all in all the improvements adds considerably to the display of merchandise and convenience for shoppers.

Dr. J. A. Mitchener In Cabarrus Hospital

Edenton friends will be interested to know that Dr. J. A. Mitchener is a patient in the Cabarrus County Hospital at Concord. He underwent an operation August 9 and is now making satisfactory progress, though still a bit weak.

When released from the hospital he will remain at the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchener, before returning to Edenton.

MASONS MEET TONIGHT

A stated communication of Unanimity Lodge, No. 7, A. F. & A. M., is scheduled to be held tonight (Thursday) in the Court House at 8 o'clock. W. A. Harrell, master of the lodge, urges a full attendance and cordially invites visiting Masons to attend.

U. S. Defense Bond Sales In Chowan In July Totals \$15,926

Chairman A. B. Harless Announces Drive to Start Sept. 10

Sale of Series E and Series H United States Defense Bonds in Chowan County for the month of July totaled \$15,926.25. Total sales of E & H Bonds for North Carolina's 100 counties were \$4,753,634.00. This sales announcement is made by County Defense Chairman A. B. Harless based on the monthly sales report from Allison James, State Director of the U. S. Defense Bonds Program, in Greensboro.

Because of some changes in methods of reporting Defense Bonds sales, and the fact that all Federal Reserve Banks did not receive Series J and Series K bond stock in July, figures are not available for County and State sales of Series J and Series K Defense Bonds. These figures will be reported next month along with the regular report of August E, H, J and K sales.

County Chairman Harless, in explanation of the above figures, stated that the young men and women in the Armed Services from North Carolina have purchased through the Payroll Savings Plan, during the first six months of 1952, Series E Bonds amounting to \$2,030,953.00 as tabulated by the Federal Reserve Bank. These purchases are in addition to the E Bonds purchased through the regular channels in the state, and have not been previously reported. This total amount of \$2,030,953.00 has been pro-rated on a per-capita basis to each of the state's 100 counties, and is included in the state and county sales figures quoted above.

County Chairman Harless also revealed that North Carolina will have a state-wide Payroll Savings Drive beginning September 10th and ending December 15th. The goal of this drive will be to increase by 20,000 persons participating in the Payroll Savings Plan for the regular purchase of U. S. Defense Bonds. Nineteen-year-old Corporal Jerry K. Crump, the only North Carolinian to be awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor—our country's highest honor—during the Korean war, has volunteered to assist this Drive by personal appearances in industrial communities throughout the state. The drive will be officially opened with a Gaston County dinner meeting in Gastonia September 10th.

State's Tobacco Crop Down 92 Million Lbs.

Estimate as of August 1 Set at 853,040,000 Pounds

The 1952 North Carolina flue-cured tobacco crop is estimated at 853,040,000 pounds, according to a report issued by the State-Federal Crop Reporting Service. This estimate is based on reports from growers showing the condition of the crop as of August 1. Hence, any improvement in the crop as the result of rains since August 1 would not be reflected in the August 1 estimate.

A 1952 flue-cured crop in North Carolina of 853,040,000 pounds would be 124,600,000 pounds or 12.7 per cent less than the record 1951 crop of 977,640,000 pounds. The decrease in this year's flue-cured crop would be more pronounced if growers had not planted 8,000 more acres than last year.

The August 1 estimated crop of 853,040,000 pounds compares with the 1941-50 average North Carolina flue-cured production of 722,736,000 pounds and the 1950 crop of 858,140,000 pounds.

Hobbs Implement Co. Moves Into New Home

One of Edenton's business establishments, the Hobbs Implement Company, last week completed moving into a new home, which is located on East Church Street extended, a short distance from the Edenton Peanut Company. For over four years the business was located on West Eden Street.

The new and modern building provides more room, better service and allows a larger stock of parts as well as the addition of new lines of various kinds of equipment.

Edenton's Colonials Have Even Break In Last Eight Games

Holding on to Third Position Over Goldsboro By 3½ Games

STANDING OF CLUBS (As of Wednesday)

	W	L	Pct.
Kinston	70	42	.625
Wilson	64	46	.582
Edenton	61	50	.550
Goldboro	57	53	.518
Roanoke Rapids	55	58	.487
Rocky Mount	52	58	.478
Tarboro	46	62	.426
New Bern	37	73	.336

In eight games played during the week, the Edenton Colonials broke even, winning four and losing four. They are still in possession of third place in the league standing, leading Goldsboro by 3½ games and trailing Wilson by only 3½ games for second place. Kinston still leads the league with a margin of five games ahead of Wilson.

Home games for the Colonials during the week will be: Tonight (Thursday), Rocky Mount; Saturday, Tarboro; Monday, Kinston, and Thursday of next week, Goldsboro.

The last home game of the season is scheduled Sunday, August 31, when the Colonials will meet Roanoke Rapids.

Edenton 7, Tarboro 1

Tommy Reeves was in his old time form Wednesday night when the Colonials defeated Tarboro on Hicks Field 7 to 1. Reeves allowed only four hits which, coupled with seven Tarboro errors made it easy sailing. The only Tarboro run was a home run clout by Catcher Olin in the fourth inning. It was Reeves' 11th victory of the season.

Jackson started on the mound for Tarboro but was relieved by Phillips in the eighth after allowing 11 hits. Sam Mauney was the big gun in the Edenton attack, registering four hits out of four trips to the plate and battering in three of the Colonials' seven runs.

The Colonials scored two runs in the second, aided by four Tarboro errors. Parker singled and was caught trying to steal second. Inge and Griffin were safe on errors.

Mauney singled and Inge was caught at the plate. Clark was safe on an error and Griffin scored. Mauney scored later on a wild throw. In the third the Colonials added three more runs. Parker opened with a home run and Inge and Griffin walked. Mauney singled scoring Inge, and Clark was purposely walked to fill the bases. Reeves hit into a double play. Ross Horton singled, scoring Griffin and Clark was caught at the plate. In the seventh the Colonials added two more runs. Anderson singled and Evans walked. Mauney then hit his fourth single to score Anderson and Evans.

Edenton 1, Tarboro 10

Tarboro turned the tables in Tarboro Thursday night then they swamped the Colonials 10 to 1. Tarboro batters went on a rampage to chalk up 15 hits, 10 off John Horton in 5 2/3 innings and five off White in 2 1/3 innings. The Colonials, while hitting the offerings of Liverman, managed for the most part to hit the ball in the hands of Tarboro players. Eight hits were made, with Sam Mauney again leading with three.

Tarboro scored in every inning except the fourth and fifth and in each of the first and seventh innings scored three runs. Nozzi and Long were the leaders in the attack with three hits each.

Edenton 1, Roanoke Rapids 0

Monk Raines, star Edenton hurler, registered his 23rd victory of the season in Roanoke Rapids Friday night, when the Colonials won a pitching duel between Raines and Doxtator. Each pitcher allowed only four hits during the night, with Raines fanning 11 batters and Doxtator six.

The Colonials scored their winning (Continued on Page Twelve)

Forest Ranger Will Purchase Pine Cones

Forest Ranger Frank V. White announced this week that pine cones and green burrs which are picked the first two weeks in October will be purchased at \$1.50 per bushel.

PROMOTED IN KOREA

Gale N. Winslow of Belvidere was recently promoted to sergeant while serving with the 45th Infantry Division in Korea.

The 45th Division, which captured T-Bone Hill in June, also has taken part in the see-saw battle for Old Baldy near Chorwon. Prior to entering the army in January, 1951, Sgt. Winslow attended Wake Forest College. He formerly was employed by the N. C. State Highway Commission as an instrument man.

Schools In Edenton Are Scheduled To Open September 3

TV Performers On Lions Club Program

Jackie Morris and Shirley Harrell Present Demonstration

The members of the Edenton Lions Club were treated to a very interesting demonstration in home lighting by Jackie Morris and Shirley Harrell, members of the 4-H Club, at their regular meeting Monday evening.

The program was under the direction of Miss Carolyn Biggerstaff, assistant home demonstration agent. They were introduced by Assistant Agriculture Agent Robert S. Marsh.

This demonstration was portrayed over TV Station WTAR in Norfolk on Friday a week ago and brought forth considerable and very favorable comment.

"The eyes govern 87 per cent of learning and activities 80 per cent, said Morris. Therefore, we can easily understand the great importance in proper lighting in the class rooms, the home, or in business," continued the speaker.

Nathan D. Dail was in charge of the Lions program and extended a most cordial welcome to Miss Biggerstaff on behalf of the club.

President Abraham Jenkins extended his thanks for the splendid program.

Dr. R. H. Vaughan and also J. Frank White, Jr., a native of Edenton, but presently located in Charlotte, were visitors.

It was announced that there will be no meeting on September 1st, Labor Day.

Great Hope Revival Begins On Monday

The Rev. L. C. Chandler Of Atlantic Will Be Evangelist

The Rev. Lee A. Phillips, pastor of the Great Hope Baptist Church, announces that a revival meeting will begin in the church Monday, August 25 and will continue through Sunday, August 31.

The visiting evangelist will be the Rev. L. C. Chandler, pastor of the Baptist Church at Atlantic, N. C., with Mr. Phillips being in charge of the singing.

Services will be held each night during the week beginning at 8 o'clock and a cordial invitation is extended the public to attend.

Beauties On Parade At Monday's Game

Young Ladies Bid For Honor as "Miss Coastal Plain"

Baseball fans on Hicks Field Monday night witnessed a sample of pulchritude throughout Eastern North Carolina, when six beautiful young ladies participated in another phase of the beauty contest to select "Miss Coastal Plain." The affair helped to boost the attendance, which was one of the most encouraging crowds of the season.

The young ladies walked to home plate first in evening gowns and then in bathing suits, with each one and as a group receiving a big hand from the fans. The choice of the judges was not made known, for as they appear in each park in the circuit the name of the winner is sent to league headquarters and when they have appeared in all parks, President Ray Goodman will announce the winner.

The girls who appeared Monday night and the teams they represent are as follows:

Edenton—Miss Dorothy Heninger. Kinston—Miss Lou Smith. Roanoke Rapids—Miss Bruce Carr. Rocky Mount—Miss Dorothy Montford. Tarboro—Miss Cora Lee Warren. Goldsboro—Miss Martha Ann Rose.

ROTARIANS MEET TODAY

Edenton's Rotary Club will meet today (Thursday) at 1 o'clock in the Parish House. President W. T. Harry urges every Rotarian to be present.

Registration For Beginners Thursday and Friday, August 28-29

NEW TEACHERS

Still Few Vacancies on White School Faculty; Colored Complete

According to Superintendent John A. Holmes, schools in the Edenton administrative unit will open for the 1952-53 term on Wednesday morning, September 3.

School will open at 9 o'clock, when all pupils in the elementary school, including the first grade through the sixth grade, are to report in the auditorium of the old school building on Court Street. Those children who are in the seventh grade through the twelfth are asked to meet in the gymnasium at the new school house on Hicks Field.

Under the direction of Band Director Ernest Gentile, a band concert is planned at the gymnasium prior to assigning members to their various classes.

Early this week Mr. Holmes was still short a few teachers to fill vacancies. He needed teachers for the first and fourth grades, a teacher for the commercial department and an English teacher.

For children entering school for the first time this year a registration will be held at the elementary school Thursday and Friday, August 28 and 29. Ernest A. Swain, the principal, will be in charge of the registration.

New members of the faculty as of this week were Gerald James, who comes from Gibsonville to succeed James O. Powers as principal; Mrs. E. B. Edwards of Edenton, who will teach French; Miss Joyce Swinson, home economics, who taught at Weeksville last year; Mrs. Ruth Bunch, a former teacher, who will teach the fifth grade, and Miss Louise Hines, who taught at Hertford for two years, as librarian.

Less difficulty has been experienced in filling the faculty at the colored school, where there were eight vacancies and all are already filled. The new teachers are James Wilhorte, a graduate of Wilburforce College in Ohio, who will teach history and direct the band; Dorothy Fortune, vocational home economics; Joan Harris, health and physical education; Esther Shipp, primary teacher; Roxie Lowe, primary teacher; Ruby C. Lyons, primary teacher, and Mrs. Avies D. Lowery and Mrs. Dayse J. Dixon, grammar grade teachers.

Coon Club Plans Labor Day Trial

Affair Will Begin at 9 A. M. Near Bandon Plantation

Featuring the celebration of Labor Day, September 1, will be a coon dog field trial, which will be held at Pit Field near Bandon Plantation, about 10 miles north of Edenton.

The trial will begin at 9 A. M., with an entry fee of \$3.00 being charged and the purse 100 per cent of the entry fee.

Refreshments will be for sale on the grounds and signs will be placed along the road leading from Route 32.

The affair is sponsored by the Chowan County Coon Club and the public is cordially invited to attend. There will be no admission charged.

W. J. Taylor Attends School Conference

Superintendent of County Schools W. J. Taylor returned home Friday morning from Mars Hill, where he attended a three-day School Superintendents' Conference. Between 200 and 250 school officials attended the Conference, at which Charles H. Carroll, who will succeed Clyde Irwin, was a prominent guest. Mr. Taylor says the Conference was unanimous in the opinion that Mr. Carroll was the best choice to take over the position left vacant by Mr. Irwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor returned home by way of the Blue Ridge Parkway and visited relatives at Rutherfordton.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Ernest Kehayes returned home Sunday from Norfolk General Hospital, where she spent four days under observation.