

\$25,000 Is Earmarked For Reactivating Fish Hatchery By Fish And Wildlife Service

Congressman Herbert Bonner's Request Is Approved

Reactivation of the U. S. Fish Hatchery at Edenton took on the form of reality early this week when The Herald received a letter from Congressman Herbert C. Bonner to the effect that \$25,000 was included in this year's budget for reactivation purposes.

Congressman Bonner's letter follows:

"Dear Buff—In a conference with the officials of the Fish and Wildlife Service this week I was informed that they had approved my request for the reactivation of the Fish Hatchery at Edenton and included in this year's budget an item of \$25,000 for this purpose.

"I have always felt that this station should never have been closed and have continued my effort in its behalf. This decision is very pleasing to me, and I am sure will be good news to the people of Eastern North Carolina.

"I was also informed yesterday that the Department of Agriculture was shipping a carload of surplus grain to Edenton to be distributed from the Hatchery for feeding purposes of migratory waterfowl in the Eastern North Carolina area."

CIVIC CALENDAR

A public hearing will be held in the Municipal Building Monday night, February 18, at 8 o'clock relative to changing the zoning ordinance as it applies to West Eden Street.

All persons interested in singing in a proposed choral society in Edenton are invited to meet at the Edenton Baptist Church Friday night, January 25, at 7:30 o'clock.

March of Dimes, sponsored by the Edenton Jaycees, in progress during the month of January.

The Methodist Men's Club will meet at the church tonight (Thursday) at 6:30 o'clock.

Annual stockholders' meeting of the Edenton Building and Loan Association will be held in the Court House Tuesday night, February 5 at 8 o'clock.

Revival services will be held in Edenton on Friday night.

Prospects Brighten For New Auditorium To Be Added To Junior - Senior High School

State Board of Education Announces Re- lease of \$82,178

Prospects for the addition of an auditorium to the Edenton Junior-Senior High School brightened considerably late last week following a trip to Raleigh by Superintendent John A. Holmes, Mr. Holmes, after a conference with State school officials, was informed that the North Carolina Board of Education approved using \$82,178 of state school funds for the addition of an auditorium to the north end of the present building. When the present building was built in 1951 funds were inadequate to include an auditorium, so that the building was so constructed to cause comparatively little trouble and expense in adding the auditorium to the present structure.

Edenton school trustees for a long time have endeavored to have the state funds released to build the auditorium, but heretofore the "go" signal was held up due to a policy that the money should go entirely for increasing class rooms.

Under the \$50,000,000 school expansion program in North Carolina which went into effect when the late William B. Umstead was serving as Governor, \$180,000 was earmarked for Chowan County according to needs. Of that amount

Plans Are Announced To Organize Choral Society

All Interested Urged To Meet at Baptist Church Friday Night

Ruth Phillips, vice president of the Edenton Woman's Club has announced that its organization will sponsor a new men and women's chorus to be called "The Albemarle Choral Society." Mrs. Phillips urges all persons in the Albemarle who can be at the Edenton Baptist Church Friday, January 25 at 7:30 o'clock to be here. The only requirement for membership in the choral society is that the member wants to sing and can pay a very small fee for music.

The chorus will be conducted by Richard W. Schuman, manager of WCDJ radio and a former musician. Mr. Schuman did graduate work in music composition at Colorado College, Colorado, and he has conducted the Colorado College Choir on many occasions in his own compositions as well as those of many other composers.

Mr. Schuman founded and was the first conductor of the Colorado Springs, Colorado, civic chorus and has studied conducting with Hugh Ross at the Berkshire Music Festival, Tanglewood, Massachusetts, and also with Edgar Schenkman, conductor of the Norfolk Symphony Orchestra. He has sung as a chorus member himself under such internationally known conductors as Robert Shaw, Serge Koussevitzky, Leonard Bernstein, and Mr. Ross. His own compositions have been performed widely. Dick hopes that the Albemarle Choral Society will eventually give concerts, but at the same time, he stresses the fact that the main purpose of the organization is simply for those who like to sing.

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Public Hearing Is Scheduled To Change Zoning Ordinance

20 Years Ago As Found In The Files of The Chowan Herald

A new well was dug along the Suffolk highway 358 feet deep and registered an output of over 500 gallons of water per minute to augment Edenton's water supply. Present at a test was Mayor E. W. Spires, F. W. Hobbs and T. Wallace Jones, who expressed entire satisfaction with the amount of water pumped from the well as well as to its quality.

The Edenton Lions Club was organized when 20 charter members and out-of-town guests met for a dinner at Joseph Hewes Hotel. The charter members were: Dr. W. S. Griffin, J. A. Curran, J. Clarence Leary, Ralph Cuthrell, W. P. Jones, L. S. Byrum, George Dail, W. S. Privott, Guy C. Hobbs, Hector Lupton, W. R. Horton, W. W. Byrum, T. W. Jones, C. E. Byrum, G. M. Byrum, L. H. Haskett, H. C. Goodwin, Jr., W. M. Jones, G. B. Potter and T. C. Byrum.

Two restaurant operators, Joe Habt and Mike Kellay, were given

Little Time Left

Tax Supervisor W. P. Jones reminds Chowan County taxpayers that January is fast passing away, so that very little more time remains to list property for the purpose of taxation.

All property not listed by Saturday, February 2, will be subject to a penalty of 10 per cent, so that all who are required to list their property are urged to do so at once.

District Director Visits BPW Club

Miss Kathleen Jackson Speaks on "Forward Look"

An interesting talk on "Does Your Club Have The Forward Look?" by Miss Kathleen Jackson, district director, featured the monthly dinner meeting of the Edenton Business and Professional Women's Club held Thursday night of last week in the Barker Community House.

Miss Jackson stressed the fact that the Business and Professional Women's Club is a service club rather than a social club. "We should examine ourselves as to membership," she said, "the BPW Club is open to all working class. This is not a sitting club, one learns by doing."

The speaker pointed out that it is better to pin point a program and never lose sight of the BPW aims. She stated that a speaker should be invited in occasionally, but that the programs should be planned for all to participate. "Make 1957 a vital and fruitful year," she urged.

Mrs. Margaret Phtisic, president, opened the meeting and Miss

Cancer Clinic Will Be Held February 1st

The Northeastern Cancer Clinic will be held on Friday afternoon, February 1, with registration beginning at 1 o'clock. A chest X-ray will be given to anyone wishing it along with the examination of the five areas of the body where cancer is most easily found and cured. There are no limitations as to sex, race, physical or economic status at the center. However, women should be 35 or more; men should be 40 or over unless referred by a doctor, or unless one of the "Seven Danger Signals" or "symptoms" are present.

Only 30 people can be seen at the center each month due to limited facilities, so it is suggested that anyone who wishes to be assured of an appointment should write the Cancer Center, Elizabeth City, N. C., for a priority. Examinees are asked to bring a robe or housecoat with them.

Annual Meeting Of B & L February 5th

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It is hoped many members of the association will be present at the meeting, when officers and directors will be elected.

Edenton's Rotary Club will meet this (Thursday) afternoon at 1 o'clock in the Parish House. Last week's meeting was devoted to a business session, so that R. F. Elliott will have charge of the program. President George Alma Byrum urges every member to attend.

Korean Orphans Enjoy Christmas



Above is pictured a group of Korean orphans who were made happy on Christmas as the result of a large quantity of clothing and other items sent by individuals and organizations in the United States. Headed up by Mrs. E. E. McBride, whose husband, Lieut. Col. McBride, is in Korea, many boxes were sent from Chowan County filled with clothing to be distributed among the unfortunate children.

Dr. Clovis Chappell Will Be Speaker At Methodist Revival

Services Will Be Held
February 3 Through
February 8

Dr. Clovis G. Chappell of Waverly, Tennessee, comes to Edenton the week of February 3 for revival services at the Edenton Methodist Church. This distinguished minister was ordained a preacher of the Methodist Church in 1908. He received his higher education at Duke and Harvard Universities. In 1920 Dr. Chappell was honored with D.D. Degrees from Duke University and Centenary College of Louisiana. In 1926 he received the Degree of Litt.D. from Birmingham-Southern College, Birmingham, Ala.

Dr. Chappell has held many of the most distinguished pulpits of the Methodist Church. They include Epworth Church, Oklahoma City; Highland Park Church, Dallas, Texas; Mt. Vernon Place Church, Washington, D. C.; First Methodist Church, Memphis, Tennessee; First Methodist Church, Houston, Texas; First Methodist

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Koreans Grateful For Contributions Sent On Christmas

Col. James H. Reeves, Jr., Writes Letter Of Appreciation

In response to an appeal made before Christmas by Mrs. E. E. McBride, a large amount of clothing was sent by various individuals and organizations in Chowan County to make these children happy and more comfortable over Christmas. Mrs. McBride's husband, Lieut. Col. McBride, informed his wife about the needs of these unfortunate children and a campaign for contributions sponsored by Detachment C (Provisional) 8202D AU, stationed in Korea.

This week The Herald received a letter from Col. James H. Reeves Jr., commanding officer, expressing appreciation for what was sent from Chowan County.

Col. Reeves' letter follows: "This is to acknowledge receipt of your contribution to our Christmas welfare drive. We are most grateful for your wholehearted cooperation.

"With the contributions received from individuals and organizations in the United States together with donations from the Americans stationed here, we were able to provide a very cheerful Christmas for at least 102 Korean orphans located in this general area. Clothing received in excess of that needed by the orphans will be distributed to some of the most needy families in the surrounding towns. We have employed the assistance of missionaries located in this area to assist us in selecting the most needy and most worthy families.

"We have but one regret, that you were not able to share with us the gratitude and joy that was demonstrated by the Korean people who have shared in your contribution."

District Governor Visits Lions Club

Robert M. Langley, president of the Bath Lions Club and District Governor, visited the Edenton Lions Club Monday night, and met with presidents and secretaries of Lions Clubs from Williamston, Plymouth and Edenton. Hertford, in the zone, was not represented. Because of this meeting the program was postponed.

It was decided to entertain the 4-H Corn Club and fathers from Chowan High School at the regular meeting on February 11th.

A belated Christmas gift was presented to Lion ladies. The gift, a Futramma lipstick case and refill by Revlon, was not available at the Christmas party.

A letter of appreciation for flowers was read from Leroy Haskett who is now home from Norfolk General Hospital and his condition is improved considerably.

MEN'S CLUB MEETS

The Methodist Men's Club will hold a meeting tonight (Thursday) at 6:30 o'clock at the church. Rufus Carraway, president, urges every member to be present.

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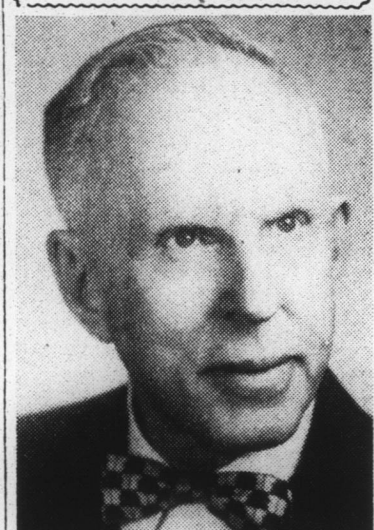
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Freshmen At High School Inaugurate Delores Long Week

Revival Speaker



DR. CLOVIS G. CHAPPELL
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Purpose to Help Raise Funds For Afflicted Classmate

Sponsored by the freshman class at the Edenton Junior-Senior High School, the week of January 28 to February 1 will be designated as "Delores Long Week" in Edenton, the purpose being to come to the aid of an unfortunate classmate who is the victim of Hodgkin's disease.

Delores Long, 14 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Long, is a member of the freshman class and has been affected with the disease for about two years but was able to attend school until about a month and a half ago. She is now being treated twice a week in Suffolk, but in the meantime it is necessary to administer blood transfusions in order to build up enough strength to take the treatments.

The girl's classmates are desirous to raise enough money to pay for medical expenses and the campaign will continue through February 1. Continued on Page 6—Section 1

Jr. C. Of C. Annual DSA Banquet To Be Held Friday Night

Time Short

For those who want to join the Bank of Edenton's 1957 Christmas savings club but have not yet done so, very little time remains to join. The 1957 club will close Monday, January 28, after which time no more members will be accepted.

In the neighborhood of 1,000 clubs are used annually by local people as a popular method for saving money for Christmas and other expenses.

Marsh Attends Fair Meeting In Raleigh

Robert S. Marsh, Assistant County Agent, attended the convention of the N. C. Agricultural Fairs which was held in Raleigh on January 17 and 18.

There will not be a County Fair Short Course at N. C. State College this year as there has been for the past two years. The low attendance at the short course in 1956 caused this decision to be made, as only 14 fairs were re-entry member to be present.

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Past State President Will Be Principal Speaker

Plans have been completed for the Edenton Chamber of Commerce annual Distinguished Service Award Banquet, which will be held in the dining room of the Masonic Temple Friday night, January 25 at 7 o'clock. The meeting was originally scheduled for Thursday of last week, but was postponed due to conflicting activities.

Nominations for the award have been presented to a secret committee and the winner will not be generally known until the night of the banquet. The award goes to the young man between 21 and 35 years of age. He need not be a member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

At the same time the Jaycees will present a Key Man Award to the member who has been most active in club activities during the year. Another honor will be the Rookie Award, which goes to the Jaycee showing the most progress during the year.

The principal speaker for the occasion will be Edgar (Red) Gurganus of Williamston, a past president of the North Carolina Junior Chamber of Commerce. A great deal of interest is engendered in these annual awards, so that practically every Jaycee is expected to attend the banquet.

Edenton PTA Will Meet February 19

Due to the weather, the Edenton Parent-Teacher Association meeting was called off last week, so that the January meeting has been abandoned. The next meeting is scheduled to be held Tuesday night, February 19, at 8 o'clock in the Edenton Elementary School auditorium.

Third Degree At Masonic Meeting

William Adams, master of Unanimity Lodge No. 7, A. F. & A. M., has announced an emergent communication to be held tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is to confer the third degree, so that all members are urged to attend. A cordial invitation is also extended visiting Masons to witness the degree.

JAYCEES MEET TONIGHT
Edenton's Junior Chamber of Commerce will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7 o'clock at the Penelope Barker house. President Dick Dixon urges every member to be present.