

### More Members Is Stressed At Legion-Auxiliary Meeting

Members of Ed Bond Post of the American Legion and Auxiliary members held a delightful joint meeting Thursday night at the Oak Grove Community Building, when a sumptuous barbecued chicken dinner was served by members of the Oak Grove Home Demonstration Club.

Troy Toppin, Commander of the Legion Post, presided and the invocation was by Thurman Harrell. After the dinner John A. Holmes briefly explained the mechanics of the American Legion and introduced the principal speaker, who was Charles H. Whitley of Wilson, vice commander of the First Division.

Mr. Whitley outlined a few avenues of Legion activities including membership, rehabilitation and child welfare. He pointed out that membership is very vital to the Legion for in numbers there is strength, which is needed in the face of movement at times to strike at the heart of the Legion.

As the rehabilitation, the speaker said many veterans are in hospitals as the result of fighting for their country and all too often too many people are prone to forget about them and their handicaps.

Child welfare, he pointed out, is also very important. "We cannot give them a mother or daddy," he said, "but we can help them."

He closed his remarks by saying Legionnaires can get members with little effort, if they will only put forth this effort.

Mrs. J. L. Chestnut, state membership chairman of the Auxiliary, also directed her remarks principally to membership. She stated that the quota last year was 11,000 members but the state fell short. This year, she said, the quota is 10,247 and that the entire year will be devoted to efforts to increase the membership.

Mrs. Chestnut issued a challenge to the Legionnaires to reach the quota, though the Auxiliary has just about reached its quota. She emphasized the importance of having more members and said women can be happy in doing work in the Auxiliary.

At the close of the meeting a rising vote of thanks was given the Oak Grove Club women for the splendid meal served.

During the meeting a number of prizes were awarded, Thurman Harrell winning a beautiful quilt made by the club women and W. A. Perry winning a cake baked and presented by Mrs. J. E. Chestnut. Other prizes were won by Mrs. Robert Pratt, Frank Ward, James Bond, T. L. Evans, Melvin Evans, Miles Bunch, Fred Bunch, Charles Asbell, Wilford Toppin, Mrs. Charlie Asbell, Mrs. Wilford Toppin, Carroll Byrum and Mrs. W. A. Perry.

**VFW MEETING**  
William H. Corfield Post No. 9246, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will meet in the Post home Tuesday night, November 19, at 8 o'clock. Commander Earl White requests a full attendance.

**Return Home**  
Marguerite and Mary Davis Sewell have returned to their home at Charlotte after visiting their grandmother, Mrs. H. C. Goodwin.

The opinions of men who think are always growing and changing, like living children.  
—Philip C. Hamerton.



**FOUR FRIGHTENED DAMSELS**—Four chimpanzee maidens—Debbie, Bonnie, Ginger and Chica—find courage in clinging together as they get an exciting ride on a 1924 fire engine at the Rookfield Zoo in Chicago. "Fire Chief" for this monkey business was pretty Jenny Ourada who manned the wheel like a veteran.

### Boy Scout News

By BILL GOODWIN

Tom Ridgeway has accepted the job of Explorer Advisor of Post 156. With his cooperation the Explorers hope to take on a program of their own and different from that of the Troop. At the present the Explorers are meeting with the Troop except on the second Monday of each month. During this week the post will meet on Tuesday night at 7 o'clock at the Scout cabin.

Although the Troop has held no formal meeting on the last two Mondays because of the football games, some of the boys came out and cleaned up the cabin. At the present the cabin is in better shape than it has been in for several years.

A hike was planned for last week-end but it was called off because of the flu epidemic.

### Christmas Seals Be Mailed About Thanksgiving Day

Ralph Parrish, who is secretary-treasurer of the Chowan County Tuberculosis Association, and is chairman of the 1957 Christmas Seal Sale, has announced that seals will be mailed about Thanksgiving Day.

It is customary to send out the bonds ahead of the seals and these have already been mailed.  
Mr. Parrish and Mrs. James Bond, assistant treasurer, who have been working hard on the coming drive, earnestly hope that there will be a generous response to the 1957 appeal.

### Sanitarian Urging Proper Dish Washing

"Today more people are eating out in restaurants, lunch rooms, soda fountains and other establishments serving food and drink than ever before," says K. J. Eyer, District Health Department Sanitarian.

"It is of vital importance, for the protection of the patrons, that all operators of foodhandling establishments thoroughly wash and sanitize all dishes and utensils. Improper washing and sanitizing of dishes, tableware and kitchen utensils in public places where food and drinks are served may contribute to the passing of many diseases such as colds, influenza and other respiratory ailments from one person to another."

### HAYSEED

By UNCLE SAM

**THE OLD TIME WOODPILE**  
To the older the woodpile had a cheerful appearance and the fire in an open fire place was more cheerful. But the old time woodpile like many other old things has had its day.

Some wood may have been cut the winter before in order to have plenty of dry wood on hand. There would be plenty of green hardwood such as hickory, ash and oak cut for the fire place wood. This would be cut in wagon lengths and hauled to the woodpile. Early in the beginning of the cool season there would be a large pile of wood unloaded at the woodpile. There would be an abundance of soft wood cut for cooking purposes. There would be plenty logs of green hardwood cut into fire place lengths. To go with the back logs would be fore logs. There was always an abundance of kindling and wood to fill in between. Once the fire began burning more green and dry hardwood would be put on. No matter if the ground was covered with snow and the wintry

**JAYCEES MEET TONIGHT**  
Edenton's Junior Chamber of Commerce will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7 o'clock in the Penelope Barker house. Warren Twiddy is very anxious to have all members present.

Goodness and benevolence never tire. They maintain themselves and others and never stop from exhaustion.  
—Mary Baker Eddy.

### Vets' Question Box

Q—If I take a part-time course under the Korean GI Bill, will I be using up my entitlement on the same basis as if I were going to school full-time?  
A—No. If you take part-time GI training, you will use up your entitlement only on a part-time basis.

Q—I am a young man of 22, eligible for War Orphans Schooling. Does my mother have to file an application in my behalf, or may I file one myself?  
A—Since you are over 21, you may file your own application. For young people under 21, however, their living parent or guardian must file the application.

Q—Is War Orphans education limited to only one child in the family of a deceased war veteran? Or may all children receive the educational benefits?  
A—All children in the family may receive the educational benefits, once they reach the eligible age for War Orphans' schooling which generally is 18.

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that the stage was set for the annual Red Cross drive with the quota being \$350.

Contracts were awarded for enlargement and improvement of the Edenton High School.  
Fire Chief R. K. Hall made a request for discarded toys to be repaired by Edenton firemen and distributed among needy children.  
Town Council issued a reminder of an ordinance making it unlawful to climb, play or throw stones or sticks into pecan trees on town property.  
Newspaper publishers and editors of Eastern North Carolina met in Edenton with The Chowan Herald as host.  
F. W. Hobbs, special agent for the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce, reported that cotton ginning was ahead of the previous year with 3,124 bales ginned.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Judson Boyce celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.  
A fire at Chappell's Restaurant on Broad Street caused damage in the amount of \$1,000.  
Fire Commissioner O. B. Perry reported to Town Council the need for two smoke masks for Edenton firemen.  
C. L. McCullers, director of the Edenton High School Band, announced that the band had received several invitations to play for special occasions.

### CIVIC CALENDAR

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Edenton Jaycees will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7 o'clock in the Penelope Barker house.  
Chowan Hospital Auxiliary will meet in the nurses' home Friday afternoon, November 15, at 3 o'clock.  
Chowan County Home Demonstration Clubs will sponsor a demonstration on "Buffet Meals" at the Chowan Community Building Tuesday afternoon, November 19, at 2:30 o'clock.  
4-H Achievement Program will be held Monday night, November 18, at 7:30 o'clock in the Chowan Community Building.  
The Red Cross bloodmobile will again visit Edenton Monday, November 25, from 9:30 to 3:30 at the Edenton armory.

Mrs. Martha Crumney, Great Pochonias of the Degree of Pochonias in North Carolina, will make an official visit to Chowanoke Council No. 54, tonight (Thursday). A dinner at 7 o'clock will precede the meeting.  
Farm Bureau leaders will meet in special session in Raleigh Monday, November 25.  
Christmas seals for 1957 are expected to be mailed by Thanksgiving day.  
Chowan Home Demonstration Clubs will hold their Christmas Festival at the Chowan Community Building Tuesday night, November 26, from 7 to 9 o'clock.  
VFW Auxiliary will conduct its annual sale of popples Saturday, November 16.  
Senior class of Chowan High School will present a 3-act comedy, "Rest Assured," tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock.  
The monthly bake sale of the Fidelis NCO Wives Club will be held at the Post Exchange Thursday, November 21.  
Edenton Chapter No. 302, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet in the Masonic Temple Monday night, November 18, at 8 o'clock.  
Edenton Jaycees will stage their annual Thanksgiving dance in the Edenton armory Wednesday night, November 27, from 9 P. M. to 1 A. M.  
Band Booster Day will be observed in Edenton Saturday, November 16.  
Edenton Rotarians will meet this (Thursday) afternoon at 1 o'clock in the Parish House.  
Edenton's 1957 Christmas party is scheduled to be held Thursday night, December 5.  
Edenton Lions Club will meet Monday night at 7 o'clock.  
Chowan Tribe of Red Men will meet Monday night at 7:30 o'clock.  
VFW will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the Post home.

**NOTICE--NOTICE**  
**SALE OF VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY**

Under and by virtue of authority conferred by all of the heirs-at-law of J. H. Haskett, deceased, the undersigned will, on Wednesday, November 20, 1957 at 2:00 o'clock, P. M., at the J. H. Haskett residence on U. S. Highway No. 17 about 1/4 mile North of Edenton, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described personal property, to-wit:

All household and kitchen furniture of every kind and description (except those items specifically disposed of by the Will of Mrs. Neanie R. Haskett) belonging to the estate of J. H. Haskett, deceased, including beds, chairs, china, cooking and table utensils, Frigidaire refrigerator, electric stove, and many other items of household and kitchen furniture.

Sale will be final on day of sale.  
Dated and posted this November 8, 1957.

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