

Town Councilmen Authorize \$557,000 Bond Election To Make Sewer Improvements

Decision Reached At Lengthy Meeting of Town Council and Board Public Works

Town Council and the Board of Public Works in a special joint meeting remained in session until after 1 o'clock Tuesday morning and shortly before adjournment Town Council agreed to proceed with steps necessary to call a \$557,000 bond election for sewer improvements.

At the outset of the meeting the Board of Public Works presented a recommendation that Town Council authorize the sale of bonds in the amount of \$550,000, which included five projects, which were as follows: Interceptor outfall and pumping station, \$160,399.80.

Westover Heights interceptor and pumping station, \$46,068.00. Sewage treatment plant, \$219,510.50.

Collection lines and pumping station on Highway 17 north to the industrial site, \$45,905.00.

Collection on Dock Street, \$2,805.00.

The estimated cost of construction is \$474,688.30, to which is added \$29,873.60 for engineering.

C. Of C. \$15,000 Goal At Half Way Mark At Noon Wednesday

The Chamber of Commerce annual membership drive to raise \$15,000 for its 1960 activities began Tuesday morning following a kick-off breakfast. Over 35 team captains and solicitors will canvass present members and prospects during the drive.

General Chairman Jesse Harrell told the workers that the campaign is all important "and if we are to do the job most Chamber members think is necessary for the good of the community, our goal of \$15,000 must be reached."

Assisting Harrell with the campaign are President W. P. Jones, vice chairman in charge of retail and service division, and Past President John W. Graham, vice chairman of the industrial and professional groups.

At noon Wednesday Chairman Harrell said 50% of the goal had been pledged. He added that a great many cards were still outstanding.

The annual meeting of the organization will be held on Friday, Nov. 6.

Edenton Aces And Perquimans Indians Battle To 0-0 Tie Score In Downpour Of Rain Friday

What was considered a major upset in the Albemarle Conference took place Friday night when Edenton's Aces and the Perquimans Indians played a 0-0 tie game. The Aces were far from being in top form, while the Indians, fired up for an upset, outplayed them in every department of the game.

The Aces, by comparative scores entered the game from two to five touchdown favorites, but were lucky to come out of the fray with a tie.

The game was played under most disagreeable weather conditions. Shortly before the game started it began to rain and continued practically throughout the entire game. Many spectators left long before the game ended, many took refuge from the rain in the baseball grandstand, quite a distance from the playing field, while a goodly number of those who remained

Plans In Making To Celebrate Annual 4-H Achievement Day To Be Held Saturday, Nov. 21

The Chowan County 4-H Community Building, beginning Council met on Thursday night with many of the new 4-H Club officers being present. Kay Lowe, president, called the meeting to order by having the group stand and repeat the 4-H pledge. The program was then under way and Kay welcomed 33 council members, seven adult leaders, and three Extension agents to the first Fall meeting.

In the line of business, one of the most important items was the discussion of the annual 4-H Achievement Day, which the county council sponsors each year. The 4-H Achievement Day will be held on Saturday, November 21, at the Chowan County 4-H Electric Congress.

Emmett Jones, Jr., Selected To Represent Chowan County At 4-H Electric Congress Oct. 29-30

Ed Coates, Extension agricultural engineering specialist, has announced that Emmett Jones, Jr., Center Hill 4-H'er, has been chosen to represent Chowan County at the 4-H Electric Congress. Electric Congress will be held in Asheville this year, October 29 and 30. All of the electric power companies in the state sponsor this annual event, so the Virginia Electric Power Company is the sponsor from this area.

Chowan PTA Meets Nov. 2

The Parent-Teacher Association of Chowan High School will hold its third meeting of the year in the Chowan High School auditorium on Monday night, November 2, at 8 o'clock.

The membership drive for members in the PTA is still open and each parent is urged to join. The membership dues are 35 cents. These dues should be paid before November 2, but anyone who has not already joined the organization may do so at the meeting Monday night.

The Rev. Lamar Sentell, pastor of Ballard's Bridge Baptist Church, will give the devotional reading. The first and second grades of Chowan High School have charge of the program which will consist of songs, poems and dances that they have learned in their classrooms.

Each parent should attend this meeting and join the organization for the 1959-60 term.

Nutrition Is Theme Of Demonstrations For Club Members

"Better Meals For Your Money" demonstrations will be given by the food and nutrition leaders at the November Home Demonstration Club meetings. Mrs. Rachel Ferguson, Extension nutrition specialist, N. C. State College, will train food and nutrition leaders for this demonstration. The demonstration includes comparative buying of various foods.

Judges for the costumes will be Mrs. J. Clarence Leary, Sr., Mrs. George Hoskins, Mrs. A. B. Harless, Jr., H. A. Campen and Mrs. J. P. Ricks, Jr.

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Crowned King And Queen



Due to a downpour of rain, the John A. Holmes High School homecoming ceremonies at half time Friday night at the football game were forced to be called off. Instead, the King and Queen were crowned in ceremonies held in the school gymnasium. Above, left to right, are Johnny Twiddy, King, and Lorean Wright, who is being crowned by Janet Bunch, the 1958 Queen.—J. P. Ricks, Jr., Photo.

Annual Halloween Party Will Be Held Saturday Evening

Children of Chowan County are invited to sip the witches brew and enjoy the frolic at the annual free Halloween party scheduled to be held Saturday evening from 5 to 7 o'clock.

About 1,500 Youngsters Expected To Participate; Parade Begins at School

The festive parade will be led by the John A. Holmes High School Band up Broad Street to the playground, colorful scene of the party.

At the entrance each child will be given tickets for the various entertainment including hayrides, outdoor movies, fortune telling, fishing pond, apple bobbing and free refreshments.

Cash prizes will be awarded the boy and girl for the most original, the funniest and best costumes.

The Edenton Woman's Club sponsors the annual event in conjunction with the merchants and local organizations. The Varsity Club will again this year supervise the parade. The Junior Chamber of Commerce will conduct the hayride and handle tickets, as well as helping to set up the numerous booths.

Frank Roberts of radio station WCDJ will be master of ceremonies for the gala event. Charles Overman will assist in the showing of the movies. Fortunes will be told by Miss Celia Spivey.

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20 Years Ago

In accordance with President Roosevelt's preparedness program, Company F, local ambulance unit of the North Carolina National Guard, began holding two regular drills each week instead of one and were awaiting orders to be sent to camp for a week of special training.

The Edenton Garden Club, the Parent-Teacher Association and Town Council decided to plant water oaks and willow oaks on the banks of the river.

The new Leary Bros. Storage Company warehouse for handling bulk peanuts is now in operation with the only automatic peanut sampler in the area. The sampler towers 60 feet above the 40 foot by 160 foot warehouse. The machine will sample peanuts taken from the truck in order that government agents can price and grade the load.

In addition to the unique sampler, J. Clarence Leary, Sr., says the warehouse is equipped with conveyors and other equipment to handle the peanuts. The bulk peanut market means a saving to the farmer by eliminating the purchase of bags and the labor required to sew the tops of the bags.

Leary Bros. Storage Company has served Chowan County and the area for more than 25 years by buying the growers' produce and supplying feed, seed, insecticides and fertilizers to the farmer.

Aces Scheduled To Play An Important Game With Ahoskie

Victory Necessary to Remain In Race For Championship of Albemarle Conference

Edenton's Aces, smarting from coming out of the game with the Hertford Indians Friday night with a scoreless tie, are this week preparing for another game which cannot be considered a pushover. They are scheduled to meet the Ahoskie Indians in another home game on Hicks Field beginning at 8 o'clock.

The stock of the Aces took a tumble Friday night when they were expected to easily conquer the Hertford aggregation, so that they will no doubt benefit by over-confidence and again be their real selves Friday night.

This will be a very important conference game for at present Plymouth, yet to be played by the Aces, boasts a perfect conference record. If the Aces lose Friday night, they will be out of the running for the conference championship.

Ahoskie, like Plymouth, is reported to have a very strong team this year, so that the Aces will meet stiff opposition from here on out.

Last year the Aces went up against Ahoskie in an underdog role, when the done was for the Aces to be defeated as much as three or four touchdowns. However, the Aces thrashed the Indians 27-0. This year, on paper, the Aces are the favorites, but Ahoskie will be out to avenge last season's defeat, so that a hotly contested game is in prospect Friday night.

The band members will again be on hand and the hope is that the weather will allow them to perform before the game and at half time. This will be the last scheduled home game for the Aces, for next week the conference schedule will be terminated when they journey to Plymouth to battle the Panthers. A large crowd is expected to turn out Friday night to see the final home game.

Mavo Speaker At Principals' Meeting

Hiram J. Mavo, principal of the John A. Holmes High School will address the regional meeting of beginning principals at the June Rose High School in Greenville on Friday, October 30. Mr. Mavo will speak on "Human Relationships and their Value to the Beginning Principal."

Homecoming Sunday At Christian Church

Homecoming will be observed at the First Christian Church Sunday, November 1, with activities scheduled to begin at 9 A. M. The pastor, the Rev. E. C. Alexander, announces that dinner will be served on the church grounds at noon. The observance is expected to attract a large number of present and former members.

Services will be held at the church each night throughout the week beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

CIVIC CALENDAR

Edenton's annual Halloween party, sponsored by the Edenton Woman's Club will be held on the playground Saturday, October 31, from 5 to 7 P. M.

Edenton Aces will play Ahoskie High School in an Albemarle Conference game on Hicks Field Friday night at 8 o'clock.

Edenton Chapter No. 302, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet Monday night, November 2, at 8 o'clock.

A district school of instruction will be held in the Masonic Temple tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 o'clock.

Edenton Woman's Club will meet at the Edenton Restaurant Wednesday afternoon, November 4, at 1 o'clock.

The Negro Junior Woman's Club will sponsor a Halloween party on the playground at the school Friday night, October 31, from 5 to 7 P. M.

Voters In Chowan Give Big Majority In State Election

Nuisance

Edentonians and residents in Chowan County as a whole have for some time been plagued by explosions occurring high up in the air caused by jet planes. The reports are very loud and many instances have been reported that the repercussions are causing plaster to crack in homes and even broken windows.

What can be done about it? The voting in Chowan County, as was the case on a statewide basis, was very light. Just about 250 voters in the county bothered to go to the polls to register their wishes in the election.

New Office Hours For Draft Board

William S. Elliott, Sr., chairman of Chowan County Local Board No. 21 of the Selective Service System announces that the local board office will change its office hours beginning Monday, November 2.

Office hours thereafter will be from 9:30 A. M. to 1:30 P. M., Monday through Friday at Room No. 314, Citizens Bank Building. At any time business cannot possibly be conducted during these hours, the clerk's address and telephone number is posted on the door.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING

Edenton Woman's Club will meet Wednesday afternoon of next week, November 4, at 1 o'clock at the Edenton Restaurant. Mrs. Wesley Chesson, Jr., president, urges all members to attend.

Other than the above, voters in every precinct voted in favor of all nine of the projects included in the bond election.

Chowan's Vote In State Bond Election

\$18,891,000 FOR STATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS		
	For	Against
East Edenton	53	6
West Edenton	107	11
Rocky Hock	8	8
Center Hill	19	2
Wardville	12	7
Yeopim	12	1
Totals	211	35

\$12,053,000 FOR STATE MENTAL INSTITUTIONS		
	For	Against
East Edenton	56	4
West Edenton	111	7
Rocky Hock	14	7
Center Hill	17	4
Wardville	13	7
Yeopim	13	0
Totals	224	29

\$1,500,000 FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGES		
	For	Against
East Edenton	51	8
West Edenton	97	18
Rocky Hock	5	10
Center Hill	14	6
Wardville	8	9
Yeopim	11	1
Totals	186	52

\$500,000 FOR HOSPITAL IMPROVEMENTS		
	For	Against
East Edenton	54	6
West Edenton	106	10
Rocky Hock	13	9
Center Hill	17	4
Wardville	11	9
Yeopim	12	0
Totals	213	38

\$100,000 FOR STATE ARMORIES		
	For	Against
East Edenton	12	12
West Edenton	85	29
Rocky Hock	4	10
Center Hill	12	7
Wardville	7	10
Yeopim	11	1
Totals	163	69

\$466,000 FOR STATE TRAINING SCHOOLS		
	For	Against
East Edenton	53	6
West Edenton	107	10
Rocky Hock	9	9
Center Hill	16	4
Wardville	8	9
Yeopim	11	1
Totals	204	39

\$140,000 FOR STATE BLIND REHABILITATION		
	For	Against
East Edenton	56	4
West Edenton	111	7
Rocky Hock	15	6
Center Hill	18	2
Wardville	14	7
Yeopim	12	0
Totals	226	26

\$500,000 FOR NORTH CAROLINA STATE PORTS		
	For	Against
East Edenton	43	12
West Edenton	84	30
Rocky Hock	4	11
Center Hill	10	8
Wardville	6	9
Yeopim	10	1
Totals	157	71

\$250,000 FOR STATE HISTORICAL SITES		
	For	Against
East Edenton	44	12
West Edenton	83	20
Rocky Hock	5	20
Center Hill	12	7
Wardville	7	9
Yeopim	10	2
Totals	171	60