

Planning Program Considered Monday

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and a park at the foot of Broad Street. In her remarks Mrs. Earnhardt referred to the various tours of Edenton saying that an average of 800 visitors a day came to Edenton during the tours and that the events made a contribution to the economic situation in Edenton. She further stated that the entire county will treasure and appreciate the improvements when completed and that it would be a big factor in keeping the town beautiful, clean and inviting. "Our forefathers passed on to us our valuable historical shrines," she said, "which warrants our care and respect. Few counties can boast of having a street like Broad Street, the foot of which should be enhanced with the beautiful body of water as a background, so that the Court House Green and Broad Street will be an outstanding attraction not only for the many tourists, but local people as well."

Mrs. Earnhardt stated that the planning program has been given much thought and many factors brought about the suggested plan. She expressed the hope that enough interest could be generated to result in making the project a success. She said the planning committee of the club was only making suggestions for the improvements which will reap economic rewards in the future and making Edenton a center of attraction for years to come.

On display were models of the suggested plan for the Court House Green and the foot of Broad Street as prepared by Morley and Nathalia Williams.

Mr. Williams was introduced by Mrs. Earnhardt and he in turn explained the proposed improvements. Mr. Williams is an authority in his field. He did the history of development of the White House grounds for President Franklin Roosevelt; he was director of research and restoration at Mt. Vernon for three years; he made the plans for restoration of the grounds and plantation at Lee's birthplace, Stratford; he made a survey of Monticello, Jefferson's home, in which the grounds were restored and was landscape architect for Tryon's Palace restoration.

Mr. Williams, too, explained the models on display, and at the outset said he had learned about the Chowan County Court House 20 years ago in Washington. He said the Court House is one of the most outstanding monuments of colonial architecture and is known by historians and architects throughout the country. "Many have come to Edenton just to see the building and inspecting it and carry away a very favorable memory of it," he said.

As to the Court House Green, he said the trees are over age and short-lived and that new trees should be planted. Under the plan as presented all present trees would be removed and two rows of sycamore trees planted from King Street to the end. The Confederate monument, he said, had no connection with the colonial shrine, so that plans call for removing the monument to the foot of Broad Street, where shrubbery would be planted and an attractive park made. This, he said, would provide a beautiful sight from far up Broad Street as visitors enter Edenton. At the spot four flags could be displayed adding to the attractiveness. These flags would be the national flag, state flag, confederate flag and a city flag. A space in the center would be paved, provided



COLLEGIATE—Mrs. Stephen Rockefeller, the former Anne-Marie Rasmussen of Norway, head of the halls of Columbia University, New York. She is taking a course in English.

ing for outdoor ceremonies of many kinds.

After the present trees were removed the entire green would be torn up with a bulldozer and leveled off and regraded. The Hewes monument would remain, but seating facilities are planned where people could sit and enjoy the view and shade.

Mrs. Earnhardt stated that all present funds of the Woman's Club will be earmarked toward completion of the proposed project, but, of course, the town and county would be expected to share in the expense. No estimate of the cost was available Monday, but it was stated an estimate will be secured as soon as possible and Town Council and the Commissioners will be informed as soon as it is received.

G. H. Harding also called attention to the tri-centenary of State of North Carolina in 1963, when Edenton might be the center of staging the celebration. Obviously, the event will bring many visitors to Edenton and he said the town should make a good showing, and that the plans should be started immediately. He also said he expected many visitors when the 200th anniversary of the James Iredell house will be celebrated on November 22.

All who attended the meeting appeared to be very enthusiastic about the plan, which was referred to as a great challenge and the greatest step ever made toward progress, development and preservation of natural resources.

Jimmy M. Baker Completes Training

Jimmy M. Baker, SA, USCG son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Copeland of Route 1, Edenton has completed 13 weeks of basic training at the U. S. Coast Guard Receiving Center at Cape May, New Jersey. He entered the Coast Guard last July.

Seaman Apprentice Baker will now report to the 5th Coast Guard District for further duty.

Before entering the Coast Guard he graduated from John A. Holmes High School.

APPOINTED TO BOARD

Chowan County Commissioners at their meeting Monday morning appointed Mrs. Corinne Thorstad as a member of the Mental Health Board. Mrs. Thorstad succeeds Gerald James.

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