



Lord And Saviour

By Terry Jones

"Because the foolishness of God is wiser than men;" (1 Cor. 1:25). Not too long ago I had the opportunity to talk with a fine lady who was slowly dying of cancer. She asked me a perplexing question, "Why do I have to die such a young and hard death when my whole life has been so full of problems and sorrow?" And I might also ask, "why?"

Or there was the university student who had come to the end of his academic career. After many years of study he had made a brilliant record, won many honors. The following week there was awaiting him a promising position. The next morning he was to be married to his childhood sweetheart. Then on his way to commencement he was killed. Why?

There was the very sick child who needed his father's help so very much, yet the father passed away in the midst of the child's

illness. Why? Why does God allow one child to be born with a bright future into a land of freedom and plenty; then on the other side of the world at the same instant another child is born on a Chinese houseboat and faces a life of poverty and starvation. "Why" we say, why does God allow these things to take place? It seems as though He almost lets us down. Many times I have blankly faced these questions. Then the words of Paul almost jump out at me. . . . "Because the foolishness of God is wiser than men; and the weakness of God is stronger than men. . . . But God hath chosen the foolish things of the world to confound the wise." I offer no explanation as to "why" God allows certain things to happen which makes no sense to us, I only can agree with Paul. Somewhere in His infinite wisdom God knows away in the midst of the child's

Engagement Announced



MISS MARYANN ROBERTSON

Mr. and Mrs. Zack D. Robertson of Hertford announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Maryann Robertson, to Leon Earl Bunch, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bunch of Edenton. Miss Robertson is a graduate of Chowan College and Atlantic Christian College, where she received a BS degree. She is now teaching first grade at Central High School. Mr. Bunch is a graduate of Chowan High School. The wedding will take place Sunday afternoon, June 28 at 3 o'clock at the Hertford Baptist Church. No invitations will be sent. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

questions, and He knows the reason why certain things happen. Perhaps we would not understand even if He told us "why".

We really have no human right to ask God "why". This is like a first grader questioning and doubting the intelligence of a genius such as Dr. Albert Einstein. Only God knows "why", we only have to learn to say, "Thy will be done".

New officers for the next school term were installed. They include: Mrs. E. J. Pruden, Jr., president; Mrs. Leslie Carter, vice president and Mrs. H. G. Cobb, secretary and treasurer.

The Vital Question
Mrs. Benham — He has been disappointed in love.
Benham — How long has he been married?

Merry Hill PTA Installs Officers

Merry Hill Parent-Teacher Association met at the school auditorium Monday night, May 25 at 8 o'clock for its last meeting of the school year. A musical program was given by the piano students.

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EDENTON ELECTRIC RATES REDUCED

Mr. Jesse L. Harrell, Chairman, Messrs. J. H. Conger, Jr., J. P. Rioks, Jr., Thomas C. Byrum, Jr., and W. J. P. Earnhardt, Sr., of the Board of Public Works announce that, effective with the June 1, 1964, billing, Edenton's residential customers will enjoy a reduction in the price of the electric power used in their residences, both from a standpoint of cooking and lighting as well as hot water heating.

Edenton's Residential Rate, including the 10% discount was:

50 KWH @ .0495	\$2.48
Next 50 KWH @ .036	1.80
Excess of 100 KWH @ .0225	

Edenton's new residential rate, which will become effective June 1, 1964, is as follows:

50 KWH @ .045	2.25
Next 50 KWH @ .036	1.80
Next 100 KWH @ .027	2.70
Next 400 KWH @ .018	7.20
Excess of 600 KWH @ .015	

The following is an example of the new residential rate's application:

KWH	OLD RATE Including 10% Discount	NEW RATE
80	\$ 3.55	\$ 3.33
120	4.72	4.59
280	8.32	8.19
320	9.22	8.91
480	12.82	11.79
680	17.32	15.15
840	20.92	17.55 etc.

Edenton's Hot Water Heating Rate, including the 10 per cent discount was .0135 per KWH. This rate has been reduced to .01 per KWH.

An example of this rate's application follows:

KWH	OLD RATE Including 10% Discount	NEW RATE
150	\$ 2.03	\$1.50
200	2.70	2.00
300	4.05	3.00 etc.

The commercial electric rates which apply to small business and industrial users have been reduced 10 per cent. However, the 10 per cent prompt payment discount has been discontinued, resulting in no change in the cost per KWH to commercial users.

The new Commercial Rate is as follows:

First 200 KWH @ .0495	\$ 9.90
Next 200 KWH @ .036	7.20
Next 400 KWH @ .027	10.80
Excess of 800 KWH @ .0225	

NEITHER THE RESIDENTIAL NOR COMMERCIAL RATES WILL BE SUBJECT TO A 10 PER CENT DISCOUNT FOR PROMPT PAYMENT. INSTEAD A PENALTY OF 10 PER CENT WILL BE IMPOSED FOR PAYMENT AFTER THE 10th OF THE MONTH.

The various electric power rates which apply to large business and industrial users, have not been changed. These rates have for the past ten years or more been lower than those in the surrounding territory. These rates were originally copies of those of Virginia Electric and Power Company and have not followed this Company's increase in rates during this period.

The above rate reductions will mean that the revenue from electric operations will be reduced by \$14,000.00 per year and balances the rate reduction recently received from Virginia Electric and Power Company.

The Board of Public Works has been working toward the reduction of these electric rates for some time and is pleased to be in a position to make this announcement.

In keeping with the Chamber of Commerce motto of "Progressive Edenton", the Board of Public Works continues to bring to the Town of Edenton the finest service available in electric, water and sewer facilities and extensions of these services at the lowest possible cost.

You are cordially invited by the Board to make an inspection of its facilities at any time, and your suggestions, comments and criticisms will be welcomed.

Yours truly,

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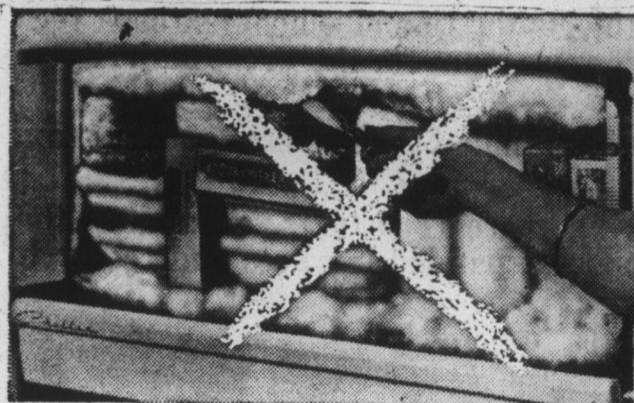
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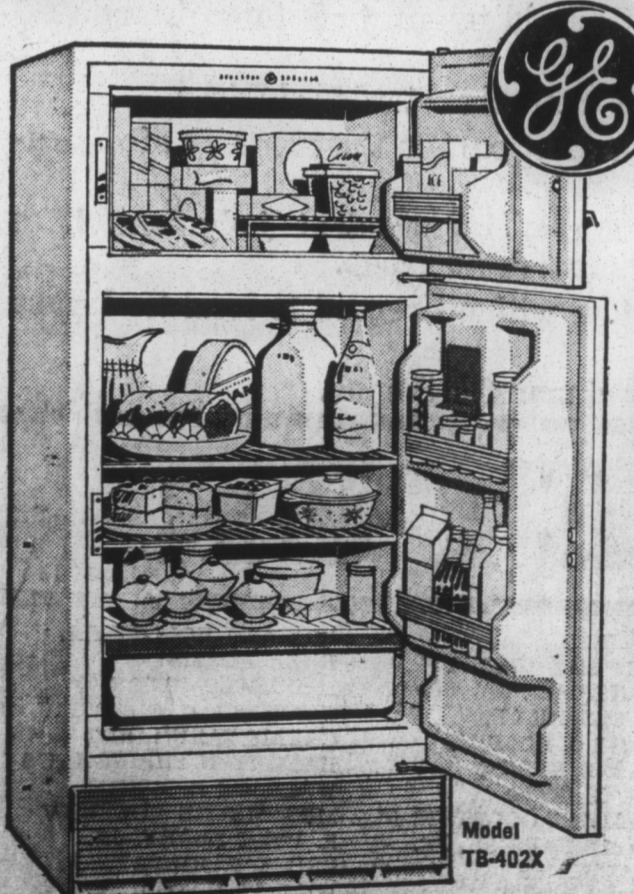


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