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Colonial home of Penelope Barker, the woman who organized the original protest party.

Surrounding Mrs. Privott were women of Edenton, dressed in authentic attire. Beneath the table were three pesky youngsters who, while not fully aware of what was happening, had a tendency to upstage the entire re-enactment cast.

Mrs. Lloyd Griffin and Mrs. Badham poured tea—the real stuff this time around—for the women as they signed the resolution and milled around the Barker House. Then the group moved onto the porch where they continued the program. The speeches were impressive but Actor Sidney Blackmer, filling in for Burl Ives, gave a stirring performance and one which made his audience glad they had waited 45 minutes for him to arrive via plane from Greensboro.

Blackmer gave a dramatic reading based on the U. S. Declaration of Independence and read a special message from the British Consul-General, who sent English

tea to replace the Yaupon tea drunk at the first party. The British spokesman also expressed the hope that "Now that there is no tax either on tea or goodwill, I trust that the normal flow of commerce between Edenton and Great Britain will grow apace."

First District Rep. Walter Jones praised the women for holding the re-enactment in support of the N. C. Heart Association's public education campaign, and cited Edenton as "one of the cradles of an idea—a wish and hope of mankind given voice—which changed the world."

"It is not simple to imagine that the soft-spoken defiance of fifty-one women in an obscure colonial town could shake and enrage the monarch of the mightiest empire on earth. Yet this happened here, 192 years ago," Jones said.

Governor Dan Moore also sent a message of congratulations and proclaimed January 2 as "Independence from Heart Disease Day."

Hargrove Bowles, Jr., State Senator-elect from Guilford County and Chairman of the Board of the North Carolina Heart Association, also prais-

ed the gathering for dramatizing the struggle against heart disease.

"The cause which you good women of Edenton have supported today is no hollow cause. Those volunteers among us who struggle with the causes and cures of heart disease struggle with an enemy whose lack of drama makes it doubly hard to arouse its potential victims to their mortal peril," Bowles said.

To emphasize the gravity of the problem, Bowles suggested to the crowd:

"Look at the person to your left; now at the person to your right, or at any two people in this crowd, including me. One of the people you looked at will ultimately die of some disease of the heart or the blood vessels."

The event was climaxed by the performance of one of America's oldest and oddest New Year's observances, the firing of the guns by the 200-year-old New Year's Day Shooters, a group from Cherryville, who recite an ancient chant and shoot ancient flintlock muskets as an omen of good luck for the New Year.

Their salute was answered

by a rifle squad salute from a squad of Marines from the U. S. Second Marine Division, stationed at Camp Lejeune, N. C.

Marine engineers also fired for the first time in history three Revolutionary War cannon brought to Edenton in 1778 to defend the town. Prior to this, they had never been used.

Hospital Patients

Visiting Hours, 2 to 4 P. M. and 7 to 8 P. M.

Patients discharged from Chowan Hospital during the week of December 27 - January 4 included the following:

Lloyd Thomas Belch, Lloyd Adams, Charlie Wilson, Mrs. Nancy Gulben, Mrs. Janie Williams, Theodore Belote, Mrs. Maggie Brickhouse, Mrs. Patricia Tomblin, Miss Esther Hobowsky, Miss Hazeline Marie Byrum, Mrs. Patricia Ann Hobbs, Mrs. Jackie Dixon, Master Joe Parrish, Gordon Boyce, Miss Selma Voliva, Joseph Davis, Mrs. Mary Pledger, Willis Hunter and Mrs. Betty Boyce.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Byrum, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hughes, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Furman Haywood Hood, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Willis McCoy Privott, a son; Mr. and Mrs. James Randolph Pledger, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harris Williams, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Roger W. Hobbs, a daughter.

Auxiliary Ball Plans Finalized

The annual Chowan Hospital Auxiliary Ball has been scheduled for Saturday, February 4, at Chowan Golf & Country Club.

Mrs. Alton Elmore and Mrs. Richard Hardin have been named co-chairmen for the event.

Tickets for the ball will go on sale Monday and can be obtained by contacting either Mrs. Elmore at 482-3577, or Mrs. Jesse Harrell, 482-2383.

CRUTCH SALE

The March of Dimes drive gets under way in Chowan County officially Saturday when Girl Scouts conduct a crutch sale in downtown Edenton. Jerry Holmes, general chairman of the campaign conducted annually by Edenton Jaycees, said Oscar White is chairman of the crutch sale.

AUXILIARY MEETING

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. L. Chestnut.

DRIVER CLASSES

Driver education classes will begin Monday afternoon at John A. Holmes High School. Persons other than students desiring to take the class should contact Principal Cecil W. Fry.

JAYCETTES TO MEET

Edenton Jaycettes will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7 o'clock in the Jaycee building. The program will consist of use of cosmetics. Beth Jethro, president urges everyone to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for the cards, flowers and food sent us at the death of our loved one, Mrs. Louise Newsom.

THE FAMILY

Mayor Cites

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surplus funds for building the new fire station. The bulk of the town's revenue comes from the profit on the sale of electricity.

The bonded indebtedness of the town is \$460,000, extremely lower than the norm. Mayor Mitchener, elected last October as president of the N. C. League of Municipalities, said in the past five years the town has constructed a new sewage disposal plant, built a new Municipal Building, added to the Electric and Water Department building, improved the street department facilities, and just last month occupied the new fire station.

In an effort to cut expenses for the town's fleet of vehicles, the town established a garage. Town Administrator W. B. Gardner said this move is proving to be a real saving to the town.

Mayor Mitchener was high in his praise of the work being done by Gardner. He singled out the administrator's fine work in collecting taxes. Last year 98 per cent

of the levy was collected. In other areas this runs about 89 per cent in towns the size of Edenton.

The town last year continued a program of obtaining land in the downtown area for off-street parking. When the current phase of the project is completed this year there will be 350 un-metered spaces available to shoppers.

Mayor Mitchener said the town was pleased to cooperate with Chowan County

Girl Scout News

We would like to thank the many families who contributed money and clothing for the 14 children the Girl Scouts provided Christmas for. We elected officers. Patrol leaders are Linda Parrish. Her assistant is Valerie Goodwin. Another patrol leader is Gail Harrell. Her assistant is Pam Colombo. The scribe for 1967 is Connie Copeland. Also the Girl Scouts will canvas for the March of Dimes on Saturday, the 7th, from 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.

Valerie Goodwin, Scribe.

Commissioners in a policy of extending utility lines outside the corporate limits to open up other areas for industrial use. He said this was directly connected with the decision of Carter's Ink to locate here.

Further highlights of the year included:

Cooperated with the AADA in re-establishing vocational schools at the base.

Started day-to-day operation of the dog warden.

Corrected traffic hazards which existed around the elementary school.

Participated in installation of lighting the main runway at Edenton Municipal Airport.

Established first Edenton Planning Board and launched long-range program for the town.

Established Edenton - Chowan Good Neighbor Council. Cooperated with school officials in a recreational program.

Continued policy of surfacing and re-surfacing streets. (There are no unpaved streets in Edenton).

Re-negotiated lease with U. S. Lumber Company to

reclaim some valuable land for industrial sites.

Cooperated with the highway commission in establishing priorities for highway work.

Police department received a certificate of merit from National Association of Police Officers.

Worked out lease with Union-Camp Bag for site behind Municipal Building.

Transferred Hicks Field to school board.

Completed study of electric extension needs and let contract on first phase of the work.

Worked with ABC Board in up-dating communications system.

Purchased a new fire truck and various equipment in the Traffic and Water Department.

Took over maintenance of Vine Oak Cemetery.

Gave a general salary increase to employees.

Took delivery on a billing computer to allow town to maintain all records and give customers better service.

Began a program of widening intersections to facilitate better flow of traffic.

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DON'T CUT YOUR EARNINGS DOLLAR

SAVE BY THE 10th for full 6 month's profit

You have ten extra days to get in on your full six months' share of our generous earnings. Save on or before the tenth—earn from the first.

Full month's earnings grow at full clip, each and every six months when we compound and add them to your account!

A Safe Place to Save Since 1905

Your Savings INSURED up to \$15,000.00 by the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corp.

Save Where Your Savings Will Help a Relative, Friend or Neighbor Enjoy the Exciting Reality of Home Ownership

AS YOUR SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION GROWS, YOUR COMMUNITY GROWS.

Edenton Savings & Loan Assn.

322 S. Broad



Edenton, N. C.

shopping with you in mind

By LATE

You've heard the quotation "Only your hairdresser knows." Now it is known at Mitchener's Pharmacy, who carry a complete line of Clairol beauty products. For Miss Clairol hair colorings, rinses, shampoos, all "make-up" in liquid or powders, lip sticks and nail polishes in all different shades—it's all available at Mitchener's Pharmacy.

LADIES! These cold winter nights, when sitting by the fire, why don't you turn your talents to knitting with some of those beautiful shades of knitting wool from Gene's 5c and 10c Store? This 4-fold, 4-ounce yarn costs only \$1.09 and can be knitted into many attractive items. Gene's has a wonderful buy on ladies' nylon hose which has been 2 pair for \$1 and are now 3 pair for \$1, in shades of Charm and Vellon. For this rainy weather, umbrellas are a special—just 99c at Gene's 5c and 10c Store.

It's a known fact that once you watch color television,

you'll want it, so why not go to the Western Gas Service Store and let them show you their beautiful color television sets in RCA, Victor or Motorola? The colors coming from these sets are so true and the elegance of color is almost unbelievable. You'll be easily convinced when you see these wonderful sets at the Western Gas Service Store.

What wonderful buys in ladies' fashions you can get at the after Christmas Sale going on right now at the Betty Shoppe. Imagine getting a Jane Holley blouse at half price, of course, in broken sizes. There's great reductions in pajamas, travel sets and sleep coats by Lorraine. Petti pants and some discontinued styles in Shadowline slips, greatly reduced. One group of handbags are at half price and many gift items now selling at half price at the Betty Shoppe.

Can you imagine getting tender frying size chickens for only 23c a pound? Well, you can do just that at the P & Q Super Market this

weekend. There's quite a few items at extra savings this week, including fresh cut pork chops at 59c a pound, country sausage at 59c or tender beef liver at 35c a pound. Another good buy is 5 packages of Camellia facial tissues for \$1. A special bonus on Green Stamps is an extra this week at the P & Q Super Market, a "homey" place to shop.

If you are a hunter, fisherman, an outdoor worker or just a plain outdoorsman, you'll appreciate a new innovation on sale at Hollowell's Rexall Store. It's the Cold Weather Mask for facial protection. This mask covers the nose and throat and humidifies the cold air, keeping your face free from windburn and making you much more comfortable when outdoors. Get this and many other medical needs from registered pharmacists are ready to fill your doctor's prescription accurately and quickly.

Since the hunting season is in full swing, the Western Auto Store is offering a

wonderful "buy" in shot guns. For instance, there's a .12 gauge shot gun, 30-inch barrel with full choke for \$129.95. Also many other shot guns from \$31.95 up. By the way, at the Western Auto Store all toys have been reduced 50%. A 19-inch portable TV has been reduced from \$134.95 to \$119.95 and a Sunbeam electric knife with two blades has been marked down from \$24.95 to \$19.95. Another intriguing items here is the counter of "Take a Chance" box for 99c—values up to \$10 at the Western Auto Store.

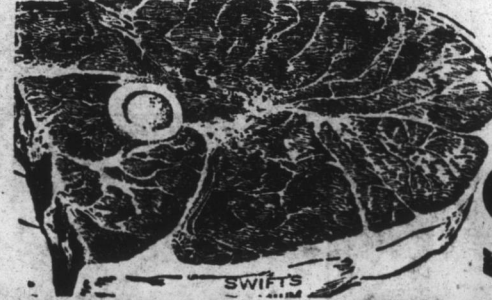
Tarkington's have continued their great After Christmas Sale and have added many other drastically reduced items for sale at this time. All the beautiful holiday dresses have been reduced one-half. Ladies' hats are half price and all skirts, sweaters and slacks have been marked down. All dark sell cottons for children as well as the winter sleepwear for children have been reduced greatly at Tarkington's January Clearance Sale.

Phthisic's SUPER MARKET - Edenton



Prices in This Ad are Effective Thursday - Friday - Saturday January 5, 6, 7, 1967.

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Swift Premium

Bone-in — Full Cut

ROUND STEAKS lb. 79c

FRESH GROUND BEEF lb. 43c

Swift Premium Aged to Perfection Naturally

Blade Chuck Roast lb. 35c

Boneless Chuck Roast lb. 53c

SHOULDER ROAST lb. 53c

FRESH — FIRST CUT

Pork Chops lb. 49c

BACON lb. 49c SAUSAGE lb. 39c

10-OZ. CHASE & SANBORN INSTANT COFFEE 99c

Here are only a few of the Bell Ringer values you will find in the Staples Department of our store.

LIBBY'S DARK Brown Beans ... 2 cans 25c

5 LB. Quaker Grits ... bag 35c

NO. 303 LIBBY'S Cut Green Beans 2 cans 35c

NO. 300 LIBBY'S Tomato Juice ... can 10c

1 1/2-LB. HALL'S BREAD ... 2 for 49c

1-LB. HALL'S BREAD ... 2 for 33c

CHEF BOY-AR-DEE FROZEN Pizza with Sausage ... pkg. 63c

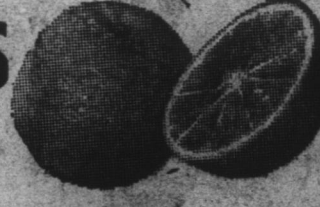
Pizza with Cheese ... pkg. 53c

PKG. OF 2 — PET-RITZ Pie Crust Shells ... pkg. 29c

PILLSBURY AND BALLARD'S Biscuits ... 4 for 35c

125 Count Full of Juice, Florida

ORANGES 29c



NOTICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS

We discontinued our delivery service on January 2, as advertised in our ad last week, because it is impossible to get adequate help to continue this service. We appreciate your business and we are looking forward to serving you in the future.

Giant 8c off Label LUX LIQUID bottle 51c	Giant 13c off Label IVORY LIQUID bottle 46c	Giant 10c off Label DASH pkg. 69c
Giant 10c off Label AJAX DETERGENT bottle 75c	3-lb. 4c off Label CRISCO can 91c	46-oz. Libby's ORANGE JUICE can 31c