



NEW OFFICERS INSTALLED—A new slate of officers for the Chowan Edenton Optimist Club were installed October 11, 1982. The new officers are Jerry Parks, President; Leibert Devine, Vice-President; Teddie Wright, Vice-President; Felix Chambers, Secretary-Treasurer; Richard Dixon, Sergeant-At-Arms.

Optimist Club Installs New Officers

A new slate of officers was installed by the Chowan-Edenton Optimist Club at Boswell's Restaurant on October 11.

State Optimist Governor James Williams of Wilson challenged the new officers to continue their outstanding performance in the Albemarle area and spread optimism through their many youth-oriented activities. He congratulated the club on the previous year's successful projects including the Circus performance, the Special Olympics, the Fisher Field concession and bathroom facility, and the Fourth of July Festival.

Outgoing president Mike McArthur recalled his past

year, and pledged his continued support to the club and its new president Jerry Parks. McArthur was presented an award for his service by outgoing vice-president Frank White who quoted a portion of "The Optimist Creed" stating that McArthur "works only for the best, and expects only the best."

Wilson Optimist Club president John Etheridge presented past Edenton president Richard Dixon a "Life Membership" to Optimist International. Dixon was credited with having had inspiring foresight to bring an Optimist Organization into Chowan County.

The Chowan-Edenton Optimist Club was chartered in June of 1980 and since has had a very positive effect on youth activity potential in Chowan and surrounding counties. During the next few months club representatives will present a Drug and Alcohol Abuse Program to all Junior High and High School students. Also Bicycle and Pedestrian Safety Programs are scheduled during October for all kindergarten through eighth grade students.

The International All Star Circus will be presented at John A. Holmes High School on Wednesday November 3, 1982 at 7:30 P.M. in the gymnasium. Anyone wishing to buy \$3.00 admission tickets should

contact a member of the Optimist Club. Last year over 1200 people were thrilled by the live beat of a circus band as professional circus performers took daring chances and clowns brought laughter to one and all.

Jerry Parks acknowledges the great support given the Optimist Club in the past and anticipates greater opportunities to assist the people of Chowan County, as he assumes his role of directing his club through a year of continuing service.

Guest Speaker At Presbyterian Church

Mr. John Guard, lay reader of the Edenton United Methodist Church will be the guest speaker tonight at the Spiritual Renewal services at First Presbyterian Church, Edenton, W. Queen St and Moseley. The services begin at 7:30 P.M. This is the final service of the series. All the public is invited.

Presbyterian Notes

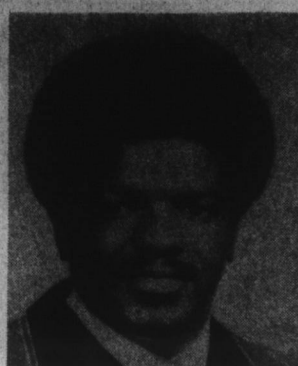
Laity Sunday will be held this Sunday at First Presbyterian Church, Edenton with the emphasis on the Stewardship of Life. At the 11 A.M. Worship a three part sermon will be preached by John Jennings, Gail Stevens, and Terry Williams.

At the worship as part of a series on Children Understanding Worship Gil Burroughs will have the children's sermon on "Let us Sing unto the Lord."

The officers of First Presbyterian will hold a Retreat this Sunday afternoon at the Church building. Dr. Richard Hines will be the guest inspirational speaker for supper.



Trees planted around airports act as acoustical barriers to absorb noise.



Rev. Thomas Walker

Church Anniversary

The Providence Missionary Baptist Church will celebrate their 114th Church Anniversary, Sunday, October 10, 1982 at 4:00 P.M. Rev. Thomas L. Walker and congregation will be their guest.

Rev. Thomas L. Walker is a national known evangelist, gospel singer, and recording artist. Best known by his record "One Day At A Time".

Dr. J. L. Fenner, Sr. Pastor

Youth Singers Hold

The Youth Singers of Center Hill and Great Hope Baptist Churches will hold a car wash at the Bank of North Carolina Building located on North Broad Street, this Saturday, October 9, from 9 A.M. to 4

Methodist Sermon Topic Is Selected

"The Unforeseen Good" is the sermon topic selected by Rev. Richard R. Blankenhorn for the Sunday morning worship service, October 10, 11 A.M., at the Edenton United Methodist Church. The text for this message is John 1:46.

The UMYF-EYC (Youth Groups) will meet at the church at 6 P.M., Sunday, October 10. A cook-out and softball game will be part of the evening's activities.

The Administrative Board will meet at the church at 7:30 P.M., Sunday, October 10.

The Mary-Martha Circle will meet on Monday, October 11, 10:30 A.M., with Mrs. Joy Oborn.

The Susanna Wesley Circle will meet on Monday, October 11, 8 P.M., with Mrs. Sharron Sopher.

The Afternoon Circle will meet on Tuesday, October 12, 3 P.M., at the church library. Mrs. Esther

Crisanti and her "Bible Land Puppets" will present a special program.

The 1982 Charge Conference for the Edenton United Methodist Church will take place on Wednesday, October 13, 7:30 P.M. The Reverend Kermit L. Braswell, Superintendent of the Elizabeth City

District of the United Methodist Church, will preside over this Conference. Officers and leaders for the Church for 1983 will be elected and various reports on the work and life of the church will be given during this important annual meeting.

Garden Of Eden Club Meeting

The Garden of Eden Club held its monthly meeting Tuesday, October 5. Millie Whitehurst from the Museum of the Albemarle gave an interesting and informative slide presentation with a narration on the Historic Albemarle Tour. The presentation included the history, geography and natural resources of the area with a commentary on

towns, the way they present their activities and recreation areas.

The Club then made final plans for the Christmas Idea Workshop which will be held November 10 from 10 A.M. to 2 P.M. There will be a box lunch provided at this workshop. A limited number of tickets are available from Club members and admission is by ticket only.

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obituaries

Bill George
"They must have needed a middle linebacker in heaven," is the lead sentence in a Chicago Sun-Times tribute to Bill George, the "kid" brother of N.J. George of Edenton who was killed Thursday of last week in a three-vehicle accident.

Ray Sons, Sun-Times sports editor, went on to note that he last saw the ex-Chicago Bears great at the Pro Football Hall of Fame in Canton, Ohio, in July. George had been enshrined there in 1974, the last of his superlatives as a sports figure.

Bill George was born in Waynesburg, Pa., on October 27, 1930. He was the son of the late Leo and Mary Joseph George. In addition to his brother, surviving is a sister, Mary Helen George of Waynesburg; and three children.

He was a high school fullback who doubled in wrestling and won the National AAU championship. In 1948 he entered Wake Forest College and played four years of football—an all-conference performer for three and an All-American as a junior. He also was Southern Conference heavyweight wrestling champion for three years.

George was credited with inventing the middle linebacker position in football. He played 14 years with the Chicago Bears and his No. 61 is retired. His last year of professional football was with the Los Angeles Rams in 1967.

Funeral services were held at 10 A.M. Saturday at Bethel Baptist Church in Schaumburg, Ill., with burial in Barrington.

Helen B. Byrum
BELHAVEN, NC.—Mrs. Helen Brett Byrum, age 84, died Saturday, Oct. 2. She was the widow of the Rev. John T. Byrum, former pastor of Ballard's Bridge Baptist Church in Tyner.

Survivors include four stepsons; John Byrum, David Byrum, and Porter Byrum, all of Charlotte, NC and Dr. Clifford C. Byrum of Raleigh, NC; one sister, Mrs. Margaret Honn of Charlottesville, Va.; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, Oct. 4, at 3:00 P.M. in the Belhaven Missionary Baptist Church by the Rev. Jack Lawson and the Rev. George Cooke. Graveside services were conducted at 5:00 P.M. in

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Bill George
the Ballard's Bridge Baptist Church Cemetery. Willford-Barham Funeral Home was in charge of local arrangements.

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