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THIS WEEK'S BIBLE THOUGHT

A RIGHTEOUS SOCIAL ORDER: Nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more.

A GREAT LOSS TO CHOWAN COUNTY

In the death last week of Zachariah W. Evans, Chowan has lost another of its beloved patriarchs and natives.

Perhaps no man in all Chowan had so many friends among both races as had Mr. Evans.

For a half century he served faithfully and diligently in his little countryside Sunday School.

Called upon, undoubtedly against his will, to serve his county, he acted for several terms as county treasurer and County Commissioner.

WILL HIS PEN REMAIN SILENT?

When a man has lived a whole lifetime of probity within the confines of one community, and by his efforts has done much to publicize that town, it's a fine commentary on citizenship that he should be obliged to write as W. O. Saunders did on Saturday in announcing the one year failure of the Elizabeth City Daily Independent.

Think of it, \$1,500 after three score years of hard and earnest work for a town that located itself in the atlases of time largely through Mr. Saunders' writings—a town that had a President yesterday and probably wouldn't have had him save that Mr. Saunders lived, wrote and spoke Elizabeth City all the time.

The same is true of Elizabeth City. By his vitriolic articles in his weekly and again in his daily, and by his magazine articles, largely by the latter, Mr. Saunders talked Elizabeth City to a faretheewell, and as usual the community turned thumbs down on him by saying tchellwithhim.

HEARD AND SEEN

By "BUFF"

Some ladies give me hail Columbia sometimes, but they're a fine set of folks after all. At times I've had some thoughts about 'em that wouldn't look so good in print, but had tact (or was it lack of nerve?) not to lose my temper.

As usual I was blamed for devouring most of the food when, if the truth is told, A. D. Ward, N. K. Rowell, Minton Warren, George Dail, Noah Goodwin, W. H. Winborne and Henry Goodwin and some others made a very good job of eating.

Many friends of Richard Dixon are glad to see him being driven around in his automobile.

When it comes to terseness little Dick Dixon has everything. He's been off to a summer camp in Virginia and when writing to his daddy, while the latter was in the hospital, said: "Daddy, I'm sorry you are sick."

I thought Fuller F. Taylor had a fish story on Monday, but it isn't exactly a fish he was telling me about. He brought an eel-looking thing in the office which he said was a newt.

"Save your Fluffy Ruffles four bags," says Captain Dick Holmes. The reason he makes this suggestion is that next week he plans to announce another empty flour bag contest.

As anxious as I am to print birth announcements, one was omitted in last week's issue. This particular one had to do with the arrival of a baby girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Campen.

What I'd like to know is when does a person get too old to work? Which thought was prompted when I was told this week that Mrs. Jodie Leary, who is in her 85th year, and just recently recovered from a serious illness, began housekeeping last week.

Well, the clock on the Court House is again striking after some mystery as to why it had stopped for a day or so last week following what was said to be complaints emanating from hotel guests.

Chowan has always been a Saunders admirer, and will continue its sympathetic interest in any further move he may make.

rig up a contraption to prevent the clock from striking say from 11 o'clock at night to sometime in the morning. It's just such a kind of a trick that Izzy likes to mess with so he disconnected the striking apparatus while he was doing a little experimenting with the gears.

Hubert Elliott, who is now doing newspaper work, asked Harvey Thomas if he was going to Manteo this week to see the President, adding "it will be a great chance."

The days of heroes have not passed altogether. The other night A. L. Sexton discovered a cute little kitten away up on a telephone pole in front of his home.

Though he's been more or less of a competitor in the way of news gathering, here's one who regrets seeing Charles Burr leave Edenton. Mr. Burr has been one of the most congenial newspaper correspondents to be in town since The Herald has been published.

My hat's off to the Edenton High School Band. On Monday night the youngsters paraded down Broad street and almost broke up Town Council meeting when the members must have thought a band was on its way to Manteo to welcome President Roosevelt.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

TOWN CLOCK

I noticed in your column a few days ago a complaint of the town clock, striking during the night. I am an invalid and must say I find it a comfort and help to me when I awaken with my aloneness in the dead hours of the night, to know the hour it is; an old friend saying: "Be of good cheer."

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and if all comments are sincere many of us are.

Thank goodness and John Holmes, too, for his persistency, it now looks as though the money will be forthcoming to make necessary improvements and repairs to the Edenton school.

SIGN PINE

Marvin Blanchard, of Philadelphia, Pa., spent last week with his mother, Mrs. Annie Blanchard.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Perry and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rodney Byrum and little son, of Edenton, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Perry, A. T. Perry and Miss Inez Perry spent Sunday at Ocean View, Va.

Mrs. D. H. Berryman, Mrs. Jimmie Dail and children visited Mrs. M. C. Ward Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. D. Ward and daughter, Miss Donnie, visited Mrs. Tempie Eason Sunday afternoon.

Misses Avis Ward and Marie Copeland spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Copeland, at Corapeake.

Miss Vera Newby Perry accompanied by friends from Edenton, attended the pageant at Fort Raleigh Sunday evening, after spending the day at Nags Head.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Howard and children, of Newport News, Va., are spending the week with Mr. Howard's sister, Mrs. Annie Blanchard.

Mrs. J. F. Ward, Mrs. R. S. Hoskins, Misses Cortez and Lavelle Ward, and Peggy Eason spent Sunday afternoon in Gatesville.

Miss Vera Newby Perry is spending the week with Miss Syble Spivey, at Corapeake.

Miss Marguerite Ward, of Center Hill, and Emmett Jones, of Sunbury, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ward on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Myra White is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. C. Ward.

BOND-BAZEMORE

The wedding of Miss Grace Bazemore, of Republican, near Windsor, to Mr. James Nurney Bond, of Lynchburg, Va., was solemnized on Saturday evening, August 14, at half after seven o'clock in the Republican Baptist Church.

Immediately following the ceremony the bridal couple left for a motor trip through Western North Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia. They will make their home in Lynchburg, Virginia.

CONGRATULATIONS TO . . .

Taylor Theatre

UPON COMPLETION OF Redecorating and Refurnishing

Of Their Theatre

PERSONNEL OF

Gulf Service Station

Guy C. Hobbs, Manager EDENTON, N. C.

PRESIDENT GETS INITIAL COPY OF TOWN'S BOOKLET

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paid for by a list of civic-minded business men whose names are noted on the inside of the back cover. Naturally it will not be handed around as a souvenir but will go forward into the marts of trade and to travel agencies where Edenton may feel the best results can come from.

Sufficient has been explained about the booklet as it first developed and on several occasions since, to make repetition unnecessary. It can be said, however, that everyone who has seen it has commented on its uniqueness and originality as well as its attractive display, and have expressed themselves as pleased. It was published and printed in the plant of The Chowan Herald.

MERRY HILL BIRTHDAY PARTY

Misses Vannie Mae, Alice and Virgie Coward entertained in honor of their sister, Nettie, at a birthday party on Saturday evening, August 14, on her 19th birthday.

The guests were entertained with amusing games and contests, after which they were served an iced course. There were about eighty guests present. The honoree received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Miss Nettie will leave for Saint Vincents Hospital, Norfolk, Va., to enter training for a nurse on the 8th of September.

MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Burton announce the marriage of their daughter, Sarah Roberson Burton, to Marvin P. Wilson. The ceremony was performed at Camden on Monday, August 9.

ATTENDS SENATE SESSION

D. B. Liles returned Tuesday night from a trip to Baltimore, and on his return home attended a session of the United States Senate. Mr. Liles was very much impressed with the deliberations of the upper law mill.

Congratulations . . .

TO THE

TAYLOR THEATRE UPON COMPLETION OF Redecorating and Refurnishing Of Their Theatre

Bridge-Turn Service Station Phone 139 EDENTON, N. C.

ANNOUNCEMENT . . .

We wish to announce to the public that we have with us one of the best cooks in the State. He has been cooking with some of the best restaurants for over 30 years, specializing in Italian spaghetti, also American and European style food of all kinds.

Eat with us just once and you will come back again.

Your Patronage Will Be Appreciated

Habit's Cafe

JOE HABIT, Manager

Wm. M. Jones Now Representative Of Investors Syndicate



William M. Jones has been appointed as a representative of the Investors Syndicate, who will work through the Norfolk, Va., office with S. J. Horton as agency manager.

Mr. Jones will make Edenton his headquarters and will devote most of his time in Chowan, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Bertie and Currituck counties and will be assisted by the assistant agency manager, Geo. B. Powell.

Mr. Jones has been in Edenton for a period of three years, coming here from Durham. He is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania.

INVESTORS SYNDICATE TOTAL RESOURCES REACH \$100,000,000

Investors Syndicate, an International institution, with a Branch Office in Norfolk, Va., was formed late in June in 1894. Its charter was granted on July 10, 1894.

In forty-three years the company has grown to over \$100,000,000, the June 30, 1937, statement showing total resources of \$101,184,527.90.

More significant, perhaps, than the size of its growth is

the manner of its growth. It has increased in strength and stability in every year of its forty-three—through good and trying times alike.

It has maintained an unbroken record of prompt payment of every obligation on time when due.

In the last twelve years alone Investors Syndicate has disbursed to its certificate holders a sum of over \$71,000,000.

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