

E. H. S. Plays Today For Eastern Crown

Apex Eliminated Friday In Semi-Final Game 39 to 0

Visitors Completely Out-classed In Every Department of Game

PLAYED IN RAIN

Weather Knocks Crowd Expected to Reach Into Thousands

Playing in a downpour of rain during all four quarters, with many puddles of water appearing on the field, Edenton High School's football team on Friday afternoon completely outplayed, outplashed, outslid and outscored the highly touted Apex High School aggregation in the semi-final game for eastern Class B honors. Though the Edenton gridgers had heard a lot about the size of the Apex boys as well as their strength, it was apparent shortly after the starting whistle that the visitors were overrated and that little difficulty would be encountered in sending them back home a defeated team. The score was 39-0, which pretty accurately reflects the strength of the two teams as they stacked up Friday.

At no time during the afternoon did the visitors threaten to score, coming no closer than the 20-yard line. Time and again they were forced to punt when the Edenton line, "anchored" in a small lake, refused to budge. The strength of Edenton's linemen is reflected in the fact that during the game only four first downs were registered by the Apex County boys. Edenton chalked up 12 first downs, which came by way of end runs, line plunges and a pass or two.

It had been raining Thursday night and as it continued Friday there was considerable speculation as to whether or not the game would be postponed. But coaches of the two teams agreed to play, which fact gave many fans the creeps due to the reported heavy weight of Apex players and the subsequent belief that the lighter Edenton boys would have little chance against much heavier opponents on a wet field. These fears, however, were shortly dispelled when early in the first quarter a touchdown was marked up and it was apparent Edenton had the upper-hand of the situation.

The weather materially reduced the crowd at the game from what was expected to be in the thousands to only several hundred. Soaked to the skin, most of them, they waded in water and mud along the side lines as the ball moved back and forth apparently enjoying the game, many of them saying the drenching was worth seeing the boys perform. Those who re-

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Winners Named In Holmes Flour Contest

H. W. Batton, Henry Rogerson and S. M. Wilkins were the three winners in the Fluffy Ruffles flour contest just brought to a close by W. D. Holmes. The winners respectively have been given 48, 24 and 12 pound bags of Fluffy Ruffles flour for turning in the greatest number of empty flour bags. Mr. Holmes will stage another contest in the near future which will be announced in The Herald.

Garden Clubs Meets Tuesday Afternoon

The Garden Club will meet at the Coppola House at 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. All members are especially urged to attend.

RED MEN DISTRICT MEETING IN ELIZABETH CITY TONIGHT

A goodly number of Red Men of Chowan Tribe are expected to go to Elizabeth City tonight to attend a meeting of the First District. They will meet at the Bank of Edenton building, from where they will leave, at 7 o'clock.

DRIVING LICENSE REVOKED

R. E. Barrington, arrested Sunday on a charge of drunken driving and driving without brakes, was arraigned before Recorder Pruden on Tuesday and fined \$55 and costs of the court on the dual accusations. He pleaded guilty and was given the minimum fine and his driving license was revoked for 12 months.

ROTARY'S GUEST



MRS. J. B. SPILLMAN
Mrs. Spillman, a former Chowan County resident, now of Raleigh, will speak to the Rotarians and friends at the Edenton Rotary Club's meeting at 1 o'clock today in the Parish House.

Mrs. J. B. Spillman Speaker At Rotary

Former Chowan Resident Expected to Attract Crowd

Local Rotarians and other friends have a treat in store today when Mrs. J. B. Spillman, of Raleigh, will be the speaker at the weekly meeting of the Edenton Rotary Club at 1 o'clock in the Parish House. Mrs. Spillman, a Chowan County product, is now director of the North Carolina Unemployment Compensation Commission and in recent years has taken a very prominent part in State affairs.

Mrs. Spillman, who has many friends in this section, gladly accepted the invitation to speak to the local Club at the request of William Jones and Earl Goodwin, the local Club's program committee for the quarter.

Large attendances have been registered at recent meetings of the Club and despite the fact that some of the Rotarians will accompany the Edenton football team to Wake Forest, a well-attended meeting is expected today.

A very enjoyable program was on tap at last week's meeting when Oscar Brown, Jesse White and John A. Holmes rehearsed some of their experiences during the World War, in keeping with the spirit of Armistice Day.

U. D. C. Meets Tuesday With Mrs. Julien Wood

A meeting of Bell Battery Chapter, U. D. C., will be held at the home of Mrs. Julien Wood Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Every member is especially urged to be present for at that time the election of officers will be held and reports presented of the state and general conventions.

Be Careful!

Postmaster C. E. Kramer reports splendid cooperation in Chowan County in return of the cards sent out in the national unemployment census, but wishes those who have not yet returned them to take particular care in reading the instructions. Several cards have been returned not properly filled in and Mr. Kramer wants to especially stress the fact that they are only to be filled by any who are without work or do not have a regular job. They are NOT to be filled out by any person having a regular job. Proper thought to this matter will enable an honest and accurate census which is the goal of the government.

Many Cards Mailed In Chowan To Secure Unemployment Data

Every Family Asked to Answer Questions Promptly

MAIL BY NOV. 20

Government Tackles Job Of Accurate Census In Nation

Following closely President Roosevelt's appeal at the opening of the special Congressional session for unemployment relief, the gigantic national unemployment census got under way on Tuesday, and before noon that day that every family and box holder in Edenton and Chowan County had been furnished with one of the federal canvassing cards calling for the statistical information upon which the government hopes to rely in its survey.

Postmaster C. E. Kramer, under whose tutelage the local canvass is operating, had prepared for it for several weeks, and was able to get his machinery working promptly on starting time. Mr. Kramer expects the same rapid response by those receiving the cards, the limit for such reception being next Saturday night—the census being started and finished between November 16 and November 20.

The cards are self-explanatory. They carry full instruction as to how the blanks should be filled out and just who should fill them out. They are important for those out of work and who seek employment, the government taking the position that with such honest, accurate and complete information in its possession it can come near finding employment for everyone who is at present idle and regrets being so.

Any uncertainty about the instructions can be overcome, Mr. Kramer says by visiting the local post office or by conferring with any member of a cooperative committee named by Mayor J. H. McMullan. This committee is composed of J. L. Wiggins as chairman, John A. Holmes, W. J. Taylor, J. A. Moore, W. W. Byrum, Thomas Cheers, F. P. Wood, West

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Garage And Car Burned At J. L. Wiggins' Home

The Edenton Fire Department was called out about 7:30 o'clock Monday night when a fire was reported at the home of J. L. Wiggins on North Granville Street. The garage and Mr. Wiggins' car were a total loss, estimated at around \$1,000 by Fire Chief R. K. Hall.

Origin of the fire could not be definitely determined but it is thought to have been caused by a short circuit in the wiring of the car which was driven into the garage several hours before by Mr. Wiggins.

Rev. G. W. Blount At Annual Conference

Considerable Progress In Local Church During Year

Rev. George W. Blount, pastor of the Methodist Church, left Wednesday morning for Raleigh to attend the annual Methodist Conference. Prior to his last sermon before Conference Sunday, Mr. Blount gave a short resume of accomplishments during the year which included the acquisition of 18 to the church's membership, a very successful Bible school held during the summer, a noticeable increase in church attendance and the organization and increasing popularity of a junior choir which sings at Sunday night services. Mr. Blount expressed appreciation of his pleasant associations during the year and expressed the hope that he would be returned for another year. In the absence of Mr. Blount during the Conference there will be no preaching service at the Methodist Church on Sunday. Members of the congregation were urged to attend services at some of the other churches.

First Report Shows About Half Collected In Red Cross Drive

Canvass Is Still Incomplete as the Work Continues

QUOTA IS \$350

Mrs. Pruden Expects to Reach Goal Before End Thanksgiving Day

Much interest has been shown in the first week of the annual Red Cross roll call, and Mrs. J. N. Pruden, local chapter chairman, was able to report yesterday that well on toward half of the quota asked of Chowan County had been secured or pledged. Canvassers are still making house to house calls and Mrs. Pruden is confident that when the drive ends on Thanksgiving Day the full amount asked of Chowan will have been secured and more besides. This last is greatly desired, she said, as it will enable the Chowan Chapter to be recorded over the radio as having gone "over the top."

So far the appeals for membership have been of a personal family nature. The canvassers have all been given certain territories to cover and have done so visiting the various town and county homes in their districts. Naturally, not all of them have reported as yet to the chairman so that Mrs. Pruden's announcement yesterday can, of course, be viewed as incomplete.

None of the canvassers have reported any refusals. On the contrary they have, of course, as it should be, found everyone in hearty sympathy with the Red Cross movement. If there have been any delays it has been because of the temporary absence of the heads of households. Repeat visits will be made everywhere this week and a general street and store canvass will be engaged in earnestly from now on.

Special appeals have been made from the churches and an active canvass of the outlying countryside will also be engaged in, Mrs. Pruden said. Those whom Mrs. Pruden has heard have enrolled up to Wednesday morning follows:

- Mrs. W. A. Graham, \$1.00; Mrs. R. D. Dixon, \$1.00; Mrs. H. G. Wood, \$1.00; Mrs. J. A. Moore, \$1.00; Mrs. Lloyd Griffin, \$1.00; Mrs. Oscar H. Brown, \$1.00; Mrs. George Mack, \$1.00; George Mack, \$1.00; Mrs. J. N. Pruden, \$1.00; Chowan Woman's Club, \$1.00; Ben Ganderon, \$1.00; P. T. Owens, \$1.00; Mrs. Laura Harrell, \$1.00; W. H. Burroughs, \$1.00; Mrs. H. H. Preston, \$1.00; Johnnie Curran, \$1.00; J. H. Holmes Co., \$1.00; Miss Estelle Privott, \$1.00; Mrs. T. B. Williford (donation); J. E. Ward, \$1.00; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ward, \$1.00; F. W. Hobbs, \$1.00; Mrs. S. C. Mills, \$1.00; Mrs. Jim Wood, \$1.00; Mrs. Earl Goodwin, \$1.00; Triangle Filling Station, \$1.00; Albemarle Peanut Co., \$5.00; M. L.

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Bird Season Opens Saturday, Nov. 20

Game Warden Urges Hunters to Procure Proper License

Quail and rabbit season in Chowan County will open Saturday and continue open until February 15, and from advance reports there will be plenty of game for sportsmen to shoot at.

J. G. Perry, game warden, is aware of the open season and in a statement to The Herald urges every hunter to qualify for the sport by buying a hunting license. He reports several arrests made this season for hunting without a license and will do his best to see that the law is carried out.

There is no bag limit for rabbits, but only 10 quail may be killed in a day and a limit of 150 for the season. Wild turkey season opens on the same date and for the same length of time with the limit set at one a day and three for the season.

Brown eyes are more common than blue in the human race.

Aces Meet Hamlet at Wake Forest In Crucial Contest

Wanta Be Married?

The Taylor Theatre will stand the expense of any white couple who will be married in the theatre on Monday, December 6. Manager Jimmy Earnhardt is anxious to stage a public wedding, and besides practically every merchant in Edenton will cooperate by giving a wedding present to the couple. Mr. Earnhardt says no more beautiful setting for a wedding can be found in the Albemarle than the theatre with its rich colors and beautiful draperies, and he is very anxious to get in touch with a couple who will agree to be married on the date set.

Missionary Team At St. Paul's Monday

Prominent Workers Are Scheduled to Speak At 3 O'clock

Next Monday, November 22nd, a Missionary team composed of Bishop Shirley H. Nichols, missionary bishop of Kyoto, Japan; the Rev. Hector MacD. Thompson, rector and warden of St. Michael's Mission, Ethete, Wyoming, and Miss Mary Louise Pardee, New Haven, Conn., will be at St. Paul's Episcopal Church to address a meeting to be held at 3:30 o'clock P. M.

Bishop Nichols has been resident in Japan since 1911, and will give first hand information of conditions there, and especially as they affect the missionary work. Mr. Thompson has been long a missionary among the American Indians, especially the Arapahoes, and will speak of his work among these people. Miss Pardee will present phases of the work the women of the Episcopal Church are carrying on.

The public is invited to hear these Missionary workers, and members of St. Paul's are urged to attend. From Edenton, the team, which is visiting parishes and missions in the diocese of East Carolina, go on to Elizabeth City for a night meeting there.

Thanksgiving Service In Old St. Paul's Church Next Thursday Morning

A Thanksgiving service will be held in St. Paul's Episcopal Church next Thursday morning at 11 o'clock, when the Episcopal and Methodist congregations will worship jointly. Rev. George W. Blount, the Methodist minister, will speak at the service, to which members of both congregations are urged to attend, as well as members and friends of other denominations.

No School Today!

Rain or shine, snow or frost, there will be no school in Edenton today. The reason is sensible and obvious, also two-fold. Actually the reason for the school closing is the football game in Wake Forest. But School Superintendent John A. Holmes, in his search for an excuse found a real one. He is certain that if the school did remain open there would be such a lot of "playing hooky" to get to the game that there wouldn't be anyone much on hand, and this would certainly affect the attendance record so badly it would disturb the allotment of teachers' basis, which would be serious. Besides all the teachers want to go and root for the gridgers at Wake Forest. And so does the school board. Which makes the Holmes order a sensible one for sure. No school, kids, so hop aboard.

Large Crowd of Local Fans Will Accompany Team

HARD FIGHT

Winner of Game Gets Shot at State Championship

By virtue of their triumph over Apex on Friday afternoon, Coach David Holton and his Edenton High School football squad will leave Edenton at 8 o'clock Thursday morning for Wake Forest where they will compete with Hamlet for the State Eastern Class B football championship. Edenton had a comparatively easy time winning the semi-final game while Hamlet and Whiteville had a battle royal with Hamlet emerging with a 6-0 victory.

If Edenton wins over Hamlet today they will represent the eastern half of North Carolina for the State Class B championship in Chapel Hill on November 26 at 1 P. M.

The game today at Wake Forest will begin at 2 o'clock and with favorable weather should attract a large crowd of supporters of both clubs as well as possibly a few football scouts. Of especial interest is the method of sale of tickets for the game. All money acquired by the sale of tickets locally will go to the Edenton team and the same is true of the Hamlet team. At Wake Forest no Edenton or Hamlet ticket sellers will be on duty and what money is taken in will be divided among the two teams after expenses are paid. It is for this reason that Coach David Holton, Superintendent John A. Holmes and Manager Junius Davis urge everybody to buy a ticket before leaving Edenton.

Little is known about the strength of the Hamlet team other than that they were predicted to be an easy mark for Whiteville, and upset the dope bucket by coming out the victor. Coach Holton is of the opinion that today's opponents will be the toughest aggregation so far for Edenton, especially when it is taken into consideration that the Hamlet team is coached by Tom Cash, whose team, Mt. Airy, defeated Edenton in the championship tilt in 1935. Hamlet is said to have good material and with an experienced coach of Cash's calibre will be in position to put up a hard fight.

Coach Holton still detects a number of flaws in the work of his boys, and while still proud of their showing, has been working unceasingly to improve in certain departments in order to put up the best possible fight against Hamlet.

The Edenton team enters the final

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Lions Enjoy Fancy And Tap Dancing

At one of the best attended meetings recently, members of the Edenton Lions Club on Monday night enjoyed an unique program under the direction of Kenneth Floors. Featuring in this part of the meeting was fancy dancing by little Dolores Watkins, while John Brickhouse demonstrated to the Lions just what a colored boy can do with his feet in the way of tap dancing.

Cake Sale Saturday At Quinn Furniture Store

A cake sale will be held at the Quinn Furniture store Saturday morning beginning at 10 o'clock. The sale is sponsored by Circle 4 of St. Mary's Guild of St. Paul's Church, and will include a fine assortment of home-made cakes.

The ladies are a group of hard-workers and invite a generous patronage.

Two New Leaders In Drug Store Contest

A change was made this week in the contest standing at Leggett & Davis drug store, which is now being headed by Ruth Goodwin and Jasper Hassell. The latter youngster, replaces Billy Bond at the top of the boys' list, who has been holding the lead since the contest began several weeks ago.