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Bertie County Fifth Sunday Sing Held Sunday Afternoon In Edenton Baptist Church

Unique Song Service Rapidly Gaining In Popularity

STARTED IN 1932

Local Church Expected To Be Filled to Capacity Sunday

Plans have been completed for the Bertie County Fifth Sunday song service which will be rendered in the Edenton Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, beginning at 2:30 o'clock.

The fifth Sunday song service is in its eighth year of existence and increases in interest and attendance with each subsequent service until now churches in the various communities where it is held are unable to accommodate the crowds attending. With favorable weather on Sunday, the local church will no doubt be filled to capacity.

The idea of a fifth Sunday sing dawned upon Rev. George W. Burch back in 1931 when he was pastor of Ross, Elm Grove, Green's Cross and Capehart's Baptist churches in Bertie, feeling that there was room for much improvement in church music in his immediate field. Late in that year he asked members of his four churches to meet for a song service the fifth Sunday in January, 1932, with the idea that the song service should be held each fifth Sunday afternoon at one of the churches in his field. However, at that time, road conditions were deplorable and lacking in publicity the first of these services attracted only a small crowd. But despite handicaps on that fifth Sunday in January, 1932, at Ross' Church was born that spirit and enthusiasm which has attended the services until the present time, when they are demanding far more widespread attention.

It was the purpose of Mr. Burch to keep the song service within the bounds of his pastorate. However, after pleadings from other sections, the sing has been held at various other

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Football Banquet To Be Held Feb. 1st At Hotel Joseph Hewes

Pictures of Rose Bowl Game Will Feature Program

Though Rotarians and Lions had expected to entertain Edenton High School's football team tonight, Coach David Holton was informed Wednesday that Carl Voyles, who had agreed to make the principal address, would be unable to come to Edenton. However, in his place Mr. Holton has secured Ellis Hagler, line coach of Duke University's Blue Devils, who will replace Mr. Voyles.

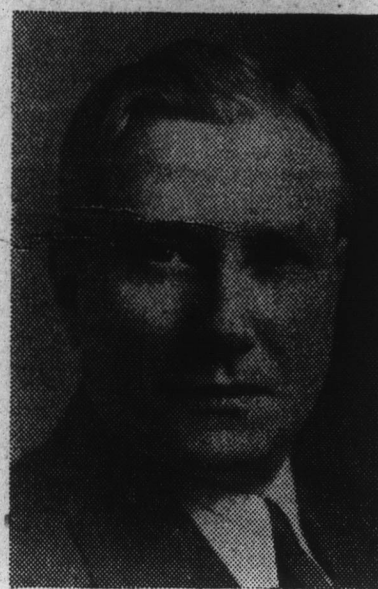
Mr. Hagler, Mr. Holton was informed, will bring with him pictures of the Rose Bowl game played in Pasadena, which will feature the program, and this fact alone has created considerable interest in the banquet, and it is expected many not members of the two clubs will want to attend.

The date of the banquet has been set for next Wednesday night at Hotel Joseph Hewes, beginning at 7 o'clock, and aside from members of the two civic groups, will include about 30 football warriors and officials. Efforts will be made to accommodate as many others as possible who may want to hear Coach Hagler as well as view pictures of the game in which Duke upset the dope of most of the biggest sports writers in the country.

John Holmes Speaks At Meeting Of Lions

John A. Holmes was the principal speaker at the Lions Club meeting Monday night, when 23 members of the club were present. Mr. Holmes spoke upon birthrate statistics which proved very interesting to those present. The club will meet as usual next Monday night. It is interesting to note that the club is contemplating the following year's program.

SING CHAIRMAN



L. SCARBOROUGH MIZELLE
Mr. Mizelle, Register of Deeds of Bertie County, is one of the guiding factors in the Bertie Fifth Sunday Sing, which service will be held Sunday afternoon in the Edenton Baptist Church, beginning at 2:30 o'clock.

Milk Commission Places Edenton On Its Honor Roll List

Consumption of Milk, However, Only .18 of Pint Per Day

.31 IN BERTIE

Health Department Is Urging More Grade "A" Dairies

The Health Department wishes to announce that the United States Public Health Service Milk Commission has given the Town of Edenton a grade of 95 and places it upon their Honor Roll. This grading was reckoned upon the quality and quantity of Grade A raw milk consumed in the Town of Edenton. Being placed upon the honor roll by this Commission means that the Town of Edenton consumed .18 of a pint of milk per day per person and that the Jackson Dairy, which is the only Grade A dairy in the county, received only six demerits upon cleanliness, equipment and methods of handling its milk.

As a comparison, the towns of Bertie which are on the honor roll received the same grade but had a milk consumption of .31 of a pint per day per person. This was due to the fact that all dairies in Bertie are Grade A but only one in Chowan.

The Health Department desires that all milk sold in the Town of Edenton, when the next grading is done, will be Grade A. Of course, this can only be accomplished by the building of one or two more Grade A dairies in the county.

Annual Meeting Of B.&L. Monday Night

Stockholders Urged to Meet at Court House At 8 O'clock

Notices have been sent to every stockholder in the Edenton Building & Loan Association announcing the annual meeting which will be held in the Court House on Monday night, January 30, at 8 o'clock. Every stockholder is urged to be present and take part in the meeting or else sign a proxy representing the shares of stock held and present or send to some stockholder who intends to be present.

A detailed report of the affairs of the Association has also been mailed to stockholders which shows that, aside from an otherwise healthy condition, the rate of interest earned during the year was .074045, a slight increase over last year.

President Conger Pleads For More Action In C. Of C.

Not Satisfied With Progress Shown By Organization

VERY FRANK

Meeting of Executive Committee Held Tuesday Night

Frankly stating that he was not altogether satisfied with the progress shown by the Edenton-Chowan Chamber of Commerce, President Joseph H. Conger at a meeting of the executive committee held Tuesday night at Hotel Joseph Hewes pleaded for more cooperation and suggestions whereby the organization would become a vital factor in building up the community. Briefly he commented upon past accomplishments, stressing the fact that the opinion prevailed prior to the construction of the Chowan River bridge that when the bridge was completed Edenton would be greatly benefited. Then later the Albemarle Sound bridge offered great hopes of trade expansion which, in Mr. Conger's opinion, has not materialized as fully as it is possible. He did not minimize the advantages of these bridges, as well as good roads in this section, but expressed his belief that something was wrong somewhere in that more concrete accomplishments (Continued on Page Eight)

Mrs. John G. Small President Of U. D. C.

Officers of Group Elected at Meeting Thursday Afternoon

Officers for the ensuing year were elected at a meeting of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, held Thursday afternoon in commemoration of Robert E. Lee's birthday. The new group of officers are: President, Mrs. John G. Small; vice president, Mrs. L. D. Bond; secretary, Miss Carrie Coke; treasurer, Mrs. C. P. Wales; historian, Miss Mary Pruden; assistant historian, Mrs. J. M. Vail; registrar, Mrs. C. T. Doughtie; delegate-at-large, Mrs. George P. Byrum.

Mrs. Small succeeds Mrs. S. M. McMullan, who has been president of the group periodically for a period of 20 years. A brief address was made by Mrs. W. S. Summerell, after which tea and cakes were served by Mrs. McMullan and Mrs. Lloyd Griffin.

All Details Ironed Out For Local Celebration To Raise Infantile Paralysis Funds

C. E. Kramer Anxious to Eclipse Last Year's Record For Chowan County; Final Committee Meeting at 5:30 O'clock This Afternoon

With fifteen committees displaying a great deal of interest and properly functioning under the direction of C. E. Kramer, general chairman, prospects appear bright for Chowan County's observance of President Roosevelt's birthday celebration on Monday night. At a meeting of the various committee chairmen Friday night all details were reported upon and apparently nothing will be left undone in an effort to stage a successful celebration. Each committee was heard from and already all matters pertaining to the affair had been attended to.

The celebration has been thoroughly advertised in Chowan and adjoining counties and in view of the nominal admission charge of 25 cents, which includes both round and square dancing, an even larger crowd than last year is anticipated.

The entertainment will be preceded by a band concert by the Edenton High School Band under the direction of C. L. McCullers. Mayor J. H. McMullan will briefly address those present, after which a group of amateur acts have been arranged by Mrs. C. L. McCullers, Mrs. E. T. Rawlinson, Mrs. E. C. White and

P. T. A. Meeting In School Auditorium On Friday Night

"Growing Up Emotionally" Subject of Dr. Wm. D. Perry

EXPECT BIG CROWD

All Men and Women of Community Urged to Attend

All arrangements have been completed for the meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association to be held Friday night in the Edenton school auditorium, at which time the principal address will be made by Dr. William D. Perry, student advisor of the freshman class of the University of North Carolina. Members of the Association have been hard at work inviting friends to this meeting, which is expected to be the largest attended since the group was organized.

The meeting will be called to order at 8 o'clock by the president, Mrs. James E. Wood, who is very anxious that it be generally known that not only members of the Association are urged to attend, but that a cordial invitation is extended to non-members, which she emphasizes includes men of the community, as well as women.

Dr. Perry will speak upon the subject "Growing Up Emotionally" and much food for thought will no doubt be presented by the speaker, who is in great demand.

J. H. Conger Elected Director Of Bank

Popular Business Man Succeeds Late J. A. Woodard

At the annual meeting of directors of The Bank of Edenton, Joseph H. Conger was elected as a new member of the board. Mr. Conger succeeds the late James A. Woodard.

Other officers elected were: President, Julien Wood; vice president, W. A. Leggett; cashier, D. M. Warren; assistant cashier, W. H. Gardner; directors, Julien Wood, W. A. Leggett, W. D. Welch, W. D. Pruden, John W. Graham, George Wood, W. H. Winborne, John G. Wood and Mr. Conger.

LICENSED TO WED

Two marriage licenses were issued during the week by Maurice L. Bunch, register of deeds. The two couples were:

Thompson Greenwood and Eula N. Nixon, both of Edenton.

Lee Costen and Mittie Brown, colored, both of Chowan County.

Farmers And Millers Join In Effort To Solve Mutual Peanut Industry Problems

P. T. A. SPEAKER



DR. WILLIAM D. PERRY
Speaking tomorrow (Friday) night in the Edenton school auditorium, Dr. Perry, of the University of North Carolina, will use as his subject "Growing Up Emotionally." All men and women of the community are cordially invited to hear him.

Rotarians Want Music Festival Be Held In Edenton

Committee Appointed to Assist Director C. L. McCullers

ON APRIL 15

Location Decided at a Meeting Monday In Elizabeth City

Following a report at last week's Rotary meeting by C. L. McCullers relative to a music festival to be held in some town in the Albemarle on Sunday, April 15, President Oscar Brown appointed John Graham and William Perkins to assist Mr. McCullers in having the affair held in Edenton. McCullers informed the club that a committee had been appointed in each county with instructions to report at a meeting to be held in Elizabeth City Monday night.

It is the purpose of the Albemarle Music Festival Association to stage the festival in the town which appears most anxious to have it and has adequate facilities. Rotarians feel that with the spacious Army available in case of inclement weather and plenty of outdoor space that Edenton is qualified to ask for the festival and it was for this purpose that Mr. Brown appointed a committee.

The festival is calculated to attract a crowd of approximately 5,000 and on the program itself will be in the neighborhood of 700 coming from various parts of the State.

Chowan Red Men Banquet Feb. 10th

Affair Will Again Be Held at Hotel Joseph Hewes

Chowan Tribe of Red Men will hold their annual banquet on Friday night, February 10, it was decided at Monday night's meeting. The banquet will be held at Hotel Joseph Hewes, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. The first banquet held by local Red Men took place last year and due to the success of the affair the Tribe on Monday at once unanimously voted to again have a banquet.

A prominent speaker will be secured for the occasion and an interesting program arranged. A committee appointed to make all arrangements for the banquet consists of A. S. Hollowell, W. J. Daniels, Raleigh Hollowell and J. Edwin Buffle.

Committee Appointed to Handle All Vexing Situations

ORGANIZE

Vote to Oppose Proposed Tax on Peanut Vending Machines

At a recent meeting of the Virginia-Carolina Peanut Association held in Suffolk, representatives of the farmers from North Carolina and Virginia were invited to attend for the purpose of discussing with the millers mutual problems pertaining to the peanut industry in the two states. As the result of this meeting the following were appointed a permanent standing committee to handle all such problems:

M. F. Bond, Jr., secretary and treasurer Albemarle Peanut Company, Edenton; J. E. Debnam, Jr., assistant manager Peanut Stabilization Cooperative, Inc., Edenton; R. C. Holland, president Peanut Stabilization Cooperative, Inc., Edenton; F. C. Moore, County Agent, Suffolk, Va.; W. T. Parker, manager Virginia Peanut Growers Cooperative, Inc., Waverly, Va.; W. P. Woodley, president Virginia-Carolina Peanut Association, Suffolk, Va.; J. R. Worsham, secretary and treasurer Old Dominion Peanut Corporation, Norfolk, Va.

The organization meeting of the above committee was held in the offices of the N. C. Peanut Stabilization Cooperative, Inc., in Edenton, when R. C. Holland was elected chairman of the committee and W. B. Jester, executive secretary of the Virginia-Carolina Peanut Association, secretary.

The purpose of the committee was declared to be to promote the peanut industry in Virginia and North Carolina, and to study mutual problems affecting both producers and millers pertaining to the peanut industry in these states and to make recommendations.

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P. T. A. Of Colerain Sponsors Amateur Acts Friday Night

Group Equips Athletic Teams and Buys Typewriters

The Parent-Teachers Association of Colerain will sponsor an amateur hour at the Colerain school building Friday night, January 27th, at 8 o'clock. This feature promises to be very entertaining and after this portion of the program, games will be played consisting of Chinese checkers, ping and target shooting.

A prize of at least \$5.00 will be awarded the winner of the amateur show, with the audience acting as judges. Prizes will also be given to the highest scorer in various games played.

Any one interested in entering the amateur show should notify Principal J. J. Beale before Friday night. Any type of decent entertainment will be entered in competition for the grand prize.

A small fee will be charged to see this entertainment, the proceeds going to the P. T. A. The Association has purchased new uniforms for the football and basketball teams as well as four typewriters for the commercial department. Much money will be needed to pay for these items and for this reason it is hoped that the entertainment will be well attended.

Local Firemen Favor Expansion Protection

Edenton's firemen are right much concerned over a proposed bill to be introduced in the Legislature whereby volunteer firemen will be allowed to fight fires outside the boundaries of municipalities and at the same time be entitled to compensation in case of injury under the terms of the North Carolina Workmen's Compensation Act. At present this act does not provide for any protection when firemen are called into service outside corporate limits of a town.

Local firemen have contacted Representative John F. White, who says he will support the measure.