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Congressman Edenton's Guest Next Monday



Congressman Herbert Bonner, now on vacation at his home in Washington, N. C., will visit in Edenton next Monday before returning to the national capital. While in Edenton he will attend the Lions Club meeting, at which Rotarians will also be special guests.

Tennis Courts Now Ready For Those Who Want To Play

Work Completed This Week By Street Department

THREE COURTS

Hope Is That Enough Will Play To Make Effort Worth While

After meeting with one handicap after another, the town's tennis courts are finally ready for use. Street Department employees having put on the finishing touches early this week.

Though in previous years, one court accommodated practically all who cared to play tennis, all three courts have been put in playing condition in the expectation that this year many more people will want to play.

The courts were in bad shape due to lack of attention, the wire and timber in the backstops had rotted, the courts were covered with a thick growth of grass, so that J. Edwin Bufflap, Street Commissioner, decided that the courts should be put to use or else abandoned all together. However, earlier this summer quite a few wives of officers and enlisted men at the Marine Corps Air Station appealed for a place to play tennis in order to break the monotony of being shut up in one room or two, and service men and women, too, expressed a desire to play, therefore, it was decided to make the necessary repairs and put the courts in playing condition.

They are now ready and it is hoped enough tennis fans will use them to make the effort of the Street Department and the expense involved worth while.

Several inquiries have been received from the base as to when the courts are expected very soon that the courts, located near the Armory, will be as popular as they were several years ago when quite a number of people enjoyed the recreation at almost all times of the day.

Grass growing on the courts has been the biggest worry to those getting them in shape, and though calcium chloride has been used, it is expected that if used enough, the grass problem will be less of a problem.

Air Station Eligible To Get Navy Relief

The Marine Corps Air Station has been provided a branch of the Hampton Roads Auxiliary Navy Relief, the purpose of which is to be of service to dependents of men and women in the U. S. Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard.

Chaplain George Wheeler will handle requests for help.

W. J. Taylor Named Chairman Chowan War Fund Drive

County's Quota This Year Expected To Be About \$6,000

W. J. Taylor, superintendent of county schools, has been appointed chairman of Chowan County's War Fund drive, which will get under way early in October. Mr. Taylor, on Monday, attended a meeting in Elizabeth City, where objectives of the War Fund were outlined by Chester A. Kerr, State director, to chairmen and leaders of 13 north-eastern counties.

Chowan's quota this year will no doubt exceed last year's amount, when the quota was \$5,000. Mr. Taylor said the county will, no doubt, be asked to raise \$6,000 this year.

At the Elizabeth City meeting Mr. Kerr said the aim in North Carolina is to raise \$3,500,000, of which amount \$1,350,000 will remain in the State for local purposes.

As was the case last year, the drive will be a joint effort to raise funds for various agencies in connection with war activities, which will eliminate separate drives, each activity being allocated a certain percentage. It will again include a contribution for Boy Scout work.

Mr. Taylor is now digesting the information received at Monday's meeting and plans to have Chowan's organization ready for the campaign when it is launched.

Large Gatherings Discouraged Due Infantile Paralysis

Dr. J. M. Jackson, Local Health Officer, Urges Precaution

400 CASES

No Cases Reported In Chowan or Adjacent Counties

Many inquiries have been received by the Chowan County Health Officer, Dr. J. M. Jackson, regarding the epidemic of Infantile Paralysis (Polio) in North Carolina. So far there have been something less than 400 cases reported in the state, most of these being in the Piedmont section. No cases have been reported in Edenton or Chowan county or any of the adjacent counties.

Dr. Jackson, as well as the State Health Officer, advises that all practical means be used to prevent contacts between groups of young people in all parts of the State. Children under 15 years of age should certainly be kept at home by their parents and prohibited from attending all public gatherings.

Also, susceptible adults in certain instances have become infected and have been a source of infection for contacts. Consequently, all large gatherings of adults such as conventions, conferences and meetings, should be postponed until the further course of the outbreak is apparent.

So far this year, approximately 10 per cent of the cases have been in persons between 16 and 40 years of age.

Herbert C. Bonner Will Be Visitor In Edenton Monday

District's Congressman Will Be Guest at Lions Meeting

Congressman Herbert Bonner is scheduled to be a visitor in Edenton next Monday, and will be a special guest at the regular meeting of the Lions Club. Mr. Bonner has been spending some time at his home in Washington, N. C., and promised several intimate Edenton friends that he would come to Edenton to attend a Lions Club meeting before returning to the national capital.

While Mr. Bonner expressed the hope that he would not be called upon to make an address, local Lions feel sure he will agree to make a few remarks during the meeting.

Revival In Progress At Christian Church

Revival services are now in progress at the Christian Church in the Mill Village, the meeting beginning Sunday. The speaker for the revival is Evangelist Thomas Ullow, of Wheeling, West Virginia.

A general invitation is extended to the public to hear the evangelist.

Leaving Chowan



THE REV. FRANK CALE

On September 5, the Rev. and Mrs. Frank Cale will leave Chowan County for Louisville, Ky., where Mr. Cale will enter the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. He has been pastor of the Rocky Hock, Center Hill, Warwick Swamp and Great Hope Baptist Church for over 11 years, succeeding his father, the late Rev. Frank Cale.

First Group 26-29 White Men Sent To Fort Bragg Monday

26 White Men Go For Pre-Induction Examination

Chowan County's first group of white men between 26 and 29 were ordered to report to Fort Bragg on Monday for pre-induction physical examinations.

In the group were: Earl David Long, Ferner Marvin Ward, Elisha Timothy Bunch, Albert Vernon Asbell, Jack Wesley Satterfield, William Hutchings Winborne, Troy Elvin Toppin, Selby Lee Byrum, James Elliott Baker, Joseph Lee Byrum, Thomas Alonzo Small, Melver Byrum, Fentress Franklin Pritchett, Carlton William Goodwin, Sidney Wallace White, Gilliam Ray Twine, James Edward Byrum, McKinley Franklin Wright, Robert Carlton Privott, Irvin Stanley Blanchard, Edward Earl Thompson, James Wilson Small, Mack Hendrix, Cecil Gilbert Byrum, Jr., Levi Nicholson Toler and Robert Francis Ashley.

First Degree Tonight At Masonic Meeting

At a meeting of Unanimity Lodge, No. 7, A. F. & A. M., tonight (Thursday) the first degree will be conferred upon a candidate. W. J. Daniels, master of the lodge, urges every member to be present and extends an invitation to visiting Masons to witness the degree.

Methodist Services On Sunday Morning

Preaching service will be held in the Methodist Church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, when the pastor, the Rev. H. Fred Surratt, will preach on the subject "How Should I Pray Today?" At the Church School hour, 9:45 a. m., Methodist Orphanage Day will be observed.

The Youth Fellowship meeting will be held at 7 p. m.

Complaints Made Relative To Trash In Front Of Homes

Practice Made of Putting Out Garbage After Truck Passes

SCHEDULE

Mayor Leroy Haskett Appeals For Cooperation of Citizens

No little complaint has been registered in Edenton of late relative to trash being scattered in front of homes, and in quite a number of instances placing trash on the street after the town trash truck has made its round. In some instances trash is put out Saturday afternoon, after the trash truck has passed, and as a result remains on the street over Sunday, thus presenting anything but a tidy appearance and this has caused many complaints.

The Street Department has for its goal collecting trash all over the city once a day, except in the business section, where two collections are made, and it is obvious that some sort of schedule must be followed if this service is to be maintained. The amount of trash and garbage in Edenton has increased many fold, and with the same amount of equipment as has been used for many years, it is quite a job to cover the entire town every day. In fact, the town trucks are badly worn, having been in use three years and one is especially often in the garage for repairs. Application has been made for a certificate to purchase a new truck, but no action has been taken thus far, therefore, actually Edenton seriously faces the possibility of trash collection only every other day, the east side one day and the west side the other.

There are some people who realize the burden on the Street Department and cooperate splendidly by putting out trash on time and take in their receptacles after they are emptied. However, there are others who have no regard whatever as to when the trash is collected, putting trash out at their own convenience, which many times is blown around by wind or scattered by dogs.

The situation has been called to the attention of Mayor Leroy Haskett and J. Edwin Bufflap, Street Commissioner, both of whom are very anxious to have a neat and tidy town and who realize that it is folly to expect town employees to collect trash whenever it suits the convenience of housewives.

In this connection, Mayor Haskett had this to say:

"Again, I wish to call to the attention of Edenton citizens the importance of cooperation in maintaining a clean town, from the very smallest family to the larger ones. I find that in several sections of town people put out trash after the trash truck has passed and, in some instances, some people are cleaning up their premises over the week-end and just before night, or after night, but this trash on the street, which causes a very unsightly street and yard."

"I am appealing to every citizen to be good enough to check and find out about what time the town's trash truck is supposed to be in their neighborhood and to have trash out on time and also to take in the receptacle after it is emptied."

"I also find that there are a few who are not cleaning their lots and premises at their places of business and some are putting garbage in open containers, thus making it easy for the wind to blow it about or dogs to scatter it, which results in a dirty neighborhood. Please refrain from doing this, for I know that you want your town to be neat and clean. I know that with your cooperation, the Street Department will be able to do a better job and I trust that you will do your part in making Edenton a cleaner town."

"As Mayor of Edenton, I beg for your cooperation in this matter, which has reached a point where it is a target for criticism."

Of course, it is impossible to set any fixed time to be at any one person's house, but the following schedule is carried out as far as possible by the Street Department:

Trash is collected in the business section, beginning at 8 o'clock each morning, and at 5 o'clock every afternoon except Saturday, when the 5 o'clock collection is not made, but the business section is again cleaned up after the stores close Saturday night.

At 8:30 each morning, the trash truck begins at Broad and Church Streets, making collections on the west side of town in the following order: West Church Street, Mosely Street from Church to Blount, West (Continued on Page Six)

Evangelist



F. D. WHITESSELL, Th.D. Beginning Sunday night, August 13th, the Rev. Mr. Whitesell, will begin a series of revival meetings in the Center Hill Baptist Church. Mr. Whitesell is a member of the faculty of the Northern Baptist Theological Seminary at Chicago.

Revival At Center Hill Baptist Church Begins August 13

Dr. F. D. Whitesell of Chicago Will Conduct Meeting

HERE BEFORE

Warwick Swamp and Rocky Hock Revivals August 20 and 27

Revival services will begin in the Center Hill Baptist Church Sunday night, August 13, and continue until the following Sunday, August 20, stated the pastor, the Rev. Frank Cale, this week.

The preacher for this series of meetings will be F. D. Whitesell, Th.D., of Chicago, a member of the faculty of the Northern Baptist Theological Seminary. He is an outstanding evangelist and author, and has been pastor of churches at three different times. The evangelist will be no stranger when he comes to conduct the revival, for he will be remembered by many, having conducted a series of meetings here six years ago.

Services will be held each afternoon at 3:30 o'clock and at 8:45 each night E. W. T.

The Rev. Mr. Cale also announced that a revival meeting will be held at Warwick Swamp Baptist Church, August 20 to 27, with the same schedule of services as at Center Hill.

The Rocky Hock revival will begin Sunday, August 27, and continue until September 3.

The evangelist is a splendid preacher and ranks high in Baptist circles and it is hoped large congregations will greet him at every service.

Conservation Items Ready For Farmers Through Local AAA

According to a statement issued by J. M. Price, secretary of the local AAA office, limestone, superphosphate and Austrian winter peas are available to farmers of Chowan County. These materials are furnished by the AAA with the cost being deducted from benefit payments as in past years.

To insure early delivery, farmers are urged to place their orders for these materials with Mr. Price at the earliest date possible.

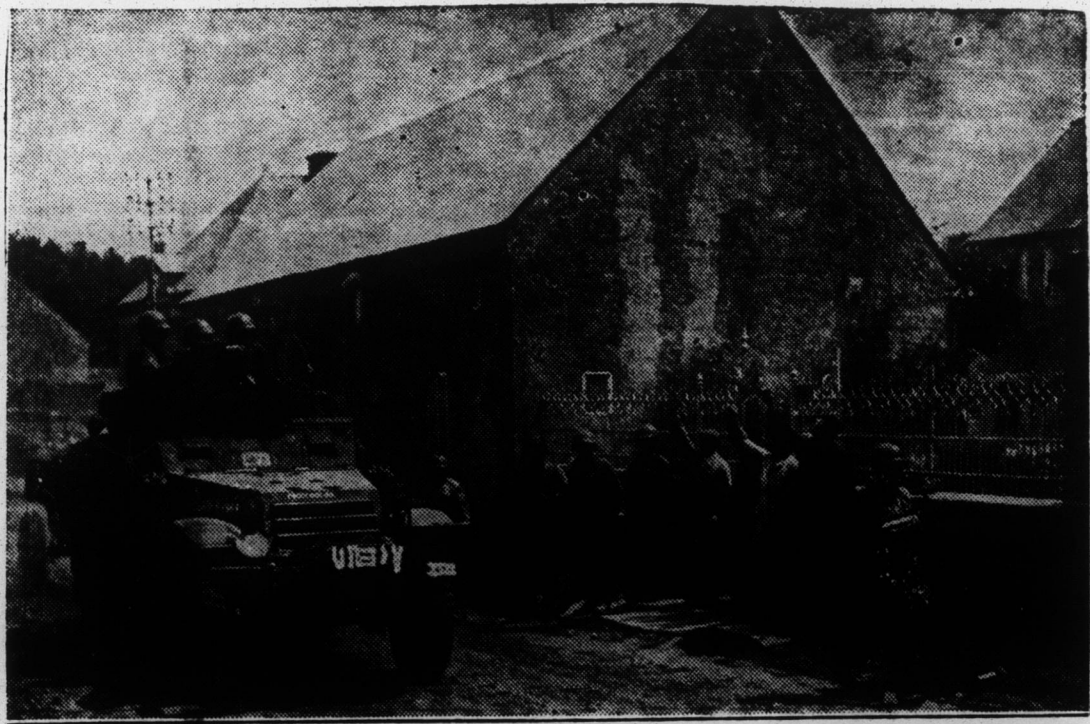
Firemen Called Out Due To Naked Wire

Edenton's Fire Department was called out about 7:30 o'clock Monday night when a naked electric wire threatened to catch fire at the store on the corner of Oakum and Gale Streets.

The wire was immediately cut and no damage resulted.

ROTARIANS MEET TODAY Edenton's Rotary Club will meet at 1 o'clock today (Thursday) in the Parish House. President H. A. Campen was very much enthused over the district assembly held in Goldsboro last week and is very anxious to have a 100 per cent meeting today.

Today's program will be in charge of Chaplain George Wheeler.



ON THE HIGH ROAD TO PARIS—Past buildings reminiscent of the days of Crecy, Poitiers and Agincourt, American soldiers traverse historic battlegrounds in Northern France. The modern rifle and armored car have made almost unbelievable improvement in weapons since men fought with the pike and long bow and armored knights led the way on horseback, but the landscape with orchards and hedgerows and medieval architecture has changed but little.