

Park Now Desired In Eastern Part Of State

Chowan River Area Is Scheduled To Be Investigated

Recognizing the lack of facilities for public parks and playgrounds in Northeastern North Carolina and in the hope of locating a site or sites which may be converted to such purposes, the North Carolina Department of Conservation and Development has authorized an investigation in that section, particularly in the Chowan River area, for a place which can be utilized for park and playground purposes and which perhaps may have water facilities also.

The Board of Conservation and Development in its recent meeting at Wilmington on motion of Eric W. Rodgers of Scotland Neck, a member of the Board who represents Northeastern North Carolina, ordered a survey of the territory made, particularly the Chowan River area, in an effort to locate a site which can be utilized as a park or playground for public recreational purposes. The

survey will be undertaken in the near future and a committee was named from the Board and its trained personnel to conduct the survey and report back to the Board at its next meeting.

Seniors Entertained By Alumni Association Of N. C. State College

On Friday night the Chowan County N. C. State College Alumni Club entertained the senior boys from Edenton and Chowan High Schools at a fish fry. The affair was held at the Edenton Armory, after which moving pictures of the N. C. State-St. John's basketball game were shown.

H. W. "Pop" Taylor, executive secretary of the Alumni Association and Fred Wagoner, of the College Agronomy Department, represented the Alumni Association and the College. Fred Wagoner told the group about various phases of athletics at State College and he also gave a brief resume of the different courses of study offered. In the School of Agriculture alone, there are 13 departments, and there are almost as many departments in the Engineering School. State College has probably the largest textile school in the entire United States. It is the only Agricultural College in North Carolina, and is one of the few colleges in the South which offers a degree in Forestry. State College has one of the best ceramic engineering schools in the nation.

"Pop" Taylor explained about the present crowded conditions at State College, and said that there are 4,800 students enrolled now. New buildings are being erected as fast as possible to relieve the crowded conditions.

State College continues to be North Carolina's most useful institution, and is taking a lead in bringing about a higher standard of living for all people of the State.

Seniors present from Chowan High School were: Ernest Boyce, Jr., Otis Chappell, Earl Jordan, Lindsay Ray Bunch, James Roy Winslow and Thomas Leary. Seniors present from Edenton High School were: Bobby Jordan, Joe Privott, Dallas Jethro, Paul Hassell, Andrew Whitson and Edgar Rogerson.

Several townspeople attended the basketball game picture.

State College Alumni present were: Dan Reaves, Emmett Wiggins, Albert Byrum, T. E. Chappell, Everett S. White, Cecil Fry, J. L. Hassell, Jimmy Hassell, Carey Bunch, R. C. Jordan, W. B. Shepard, Leslie Morgan, C. W. Overman and Robert S. Marsh.

Negro Clubs Celebrate National Health Week

The week of April 4 through 10 was known as National Negro Health

Week, and the following Chowan clubs celebrated the week with programs and clean-up campaigns: Canaan Temple with a program "Breakfast Around the World"; Britts with a program "It's All Up to You"; Green Hall program "Let's Keep Health"; St. John's program "Eat the Right Food."

The programs were very nice from each club, but St. John 4-N members did more, for they also had a clean-up campaign in connection with the program. The following things were done: Walks were made and shrubs were planted at school. Each child planted a shrub and named it for some outstanding Negro. The 4-H members were assisted by their parents, 4-H leaders, Mrs. Olivia Wiggins and Mrs. Blount and their principal, the Rev. S. N. Griffith.

During the week the home agent discussed vitamin C foods for health. The farm agent discussed painting up from cylinder oil.

Fashion Show And Bridge Party Will Be Held May 6th

Affair Sponsored By Local Junior Woman's Club

Tickets for the fashion show and bridge party to be held on Thursday evening, May 6th at the Junior Woman's Clubhouse, will go on sale soon and may be brought from any member of the Club. Reservations will be taken by Mrs. David Holton and Mrs. Frank Holmes.

Mrs. John Kramer, ways and means chairman, who is in charge of the party, emphasizes the fact that the fashion show will begin promptly at 8 o'clock, after which the bridge game will follow.

Models will display the latest in summer fashions from the following establishments: Preston's, Badham Bros., The Betty Shoppe and Tots & Teens Shop.

Ralph Herman Jordan Marries English Girl

Miss Elaine Misteades of Manchester, England, arrived in New York on March 31 and was married to Ralph Herman Jordan of Tyner on April 1. The ceremony was performed in the Elizabeth City Methodist Church.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Jordan of Tyner. The newlyweds are now living with Mr. Jordan's parents.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES

Services at St. Paul's Episcopal Church have been announced by the Rev. Harold W. Gilmer, rector, as follows: Sunday, April 25, fourth Sunday after Easter: 8 A. M., the Holy Communion; 9:30 A. M., Church School; 11 A. M., office of morning prayer with sermon; 7:30 P. M., Young People's Service League.

Sunday, May 2, at 8 P. M., Vestry meeting.

Firemen Respond To Call For Help At Gin In Upper Chowan County

One of the Edenton Fire Department's trucks rushed to the J. D. Ward cotton gin in upper Chowan County Friday afternoon in answer to a call for help when fire was discovered. Employees held down the blaze by bringing into action a bucket brigade until the firemen arrived. Trucks from Hertford and Elizabeth City also answered the call and as a result of the response of the

three towns a disastrous fire was obviously prevented.

Fire Chief R. K. Hall expressed slight. The local truck was out 3 1/2 hours.

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