

HOW BOUT THAT

By WILLY & RALPH



MIDWESTERNER CONGRATULATES MAYOR LEROY HASKETT UPON HIS RE-ELECTION

Harry H. Jordan of Minneapolis, Minn., Writes Very Complimentary Letters Before and After Election; First Letter Overlooked By Editor

One of the most appreciated congratulatory expressions received by Mayor Leroy H. Haskett as the result of his recent re-election came from a Midwesterner, a native of Chowan County, Harry H. Jordan, who now is general agent for the Kansas City Southern Railway Company and Louisiana & Arkansas Railway Company in Minneapolis, Minn.

The letter from Mr. Jordan, of which Mayor Haskett is extremely proud, follows:

"I wish to congratulate you on being re-elected as Mayor for the third term for our good City of Edenton, as I am confident you will continue to perform the duties as Mayor with the highest degree of efficiency.

"I wrote the Editor of The Chowan Herald on April 23 and offered to pay for publishing my letter, copy of which is attached, but The Herald did not see fit to print my letter. However, it is now evident that your past administration as public officer was highly efficient and appreciated by the majority of the citizens of Edenton as you polled enough votes to be re-elected and that was all that was necessary.

Permit me to congratulate you again and to wish you and your family the best of health and happiness."

Prior to the election a very complimentary letter about Mayor Haskett was written to The Herald editor by Mr. Jordan, with instructions to have it published and the charges sent to Minneapolis for payment. However, at the time The Herald's editor was in more or less of a dilemma due to domestic worries and the subsequent major operation of his wife so that the letter was overlooked, together with a number of other matters pertaining to The Herald.

Although Mr. Jordan's letter is too late to do Mayor Haskett any good in the election, in fairness to both Mayor Haskett and Mr. Jordan, it follows:

"The people of Edenton are, indeed, fortunate to have Leroy Haskett as candidate for re-election as Mayor. Mr. Haskett has already demonstrated his capacity for leadership and civic responsibility as Mayor and has given unstintingly of his time and effort to a host of community services and activities and is loved by those who have been served by his ministry.

He is deeply respected by a host of people who have vital concern over basic human rights and he has given his time and study to political affairs which study has always been conditioned by a deep moral sense of responsibility and clear understanding of the obligations of public service and public office.

"I do hope that the people of my home town 'Edenton' in exercising their voting privilege, will cast an overwhelming vote for Leroy Haskett as Mayor of Edenton. I consider it an honor and privilege to be with him and to support him, as I am extremely confident he will continue to bring honor to our city and leadership to our people as he has the drive and energy which are so vital if one is to fully meet the complex problems as Mayor, and I call upon all of those who are deeply concerned about decent and efficient administration to support and re-elect Mayor Leroy Haskett."

Drive On Rats Will Be Held Friday, June 10

Orders For Red Squill Must Be Placed By June 4th

According to County Agent C. W. Overman, a rat control campaign is being hurriedly scheduled for Chowan and Bertie counties cooperating. Red squill bait will be prepared and delivered on Friday, June 10.

The cost of this bait will be \$1.00 per 3-pound package. Bait must be paid for in advance when order is placed. Orders and deposits may be placed at the county agent's office and county home agent's office on or before Saturday, June 4.

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opportunity to go a long way toward getting rid of these pests. Red squill is practically harmless to humans and domestic animals, yet it is a deadly poison to rats.

Mr. Overman urges readers to pass the word along to neighbors who may not read this article. Where the premises are small, two people may join together in purchasing a three-pound package of bait. Orders must be in by Saturday, June 4, in order to give ample time to determine the amount of materials to be bought and be ready for distribution on Friday, June 10.

Four New Members Welcomed Into C Of C

Organization Now Planning to Move Into New Quarters

George Twiddy, chairman of the Membership Committee of the Chowan County Chamber of Commerce and Merchants Association, speaking for the Board of Directors and the membership, extended a cordial welcome to the following new members: Boswell's Restaurant, Ernest Lee's Restaurant, Dixie Grill and W. H. Basnight's Grocery.

Due to the condition arising through lack of space in the Municipal Building, the organization has had to seek new quarters. Arrangements have been made with George Norris, local contractor, to share his convenient office on King Street. It is expected that the staff will move shortly.

The Chamber of Commerce has been having increasing inquiries on fishing and fishing equipment. All those having boats for rent; those

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selling bait and those who can make themselves available as guides should list their names in the office.

Delegates Chosen For National Camp

Four outstanding young North Carolinians have been selected to represent the State at the National 4-H Club Camp to be held in Washington, D. C., June 15-22.

According to L. R. Harrell, 4-H Club leader for the State College Extension Service, the delegates are Hazel Garris of Pitt County, Joyce Auten of Mecklenburg, Francis Pressly of Iredell, and James Wright Jackson of Sampson.

Miss Garris, 16, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Garris of Route 1, Farmville, and has been a member of Langs 4-H Club for seven years. She has completed a total of 31 projects and has served as secretary, reporter, vice president, and president of her local club, and vice president and president of the county council.

Miss Auten, 17, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arey Auten of Route 9, Charlotte. Her projects during 10 years of club work included health, food preparation, clothing, dairy foods, home beautification, poultry, child care, wildlife, gardening, and leadership. In addition to holding local and county offices, she has participated in team demonstrations, and in 1946 was State, sectional, and national winner

in farm and home safety.

Pressly is 17 and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pressly of Stony Point. He has been a member of Scotts Club for nine years. He has been county judging team member for the past three years, a member of the State team in 1946 and '47, and a member of the State winning dairy demonstration team in 1946. He has served as vice-president of the State 4-H Council and has held a number of local and County offices.

Jackson 18, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jackson of Route 1, Godwin. As a member of the Mingo Club for seven years he has completed projects in corn, soybeans, tobacco, safety, wildlife, dairy calf, and meat animal. Last year he was county, State, and sectional winner in soil conservation.

Parental Philosophy

"Faith and it would be much easier to keep the wolf from the door if we could just keep the stork from the chimney," said Pat as the smiling nurse let him take his first peek at the latest addition to his family.

Howard Everett Red Cross Representative

Howard Everett, a former Edenton boy who for a number of years has been employed by the News and Observer in Raleigh, is now located in

Charlotte, where he is a field representative for the American Red Cross. Mr. Everett says he likes the Red Cross work better than newspapering.



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