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Free Immunization Clinics Planned By Health Department

Vaccines Will Be Administered July 10 to August 1

SCHEDULE

Health Officials Desire To Keep Record of All Treatments

Announcement was made this week by the Health Department that free immunization clinics will be held in Chowan County beginning July 10 and continuing through August 1.

The schedule as announced will be as follows:
Monday, July 10, 17, 24, 31
Valhalla 9 A. M.
Greenhall 10 A. M.
Arthur Byrum's Store 11 A. M.
Sign Pine 2:30 P. M.
Gliden 3:30 P. M.

Tuesday, July 11, 18, 25 and Aug. 1
Cale's Store 9 A. M.
Rocky Hock Church 10:30 A. M.
Elbert Peele's Store 12 Noon
St. John's Church 2 P. M.
Canaan Temple's Church 3 P. M.

At these clinics health officials will be prepared to administer typhoid vaccination, diphtheria, whooping cough, smallpox, Schick test and tuberculin test.

For those who have immunization treatments done by private doctors, it is requested that certificates be secured, giving name, child's name and age, address and vaccines given with dates and mail to the Health Department so that proper records can be kept.

British Nurse Main Speaker At Hospital Auxiliary Meeting

Members of Chowan Hospital Auxiliary heard an interesting talk by Mrs. Elizabeth Corbett, British Nurse affiliated with Chowan Hospital, Wednesday afternoon in the Parish House with Mrs. M. F. Bond, Jr., Chairman, presiding. This concluded the meetings of the organization until September.

Mrs. Corbett, who has addressed several clubs here on her war experiences, paid a high tribute to the Town of Edenton and its citizens. "I note I am expected to speak on some of my experiences," Mrs. Corbett stated, in opening her speech. "No finer experience lurks in my memory at the present time than of my stay right here in Edenton. I deem this a benefitting moment in which to say how grateful I am to those of you who have extended to me such hospitality and interest in so many ways. Looking back over the past ten years, especially in this season, is almost like an anniversary. How different it all is. I was surprised to find how much I had forgotten in detail."

Fifteen organizations were represented at the meeting, with W. J. Berryman conducting the devotional. Marvin Wilson, one of the hospital trustees, made an interesting address during which he talked briefly about furnishings and equipment to be used in the new hospital.

Mrs. Frank Elliott was appointed new chairman of the flower committee and stated that she will appreciate it if anyone has flowers for the hospital to call her.

Mrs. Frank Holmes was appointed chairman of the tray favor committee. At present there are 292 paid-up members in the Auxiliary, the latest group to join including Mrs. J. D. Ward, Mrs. J. M. Price, Mrs. Haywood Ziegler, Mrs. Robert Whiteman, Mrs. Floyd Cayton, Mrs. Joe Basnight, Mrs. H. S. Rogerson, Mrs. Andrew Hawkins, Mrs. Henry Hassell, Mrs. Charles Hudson, Mrs. Charles Owens, Mrs. Fred Ashley, Mrs. E. C. Alexander, Miss Violet Alexander, Mrs. E. T. Rawlinson, Mrs. George P. Byrum and Miss Ruby Felts.

WEEK-END AT HOME
Mr. and Mrs. N. J. George spent the week-end at home. They are living at Chapel Hill during the summer, where Mr. George is working on his master's degree.

Promoted



JOHN H. ASBELL, JR.
By recommendation of Captain William P. Jones, commanding officer of the 119th Infantry, NCNG, John H. Asbell, Jr., recently appeared before an examining board in Raleigh, where he successfully passed the examination for warrant officer, junior grade. He was commissioned on June 9. Mr. Asbell's appointment is in relation to his civilian duties as full time administrative assistant. He will attend field training with his unit, Heavy Mortar Company, at Fort Jackson, S. C., during the period of July 1-16.

Liberty Bell Display Attracts Attention

Appearance in Edenton In Interest of Bond Drive

The Liberty Bell of the Independence "E" bond drive attracted a considerable amount of interest in Edenton Monday, the appearance being sponsored by the Albemarle Motor Company. The bell, mounted on a Ford Truck, was driven by D. Flake White, who was recently named Driver of the Year in North Carolina, based on the safety record of 22 years of accident free driving, by the North Carolina Motor Carriers Association. This award was also based on a highway rescue deed, in which he alerted the sleeping family in a roadside home one night after observing that the house was on fire.

White received special training in handling the Liberty Bell, the truck, the special truck public address system, etc., at the Brooklyn Navy Yard in New York.

The original Liberty Bell, now in Independence Square at Philadelphia, rung on July 8, 1776 upon the proclamation of the Declaration of Independence which had been adopted in its final form the preceding July 4th. This original bell was cast in London for the new State House in Philadelphia in 1761-52. It cracked while being tested and the original metal was twice recast. The third bell was hung June 7, 1753, and removed to Allentown, Pa., in 1777 to prevent its capture by the British and was later reinstalled. It cracked again July 8 while being tolled as the body of Chief Justice Marshall was being taken from Philadelphia for burial in Virginia.

The replica of the Liberty Bell which was on display in Edenton, like all of the 51 others, was cast in a small French village by a family who has been making bells for generations. The bell will be given to North Carolina and will be located at Raleigh.

Edenton Lions Club Seeking Wheelchair

Anybody have a wheelchair not in use? The Edenton Lions Club is very anxious to buy or loan a wheelchair to be used by a local colored man who is in very bad shape. It will be a great help to this fellow, and the Lions will appreciate securing the chair for him. Anyone who has a wheelchair or knows of one available will be doing a favor by contacting Hec Lupton, president of the club.

Nelle Perry Will Contest For "Miss North Carolina"

Jaycee Pageant Will Be Held at Wrightsville Beach

Miss Nelle Perry will leave next Saturday for Wrightsville Beach, where she will compete in the North Carolina Junior Chamber of Commerce three-day pageant to choose "Miss North Carolina." She will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Layton.

Miss Perry was crowned "Miss Edenton for 1950" at a recent Jaycee ball held in the armory, the crown being placed by Miss Hazel Boswell, who was named "Miss Edenton for 1949." She will have as her escort at Wrightsville Beach Bruce Jones, Jr.

The young lady who wins the "Miss North Carolina" contest at Wrightsville Beach will enter the national pageant to be held in Atlantic City in September, when "Miss America" will be selected from the various state entries.

Three Scouts At National Jamboree

Trio Left Monday For Big Event at Valley Forge, Va.

Three Edenton Boy Scouts, members of Troop 156, left Monday to attend the national Boy Scout jamboree at Valley Forge, Pa. The three boys are Charles Lee Overman, who went as a member of the Order of the Arrow, Clifford Overman and Ben Browning. The expenses of one of the latter two boys will be paid by the Edenton Rotary Club and the other by the troop treasurer.

The jamboree opens Friday and ends July 6. The boys will return home July 8.

Rotary Club Installs New Officers Today

The Rev. W. L. Freeman New President of Local Club

Edenton's Rotary will meet today (Thursday) in the Parish House at 1 o'clock, at which time the program period will be given over to the installation of officers.

The Rev. W. L. Freeman will be installed as new president of the club, succeeding George S. Twiddy, Phillip S. McMullan will be installed as vice-president and C. W. Overman, secretary-treasurer.

The directors of the club for the new year are John Kramer, W. B. Rosevear, Gilliam Wood, Thomas Byrum and George S. Twiddy.

MRS. SHACKELL A VISITOR

Mrs. R. G. Shackell of Charlotte, a former Edentonian when her late husband was editor of the Edenton Daily News, is visiting Mrs. D. M. Warren and other Edenton friends.

FANNIE BADHAM NAMED "NEGRO WOMAN OF YEAR" AT APPROPRIATE CEREMONY

Holds Distinction of Being Oldest School Teacher In Chowan County, Having Taught 54 of Her 56 Years as a Teacher In Edenton Schools

A beautiful, dramatic and inspiring program was held at Gale Street Baptist Church on Sunday night, May 28, sponsored by the Negro Woman's Club, honoring Mrs. Fannie Brookman Badham, their chosen "Woman of the Year."

Merchants Night Will Be Observed At Hicks Field Tonight

Free Tickets to Game Distributed By Edenton Merchants

Tonight (Thursday) will be observed as Merchants Night at Hicks Field, which is expected to attract the largest crowd of baseball fans thus far this season. The affair was scheduled for Monday night of last week, but due to a heavy rain the game between the Edenton Colonials and the Plymouth Rams was forced to be called off.

Free tickets to the game have been distributed by the following merchants who are interested in seeing an attendance boost at games on Hicks Field: Graham Headquarters, Hughes-Holton Hardware, Cuffrell's Department Store, Byrum Hardware Company, Triangle Service Station and Restaurant, The Texas Company, G. M. Byrum Grocery, W. D. Holmes Wholesale Company, Bill Perry Texaco Station, Gulf Service Station, Bridge Turn Service Station, W. J. Yates Sinclair Service Station, P & Q Food Center, Colonial Motor Court, Barrow Bottling Works, Malone's 5 and 10c Store, Korner Kuponboard and Brown's Esso Service, Bridge End Service Station.

Tonight's game will see the Colonials and Plymouth Rams tangle which should be another thrilling game.

VFW Employs An Operator For Club

Ralph Smith Will Be In Charge of Facilities At Club Room

Officials of the Wm. Coffield, Jr., Post, No. 9280, Veterans of Foreign Wars of U. S., announce that Ralph Smith has been employed by the post to operate the post club facilities on Tuesday and Saturday nights.

Tuesday nights have been designated as regular meeting nights and Saturday nights, are for members and their guests.

All VFW members are urged to attend the club on its opening night, Saturday, July 1. The board of governors also voted to rent the club room to members for a charge of \$2.00 for private parties or \$5.00 for non-members per night.

The club facilities will always be open to visiting VFW members.

Pocahontas Group At Elizabeth City Meeting

A delegation of members of the Chowanoke Council of the Degree of Pocahontas attended a meeting held in Elizabeth City Monday night, when tribute was paid to Mrs. Minnie Davis, who has completed 25 years as Great Keeper of Records, as well as other Great Council offices and offices of the Elizabeth City Council.

Those in the Edenton group were Mrs. Horace White, Mrs. Ruth Baker, Mrs. Mamie Parker, Mrs. Hazel Willford, Mrs. Grizelle Pruden, Mrs. Ida Tynch, Mrs. Myrtle Tynch, Mrs. Doris Jean Toppin, W. M. Rhoades and J. Edwin Bufflap.

Willis Smith Winner In Second Primary For U. S. Senator

Church Restored

The Rev. Harold Gilmer, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, announced early this week that the opening service of the restored church will be held in the church on Sunday, July 9.

The Rt. Rev. Thomas H. Wright, Bishop of East Carolina, will be present to celebrate the Holy Communion, to confirm and to preach at that time.

Local BTU Members Win State Honors

Hang Up Perfect Record At Baptist Assembly Last Week

The Training Union Department of the Baptist Church is very much pleased to announce that members of the Junior Department have continued their successful participation in the Junior Memory Work Drill by going through the State Contest at the Fort Caswell Baptist Assembly last week with a perfect record. These successful contestants, four in number, are: Maxine Spruill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Spruill; Sandra White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William White; Linda Leary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Leary; and Billy Bunch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Bunch. These young people also attended the State B. T. U. Assembly and enjoyed both the inspirational and recreational facilities of the Baptist Assembly at Fort Caswell.

In order to qualify for participation in the State Contest these four young people were winners in the local church elimination contest, the Chowan Association elimination contest and the contest for District One during the Regional B. T. U. Convention, at Hertford. They have now reached the pinnacle of success by winning in the State contest with perfect records. It is inspiring to note that in the two state-wide Junior memory work drills there have been some 125 young people of the age scale of 9 to 12 years to participate. Of this number some 110 participants enjoyed perfect records.

Besides these Junior contestants the Edenton Training Union was represented very capably in the Young People's Better Speaking Tournament by Miss Hazel Braswell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Braswell. She, too, was a winner in the local church and Association elimination contests and carried her winning record through the Regional Contest for District One to the State contest at the Fruitland Baptist Assembly, in Hendersonville, the week of June 12. This very close contest was won by the contestant from Warsaw.

Other attending the Fort Caswell Assembly were Miss Mildred Munden and Mrs. Leon Leary, leaders of the two Junior Unions; Mrs. Haywood Bunch, Deanna Dowdy and Fay Bunch.

Edenton's Cub Pack Will Meet Tonight

Edenton's Cub Pack will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 in the Scout Cabin. A number of cubs are to be presented with advancement awards stated Cubmaster Peter Carlton. Prospective new cubs and their parents are cordially invited to attend. A round table discussion will be held in which parents will have an opportunity to share in the planning of the activities of the pack.

Den Mothers Mrs. Robert Boyre and Mrs. Clyde Hollowell state that several of the cubs are getting ready for the high cubbing award entitled "webelos". Den Chiefs Miles Williams and Billy Moore will be presented with special award certificates. Mr. Carlton stated that any summer swimming activities will depend upon the decision of the Town of Edenton in taking over the pool for the summer with the permission of the Marine Corps.

BUSINESS HOUSES CLOSED ALL DAY NEXT TUESDAY
Next Tuesday will be observed as the July 4th holiday, when the Bank of Edenton, county and city offices and practically all of the stores in Edenton will be closed the entire day in order to observe the holiday.

Chowan For the Second Time Goes In Smith Column

1,382 CAST BALLOTS

Smith Took Early Lead And Steadily Forged Ahead

With supporters of Frank Graham and Willis Smith working like Trojans in the battle for votes in Saturday's second primary election to select a United States Senator, Chowan County for the second time was found in the Smith column by a slight majority. Saturday's vote was 1,382 with 700 voters casting their ballots for Smith and 682 for Graham, giving Smith a majority in Chowan County of 18 votes.

In the first primary election in May there was 1,543 votes cast in the county. Of this number 764 were for Graham and 779 for Smith, giving the latter a majority of 15 votes.

As in the first primary, the four rural precincts were carried by Smith, while East Edenton and West Edenton precincts again gave Graham the largest vote.

Oddly enough, Smith received 194 votes in each of the Edenton precincts, but East Edenton's vote for Graham was 269 and in the West Edenton precinct the count was 226.

Smith reflected greater strength in Center Hill and Wardville. In Center Hill he received 106 votes, compared with 65 for Graham. Wardville was even stronger, where Smith was a 3 to 1 favorite. He polled 96 votes as against 32 for Graham. The closest vote was in the Yeopim precinct where Smith was given 48 votes and Graham 45. Rocky Hock went 62 for Smith and 45 for Graham.

Early returns Saturday night placed Smith in the lead, but at one stage Graham supporters were encouraged when their candidate cut down Smith's lead to a few hundred votes. As returns continued to come in, however, Smith gradually forged ahead and at about 9:30 o'clock Senator Graham conceded defeat and congratulated Smith for winning the election. He was trailing Smith at that time by about 25,000 votes.

Lions Will Install New Officers On Monday

New District Governor In Charge of Installation Ceremony

New officers for the Edenton Lions Club will be installed at the regular meeting of the club next Monday night at 7 o'clock. The new District Governor, O. E. Dowd of Greenville will be in charge of the installation ceremony.

Leroy H. Haskett will be installed as president, succeeding Hector Lupton, and the other officers to be installed include J. Rodney Byrum, N. J. George and A. E. Jenkins, vice-presidents; W. J. Taylor, secretary-treasurer; Ernest Ward, Jr., Tail Twister; Scott Harrell, Lion tamer.

Edenton Colonials Now Leading League Race

Playing an improved brand of ball, the Edenton Colonials under Manager Gashouse Parker, have overcome a slump and are now leading the Albemarle League with 15 victories to 11 defeats.

Although on a winning streak, the games still fail to attract crowds sufficient to pay expenses, so that a special meeting of the Board of directors of the Colonials is scheduled to be held tonight to consider the precarious situation.

Chowan's Vote

	Smith	Graham
East Edenton	194	269
West Edenton	194	226
Rocky Hock	62	45
Center Hill	106	65
Wardville	96	32
Yeopim	48	45
Total	700	682