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Local Legion Post Plans To Sponsor County Fair Week

Fair Association Corporation Formed To Carry Out Duties

WEEK OF OCT. 16

L. Y. Ballentine Approves Idea and Issued License

Officials of the Edward G. Bond Post of the American Legion announce that the Post will sponsor a bona fide county fair for Edenton and adjoining counties. It was announced that Honorable L. Y. Ballentine, Commissioner of the North Carolina Department of Agriculture, has approved the fair and issued a license for it, and that a Fair Association Corporation has been formed to handle the many duties pertaining to a county fair and to comply with the State law passed by the Legislature to permit organizations of this kind to operate county fairs.

Robert L. Pratt, Commander of the Legion, along with Vice-Commander Willis McClenney and Wesley Cheson, Jr., Post Adjutant, and his assistant E. J. Hobbs, and John W. Graham, Commander Second District American Legion, who will have charge of the executive and planning end of the fair, are now at work making plans for the first annual fair of the Legion which will be held one complete week commencing on October 16 and ending on Saturday, October 21.

The local baseball park will be used as a fair ground and large tents will be brought in to house the many and varied exhibits. The tents will be waterproof and fireproof, and every precaution will be taken to protect the exhibits of the entrants.

A large premium list is now being prepared which will be distributed to every family in this county as well as in adjoining counties. This will cover about everything raised on the farm and special attention will be placed on the "Live At Home Program" which will include canned vegetables, fruits, jams, preserves, jellies, etc., as well as home-made garments of all kinds, the idea being to show just what can be done on the farm with the materials at hand. Some commercial exhibits will be shown also.

In this connection it is hoped, of course, that Charles W. Overman, County Farm Agent and Miss Rebecca Colwell, Home Demonstration Agent, will lend their assistance to the Legion in this worthwhile undertaking. All in all, it would appear to be the best attraction of its kind ever to appear in the city or county. While great stress has been laid and will continue to be placed on the agriculture feature of the fair, the amusement end of same has in no wise been forgotten. To that end the Great W. C. Kaus Shows which will play the county fairs at Oxford, Durham, Dunn, Erwin and Roxboro, has been contracted to bring its entire organization to Edenton for the entire week. It comes well recommended as always living up to its motto, "Nothing To (Continued on Page Ten)

Draft Board Office In Citizens Bank

Mrs. Dorothy Helms Is Secretary; Potter Chairman

An office for the Chowan County Draft Board has been set up in the Citizens Bank Building in room 314. Mrs. Dorothy Helms has been employed as secretary and is scheduled to be in the office from 9 to 1 o'clock every day except Saturday and Sunday.

All young men who become 18 years old are of registration age and are required to register in the office immediately upon reaching their 18th birthday. Heretofore registrations were made with Mrs. George Dail at the Bank of Edenton, but this work will now be handled in the Draft Board office by Mrs. Helms.

Last week Geddes Potter was elected chairman of the Draft Board, succeeding J. L. Wiggins, who resigned from the Board after serving 10 years as chairman. Besides Mr. Potter the Board consists of Edward Wells and Robert L. Pratt.

Preaches "At Home"



REV. W. FRANK CALE
The annual revival will begin at Rocky Hock Baptist Church next Sunday, with the Rev. W. Frank Cale, former pastor, as the visiting preacher.

Miss Joyce Webb Assistant Secretary Of Edenton B & L

To Succeed Mrs. Shirley Ashley, Who Resigns September 1st

R. E. Leary, secretary of the Edenton Building & Loan Association, announced this week the employment of Miss Joyce Webb as assistant secretary of the association. Miss Webb will assume her duties September 1, succeeding Mrs. Shirley Ashley, who resigned. Mrs. Ashley has filled the position since February and Mr. Leary was high in his praise of her ability. Miss Webb was an outstanding student in last year's graduating class, having been awarded a trophy for being the most outstanding student in the commercial class.

Cub Scout Meeting Scheduled Tonight

James Byrum Now Serving as Cubmaster of Troop

James Byrum has called a meeting of the local Cub Scout troop for tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock in the Scout Cabin. Mr. Byrum succeeds Peter Carlton as cubmaster and in calling the meeting urges all mothers and fathers of the Cub Scouts to attend.

At the meeting tonight plans will be considered for the fall program, so that Mr. Byrum is very anxious to have all Cub Scouts and their parents on hand to take part.

Thomas Shepard Gets AB Degree At ECTC

East Carolina Teachers College on Friday afternoon conferred degrees upon 154 graduates of the 1950 summer school. Ceremonies were held in Auslin auditorium where the new \$30,000 pipe organ recently installed at the college was used for the first graduation.

Candidates for degrees included 69 for master arts; 25 for bachelor of arts; and 60 for bachelor of science, which at East Carolina is the professional degree for those taking courses preparing them to teach.

Dr. Robert Lee Humber, prominent international attorney and promoter of world federalism, of Greenville, was the principal speaker of the afternoon ceremony. The invocation was pronounced by the Rev. Leonard W. Topping of the First Presbyterian Church in Greenville. President John D. Messick of East Carolina presided at the exercises.

Among the graduates was Thomas Shepard of Edenton, who received his A. B. degree.

Geo. E. Privott, Jr., Reported Missing In Korean Fighting

War Department Notifies Parents By Letter Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Privott received a letter from the War Department stating that their son, Pfc. George E. Privott, Jr., 21, has been missing since July 20.

Young Privott's three-year enlistment would have been up today (Thursday). He was stationed in Korea for a year and a half before the present conflict and then was sent back to Japan. When hostilities between North and South Korea began Privott was again sent to Korea and two days after his arrival he was reported missing.

While the news is very heart-rending to relatives and friends, hope is entertained that the young man is still alive somewhere in Korea.

Rotary Banquet At Windsor On Friday

Affair Is Culmination of Recent Attendance Contest

Edenton Rotarians are scheduled to go to Windsor Friday night to participate in a banquet which is the culmination of a recent attendance contest between the Edenton, Windsor, and Ahoskie Rotary clubs. The banquet is scheduled to begin at 7 o'clock with the Ahoskie Club in charge of the program. The Rev. W. L. Freeman, president of the Edenton Club, urges all Edenton Rotarians to attend.

In the attendance contest, the Windsor Club was the winner, so that the Windsor Rotarians will be given a free banquet at the expense of the Edenton and Ahoskie Rotarians.

Because of the joint meeting Friday night, the usual Rotary meeting today (Thursday) will not be held.

Revival Begins At Rocky Hock Sunday

The Rev. Frank Cale, Former Pastor, Will Preach

The Rev. E. R. Gordon of the Rocky Hock Baptist Church, this week announced that the annual revival will begin on Sunday, August 27.

The preacher for the series of meetings will be the Rev. W. Frank Cale of Cluiper, Va. Mr. Cale is a native of Chowan County and a former pastor of the church. He has a host of friends throughout the county, so that large crowds are expected to attend the revival.

Music for the meetings will be in charge of W. Jim Daniels. The public is cordially invited to attend the services.

Corma A. Mowrey Speaker For NEA

Miss Corma A. Mowrey, President of the National Education Association, will be the principal speaker at the annual Leadership Conference of the North Carolina Education Association, which opens at Catawba College, Salisbury, September 1. About 225 state and local leaders of the NEA are expected to attend the three-day session. Miss Mowrey will speak on the Saturday evening program, September 2.

R. F. Hopper Training At Little Creek Base

Over 1,000 NROTC midshipmen from 52 colleges and universities throughout the United States are currently undergoing amphibious training, both ashore and afloat at the Naval Amphibious Base at Little Creek, Va.

Among the group's midshipmen is R. F. Hopper, son of Colonel R. F. Hopper, former Commanding Officer of the Edenton Marine Corps Air Station.

MASONS MEET TONIGHT
Unanimity Lodge, No. 7, A. F. & A. M., will meet tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock in the Court House. Hubert Williford, master of the lodge, requests a full attendance.

Mayor Names Ralph Parrish As Coordinator-Director For Civilian Defense In Edenton



AVIATION ENGINEERS WORK KOREAN STYLE—Before adequate modern equipment was available, a small detachment of U. S. Army Aviation Engineers supervised Korean laborers in repairing this damaged runway. Supplies for the ground forces in the front lines were airlifted to this strip and then sent to their destination by truck and rail. Standing in the left foreground is Captain William Turner, in charge of the Engineers in this South Korean

Dr. Wm. T. Boyce Resigns Position At California College

Chowan County Native Now Visiting Relatives Here

Dr. William T. Boyce, native of Chowan County, and Mrs. Boyce of Fullerton, California, have arrived to visit relatives in North Carolina. Dr. Boyce is a brother of Mrs. Raleigh Hollowell and will visit Mr. and Mrs. Hollowell. This week relatives are enjoying a family reunion at Nags Head in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Boyce.

Dr. Boyce, pioneer director of Fullerton Junior College, recently tendered his resignation. His resignation came as no surprise since he has reached the legal age limit employment in the district.

Serving the college for 35 years, Dr. Boyce has held the positions of instructor, head of the Social Science department, Dean and Director of the junior college. His resignation becomes effective on June 30, 1950.

Before coming to Fullerton, Dr. Boyce held positions at Sherwood High School in Maryland and Whitford College, N. C., Haverford College, Penn., and Harvard.

Dr. Boyce's period of service as head of the F. J. C. has been longer than that of any other junior college head in California. He came to the helm of the college in 1917, and during his years of service in that position has given much to make the college what it is today.

Dr. Boyce holds a Masters degree from Harvard University and a Doctor of Education from University of Southern California. During his long tenure at Fullerton, Dr. Boyce has given leadership that resulted in high standards and fine accomplishment. He was a tender leader in molding the policies and perfecting the organization of the Southern California, California, and National Junior College Associations; and he was a participant in the organization of the Pacific Coast Association of Collegiate Registrars.

In 1922 Dr. Boyce conceived the idea of forming a state wide organization of junior college honor societies. He drew up a constitution for a scholarship society and it was adopted. This action is what brought together the Alpha Gamma Sigma, the state scholarship society which is represented at Fullerton junior college by the Epsilon Chapter.

Sonny Stillman Now In Air Force School

Sonny Stillman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stillman, has been selected for appointment in the air cadet school and was assigned to classes Monday of this week. He is stationed at the Goodfellow Air Force School at San Angelo, Texas.

Young Stillman left Tuesday of last week for Raleigh, where he was sworn in and completed preliminary tests. He was a student at State College when he received his appointment and is now attending classes at San Angelo.

Mr. Haskett Delighted With Mr. Parrish's Acceptance

RESPONSIBLE JOB

State Director Emphasizes Necessity to Be Prepared

Mayor Leroy Haskett early this week was notified by E. Z. Jones, director of North Carolina Council of Civil Defense, that he (Mayor Haskett) is to organize and co-ordinate the civil defense set-up in Edenton.

"A grave responsibility rests with you and I," said Mr. Jones. "You are responsible for the safety and well being of your citizens and my responsibility rests in several directions, ending up right where it starts, the safety and well being of every man, woman and child in North Carolina.

"I don't have to tell you that we are, in my humble opinion, at war with an unpredictable enemy with no regard for established humanitarian rules of international warfare. While I hope it will not happen, this fellow with the flowing mustache may, at any moment, turn this 'cold war' into a very hot one.

"Of course nobody knows where the heat will be on, but you and I hope it will not be in the direction of North Carolina. But if it is, we must be prepared for any and every type of attack. We cannot wait to get started on this program of preparedness, so for that reason I urge you, in case you have not already done so, please appoint your director of civil defense so that he in turn can begin to line up his organization.

"Please rest assured that we stand ready to assist you in any way we possibly can and you will be hearing from us often."

The local civilian defense is headed by Mayor Haskett and in conformity with instructions from State Director Jones, he has appointed Ralph E. Parrish as co-ordinator and director. Mr. Haskett informed The Herald that he was delighted when Mr. Parrish agreed to serve in the important capacity. "Mr. Parrish is a splendid organizer," said Mayor Haskett, "and I doubt if a more capable and conscientious co-ordinator could be found in Edenton. I have the utmost confidence in him and under his direction I feel that Edenton will rank high among the cities of the state in the civilian defense program."

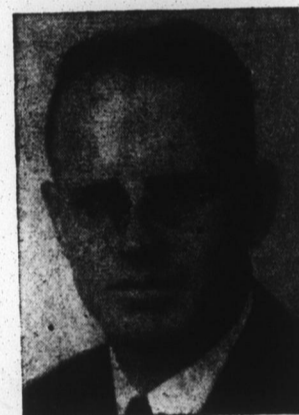
Most of the protective aspects of civil defense should be handled by the usual departments of local government. It is assumed that the problems chiefly revolve around adequate police, fire and medical protection. Local units of government have existing cooperation agencies, which with the promised cooperation of the various chapters of the N. C. Medical Society, can be made to meet these emergencies, with the added advantage that the employees do owe a responsibility to their superiors and to their communities, are disciplined and accustomed to taking and discharging orders.

The local organization will be in charge of Mayor Haskett who is chairman ex-officio. Mr. Parrish as coordinator and director will be charged with the responsibility of the immediate planning for the preparation of a practical defense plan for the community.

Among the recommendations is the education of the public with respect to the necessity for a civilian defense program; immediate legislation necessary to local governments to meet emergencies; organization and training of carefully selected police and fire reserves for the purpose of supplementing the police and fire departments; inventory and purchase of the necessary police and fire equipment, particularly with respect to ammunition, fire hose, equipment, adaptors, nozzles, chemicals, etc.; initiation of a carefully designed and planned evacuation program; initiation and organization in cooperation with local medical organizations and hospitals of an emergency hospitalization plan, first aid program, organization and staffing of casualty stations and provision of emergency medical and first aid supplies; organization and training of a carefully selected group of emergency ambulance crews; provision of emergency communication system; provision of emergency water and light facilities; cooperation with the Red Cross and other agencies in expansion of blood donor and plasma

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Revival Speaker



REV. WILLIAM H. POOLE
With revival services in progress at Ballard's Bridge Baptist Church, the Rev. William H. Poole of Smithfield, N. C., is guest minister. Services are being held each afternoon at 3 o'clock and each evening at 7:45 o'clock. The pastor, the Rev. J. W. Davis, and the congregation extend a cordial invitation to the public to attend the services.

Golf Club To Accept Junior Memberships

New Policies Adopted at Meeting Held Friday Night

In order to encourage playing golf, the Edenton Country Club at a meeting held in the Court House Friday night decided to adopt a policy of junior membership. According to the plan young men under 30 years of age will be admitted as members provided as many as 15 can be secured. The various civic clubs and other organizations will be contacted in order to reach as many as 15 young men who are interested.

At the meeting it was also decided not to allow any local person to play on the golf course at any fee unless invited by a member and further that the member secure permission from the membership committee. The green fee for out-of-county players was set at \$1.00 per person.

Officials of the club hope the young people will take advantage of the junior membership plan to the end that the popular pastime will continue.

Revival This Week At Macedonia Church

The Rev. Oscar Creech Of Ahoskie Visiting Minister

Starting Monday of this week, a revival is in progress at the Macedonia Baptist Church and will continue through Sunday. The preacher for the revival is the Rev. Oscar Creech, pastor of the Ahoskie Baptist Church.

Music for the series of meetings is under the direction of W. J. Daniels, with special features for each service. The public is cordially invited to attend the services.