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## Junior Woman's Club Will Again Sponsor Pilgrimage In April

Mrs. Jimmie Earnhardt Again Chairman of Tour

LASTS TWO DAYS

12 Homes and Four Historical Shrines Open For Visitors

Edenton's Junior Woman's Club will for the second time sponsor a pilgrimage of Colonial Edenton and countryside on Friday and Saturday, April 13 and 14 of this year.

In 1929 the Edenton Junior Woman's Club sponsored the first pilgrimage ever held in this old and historic town. Over 5,000 visitors attended during the three days in which the pilgrimage was held. This event was considered one of the most outstanding of its kind ever held in the state, and this year's pilgrimage promises to be even more successful.

Twelve private homes as well as four of the historical shrines will be open to tourists for two days. In addition there will be other historical sites marked. The places to be shown are: Pembroke Hall, Beverly Hall, the Littlejohn House, the Customs House, the Booth House, the colonial home of Mr. and Mrs. Grayson Harding, Greenfield plantation, Strawberry Hill plantation, Bandon plantation, Martineque plantation, Clement Hall plantation, Mulberry Hill plantation, the Chowan County Court House, the Cupola house, the Iredell house, and St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Block tickets will be sold for \$3.00 and a special student's ticket will be available at half price. For persons desiring only to view a few of the places, single tickets will be sold for 50 cents. Opening hours for the different places will be announced in the near future.

Folders giving the homes and places to be shown as well as all data concerning the pilgrimage will be available to anyone desiring them.

Mrs. W. J. P. Earnhardt is again chairman of the pilgrimage as she was for the tour in 1949. She has announced the chairmen and co-chairmen of the different committees as follows:

- Co-chairman of the Pilgrimage—Mrs. R. N. Hines.
- Chairman of Publicity—Mrs. John A. Kramer.
- Co-chairman of Publicity—Miss Kathryn Brown.
- Chairman of Hostesses—Mrs. Roland Vaughan.
- Chairman of Tickets—Mrs. Ralph Parrish.
- Chairman of Advertising—Mrs. Joe Thorud.
- Co-chairman of Advertising—Mrs. Frank Holmes.
- Chairman of Courtesy—Mrs. R. N. Hines.
- Co-chairman of Courtesy—Mrs. Joe Conger, Jr.

## Baptists Observing Stewardship Week

Five Meetings In Edenton Baptist Church Next Week

Mission and Stewardship Week for the Chowan Baptist Association will be observed February 19-23, with five services scheduled to be held in the Edenton Baptist Church.

These meetings will be held Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week starting each night at 7:30 o'clock.

On Monday the speaker will be James W. Ray. Tuesday's speaker will be Arthur R. Gallimore; Wednesday, C. W. Bazemore; Thursday, H. H. McMillian, and Friday, Earle L. Bradley.

Dr. McMillian and Dr. Gallimore are former missionaries to China, Mr. Bradley is a missionary of Eastern North Carolina, Mr. Ray is secretary of student work and Mr. Bazemore is connected with the Biblical Record.

Similar meetings will be held during the week in the Gatesville Baptist Church.

LEGION MEETS TUESDAY  
Ed Bond Post of the American Legion will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the armory. Commander L. L. Pratt urges a full attendance.

## Quota For March Of Dimes Lacks Almost \$700 Up To Friday

Contributions According To Incomplete Report Total \$1,315.35

According to a report Friday of last week, Chowan County lacked almost \$700 of meeting its quota in the March of Dimes. With Richard Dixon, Jr., March of Dimes chairman, being out of town due to his marriage in Raleigh Friday, Kermit Layton, president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, sponsor of the drive, reported to J. Edwin Bufflap, chairman of the Chowan County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, that contributions in hand amounted to \$1,315.35. The county's quota is \$2,000.

Of course, the report was not complete and a desperate effort will be made by the Jaycees to reach the quota. Some of the iron lung boxes have not been collected and a few scattered reports of canvassers are still to be heard from.

Mr. Layton informed the county chairman that it has been very noticeable that contributions this year have been small. For that reason he urges any who are interested in the county reaching its quota and who will donate more, to do so at once.

Another unique method adopted by the Jaycees will be carried out Friday night. At that hour the fire siren will be sounded to remind any who want to make a last minute contribution. Jaycees have been assigned various streets and if a porch light is turned on when the siren is sounded, a Jaycee will call for whatever donation will be given.

## Town Councilmen Have Busy Meeting

Much Time Devoted To Granting Taxicab Permits

In an effort to further beautify the Court House Green, Miss Elizabeth Moore, on behalf of the Junior Woman's Club, appeared before Town Council Tuesday night to request a curb along the west side of the Green. It was pointed out that some young trees had been set out, but that at present cars are parked on the Green and this practice prevents planting of grass. The idea was also advanced to allow only one-way traffic in order to curb parking on the Green side. After some consideration the Street Commissioner was instructed to make an investigation and report at the next meeting.

A considerable amount of time was devoted to issuing licenses to operate taxicabs. Five operators applied for permits, including Harry Crumney, Arthur Chappell, H. W. Layton, William P. Jones and Wilford Jordan, the latter a colored man. The five operators asked for nine cabs. All were granted licenses, but were furnished copies of the ordinance concerning (Continued on Page Twelve)

## Cancer Clinic Will Be Held On Friday

The bi-weekly cancer detection clinic will be held Friday, February 16, at the Health Center, Elizabeth City, with registration beginning at one o'clock.

Examinations are free to all men and women thirty-five or over, and to anyone regardless of age, with a recognized "danger signal of cancer."

Priorities will be given to anyone desiring an examination who lives twenty miles or more from Elizabeth City. Send your request to Cancer Clerk, Health Center, Elizabeth City.

## County Offices Closed All Day February 22

Chowan County offices will be closed all day next Thursday, February 22, due to Washington's birthday, which is observed as a holiday. Important business should, therefore, be transacted accordingly.

## Edenton Boy Scouts Make Good Showing At Court Of Honor

Big Celebration Held In Norfolk on Sunday Afternoon

A happy group of Edenton Boy Scouts left Sunday afternoon at about 1:30 o'clock for Norfolk, where they attended a Court of Honor for the entire Tidewater Council, the second to be held since World War II. Twenty-six Scouts accompanied the trip in the Edenton Aces' bus and were accompanied by four Scout leaders, J. Clarence Leary, Jr., W. T. Harry, Sidney Campen and Robert S. Marsh. The group returned Sunday night about 8 o'clock. Lee Small was the bus driver.

Prior to leaving Edenton the Scouts attended morning services at the Episcopal Church in a body and left with lunch in their arms so that no time would be lost to take part in the Norfolk ceremony.

Before the Court of Honor proceedings in the Municipal Auditorium, a parade was held when the Scouts and Scouters proceeded down Granby Street. It was a colorful affair with a Scout drum and bugle corps, the Norfolk Fire Department Band and a Naval Station band in the line of march. In the auditorium the Second Naval District Band also played a concert.

At the Court of Honor 16 boys were promoted to Eagle Scouts and 672 Scout awards were given to 304 boys. The awards were made by Rear Admiral R. O. Davis, USN, commander of the Fifth Naval District.

Edenton Scouts who made the trip were Roger Schiefer, who was flag bearer in the parade, George Harris, who carried the troop flag, Bobby Perry, Bobby Pratt, Rupert Williams, Robert Earl Edwards, Jerry Downum, Faye Bunch, Oscar White, Ralph Chappell, Billy Moore, King Bunch, Asa Dail, Eddie Spallings, Caleb White, Sidney Campen, Jr., Charlie Griffin, Clarence Lupton, Lloyd Ray Goodwin, Wayne Keeter, Miles Williams, Albert Ward, Billy Harry, Ray Hollowell, Bobby Whiteman and Stuart Holland, and Arthur White, a Cub Scout.

The Edenton Scouts were given a great deal of praise. With 32 boys in the troop, 26 of them were on hand for the Court of Honor and were given credit for traveling the longest distance for the celebration. They were also highly complimented by Scout officials, who said the Edenton troop was the best looking in the entire parade. The group was escorted by a State Highway patrolman as far as the State line Sunday afternoon.

Local Scouts who were honored at the Court of Honor were Clarence Lupton, promoted to Second Class Scout; Billy Moore, promoted to First Class Scout; Sidney Campen, Star Scout; Ben Browning, Life Scout. Clifford Overman and Bobby Whiteman were awarded merit badges other than achievement in rank.

## BPW Club Meets At Hotel Tonight

Edenton's Business and Professional Women's Club will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 o'clock in the club room at Hotel Joseph Hewes. The principal speaker for the occasion will be Dr. B. B. McGuire, district health officer.

A turkey dinner will be served.

## WEEKLY LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

By voting to accept Marine Corps invitations to visit Cherry Point and Camp Lejeune as late as March 14, members of the 1951 General Assembly have admitted to themselves at least that they anticipate no unusually early adjournment. Post war sessions have tended to creep well into April. While floor debate has been warmer this week and committees have been working with increasing dispatch, there is little reason to think this legislature will leave Raleigh much earlier than its two immediate predecessors.

### State Aid to City Streets

Despite blunt warnings from highway officials and the governor the earmarking a larger portion of present highway revenues for municipal streets without levying new taxes would sacrifice dire needs of the primary highway system, the Senate appropriations committee, by a 1-vote margin, has followed quickly on the heels of the Senate roads committee in approving SB 120 signed by 38 senators. A large number of municipal officials gathered in Raleigh on Wednesday to watch the bill through the

## Chowan Goes Over Top In Its Quota For Donations Of Blood

177 Pints Given at Bloodmobile Tuesday; Chairman Is Delighted

Chowan County went over the top in the Red Cross blood program Tuesday, when 177 pints were given. The quota for the county was 175, so that George Alma Byrum, blood program chairman, as well as others connected with the program delighted over the success of the bloodmobile visit.

Mr. Byrum informed The Herald that while the bloodmobile was here Tuesday an urgent call was received from Norfolk headquarters for 48 pints of Type O blood to go direct to Korea. The blood was available and was sent immediately.

Mr. Byrum desires to congratulate and thank all who contributed blood and others who in any way helped to make the drive a success. "Those who recruited donors did a fine job," he said, "and the personnel at the armory and ladies who assisted in various ways are to be complimented.

That the cooperation was more apparent for this drive, is reflected in the fact that at the cotton mill 60 pledge cards were signed. The Marines donated 34 pints of blood and more donors appeared from the rural section of the county. There was also a good response among colored people.

"We could not have hoped for any better cooperation," said Mr. Byrum. The bloodmobile will be back in Edenton in May.

Those who donated a pint of blood Tuesday were:

- O. C. Long, Jr., Thomas Shepard, Mrs. Thomas Leary, Wilbert Basnight, E. C. Alexander, Jack Lassiter, Mrs. Graham Byrum, Robert Smith, C. W. Slades, Sam Sawyer, John C. Todd, Joe Privott, Alfred Wright, Mrs. Joyce A. Beasley, Mrs. Leone R. Twiddy, Pvt. Thomas Kulha, George J. Borski, Captain Ted Boutwell, Sgt. Aries C. Hester, Mrs. J. R. Byrum, Mrs. Louise Czeriels, Mrs. Ireland Cahoon, William Perry, W. H. Saunders, Mrs. Lillie H. Saunders, Mrs. Elizabeth D. Ashley, Captain Ralph Coast, Henry A. Bunch, Jenie T. Turnage, Earl M. Goodwin, Wilbur P. Harris, McKay Washington, Mrs. Dick Leary, Henry J. Cuthrell, Luther C. Parks, Jesse L. Harrell, C. W. Swanner, A. A. Lethetroma, Theodore A. Ezeriah, Lindsay Bass, Donald S. Hunt, Miss Sarah M. Harrell, Shelton Rogerson, Mrs. Sarah Wilson, Mrs. Blanche J. Powers, Earl W. Minshew, Irving J. Tompkins, Cpl. Richard Huband, James W. Ratigan, Cleaven S. White, Henry C. Whitecarver, Leonard E. Davenport, Elwood D. Harrell, James Scott Harrell, T. M. Forehand, W. E. Bond, John R. Lewis, H. O. Burbage, T. Wallace Jones, Daniel V. Krypa, Pfc. Lyle B. Pasinace, Miss Jean Smith, Charles R. Hudson, Robert M. Miezio, Mrs. Elizabeth Byrd, Frank Cox, Joseph R. Fapelala, Murray Byrum, James B. Stillman, Robert S. Marsh, Mrs. Frank L. Williams, Mrs. E. R. Tolley, Mrs. Ella Mae Morgan, Wiley J. P. Earnhardt, Sr., S. S. Mills, Mrs. Caroline Swindell, Mrs. Oro L. Williams, Mamie L. Parker, Michael L. Dowd, Miss Catherine Brown, Carlton M. Goodwin, Forrest Jernigan, Mrs. Bertha B. Bunch, Mrs. Thomas W. Leary, H. A. Campen, Mrs. I. L. Harrell, I. L. Harrell, Mrs. Ruth D. Bunch, Mary W. Perry, Mrs. William E. Baker, Joseph (Continued on Page Twelve)

## Open House Will Be Observed At Chowan Hospital On Sunday

Unique Fashion Show Is Being Arranged By Edenton's BPW Club

Styles of Long Ago and Present Time Will Be Displayed

Mrs. Raymond Carr, president of the Edenton Business and Professional Women's Club, announced this week that the club will stage a unique fashion show Thursday night, March 1, at 8 o'clock in the Edenton High School auditorium.

Fashions, old and new, will be featured beginning with the earliest ladies' fashions in America, and leading on through the centuries to the present time. The styles of 1951 will be shown by local merchants.

Anyone who has old-fashioned costumes such as wedding dresses, second day dresses, bathing suits, etc., and willing to lend them are requested to get in touch with Miss Helen Evans or Mrs. Raymond Carr.

Mrs. Carr says this will be an opportunity to show children of today the styles of long ago and hopes the fashion show will cause a great deal of interest.

## Special TB Survey Is Announced For Health Department

Schedule For Edenton Will Be February 17, 20 and 21

The Division of Tuberculosis Control, State Board of Health, will lend the local Health District a unit for follow-up on certain groups of people X-rayed a year ago, and their family contacts.

The unit will be at Edenton High School February 17, 20 and 21; Hertford Court House February 23 and 24; Elizabeth City, Main and Martin Streets, February 27, 28, March 1, 2 and 3. Hours will be from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Senior high school students in all schools in the district will be X-rayed. Anyone over 15 years of age may come regardless of contact status. Any children will be X-rayed if they will present a written request from their family physician.

This special survey is sponsored by the District Health Department, the local Tuberculosis and Health Association, and Tuberculosis Seal Sale Committees.

## Directors Of B. & L. Effect Organization

J. N. Pruden Elected Director To Succeed R. P. Badham

Directors of the Edenton Building & Loan Association who were elected at the annual meeting recently held met Thursday night in the association's office and elected J. N. Pruden as the ninth director. Mr. Pruden succeeds the late R. P. Badham.

The directors then perfected organization for the year by re-electing F. W. Hobbs as president, J. Clarence Leary, first vice-president, succeeding the late R. P. Badham; T. C. Byrum, second vice-president and R. E. Leary, secretary and treasurer. Various committees were also appointed to serve during the new year.

## Jaycee Scrap Paper Drive Saturday P. M.

Thomas Byrum, chairman of the Junior Chamber of Commerce scrap paper drive, calls attention to the collection of scrap paper by the Jaycees every Saturday afternoon. The collection gets under way at 2 o'clock and anybody who has any kind of scrap paper is requested to place it where it can be easily seen from the street.

Standard Printing Co. 220-230 S. First St. Hostesses Assigned to Be on Duty During Day

Auxiliary Plans to Conduct Pencil Sale on Saturday

Next Sunday, February 18, open house inspection will be observed at the new Chowan Hospital, when the hospital and nurses' home will be open to the public from 11 A. M. to 12 o'clock noon and again from 2 P. M. to 8:30 P. M.

Hospital trustees and those interested in the new hospital are very proud of the new plant and hope many people will avail themselves of the opportunity to visit and inspect the local institution.

Hostesses have been assigned to be on duty during the day to meet visitors and show them around. The schedule and those who will serve as hostesses follows:

11 A. M. to 12 o'clock noon—Mrs. Allison Campen, Mrs. Boyd Harless, Miss Paulina Hassell, Mrs. Carroll Kramer, Mrs. J. L. Pettus, Mrs. Percy Smith, Mrs. Haywood Ziegler, Miss Inez Felton and Mrs. West Leary.

1:30 to 3:30 P. M.—Mrs. Philip McMullan, Mrs. L. C. Jordan, Mrs. Rodney Harrell, Mrs. West Byrum, Mrs. Lloyd Bunch, Mrs. Wallace Jones, Mrs. N. J. George, Mrs. J. M. Thorud, Mrs. Ralph Parrish, Mrs. A. F. Downum, Mrs. D. M. Reeves, Mrs. Lonnie Boyce and Mrs. M. W. Jackson.

3:30 to 5:30 P. M.—Mrs. John Kramer, Mrs. L. A. Patterson, Mrs. David Holton, Mrs. Earl Goodwin, Mrs. Martin Wisely, Mrs. John Graham, Mrs. L. P. Williams, Mrs. Wallace Goodwin, Mrs. E. N. Elliott, Mrs. James Lee, Mrs. Ray Hollowell, Mrs. Elbert Copeland and Mrs. Pauline Travis.

5:30 P. M. to 8:30 P. M.—Mrs. J. W. Davis, Mrs. J. H. Conger, Mrs. J. M. Jones, Mrs. Albert Byrum, Mrs. W. H. Coffield, Mrs. W. E. Bond, Mrs. T. C. Byrum, Jr., Mrs. Kermit Layton, Mrs. Frank Elliott, Mrs. W. O. Elliott, Mrs. Leland Plant, Miss Margaret Pruden, Mrs. J. L. Chestnut, Mrs. A. E. Jenkins, Mrs. Medlin Belch, Mrs. George Hoskins, Mrs. J. Clarence Leary, Sr., Mrs. Geddes Potter, Mrs. Richard Elliott, Mrs. J. E. Wood and Mrs. Frank Wood.

Members of the Colored Hospital Auxiliary who will also assist as hostesses are:

Mrs. Mary C. Blount, Mrs. Annie M. Williams, Mrs. Mary Blount Jernigan, Mrs. Rosa Jones Hurdle, Mrs. A. O. Charlton, Mrs. Linzie Blount, Mrs. Lena Davis, Mrs. Edythe Nixon, Mrs. Mattie Wynn, Mrs. Clara Roberts, Mrs. Catherine Lewis, Mrs. Vanzula Jones, Mrs. Dorothy Bunch, Mrs. Mary Lee Bruce, Mrs. Alice Paxton, Mrs. Annie F. Holley, Mrs. Arletha Brinkley, Mrs. Lula Welch, Mrs. Dorothy Walker, Mrs. Lillie McRae, Mrs. Bessie Lee, Miss Lillie Harrell, Miss Luella Ricks, Miss Emeline Ricks, Mrs. Eva C. Cox, Mrs. Roberta Gregory.

Nurses' Home  
11 A. M. to 12 o'clock noon—Mrs. J. Clarence Leary, Jr., and Mrs. J. R. Dulaney.

1:30 to 3:30 P. M.—Mrs. Frank Holmes and Miss Lena Jones.  
3:30 to 5:30 P. M.—Mrs. Fred P. Wood and Mrs. W. B. Rosevear.  
5:30 to 8:30 P. M.—Mrs. J. A. Curran, Mrs. Jesse White and Mrs. Wood Privott.

Mrs. R. F. Elliott, finance chairman of the Hospital Auxiliary, announces that a pencil sale will be held Saturday, February 17, when Boy Scouts will be asked to sell pencils during the day for the benefit of the Auxiliary.

## Wesleyan Guild Plans Chicken Salad Supper

Members of the Wesleyan Guild of the Methodist Church will sponsor a chicken salad supper Tuesday night, February 20. Plates will be delivered by the ladies, and to secure one, friends are asked to contact Mrs. George Dail or Mrs. John L. Goodwin.

## Bank Of Edenton To Close February 22nd

In order to observe Washington's birthday, a national holiday, the Bank of Edenton will be closed all day next Thursday, February 22. Important banking business should, therefore, be transacted accordingly.