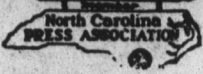


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THURSDAY, MAY 15, 1952

Well Represented

Edenton is well represented in the Ocean Highway Association, for not only are four motor courts members of the association, but the town has two members on the board of directors, Clyde Hollowell and John F. White.

The association is staging a battle to keep tourist traffic on Route 17, so that it needs the support of more members who naturally benefit by traveling on this route. Bids are being made by other routes for the traffic now using Route 17. The stronger the Ocean Highway Association is, the more improvements can be made on the route to attract and keep the tourist traffic.

Mr. Hollowell has for several years been a director and Mr. White was elected last week. In these two directors Edentonians can be assured that every effort will be made to hold tourist traffic on Route 17 which, of course, means traveling through Edenton.

More Blood Donors Needed

Since Marines have been stationed at the Edenton Marine Corps Air Station, they have cooperated splendidly with the local Red Cross blood program and have donated in some instances almost 100 per cent.

According to George Alma Byrum, chairman of the Chowan County Red Cross blood program, the bloodmobile will be at the Edenton armory Thursday, May 29. However, says Mr. Byrum, a separate visit of the bloodmobile will be made at the local base Friday, May 23, so that Marine blood donations will not be available in Edenton. This means that many more civilians will have to volunteer to donate a pint of blood if Chowan County is to meet its quota of 150 pints.

Mr. Byrum emphasizes the fact that more blood is needed at the local hospital and at the same time the need for blood for wounded service men has not decreased overseas.

There are many people in Edenton and Chowan County who have unstintingly given blood upon each visit of the bloodmobile, but now with the Marines' blood given separately the obligation rests entirely upon our own people to rally to the appeal for blood which not only relieves suffering, but saves precious lives as well.

It should not be necessary for Red Cross workers to ferret out volunteers, both white and colored. There surely should be at least 150 people in Chowan County who are willing to give a pint of blood for the sake of suffering humanity, and if not contacted they should visit the bloodmobile when it is in Edenton on May 29.

The thought occurs that this is an election year and, therefore, you can discount whatever political speakers say by about 90 per cent.

Some people never admit their error in anything but, as time goes on, they fool fewer and fewer people.

People usually "haven't got time" for unpleasant jobs, even though time isn't the problem.

The best way to get somewhere in life is to know where you are going and get up sufficient steam for the journey.

Life would be more pleasant if there were not so many sapheaded individuals.

About the only net result of emotionalism is that the speaker perspires freely.

Everyone has good traits, if you will take the time to discover them.

HEARD & SEEN

By "BUFF"

I met up with Frank Muth at the bus station Sunday. A friend asked him, "Frank, you've fallen off some haven't you." Frank replied, "No, I weigh about 178 pounds as usual. Maybe the difference is that I've taken off my long underwear."

I've never doubted the veracity of Jim Chestnut, but I came near doing it last Thursday. At the Rotary Club he gave a detailed report of the recent Rotary district meeting held in Burlington and in his remarks he said a morning meeting was held at 9:30 o'clock. Who in the dickens can get up at a convention early enough to go to a meeting at that hour? Why, a lot of guys have had just a few hours of sleep by that time.

Bill Harry also reported what had impressed him most at his first district Rotary Convention. After a long list of impressions Bill said, "I was impressed with the mileage received in the automobile in which I rode to Burlington and back." Wonder what kind of a car it was—he sells Chevrolets, you know.

Here's one who got off to a good start Wednesday morning. As I entered the Post Office I was greeted by Dick Dixon, who wore a broad smile and poked a cigar at me. He became the daddy of a son only a few hours before and either he had the cigars in advance or got some merchant to open up early in order to buy 'em. He "paid off" just as soon as I learned he was "indebted" to me.

I've read a little about Penelope Barker and if my impressions are about right, the distinguished lady of Colonial days got around a lot faster than the house now is in which she lived. Anyway, here's one who has to drive all around town to get to and from work.

Ha! Looks like a good smoke for me in the office. Last week I received a letter from James Mitchener, who is now located in Concord. He told me his wife gave birth to a daughter and that he remembered not "paying me off" with a cigar when a son was born two years ago. "I will send you a cigar for each of the children," write James, "and one as interest for late payment." Incidentally, James said he saw in The Herald that several Edenton people were in Concord several months ago: "If this should happen again," said James, "stop by to see us because it is a real treat to see anyone from home and I think they will enjoy seeing our new 300-bed hospital."

I, and I'm satisfied some others in Edenton, have been conferred the title of "Country Squire" by Governor W. Kerr Scott. The certificate bears the great seal of the State of North Carolina and the Governor's signature. I've tried to find out what a "squire" is and in the dictionary I learn that in England it is a title of dignity next in degree below knight and above gentleman. (Take note you guys who think I'm a so-and-so). Anyway printed on the certificate is the following:

"Reposing special trust and confidence in J. E. Bufflap, I, Governor W. Kerr Scott, note that:

"He is one of the branch head boys, born and bred in the Tarheel State, who has quit draggin' his feet and is catchin' up on his haulin'; and

"Whereas he has demonstrated that he is a tried and true member of the rougher element and plows out to the end of the row; and

"Whereas, he is versed in both the meaning and the mystery of our significant and proudly proclaimed dates; and

Whereas, he is forward-go'in' and has a natural hankerin' for Chittlin's, possum and 'taters, lamb fries, potlikker, corn pone barbecue and sas fras tea; I do

"Therefore proclaim him a Country Squire, entitled to all the rights and privileges of this estate."

Of course, I do not altogether qualify for the honor, for I was not born and bred a Tarheel. I became a Tarheel of my own choosing. Then if I'd have to plow I doubt if I'd ever reach the end of the row. I like to think I'm forward-go'in' but if having a natural hankerin' for chittlin's and possum is a prerequisite to be a country squire, I'll have to be counted out.

The little boys who sell refreshments at the baseball games are rather witty sometimes. The other night a fan asked one of 'em if he had any chewing tobacco. "No, the boy replied, "but I have some snuff if you want it."

Open House Held At White Oak School

Type of Program Carried Out Wins Compliments

White Oak Consolidated School held its second Open House Sunday, May 11. Christopher C. Gray, Dean of Men at St. Augustine's College, Raleigh, was the guest speaker and gave an interesting address on "Human Relations."

The platform guests were: B. W. Evans, District County Chairman; Superintendent W. J. Taylor and the Rev. J. E. Tillett. Mr. Evans greeted the gathering for the first time in the new building.

Superintendent Taylor greeted those present and complimented the parents, school and friends on the type of program carried out this year. At the end of the program the visitors were invited into the class rooms to view the activities on display.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Mrs. Lucy Y. Haste left Wednesday for Washington, D. C., where she will join her son Captain Shields Haste. From Washington they will return to Mrs. Haste's home in Tampa, Fla. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Haste's grandson, Charles Baker, who has been living in Honduras, Central America.

Frank Muth of Snow Hill spent the week-end visiting his mother, Mrs. F. F. Muth.

Miss Carolyn Elliott of Fayetteville spent Mother's Day visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Layden and children of Newport News, Va., spent Sunday with Mrs. Layden's sister, Mrs. Harry Crumme.

Lieut. and Mrs. Dick Hoffman and two daughters of York, Pa., were brief

visitors of Mrs. Hoffman's uncle, J. Edwin Bufflap, Friday night. Lieut. Hoffman is stationed at Langley Field, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. John Albert Holmes, Jr., of Tarboro spent Mother's Day with Mr. Holmes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Garrett and two children of Newport News, spent Mother's Day with Mr. Garrett's mother, Mrs. John Garrett.

Mrs. Ellie Goodwin of Hertford spent Sunday visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crumme.

The Rev. and Mrs. Alphonso Jordan returned to their home in Raleigh Sunday afternoon. Mr. Jordan preached at the Rocky Hock Baptist Church Sunday morning. The couple were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Harrell.

Sgt. West Byrum, Jr., U. S. Air Force, stationed at Langley Field, spent Mother's Day visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Byrum.

Bruce White, Jr., of Lewiston spent the week-end visiting his mother, Mrs. J. Edwin Bufflap.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Williford returned home Friday from Charlotte, where Mr. Williford attended a joint convention of the State Funeral Directors' Association of North and South Carolina.

ROTARY MEETS TODAY

Edenton's Rotary Club will meet today (Thursday) at 1 o'clock in the Parish House. The program will be in charge of Hubert Williford, President. J. L. Chestnut is anxious to have a 100 per cent attendance meeting.

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams celebrated their fortieth wedding anniversary at their home on East Eden Street Friday night. A sumptuous dinner was served several relatives and friends who were guests of the couple for the occasion.

FIRE INSPECTION NEXT WEEK

Fire Chief R. K. Hall plans to conduct a fire inspection in the business section next week. He urges a general cleaning up of premises, especially back yards, before the inspection.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT
Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. Dixon, Jr., announce the birth of a 7-pound son, born Wednesday morning of this week in Chowan Hospital.

DEPENDABILITY



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