

The Chowan Herald

Published every Thursday by The Chowan Herald, a partnership consisting of J. E. Bufflap and Hector Lupton, at 422-425 South



J. EDWIN BUFFLAP, Editor
HECTOR LUPTON, Advertising Manager

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:
One year \$2.00
Six Months \$1.25

Entered as second-class matter August 30, 1934, at the Post Office at Edenton, North Carolina, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Cards of thanks, obituaries, resolutions of respect, etc., will be charged for at regular advertising rates.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1952

A LIFT FOR TODAY

They profess that they know God; but in works they deny him, being obominable, and disobedient, and unto every good work reprobate.—Titus 1: 16.

THE HYPOCRITE pays tribute to God that he may impose upon man.—Swift.

Cleanse our hearts of all that is displeasing to Thee, O Lord.

Belated Congratulations

Though somewhat belated, The Herald joins Edenton friends in congratulating Mrs. W. A. Graham upon being selected as Edenton's "Woman of the Year." The honor was bestowed upon Mrs. Graham by the Edenton Business and Professional Woman's Club, which annually names Edenton's No. 1 lady.

Mrs. Graham is entitled to the honor, for her activities in church work, social, patriotic, philanthropic, civic and business activities are well known, although she is very modest about what she does and to some degree carries out the injunction of Holy Writ in not letting the left hand know what the right hand is doing.

Mrs. Graham's helpful influence has been felt in many organizations, so that she is not only loved and respected in Edenton, but throughout the entire State.

The honor is very befitting and The Herald is proud that Edenton can claim her as one of its citizens and especially as the "Woman of the Year."

Worthy Of Joining

With the first Parent-Teacher Association meeting of the current year scheduled to be held Tuesday night, October 14, an appeal is being made for new members in the hope that the local school can boast a 100 per cent membership of parents.

Needless to say, the PTA can do a wonderful work, and the greater the number of members, the greater the influence will be in establishing good home and school relations to the end that the child's most intimate and powerful educators can do together what neither can do alone.

With more members there should result more ideas, interest, inspiration, service, strength and support, for there is work to be done for the children and youth of the community, which will not wait. It doesn't take a child long to grow up, so that every parent should sense a responsibility which no other person can shoulder. As members of the PTA, parents can join forces in doing something practical and effective by helping share responsibilities and keeping informed about the facts in educating our boys and girls, the most precious possession we have.

Help make better boys and girls of your children—join the PTA.

Farmers In Dilemma

To say the least, some Chowan County farmers are experiencing no little difficulty in harvesting their cotton crop. Help in picking cotton is limited, so that youngsters have been obliged to pick cotton, many of whom depend upon this source of revenue to purchase shoes and winter clothing.

Added to this hardship the last few days has been the appearance of a Federal agent, who warns farmers that no child under 18 years of age is allowed to pick cotton on the strength, no doubt, that he or she should be in school. As a result, some farmers are in a dilemma,

HEARD & SEEN

By "BUFF"

Edenton High School's Band will sponsor an auction sale at the fair Friday night. The band will play from 8 to 8:30 o'clock, after which the sale will be held. Various items to be sold will be donated by merchants and others, so some timely and worthwhile articles will be offered for sale. The purpose of the auction sale is to help raise money in order to purchase new instruments for the band. Go out and hear the youngsters play and bid on some of the things which will be sold. You may need some items sold, and at the same time help to make our present band even better.

Mrs. Bo Thomas came very near kissing one of the men at the fair Tuesday night. She went up to the man who guesses ages and he guessed Mrs. Thomas as being eight years younger than she actually is. She was so delighted that she was tempted to invite him to come to Hotel Joseph Hewes for a free dinner. Gosh, it looks like two ways to please a lady is to tell her she is younger than she is, or tell a fat 'un that she isn't fat.

Just about the best exhibit I saw at the Chowan County Fair Tuesday night was the booth reflecting the improvements made at the Rocky Hock Baptist Church. Of course, Izzy Campen was called in to fix up the models of the church and grounds as it was some 20 years ago and as it is today. Izzy done a splendid job, as usual, and even has a little man on the steps which represents Willie Saunders, church sexton, smoking his pipe and waiting for the preacher or worshippers to arrive. The exhibit won first prize and will be entered in the 7-County Fair in Elizabeth City next week.

Chowan County Commissioners on Monday were faced with a problem of installing a stove in the county jail. The trouble is that there is not enough space between the wall and cell blocks to install a stove large enough to adequately heat the building. Sheriff J. A. Bunch, custodian of the jail, was instructed to contact a contractor in order to rig up some way to put in a stove, most likely knocking out part of the wide wall. At any rate, the Sheriff was told by the Commissioners, "Go ahead and get a stove in the jail, for we don't want to freeze if we are sent there."

Here's one who went fishing Saturday and while fishing at a favorite hole, a fellow came oozing along with a nice string of bream. "How's luck?" I asked him. "Well, I'm soon got to quit," he said, for I almost have the limit. But I don't have far to go, for I live just a short distance from the bridge. "Do you live near Jerry Turner's camp?" I asked. "Why, you are talking to Jerry Turner," the man said. Well, about 20 years ago I moved in a house which Jerry vacated but I didn't even recognize him. At any rate, Jerry told me he takes "suckers" out fishing down Manteo way, but when he wants to go fishing and catch some fish, he comes back to this neck of the woods. And incidentally, the Missus and Martha Crummey were along on the trip, but I can't figure out how they expect to catch fish with their lines on top of the bushes.

Edenton's firemen held a very enjoyable barbecue chicken dinner Thursday night, to which town officials were invited. It was a splendid affair, but on one of the chickens the hot stuff must not have been distributed. Mrs. J. Clarence Leary got this piece of chicken and said if she hadn't been in the fire station she would call out the firemen to put out the "fire." One of the best things about the party was that there was no long-winded speakers. Quite a few were called on by Cap'n Dick Hall, but all "speeches" were very brief, including what several of the ladies had to say.

for cotton is ready to be picked but the laborers are few.

As a matter of fact, the opinion is advanced that if children of this age are prohibited from earning this seasonal money, more children will be out of school due to lack of clothing than would otherwise be the case.

It is not the purpose of Chowan County farmers to exploit children and if children are required to wait until they are 18 years old before being required to work, there will, without doubt, be a bumper crop of first grade loafers within a very few years.

District Teachers Meet In Greenville For Annual Meeting

More Than 1,500 Teachers and School Officials Expected

More than 1500 teachers and school officials from 22 counties are expected to attend the 30th annual meeting of the Northeastern District of the North Carolina Education Association at East Carolina College at Greenville, Friday, October 10.

Dr. Frank B. Hall, pastor of the Pearsall Memorial Presbyterian Church, Wilmington, will speak at the 1:45 afternoon general session on the topic "Moral and Spiritual Values for our Public Schools." At the 10 o'clock morning session Dr. Charles F. Carroll, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and E. N. Howell, Swannanoa, President of the NCEA, will be heard. At this session NCEA activities will be discussed by Association officers and staff members.

The district is composed of the following counties: Beaufort, Bertie, Camden, Carteret, Chowan, Craven, Currituck, Dare, Edgecombe, Gates,

Greene, Hertford, Hyde, Lenoir, Martin, Pamlico, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Pitt, Tyrrell, Washington, and Wilson.

Band Auction Sale At Fair Friday Night

Purpose To Raise Funds To Purchase New Instruments

Edenton's High School Band will render a concert at the Chowan County Fair Friday night from 8 to 8:30 o'clock, after which an auction sale will be held.

The purpose of the auction sale is to raise funds to purchase new instruments, with merchants and others donating various items to be sold. The public is urged to listen to the band and participate in the auction sale which follows the concert.

About Rent Control

These questions were selected from those often asked of the local rent office. They apply only to those accommodations which are under rent control. If you have a question, or if you are in doubt as to whether your

accommodations are under rent stabilization program, contact the Representative who will be in the Rent Office located in the Municipal Building in Edenton, on Friday, October 17th, from 1:00 to 3:30 P. M.

Question: The other day I discovered that my landlord had been overcharging me in the rent on my apartment. When I went to him about it he said he would reduce the rent to the legal maximum next month but there was nothing that could be done about the past months because I had already made the rent payments without objections. Is there?

Answer: The fact that you paid the rent he requested without objection makes no difference. Your landlord was supposed to show you a copy of his registration statement, showing the maximum legal rent and services he is required to supply, when you first rented the unit. You may now bring suit through your own attorney for attorney's fees and court costs plus up to three times the overcharges during the year just before the suit is filed or \$150, whichever is greater. Or, you can turn your facts over to the rent office and it will seek recovery of the actual overcharges for you and whatever additional penalty is warranted for the U. S. Treasury.

His Wife

She—You say you love me, but would you be willing to die for me?
He—Well, er, no. You see, mine is what they call an undying type of love.

CENTURY CLUB



2³⁰/_{PT.}

3⁶⁵/_{4/5GT.}

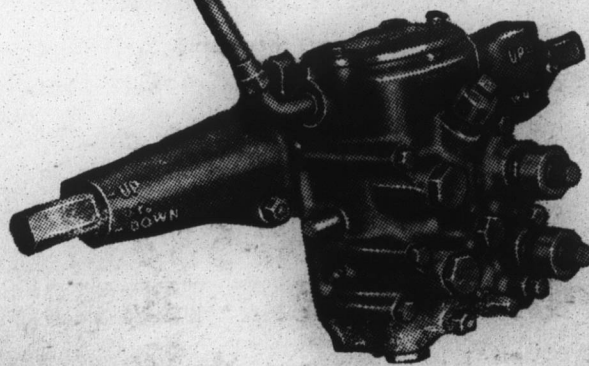
STRAIGHT BOURBON WHISKEY

NATIONAL DISTILLERS PRODUCTS CORPORATION, N. Y. - 86 PROOF

DO ALL YOUR WORK —

EASIER, FASTER, BETTER —

With JOHN DEERE HYDRAULIC POWR-TROL



It's goodbye to pulling on ropes or tugging at levers . . . goodbye to many stops and slow downs . . . goodbye to poor work when your John Deere Tractor is equipped with hydraulic Powr-Trol.

However you want to figure it, there's no equal to the ease, speed and precision offered by Powr-Trol. Just an easy movement of one convenient lever and smooth hydraulic power raises, lowers, or sets both integral and drawn equipment to any position desired. Stop at our store and let us show you how Powr-Trol can ease up, speed up every farming operation.

Hobbs Implement Co., Inc.

GUY C. HOBBS, Mgr. "YOUR JOHN DEERE DEALER" EDENTON, N. C.



The Trademark of Quality Farm Equipment