

CIVIC CALENDAR

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 Community House.
 Special services at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Sunday and Wednesday of next week.
 Ladies' Auxiliary of Ed Bond Post, No. 40, American Legion, will meet Tuesday night, November 17, at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. M. L. Bunch.

Junior Class of Edenton Junior-Senior High School will present "Professor, How Could You?" in the Elementary School auditorium Friday night, November 20, at 8 o'clock.

Game party at Brown-Carver Library Friday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Annual Jaycee Thanksgiving dance Thursday night, November 26, in the Edenton armory from 9 until 1 o'clock.

Ladies' Auxiliary of VFW Post, No. 9280, meets tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock in the VFW hall.

Chowan High School Seniors will present "Don't Darken My Door" in the school auditorium on Friday night, November 13, at 8 o'clock.

Farm equipment field day at Legion Fair Grounds Tuesday, November 24, from 9 A. M., to 4:30 P. M.

Legion Auxiliary accepting gifts to November 16 for hospitalized veterans.

Chowanoke Council, No. 54, Degree of Poehontas meets Friday night at 8 o'clock in the Red Men hall.

Annual bazaar of St. Paul's Auxiliary Tuesday, November 17, at the Parish House.

Annual Negro 4-H Achievement Day Saturday, November 28, at 11 A. M., at Brown-Carver Library.

Home demonstration clubs will hold husbands' supper November 13th.

Chowan Tribe, No. 12, Improved Order of Red Men, will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock.

VFW meets in Post's home on old Hertford Highway Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

Edenton Lions Club meets Monday night at 7 o'clock.

Edenton Rotary Club meets today (Thursday) at 1 o'clock in the Parish House.

Steps Are Taken To Widen Rider's Lane

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the estimated cost of a curb and gutter on one side of the street amounted to about \$1,649. However, considerable opposition developed in taking six feet off only one side of the street, so that the delegation was assured that if money can be found to do the work an equal number of feet will be taken from each side of the street, which will, of course, double the cost.

A committee of Town Councilmen reported having delved into the possibility of adopting a plumbing code for Edenton. However, a number of problems were found in the plan, so that the committee was given more time to continue their study.

At the meeting it was reported that an order had been given for a new stop light at Oakum and Church Streets to replace the one which is out of commission. In the meantime the Street Department was instructed to place stop signs at the intersection on Oakum Street.

Although a petition had been signed to construct a sidewalk on the north side of Church Street from Court to the railroad the Street Commissioner reported that in the block from Oakum to the railroad seven or eight large trees are directly in the path of the proposed sidewalk and that there is insufficient room to lay a sidewalk on either side of the trees. Due to this situation, Town Clerk Ernest Ward was instructed to prepare a new petition, one for each block, which will, of course, include the cost of removing the trees in the block between Oakum Street and the railroad.

The Street Commissioner reported that a request has been received to furnish a driveway next to the Bridge-Turn Service Station and that a tree is in the way. Authority was given to remove the tree in order to do this work.

It was reported that efforts are now underway to secure a USO Club for service men in Edenton and Town Clerk Ernest Ward was instructed to write a letter to the regional director of the USO to the effect that Town Council approves the proposal.

Chowan High Menu

Following is the menu at the Chowan High School lunch room for the week beginning Monday, November 16th:

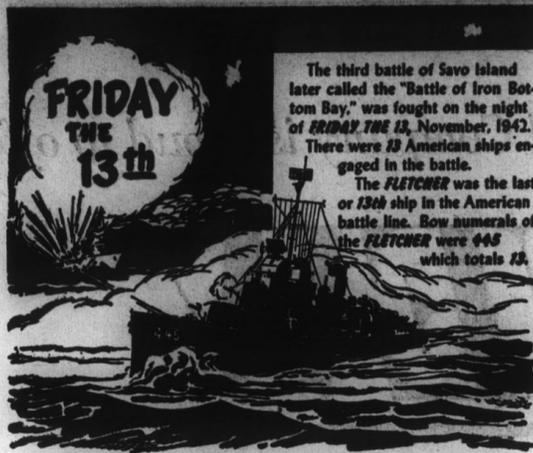
Monday—Beef and vegetable soup, franks in finger roll, crackers, butter, milk, chocolate pudding.

Tuesday—Butter beans, pimento cheese sandwich, cole slaw, scalloped tomatoes, bread, butter, milk, peaches.

Wednesday—Roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, beets, corn muffins, butter, milk, jello with fruit.

Thursday—Chicken pan pie, Spanish peas, stewed corn, cranberry sauce, rolls, butter, milk, fruit cup.

Friday—Beef and gravy, green peas, potato salad, bread, butter, rice and raisin pudding.



The third battle of Savo Island later called the "Battle of Iron Bottom Bay," was fought on the night of **FRIDAY THE 13**, November, 1942. There were 19 American ships engaged in the battle. The **FLETCHER** was the last or 13th ship in the American battle line. Row numbers of the **FLETCHER** were 448 which totals 13.

The **FLETCHER** that night became the only U.S. Destroyer ever to sink a Japanese heavy cruiser unassisted (this was done with Torpedo attack made behind a smokescreen laid down by the **FLETCHER**) the **FLETCHER** also received credit for assist in sinking a Japanese light cruiser by gunfire.

The **FLETCHER** was the only U.S. ship not damaged by enemy action that night.

The **FLETCHER** went through the rest of the war in the Pacific and ultimately earned 19 battle stars.

The **FLETCHER** was named after Rear Admiral Frank **FRIDAY** Fletcher. This coming November 13, 1953, the 11th anniversary of the battle. It is also a **FRIDAY THE 13th**.

"Fabulous Follies" Delights Audience

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zart, Jimmy Ricks, Dick Dixon, Gilliam Wood, Pete Manning, Lewis Leary, George Alma Byrum and Paul Partin. During the walk Corinne Thorud and Bill Cozart sang a duet.

A modern mama scene followed with Tom Byrum taking the part of Judge, Wesley Chesson as Catfish and Jane Holmes as Cindy Lou.

The next scene was Pretty Girls, including Ruth Conger, Carrie Earnings, Ruth Phillips, Arlene Fallis, Marion Cross, Betty Dixon, Dottie Turbeville, Sara Boyce, Martha Leary, Dorris Boyce, Nancy Wood and Mary Shep Burton.

In connection with this scene the Rev. Gordon Bennett sang a solo, followed by a skit with Ruth Phillips, soloist, Lewis Leary as caddy, Gordon Bennett as dinner date and Bill Harry as "Daddy".

After intermission a very amusing

bridge party scene delighted the audience with the following taking part: Bob Hutchinson, Albert Wall, Luther Forbes and Tom Francis.

Following was a South Sea Island magic scene, including Virginia Byrum, Lala Smith, Jessie Byrum, Corrie White, Myrtle Cuthrell, Goldie Layton, Leroy Harrell, Linwood Lee, Wallace Goodwin and Jimmy Ricks. Hula dancers included Laura Ferguson, Frances Boyce, Pat Partin, Faye Haste, Madlyn Russell, Kathryn Byrum and Faye Twiddy.

Tourists were Anne Jenkins and Mike Byrum.

The closing scene, "Sing You Sinners," especially delighted the audience with Frank Williams as the preacher and the congregation including Mary Strange Williams, Lena Leary, Beulah Perry, Wesley Chesson, Paul Chappell, Dick Dixon, Bonnie White, Lit Daniels, Inez Felton, Mildred Munden, Tom Byrum, Jane Holmes, Rodney Harrell, Annie Mills, Larry Knox and Pete Manning.



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David Cohn To Write New Book On Cotton

David Cohn, noted author, war correspondent and world traveler is writing a book on the modern cotton industry—its progress, its people and prospects. Designed for popular reading, the volume will be published by Random House.

The book, which is expected will fill a long-felt need for a full-length treatment of the cotton story in a style for public sale, will be a little over 300 pages and will be illustrated. Publication is scheduled for January, 1955 to coincide with the annual meeting of the National Cotton Council.

Mr. Cohn was born and raised in Greenville, Mississippi. The books he has written include, "God Shakes Creation," "Where I Was Born And Raised," "Picking America's Pockets," "The Good Old Days," "Love In America" and "This Is The Story." He has contributed numerous articles to leading magazines.

Cottonseed Will Aid In Fight On Cancer

Cottonseed is helping fight cancer in Hampton County, South Carolina. At the opening of the cotton picking season, the county's cancer fund campaign committee initiated this plan to aid the drive.

Each cotton grower is asked to give a handful of seed from his cotton when it is ginned. Gins, where the seed is separated from the lint, are cooperating by providing boxes to receive the seed contributions.

At the end of the cotton season, the seed will be sold and the proceeds will be donated to the cancer fund.

There is no road to success but through a clear, strong purpose. A purpose underlies character, culture, position, attainment of whatever sort. —T. T. Munger.

Patience
 A man had been waiting patiently in the post office, but could not attract the attention of either of the girls behind the counter.

"The evening cloak," explained one of the girls to her companion, "was a redingote design in gorgeous lama brocade with fox fur and wide pagoda sleeves."

At this point the long-suffering customer broke in with: "I would if you could provide me with a neat purple stamp with a dinky perforated hem. The tout ensemble deliberately treated on the reverse side with mullage. Something at about two cents."

CARD OF THANKS
 We wish to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to everyone for their many deeds of kindness to Elizabeth during her illness and the many expressions of thoughtfulness to us in our bereavement.

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