

## Weekly Devotional Column

By JAMES MACKENZIE

A few days ago I had a talk with a student of a seminary in Virginia that has consistently and bitterly opposed the work of Billy Graham and other evangelists. So smug were the authorities at the school that they invited Billy to visit the campus and address the student body, expecting to make a fool of him in a questioning period after the message. But there was no questioning period. So impressed were those present with the sincerity and humility of this consecrated servant of Christ that the scheduled questioning period became a prayer period, and the seminary has been a different place since then. "Even the professors have become concerned about their souls' salvation," the student told me. Well, I thought, if Billy Graham can do that, he can do anything!

What is the secret of Billy Graham's success—or, rather, why does God use Billy Graham? Secular authorities have tried to explain it by saying it is the way he holds his Bible, or his voice, or his advance publicity. Of course, it is none of these—God doesn't bless the mechanics of methods. Billy Graham is being used of God today because:

1. He is God's man at God's time in God's place. In times of stress and crisis, God always raises up a man to call His creatures back to faith in Him. Such men were Noah, Abraham, Joseph, Moses, Joshua, Samuel, Isaiah and the prophets, John the Baptist, John Huss, Martin Luther, John Calvin, John Wesley and D. L. Moody. Following in this godly line, Billy Graham is merely God's chosen prophet to call us back to faith in Him in these days of crisis and stress.
2. He is filled with the Holy Spirit. By that I mean that he is God-controlled. He is so consecrated to Christ and His cause that the Holy Spirit who indwells every born-again saint, and whose office it is to magnify Christ, has complete control of Billy Graham. Billy Graham is motivated by one purpose only, and that is to do the will of God. And after all, the work of God is done "not by might, nor by power, but by my Spirit, saith the Lord of hosts" (Zechariah 4:6).
3. He preaches the Bible as the verbally inspired, inerrant, living Word of God. It is through the Bible, and only through the Bible, that God the Holy Spirit convicts men of sin, righteousness, and judgment to come, and points them to saving faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. There is no Christ-

ian truth outside of the Holy Bible. Billy Graham is used of God because he is faithful to the written Word of God. His messages are saturated with quotations from the sacred page—usually preceded by the words, "The Bible says . . ." When a person listens to Billy Graham he knows he is hearing the Word of God, not just the word of Billy Graham.

4. Finally, he is undergirded with prayer—and this is the reason Billy himself counts as most important. One of the secrets to revival is prayer—much prayer—agonizing in prayer. God never uses a man unless he is a man of prayer. It is only His faithfulness in this, and the faithfulness of thousands of prayer-warriors throughout the world, that constitute the real strength of Billy Graham.

May God continue to bless him, and give him many more souls for his hire. And, as you and I, come to the place where we realize that each of us is God's person for some particular task, and yield to the Holy Spirit, and remain true to the Bible and to prayer, may He bless each of us and use us as soul-winners.

### Funeral Held For Mrs. George P. Folk

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon of last week for Mrs. George P. Folk, who died suddenly Wednesday night at her home at "Hayes."

The service was held at old St. Paul's Episcopal Church with the rector, the Rev. Gordon Bennett, officiating and burial was made in Beaver Hill Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Philip McMullan, R. N. Hines, J. N. Pruden, George I. Dail, J. H. Conger, David Warren, E. P. Debnam and J. W. Davis.

#### PALLBEARERS

Pallbearers for Mrs. Clara W. Bunch, whose funeral was held Friday afternoon, were Kermit Perry, Edgar Pearce, Gibson Perry, Henry Bunch, Lester Harrell and Clarence Bunch.

Those who served as pallbearers for Roy L. Spry Friday afternoon were: Active, E. M. Parker, Kermit Layton, Leon Leary, J. L. Chestnutt, Watson Bell and Jimmy Manning. Honorary, John Mitchener, Dr. R. H. Vaughan, J. Clarence Leary, George Alma Byrum, H. C. Jackson, George Hoskins, Wood Privott, S. C. Mills, Allison Minshew, R. E. Leary, W. O. Elliott, H. A. Campen, Frank Holmes, Skinner White, Ed Parker and Charlie Swanner.

**SUNSHINE CHEEZITS**  
6-OUNCE PACKAGE  
**19c**  
**P & Q**  
SUPER MARKET

CARD OF THANKS

I am taking this means to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to my friends for the many cards, flowers, expressions of sympathy and kind deeds rendered while I was a patient in the hospital. These expressions of love have greatly lightened my burden.

MRS. LENA BELL

## Ward's Shoe Repair

SERVICE WHEN YOU NEED IT!  
Complete Line of Polishes  
Any Leather Repair Work

WEST EDEN STREET

PHONE 46-W

## Baseball Game!



In Edenton  
Hicks Field  
**2:45 P. M.**

Sunday, July 25th  
Edenton Sluggers

Vs.

Newport News Royals

Don't Miss These Fine Games



## SCIENCE and your Health

### RECEDING HAIRLINES

By Science Features

There's no use losing any sleep worrying about losing your hair—for so far there is nothing that can be done about getting bald. Whether or not people lose their hair is determined primarily by their genes and not by their own effort.

The most frequent type of baldness is inherited from parents and—like almost everything else—is influenced by sex; men are much more affected than women. Baldness may also develop from inadequate care of the scalp or as a result of serious infections such as pneumonia or influenza. Frequently, in these cases, the hair returns when health becomes normal.

Gray hairs are not symptomatic of baldness but merely lack the special pigment for hair coloration. Most men lose about 50 hairs a day, but, as the typical head contains 100,000 strands, it does not make much difference—if the healthy scalp produces replacements.

The first chemical clue to the cause of baldness was recently discovered at the University of Pennsylvania Medical School. Scientists found that sebum, an oily substance secreted by the scalp, contains hair-killing compounds. It was previously regarded as an agent that only lubricated the scalp. The body's sex hormones are said to regulate the amount and quality of sebum produced.

Experiments are under way to determine what substances explain why hair grows in most cases and what can be done to prevent thinning in others. A prescription for preventing baldness may be a long way off but medical researchers feel that progress is being made.

#### REPORT AT CHERRY POINT

Two Edenton Marines, Sgt. Paul J. Champagne, husband of the former Miss Verina D. Edenson of 204 First Street, and Cpl. Melvin L. Sinner, husband of the former Miss Lillie M. Goodwin, have reported to the Marine Corps Air Station at Cherry Point for duty with the 2nd Marine Aircraft Wing.

### Commissioners' Proceedings

The County Commissioners met Wednesday, July 7, 1954, with all members present, including W. W. Byrum, chairman, J. R. Peele, J. A. Peole, C. J. Hollowell and W. E. Bond. Minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved and the following bills ordered paid:

Shaopnek Elliott, care of Court House grounds, \$7.60; Edythe Nixon, salary janitress Court House, \$50.00; George C. Hoskins treasurer for transfer of funds deposited this day by ABC store in the general county fund to that of the capital outlay fund, T.

### \$2600 to \$13,000 SPARE OR FULL TIME ALL YEAR ROUND CASH BUSINESS

operating and servicing Guaranteed Dispenser accounts, latest non-competitive equipment in this and surrounding counties. Established routes earning to \$100 weekly can be serviced in spare time.

NO SELLING IMMEDIATE INCOME Fair priced steady-income routes require a cash investment of \$595 to \$4,950 depending on number of accounts you can service, fully secured by valuable inventory. If route work appeals to you and the investment is available, WRITE for confidential application giving one character reference (further details to be given at a personal interview in your city) to: DODSON ENTERPRISES, 7016 Euclid Ave., Dept., NW 16, Cleveland, Ohio.

## William Penn Blended Whiskey



Retail Price  
**\$2.10**  
Pints  
**\$3.35**  
Fifths

86 Proof

THE STRAIGHT WHISKEYS IN THIS PRODUCT ARE 4 YEARS OR MORE OLD. STRAIGHT WHISKEY, 40% NEUTRAL SPIRITS, DISTILLED FROM GRAIN.

CHAMPAGNE & WINE LIMITED, PHOENIX, ARIZONA

C. Byrum, payment in full for property purchased, \$16,000.00; Clock Service Company, repairing and overhauling Court House clock, \$85.00; John A. Hobbs, labor repairing county home property, \$158.50; Marguerite W. Jones, salary, tax lister, \$29.64; Bill Peer, cleaning out and repairing gutters at jail, \$14.00; Brown-Carver Library, State Aid, \$100.00; Pasquotank-Perquimans-Camden-Chowan District Health Department, \$250.00; Twiddy Insurance and Real Estate Co., June rent, Deputy Tax Collector, N. C. Department of Revenue, \$15.00; Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond, Federal Income Tax withheld County Employees, for May, 1954, \$300.30; Shepard-Pruden Library, State Aid to Public Libraries, \$200.00; Herman F. White, bill for care of prisoners, \$655.72; Town of Edenton, bill, lights and water, \$66.55; Edward & Broughton Co., bill, \$23.20; M. L. Bunch, bill and service, \$148.95; Mitchell Printing Co., bill, \$16.29; Edenton Ice Co., Inc., bill, \$1.90; Twiddy Insurance & Real Estate Co., rent for July, Joseph Rogers, N. C. Revenue Department, \$15.00; Coastal Office Equipment Co., \$2.75; State of N. C. Department of Conservation and Development, \$204.17; J. A. Bunch, Sheriff, salary and bills, \$1,437.85; E. W. Spires, bills and salary, \$293.80; Byrum Hardware Co., Inc., bill, \$5.35; The Norfolk & Carolina Telephone & Telegraph Co., bill, Clerk Superior Court's office, \$13.30; J. B. Small, Colored County Agent, \$6.00; Eloise B. Jordan, tax work, \$106.87; Marguerite Jones, tax work, \$10.50; W. P. Jones, salary tax supervisor, \$242.37; Burroughs, bill, 69c; The Chowan Herald, bill, \$23.55; P. S. McMullan, 2 years auto expense for tax work, \$300.00; Eastern Office Equipment Co., bill, \$1.60; Herbert Small, June rent, \$50.00; Mrs. Lois H. Ashley, postage, box rent, welfare office, \$10.00; Dr. Martin Wisely, chairman welfare board, \$55.00; Mrs. E. N. Elliott, member welfare board, \$55.00; John W. Graham, \$50.00; Mrs. Carolyn C. McMullan, travel, \$42.98; Norfolk & Carolina Telephone & Telegraph Co., June service welfare department, \$5.25; Bastiagh Grocery, bill authorized by welfare department, \$13.00; Chowan Hospital, Inc., payment in full, account of Georgia Tonnin, \$31.00; Chowan Hospital, Inc., bill for indigent persons, \$277.50; Lassiter Grocery, bill, authorized by welfare department, \$5.00; Leggett & Davis, bill, \$6.00; The Eastern North Carolina Sanatorium, for Lloyd Moring to July 1st, \$30.75; Southeastern Radio Supply Co., bill, \$21.00; May & Hales, Inc., bill, \$14.91; R. C. Holland, Act., unearned premium policy No. 2016, June 26, 1954, to February 19, 1955, \$41.30; J. N. Pruden, bill, \$105.05;

Miss Hattie Singletary, home agent, telephone services, \$9.20; C. W. Overman, telephone services, \$12.75; W. A. Hollowell, bill, \$8.20.

The Board of Education held a joint meeting with the County Commissioners for the purpose of appointing a member on the ABC Board. R. E. Forehand, Sr., was unanimously elected to serve as a member on the ABC Board for a period of three years.

On motion of J. R. Peele, duly seconded by C. J. Hollowell the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, the Chowan County budget for the fiscal year 1954-1955 was formerly approved at the meeting of the Board of Commissioners held on June 24, 1954 providing the following tax levies:

Bonds (debt service)	\$.23
General County	\$.20
Capital Outlay	\$.20
Charity	\$.13
Health	\$.10
Schools	\$.60
Social Security	\$.07

Total tax rate per \$100.00, based on a county-wide valuation of \$11,000,000 \$1.53

AND WHEREAS, the said budget was accordingly published in The Chowan Herald according to law; therefore, be it

RESOLVED that the aforesaid budget be and the same is hereby ratified and adopted.

On motion of W. E. Bond, duly seconded by J. R. Peele, that the County Commissioners recommend that a Committee be formed, composing a member of the Board of County Commissioners, a member of the Town Council, a member of the Fire Department, and a representative from each of the Townships in the County, to study and decide upon a suitable plan for fire protection for rural residents. It is understood that a chairman of this committee will be appointed by the Committee. Chairman W. W. Byrum appointed W. E. Bond to serve on this committee representing the County Commissioners.

The following reports were accepted:

### WOODWORKER WANTED

Preferably With Boat Building Experience on Small Outdoor Boats  
Steady Year-Around Job To Right Man

Write P. O. Box 511 Edenton or See Marvin Wilson, Attorney, Edenton

## TAYLOR THEATRE

EDENTON, N. C.  
Week Day Shows Continuous From 3:30

Saturday Continuous From 1:30 Sunday 2:15, 4:15 and 8:45

Thursday and Friday, July 22-23—

Frederic March and Myrna Loy in "THE BEST YEARS OF OUR LIVES"  
Features 3:00-6:10 and 9:20 DR. D. L. HOLLEY

Saturday, July 24—

Marlon Brando in "THE WILD ONE"  
Also 5 Cartoons J. H. ASBELL, JR.

Sunday and Monday, July 25-26—

Doris Day and Robert Cummings in "LUCKY ME"  
CinemaScope and Stereophonic Sound NO ADVANCE IN PRICES GERALD JAMES

Tuesday and Wednesday, July 27-28—

Double Feature Rock Hudson in "GUN FURY"  
—also— George Murphy in "TALK ABOUT A STRANGER"

## EDEN THEATRE

EDENTON, N. C.

Friday and Saturday, July 23-24—

Gary Cooper in "HIGH NOON"  
MRS. W. W. SMITH

## HI-WAY DRIVE-IN THEATRE

EDENTON, N. C.

Admission 40c Per Person Children Under 12 Free

Friday and Saturday, July 23-24—

"ABBOTT AND COSTELLO MEET DR. JEKYLL & MR. HYDE"  
D. H. BERRYMAN

Sunday, July 25—

Richard Todd in "ROBIN HOOD"  
L. C. BRIGGS

Monday and Tuesday, July 26-27—

Walter Brennan in "THE GREEN PROMISE"

Wednesday and Thursday, July 28-29—

Rosalind Russell in "NEVER WAVE AT A WAC"

Note: If your name appears in this ad, bring it to the Taylor Theatre box office and receive a free pass to see one of the pictures

Get all this food space plus "Magic Cycle" automatic defrosting at no extra cost!



Come compare this new KELVINATOR with what you now have!

You'll want to trade for this 1954 Kelvinator right now. Get bonus allowance on your old refrigerator . . . enjoy 11 cu. feet of cold space . . . 53 lbs. frozen storage . . . "Roll-Out" shelf . . . Butter Chest . . . new Sea Tone color. And best of all, you get finest automatic defrosting at no extra cost in any 1954 Kelvinator!

40th Anniversary

1954 Model MAD-110 as illustrated

Convenient Terms after minimum down payment

\*Interest applied last

Edenton Furniture Co.