

BPW Health And Safety Committee Urges Care With Yuletide Decorations

Many Tragedies Due To Carelessness Can Be Prevented

Don't hang all your safety stockings on the Christmas tree and then ignore danger in the remainder of the house.

That is the advice from Mrs. Opal Wood, chairman of the Health and Safety Committee of the Edenton Business and Professional Women's Club.

"People who will take the utmost precautions about their Christmas tree will be amazingly careless about the other holiday decorations they have around their house," she said. "The pitch-filled Christmas green, whether it is a tree or a branch, is a dangerous fire hazard when it has dried out."

Mrs. Wood said that every year accidents bring a black Christmas house if they are placed in a hold-to-hundreds of families. "These tragedies, due to carelessness, can be prevented," she said.

Mrs. Wood suggests that fresh greens are just as important as a fresh tree in reducing fire hazard. People who would never place a candle on a tree will use highly flammable greens, cotton or paper decorations near lighted candles on the table, mantel or in a window.

She also pointed out that the North Carolina State Board of Health's rules for Christmas safety should be followed. Only electric candles and nonflammable decorations, cotton or paper which has been treated for fire resistance should be used. The greens should be located so that a chance spark from a cigarette cannot ignite them. In hanging high decorations and trimming the top of the tree, use a step stool or ladder to avoid a fall.

Trees can be kept fresh in the house if they are placed in a hold-containing water. Make a fresh cut across the base of the tree on



MOVING ON ITS STOMACH, this portion of the U.S. Army literally does what Napoleon said all armies do. These soldiers belly their way across a gravel pit at the Quartermaster Corps' test center at Fort Lee, Va., to find weak spots in experimental Army clothing.

stant to help it absorb more water. However, when greens or trees begin to dry out (when the needles start dropping), they should be removed from the house. "Any electric Christmas lights should be approved by the Underwriters' Laboratories," Mrs. Wood said, "and if an old set is being used, it should be checked each year for loose connections, faulty sockets, or frayed cords."

For holiday parties "Santa's whiskers should be treated for fire resistance, and costumes made of flimsy material or paper should be avoided unless they have been treated for fire resistance.

"A good motto for adults who expect to attend the usual round of Christmas festivities," she added, "is 'if you drink, don't drive.' It's cheaper and safer to use public transportation than to run the risk of an accident."

Improving School Community Relations. Mrs. Izotta Rodman, chairman, and Mrs. Lorretta White, secretary; Behavior As It Affects Child Development, John A. Wynn, Jr., chairman, and Miss Flossie K. Sawyer, secretary; Preparing Our Students for Integration, Mrs. E. H. Modlin, chairman, and Mrs. Doris Gilliam, secretary; Psychometrics, E. C. Newsome, chairman, and O. A. Jones, secretary, and Demonstrations of Modern Trends, Procedures and Techniques in Teaching, T. I. Sharpe, chairman, and Miss Ruby C. Lyons, secretary.

In our next article on this issue we will give you some of the recommendations from the Steering Committee and some fundamentals of the group process.

The Edenton Hornets played their first basketball game for the season on Friday, December 10.

The Smithfield Five defeated the Hornets by a score of 52-22.

Smithfield was leading by a score of 10-4 at the end of the first quarter and stretched its lead in the final quarters of play.

High scores for Edenton were made by William (Frankie) Hedgebeth with 8 points and James Hedgebeth with 6 points.

The following is a basketball schedule of remaining games for the Hornets. All home games will be played in the gymnasium beginning at 2:00 P. M.

Home Games
Dec. 17: Queen Street School.

Colored School News

The Edenton High School faculty has begun working on the following areas in the regular monthly teachers' meetings during the school year.

The five areas to be studied and completed for this school year are:

Beaufort.
Jan. 7: Davis School, Belcross.
Jan. 14: Pearson County Training School, Roxboro.
Jan. 21: Tyrrell High School, Columbia.
Jan. 26: P. W. Moore High School, Elizabeth City.
Feb. 4: E. J. Hayes School, Williamston.
Feb. 11: Open.
Feb. 18: Open.
Feb. 23: Sawyer School, Sawyer Creek.
Games Away
Dec. 20: Johnston County Training School, Smithfield.
Jan. 18: P. W. Moore School, Elizabeth City.
Jan. 28: Tyrrell High School, Columbia.
Feb. 2: Sawyer High, Sawyer Creek.
Feb. 15: E. J. Hayes, Williamston.
Feb. 21: Pearson County Training School, Roxboro.
Mar. 2: Davis School, Belcross.

The Betty Shoppe And Jack And Jill Store Hold Christmas Party

Employees of The Betty Shoppe and Jack and Jill Store, together with a few specially invited guests enjoyed a Christmas party Wednesday night of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Morgan after enjoying a turkey dinner at Boswell's Restaurant.

The party was in charge of Mrs. Graham Robbins, with guests from Ahsokie including Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lipsitz, Mrs. Alex Lipsitz, Mrs. Lee Lipsitz, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pumpian and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Beaman.

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Legal Notices

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA CHOWAN COUNTY IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
Barbara Cathrell Dellinger, Plaintiff.
Thomas William Dellinger, Defendant.
To: Thomas William Dellinger: Take notice that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above entitled action.

The nature of the relief being sought is as follows: Plaintiff seeks absolute divorce on the ground of separation for more than two years next preceding the bringing of this action.

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seeking service against you will apply to the court for the relief sought.
This, the 12th day of December, 1954.
E. W. SPIRES,
Clerk of Superior Court.
Dec. 16, 24, 30, Jan 6

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Having qualified as Executor of the estate of Elihu Francis Jordan, deceased, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Edenton, North Carolina, on or before the 18th day of November, 1955, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
This November 18, 1954.
VERNON ELSBERRY JORDAN,
Executor of Elihu Francis Jordan's Estate.
Nov 18, 25, Dec 2, 9, 16, 23, W.H.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Mrs. Beatrice Baker Hollowell, deceased, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Edenton, North Carolina, on or before the 18th day of November, 1955, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
This November 18, 1954.
GEULIA F. JORDAN,
Administratrix of Beatrice Baker Hollowell's Estate.
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will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
This November 18, 1954.
ARTHUR S. HOLLOWELL,
Administrator of Mrs. Beatrice Baker Hollowell.
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NOTICE OF SALE OF VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY
The undersigned, Administrator, CTA, of the Estate of Inez White, will offer for Sale at public bid-dings, for Cash, to the highest bidder at the Court House door in Chowan County, North Carolina, at 12 o'clock Noon on Saturday, December 18th, 1954, the following Personal Property, to-wit:
One (1) Diamond Solitaire Ring, and
One (1) Cluster Ring with eight (8) Diamonds surrounded by a Turquoise center.

Terms of Sale—CASH. Dated and Posted this 24th day of November, 1954.
ESTATE OF INEZ WHITE
By: W. M. Hollowell,
Administrator, CTA.
Dec 9, 16, W.H.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE
Having qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Henrietta Forehand, deceased, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Tyner, North Carolina, on or before the 11th day of November, 1955, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
This November 11, 1954.
GEULIA F. JORDAN,
Administratrix of Henrietta Forehand's Estate.
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Sunday, 2:15, 4:15 and 8:15

Thursday, December 16—
Glenn Miller and Orchestra in
"SUN VALLEY SERENADE"
MRS. BOMMIE WHITE

Friday, December 17—
Susan Hayward in
"TO CLIMB THE HIGHEST MOUNTAIN"
W. E. MALDINE

Saturday, December 18—
Audie Murphy in
"GUNSMOKE"
J. W. WHITE

Sunday and Monday,
December 19-20—
Dale Robertson in
"THE GAMBLER FROM NATCHEZ"
C. W. TYNCH

Tuesday and Wednesday,
December 21-22—
Double Feature
WALT DISNEY'S PINOCCHIO
and TOM & JERRY CARTOON CARNIVAL
Adults Regular Admission
Children 25c
MRS. W. L. BOSWELL

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Friday and Saturday,
December 17-18—
John Wayne in
"WAKE OF THE RED WITCH"
K. L. PERRY

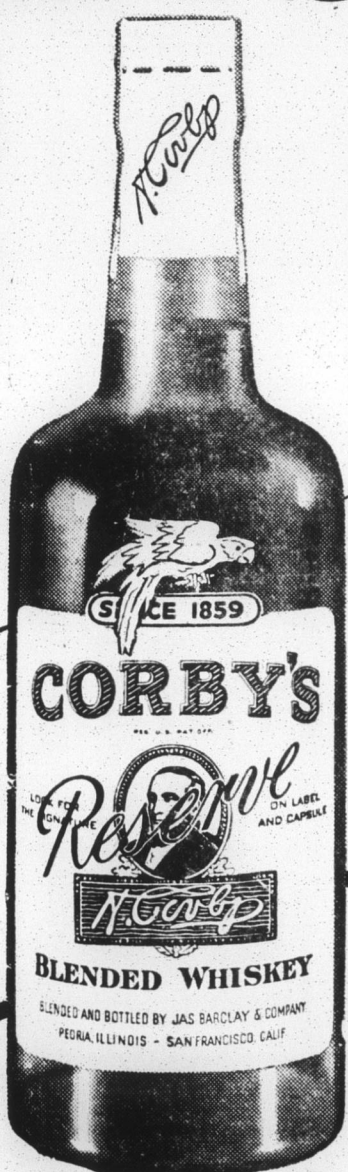
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