

Edenton's National Guard Unit Is Given High Camp Rating

Local Group Returns From Fort Bragg Sunday

Members of the Edenton Heavy Mortar Company of the North Carolina National Guard returned home Sunday from Fort Bragg, N. C., where they spent two weeks in intensive training.

While in camp the local outfit won a superior rating during the field training period and was highly praised by National Guard officials and Lieut. Col. B. A. Peterson, regimental commander, gave his opinion that it is "an outstanding company."

While in camp the Edenton unit was presented an award for being the most outstanding unit in the North Carolina National Guard for proficiency in maintenance.

This honor was awarded following an inspection by the State maintenance officer in collaboration with the Third Army technical inspection.

The Edenton Company had virtually 100 per cent attendance at camp, for only one member, Darwood L. Barber, Jr., remained home due to illness.

Members of the company who were in training included the following:

Captain Cecil W. Fry, Commanding Officer; First Lieutenants Charlie W. Swanner and Joseph K. Swanner; CWO John H. Ashbell, Jr.; First Sergeant Thomas J. Hoskins, Jr.; Master Sergeants Hoskins, S. Bass, Jr., John Lee Spruill, David White, Jr.

Sergeant First Class Walter E. Jills; Sergeants Jack H. Barrow, Willard H. Goodwin, Thomas P. Griffin, John L. Halsey, George P. Holland, Jasper L. Holmes, Dallas L. Jethro, Fred E. Keeter, Leslie Y. Kirby, Albert E. Lassiter, Jr., Robert P. Lane, John R. Lewis, Edward N. Manning, Wilburn C. Smith, William A. White, William J. White, Andrew L. Whitson, James E. Yates.

Corporals William A. Bass, James A. Brabble, James R. Briley, Junius F. Britton, David B. Browning, Jr., William A. Crummey, Roland G. Evans, Wilford E. Goodwin, Joseph L. Heninger, Archie T. Lane, Jr., William E. Lassiter, Obed L. Lee, Henry O. Peoples, Terry M. Phillips, Henry A. Powell, Henry E. Rogerson, Clarence Z. Shackelford, Edwin M. Small, Lee A. Small, Maurice A. Waff.

Privates First Class Claud W. Ashley, Fred L. Ashley, Jr., Linwood E. Britton, Jesse E. Byrum, James A. Edwards, Wayne L. Emminizer, Samuel G. Farless, John

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Mayor Asks Cooperation In Tackling Mosquito Problem

Mayor Ernest P. Kehayes issued a request this week to citizens of the Town of Edenton relative to the mosquito problem that has come about following the rains of hurricanes "Connie" and "Diane."

The Mayor is requesting that every resident make a survey of his premises and remove all trash including bottles and tin cans that provide breeding places for mosqui-

At Baptist Church



DR. M. RAY MCKAY

In the absence of the pastor, the Rev. R. N. Carroll, Dr. M. Ray McKay of the Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary at Wake Forest, will preach at both morning and evening services at the Edenton Baptist Church next Sunday, September 4.

Dr. M. Ray McKay At Baptist Church Sunday, Sept. 4th

Will Preach Both Services In Absence of Pastor

Dr. M. Ray McKay, professor of preaching at Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Wake Forest, returns to the pulpit of the Baptist Church on Sunday, September 4, for both the morning worship service at 11 o'clock and the evening worship service at 7:30 o'clock during the absence of the pastor, the Rev. R. N. Carroll, now on vacation.

On previous pulpit engagements Dr. McKay has won many friends in the membership of the church and the pulpit committee is pleased to be able to present him again to the congregation.

Besides Dr. McKay's thorough preparation for the ministry and for teaching, he possesses a well varied background of experience as a scholar, speaker and leader of young people in summer assemblies and in religious focus weeks on college campuses.

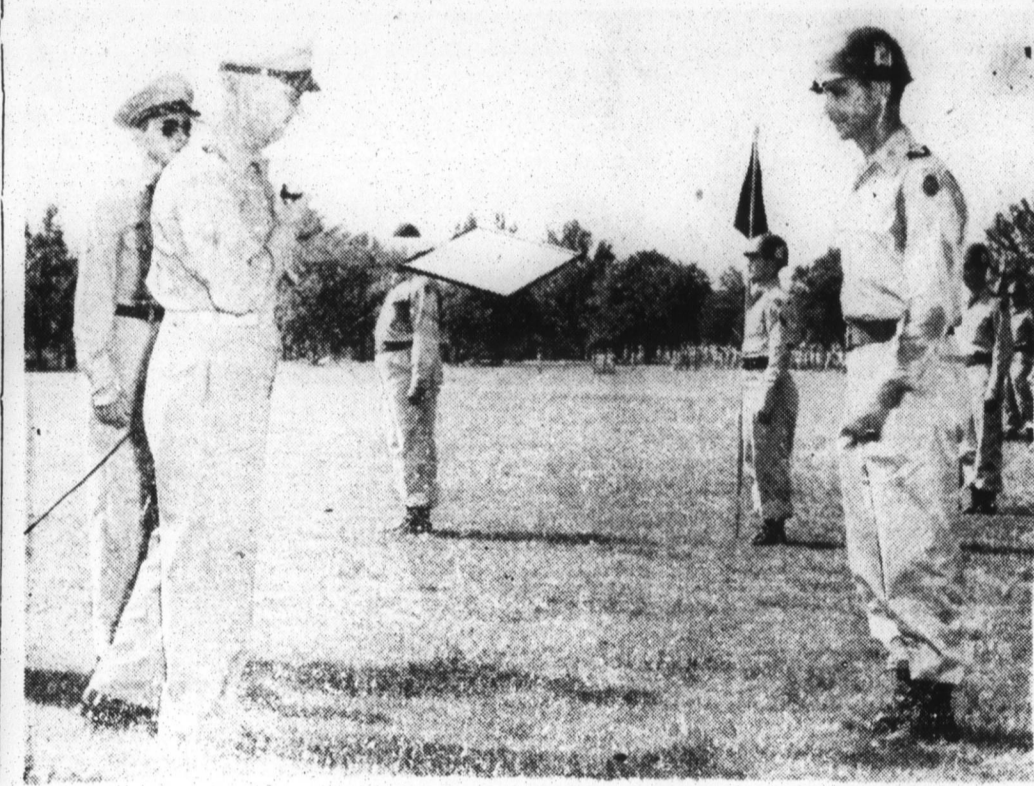
The regular services of the day and week will be observed: Sunday School at 9:45 o'clock, Training Union at 6:15 P. M., mid-week Prayer service at 7:30 P. M., on Wednesday and Bible study hour at 7:30 P. M., on Friday.

Board of Review Is Called For Sept. 6th

A board of review was held by the Edenton Boy Scout Troop Committee on Tuesday night, August 16 for the purpose of reviewing the Scouts on the work they had completed in Scouting.

There were seven boys who passed their second class requirements, two boys who passed the first class requirements and four boys passed the requirements for the Star Scout.

EDENTON COMPANY HONORED AT FORT BRAGG



Pictured above at left is Major General Claud T. Brown, commanding general, presenting a certificate to Captain Cecil Fry, right, commanding officer of the Edenton Heavy Mortar Company, N. C. National Guard. The certificate, in recognition of the Edenton company being the most outstanding unit in the N. C. National Guard for proficiency in maintenance, was presented during a division parade held at Fort Bragg Saturday, August 20. Captain Fry accepted the certificate on behalf of his company and with him, but not included in the picture, were CWO John H. Ashbell, Jr., First Lieutenants Charlie W. Swanner and Joseph K. Swanner and Guidon Bearer Master Sergeant Hoskin S. Bass, Jr.

All Stockholders Of Edenton Development Corp. Called To Meet Monday, Sept. 12th

Purpose Is to Elect a Permanent Group Of Officers

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Edenton Development Corporation at the Chowan County Court House on Monday night, September 12 at 8 o'clock.

W. P. Jones, temporary chairman of the corporation, states that this meeting has been called for the purpose of electing permanent officers for the Edenton Development Corporation.

A meeting was held last Monday night but there was not enough present to constitute a quorum. Mr. Jones is requesting a large attendance at the meeting to be held on September 12 in order that Edenton can continue its efforts to secure industry.

Almost All Stores Closed Labor Day

According to Jesse Harrell, Chairman of the Merchants Committee, most of Edenton's stores and business establishments will be closed all day next Monday, September 5, in observance of Labor Day.

Mr. Harrell also stated that practically all of the stores which have been closing at 1 o'clock each Wednesday will remain open Wednesday afternoon during the fall and winter season.

Boy Scout Troop Names Officers

Election Held at Scout Cabin Thursday Night

Edenton Boy Scout Troop No. 156 met at the Scout cabin Thursday night and after the opening ceremonies an election of officers was held.

The election resulted as follows: Junior Assistant Scoutmaster, Caleb White; senior patrol leader, Dallas Stallings; scribe, Alex Kehayes; quartermaster, Jack Overman; bugler, Donald Welch; librarian, Arthur White; flag bearers, Douglas Ward and Jimmy Dail.

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Congressman Bonner Sees Serious Fish Situation In Eastern Part North Carolina

Edenton Schools Open For Term Tuesday, 9 A. M.

Students Requested to Report to Rooms Assigned

Everything is in readiness for the opening of Edenton schools on Tuesday morning, September 6, at 9 o'clock. In order to avoid confusion on the first day, Gerald James, principal requests students to report directly to the rooms assigned as listed below:

Grade 7-B—Mrs. Alice Belch, Room 124. Boys: Wayne Baker, Danny Bass, Fred Britton, Billy Cates, Johnny Copeland, Erwin Griffin, James Hassell, John Keeter, Alex Kehayes, Lloyd Lassiter, Robert Towell, Buddy Skiles, Lawrence Smith, Jerry Tolley, Curtis Twiddy, Roland Vaughan, Warren Wheeler, Bryant White, James White, Robert White, Bert Williams, Bert Willis, Danny Wright. Girls: Ellen Basnight, Doris Bass, Tonie Batton, Rebecca Boswell, Gloria Faye Crummett, Avis Forehand, Joan Garrett, Karen Hollowell, Marguerite Lassiter, Dianne Limerick, Joyce Mitchell, Lila Mae Rogerson, Sarah Smith, Carolyn Stallings, Frances Swain, Linda Lou Taylor, Carol Twiddy, Kathryn Wozelka.

In U. S. Air Force



MISS SHIRLEY TWIDDY

Leaving Edenton Sunday, Miss Shirley J. Twiddy is now enrolled in the U. S. Air Force at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas, where she is taking her basic training.

Boy Scouts Enjoy Week-end Camp

Group Has Big Time Camping at Camp Forehand

Boy Scouts of Troop 156 enjoyed a two-day camp-out at Camp Forehand on Chowan River over the week-end. The Scouts left Edenton on Friday afternoon for the trip and on arriving in camp set up their tents and prepared supper. After supper, which lasted until 8 o'clock, the boys enjoyed themselves with games until taps sounded at 10 P. M.

Saturday morning everyone was awakened by the sound-off of the mosquito serenade—the rest of the day was spent in the study of Scout First Aid, fire building, cooking, Morse code and knot tying. After lunch all the boys went swimming.

Saturday night the boys took part in a campfire pow-wow and after the campfire all the new Scouts were taken on a snipe hunt. Sunday morning as the sun arose the air was filled with the odor of 6-12 and citronella so that none were bothered with the mosquitoes very much.

After a very good breakfast all the boys attended Sunday School. The Rev. J. E. Richardson was the minister for the morning service. After a good swim period the boys had lunch and returned home by 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Jack Habit, Horace White, Percy Dail and Bill Anthonis accompanied the boys on the camp-out. All the Scouts and the Scout leaders wish to thank those who furnished their cars for transportation for the trip.

BIBLE CLASS MEETING

The Young Woman's Bible Class of the Edenton Baptist Church will meet at the church Tuesday night, September 6, at 7:30 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

Methodists Resume Services At Night

Beginning next Sunday night, September 4, night services at the Edenton Methodist Church will be resumed starting at 7:30 o'clock. The Sunday night services were abandoned during the summer months, so that the pastor, the Rev. J. Earl Richardson, urges a full attendance.

Mr. Richardson on Sunday night will begin a series of sermons under the general topic, "I Belong to the Methodist Church," with the services featured by hymn singing and special music. The public is cordially invited.

BANK CLOSED MONDAY

The Bank of Edenton will be closed all day Monday, September 5 in observance of Labor Day. Important banking business should, therefore, be transacted according-

Writes Letter to Governor In Hope of Correction

In a letter to The Herald late last week, Congressman Herbert Bonner says Eastern North Carolina is facing a serious situation with respect to commercial as well as sport fishing.

"I do not mean to be critical of the two state agencies that control and supervise conservation and waters," wrote Mr. Bonner, "for I realize they have a lot of pressure brought on them to permit continuous fishing. Yet in my opinion we are scraping the bottom of the bowl."

Mr. Bonner pointed out that a biological study should be made of Pamlico Sound based on which the Sound should be divided into areas reserved individually for shrimp fishing, oysters and general fishing. As long as the shrimp trawlers continue to use the entire bottom, they are destroying the oyster beds and other natural food.

Congressman Bonner wrote a letter to Governor Luther Hodges in an effort to correct conditions detrimental to fish in which he had this to say:

"We have a serious matter confronting us relative to the rock fish, or striped bass, in the waters of eastern North Carolina. I am told by responsible people in the Wildlife Resources Commission that unless something is done this species will eventually become extinct. In fact, the decrease over the last ten years is plainly noticeable. Very low catch has been experienced during the last several years.

"The Roanoke River is designated commercial to Weldon. It is said the Falls at Weldon are the only spawning ground of this fish in our eastern waters. Certainly, the season should be closed in this area during the spawning season and the Roanoke River leading to this spawning ground should be closed likewise.

"With respect to the noticeable decrease in shad fish in the waters of eastern North Carolina, each year I notice the Department of Conservation and Development as well as the Wildlife Resources Commission extend the season up-

No Trash Collection Made On Labor Day

Due to the Labor Day holiday next Monday, September 5, employees of the Edenton Street Department will have the day off. No trash or garbage will be collected Monday, but the usual collections will be made Saturday and resumed Tuesday morning.

Citizens are, therefore, requested to refrain from putting out trash and garbage until Tuesday morning.

Farm Machinery Day Is Set For January 18

Chowan County farm machinery dealers have set January 18 for a County Farm Machinery Day, says C. W. Overman, county agent. New tractors and equipment will be on display and demonstrations will take place. Detailed plans are in the making.

Edenton Colonials Knocked Out Of Championship Race

Edenton's Colonials were eliminated in the championship race of the Albemarle League Tuesday night when they were defeated by Colerain on the latter's diamond by a score of 14 to 4. It was the deciding game in the semi-finals which stood at 2-2 before Tuesday night's game.

Edenton's Colonials were eliminated in the championship race of the Albemarle League Tuesday night when they were defeated by Colerain on the latter's diamond by a score of 14 to 11. It was a hard night for Edenton, while Colerain used Wayne Belch and Tom Sewell.

Edenton 14, Colerain 11

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CIVIC CALENDAR

Stockholders of the Edenton Development Corporation will meet at the Court House Monday night, September 12, at 8 o'clock. A Boy Scout board of review will be held in the Scout cabin Tuesday night, September 6. Sponsored by the DAR, National Constitution Week will be observed September 17-23. Most all of Edenton's stores and business places will be closed all day Monday, September 5, in observance of Labor Day. Board of Zoning Adjustment will meet Monday night, September 12, at 8 o'clock in the Municipal Building. Young Woman's Bible Class of the Edenton Baptist Church will meet at the church Tuesday night, September 6, at 7:30 o'clock. Continued on Page 2—Section 1