

# **CHOWAN HERALD**

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## Edenton, Chowan County, North Carolina, Thursday, February 23, 1956.

### Canvass Scheduled ions Will Present Variety Show Sunday Afternoon **Edenton April 6th** In Heart Fund Drive Committees For Affair Appointed By

#### Mrs. John W. Graham **Announces** Group of Captains

Mrs. John W. Graham, general chairman for the Heart Fund in will be a candidate for re-election howan County, this week announc- for State Senator from the First ed her group of captains who will be in charge of the house-to-house canvass to be conducted next Sunday afternoon, February 26, between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock. The group of captains are as follows:

West Side-Church Street north Mrs. George Mack; Church Street south, Mrs. L. A. Patterson.

East Side-Church Street north Mrs. T. C. Cross. Jr.; Church Street south, Mrs. W. J. Daniels.

North Edenton-Mrs. John Lee Spruill. Albemarle Court and Morris Cir-

cle-Mrs. Joe Thorud. Cotton Mill\_The Rev. E. C.

Alexander. Colored Citizens-Mrs. W. E Cox.

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These captains will appoint their canvassers, who will call at all the homes to pick up contributions, so that it is hoped as many people as possible will remain at home until the canvassers have called. In event nobody is at home, the canvassers will leave an envelope adurer so that contributions can be mailed. Mrs. Graham, however, ing may send in their contributions before next Sunday-Heart Sun-

Because stores and business concerns will be closed Sunday, Mrs. Graham says letters will be sent to them in the hope that contributions will be mailed in as soon as

Mrs. Graham expressed her appreciation for the splendid cooperation she has received thus far in the Heart Fund drive, stating that not a single person who she asked which are removed can be used for to serve as a captain had refused. With this sort of interest and co-

operation, she feels very optimistic that Chowan County will turn in a that Chowan County will turn in a creditable contribution in the fight paul Twiddy, Dallas Stallings, Donagainst heart and blood vessel di

# Candidate

Chairman

all of the proceeds from the show

West Byrum, Jr., is chairman of

West Byrum, Jr., announced

Monday that the Committee has ap-

Advertising, Ray Childers; tic-

kets, Bruce Jones and Milton Bass;

**Chowan Exceeds** 

Queta Of Blood

**148 Pints Given** 

pointed the following sub-commit-

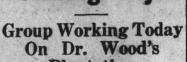
tees for the variety show:

J. William Copeland of Murfrees ent a variety show on Friday boro, this week announced that he night, April 6, in the Edenton Graded School auditorium. The show will be an entirely new af-Senatorial District. fair and will have local talent from Mr. Copeland's announcement Edenton, Chowan County, and the as follows:

U. S. Naval Auxiliary Air Station. "I shall be a candidate for the The Lions Club feels that after State Senate from the First Senanumber of years of sponsoring a torial District in the Democratic minstrel the public desires and Primary to be held May 26th. should receive entertainment in a "If nominated and elected, I will new form. The Lions Club, as has serve the District and our State to been the case in the past, will use

the best of my ability."

for use in assistance of blind peo-**Explorer Scouts** To ple in this area. he show and Ray Childers is vice Take Part In Tree chairman. Other members of the committee include: N. J. George, Milton Bass, Bruce Jones, Bob Bak-Thinning Project er and James Griffin.



# Plantation

lighting, sound and color, N. J. Explorer Scouts of Troop 156 will take part in a tree thinning project this (Thursday) afternoon at Dr Frank Wood's plantation lodressed to Mrs. C. P. Wales, Treas- | cated in Washington County. The Scouts will be under the supervision of the State Forest Service, inpoints out that anybody so desir- cluding Forester H. A. Tate of Elizabeth City, Chowan County meeting. Forest Ranger Frank V. White and Washington County Ranger S. F.

Darden. The project is being conducted to give the Explorers experience in forestry and conservation. It is pointed out that in growing trees thinning is a very necessary part

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of the job so as to eliminate the Chairman W. E. Maundesirable trees in order to allow room for trees to grow faster. Aflone Gratified For ter trees are thinned out, those fence posts.

M. E. Malone, chairman of the Explorers taking part in the pro-Chowan County Red Cross blood ject are Tommy Kehayes, Arthur program, reports that Chowan County exceeded its quoto of 100 ints of blood at the visit of the ald Welch, Leroy Spivey and Dickie



Warrant Officer Emil G. Matz (left), receives his bars signifying his promotion to the rank of warrant officer from his commanding officer, Maj. E. L. Schnettler. Matz is currently stationed at the Edenton Naval Auxiliary Air Station with Marine Aircraft Group. 14. He was one of some 400 Marines selected for the promotion. (Official U. S. Marine Corps Photo).

#### the Edenton Woman's Club; incom **MarinesContribute** ing of the Business and Professional Women's Club; Gerald James president of the Rotary Club; Al Phillips, president of the Lions **106 Pints Of Blood** Club; Thurman Harrell, command er of the American Legion Post;

### Leathernecks Responsible For County **Meeting Quota**

Marines from the Naval Auxiliary Air Station at Edenton gave 106 pints of blood Wednesday of George; music, Bob Baker; park- last week, thus helping Chowan ing, George Dail; motor marathon County and Edenton to top their

goal of 100 pints. and ticket sales, Jesse Harrell; decorations and props, Cecil Fry and Mrs. James Partin, bloodmobile worker at the Edenton armory, re Joe Thorud; programs, West Leary; popcorn, T. B. Williford. ported the figure.

Lloyd Burton was the guest of loe Thorud- at Monday night's with 48 volunteers. Lt. Col. Wil iam N. Case is squadron command Maj. James E. Graaf, personne

to give, only 9 were rejected by the

American Red Cross bloodmobile

workers. Unusual situations, such

14, supervised the blood donor pro Of 115 Marines who volunteered gram at the Edenton station.

**18 Merchants Will** Participate In BPW 956 Fashion Show Men's Clothing to Be 78 Years Old **Modeled** In This Year's Show

ton Baptist Church will observe its | Washington, \$17,000. Edenton Business and Professional

78th anniversary Tuesday night, "We are off to a good start to-February 28. at 8 o'clock. The ward another record year of Sa

#### **Dick Lowe Winner** Dr. A. M. Stanton **New Chairman Of** InChowanCounty's **Red Cross Chapter 4-HPeanut Contest Group of New Officers Recently Elected** Youngster Grew 2,905 **Holland Honored For Year Pounds of Peanuts**

HELP YOUR HEART

FUND .... HELP YOUR HEART!

**On Acre of Land** 

Dick Lowe, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Woodrow Lowe of the Advance

community, was awarded top prize

at the Edenton Rotary Club ban-

quet for the 1955 Chowan 4-H pea-

nut contestants. The banquet was

at the Parish House. Dick grew

nuts on his project acre. He was

presented an engraved trophy cup

by Gerald D. James, Rotary presi-

dent. Dick scored 97 points out of

a possible 100 points in the contest.

Mrs. Russell Byrum of the Enter-

prise community, won second place:

He grew 2,244 pounds of peanuts

on his 4-H project acre. Jackie

scored 86 points. Jackie received

\$5.00 in cash for winning second

J. C. Boyce, son of Mr. and Mrs.

a total of 80 points each. Carlton

tie Carlton. Carlton and Zackie

The 1955 Chewan 4-H peanut

contest was the eleventh which the

Edenton Rotary Club has sponsor-

ed. The Edenton Peanut Company

again served as a co-sponsor of

this worthwhile project, and do-

Jackie Byrum, son of Mr. and

\$2.00 Per Year In North Carolina

Newly elected officers of the Chowan County Chapter of the Stuart Holland, star quarterback American Red Cross were an

for the Edenton Aces, early this week was invited to play in the Taking office immediately are: East-West high school football Chairman, Dr. A. M. Stanton; vice game which will be played in chairman, John Mitchener; secre-Greensboro sometime in August. tary, Mrs. Lena Leary; treasurer Holland has accepted the invita-Mrs. Joe Thorud: home service ion to play, with the East team, held Thursday night of last week chairman, E. J. Hobbs; disaster to be coached by Frank Mock of chairman, L. H. Haskett; fund Kinston. Billy Hardison was 2,904 pounds of Jumbo Runner peachairman, the Rev. Gordan Benawarded the same honor last year.



Exact Date and Place **To Be Announced** rence, commanding officer of the Later Edenton Naval Auxiliary Air Sta-

Tommy Boyce of the Ryland community, who scored 85 points, was third place winner. J. C. grew a Sponsored by the Edenton Wototal of 2,375 pounds of peanuts on an's Club, the annual art show will be held some time in April, his project acre. However, he did

he place, date and judges to be not score as high on other points nnounced at a later date. It is as did Jackie Byrum. Jackie and oped that a large number of J. C. each received \$5.00. Carlton Perry, son of Mr. and school children in both grammar

place.

and high schools in the town and Mrs. Bristoe Perry, and Zackie the county and that adults both Harrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilcivilian and the Marines will par- bert Harrell of the Advance comticipate. It is requested that work munity tied for fourth place, with be turned in one week in advance of the exhibit and that exhibits are grew 1,849 pounds of peanuts and at the owner's responsibility. Zackie grew 1,700 pounds on his acre. The unusually high quality Rules of the show will be: of Zackie's peanuts enabled him to

1. All work must be original. Copies of other pictures are not acceptable. 2. Any medium may be used,

such as pencil, ink, charcoal, oils, crayons, etc. 3. Any size paper or canvas may

be used. 4. Seven (7) entries only from

nated all the cash prizes. each class, (to be chosen by the Continued on Page 3-Section 1 Continued on Page 3-Section 1



received \$2.50 each.



officer for Marine Aircraft Group

\$20,856 In January

**County Purchases 10** 

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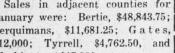
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Per Cent of Quota For 1956 According to A. B. Harless, Cho-

Hoskin Bass, commander of the

VFW Post, and Col. Hamilton Law

van County Savings Bonds Chairman, sales in Chowan County during January amounted to \$20,-856.25 against the 1956 quota. The January sales included \$6,-356.25 for E bonds and \$14,500 for



their savings."

H bonds, the total sales amounting to 10 per cent of the new 1956 quota of \$200,640.

Sales in adjacent counties for January were: Bertie, \$48,843.75; Perquimans, \$11,681.25; Gates

The Dime Society of the Eden- \$12,000; Tyrrell, \$4,762.50, and

seases. **Club Joins In 26th Observance** Of **International Week** 

Theme For Week Is IN WINSTON-SALEM HOSPITAL "Facing the Nuclear Age"

The Edenton Business and Professional Women's Club this week joins with the other BPW Club around the world in the observance week. of International Week. The National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs oughout the United States will nause to remember the women in

The recruiting drive in Edenton unit and to solve and professional area of all nations without disto race, language or re-ne National Federation of and Professional Women's of a membership of alutes the women in of the free world who the this week in cele

TO SING FOR RED MEN

The Starlighters, local popular were given by Marines at the Edenton Naval Auixliary Air Station usical group, will present a program at the Red Men's meeting and 42 pints by civilians.

next Monday night, February 27, at A total of 163 volunteered to give 7:30 o'clock. Willie H. Bunch, saa pint of blood, of which number 15 chem of the tribe, urges a full atwere rejected for various reasons. tendance for the program. Mr. Malone is very much elated

over the fact that the county exceeded its quota and desires to

C. D. Sawyer left Edenton Tuesthank each and every person who day morning for Winston-Salem, gave of their blood or in any other way helped during the bloodmobile where he is now a patient in Bowman's-Gray Baptist Hospital. Mr. Sawyer is being treated for an ul- the Marines without whose coopcerated stomach and hopes to be eration and willingness to donate able to return home some time next blood, the county's quota would

have been far short.

# **Edenton Unit Of National** the International Federation now Guard Joins In Nationwide tries, working for the good of the woman who works. This year marks the 26th anni-

strength of the company. Full Edenton's Heavy Mortar Comstrength is 143, including six offimy of the N. C. National Guard cers and 137 enlisted men. Presill join in observing a nationent strength is five officers and 98 ng drive on Saturday,

enlisted men, so that during the drive it is hoped to secure another ace of the event the officer and 39 more enlisted men. li conduct an 8-hour Those eligible to enlist in the g at 8 o'clock in the he armory from 1 to National Guard are young men be ween the ages of 17 and 181/2 years as well as any veteran of n the afternoon, when I be taken on tours of sections. Free refresh-World War II or the Korean War. Radio Station WCDJ will broadd during

cast direct from the armory dur-ing the day. Mayor Ernest Ke-hayes has issued a proclamation setting aside Saturday as National ablic is cordially in-

Women's Club fashion show, this bloodmobile at the Edenton armory week released a list of merchants Wednesday of last week. During who will participate in this year's the day 148 pints of blood were doaffair. nated, but of this number 106 pints

This year 18 merchants will participate in the show and for the first time men's clothing will be modeled. Those participating will

Mrs. Lala Smith, chairman of the

be: Anne's Beauty Salon, Anita's Hat Shop, The Betty Shoppe, Bouquet Shop, Belk-Tyler's, Boswell Flower Shop, Elliott Company, Cuthrell's Department Store, Hobowsky's, Jack and Jill, Jackson's Beauty Shop, Malone's 5 and 10-

cent store, Nu-Curl Beauty Shop, Lula White's Florist, Preston's, visit. He is especially grateful to Rose's 5 and 10-cent store and Tots and Teens.

> that merchants will model men's nesday night, February 29 and elothing, so that men, as well as vomen, are cordially invited to at- Friday nights, March 1 and 2 tend the show. Harry Doggett, of radio station WCDJ will act as ommentator.

night, March 9, in the Masonic Bear Grass, Williamston and Scot Temple, beginning at 7:30 o'clock land Neck. and is expected to be the most outin Edenton. A luncheon will be served in connection with the show

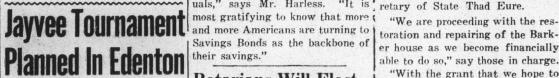
by members of the Order of the The Daily Advance and the Herff-Eastern Star, tickets for which are now on sale. The tickets may be purchased from the merchants participating and members of the BPW Club.

#### MARINE INJURED

M/Sgt. Jesse H. Ward of the Naval Auxiliary Air Station suffered a broken shoulder when the car which he was driving left the ing is to confer the first degree road and turned over Saturday morning. The accident occurred between Highway 32 and the Station main gate.

The Marine was taken to sick bay by hospital corpsmen and later aside Saturday as National transferred to the U. S. Naval day night, February 24, in the Red sonville, Fla., head the Cherry lin and eager Ralph Ranson. Hospital at Portsmouth, Va. Ser- Men hall at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Louise geant Ward was not seriously in- Pratt, Pocahontas, urges all mem- len is Cherry Point coach. bers to attend.

society will meet at the home of ings Bonds sales and our continued Mrs. J. J. Long on West Church success in the sale of these bonds Street and every member is espereflect the growing popularity of cially urged to be present. this type of savings for individuals," says Mr. Harless. "It is



First Game Scheduled Wednesday Night, **February 29** 

A Jayvee basketball tournamen has been scheduled to be played in the Edenton Junior-Senior High Mrs. Smith emphasizes the fact School gymnasium beginning Wedfor this important business. games scheduled for Thursday and

All games begin at 7:30 o'clock. Seven teams will participate in the tournament including Edenton, The show will be held Friday Elizabeth City, Hertford, Ahoskie

standing fashion show ever held the tournament, one going to the Edenton Marines Will highly-rated in the forthcoming winner and the other to the runner up. The trophies were donated by Jones Company.

**First Degree Tonight** 

Ernest P. Kehayes, master of Unanimity Lodge No. 7, A. F. & A. M., announces that an emergent communication of the lodge will be held tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock. The purpose of the meet-

upon a candidate and all members are urged to attend.

POCAHONTAS MEETING Tony Benedict-fresh from victor-ies at the Golden Gloves in Jack-the squad are flashy James Wood-28, at 8 o'clock at the home Chowanoke Council No. 54, De gree of Pocahontas, will meet Fri-

The Barker House Association is proud to report to the general pub lic that the association has been incorporated. The Incorporation papers have been filed with the Secretary of State Thad Eure. most gratifying to know that more ( "We are proceeding with the res-

Savings Bonds as the backbone of er house as we become financially able to do so," say those in charge. "With the grant that we hope to **Rotarians Will Elect** receive from the State shortly, we New Officers Today) plan to complete, as far as possible, the restoration of the two lower floors. Our plans include a use-

Edenton Rotarians will elect officers for the new Rotary year at able kitchen. their meeting this (Thursday) af-"We are very much in hope of ternoon at 1 o'clock in the Parish completing this work in the very House. President Gerald James near future and hope that it will

urges every Rotarian to be present be in condition to be of service to the citizens of Edenton."

Local Leathernecks Ready For Boxing Match Saturday **Night With Cherry Pointers** 

match, after his skillful display Square Off With against Bob Samples of the Naval Air Station at Norfolk last week. Stephan registered a technical

Fighting Leathernecks from the knock-out in the second of three Edenton Naval Auxiliary Air Sta- rounds. Short on experience but tion and Cherry Point Marine long on aggressiveness, the 165- afternoon. All citizens are urged At Masonic Meeting Corps Air Station will tangle Sat- pounder is expected to show well to have a contribution ready when urday night, February 25 at 8:30 Saturday evening at the armory. 1st Lieut. Robert E. Randall,

> Ronnie Meade may not be ready to tions will be accepted toward a go in the match Saturday. He in the Red Men Hall. fieldhouse for the Edenton Junior-Senior High School. suffered a cut lip at Norfolk last week and the wound is still open.

> > Kelly is expected to be back with the Edenton squad Saturday, after Dime Society of the Bo missing the Norfolk bout because

lin and eager Ralph Ranson. Other Edenton boxers who are Future Farmers of Am scheduled to see action Saturday Edenton's Cpl. R. H. Stephan is | Continued on Page 3, Section 1

## **Outstanding Program In School Auditorium** Starting at 7:30

Sponsored by Hobbs Implement Company, John Deere Day will be observed Friday night, February 24, at 7:30 o'clock in the Edenton Elementary School auditorium. The show will be free to all farmers and their families, but admission will be by ticket only, which can be secured at the Hobbs Implement Company.

Featuring the entertainment will be Garland Abbott and his Tidewater Playboys; Ernest Bevins, raised in Edenton; Miss Jeanie Asble, Miss Portsmouth of 1954: Cavalier Quartet, and Cousin Tibble of radio station WTAR-TV.

The show promises to be very interesting and it is expected that the spacious auditorium will be filled to capacity.

CIVIC CALENDAR

Heart Sunday will be observed in Edenton Sunday, February 26, when a house-to-house canvass will be made from 2 to 4 o'clock in the the canvassers call.

Chowanoke Council No. 54, Dewill be a benefit boxing match with Edenton coach, says lightweight gree of Pocahontas, will meet Friday night, February 24, at 8 o'clock

> Meeting in Court House ton (Thursday) at 7:30 o'clock to Meanwhile, middleweight Calvin Kelly is expected to be back with farm service buildings.

Church will observe its 78th

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o'clock in the Edenton armory. It no admission charged, but dona-

Ten bouts are planned. Each will be three rounds of two minutes

length. John Terry, Herman Galvao and

**Cherry Point**