

Chamber Of Commerce In Edenton Assured By Canvass Held Friday Of Last Week

\$11,425 Cash In Hand And Goal of \$12,000 Easily In Sight

That Edenton is assured of the revival of a Chamber of Commerce is reflected in the result of the canvass for memberships which was held Friday of last week, but is not yet altogether complete.

When the reports were turned in following the canvass a total of \$11,425 was in hand, which did not include \$875 in deferred payments and some memberships still in transit.

The minimum goal agreed upon before endeavoring to revive the Chamber of Commerce was \$12,000, so that that amount is practically in hand and when contacts throughout the county have been completed it is confidently believed the minimum quota will be oversubscribed.

The movement to reorganize the Chamber of Commerce was instigated by Gilliam Wood, president of the Bank of Edenton, who has been serving as temporary chairman of the project. Mr. Wood, as well as several others who are vitally interested in having a live Chamber of Commerce, expressed gratification over the success of the canvass. Mr. Wood especially wants to thank members of the committee who made the canvass and all who have cooperated in the movement for a greater Edenton through an efficient Chamber of Commerce.

When all transient memberships are in and all contacts made with potential members, a meeting of the membership will be called for the purpose of organization.

The canvass Friday was preceded by a kick-off breakfast at the Triangle Restaurant, after which the Edenton Junior-Senior High School Band played a few numbers in front of Mitchener's Pharmacy and Mayor Ernest Kehayes made a brief address in which he urged citizens to join the Chamber of Commerce and expressed hope for a successful campaign.

Farm Bureau's Fish Fry Friday Afternoon 4:30

The annual meeting and fish fry of the Chowan County Farm Bureau is scheduled for Friday afternoon, September 27, according to President Marvin Evans. This will be held at the Chowan High School at 4:30 o'clock.

Officers and directors for the new year will be elected. Committees will be appointed and other business transacted.

"We expect to have a very interesting and informative Farm Bureau speaker address us," Mr. Evans states. Prizes to the winning home demonstration clubs in the membership drive will be awarded. All members and their families of the white organization are invited and urged to attend.

Hospital Auxiliary Will Meet Friday

The Chowan Hospital Auxiliary will hold its first meeting of the fall season Friday afternoon, September 27, at 3 o'clock. The meeting will be held in the nurses' home and Mrs. John Raines, president, is especially anxious to have a full attendance.

CIVIC CALENDAR

Chowan Farm Bureau will hold its annual meeting and fish fry Friday afternoon, September 27, at Chowan High School at 4:30 o'clock.

Chowan Hospital Auxiliary will meet in the nurses' home Friday afternoon, September 27, at 3 o'clock.

Members of the Edenton BPW Club, Jaycees and Edenton Women's Club will meet at the

Fashion Show Winners



Shown above are Chowan Home Demonstration Club women who were winners in a fashion show held Wednesday of last week at the Advance Community Building. Mrs. Cora Harrell, center, won first place, while Mrs. Gilbert Harrell, left, came in second and Mrs. Lester Copeland, right, was third place winner.

Chowan County Farm Tour Is Scheduled To Be Held Friday

County Agent C. W. Overman and Soil Conservationist James H. Griffin announce a Chowan County farm tour which will be held Friday, September 27.

This tour will provide an opportunity for farmers to see various improved farm practices, so that all interested persons are invited to join the tour. "You can start anywhere and drop out anywhere," say Overman and Griffin, "but we hope you will attend the entire tour for your own benefit."

Following is the schedule of stops which will be made on the tour:

- 8:30—Foy A. Ward, Gliden, meat type hog production, open and V-type ditch drainage and tile drainage.
- 9:10—Roy Winslow, Gliden, treatment to over-limed peanuts.
- 9:30—C. C. Copeland, demonstration poisoning hardwoods to release a young stand of pines.
- 10:10—Lester T. Copeland, far-

Plans Started For Calendar By Local Clubs

Members of the Edenton BPW Club, Jaycees and Woman's Club will be knocking on doors for the next week to tell people about the Community Birthday Calendar. They will explain that the idea of the community birthday calendar is to build friendliness and cordial relationships among all people, in addition to the valuable information it contains.

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Aces Roar Back In Second Half Friday Night To Defeat Strong Williamston Green Wave 12-7

Spotting Williamston High School a touchdown and extra point in the first half, Edenton's Aces roared back in the second half Friday night in Williamston to turn back the big and stubborn Green Wave 12 to 7.

The Aces looked anything but encouraging during the first half as Williamston runners continually ripped through the Edenton line for gains on almost every play. During the entire first half Williamston dominated and outplayed the Aces in every department. The Edenton line was unable to halt the thrusts of Thrower and Muse, so that near the end of the first quarter Williamston scored a touchdown and made the extra point. In the first quarter the Green Wave registered five first downs while the Aces registered only one. In the second quarter the Aces again made only one first down while Williamston, plagued with penalties, made only two.

The Aces were a different team,

Mrs. Ferguson New President Of BPW Club

Mrs. Laura Ferguson was elected president of the Edenton Business and Professional Women's Club Thursday night to fill the vacancy created when the current president, Mrs. Bonnie White, moved from Edenton. Both of these presidents have experienced the same situation. Three years ago Mrs. Ferguson, as president, also left Edenton before she could reside and the same happened to Mrs. White.

The club was delighted to have their old member back, and particularly, that she accepted the presidency. Mrs. Ferguson thanked the club, then added, "I'm green, so I'll need all the help I can get." The membership assured her full cooperation during the year.

Mrs. Alice Twiddy, first vice president, presided at the meeting. The club was asked to appoint a representative to serve on the Health Clinic Steering Board. Mrs. Twiddy was elected to fill this post.

It was announced that the BPW Fall district meeting will be held at Roanoke this Sunday. Registration will get under way at 11 o'clock with dinner served at 1 o'clock. A good representation was requested at this meeting.

Plans for the Community Birthday Calendar sale were completed, and canvassers were urged to get the project started at once since time is running short. Miss Inez Felton, chairman, distributed calendar samples and gave instructions to the solicitors. The club voted to pay for all listings of BPW meetings on the calendars.

No program was held at Thursday night's meeting.

Bishop Waters At St. Ann's Church For Confirmation

His Excellency, Most Reverend Vincent S. Waters, D.D., Bishop of the Diocese of Raleigh, will confer the Sacrament of Confirmation on Sunday next, the Feast of St. Michael, September 29, at 3 P. M., at St. Ann's Catholic Church on North Broad Street.

In addition to the resident clergy, the Bishop will be assisted by the Rev. Raymond J. Donohue, pastor, St. Charles Church, Ahoskie, the Rev. Joseph Hart, of St. Catherine's Church, Elizabeth City, and the Rev. William Condon, of St. Elizabeth's Church, Elizabeth City.

Among those to receive the sacrament are the following Edentonians: Misses Patricia Bowen, Mary Allison Leech, Carol Beeler, Mesdames Richard Coleman, William Morgan, Michael DeBlois and Joseph Griffin. Also Michael Clapsadl, Bruce Richardson, Dennis Leahy, Bryan Leahy, Wayne Holzemer, Clyde Tribbey, Kurt Schaefer, Kermit Fleming and Willie Jenkins.

Mrs. Janet Beeler will be the organist. Mrs. Marion LaVoy will direct the choir and a solo will be sung by Mrs. Ann Bethel.

Red Men Banquet Monday, Oct. 21st

Members of Chowan Tribe of Red Men will stage their annual banquet Monday night, October 21. The banquet will begin at 7 o'clock in the American Legion building on the Windsor highway and will consist of barbecued chicken.

Some of the principal officers of the Great Council of North Carolina will be invited as guests of the tribe with the principal speaker to be W. E. Yopp, Great Chief of Records of Wilmington.

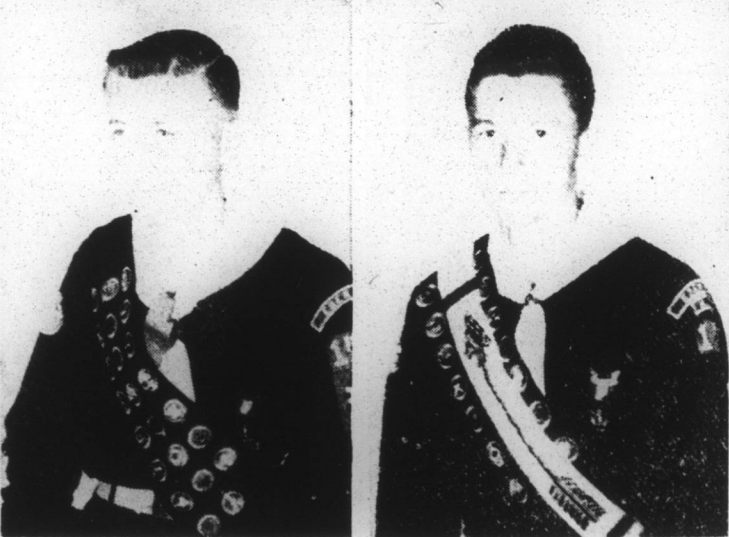
The committee in charge of the banquet includes: Carl Keeter, Caswell Edmondson, Kenneth Worrell, William Barrow, Willie Spruill, Frank White, Leroy Harrell, Alton Shaw, Melvin Harrell, Fred Keeter, Clyde Hollowell and J. Edwin Buffal.

METHODIST RALLY DAY
The Edenton Methodist Church will observe Rally Day Sunday, September 29. The various classes will meet in the sanctuary instead of their usual class rooms for the observance.

Promoted To Eagle Scouts



TOMMY KEHAYES BILLY HARRY



DALLAS STALLINGS JACK OVERMAN

Five Edenton Boy Scouts will be honored Monday night when they will be promoted to Eagle Scouts in a Court of Honor to be held in the Edenton armory. The five boys are Tommy Kehayes, top left; Billy Harry, top right; Dallas Stallings, lower left, and Jack Overman, bottom right. The fifth boy is Arthur White, who recently moved to Norfolk and whose picture was not available.—(Photos by Gus Hughes).

School Teachers Of County Will Be Guests Of Rotarians Tonight

School teachers of Chowan County will be guests of the Edenton Rotary Club tonight (Thursday) when the Rotarians will stage their annual Teachers' Night. The banquet will be held in the dining room at the Masonic Temple at 7 o'clock with the ladies of the Eastern Star serving the meal.

Together with the teachers Rotary Annes will also be guests of the Rotarians.

George Alma Byrum is chairman of the committee in charge of

Sale U. S. Bonds '57 White Cane Drive Is Started In Chowan 89.3 Pct. Of '57 Goal By Lions Club

According to A. B. Harless, Chowan County volunteer chairman for United States Savings Bonds sales, Chowan County is among 21 North Carolina counties which have achieved two-thirds or more of their annual goal during the first eight months.

Sales in Chowan County in August, according to Mr. Harless, amounted to \$3,008.30. For the first eight months Chowan County sales totaled \$106,869.74, which is 89.3 per cent of the county's 1957 dollar goal.

The combined sale of Series E and Series H United States Savings Bonds in North Carolina during August amounted to \$3,703,200. The cumulative combined sales figure for the year through August is \$31,678,881, which is 58.2 per cent of the annual quota.

Billings Lions Club Speaker

Edenton Lions at their Monday night meeting heard Coach Bill Billings in a preview of the football schedule for this year. Coach Billings was introduced by C. A. Phillips, who had charge of the program. Billings stated that the team had no secrets this year, no trick plays for scouts to observe. He stated, however, that the boys had good team spirit and played to win, that he had some players with several years of good experience. It was pointed out that other teams in the area are "out to win over Edenton" this year due to the team's past achievements.

"The team this year has good weight, but they are up against

Eagle Scout Court of Honor Scheduled For Monday Night

Scout Speaker Largest Court of Honor Ever Held In Edenton

What will be the largest Eagle Scout Court of Honor ever held in Edenton will take place in the Edenton armory Monday night, September 30, at 7 o'clock when five Edenton Boy Scouts will be promoted to Eagle Scouts. The boys are members of Troop 156 which is sponsored by the Edenton Rotary Club.

Scoutmaster Jack Habit is very much enthused over the forthcoming event and has announced that a very interesting program has been arranged. He extends a cordial invitation to the public to attend. A charge of \$1.00 will be made to adults and 50 cents for children.

The program will open with the invocation by the Rev. B. L. Raines, pastor of the Rocky Hook Baptist Church. John A. Holmes will be the principal speaker for the Court of Honor, which will also include an Indian dance by the Seaboard District Indian Dance Team of the Blue Heron Lodge of Virginia Beach.

The five boys who will be advanced to Eagle Scouts are Dallas Stallings, Arthur White, Jack Overman, Tommy Kehayes and Billy Harry.

Dallas Stallings is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Stallings. He is a member of the Baptist Church, president of the BTU and president of his Sunday School Class. His school activities include on Page 6—Section 1

County Council HD Clubs Plan Ideas Festival

Tentative plans were discussed at the September Home Demonstration County Council meeting last week for the clubs to stage a Christmas festival of ideas on Tuesday night, November 26, from 7 to 9 o'clock at the Chowan Community Building.

Christmas decor in arrangements for doors, tables, mantle, etc., gift wrappings, candles, party flavors and place cards, candies and cookies will be displayed. Two gaily decorated trees will lend their festive touch, featuring home-made decorations on one, with "ready-made fixings" on the second tree. Aprons for Christmas gifts are to be made by one club, with stuffed toys for children displayed by another.

After 9 o'clock, articles on exhibit may be sold by the club if they choose.

Second Polio Clinic Today

Sponsored by the Chowan County Medical Society, the second free polio clinic will be held tonight (Thursday) at the Kadesh A.M.E. Zion Church on East Gale Street from 6 to 7 o'clock.

The clinic is for children and adults and the Edenton doctors urge everybody to take advantage of the opportunity to be inoculated as a polio preventative.

20 Years Ago As Found In The Files Of The Chowan Herald

Chowan Recorder's Court was the scene of a veritable bottle and jug factory as the result of a crack-down on bootleggers by authorities.

Seven hundred eighty-nine children were reported enrolled in the Edenton schools.

A proposal was advanced to build a unique town clock memorial from ancient rock ballast used by incoming ships several hundred years ago by removing it from the Edenton harbor.

Five hundred ninety-three children