

Death Claims
W. D. Welch

William Dorsey Welch, Sr., 84, died in Chowan Hospital at 5:15 o'clock Friday morning after an illness of several weeks.

A native of Chowan County, deceased was a retired farmer. He represented Chowan County two terms in the North Carolina House of Representatives and at the time of his death was the only State legislator living who held office prior to 1900. He graduated from the University of North Carolina in the class of 1898. For 20 years he was a member of the Chowan County Board of Education. He was a director of the Bank of Edenton and a member of the Ballard's Bridge Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Davis Welch; three sons, W. D. Welch, Jr., of Washington, N. C., John D. Welch of Moyock and Drew G. Welch of Tyner; a daughter, Mrs. Carl Barber of Mt. Airy; nine grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Ballard's Bridge Baptist Church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The pastor, the Rev. Lamar Sentell, officiated and burial was in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers were John Pendleton, Bruce Gwyne, Herman Carter, Earl Welch, Guy Parker, Glenn Bunch, Thomas Jackson and Wilson Morton.

GUM-POND CLUB MEETS

Accessories For the Home was the topic of the Gum Pond Club for November. The club met with Mrs. Clarence Bass and Miss Ila Bass. In the absence of the home agent, Mrs. Jacqueline Lewis, assistant home agent, gave the demonstration. She told the club of the kinds of accessories, for various rooms of the house. By giving careful thought to the accessories, a homemaker chooses, she can make her home much more beautiful.

Miss Beulah Evans, education leader, gave a reading on "You Are Going To Preside." This was interesting information on just how to go about presiding at meetings.

Mrs. Ellie Bunch, home beautification leader, gave a report on "Tea Time." This report told the club some information on how to serve, decorate, and how to dress for teas.

The club members met in October with Mrs. Everett Wilson to make Christmas toys.

There were 12 members present for this meeting.

During the social hour the hostess served delicious refreshments.

The world is a looking glass, and gives back to every man the reflection of his own face. Frown at it, and it will in turn look sourly upon you; laugh at it, and with it, and it is a jolly kind companion. —Thackeray.



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Sunday School Lesson

CHRISTIAN GIVING
International Sunday School Lesson for November 24, 1937.

Memory Selection: "Let all your things be done with charity." —I Corinthians 16:14.

Lesson Text:
I Corinthians 16:1-14.

In his contacts with the churches he had established in Asia Minor, Macedonia and Greece, Paul began a movement designed to assist the impoverished members of the church in Judea. The principal reason for the condition of the members of the Jerusalem church was that many of them had lost their means of livelihood because of their faith—the Jews would not give jobs to members of the Christian sect. Paul, conscious of their dire need, placed their need before the members of the newly-established churches and gave them a plan for doing something about it.

Paul knew that there was wealth in the church at Corinth and he also knew that the Corinthian Christians needed to be challenged to share their wealth with others not so fortunate. His plan for them was: "Upon the first day of the week (Sunday, the Christian Sabbath), let every one of you lay by him in store, as God hath prospered him, that there be no gatherings (collections) when I come."

Someone has said that Paul's plan was: Periodic—every week; Proportionate—as God had prospered; and Provident—wisely thrifty. What a wonderful plan for every Christian!

Christianity in that day, and since, scored a tremendous success because the Christians realized the true meaning of stewardship—the right use of what God had entrusted them with. The word "stewardship" immediately conjures up with thought of money and tithing. These are a part of stewardship, to be sure, but this is only a part.

God has given his creatures many things, but the most important thing he has provided them is salvation through belief in and acceptance of His Son, Jesus Christ. This gift should be shared, through witnessing to others, so that they, too, might have this gift. The early Christians were faithful to their responsibility in this regard, for the Bible tells us that everywhere they went, they witnessed for Jesus.

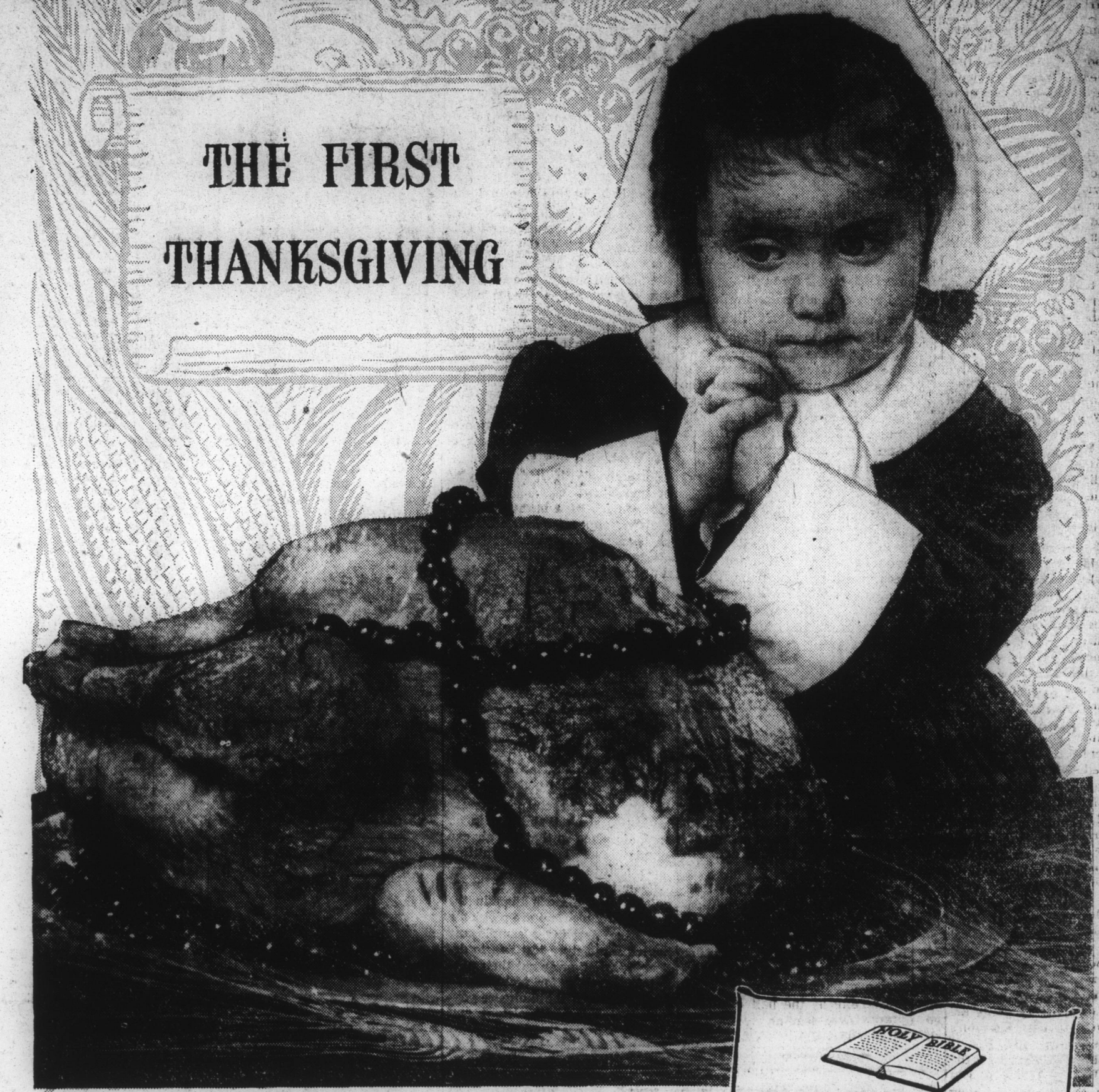
The giving of money is very necessary, of course, for the furtherance of the gospel. It requires money to run a church, send missionaries and in other ways propagate the message of Jesus Christ. Therefore, it is the responsibility of those who are members of a church to provide the finances necessary for its operation.

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Chowan County Churches

- EDENTON BAPTIST**
REV. R. N. CARROLL, Pastor
Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.
Morning worship service, 11 A. M.
Training Union at 6:15 P. M.
Evening service at 7:30 o'clock.
at 7:30 P. M.
Mid-week prayer service Wednesday at 8 o'clock.
- GREAT HOPE BAPTIST**
REV. HENRY V. NAPIER, Pastor
Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Morning worship second and fourth Sundays at 11 o'clock.
Evening worship first and fourth Sundays at 8 o'clock.
Prayer service Wednesday at 8 P. M.
- ROCKY HOCK BAPTIST**
REV. L. L. RAINES, Pastor
Sunday School Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock.
Training Union at 7 P. M.
Evening worship at 8 o'clock.
- EDENTON PRESBYTERIAN**
REV. JAMES MACKENZIE, Pastor
Sunday School Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock.
Senior High Fellowship Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.
Mid-week prayer service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.
Pioneer Fellowship Thursday night at 8 o'clock.
- FIRST CHRISTIAN**
REV. E. C. ALEXANDER, Pastor
Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock.
Young People's meeting at 6:30 P. M.
Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock.
Wednesday evening service at 7:30 o'clock.
- STATION CHAPEL — NAAS**
Protestant—1000 Sunday, Bible Hour for adults; 1100 Sundays, morning worship; 1200 Sundays, Children's Church School; 1300 Wednesdays, choir rehearsal.
Catholic—Mass 9:05 Sundays, Confessions 1630-1715 Saturdays and 0915 Sundays.
- CENTER HILL BAPTIST**
REV. HENRY V. NAPIER, Pastor
Morning worship at 11 o'clock, first and third Sundays.
Sunday School at 10 A. M.
B. T. U. at 7 P. M.
Evening worship at 8 o'clock second and fourth Sundays.
Prayer service Thursday at 8 P. M.
- CENTER HILL METHODIST**
REV. FRANK FORTISQUE, Pastor
Preaching services every first and third Sundays at 11 A. M.
- MACEDONIA BAPTIST**
REV. L. C. CHANDLER, Pastor
Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Preaching every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and every Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.
- WARWICK BAPTIST**
REV. LEE A. PHILLIPS, Pastor
Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Preaching service at 11 A. M.
B. T. U. at 7 P. M.
Prayer service Thursday nights at 8 o'clock.
- SAINT PAUL'S EPISCOPAL**
8:00 A. M. Holy Communion.
9:30 A. M. Church School.
10:00 A. M. Adult Bible Class.
11:00 A. M. Morning Worship.
7:30 Young Churchmen.
Wednesday, 10:30 A. M., Holy Communion.
- YEOPIM BAPTIST**
Sunday School Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.
Preaching services every first and third Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.
- BALLARD'S BRIDGE BAPTIST**
REV. LAMAR SENTELL, Pastor
Sunday School Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.
Preaching services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.
- ASSEMBLY OF GOD**
REV. AND MRS. OTTIS DENTON, Pastors
Gems of Devotion Broadcast Sunday at 9 A. M.
Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock.
Children's Church at 6:30 P. M.
C. O. A. service at 8:45 P. M.
Evangelistic service at 7:45 P. M.
Wednesday prayer meeting at 7:45 P. M.
- JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES**
R. P. LONG, Congregation Servant
Bible study at 3:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon at Kingdom Hall.
Bible study Wednesday nights at 8 o'clock.
Service meeting and ministry school Friday nights at 8 o'clock.
- EDENTON METHODIST**
REV. J. EARL RICHARDSON, Pastor
Church School Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock.
Preaching service Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.
- CHURCH OF GOD**
REV. JOHN MARTIN, Pastor
Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Preaching service at 11 A. M.
W.P.E. Sunday at 7 P. M.
Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock.
- ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC**
FATHER FRANCES SMITH, Pastor
Masses at 8 and 11 A. M.
Mass at base at 9:15 A. M.
Daily mass at 7 A. M.
Confessions Saturday nights from 7 to 8 o'clock.
- EVANS METHODIST**
REV. FRANK FORTISQUE, Pastor
Preaching services every first and third Sundays at 9:30 A. M.
- COLORED CHURCHES**
- PROVIDENCE BAPTIST**
Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.
Morning service at 11 o'clock.
Evening service at 7:30 o'clock.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.
Young People's and senior choir practice Friday nights at 8 o'clock.
Men's Bible Class meets Monday night at 8 o'clock.
- ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST EPISCOPAL**
REV. CHARLES M. JOHNSON, Vicar
First Sunday at 11 A. M. Holy Communion and sermon.
Second Sunday at 9 A. M. Holy Communion.
Third Sunday at 9 A. M. Holy Communion.
Fourth Sunday at 11 A. M. morning prayer and sermon.
Sunday School each Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
- CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**
ELDER J. A. SAWYER, Pastor
Every second and fourth Sunday Pastor's Day.
Every first and third Sunday Church Day.
Sunday School at 11 A. M. to 1 P. M. held at 8 o'clock.
Prayer and Bible Band Tuesday Wednesday night choir practice at 7:30 o'clock.
Thursday night Pastor's Aid Society at 8 o'clock.
Saturday night young people's Bible quiz and recreation.
- WARREN GROVE BAPTIST**
REV. J. E. TILLET, Pastor
Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Preaching service at 11:30 A. M. every second and fourth Sunday.
Women's Educational and Mission Union meets every fourth Sunday after the morning service.
- WELCH'S CHAPEL BAPTIST**
REV. W. H. DAVIS, Pastor
Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Preaching service first Sunday at 11:30 A. M.
- ST. JOHN BAPTIST**
Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Services every first and third Sundays at 12 A. M.
- PINEY GROVE A. M. E. Z.**
REV. M. H. EBRON, Pastor
- UNION GROVE A. M. E. Z.**
REV. J. E. GORDON, Pastor
- RYAN GROVE BAPTIST**
REV. M. A. RIDDICK, Pastor
- GALE STREET BAPTIST**
Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Services every second and fourth Sunday at 11 A. M.
Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.
- ST. LUKE CHRISTIAN**
REV. KELLY GOLDMAN, Pastor
- JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES**
ELDER J. C. HALL, Pastor
- CENTER HILL BAPTIST**
REV. H. C. SAUNDERS, Pastor
- WHITE OAK CHAPEL BAPTIST**
REV. R. M. McNAIR, Pastor
- KADESH A. M. E. Z.**
REV. M. C. JONES, Pastor
- PLEASANT GROVE A. M. E. Z.**
REV. G. L. SCOTT, Pastor
Sunday School at 10 A. M.; morning worship service at 11:30 o'clock.
Choir rehearsal Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.
- CANAAN TEMPLE A. M. E. Z.**
REV. W. H. DAVIS, Pastor
Sunday School at 10:15.
Morning worship at 11:30 o'clock.
Young People's meeting at 2 P. M.
Evening service at 7:30 o'clock.
Tuesday night first Senior Choir practice at 8 o'clock.
Wednesday night second Senior Choir practice at 8 o'clock.
- HAWKINS CHAPEL A. M. E. Z.**
REV. M. H. EBRON, Pastor
- LOCUST GROVE A. M. E. Z.**
REV. J. E. GORDON, Pastor

GO TO SOME CHURCH EACH SUNDAY



THE FIRST THANKSGIVING

Dost think this turkey will please the Pilgrim Fathers? Those cranberries have been strung with careful fingers, the bird itself has been roasted to just the proper degree of succulent brownness, and that bit of wheat, lying on the table, symbolizes the rich bounty of this year's harvest.

If our Puritan maid, Priscilla, looks a bit skeptical, it is only because she is wondering if tom turkey will be big enough to satisfy all the hungry guests.

They will be coming with vigorous appetites, whetted by the walk through snow covered fields from Church, where they have given thanks for their good fortune.

And on all Thanksgivings since that first one, thankful people have knelt in prayer. Thanksgiving is our own American holiday, unlike any other. It is deeply religious in nature. We can only observe it, like the Pilgrims, we go to church to give our thanks. And never have a people had cause to be so thankful for so much.

THE CHURCH FOR ALL . . . ALL FOR THE CHURCH

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Deuteronomy	5	1-21
Monday	Psalms	19	1-14
Tuesday	Psalms	27	1-14
Wednesday	Psalms	46	1-11
Thursday	Psalms	103	1-22
Friday	Psalms	121	1-8
Saturday	Psalms	145	1-21

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