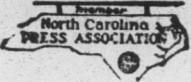


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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1958

A LIFT FOR TODAY

Then came Peter to him and said, Lord, how oft shall my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? till seven times?—Matt. 18:21.

The quality of mercy is not strained; it is twice blest; it blesseth him that gives and him that takes.

May we remember, Eternal Father, that we shall be forgiven as we forgive. Help us to be ready to forgive all who injure us, even as Christ forgave those who took his life.

The Perfect Valentine

St. Valentine's Day is ruled by the heart. How the day originated, however, has been a matter of dispute for generations.

The romantic contend it started in England, with gentlemen carrying gifts to their ladies on the day that birds chose to begin their mating.

The historically-minded claim the day is a tribute to two third century martyrs, both named St. Valentine, and that—in recognition of their kindly deeds—it became a custom to exchange tokens of love.

The origin of the day is of little importance now. It is enough to concede that St. Valentine's Day is well established as a day for making gifts to those we love.

In this context, it is appropriate to note that St. Valentine's Day marks the half-way point of the 1958 Heart Fund campaign.

So we suggest that, in thinking of affairs of the heart, you consider the vital organ which makes life possible. How better could one show affection than through a Heart Fund gift intended to protect the heart of a loved one?

A gift for the hearts of all those you love—meaning a contribution to the Heart Fund—is indeed the perfect Valentine!

Brotherhood Week

Next week, February 16-23, will be observed as Brotherhood Week, which should be reason for all citizens to consider its significance.

It is well, at a time when the principles upon which our democracy is founded are gravely threatened, that we should reassert them firmly and rededicate ourselves to their daily practice. Brotherhood Week, sponsored by the National Conference of Christians and Jews, provides an opportunity to affirm our acceptances of the obligations implicit in the ideals of brotherhood—giving to others the same rights, respect and dignity that we want for ourselves.

A little less selfishness would go a long way toward solving some of the world's problems.

People who become emotional when someone disagrees with them overwork their emotions and underwork their brains.

Heard & Seen By Buff

It's nice to be able to report that the "Edenton Colony" has returned to the "East Coast" from N. C. Memorial Hospital at Chapel Hill. Izzy Campen, Mrs. Lena Leary and Jim Daniels have been patients in the hospital and each one had been in very serious condition, but now they are all apparently on the mend. Izzy returned to Edenton Wednesday of last week and was recuperating at Chowan Hospital, Jim Daniels returned to his home Sunday and Mrs. Leary returned to her home Monday afternoon. Latest reports are to the effect that all three are making satisfactory progress and are delighted to be able to meet and greet their friends. Here's one who's glad they are able to be back home and soon regain their normal health.

Many Edentonians gasped at the heavenly spectacle Monday night when the sky was lighted up by the Aurora Borealis or Northern Lights. Some thought it might be a gang of Sputniks coming in, while some thought a big fire was in progress somewhere. At any rate somebody called the Edenton Fire Department, saying that all of Rocky Hock was burning up. Fire Chief W. J. Yates and W. M. Rhoades quickly jumped into the small fire truck and raced toward Rocky Hock but the reflection became no nearer, so they, like a lot of people, just stopped and gazed into the sky and wondered what it was.

Yep some women are mighty hard to understand. I was told of a lady who had just had the floors in her home refinished. Mr. husband thought everything was honky dory, but when he came home a few nights later he was amazed to find his wife measuring the floor in one of the rooms. "What you doing?" he asked his wife. "Well, honey," she said, "I think we ought to have wall-to-wall carpet so I'm measuring to see how much it will cost." I wasn't informed if the husband flew off the handle or plain fainted.

Lonnie Harrell is one of those fellows who likes home-made biscuits at his meals. Of course, the Missus works in the county agent's office, so that sometimes she gets in a jam and does not have enough time to make biscuits. When those times occur she, of course, puts bread on the table and every time Lonnie spouts out, "What, some of those city biscuits again?"

Like I heard a lot of people say, here's another who'll welcome a little warmer weather. With the oil burners working overtime for quite a while now, a lot of us will be about the middle of summer paying the winter's oil bill.

With Mayor Ernest Kehayes becoming part owner of the P & Q Super Market, Town Council will, no doubt, if they want to eat after a long session, bring their own sandwiches. The Mayor can now be seen shuffling around the P & Q and I understand he's figuring on selling his Albemarle Restaurant. He invited the Councilmen to his restaurant Tuesday night to have a snack, but with mouths all set for a piece of pie, a sandwich or ice cream, the boys had to go home without—the Mayor left his key to the restaurant at home.

Thanks to Bill Goodwin, a student at the Edenton Junior-Senior High School, The Herald has been able to carry stories about the Edenton basketball games. Bill writes pretty good stories, which require as little editing as any news items coming in for the paper. Here's expressing my appreciation for the news and hope Bill will go on in what I understand is an ambition to study journalism.

Boy Scouts Tour Shipyard

By BILL GOODWIN
Boy Scout Troop No. 156 left at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning and spent the day touring the naval shipyard at Portsmouth, Va. The group left by car for the journey and toured the workings at the yard and then went aboard one of the largest ships that was in port. The trip was part of the Boy Scout Week activities.

Boys going on the trip were: Tommy Kehayes, Dick Batdorf, Chuck Boggs, David Bunn, Phillip Camp, Joe Campen, Billy Dail, Lytle Hicks, Billy Driver, Jon Scallion, Cecil Fry, Teddy Feldmier, Billy Harry, Dickie Hobowsky, R. B. Keeter, Alex Kehayes, Boots Lassiter, Douglas Sexton, John Marshall, Jack Goverman, John Reynolds, Leroy Spivey, Dallas Stallings, Paul Twiddy, Douglas Twiddy, Harry Feldmier, Terry Vincent, Frankie Williams, Bobby Whitten, Brad Willford, Frank Johnston, Jerry Wood, Charles Irwin, H. L. Edwards, Neal Hobbs, Freddy Ferguson, Walter Holton, Larry Camp, Tom Phillips and Bill Goodwin.

At the meeting Monday night Troop 156 was presented an interesting demonstration by Bus Wozelka on amateur radioing. He was assisted by Willard Hall and T. J. Wood, who were at remote stations. Mr. Wozelka called them by a portable station set up at the Scout Cabin. All the boys went and visited the other stations in town.

Weekly Devotional Column

By JAMES MACKENZIE

Last week we considered the foundation premises of communism, as explained by Dr. Frederick Schwartz, noted authority on the communist mentality, to the House Committees on Un-American Activities.

Dr. Schwartz goes on to explain the communist blueprint for world conquest. To spread their "gospel," communists enlist young men and women, appealing to their youthful idealism and natural desire to building a better world. "Give us the young people," they say, "and in one generation we shall control the world." Nor do they seek, primarily to make our young people avowed communists; but merely materialists. Materialism, living for this world and its "benefits" is the foundation philosophy of communistic economics, and if Americans can be led to adopt a completely materialistic philosophy, America will, in the words of Lenin, "fall in the hands of communists like an over-ripened fruit."

Unfortunately, their campaign to make America materialistic seems to be succeeding. Untold millions of Americans live from week to week, month to month, year to year, without so much as a passing thought of Christ and His claims. The impact of the Christian faith has no more influence on their lives than the identity of the eighth Avitar of Vishnu. They bask in the blessings of God, but never breathe a word of thanks; they spend hours before their television set, but never a minute before the open Bible; they never attend church, never pray. They are, in effect, pagans; by not even the loosest construction of the term could they be called Christians. And loyal to their country as they undoubtedly are, they are communists hope of capturing America.

Let me suggest we as Christians rip a page from the communist book, and challenge our young people with the demands of Christ. Young people do not want a flabby religion that makes no demands and requires no sacrifice. They want a faith that will challenge their intellects and change their lives; a faith that will ignite their youthful idealism and give them direction and purpose. We have made a tragic mistake in sugar-coating the Christian faith for the consumption of young people. We ask nothing of them but a periodic concession to traditional formalities, and they turn away in disgust. Youth workers, Sunday School teachers: be blunt and precise when you explain the claims of Christ. The Great Commission extends to all; you owe it to the young people who look to you for guidance to bring them face to face with the challenge of the mission field. You owe it to them not to beat around the bush when it comes to sin and worldliness. Don't worry about losing your teen-agers if you

speak plainly; you are more apt to lose them when you do not speak plainly. Communism seeks to win America by challenging our young people with a spartan faith in materialism. The only hope for the future of America is for us to challenge them with a sacrificial faith in Christ as Saviour and Lord.

Edenton Jayees Top Perquimans

By BILL GOODWIN
Edenton's Junior Varsity basketball team beat out a Perquimans High team last Friday 29-25 in an exciting game played in Hertford. The Junior Aces got off to a sizzling start and went on from there to beat the too-tall-for-comfort Indian gang. A barrage of long field goals in the first quarter sent Edenton to a 15-10 lead after that period. But the Indians surged back to take command 20-18 at the half. That didn't last long, though, as the Aces got hot again. They froze the ball during a scoreless last minute and a half. Billy Dail sparked Edenton with 9 points. He was followed by Jerry Tolley and Johnny Phillips with 7 each, Fred Britton with 4 and Robert Halsey got 2. At this point Edenton's Jayees have a 3-3 record.

50 Arrests Made During January

Chief of Police George I. Dail reports that during January Edenton police made a total of 50 arrests, of whom 48 were found guilty as charged. Miscellaneous traffic arrests led the list with 24, followed by seven each for drunkenness and operating an automobile without a license.

Of those arrested 32 were white males, one white female and 17 colored males.

Fines amounted to \$540 and costs \$361 or a total of \$901.

Activities during the month included 45 calls answered, six automobile accidents investigated, one stolen automobile recovered, three funerals worked, 34 street lights reported out, 23 courtesies extended, 45 doors found unlocked, 15 investigations made, five fire calls answered and 659 parking citations issued. The police made 659 radio calls and were on the air one hour, 46 minutes and 35 seconds.

Aces Defeated By Washington High

By BILL GOODWIN
Edenton's Aces put up a good fight but finally bowed out to Washington's Pam Pack 54-47 in a game played on the local court Tuesday night.

Washington's Jayvee team also beat the Junior Aces in a preliminary game 29-22.

The Aces did a very good job of holding the Pam Pack close during the first three quarters, but they couldn't hold on during the last period.

The score was tied up at the half, 21-21, and was tied at the end of the third quarter 35-35. The Pam Pack outscored the Aces 19-12 in the last period to win the game.

Billy Cook Griffin got back on the right foot by scoring 23 points. Elton Bass, the Aces' tall man, got 11 tallies. Henry Overton got 7 and Jack Bunch, Donald Roche and Claude Bannette bagged 2 each.

The Edenton Jayvee squad let the Pam Pack get a lead and they never could pull back in front.

Scoring for Edenton were Johnny Phillips 8 points, Jerry

Tolley 8, Bubba Hopkins 4 and Bill Goodwin 2.

National Beauty Week Feb. 9-15

National Beauty Salon Week is being observed this week, February 9-15. This event is dedicated to more beautiful women and the advantages of beauty care.

Mrs. Anne Jenkins has been appointed representative for the observance in Edenton and has given the event considerable publicity, including a proclamation by Mayor Ernest Kehayes.

CIVIC CALENDAR

Continued from Page 1—Section 1 made by contacting Mrs. Bill Goodwin, phone 2462.

Edenton Rotarians will be guests of the Boy Scouts at a dinner meeting tonight (Thursday) at 7 o'clock in the Scout cabin.

The annual art show sponsored by the Edenton Woman's Club will be held Saturday and Sunday, March 8 and 9, in the Penelope Barker house.

Ladies of the Edenton Baptist Church will hold a home missions study class at the church Monday night, February 17, at 7:30 o'clock.

The week of February 16-23 will be observed as Brotherhood Week.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Tuesday night, February 18, at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Paul Holoman.

The North Carolina Highway Commission and administrative staff of the Highway Department has scheduled an important highway meeting to be held in the Chowan Court House Thursday afternoon, February 27, at 2:30 o'clock.

The Pearly Gates Quartet of Suffolk, Va., will render a musical concert at the Kadesh A.M.E. Zion Church Sunday night, February 16, at 7:30 o'clock.

An eastern district meeting of Red Men and Pocahontas is scheduled to be held in Edenton Friday, February 21. A business meeting will be held at 2 o'clock in the Red Men hall and a banquet and dance following at 7 o'clock in the American Legion building.

Sponsored by the William H. Coffield Post No. 9280, Veterans of Foreign Wars, dances are being held in the Post home every Saturday night.

The "E" Wives Club will hold a social meeting Thursday night, February 20.

Sponsored by the Teen-Age Council, a Valentine Dance will be held in the Teenage Club room Saturday night, February 15, from 8 to 11 o'clock.

A meeting will be held in the home economics department of the Junior-Senior High School Monday night, February 17, at 7:30 o'clock to organize a clothing class.

Edenton's Chamber of Commerce will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7 o'clock in the Penelope Barker house.

Chowanoke Council No. 54, Degree of Pocahontas, will meet tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock.

Edenton Chapter No. 302, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet Monday night, February 17, at 8 o'clock in the Masonic Temple.

Another story hour for children will be held at the Shepard-Pruden Memorial Library Thursday afternoon, February 20, at 3:45 o'clock.

One of a series of postgraduate medical lectures will be held at Hotel Joseph Hewes Wednesday.

February 19, when Dr. Warren Wells, assistant professor of surgery at the UNC School of Medicine, will be the speaker. The Fidelis Wives Club will hold a social meeting Tuesday night, February 18, at 8 o'clock in the game room of the Staff NCO Club.

A public hearing will be held in the Chowan County Court House Friday morning, February 21, regarding gill net fishing in Albemarle Sound west of the Norfolk Southern Railroad bridge.

February is being observed as American History Month. Chowan Tribe of Red Men will meet Monday night at 7:30 o'clock. Edenton Lions Club will meet Monday night at 7 o'clock. William H. Coffield Post No. 9280, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

"E" WIVES MEET MARCH 20

RED MEN MEETING
Chowan Tribe of Red Men will meet Monday night, February 17, at 7:30 o'clock. Hurley Ward, sachem, is very anxious to have a good attendance.

WARNING!

Water Pressure Increased To 60 Pounds In Edenton

Effective Sunday, February 16, the new water tank on Park Avenue will go into operation, providing 60 pounds of pressure.

Edenton citizens are requested to check their piping, for the Electric and Water Department will not be responsible for any damage done in connection with the change.

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