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LIFT FOR TODAY

★ The gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord. —Romans 6:23.

TO KNOW GOD — to have a creative urge which challenges us to undertake great things for Him — to be conscious of His Presence as we work for the upbuilding of His Kingdom — to seek new and effective ways to serve Him each and every day — that is Eternal Life.

Eternal God, Thou hast promised that "He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also, and greater works than these." With Thy Power and Guidance, we too, become fellow workers with Thee.

Industry And Higher Education

One of the happy developments of the time has been industry's increasing support of higher education in the United States.

Gifts from corporations to our colleges and universities totaled \$40 million in 1953. They came to \$136 million last year. And the 1959 total is expected to reach \$150 million.

The American Economic Foundation gives two reasons why corporations feel more and more of a responsibility toward higher education. For one thing, business needs the training manpower thus produced. For another, corporation officers want to preserve and nourish the traditional American ideal of educational opportunity.

Still a third factor must also play a big role in framing the attitude of business. That is the desire to keep education out of the hands of federal bureaucrats—who would call the tune if the colleges and universities were supported with federal money. Keeping education free of political dictation is the most important need of all.

Spellbound

From San Diego, Calif., comes one of those perennial reminders that English is really so ambiguous in spelling and pronunciation that it's a wonder we haven't long ago given it up as a bad risk.

On the attack, in this instance, is Dr. James L. Julian of San Diego State College. His star exhibit is the word "psychology," which he intimates can be spelled in any of 6,480 ways without changing its pronunciation. Even though our proofreaders haven't caught us out in nearly that number of variations, we'll take his word (however spelled) for it.

The real root of the problem (aside from some annoying hard, soft, and silent consonants and some tricky diphthongs) is the vowels, which wander all over the place. Dr. Julian recoils in non-U horror at the spectacle of the letter A having nine different sounds; E, seven; I, three; O, eight; and U, eight.

Even Henry Higgins (the "rein in Spain false manly in the plane" man) would have to admit it would be harder to teach Eliza to write to a duchess than to talk to one.

But, granted it's an absurd potpourri of a language, we still love it for its extraordinary richness of meaning and even for some of its eccentricities. Like the far-flung English-speaking world, it's really very democratic in its lineage. It's a melting pot that took on immigrant words from half the Indo-European tongues. And it's also democratic enough not to get huffy (or is that houghy?) over being misspelled.

We'd agree with Dr. Julian that it would not be a bad thing if the melting pot were to refine some of the confusions out of spelling. But not all of them, please. Let's leave a little ammunition for grade-school spelling bees, the punsters and Awgdun Gnache.—Christian Science Monitor.

The will to live is the most important factor in determining the life span of man.

Contrary to most shining examples, it is possible for an individual to be healthy, wealthy and wise.

Progress: The old man who used to brag about doing thirty miles an hour has a son who brags about 350 an hour.

Food experts recommend five meals a day—as if anybody is able to buy enough for five small meals.

The well-known human race could get along better if it were not for some of the human race.

The great denouncers of the wrongs done by others are usually somewhat proficient in proclaiming their own virtues.

Heard & Seen By Buff

Football candidates are going to it full blast even though the weather is hot. It makes a fellow sort of hot to even watch the hunks of humanity crash into each other like two freight trains. However, if the boys can take it in this sort of weather, they should be in shape to take it when cooler weather arrives and they go up against conference competition. The boys had a big-time on-looker for a while Tuesday night when Ace Parker, Duke University great, watched the boys practice for a while.

Hiram Mayo, Edenton's new school principal, worked a lot of overtime Tuesday night when he moved his furniture from Tarboro to the Bachman house on West Eden Street. Among the items he moved was a boat, so I take it he's sort of a fisherman. Well, there might be a few fish left for him to try to catch. He's in no worse shape than the rest of us, for we must find where the speckled perch have moved since the old stakes and piles have been yanked up. However, I didn't see any of the scudders hanging on to the piles which were piled at the foot of Broad Street. Anyway, here's hoping Mr. Mayo will enjoy his work in Edenton as well as sport on the water.

Taking off early last Thursday morning, I took a sudden trip to Pennsylvania to visit my brother and sister. A fellow might think the weather was cooler up there, but not so. They were experiencing 90-95 degree weather, the hottest in 20 years, and it's just as hot at night as in daytime, so that I almost "gin out." It was some relief upon arriving home Sunday night to enjoy the "million dollar breeze" coming off the Sound. Hot or cold, give me old Edenton.

While in Pennsylvania I called a sister-in-law on the phone. Of course, I was invited to go to the house, but she said, "I'm home all the time, but call before you come for I might be away." The mosquitoes were also on a rampage and I asked a friend if they spray to get rid of 'em. "Yes," he said, "they spray all right, but only chase the mosquitoes from the street into the house." Why the bloomin' mosquitoes even were on the job during the day. I had dinner with a friend who was on a diet and he told his wife, "I'm too full of a regular meal today to eat my diet." I also met a couple who had an odd way of sleeping. The wife slept with her head at the head of the bed while the husband slept with his head at the foot of the bed. I asked why such an odd arrangement and the wife told me, "Well, I'd rather smell his feet than his breath after drinking a quart or so of beer."

Roy Emminizer recently returned from a trip through the section I came from in Pennsylvania and he was very much enthused about the farms and highways. It may all be true, but give me Edenton just the same. It's very nice to leave to go on a trip, but it's a darned lot nicer to come back home.

Willie Saunders has been missing some of the Red Men meetings lately but he turned up Monday night. He had to be given the password, but right after that he said, "They better soon take up the password or I'll forget it." Well, some of 'em are a mess to remember.

Thomas N. White, who lived at Decatur, Ga., wrote in that his address had been changed to Stone Mountain, Ga. He also had this to say: "I have been reading with interest the good fishing you people have enjoyed these summer months. The weather has been so hot here they have been in deep water. My lines are not long enough to reach them that deep I guess." Well, sometimes it's hard to catch 'em here with long or short lines.

Some oldtimers will remember Aubrey Shackell, a former Edentonian. He is now located in Charlotte and the other day wrote a letter to send him a 10-pound keg of salt roe herring. The Edenton Bay Fish Company was given the order, but what I don't understand is that Aubrey had them sent to Arthur Corpening, manager of Hotel Sheraton at High Point. Maybe the Missus makes him go that far to eat the things. Anyway, I'm supposed to go to the Sheraton Hotel on September 18, but I'll not order salt herring while there. I'll take mine in smoked herring.

Baseball fans will have probably their last chance to see a baseball game this season Friday night on Hicks Field when the Edenton Colonials are scheduled to play the Lewiston aggregation. The two teams played a 10-inning game Sunday with the Colonials on the short end of a 4-3 score. It should be a good game, with Pete Hunter star pitcher from Hertford, on the mound for Edenton.

The Roundup

By WILBORNE HARRELL

"Time, oh Time, turn backward in your flight, And make me a boy just for tonight."

Or rather, make me a teenager just for a Saturday morning... Looked in on James Boswell's farewell party and program field in the Edenton armory last Saturday A. M., just to see what in heck was going on over there. I saw — and I almost wish I hadn't; for a flash second I saw a million dollars in youthful energy, the golden exuberance of youth, and the silvery tinkle of happiness in the morning of life spread out before me. These kids are millionaires of time, misers of minutes and hoarders of seconds of a treasure that can all too soon slip away from them. Ah, youth—"The moving finger writes, and, having writ, moves on." Make the most of these tender, happy years, for soon you'll find them behind you, only dreams.

Incidentally, although I have not met James Boswell personally, I am one of his listening radio friends, and I here wish him the best of luck and success in his Hollywood venture. It is a tough business he is getting into, but also a very satisfying and rewarding one.

Ran across a picture recently in a newspaper that was almost the spitting image of myself. I thought for a moment I was gazing into a mirror—but for one exception: he was more youthful appearing and doggone better looking than I ever have been! Since I have some kinfolk bearing the same name of the guy in the picture, it is quite possible that he may be a distant relative of mine. Maybe—could be.

Was on vacation last week and spent my time writing and working at the thousand and one things that need to be done around a house. Actually I worked harder than if I'd been on the job... Heck of a way to spend a vacation. Next time I'm going to head for Nassau or Arizona or some place.

Let's trust Russia—a little.

4-H Club News

By Catherine Aman, Assistant Home Economics Agent

August is half gone! The last month of summer and we try to crowd in all the things we planned to do before Fall. August is the time to complete 4-H records—both project books and long time records.

I have tried to impress upon you 4-Hers the importance of turning in your record books. That is the only way we, as agents, know exactly what you have done during the past year. There are many awards the 4-H program offers to 4-H members—and anyone eligible may participate.

Four-H Club members enrolled during the current year in a 4-H Club and carrying a project or activity will be sent a letter telling about the deadline for the records to be turned in. After these records are in the agent's office, it is then our responsibility to arrange for determining all county winners. Every county winner will be awarded a medal and a certificate in his winning field.

The county winning records are sent to the state office and district winners are determined. The district winners are presented a ribbon and certificate at a special recognition day—during the fall.

From the district winning records one state winner is selected for each project and activity offered by the State and National 4-H Award Program.

State winners must have passed their 14th birthday and must not be older than 21. State 4-H winners must have completed at least three years of 4-H Club work. State, Sectional, and National winners in 4-H Award Programs are eligible to attend National 4-H Club Congress—most of these trips are free awards given by various business firms and 4-H friends.

These awards are given only as incentives for whole-hearted competition on the 4-Her's part. Four-H is much more than young people trying to win prizes.

Good Conservation Practices Cut Losses From Recent Rain

Farmers should take note of the new gullies and drowned crops which showed up after recent heavy rains.

They show the need for good soil and water conservation practices, says J. F. Doggett, soil conservation specialist for the N. C. Agricultural Extension Service.

"Some crop drowning and soil loss is to be expected with rains like we have had," Doggett added.

Farmers Can Reduce Nematode By Plowing Old Tobacco Roots

Farmers should plow up their old tobacco stalks, as soon as the tips are in the barn.

Furney A. Todd, extension plant pathologist at N. C. State College, reports that the nematode population can be greatly reduced by plowing out infected tobacco stubbles.

"Studies have shown," Todd said, "that nematodes can be reduced 75 to 90 per cent by exposing tobacco roots to the drying effects of the sun and wind."

While this reduction is not enough to give practical control of nematodes, when it is coupled with crop rotation and soil fumigation, it gives the best control known.

Even where a severe nematode problem does not exist, Todd recommends the plowing out of old tobacco roots.

"By doing so," Todd explained, "a farmer may prevent the buildup of a high nematode population."

Todd gives these suggestions: by raising a blue ribbon steer or making a winning dress for the revue. In summarizing, I'd like to leave these thoughts, written by a 4-H member, with you: "Some may think of 4-H that its only product is good farmers and homemakers. Although agriculture and home economics are a major part of 4-H, its meaning extends much farther. Its main objective is to develop youth—mentally, spiritually, physically, and socially. Four-H sponsors and cultivates everything for which America stands. What greater things does America need today than the development of youth, its greatest resource, into citizens and leaders who will insure democracy to the world."

Wanted — Houseworkers, live-in positions in Massachusetts, Connecticut, New York. \$30 to \$50. References required. Transportation advanced. Barton Emp. Bureau, 27, Barrington, Mass. aug20,27,sept3p

Wanted — Men (2) Not afraid of work! Serve customers on food route in city of Edenton. Will consider housewives. Write Box 5071, Dept. S-3, Richmond, Virginia. 1tp

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Change Announced At Sinclair Station

Another change in service station operation is announced this week. W. P. (Bill) Jones and son, Wesley Jones, have taken over the Sinclair Service Station which was operated by J. C. Parks for a number of years. Mr. Parks gave up the business to become parts manager at the George Chevrolet Company. Mr. Jones has had 14 years experience in service station operation and solicits the patronage of both old and new customers.



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FOR RENT — LARGE APARTMENT; upstairs. Living room, dinette, kitchen, two bedrooms and bath. Private entrance. Unfurnished; rent \$36 month. Screened-in front porch. Located 300 W. Queen Street. Phone 2386. Aug20,27c

FOR SALE — ATTRACTIVE home and automobile accessory store for sale in this area. Modern, new fixtures. Excellent potential, 100% location. Owner has other interests. \$12,000 investment required. Please contact Charles W. Eggers, Box 20, Rt. 3, Greenville, N. C. Phone PLAZA 2-3950. july30,aug6,13,20,27c

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