

# AROUND THE FARMS IN CHOWAN COUNTY

By C. W. OVERMAN, Chowan County Agent

**A County-Wide Peanut Growers' Meeting** will be held at the Chowan Community Building on Tuesday afternoon, February 2 at 2 o'clock. All peanut growers and others interested in peanuts are invited to attend.

Do you ever ask yourself any of these questions? Why don't I make as many peanuts per acre as my neighbor? How can I help control Southern Stem Rot or Root Rot in my peanuts? How thick should my stand be? How should I fertilize my crop? Are new varieties better? What causes concealed damage in peanuts?

Our Extension peanut specialist, Astor Perry, will be with you. You may find the answer to most of your peanut production problems right at this meeting. Come, ask questions, and let's profit by this opportunity.

**A Pork Killing, Cutting Out and Curing Demonstration** will be held at Bristoe Perry's in Advance Community on Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning. Dr. John A. Christian, Extension meats specialist, will conduct the demonstrations.

On Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, the killing demonstration will be held. This will involve proper waste temperature,

"do's" and "don'ts" of killing, scorching and other modern practices.

On Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, Dr. Christian will demonstrate proper methods of cutting out the meat. He will show you new, tasty cuts which you may not know about. Then he will discuss different curing mixes, how to apply the mix for best results and how long to leave different cuts in cure. You will learn how to protect your meat against insects, rats and mice. In fact, you can learn anything you want to about pork killing, cutting, curing and storing if you will just come to Bristoe Perry's on Monday afternoon at 1:30 and Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.

**The 1960 ASC Spring Practice Signup** is scheduled to close as of this week, according to information received from H. O. West, County ASC Office Manager.

James H. Griffin, County ASC technician, says that several farmers have indicated their intention to do ditching, install tile, seed sod waterways, and other practices this spring. But, unless you sign up for ACP assistance this week you may be too late for this spring.

## Hat In Ring



Veteran Democratic Senator C. V. Henkel, merchant, farmer and former manufacturer, has formally announced his candidacy for Lieutenant Governor. For four consecutive terms he has represented the 25th Senatorial district, composed of Iredell, Catawba and Lincoln counties.

Va., Nashville and Chowan High School.

Representing the Edenton school in the contest will be Loren Wright and Kay Hare will represent Chowan High School.

Just prior to the 8:15 tipoff for the basketball game between Chowan and Presbyterian Junior College, the queen-representatives will be presented. At half-time, they will make a second appearance and one of them will be crowned "Chowan College High School Basketball Queen" for 1960.

Earlier in the evening, the college public relations department will entertain the young ladies and their escorts, the principals of their respective high schools and the judges at a banquet in the college dining room.

## Meeting Monday To Consider Forming New Negro Club

All who are between the ages of 21 and 35 are invited to attend a meeting to be held at Robin's Restaurant on Monday night, February 1, at 8 o'clock. At this meeting the possibilities of organizing a young men and women's club will be discussed.

According to Fletcher F. Laster, county Negro agricultural agent, the purposes of a young men and women's club are as follows:

1. Help members to develop leadership skills and realize the value and responsibility of group action.
2. Help members to broaden their knowledge and understanding of the local and national governments and other county, state, and federal agencies.
3. To help members broaden their knowledge and understanding of personal, family and community growth and development.
4. Develop better human relationships through group recreation.

Anyone interested in personal growth and development and the growth and development of the community, county, state and nation is urged to attend this meeting. The proposed club is sponsored by the county agricultural and home economics agents.

TRY A HERALD CLASSIFIED

## Edenton Acelets Now In First Place

By BILL GOODWIN  
The Edenton Acelets vaulted into first place in the Albemarle Conference with a 37-36 edging of Ahsokie High School as the Aces routed the favored Indians 55-40 in Ahsokie Tuesday night.

It was the fifth straight victory for the Acelets, giving them a 4-1 league record and a 6-2 season mark. The local squads have now won four straight doubleheaders.

The Aces, winning their fourth straight, gained a second place tie with Williamston in conference play and earned their season record at 5-5. The locals' circuit standing is now 3-2.

Both Edenton teams return home Friday night against Williamston. The winner of the boys' game will hold second place in the conference and possibly a tie for first. The Acelets will be favored to win this game on the grounds of a 40-32 licking of the Green Wave at Williamston earlier in the year.

The Ahsokie girls moved out in front 24-16 at the half. Up until then the Acelets' scoring punch had been very ineffective. Only some fine defensive work by Norma Blanchard saved a first half rout.

In the second half Ahsokie cooled off and the Acelets cranked up the old machine and tied things up at 28-28. From that point on it was nip and tuck until the final horn, when the Acelets were ahead by one point.

Sara Relfe Smith turned in a 22-point performance, which was high for the night. Beverly Morgan had 15 and Mary Ann Overton 1 to round out the Acelets' scoring. Kay Krouse connected for 20 markers for the Squaws.

The Aces, avenging an earlier 42-31 pasting at the hands of the Indians, outscored the home forces in every quarter. The half time score was 27-18 Aces. The rout continued in the third quarter and the Aces turned on the coals in the early part of the fourth period. With Jerry Tolley and Johnny Phillips showing the way, the Edenton crew led by as much as 23 points with about three minutes to play.

This lead was cut by some sharp shooting by the Ahsokie reserves. Phillips, in his usual role of leading the scoring for the Aces, bagged 20 points. Tolley followed with 15. Fred Britton had 9, Bryant Griffin 8, and Bobby Stogely 5.

Brinkley Overton, the Indians' shooting whiz, was shackled to 8 points by Stokely's fine defensive work. Jerry Lindsey led the Indians with 11 points.

## Mrs. Earnhardt Speaks At Meetings

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tion project. Mrs. Earnhardt also emphasized that historic shrines should be preserved and shown to better advantage for the benefit of tourists who are becoming more "by-pass" conscious, and stressed that indus-

try could live with history, since in Edenton both industry and history were financial stimulants.

With this background, Mrs. Earnhardt explained the plans for the Confederate Monument, which the Woman's Club proposes to move to the south end of Broad Street. Plans for this project as well as the Court House Green, were made by Morley Williams, outstanding preservation architect, who is presently living and working in New Bern, his current project being the Tryon Palace. Removing the Confederate Monument will mean that it will complement the Barker House, the Cupola House, be quite convenient to King Street and the waterfront which are favorites of all tourists. It will occupy a position of high prestige, and will not compete with other shrines. Its prestige will be enhanced by a plaza with four flags surrounding it. The flags will be: The United States, the North Carolina, the Confederate and the Town of Edenton.

At the Court House, plans are being studied for removing the red paint from the building, leaving the natural colored antique bricks. The Green will be terraced in four levels from the Court House to the waterfront. Sycamore trees will be planted along the walkway to the waterfront. These trees were selected after careful study since they are able to withstand hurricanes and give a majestic appearance which will help to frame the Court House building. The Court House is an outstanding example of Colonial Georgian architecture, in fact the best example in the South, expressed the speaker. Other plans call for the Joseph Hewes monument to be placed on a paved brick area, surrounded by low-growing holly. Mrs. Earnhardt stressed that no effort has been made to have a formal garden at either shrine, and that present plans call for very little upkeep.

Mrs. Earnhardt stated that the Woman's Club had approved these plans unanimously and are now receiving bids for the work. She mentioned that Edenton was quite fortunate in that they had only had to preserve shrines, whereas, many areas were actively engaged in completely rebuilding historic sites or digging ruins from the ground.

Mrs. Earnhardt presented practically the same address at the Edenton Rotary Club's meeting Thursday of last week.

## Library Trustees Meet In Columbia

The quarterly meeting of the board of trustees of the Pettigrew Regional Library was held in Columbia on January 25 at the Tyrrell County Public Library. Those present were Mrs. J. Robert Campbell of Plymouth, chairman; E. E. Harrell of Plymouth, treasurer; Thomas Shepard of Edenton, vice chairman; T. Reynold Spruill of Roper; Jack Davenport of Columbia and Mrs. Minnie Davenport and Mrs. Birdie Swain, alternates from Tyrrell County. This board is the governing body of the region and consists of three trustees from Chowan, Tyrrell and Washington Counties. The director, Mrs. Eugenia R. Babylon, was also present. She was asked to report on the adult education class held at Brown-Carver Library every Tuesday at 8 P. M. under the instruction of W. D. Fuller of Edenton. All were pleased with the progress of this class and also with the fine blackboard which was made for Brown-Carver Library by the Edenton High School. This blackboard is very helpful to the work of the group.

The new bookmobile for white was discussed with enthusiasm and the group was pleased to learn that the old bookmobile brought \$750. The new vehicle was purchased from Thomas Moroney of Shrewsbury, Mass., and he took the old one in trade.

It was voted that Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Babylon should attend an institute to be held in Durham in March on library-community relations. Mrs. Babylon gave a report on the fine meeting of the Tyrrell County friends of the library held in Columbia on January 20. Patrick Penland, specialist in adult education, North Carolina State Library, was the main speaker.

Mrs. Campbell pointed out that the average per capita spent in the state for library service is 78 cents and that the average spent per capita in the Pettigrew Regional Library is about \$1.20 but that we still have a long way to go since the recommended amount for good library service is \$3.00.

The next meeting will be held in Edenton March 21.

## Plane Crash Victim Husband Of Former Resident Of Chowan

Captain Harold T. Goranson, USN, who lost his life in the Holdcroft, Virginia, plane crash last week, was the husband of Mabel Craft Goranson, a former resident of Chowan County. He was the commanding officer of Destroyer Division 226 based in Norfolk, and lived at 4107 Gosnold Avenue, Norfolk.

He attended Bowling Green University for two years and was graduated from the U. S. Naval Academy in 1940. He served in the Pacific during World War II and won the Bronze Star during the Okinawa Campaign. He also held the Legion of Merit.

A funeral service was held in the First Lutheran Church in Norfolk, January 23, at 4:00 P. M., by the Rev. L. W. Strickler. Burial was in the U. S. Naval Academy Cemetery, Annapolis, Maryland, January 25, at 2:00 P. M.

Besides his wife, Mabel Craft Goranson, he is survived by our children.

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# Auction Sale OF FARM EQUIPMENT

AT FRED MATTHEWS STOCK AUCTION, Hertford-Edenton highway, 1 mile south of Hertford, at 12 noon Wednesday, February 3, 1960.

- TERMS OF SALE: CASH**
- 1—1957 John Deere Tractor 420.
  - 1—Set John Deere Cultivators
  - 1—Set 3-Row Middle Busters
  - 1—Set John Deere 3-Point Hitch Horse-drawn Plauters
  - 1—John Deere Rotary Hoe
  - 1—Stalk Cutter — mounted on rubber
  - 1—Scw-Rite Fertilizer Drill
  - 1—Pick Up Disc (3-point hitch)
  - 1—Drain Digger (Power takeoff)
  - 1—801 John Deere 3-Point Hitch

AND MANY OTHER ITEMS TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION!  
**Gordon L. Winslow Estate**  
**Francis W. Winslow, Admrx.**  
**Fred Matthews, Auctioneer**

## SENATOR JORDAN REPORTS From WASHINGTON

Washington—One of the main issues to be resolved by this session of Congress is the question of increasing the Federal minimum wage.

I have had a great deal of correspondence concerning a bill introduced by Senator Kennedy which would increase the minimum wage from \$1.00 to \$1.25 an hour. There is a great deal of controversy over the proposal, especially provisions that would extend the present coverage.

Last week I saw a newspaper article commending me for opposing an increase in the minimum wage. This article was misleading. Last year when legislation was introduced to increase the minimum wage from \$1.00 to \$1.25 an hour, I made a number of public statements endorsing an increase for workers covered under the present law, and my position has not changed.

The Kennedy Bill as now written would take in about 7 million additional workers who are not engaged in interstate commerce as defined in the present law. For instance, it would affect some types of farm laborers, part-time, and seasonal workers, and many strictly local establishments. The effect very conceivably could cause a lot of people to lose their jobs instead of helping them.

For these reasons I think extreme care should be taken in writing a new minimum wage bill which could have opposite effects of its intention.

In drafting such legislation, it is always difficult to determine where to draw the law. Everyone desires to bring about conditions whereby all citizens

can earn a better living, but in putting wage and hour laws on the books utmost care must be taken to avoid making it impossible for small business operations to stay in business.

In many cases, a minimum wage of \$1.25 per hour would force businesses to close or lay off considerable numbers of employees. When this happens many people are out of work.

I am opposed to the extended coverage provisions as they are now written in Senator Kennedy's bill. At the same time, I feel the time has come to increase the minimum wage for those business operations engaged in interstate commerce, and I am hopeful that the present bill will be amended to reduce the proposed extended coverage in such a way that small business as we know it is not choked to death.

## Two Chowan Girls In Beauty Contest

The "Chowan College High School Basketball Queen" for 1960 will be selected on Saturday night, January 30, in the college gymnasium at Murfreesboro.

Candidates for the coveted title will represent schools at Hertford, Sunbury, Aurelian Springs, Red Oak, Edenton, Elizabeth City, Rich Square, Woodland-Olney, Ahsokie, Murfreesboro, Seaboard, Littleton, Colerain, Weeksville, Windsor, Churchland, Va., Conway, Benvenue, Harrellsville, Aulander, Camden, Jackson, Scotland Neck, West Bertie, Spring Hope, Roanoke Rapids, Moyock, Courtland.

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