

### Freakish Accident Saturday Morning

Sort of a freakish accident occurred on Broad Street Saturday morning resulting in considerable damage to Malone's 5 and 10 Cent Store, two automobiles and snapping of two parking meters.

The accident happened when Mrs. Don J. Green of Sunbury backed out of a parking space and was proceeding to move north on Broad Street. In some way either the accelerator jammed or Mrs. Green stepped on the accelerator instead of the brakes, causing her car to lunge forward, striking a parked station wagon owned by Elton Boswell. The station wagon was shoved over the sidewalk, crashing into the large front window of the Malone store. Two parking meters in its path were also snapped off. Mr. and Mrs. Boswell were in a drug store at the time and fortunately there were no pedestrians in the path of the station wagon.

The large front window of the Malone store was broken, as well as damage done to the bottom of the window and one of the doors. Damage to the store is estimated to be about \$500. Damage to the Boswell car is estimated at \$400 and about \$100 to the Green car.

### Hewlett Candidate For U. S. Senate

Addison Hewlett, Speaker of the State House of Representatives, filed Monday as a candidate for United States Senator.

A soft-spoken veteran of five legislative terms, Hewlett said he bases his candidacy on "unshakable faith in the people."

"It is my fundamental belief that the people of North Carolina... all the people... have a constitutional right and privilege to elect their United States Senator," he said.

"Our people understand that this great decision is theirs to make and that no few are vested with this power."

In his campaign for Senate, Hewlett seeks to unseat incumbent Everett Jordan, appointed by Governor Luther Hodges to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator Kerr Scott.

### Radham Descendants Favor Improvements

Continued from Page 1, Section 1 does so much for our town, we sincerely hope you will endorse and stand behind them.

"Edenton is a treasure house of historic interest, and any efforts by the Woman's Club or other organizations to help beautify or restore should be backed enthusiastically by our citizens if we wish to get our share of the tourist trade."

"We are the granddaughters of Captain William Radham, who recruited and fought with the Edenton Bell Battery through the Civil War, and we do not consider that his memory or those who fought with him desecrated by the removal of the Confederate memorial to a more appropriate place. In fact, we think it is more distinctive to have the separate Confederate park that can be seen the entire length of Broad Street."

"Hoping you will give our endorsement of this project your consideration."

### Episcopalians Begin To Observe Lent

Episcopalians in Edenton join forces with the Anglican Communion around the world Ash Wednesday as Lent begins. The special opportunity to concentrate on the things of the spirit continues until Easter Day.

At Saint Paul's Episcopal Church in Edenton special services have been arranged in addition to Sunday services to assist in strengthening faith, self-discipline and self-denial.

Each Monday at 8:00 P. M., a parish workshop will be conducted by the rector, the Rev. George B. Holmes, in the Parish House to which all are cordially invited.

The Sacrament is celebrated each Wednesday at 10:30 A. M., and on Fridays evening prayer will be conducted at 5:30 P. M., with meditations from the Gospel according to Saint John.

Children's services will be held Wednesdays at 4:00 P. M., Mrs. Harry C. Venters will be in charge of the Junior Choir.

### RED MEN MEETING

Chowan Tribe of Red Men will meet Monday night, March 7, at 7:30 o'clock. Guy Williams requests a large attendance.

### Promoted At Edenton Cotton Mills



AL PHILLIPS



RUPERT RILEY

Directors of the Edenton Cotton Mills last week promoted two of their employees. Al Phillips was promoted from superintendent to vice president and Rupert Riley, assistant superintendent, was promoted to superintendent.



### SENATOR JORDAN REPORTS

From WASHINGTON

Washington. — Once again I have asked for action on a bill I introduced last year which would enable those people who receive social security benefits to earn more outside income without being penalized.

Under the present law, a person 65 years old who receives payments cannot earn more than \$1,200 a year in outside income without losing part of his social security benefits. I introduced a bill last year which would increase this limitation on outside income to \$1,800 a year.

After the bill was introduced, it was referred to the Senate Committee on Finance. It took considerable time for the committee to obtain a report from the administration on the measure. It is a matter of routine procedure for the administrative agency involved to analyze each bill that is introduced.

The administration report filed on my bill was unfavorable. The administration took the position that my measure would create additional demands on the social security fund from which benefits are paid. It was reasoned that if the outside limitation was increased, it would mean that more people would draw full social security payments.

As a matter of literal fact, this probably would be true, but I do not feel that it is any justification to keep the proposal from becoming law. After all, the payments individuals make into the social security fund were from their own earnings and they should not be penalized because of any outside income they may be able to make.

I sincerely feel that there is an urgent need for some changes

in the present law, and the modest increase in the outside income limitation I have proposed is certainly a minimum requirement in view of the increased cost of living in recent years. As a matter of fact, I see no reason why there should be any limitation on the amount of outside income a person receiving social security benefits may earn.

There are many thousands of people who are not able to continue full time work after they reach the retirement age under the social security program. Many of these people would like to do part-time work in order to make enough money above their social security payments to earn a decent living and avoid being dependent on relatives and friends.

### Williamston Wins Albemarle Tourney

By BILL GOODWIN

Williamston High School's Green Wave captured the boys' division of the Albemarle Conference basketball tournament played in Ahoskie last week and the Ahoskie High Squaws took the girls' honors.

The Green Wave came out over the Ahoskie boys in the finals and the Ahoskie girls defeated Williamston. The Greenies will now go into the state championship tourney at Winston-Salem on March 9, 10, 11 and 12.

Both the Edenton Aces and Acelets fell prey to upsets in the first round of action. The Aces were knocked off 52-45 by Perquimans on Wednesday night and the Acelets dropped a 44-43 squeaker to the Williamston

girls on Friday night.

Williamston's winning effort against the Acelets had to share the honors of being the top upset of the meeting with the Ahoskie boys' routing of top-seeded Scotland Neck. The Indians bumped the Scots out of the running 39-43 on Friday night.

The Aces were surprised by the Perquimans outfit that they had handily defeated in three previous games. A blazing 26-point performance by Freddie Colson spelled the doom for the Aces, who just could not do anything right in the second half.

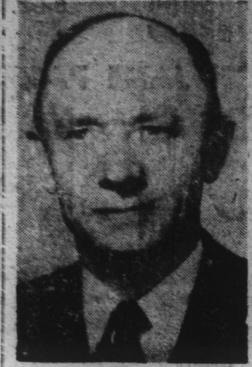
Fred Britton led the Aces' attack with 12 points. Johnny Phillips cashed in with 10, Bryant Griffin 9, Jerry Tolley and Bill Goodwin 5 each and Herbert Adams 4.

The Acelets had a two-point lead with seconds remaining in the regulation game, but Virginia Griffin intercepted an Edenton pass and sank a lay-up with two seconds left for Williamston to send the game into overtime. Several opportunities slipped through the Acelets' fingers in the overtime that could have wrapped up the game. A field goal by Jane Bryant with 45 seconds remaining clinched the victory for the Green Wave.

Beverly Morgan hit for 23 points to lead the Acelets. Mary Anne Overton had 9, Sue Bunch 6 and Sara Refle Smith 4. Bryant canned 22 markers for Williamston.

Children need love, especially when they do not deserve it. —Harold S. Hulbert.

### Candidate



I. BEVERLY LAKE

On Monday I. Beverly Lake of Raleigh announced that he will be a candidate for Governor in the Democratic primary election in May.

### 20 YEARS AGO

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Dr. Roland Vaughan went to Marine Hospital at Baltimore to take a post graduate course on ailments of the eye, nose and throat.

Interest was revived in Edenton Boy Scouts following the appointment of Wade Leary as Scoutmaster.

R. C. Hoiland, president and manager of the Peanut Stabilization Cooperative, announced that under its contract with the U. S. Department of Agriculture it must cease purchasing peas

under the surplus removal program by midnight March 31. Coach David Holton issued a call for high school boys to begin spring football practice.

Over 50 farmers were guests of the Edenton Rotary Club when Commissioner of Agriculture W. Kerr Scott was the principal speaker.

Chowan County Commissioners were informed that a change in policy had been made to the effect that requests for adding roads should be sent direct to Frank L. Dunlop, chairman of the State Highway and Public Works Commission, instead of the County Commissioners.

Colerain fishermen announced that they will sponsor a bait casting tournament to which fishermen of the section were invited to participate.

Suit was filed in Chowan Superior Court by Mrs. Gladys Smith asking damages in the amount of \$5,000 from the Virginia-Carolina Joint Stock Land Bank. Mrs. Smith claimed that while driving her husband's car on Oakum Street she was struck by a car owned by the defendant and driven by W. W. Windler.

Exceeding all expectations an estimated crowd of 300 jammed into the J. H. Holmes Company store to attend a fashion show conducted by the concern.

Chowan County Commissioners requested a special term of Superior Court to try civil cases due to an accumulation of many civil actions.

A book introduces new thoughts, but it cannot make them speedily understood.

—Mary Baker Eddy.



### MAY DAY MAID OF HONOR

Velma Ferrell of Weldon was named as the 1944 May Queen at elections held at Lenoir College on February 28. Ann Taylor of Edenton will serve as the maid of honor. The May Day event will be held May 7.

Nature has given us two ears, two eyes, and but one tongue, to the end that we should hear and see more than we speak. —Socrates.

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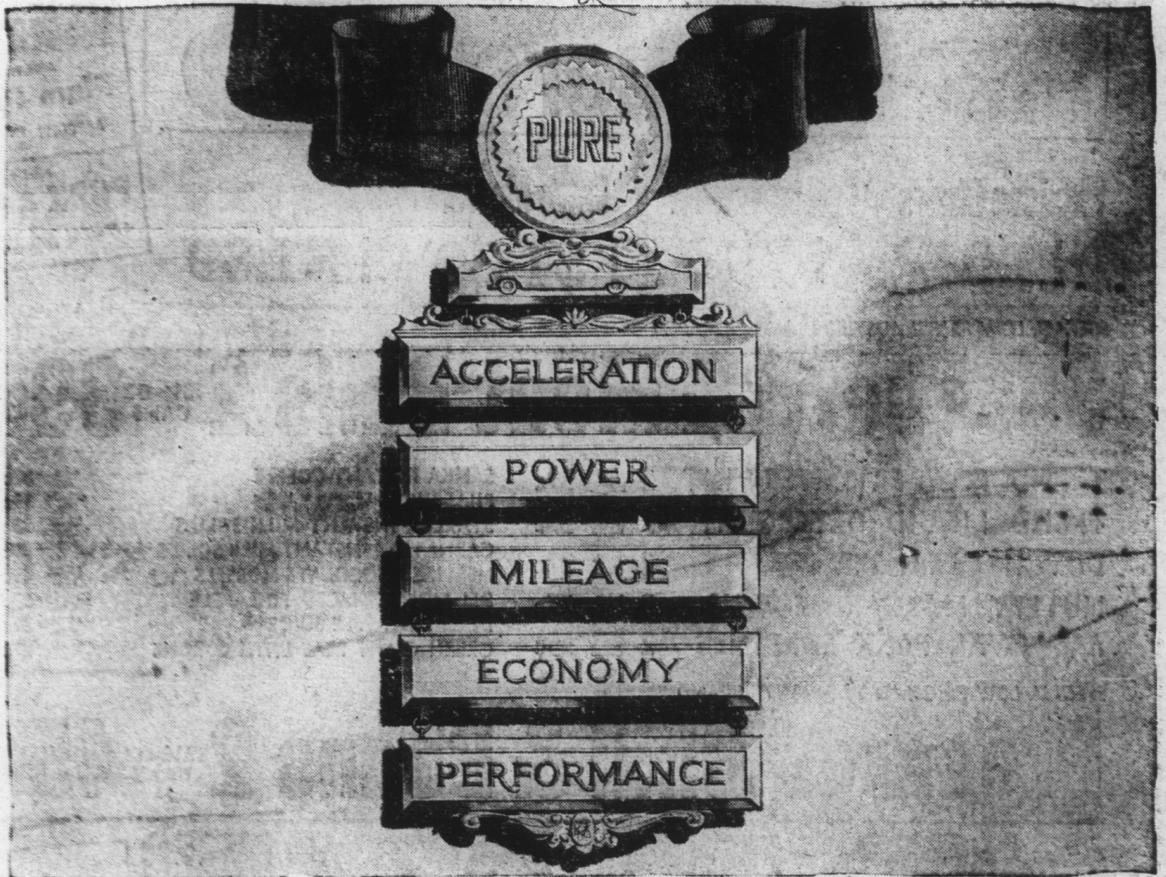
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CUB IS SUB—This lion cub guards the dog pound in Wheeling, W. Va. William Custer, dog warden, hopes that his new "watchdog" will deter vandals who in the past have wrecked the pound and set free his charges.

### FIREMEN MEET TONIGHT

Members of the Edenton Fire Department will hold their monthly dinner meeting tonight (Thursday) at 7 o'clock at the fire station. Fire Chief W. J. Yates asks all members to be present.

There are books of which the backs and covers are by far the best parts. —Charles Dickens.



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