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Annual Membership Drive Of Edenton Chamber Commerce Will Be Held November 2nd

Goal Is Set at \$15,000; Kickoff Meal Wednesday Morning For Captains and Group Of Canvassers

Preparations are now being made to conduct the annual membership drive for the Edenton Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday, November 2. It is hoped to complete the drive in one day under the direction of the co-chairmen, Jesse Harrell of the Edenton Furniture Company and R. S. Atkinson, Jr., executive vice president of Peoples Bank & Trust Company.

A kick-off breakfast Wednesday morning will be held for membership team captains and solicitors who hope to go over the top in their effort to reach the necessary goal of \$15,000, if the Chamber's effectiveness for promoting Edenton's future economic growth is to be maintained.

The following questions and answers will indicate to prospective new members of the Edenton Chamber of Commerce some of the basic functions of a Chamber of Commerce and who may expect to receive benefits:

What Is The Objective Of A Chamber Of Commerce?

There is only one answer to this question — a Chamber of Commerce is predominantly a business organization set up to serve the business interests of the community. To be successful, it should develop increased business for the members, either

20 Years Ago

As Found in the Files of The Chowan Herald

It was announced that a football game between Wake Forest College freshmen and the Norfolk Naval Base Hospital had been arranged as an Armistice Day attraction on Hicks Fields with proceeds going to purchase uniforms for the high school band.

Football fans in Edenton were delighted to learn that Paul Spencer, a former Edenton grid-iron hero, was one of the stars on the Alabama Crimson Tide. Unanimity Lodge No. 7, A. F. & A. M., held an educational program with C. R. Holmes of Hertford as the principal speaker.

Meeting Changed

At the special meeting of Town Council held Monday night it was decided to hold the November meeting on Monday night, November 7, instead of the second Tuesday, November 8. The change was ordered due to the general election, at which time the Council Chamber will be used in counting ballots.

Plans Completed For Annual Halloween Party Monday Night

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The John A. Holmes High School Band will lead the parade, which is under the supervision of the Varsity Club.

Prizes will be given for the best motor and best non-motor floats. Prizes will also be awarded to a boy and a girl for the most original, the most comical and the best costumes.

At the party, sponsored by the Edenton Women's Club, the children will be treated to free hot dogs, candy, gum, witches

Ryland Community Building Started



Pictured above is Hubert Byrum as he lays the first block of cement for the Ryland Community Building which is now in progress. This is one of the projects chosen for community development by Ryland community and sponsored by the Ryland Home Demonstration Club.

Mayor Issues Proclamation For Week Of October 31 Observed Chamber Of Commerce Week

Mayor John A. Mitchener announced today a proclamation declaring the week of October 31 as Chamber of Commerce Week in Edenton. The Mayor's proclamation was issued to coincide with several important Chamber activities which will begin with a banquet meeting for members and their wives, Tuesday night, November 1, at 7 o'clock at the Masonic Temple, which will be followed by the annual membership drive starting Wednesday morning when a kick-off breakfast for the drive's captains and their teams will be held at the Edenton Restaurant.

Advance ticket reservations indicate at least 150 will attend the Chamber banquet. The ladies of the Eastern Star will serve and the main course will be turkey and country ham. John A. Holmes, superintendent of Edenton public schools, will introduce the guest speaker of the evening, Edmund Harding, nationally famous humorist and after dinner speaker whose hometown is Washington, N. C. Bruce F. Jones, president of the Edenton Chamber of Commerce, who will preside as toastmaster, stated that the Chamber was fortunate in being able to have

Mrs. Lena Leary BPW Club Speaker

Points Out The Lack Of Eligible Voters To Cast Ballots

The Edenton Business and Professional Women's Club met for the October meeting in the Barker house. The Public Affairs Committee, with Goldie Niblett, chairman, was in charge. In the absence of Ernest Ward as guest speaker, the parliamentarian, continued on Page 2—Section 1

Meeting Of Library Staff October 28th

Miss Marion Robertson, librarian at Shepard-Pruden Memorial Library, has announced that the regional staff meeting, which was to have been held in Plymouth Wednesday, has been postponed until Friday, October 28. The library will, therefore, be closed all day Friday, October 28.

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Episcopalians Plan Hold Area Services

Rt. Rev. John Hines, Bishop of Texas, Will Speak

Episcopalians throughout the Diocese of East Carolina will be gathering in Plymouth November 2, Goldsboro November 3, and Wilmington November 4 to hear the Rt. Rev. John E. Hines, Bishop of the Diocese of Texas. Bishop Hines will address all the congregations of the diocese in a program of inspiration and witness arranged by the Departments of Evangelism and Promotion. The Rev. George B. Holmes, rector of Saint Paul's Episcopal Church, and the Rev. Charles L. Nienick, rector of Saint Stephen's Episcopal Church (Continued on Page 3—Section 1)

Joins Phthisic's



JOHN SANDERLIN As of Monday of this week John Ervin Sanderlin became associated with Phthisic's Super Market in the capacity of assistant manager. Mr. Sanderlin was formerly employed at the Edenton A & P Store.

Aces Will Take On Ahoskie Indians In Crucial Game Friday

Outcome Might Determine Champions Of Albemarle Conference

With eight consecutive victories to their credit, Edenton's Aces are scheduled to play the Ahoskie Indians in Ahoskie Friday night at 8 o'clock.

The game might be the one to decide the Albemarle Conference Championship, for neither of the teams have been defeated in conference play. According to advance reports and the reports of scouts, the Ahoskie outfit is a very strong team this year, so that a battle royal might be the outcome.

The Aces will go to Ahoskie (Continued on Page 5—Section 1)

Mrs. Maddrey Will Speak At Meeting Of Woman's Club

Edenton Woman's Club will meet Wednesday afternoon, November 2, at 1 o'clock at the Edenton Restaurant. The club will be honored by the presence of Mrs. C. Gordon Maddrey of Ahoskie who is president of the North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. Maddrey will deliver an address with her subject being "The Federation Story". Mrs. J. D. Elliott, president of the Edenton Club, urges all members to be present and especially asks for a 100 per cent paid up for "Dollars For Scholars".

Democrats To Meet Monday

Chowan County Democrats are urged to attend a rally which will be held in the Court House Monday night, October 31, at 8 o'clock.

The principal speaker for the occasion will be Congressman Herbert Bonner and it is hoped the Court House will be filled to overflowing.

Bonner Will Speak At Lions Meeting

Edenton's Lions Club will meet Monday night, October 31, at 7 o'clock at the Edenton Restaurant. A feature of the meeting will be an address by Congressman Herbert Bonner. Following the meeting Mr. Bonner will be the principal speaker at a Democratic rally to be held in the Court House at 8 o'clock.

Register!

Edenton Jaycees are very much concerned about citizens being able to cast a ballot in the general election on Tuesday, November 8. They, therefore, urge every eligible voter to be sure he or she is registered in the proper registration books.

Registrars will be at the various polling places the last time Saturday, October 29 from 9 A. M. until sunset.

Town Council Votes To Boost Price Of All Lots In Cemetery

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Two Authors Meet



At left above is pictured Mrs. Inglis Fletcher and Mrs. Emily Badham Coxe, both authors. Mrs. Coxe, author of "Mother of the Maid," is autographing a copy of her book for Mrs. Fletcher at an open house observed in honor of Mrs. Coxe Tuesday night of last week at the Cupola House, when many people attended to greet Mrs. Coxe, daughter of Mrs. R. P. Badham, and hear a brief address about writing and publishing her book.—(Photo by J. P. Ricks, Jr.)

Barter Players To Present Program In Edenton Oct. 29th

Appear In Elementary School Auditorium Saturday Night At 8 O'clock

A distinguished cast including Jim Mitchum, son of actor Robert Mitchum, will be here with the Barter Players to present "Rumpelstiltskin" Saturday night, October 29, at 8 o'clock in the Edenton Elementary School auditorium.

The world famous Barter Theater of Virginia is being brought here by the Edenton Woman's Club. Tickets are available from club members and will be sold at the door. Admission is children 50 cents and adults \$1.00.

The play is certain to enchant the young in heart and is based on the fairy tale, "Rumpelstiltskin." The story is about the young, beautiful miller's daughter, who is commanded by the king to spin gold out of straw. An introduction to the outstanding members of the cast follows:

Rumpelstiltskin — Richard A. Jones of Gadsden, Ala. Holding a B.S. degree in musical education, he once taught band at the Forsyth County High School at Cumming, Ga., but after two successful seasons with the internationally known Abington, Va., playhouse, he has traded the baton for a veteran actor's make-up kit.

Ingrit—Jim Mitchum. Big as his famous dad and handsome, too, he has appeared in the motion pictures "Thunder Road," "Beat Generation" and "Girl's Town." He has appeared five times on television's "Juke Box Jury" and on the Frank Sinatra (Continued on Page 4, Section 2)

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Hertford Indians Prove An Easy Prey For Edenton Aces

Better Be Careful

Corporal L. S. Meiggs of State Highway Patrol on Tuesday demonstrated a new radar speed checking device which is now in operation in this area. The device is capable of checking speed from patrol cars with no wires or cables crossing the highway.

A demonstration was held on Tuesday morning and among those who watched the demonstration were Recorder Judge Weldon A. Hollowell and Prosecutor William Privott, both of whom approved the accuracy of the new device.

This new contraption has been added by the State Highway Patrol in the interest of promoting safety on the highways by detecting speeders. Its purpose is not to see how many arrests can be made but to reduce speeding, for speed is the main killer on the highways.

Kitchen Shower At Rocky Hock

Announcement has been made that a kitchen shower will be held at the Rocky Hock Community Center Tuesday night, November 1, from 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock.

The purpose of the affair is to secure gifts for the kitchen in the way of pots, pans, silverware, table cloths, wash rags, washing powder and any kind of an item which can be used in a kitchen.

The public is cordially invited to attend and it is hoped many gifts for the kitchen will be realized.

Society Plans Chicken Salad Supper Nov. 3

Sponsored by the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church, a chicken salad supper will be served Thursday, November 3. This supper has been very popular in the past and plates will be delivered from 4 to 6 o'clock. Anyone desiring to buy plates are requested to phone 2665.

Guest Speaker For Auxiliary Meeting

Mrs. Blanche Hudgins of Sunbury, district president of the VFW Auxiliary, will attend the meeting of the VFW Auxiliary, which will be held Thursday night, November 3 at the post home.

Mrs. Hudgins will speak at the meeting, so that Mrs. Doris Toller, president, urges every member to attend.

BAND ASSOCIATION WILL MEET WEDNESDAY, NOV. 2

The Edenton Band Parents Association will meet Wednesday night, November 2, at 8 o'clock in the band room. All members are urged to attend.

Major Mildred C. Bailey Will Be Rotary Meeting Speaker Today

"Women in the United States Armed Forces" will be the subject of discussion at the Rotary Club meeting this (Thursday) afternoon at 1 o'clock in the Parish House.

The program will concern Armed Forces selection standards for women, women's mission in the defense establishment, types of jobs performed, and the contributions that service women are making to National Defense.

The presentation will be made by Major Mildred C. Bailey, the Women's Army Corps Career Guidance Officer for the Third United States Army, with headquarters at Fort McPherson, Ga. Major Bailey will be accompanied by 1st Lieutenant Mattie V.

Edenton Boys Roll Up 51-6 Score Against Ancient Rivals Before Record Crowd

What was expected to be a hard-fought football game developed into a rout Friday night in Hertford when the Edenton Aces ran roughshod over the Perquimans Indians to win 51-6.

The Aces crossed the Perquimans goal line nine times, but a spectacular 55-yard punt return by Tolley was called back due to a clipping penalty. The ball luggers for the eight touchdowns were Hopkins, Tolley, Dixon, Spivey, Forehand and Britton, with Hopkins and Tolley making two each. Hopkins also smashed through the line for four of the extra points, but two were nullified due to the Aces being penalized. Forehand made the other extra point by a beautiful drop kick.

Edenton kicked to start the game and held the Indians to minus six yards in three plays and after punting Hopkins ripped off 44 yards on the first play, and on two more plays he scored a little later.

Late in the first quarter Forehand fell on an Indian fumble on the Edenton 40, Dixon, Hopkins and Tolley alternated in carrying the ball to the Hertford 35, from where Tolley skirted right end to go the distance. Before the quarter ended Tolley gathered in a punt and raced 55 yards in a touchdown, but it was nullified because of a clipping penalty. The third touchdown was made early in the second quarter when another Indian fumble was recovered. (Continued on Page 3, Section 3)

Great Pocahontas Will Visit Edenton

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

A feature of the meeting will be a visit of the Great Pocahontas, Mrs. Elizabeth Berkelheimer of Charlotte, who will speak during the meeting.

Dinner will be served in the hall at 6:45 o'clock and Miss Bernice Brooks, Pocahontas, urges all members to attend.

CIVIC CALENDAR

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World famous Barter Players of Abington, Va., will present "Rumpelstiltskin" in the Elementary School auditorium Saturday night, October 29, at 8 o'clock.

Center Hill Junior 4-H Club will hold a Halloween party Saturday night, October 29. A community improvement meeting will be held at the Advance Community Building Friday night, October 28, at 7:30 o'clock.

Registrars will sit at the various polling places the last time Saturday, October 29 from 9 A. M. until sunset. (Continued on Page 4—Section 1)

Rotary Guest



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Improvement Meeting At Advance Oct. 28

The Advance Community Improvement meeting will be held Friday night, October 28, at 7:30 o'clock at the Advance Community Building. All people in the community are urged to attend.

Guest Speaker



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