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A LIFT FOR TODAY

He that overcometh shall inherit all things; and I will be his God, and he shall be my son.—Rev. 21:7.

Divinely endowed with intelligence and understanding, we as Christians should develop these abilities so that God may express his power and love through us. Let us remember that we are a vital part of God's plan for His work in this world, and that with His presence, we can achieve our goal of good, becoming the children of the living God.

For Thy sustaining grace and love, we thank Thee, O God.

Not Much Encouragement

Approximately 25 representatives from six northeastern counties gathered at a luncheon meeting at the Edenton Restaurant Tuesday afternoon, the primary purpose of which was to get some encouragement about the improvement of U. S. highway 17 from the Virginia state line south. The need for improving this highway is obvious in the face of construction of the Chesapeake Bay bridge and tunnel.

Present at the meeting were Merriel Evans, chairman of the North Carolina State Highway Commission and William F. Babcock, director of the Highway Commission. The need for improving highways leading to and from the bridge-tunnel was emphatically brought out by a number of speakers, especially by Edwin R. Mac Kethan of the National Bank of Commerce of Norfolk. Mr. Mac Kethan presented a group of charts showing the impact the expected vehicular traffic increase will have on Northeastern North Carolina. The Norfolk area has grown more than any metropolitan area, he pointed out, and with this added traffic Northeastern North Carolina will be vitally affected. It will, he pointed out, cause expansion of residential facilities, increase tourist travel and have a vital bearing on industrialization. "Opportunity is knocking," he said, "What will we do about it?" Though the majority of the group anticipated definite commitments from Evans and Babcock, these commitments were not forthcoming, however.

Mr. Babcock stated that the present Highway Commission, which is subject to change, would not attempt to adopt priority work on highways. He stated that there are many facets in connection with highway improvements and that the Commission tries to analyze proposals as the need arises.

Mr. Evans, while admitting the importance and need for improvements to U. S. 17, advanced the idea that the northeastern counties should come together and work for mutual development. He said this section is blessed with natural resources which have yet been undeveloped and that U. S. 17 cannot take care of all the facilities if properly developed. He stated, however, that U. S. 17 improvements will be given serious consideration. He said he did not know the policy of the proposed new Highway Commission, but if he has anything to do with it, he will work for the improvements, for he is interested in the total development of North Carolina.

Well, Northeastern North Carolina, for many years was more or less divorced from North Carolina, but now it is as easily accessible as any other part of the state, and is a major part of the state, in some cases, especially when election time rolls around. So that what helps and benefits these northeastern counties, obviously benefits the state as a whole.

If all information regarding the expected increased vehicular traffic due to the construction of the bridge-tunnel materializes, there is little doubt but that this section will be vitally affected, and if our highways are not adequate the section, of course, will be the loser.

It is hoped the Highway Commission will seriously consider the needed highway improvements and that U. S. 17 will be made the sort of highway it should be.

If you want to be highly recommended let somebody else say the word.

The better the speaker, the smaller and more understandable the words he uses.

Did you ever stop to think how bad the situation would be if everybody agreed with you?

Those who violate the law should not object to the penalty.

Heard & Seen By Buff

In a recent church bulletin the following item appeared: "Come to church next Sunday and avoid the Easter rush." The notice was not in an Edenton church bulletin, but the invitation applies here just as well, for if the weather is favorable all of the front pews in all of the churches will, no doubt, get a dusting off.

At the Post Office the other day a colored woman walked up to the window and asked for a 4-cent stamp. The stamp was handed to her, upon which she asked "How much is it?" Well, everything else is going up, so maybe she just wanted to know if the price increased.

If anybody thinks the job of Mayor of Edenton doesn't require a lot of a fellow's time, just check up on Mayor John Mitchener, who used to be more or less of a permanent fixture in his drug store. But the other day when he walked in the store the Missus approached him and asked, "Can I wait on you, sir?"

John Shackelford last week gave me information about a story having to do with the Chowan Red Cross drive. John said Murray Lynch, Jr., was serving as chairman, but not having lived in Edenton as long as I have, I thought he made a mistake and wrote "Lynch" instead of Tynch. He promptly informed me that the name of the chairman is "Murray Lynch, Jr." and not "Murray Tynch, Jr." As I've said before, time was when a fellow knew just about everybody in Edenton. I thought John miscued, but I'm the guy who miscued. Anyway, Murray Lynch, Jr., as chairman, hopes Chowan County will come across with the Red Cross quota.

And I'm in for another bawling out, for Mrs. Corinne Thorud asked me to insert another box on the front page appealing for old items to be displayed in store windows during the Pilgrimage of Colonial Edenton and Countryside. Well, here I'm writing this column with the remainder of the paper ready for the press and just remembered that I failed to remember to put in the box. Anyway, Mrs. Thorud says the Woman's Club has had some response, but many more items are needed to provide creditable window displays. Anything old, except old men and women, is wanted to make up these displays, so if you will loan the ladies anything, please contact Mrs. Thorud, Mrs. Ed Bond or Mrs. Gilliam Wood.

Then the Rev. Gordon Shaw, pastor of Macedonia Baptist Church, asked me to put in another notice about the Macedonia Church revival which will begin Monday night, March 27, at 7:30 o'clock. This, too, I failed to remember to do. Well, as the years crawl on, a fellow just cannot remember as well as when he was younger. Anyway, the omission of the two items was not intentional, and I hope I'll not be chastized too severely.

The other day two ladies were strolling along when one of them asked the other, "Is your husband out of town?" But much to the surprise of the questioner, the other lady replied, "Well just whose husband are you checking on—yours or mine?" Might be a complicated affair.

County Commissioners, meeting as a Board of Equalization and Review, were quite agreeably surprised Monday. They met, expecting to hear a lot of bellyaching but instead they had no complaints about the valuation of property. In fact, much to their surprise, one fellow almost asked to have his property valuation increased a bit. Well, maybe some folks figured, what's the use to complain?

Horace Cohoon, Perquimans Game Protector, presented a splendid film about quail at last week's Rotary meeting. George Lewis was a visitor and Charlie Overman told him, "George, take a good look at the shooting in this film, for you can't shoot a quail in the air." Which reminds me that Charlie some time back was telling about a hunting trip he made and couldn't hit a bird. But Charlie blamed it on the dogs.

An election will be held in Edenton Tuesday, May 2, when town officials will be elected. Up to this writing there has been very few squeaks about who will be in the race, but there are some who think there will be a grand scramble for the various offices to be filled. Some announcements should be forthcoming before long. The deadline to file is 6 o'clock Tuesday night, April 25.

Sgt. Earl Gardner, caretaker of the Edenton base, issues a warning that youngsters should heed. Gardner tells me that some youngsters ride in the base property on bicycles and have damaged property. He says steps are being taken to apprehend these bicycle riders and



DOG'S BEST FRIEND—After the female German shepherd had been marooned on the Lake Michigan ice for a day, humane officers took to the air. Using a helicopter, they shepherded the shepherd to the Chicago shore, left. But not far from land, the ice gave way. Using a lasso, officer plucked dog from the water, right, and airlifted it to safety.

if apprehended will be prosecuted. He asked me to urge parents to warn their children to discontinue this practice unless they want to see their offspring get into a peck of trouble. Sheriff Earl Goodwin has also been notified and will be on the lookout.

Elementary School Lunch Room Menu

Menus at the Edenton Elementary School lunch room for the week of March 27-31 will be as follows:

Monday: Smoked sausage, butter, California dried beans, milk, candied yams, cornbread, chocolate pudding.

Tuesday: Spaghetti with meat balls, green beans, pineapple, carrot sticks, milk, butter, school baked rolls.

Wednesday: Beef vegetable soup, crackers, peanut butter sandwiches, block cake, milk.

Thursday: Roast beef, turnip greens, gravy, school baked rolls, creamed potatoes, peach pie, butter, milk.

Friday: Fish sticks, buttered corn, cole slaw, apple sauce, cornbread, school baked cookies, butter, milk.

I have been driven many times to my knees by the overwhelming conviction that I had nowhere else to go.

—Abraham Lincoln.

Health For All

Keep On Your Feet

Automobile accidents hit the headlines, but actually more people sixty-five and older die from

falls and their complications than auto accidents. Falls are especially dangerous for older people, and older people are especially likely to fall.

Here are some fall-prevention hints for the elderly:

—When going up or down stairs, don't take one step with each



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foot, but put both feet on a step before going on to the next one.

—Keep a night light burning all night in the bathroom and the bedroom.

—Don't get out of bed too quickly or you may get dizzy and fall. Sit on the edge of the bed for a while before standing up.

—Elderly people tend to shuffle along, so that they trip over small objects like thresholds, doormats and rug corners. Make a special effort to lift your feet when you walk.

—Don't watch your feet through the lower part of bifocals, since things you look at that way will become blurred.

—Use a rubber suction mat in bathtub or shower and install handholds on the wall.

—If you've been sitting for a while and a leg has gone to

sleep, be sure to hold on to something when you stand up. Don't climb on the table, chair or even the stepstool to reach something high up. Either wait until somebody comes to get things down for you or, if you live alone, keep everything where you can reach it with both feet in the ground.



Raleigh — The Motor Vehicles Department's summary of traffic deaths through 10 A. M., Monday, March 20, 1961, follows:

Killed To Date . . . 187
Killed To Date Last Year . . . 200

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