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A LIFT FOR TODAY

Ye are the light of the world.—Matt. 5:14.
High living is simply purity of heart, and only by living the Gospel can we effectively lift up our hearts. O God, that we may love only those things that have their source in eternal life, both for ourselves and for others.

Hotel Continues Operation

It is interesting to note that Chowan County Commissioners and Haughton Ehringhaus have reached successful negotiations for continued operation of Hotel Joseph Hewes.

Edenton needs a hotel, but the County Commissioners cannot legally operate a hotel, for they are not in the hotel business. They purchased the hotel property about a year ago at a ridiculously low price primarily to eliminate the necessity for having county offices scattered all over town and, of course, a sizeable amount paid out annually for rent.

However, the hotel has more room than is needed for office space, so that an arrangement has been made for Mr. Ehringhaus to use all of the space not needed by the county for hotel purposes. The arrangement also calls for Mr. Ehringhaus to surrender any part of the hotel if and when it will be needed to house county offices.

The arrangement should be satisfactory, for the Commissioners will have ample room for office space and at the same time Edenton will not be without hotel accommodations, an asset to any town.

The hotel has not been a paying proposition in Edenton for a number of years, but Mr. Ehringhaus appears very optimistic that in the not too distant future business will greatly increase. It is to be hoped his vision will materialize and that any sacrifice he makes will be compensated by a flourishing business and further that he will derive no little satisfaction in the fact that he was not willing to allow a hotel in Edenton to go out of existence.

A group of Edenton merchants, too, apparently feel optimistic about the future of a hotel. Ten of them came to the aid of Mr. Ehringhaus to underwrite the purchase of hotel furnishings, without which Mr. Ehringhaus could not have continued operation. There were also other merchants who would have joined in the underwriting of the purchase.

The general feeling in Edenton is that a hotel is very essential, so that the County Commissioners and Mr. Ehringhaus are to be commended in reaching an agreement whereby a hotel in Edenton will continue in operation.

Welcome

Continental Baking Company's announcement, carried in last week's Chowan Herald, of their purchase of the Albemarle Peanut Company caught most of us by surprise. It was a nice surprise and they are a most welcome addition to our community. It is also good news that they plan to use the same employees and to maintain the same management.

Continental, a giant in their field, can mean much to Edenton and the surrounding territory. Although they are primarily bakers, we hope that they will like Edenton and some time in the future broaden their field of operations.

The Chowan Herald in their welcome also speaks for the business and professional people of the town. We are sure that they, too, wish to cooperate with our new industry.

And in passing, a great deal of credit for the present situation is due A. C. Boyce. It was largely due to Mr. Boyce that the Albemarle Peanut Company continued in business a few years ago when, but for his investment, the concern would have gone out of business.

There are people in the United States today yelling their heads off in praise of democracy without having ever understood what democracy means.

Parents of young children should find time to teach their courtesy and good manners despite the press of other things.

A little prominence does not go to the head of a really prominent person.

You may have any number of good excuses for not doing something, but nobody is interested in any of them.

Heard & Seen

By Buff

Gilliam Wood is a very considerate person. Take last Thursday, for instance when he was passing out cigars due to an addition to his family. Mr. and Mrs. Wood had just adopted another child—a 10-pound boy and Gilliam, at the Rotary meeting, insisted that I take two cigars. "I was supposed to take one to your office," he said, "so you can take that one here which will save me a trip down town." Newly-made daddies, take notice!

I've heard of lazy fishermen, some of whom didn't care if they got a bite or not because it would be necessary to take a fish off a hook and bait it up again. Well Bill Stallings isn't exactly lazy when it comes to fishing, but he doesn't have to pay as much attention to his cork as most fishermen. Bill, the way I get it, has a dog which religiously watches the corks and as soon as one goes under the water he gives out a healthy bark. At that rate, Bill ought to be able to enjoy reading as well as fishing if he takes his dog along.

Lieut-Col. Ted Boutwell, who has been stationed in Okinawa with the Marines, dropped me a few lines this week saying that he expects to depart from Okinawa during the early part of September for a bit of leave to be with his wife and children who are now living at Green Cove Springs, Florida. He then will be sent to Cherry Point, N. C., for duty with the 2nd Marine Air Wing. "I have really enjoyed your weekly report of news about Edenton and Chowan County," wrote Ted. "Please discontinue The Herald until further notice. I'll send you my correct address at Cherry Point as soon as I get settled."

Edenton lost another very fine family Tuesday when Murray B. Lynch, Jr., and his family moved to Washington, N. C. Mr. Lynch has for about a year worked in Edenton for the Federated Mutual Insurance Company, but has purchased an interest in an insurance agency in Washington. In having the address for his Chowan Herald changed, Mr. Lynch said he regrets very much to leave Edenton, but that he could not pass up the opportunity in Washington. We all hate to see folks leave Edenton, but sometimes the grass is greener in other parts.

I've been called out of the office many times to look at a nice string of fish, a large snake, freak vegetables, etc., but Jimmy Oglesby the other day called me out to look at a sack which was filled with bugs. Mr. and Mrs. Oglesby have been tormented like the dickens at their cottage along Chowan River due to bugs, gnats, mosquitoes and just about any kind of insect that flies. Jimmy got sick and tired of being tormented so he bought a contraption composed principally of a light blue light, a fan and a bag to catch the pesky insects. The light attracts the insects and then they are sucked into the bag by the fan. At one time so many gnats stuck to the opening that the fan kicked up a noise and Jimmy thought a bearing had burned out. Anyway, with so many bugs put out of commission at Jimmy's cottage there should have been a little less slamming and banging and maybe a little cussin' in the bargain.

It must cause a big thrill when a baseball player hits out a home run with the bases loaded, but just as much of a thrill came upon Cecil Fry one day last week. Cecil was playing golf on the Plymouth golf course with Medlin Belch, Jimmie Johnston and Carlton Goodwin. Cecil made a hole-in-one during the game, so that he is eligible for the Hole-In-One Club.

I've heard of a couple instances of "peeping toms" in town recently. From what I understand whoever these "peeping toms" are, they might give someone an opportunity to peep at their "southern extremity" through holes in their pants caused from shot coming from a shot gun. Well, they would deserve it and here's one who has a shot gun which has not been used to shoot game in a long time. A "peeping tom" would provide an excellent opportunity to see if the gun still works.

Though the weather hasn't been altogether of the football type, Coach Bill Billings began practice sessions Tuesday to whip into shape the Edenton Aces for the 1961 grid-iron season. Of course, it's hard work for the boys, but it takes hard work to develop a good football machine. What the boys do in training now will be reflected in the way they play when they meet opposition for the conference crown. The Aces meet Camden on Hicks Field Friday night, September 1, in the first game of the season—and that is not far away. The majorettes have a jump on the Aces, for the gals have been practicing a few weeks in anticipation of providing color and entertainment at the football games.

Varsity Club Trims All-Stars

Edenton's Varsity Club won a softball game Monday night when they defeated an all-star team picked from the softball league. The score was 13-6.

Dr. Richard Hardin went the route on the mound for the Varsity Club and was greatly aided in winning by heavy clouting on the part of his teammates. Al Phillips and Tommy Bass contributed by hitting three-run homers and Leo Katakavech also was a heavy hitter.

Bill Easterling started on the mound for the All-Stars, but was relieved by Johnny Owens in the final frame. Paul Stanton hit a two-run homer for the All-Stars.

The All-Star outfit was composed of Bill Easterling, Pete Dale, Paul Stanton and Britton Byrum of the Jaycees; Frank Bunch, Errel Griffin, Johnny Owens, Leroy Spivey and Dickie Cobb of P & Q; Edgar Roger, Murray Wheeler, Fred Keeter and John Earl Whitson of the Red Men.

Playing for the Varsity Club were Tom Shepard, Dick Hardin, George Lewis, Allen Harless, Tommy Bass, Leo Katakavech, Al Phillips, Bill Cozart, Joe Thorud, Nick George and Cecil Fry.

John A. Bunch Dies Suddenly Tuesday

John Adams Bunch, 56, died suddenly as the result of a heart attack Tuesday night about 7:30 o'clock. Death occurred at his hunting camp near Bethel in Perquimans County.

A native of Chowan County, he was a son of the late William and Viola Winborne Bunch.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mary Arrington Burton Bunch; a son, Ben Bunch; a brother, William W. Bunch; four sisters, Mrs. W. I. Hart, Mrs. Marguerite B. Burch, Mrs. Ray Hollowell and Mrs. John Fernando White.

He was a member of the Edenton Methodist Church. Funeral services will be held at the Willford Funeral Home this (Thursday) morning at 11 o'clock. The Rev. Van T. Crawford, pastor of the Methodists.

Lewis Chairman Of Farm Bureau's '61 Drive For Members

Church will officiate. Burial will be in Beaver Hill Cemetery.

President Woodrow Lowe and the Board of Directors of Chowan County Farm Bureau have appointed George Lewis of Edenton to head the County Farm Bureau membership drive for this year and have accepted a county membership goal of 235. Chairman Lewis has stated that he looks forward to seeing all members renew their membership and to seeing many farmers join Farm Bureau this year for the first time. Renewal notices are now being sent out and everyone is urged to use this method of renewing their Farm Bureau membership. "To be effective in the development and execution of Farm Bureau policies, a large collective voice speaking for agriculture is required," Chairman Lewis points out. "The more members Farm Bureau has the stronger will be the voice of agriculture in our legislative halls, both in North Carolina and in Congress."

Local Police Made 39 Arrests In July

Chief of Police George I. Dail reports that Edenton police made a total of 39 arrests during July. Of these arrests, 31 were found guilty as charged and five turned over to Norfolk and Martin County authorities.

Those arrested included 20 white males, four white females, 14 colored males and one colored female. Fines amounted to \$52.50 and costs \$241.80 for a total of \$294.30. Of this amount \$108 represented officers' fees and was turned back to the town.

Activities during the month included 68 calls investigated, six accidents investigated, one automobile recovered, six funerals worked, 12 courtesies extended, 24 doors found unlocked, 1,015 traffic citations issued and 20 lights reported out.

The police made 1,054 radio calls and were on the air one hour, 27 minutes and 50 seconds.

Wheat Referendum Thursday, Aug. 24

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Wheat will cut 1962 wheat acreage allotments by 10 percent across the nation. If wheat marketing quotas are approved, co-operators will be eligible for 1962 wheat price supports expected to be around \$2.00 a bushel. The present support level is \$1.79, which is 75 percent of parity.

If quotas are not approved, there will be no limit on marketing, but support at 50 percent of parity would be available to farmers who comply with their wheat acreage allotments.

Goal of the new program is to reduce government stocks of wheat—now at nearly 1 1/4 billion bushels—by 100 million bushels. Estimated savings to taxpayers would be \$50 million the first crop year.

Farmers will be voting at local polling places throughout the 39-state commercial wheat area. The county ASC Committee will have charge of the referendum locally. In Chowan County they will cast ballots at the County ASC Office.

Over 350 Attend Go-Kart Races

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Super A Junior Class—Ronnie Heath of Washington, N. C.

Junior Class—1st, Bray from Virginia Beach; 2nd, Randy Williams of Rocky Mount; 3rd, J. S. Stryon of Virginia Beach.

Class 2—1st, Gene Ashley of Edenton; 2nd, Ralph Ward of Norfolk.

Class 3—1st, Jimmy Ashley of Edenton; 2nd, Carroll Palmer of Virginia Beach.

Class 4—1st, Wayne Ashley of Edenton; 2nd, Bill Easterling of Edenton.

Class 5—1st, P. C. Ashley of Edenton; 2nd, Billy Vosila of Virginia Beach.

ATTEND TRAINING SCHOOL

Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Long, J. Codespoti, and Anthony Lee Molchan of Edenton were among the delegates from the local congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses who attended an advanced Bible training school in Tarboro this past week-end. A highlight of the assembly took place Saturday afternoon when twelve were baptized.

Mrs. C. N. Keeter Dies After Lengthy Illness

Mrs. Hilda Frances Keeter, 60, died at her home in the Macedonia section Wednesday afternoon of last week at 2:09 o'clock after an illness of several years. She was a native of Bertie County but lived in Chowan County 19 years.

Surviving are her husband, Charles Norman Keeter; three sons, Calvin Keeter of Elizabeth City, Lewis Keeter at home and T-Sgt. Aubrey C. Keeter, stationed at San Angelo, Texas; three daughters, Mrs. Frances Lane, Mrs. Eunice Hughes and Miss Mary Alice Keeter, all of Edenton; a brother, Tommy Langdale of Galveston, Texas; two sisters, Mrs. Blanche Matthews and Mrs. Daisy Hasty of Portsmouth; a half sister, Mrs. May Hassell of Edenton, and 10 grandchildren.

She was a member of Macedonia Baptist Church, where funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The pastor, the Rev. Gordon Shaw, officiated and burial was in Beaver Hill Cemetery.

Record Production Soybeans Expected

Based on reports from growers as of August 1, the 1961 North Carolina soybean crop is expected to amount to an all-time record high of 13,708,000 bushels. A turnout of this size would exceed the previous record crop, produced last year, of 11,902,000 bushels by 15 percent. This year's crop will be harvested from an estimated 596,000 acres, or 67,000 acres more than was harvested last year.

Yield per acre from the 1961 crop is forecast at 23 bushels which equals the record yield produced in 1958.

TO ATTEND GIFT SHOW

Mrs. Percy Smith will leave Edenton Sunday morning for New York, where she will attend the New York Gift Show.

Classified Ads

TARTAR REDUCED BY SALT in OLAG Tooth Paste. At all drug stores.

WANTED AT ONCE—Rawleigh Dealer in Chowan County. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. NCH-210-3, Richmond, Va. Aug 3, 10, 17, 24, 31p

WANTED MAN OR WOMAN SPARE TIME To refill and collect money from our machines dispensing Hersheys, Gum and Sport Cards in this area. Easy to do. Excellent income. \$440.00 cash required secured by inventory. Include phone number. Write P. O. Box 2745, Asheville, North Carolina. aug17,24c

FOR RENT — TWO HOUSES, two bedrooms each. \$45 per month. Phone 3218. Aug10tfc

FOR SALE — NORGE OIL heater, 150 gallon tank on stand; Westinghouse electric stove and refrigerator; Dexter wringer-type washing machine; 25-inch lawn mower; 5-piece chrome dinette suite. All in good condition. Contact or write James I. Maxwell, Box 416, Leigh Street, Westover Heights, Edenton. Aug10,17pd

FOR SALE — FIVE PUREBRED Hampshire boar pigs. Ready for service. Contact Lloyd Evans, Hertford, Route 1. Aug10,17pd

FOR SALE — MRS. CLYDE BERRY'S homeplace, near the Macedonia section about 5 miles from Edenton. Ten acres, about three acres cleared. Contact Mrs. Clyde Berry, 213 S. Tillery Street, Rocky Mount, N. C., or phone Rocky Mount GI 2-3906. Aug3,10,17,24c

APARTMENT FOR RENT—Call Jackson's Radio Service. Phone 3519. Aug17,24c

FOR SALE—GOOD USED GAS ranges as low as \$35.00. Western Gas Service. Phone 3122, Edenton. June2tfc

WOMAN WHO CAN DRIVE—If you would enjoy working 3 or 4 hours a day calling regularly each month on a group of Studio Girl Cosmetic clients on a route to be established in and around Edenton, and are willing to make light deliveries, etc., write to STUDIO GIRL COSMETICS, Dept. AUW-32, Glendale, California. Route will pay up to \$5.00 per hour. aug17,24,31c

FOR SALE — Collard Plants, Fall Garden Seeds, Bug Dust, Peat Moss and Feeds. "Have Truck, Will Travel." Thanks for everything. Halsey Feed & Seed Store. 1tc

FREE—SEVERAL PUPPIES in need of a home. Will be given to anyone who will give them a good home. Good pets for children. Call 3372 or 4327. 1tc

FOR SALE — UPRIGHT PIANO in good condition. Reasonably priced. Call 2865. Aug17,24,31pd

EX-SCHOOL TEACHER WHO has some knowledge of typing and bookkeeping desires part time work. Contact Editor of The Chowan Herald. Aug17,24c

FOR SALE—ONE 2-ROW NEW Idea Corn Picker, pull type; one peanut belt conveyor; one corn conveyor. Contact Wallace Chappell, Route 1, Belvidere. exSept7,p

BULLDOZER WORK — LAND clearing and dirt pushing. Phone 2956, Clarence Lupton. ttc

FOR SALE — TWO-BEDROOM home, 116 Morris Circle. Contact E. W. Spires, Real Estate Broker. expSept7,c

FOR SALE—ELECTRIC STOVE and refrigerator in good condition. Will sell cheap. Call 3472, Edenton. Jultfc

FOR RENT — FOUR-BEDROOM cottage on ocean side at Nags Head. Call Robert C. Powell. Phone 2523 day or 3581 at night. July13tfc

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FOR SALE OR RENT—2 AND 3-bedroom houses on mail and school bus route. Two miles from Edenton. Apply L. E. Francis, Route 3, Edenton. Phone 3472. Mar9tfc

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