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Mrs. Elton Forehand, Jr. Installed New President Of Edenton Woman's Club

Mrs. R. H. Vaughan, First President of Club, Installs New Officers

New officers of the Edenton Woman's Club were installed at a luncheon meeting of the club Wednesday of last week at the Edenton Restaurant. The installation was in charge of the club's first president, Mrs. Roland H. Vaughan.

Mrs. R. H. Forehand, Jr., was installed as president; Mrs. Edward G. Bond, vice president; Mrs. R. L. Bunch, secretary; Mrs. J. H. Woolard, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Leo Katkaveck, treasurer, and Mrs. Wendell Copeland, historian.

Mrs. Vaughan on behalf of former presidents of the club presented to the club in honor of Mrs. W. J. P. Earnhardt a check for a tree to be planted on the Court House square as part of the club's beautification program.

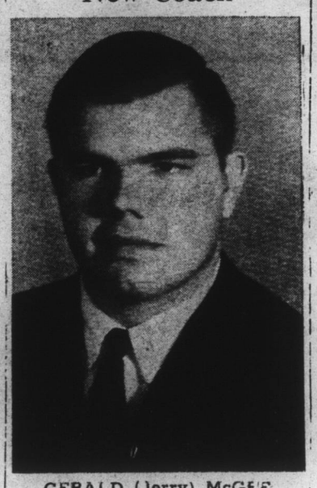
Mrs. W. H. Hollowell, Jr., retiring president, announced that 10 members are expected to attend the State Woman's Club Convention May 16-18 in Winston-Salem.

It was reported that to date $763 had been collected during the Cancer Drive, sponsored by the club. The recent baby contest sponsored by the club was a success with over $360 raised.

Roger Lamb, the club entry, won first place in the District Music Contest and received an excellent rating at the State Contest in Raleigh.

Following the business session the annual meeting was held at which time the president's and treasurer's reports were presented. As a gift of appreciation the club presented Mrs. Hollowell with a silver pitcher.

New Coach



GERALD (Jerry) McGEE

Announcement was made this week that Gerald (Jerry) Morrison McGee had been employed as teacher and football coach at John A. Holmes High School for the 1962-63 school year. He will succeed William D. Billings, who recently resigned.

Democrats Hold County Convention Saturday, May 12

Delegates Will Be Selected to State Convention in Raleigh Thursday, May 17

Democrats of Chowan County will hold their county convention Saturday afternoon, May 12, at 3 o'clock in the Court House.

At precinct meetings held last Saturday delegates to the County Convention were elected and each one is expected to attend the County Convention next Saturday to represent his or her precinct.

At the County Convention it will be the purpose to consider the plan of organization of the Democratic party for the forthcoming election and to elect delegates to the State Democratic Convention. The state convention will be held in Memorial Auditorium in Raleigh Thursday, May 17, beginning at 12 o'clock noon.

AWARD AUDIT CONTRACT

Chowan County Commissioners on Monday morning awarded a contract for auditing the county books. The contract was given to Holland & Warren.

Plan Joint Farm Bureau Facilities

Standard Printing Co. ex 220-230 S First St.

Pictured above is a committee appointed to study the possibilities of setting up joint tri-county facilities to serve Chowan, Perquimans and Gates County Farm Bureaus. Front row, left to right, Clifford Winslow, president of Perquimans County Farm Bureau; Woodrow Lowe, president of Chowan County Farm Bureau; Alfred Junior Stallings, Gates County Farm Bureau member; Frank Russell, president of Gates County Farm Bureau. Back row, Rollo White, Perquimans County and Tom Asbell, Chowan County board member.

Herbert Hollowell Elected President By Edenton Lions

Group of Officers to Be Installed at First Meeting of Club In July

Edenton's Lions Club elected new officers at the meeting held Monday night at the Edenton Restaurant. Herbert Hollowell, Jr., was elected as president to succeed John Mitchener.

Other officers elected were: First vice president, Dr. A. F. Downum; second vice president, Joe Thorud; third vice president, Dr. Richard Hardin; Lion tamer, Lewis Leary; tail twister, George Lewis; secretary-treasurer, W. J. Taylor; chorister, J. Clarence Leary, and directors for two years, West Leary and William S. Privott.

This group of officers will be installed at the first meeting of the club in July.

At Monday night's meeting it was announced that the Easter Seal drive will be closed Tuesday, May 15. It was reported that contributions are lagging with only $658 collected toward a goal of $1,000. W. E. Malone, chairman of the drive, asks all to return seals or contributions as soon as possible to Haywood Bunch, treasurer. The money will be used for crippled children and work among the blind, so it is hoped a sizeable amount will be returned before May 15.

Episcopalians Will Meet At St. Paul's May 16-17 For Diocesan Convention

Two Day Program Is Arranged For Some 200 Delegates Expected to Attend

The 79th annual convention of the Episcopal Diocese of East Carolina will be held at St. Paul's Church May 16 and 17. Nearly 200 delegates and clergy are expected to attend.

The Rt. Rev. Daniel Corrigan, D.D., director of the National Council's Home Department will be guest speaker. He was Suffragan Bishop of Colorado before his appointment as director in 1960. As head of the department he directs domestic missions, college work, armed forces and Christian ministries.

The two day program will begin with the celebration of Holy Communion Wednesday at 11 A. M., at which time the Rt. Rev. Thomas H. Wright, Bishop of East Carolina, will deliver his address.

Following a luncheon at the parish house a business session will be held. Of particular importance is the consideration of the new Stewardship Studies, whereby the diocesan apportionment may be abolished.

A banquet will be held at 6:30 P. M. A recital will be rendered by the St. Mary's Bell Ringing Choir of Kinston prior to the evening prayer service. The Rt. Rev. Corrigan will speak at this service.

Thursday will begin with Holy Communion at 7:30 A. M. Two business sessions and a luncheon are on the agenda.

The Rev. George B. Holmes is in charge of arrangements for the convention. The first annual convention ever held in Edenton was in 1820 at which time there were five churches and 7 clergymen represented.

Resigns

MISS CATHERINE AMAN

At Monday's meeting of Chowan County Commissioners Miss Catherine Aman tendered her resignation as assistant home economics agent for Chowan County. Her resignation will be effective as of May 31.

47 JAILED IN APRIL

Jailer Bertram Byrum reports that 47 persons were placed in the Chowan County Jail during the month of April. Confinements ranged from one to six days with the expense, including jail and turnkey fees and soap, amounting to $279.77.

Three Counties Consider Merging Farm Bureaus In Effort To Expand Service

Committee Will Make Report at Meeting at Hobbsville Thursday May 17

Presidents and directors of Farm Bureaus in Chowan, Perquimans and Gates Counties met recently in Edenton to discuss the possibility of merging their offices and having one office for the three counties centrally located to serve each bureau.

The group appointed a committee representing each county for the purpose of making a study of the plan which met Tuesday night of this week. Their recommendation will be presented at another meeting of the three-county board which will meet at Hobbsville Thursday, May 17 to consider where the central office will be located.

The purpose of the combining of the three counties' farm bureaus is an effort to expand the service to the members in each of the counties. There are approximately 600 Farm Bureau members in the counties of Perquimans, Chowan and Gates.

Mrs. J. L. Chestnutt Elected President Legion Auxiliary

Jo Ann Leary, Judy Haste, Nelia Lowe Selected to Attend Girls State

The Edward G. Bond Unit No. 40, American Legion Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. Jessie Porter Thursday night, May 3, with eleven members present.

The meeting opened in the usual manner with the chaplain, Mrs. Mary Leary, leading in prayer.

The roll was called and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The treasurer gave a report.

Girls selected to attend Girls' State are Judy Haste from Chowan High and Nelia Lowe and Jo Ann Leary from John A. Holmes High School.

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Legion Honors R. E. Leary As Champ Membership Producer

Roy E. Leary was signally honored at last week's meeting of Ed Bond Post No. 40 of the American Legion when he was presented a citation of the "Well Done Flag Hat Pin" as champion membership producer of the post. Mr. Leary turned in 39 paid members to the post adjutant, Skinner White.

The honor was bestowed upon Mr. Leary by Alexander E. De Blois, Chairman of the 1962 membership committee, who presided over the meeting in the absence of Robert Powell. Mr. De Blois stated that the two flags are the allied naval code for the letters B (Bravo) and Z (Zula)), which together mean Well Done.

"As a Navy veteran," said Mr. De Blois, "I know of no better way to describe your accomplishment in the 1962 membership program. You have helped the American Legion to achieve one of its primary objectives—to strengthen itself for the tasks which lie ahead."

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Jerry McGee Secured As Coach To Succeed William D. Billings

The board of trustees of the Edenton City Schools elected Gerald (Jerry) Morrison McGee as teacher and head football coach in the John A. Holmes High School for the school year 1962-1963. He will succeed Coach William D. Billings, who recently resigned to accept a position in Delaware.

Mr. McGee was born in Washington, D. C., but spent most of his early childhood years in Elizabeth City where his father was in the Coast Guard. He returned to Elizabeth City in 1952 and graduated from Elizabeth City High School in 1956 where he was a member of the football, baseball and basketball teams. After high school he attended Duke University and won two letters in football and received an award as the greatest contributor to team morale. During his senior year at Duke University, the Blue Devils were Atlantic Coast Conference football champions and beat Arkansas in the 1961 Cotton Bowl. He graduated from Duke in

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Choral Concert Friday, May 11th

Groups Will Sing In Holmes Auditorium At 8 P. M.

On Friday night, May 11, at 8 o'clock there will be a choral program at the John A. Holmes High School auditorium.

The program will include songs by the Junior High Girls' Chorus, the Senior High Chorus and the Treble Clef and Bass Clef. The program will be under the direction of Miss Suzanne Hardison.

There will be no admission charge and the public is not only invited but urged to attend.

Chowan PTA Meets May 14

Jennings Bunch, president of the Chowan High School Parent-Teacher Association, announces that the May meeting will be held Monday night, May 14, at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium. He says this will be the closing meeting for this school term and for that reason all parents are especially urged to attend.

Replacing the usual civic program, the girls from Mrs. Lorraine Rogerson's ninth, tenth and eleventh grade classes will present a fashion show. The girls will model fashions they designed.

Decided Progress Realized On Golf Course And Country Club

Dr. A. F. Downum, J. P. Martin and John Shackelford, members of the finance committee of the recently organized Chowan Golf and Country Club, are very much elated over the progress made in the current membership drive.

Dr. Downum, chairman of the committee, stated Tuesday that he was surprisingly pleased with the response to a solicitation and that up to Tuesday a total of 120 memberships were signed up. The membership will be limited to 150.

To date Dr. Downum stated the canvassers have not solicited membership out of the county. He believes enough members will be secured in the county but if not, he said, quite a few golf enthusiasts in adjoining counties are desirous to become members, so that he is very op-

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Edenton Merchants Polled On Wednesday Afternoon Closing

At the Chamber of Commerce Merchants Committee meeting held at Hotel Joseph Hewes Thursday, May 3, there was a lengthy discussion concerning retail store hours in Edenton.

Of particular concern to members was the question of Wednesday afternoon closings, observed more or less by the majority of Edenton merchants for a number of years past.

However, the trend in Edenton, as in many cities of the Northeastern counties and in the Tidewater area, is for more and more stores to remain open all day Wednesday.

This trend has been dictated by economic reasons. It has proven profitable, especially when special Wednesday promotions are advertised.

In some areas discount houses have persuaded the move for re-

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Miss Catherine Aman Resigns As Assistant Economics Agent

Chowan County Commissioners at their meeting Monday received the resignation of Miss Catherine Aman as assistant home economics agent for Chowan County. Her resignation will become effective Thursday, May 31, and was accepted with regret by the Commissioners.

Miss Aman has served as assistant agent in Chowan County for over four years and is resigning to accept a position in Brunswick County, where she will become home economics agent. Her office will be located at Supply.

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Chowan Falls Down On Blood Donors

Chowan County fell down miserably in its donations of blood Thursday when the Red Cross bloodmobile appeared at the National Guard armory. The quota was 135 pints, of which only 57 pints were donated during the day.

It is pointed out that since January 127 pints of blood have been used for patients at Chowan Hospital and only 98 pints donated to the blood bank.

LIBRARIES CLOSED TODAY

Both the Shepard-Pruden Memorial Library and Brown-Carver Library will be closed all day today (Thursday). The closing is due to observance of Confederate Memorial Day.

Herring Breakfasts Are Discontinued

The Methodist Men's Club has discontinued the popular pickled herring breakfasts which have been held during the past few months. Members of the club express their appreciation for the generous patronage and state that the breakfasts will be resumed next fall.

Gets Appointment

McKINLEY WRIGHT

An outstanding student at the John A. Holmes High School, McKinley Wright, Jr., has received an appointment to the Air Force Academy.

20 Years Ago

As Found In The Files Of The Chowan Herald

Chowan County citizens joined with the remainder of the nation in awaiting their turn in securing sugar with ration books.

Edenton's Garden Club staged a spring flower show in the Rose Room at Hotel Joseph Hewes.

Chowan County's largest and one of the most modern barns was destroyed by fire when the huge building on Herbert Small's

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Annual Meeting Of WMU May 15

Sessions Will Be Held At Rocky Hock Baptist Church

The Chowan County Woman's Missionary Union of the Chowan Baptist Association will meet for the annual session on Tuesday morning, May 15, at 10:30 o'clock at Rocky Hock

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Recent Hoe Down Nets $476 Profit

Mrs. Ed Bond, Chairman, Thanks All Who Helped

Mrs. Edward G. Bond, general chairman of the Chowan Hospital Auxiliary's hoe-down, is quite gratified with the success of this recent event which was held in the National Guard

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Adams And Turner Given Scholarships

Herbert Adams of John A. Holmes High School and Jimmy Turner of Chowan High School have been awarded full two-year scholarships to the College of the Albemarle.

These scholarships are awarded on the basis of scholarship, leadership, character and need.

Sings In 'Oklahoma'

Miss Pat Mooney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Mooney, former Edentonians, sang a major role in "Oklahoma" in a musical presented at the Needham Broughton High School in Raleigh May 4 and 5.

GSA Accepts Bids For Sale Base Property

The General Services Administration in Atlanta, Ga., is accepting the high bids received at the auction sale in Edenton on April 16 for the purchase of the government's interest in the Marine Corps Outlying Field at Edenton.

The 11 parcels, containing 2,369.82 acres of land and 59 buildings, were sold for $368,800. The 20 buildings located on the property transferred to the Town of Edenton for airport purposes and which were offered for sale for removal from the site, were sold for $6,940, making a total of $375,740 for the entire property.

CIVIC CALENDAR

Gala Edenton Water Carnival scheduled to be held Wednesday, May 30.

Chowan County Democratic Convention will be held at the Court House Saturday afternoon, May 12, at 3 o'clock.

The 79th annual convention of the Episcopal Diocese of East Carolina will be held at St. Paul's Church May 16 and 17.

A choral program will be presented in the John A. Holmes High School auditorium Friday night, May 11, at 8 o'clock.

Chowan PTA will hold the

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Saturday Final Day To Register For Primary Election May 26th

Next Saturday, May 12, will be the final day registration books will be open in order to be properly registered for the Democratic primary election Saturday, May 26.

It is important, in order to cast a ballot in this election, to be registered on the county registration books. Registration on the Town of Edenton's registration books will not entitle a voter to cast a ballot in the election.

The various registrars will be at the polling places Saturday from 9 A. M., to sunset for the purpose of registering voters.

The registrars and registration places for the six precincts are as follows:

East Edenton — Mrs. William Stokely, Court House.

West Edenton — Mrs. George C. Hoskins, Municipal Building.

Rocky Hock — Alphonso Spivey, Henry Bunch's store.

Center Hill — Ralph Goodwin, Ross Bunch's store.

Wardsville — T. A. Berryman, Herbert Peele's Store.

Yeopim — Thomas Hoskins, Sr., Harry Perry's Store.

The election will be held Saturday, May 26 from 6:30 A. M., to 6:30 P. M.

Dillon, Hendrix And Edmonds Are Leaders In Fishing Contest

Roger Dillon of Hertford, Mark Hendrix of Tyner and Billy Edwards are at present leading contenders in the fishing contest sponsored by the Edenton Chamber of Commerce.

Dillon tops the list in the largemouth bass division with one measuring 22 inches and weighing 6 pounds, 10 ounces.

Hendrix leads in the crappie race with one weighing one pound and 14 ounces. It was 15 inches long. The runner-up is Bill Stallings of Edenton with one 11 inches long and weighing a pound and three ounces.

In the bream class Edwards leads with one weighing 1¼ pounds.

Scott Harrell, chairman of the Recreation Committee, reminds sportsmen that there is no creel limit this year on bream or any variety of perch and that the Edenton area offers good fishing in both open and protected waters. It also offers top boating facilities, bathing and water skiing areas.

Big Attractions Lined Up For Edenton Water Carnival May 30

Beautiful boats, beautiful girls, beautiful aerial fireworks. These are just a few of the big attractions in store for the public in a fabulous free show coming up Wednesday, May 30 in Edenton. It will be Edenton Water Carnival Day and festivities will be centered on Pembroke Creek off the former fish hatchery property beginning at 1 P. M. Bleacher seats will be available.

After the aqua parade of more than 50 boats the lead off feature will be the handicapped marathon boat race. The race course will be from the finish line barge in Pembroke Creek to the bell buoy in Albemarle Sound and back; six laps to total approximately 35 miles. Following this event 40 performers in the Outer Banks Water Ski Club will furnish spills and thrills.

Beautiful girls—yes. At least a total of 21! They will be in

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