

Arrangements Completed For Gigantic Fireworks Display For July Fourth

Expert In Firing Will Supervise Display on Barges at Foot of Broad Street

Plans have about been completed for Edenton and surrounding area to be treated to another gigantic fireworks display next Wednesday night in celebration of the Fourth of July.

Mayor John A. Mitchener and eight other organizations have pooled their contributions to provide the safe celebration which will cost over \$300 and be far larger than the one given during the Edenton Water Carnival.

Hobart Steele, an expert in firing and staging fireworks displays, will arrive in Edenton Tuesday to make preparation for the display which is scheduled for 8 o'clock. Steele will supervise the entire program which will be conducted on barges at the foot of Broad Street.

In case of steady rain, the display will be held on Thursday, July 5, one day later. The program will just be held up during brief showers should they occur.

The purpose of the feature is for Mayor Mitchener and the various organizations to reflect their appreciation for the cooperation of so many people in various projects carried on during the year and at the same time provide a safe and sound celebration of the Fourth of July which can be enjoyed by a large number of people.

In addition to the Mayor, sponsoring organizations include Ed Bond Post of the American Legion; Post No. 9280, Veterans of Foreign Wars; Chowan Tribe of Red Men; Edenton Junior Chamber of Commerce; Edenton Chamber of Commerce; Business and Professional Women's Club; Edenton Woman's Club, and the Edenton Rotary Club.

S & L Dividends Total \$59,211.97

Announcement is made this week that the Edenton Savings & Loan Association will distribute \$59,211.97 among the stockholders. This represents dividends which will be payable June 30.

The Association requests shareholders to bring in their share pass books so that their proportionate part of the dividends may be credited.

20 Years Ago

As Found In The Files Of The Chowan Herald

Edenton citizens generally were gratified to learn that Secretary of the Navy Knox had announced the acquisition of land here for the construction of a Marine Corps glider station. The announcement came as a distinct surprise, though a small group for several months had been in contact with the War Department and knew that Edenton was favorably considered as a site for the station.

Users of electricity in Edenton had the very unusual experience of not being obliged to pay their electricity bills for the month of June. The action was taken Continued on Page 7, Section 1

Ten Chowan County 4-H'ers Attend Roanoke Island Camp

Ten Chowan County 4-H'ers joined with 4-H'ers from Pitt, Martin and Lee Counties for a week at the Roanoke Island 4-H Camp. A total of 146 4-H'ers were present.

Attending from Chowan were Fahey (Butch) Byrum, Joe Carroll Byrum, Malcolm Dixon, L. B. Taylor, Ray Copeland, Joe Ward, Chris Venters, Brenda White, Diane Peedin and Carmen Goodwin. They were accompanied by Harry Venters, assistant county agricultural agent.

Classes at camp included hand-

Recreation For Girls Postponed Due To Repairs

The summer recreation program started last week by the Edenton Woman's Club for young local girls was cancelled Tuesday afternoon because of repairs being made at John A. Holmes High School gymnasium.

Supervisors of the program, Betsy Ross and Marion Bunch, expect to resume operations next Tuesday if the repairs are completed at that time.

Approximately 35 girls attended the first session last Tuesday. The program is available for all girls who attended the Edenton Elementary School last year and those that will be entering grades two through six next fall.

Rotary - Corvairs Tied For Top Spot In Little League

Joe Stokley Is Leading Hitter In Circuit With an Average of .588

Bill Hardison's Little League played five full games last week, and the standings and list of top hitters were altered considerably.

The Rotary moved from a second place tie to knit the first place position with the Corvairs, who held the position last week. Both teams have 3-2 records. The Masury Indians and Falcons are deadlocked for third place with 2-3 showings.

Joe Stokley exchanged places with Phil Lassiter in first position among the top hitters in the circuit. Lassiter dropped Continued on Page 3, Section 1

Schedule Released For Social Security

Residents of Chowan County may contact their social security representative on the following dates: Every Thursday (July 5, July 12, July 19 and July 26). He can be contacted at the Court House in Edenton between 9:30 A. M. and 12:30 P. M.

Icen Wilson, district manager, at the time of releasing the above information also suggested that for faster service some of the residents of the county might wish to visit the Greenville District Office from 8:45 A. M. to 5:00 P. M. during the week, Monday through Friday, except national holidays.

Early Next Week

Due to the observance of the Fourth of July Wednesday of next week, The Herald will observe the holiday. As a result, The Herald will be printed Tuesday afternoon instead of Wednesday as usual.

All news and advertising therefore, must be in the office by Monday morning of next week.

15 Go-Karts Take Part In Races Sunday Afternoon

Attendance Not Up To Expectations of Jaycees, Sponsors of Local Race Track

Fifteen go-karts turned out for three races Sunday afternoon as the Edenton Jaycees officially opened their race track on the former Marine Air Station.

Approximately 150 spectators watched Jimmy Ashley of Edenton speed to victory in the Class A race. Ashley won over Thomas Chappell of Elizabeth City and Carl Bateman of Suffolk, who finished second and third respectively.

Other winners included Clarence Lane in Class C and Randy Williams in the Junior Class. Both Lane and Williams are from Elizabeth City, which made a clean sweep of second places. Second in Class C was Harvey Gregory, and Bryant Sawyer was runner-up in the junior race.

Racers from Edenton in addition to Ashley were Scott Harrell, Sherwood Harrell and Charles Hollowell in Class A, and Herbie Hollowell in the Junior Class.

Jaycee President Carlton Jackson said Monday that he thought the races were a success, but that more spectators and karts were desired by the local club. Plans for improving the racing card are expected in the very near future.

Weekly Story Hour At Local Library

A weekly story hour will be conducted throughout the summer in Shepard-Pruden Memorial Library by the Coleman Young Women's Association of the Edenton Baptist Church.

Beginning Monday morning, July 2, at 10 o'clock, the hour will be held each week for children between five and eight years of age and will be under the direction of members of the church group.

The story of Zacchaeus will be told Monday by Marian Bunch, Barbara Layton and Anita Sexton. The girls will use a form of picture puzzle to tell the stories each week. Other entertainment is also planned.

Local Firms Listed In New Directory

A new North Carolina Metalworking Facilities Directory has just been published by the Industrial Extension Service at North Carolina State College, Raleigh.

The 350-page directory, compiled by W. Frank Hodge of the IES staff, lists the tools and capabilities of 237 of the state's metalworking firms.

Local firms listed are Ashley Welding & Machine Company, Darf Corporation and Nixon Manufacturing Company.

The new directory lists the location of machine tools and other metalworking equipment, or special skills, which are available in North Carolina for prime contract or sub-contract work for other processors.

Jaycee Road Block Planned For July 3

Members of the Edenton Junior Chamber of Commerce will operate a road block Tuesday, July 3, from 12 to 5 o'clock.

Wayne Rawls is chairman of the project and points out that the purpose of the road block is to promote safety on the highways over the July Fourth holiday.

Safety literature will be distributed to motorists and light refreshments are expected to be given as a gesture of good will as motorists pass through Edenton.

RED MEN MEETING

Chowan Tribe No. 12, Improved Order of Red Men, will meet Monday night, July 2, at 8 o'clock. At this meeting new officers are scheduled to be installed, so that Obed Lee, outgoing sachem, urges a full attendance.

Ordained Episcopal Minister



REV. MICHAEL T. MALONE

At an ordination service held Wednesday morning of this week in St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Michael Taylor Malone was ordained as an Episcopal minister. Mr. Malone is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer E. Malone and begins his ministry as rector of St. Thomas Episcopal Church in Ahoskie.

Edenton Woman's Club Again Honored For Cancer Control

Edenton Woman's Club was again signally honored in Raleigh Sunday, where a banquet was held by the American Cancer Society.

At the banquet, held at Sir Walter Hotel Sunday afternoon, the local club was awarded a beautiful plaque in recognition for its successful campaign in the cancer crusade. The plaque was received on behalf of the Edenton club by Mrs. Archie D. Fairley.

Inscribed on the plaque was: "Edenton Woman's Club. In grateful acknowledgment of outstanding service to the cause of cancer control during the society's annual crusade."

The Edenton Woman's Club has assisted the cancer program of the American Cancer Society longer than any other club of the N. C. Federation of Women's Clubs.

Official Winners Announced In Annual Spring Fishing Contest

Five winning contestants in the Spring Fishing Contest which closed June 16 and sponsored by the Recreation Committee of the Edenton Chamber of Commerce, have been named by Scott Harrell, chairman.

Alva Bunch of Hertford captured the top award in the striped bass (rock fish) division with an entry weighing an even six pounds. Bunch netted the rock while trolling in the Ye-

Texas Steel Men Complete Work For Bay Tunnel

The day is fast approaching when the Chesapeake Bay span will be completed, bringing additional thousands of tourists down the coastal route south through Edenton.

Steel workers in Orange, Texas, will launch the last of the 37 giant steel tunnel sections for the Chesapeake Bay bridge-tunnel project tomorrow (Friday). The tubes, 100 yards long and 37 feet wide, are being sunk in

Hodges Speaker At Lost Colony Opening



By Aycock Brown When Paul Green's drama begins its 25th birthday season in a brand new Waterside Theater at Manteo on July 1, a former Tar Heel governor, U. S. Commerce Secretary Luther Hodges, will be the premiere speaker.

A special distinguished guest at the premiere, adding an international flavor to the internationally famous drama, will be Brazilian Ambassador Roberto Campos, who will also come from Washington to see a performance of the show.

Rinky Dinks Still Undefeated Team In Softball Race

Varsity Club and Jaycee Tigers Showing Great Deal of Improvement

A red-hot Jaycee Tigers outfit and an improved Varsity Club moved up behind the front running Rinky Dinks in a full schedule of action in the local softball league last week.

The Tigers out-scored Harvey Point 11-8 and stopped the Red Men 8-1 to move into second place in the standings, while the Varsity handed Harvey Point its second loss, 17-3 Thursday night.

The Rinky Dinks, in the meantime, edged the last place Jaycee Cubs 5-2 in the best Cub effort of the season. The leaders are undefeated in league play and had a 3-0 record through last week.

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Chowan County Purchases 23.1 Pct. Of '62 Savings Bonds Quota

W. H. Andrews, Jr., state volunteer chairman for U. S. savings bonds sales, announces that Chowan County's cumulative sales for the year amount to \$23,305. This is 23.1 per cent of the county's quota of \$113,520 for 1962.

Mr. Andrews reports that May was the tenth consecutive month in which Series E Savings Bonds Sales in North Carolina showed an increase over the corresponding month of the previous year.

Series E Savings Bonds sales of \$3,606,384 during May were over 6 per cent higher than sales in May, 1961, and are the highest sales recorded for the month of May in seven years.

Sales of Series E Bonds for the months of January-May totaled \$18,814,626. This is an increase of 3.6% over the same

Oscar Peebles New Red Men Sachem

New Officers Will Be Installed Monday Night

Members of Chowan Tribe No. 12, Improved Order of Red Men, elected officers for a six months term at their meeting Monday night.

Oscar Peebles was elected sachem to succeed Obed Lee. Others elected were Robert Brooks, senior sagamore; Fred Keeter, junior sagamore; Obed Lee, prophet and W. J. Daniels trustee for an 18-months term.

Mr. Lee informed the members that the final payment on the Red Men building had been made, which liquidated the tribe's indebtedness.

The new officers are scheduled to be installed at the meeting of the tribe next Monday night, July 2. Guy Williams, newly appointed tribal deputy Great Sachem, will be the installing officer.

Swimming Classes To Begin Monday

Red Cross swimming classes will begin in Edenton next Monday, John Shackelford, Chowan County Red Cross Chairman, reported Tuesday.

Applications were accepted until Wednesday of this week, and a large number had been turned in by Tuesday afternoon, according to the county chairman.

The exact time and place of the lessons will be determined later this week after a study of the applications has been made. George Burdick, who has completed a refresher course, will be the instructor.

The course will cover all levels of swimming instruction, life-saving lessons, and instructors training. All requirements for both Boy and Girl Scout merit badges will be offered.

Edenton's National Guard Unit Returns Home From Fort Bragg Training Duty

Error Made In Auto Accident

An account in last week's Herald about an automobile accident involving Mrs. Cecil W. Fry of Edenton and Charlie Copeland of Tyner was incorrectly stated from the police report of the accident.

The Herald said that Mrs. Fry ran into Copeland's truck as he failed to yield the right of way at the corner of Mosley and West Queen Streets and entered the intersection.

What actually happened was that Copeland's truck slammed into Mrs. Fry's car as she drove past the intersection on West Queen Street. Mrs. Fry suffered facial injuries in the accident.

The Herald regrets the mistaken account and correction is hereby made.

Group Commander Is High In Praise of Performance of Local Outfit

The Edenton National Guard unit returned Sunday from a successful two weeks active duty training at Fort Bragg.

The local unit, the Combat Support Company, Second Battle Group, 119th Infantry, North Carolina National Guard, passed the Army Training Test given to its 42-inch mortar firing platoons and was highly commended by the battle group commander.

Specialist Fourth Class Roger C. Spivey received the Battle Group Commander's Meritorious Service Award for outstanding performance during the field training period.

The 72-member unit spent the entire two weeks in the field, the first week of which was spent training for the Army test, and the second of which was devoted entirely to taking the examination.

Tested were the unit's proficiency in the operation and firing of the 42-inch mortar by platoons, its forward observation procedures, operation fire direction, and actual firing by the two firing sections.

Over 550 rounds of mortar ammunition were fired by the group as it took the test under both day and night conditions. All phases of the operation were performed under combat conditions.

Lt. Col. Herbert H. Taylor, Jr., battle group commander, commended the local unit for its performance. He said the company had always had the reputation of being one of the outstanding units in the state, and that they had improved this reputation during the training period. "Each man in the unit should be proud of the manner in which he performed his duties," said the commander.

Also transferred back to Edenton by the unit were about five thousand red bugs and ticks, according to Sergeant First Class John H. Asbell, Jr.

Rev. Van Crawford Returns To Edenton

Bishop Also Returns To Chowan Charge

No change was made in the appointments of Methodist ministers in Chowan County at a session of the North Carolina Methodist Conference held at Kinston last week. The appointments were read Thursday by Bishop Paul N. Garber.

The Rev. Van T. Crawford was returned as pastor of the Edenton Methodist Church for another year and his son, Van T. Crawford, Jr., was appointed as associate pastor.

The Rev. C. T. Wilson was also returned as pastor of the Chowan Circuit.

The Rev. Robert L. Jerome was again returned to serve as superintendent of the Elizabeth City District.

LIONS MEET MONDAY

Edenton's Lions Club will meet Monday night, July 2, at 7 o'clock at the Edenton Restaurant. President John Mitchener urges every member of the club to be present.

Rocky Hock Orioles Continue To Extend Lead In R-C League

The Rocky Hock Orioles continued their rampage through the Roanoke-Chowan League last week and extended their winning streak to ten straight games.

The Chowan team lost the first game of the season and since that time have not tasted defeat. Last week they won all four of the games they played, beating Colerain twice, 6-3 and 3-1, Windsor 6-5, and Creswell 14-12.

The ten-game streak put the Orioles in front of the league by four full games with a 10-1 record. The closest competitor is Windsor with a 6-5 mark.

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