

## Chas. B. Wade, Jr. Of Winston-Salem Is Scheduled To Be Guest Speaker At Chamber Commerce Annual Banquet

### Affair Will Be Held Tuesday Night, October 23 at Masonic Temple at 7 O'clock

Edenton's Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual banquet Tuesday night, October 23, at 7 o'clock in the dining room of the Masonic Temple.

All members of the Edenton Chamber of Commerce have received a letter of invitation to attend the banquet. It is hoped that they will signify their intent to attend by making early reservations either through the Chamber office or through George Lewis at the Peoples Bank & Trust Company.

Officials of the Chamber of Commerce feel fortunate that it was possible to obtain Charles B. Wade, Jr., of Winston-Salem as guest speaker for the occasion. Mr. Wade is a native North Carolinian and a speaker of great stature and is in constant demand by top level business organizations.

Mr. Wade is vice president of the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company and a member of its board of directors. He is a graduate of Duke University, class of 1938. In the second World War he received his commission from

## Lions Club Will Sell Halloween Candy

## House-to-house Canvass Monday Night From 6 to 7:30

Members of the Edenton Lions Club will conduct trick or treat pre-Halloween candy sale Monday night, October 22, from 6 to 7:30 o'clock. Lions will meet at the Edenton Restaurant at 6 o'clock and make a house-to-house canvass until 7:30 o'clock when the weekly meeting will be held.

The Lions will sell a product which will go into homes as treats for visiting "goblins" on Halloween night, and they hope many people will buy the candy to pass out in the trick or treat parade. Proceeds of the sale will be used for sight conservation and other Lion activities in the community.

## 20 Years Ago

As Found In 1.6 Files Of The Chowan Herald

John Bowers Wiggins died in Duke Hospital following several months of declining health.

With the County Commissioners and Town Council meeting jointly, a State Guard unit was practically assured for Chowan County. Lloyd E. Griffin agreed to serve as commanding officer and assist in organizing the unit.

R. C. Holland, Chairman of the Chowan County USDA War Board, called for a county-wide tin can campaign to salvage valuable metal which the government needed in the war effort.

## Johnny Winborne Wins Fourth Place In State Teen-Dem Contest

Johnny Winborne, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Winborne, Route 1, Edenton, who won first place in the First District Teen-Dem Essay-Speaking contest, came in fourth in the state contest held in Asheville October 6. Young Winborne delivered his essay in the George Vanderbilt Hotel.

Following is Johnny's essay: **WHY SHOULD YOU SUPPORT A POLITICAL PARTY?**

When someone says "I vote for the man, not the party," that seems to be a superior attitude. It would suggest that there is something wrong or bad about being a party man. The fact is that all democratic governments in our times have been dependent upon party government for stable government.

A political party is but the vehicle which our leaders are

## Chowan River Fishing Access Area Ready After October 25

Sportsmen in this area have long looked forward to having a Wildlife Resources Commission fishing access area constructed on the broad Chowan River. William Kinsey, in charge of constructing the new fishing access area at the northwest corner of the Chowan River bridge on U. S. 17, wishes to announce through the Edenton Chamber of Commerce that sportsmen should be patient just 10 days or so longer to give the newly seeded grass an opportunity to take hold on the two acre parking area. Barricades are up to prevent untimely entry and this is a reminder from Mr. Kinsey of the Wildlife Resources Commission that the barricades will come down just as soon as the grass seems strong enough to withstand the expected traffic.

This new fishing access area should mean a great deal not only for the convenience of sportsmen but also to the economy of Edenton and Chowan County. It is one of the finest fishing access areas in eastern North Carolina and should be heavily patronized. It has a 30-foot canal affording ready access to the Chowan River but please be patient and give the seeded grass an opportunity to grow. It is promised that barricades will be down and the area open for use after October 25.

## W. J. P. Earnhardt Jr. Appointed Solicitor Of Recorder Court

## John W. Graham Appointed County Attorney To Succeed John Shackelford

Following the recent resignation of John E. Shackelford as prosecuting attorney for Chowan County Recorder's Court and county attorney, their successors were appointed last week by the Chowan County Commissioners. W. J. P. Earnhardt, who recently opened a law office in Edenton after practicing law in Wilmington, N. C., was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Shackelford as prosecuting attorney.

John W. Graham was appointed to fill Mr. Shackelford's term as county attorney. The appointments went into effect Monday of this week. Mr. Shackelford resigned the two positions to become associated with the law firm of Uzzell & DuMont in Asheville.

## X-Ray Conference On Monday Night

A planning conference will be held at the Chowan County Court House on Monday night, October 22, at 8 o'clock. This conference will be in connection with the chest X-ray survey which is scheduled to be in Edenton November 24, 27, 28, 29.

Dr. J. A. Johnson, district health director, says that due to the fact that the X-ray unit will be in Edenton only four days, it is necessary to plan carefully to influence all people to take advantage of this opportunity to get a chest X-ray.

## LIONS MEET MONDAY

Edenton's Lions Club will hold its weekly meeting Monday night, October 22. Members are requested to meet at the Edenton Restaurant at 6 o'clock to canvass homes to sell Halloween candy and the regular meeting will begin at 7:30 o'clock instead of 7 o'clock.

## MASONS MEET TONIGHT

A stated communication of Unanimity Lodge No. 7, A. F. & A. M., will be held tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock. J. C. Parks, master of the lodge, requests a large attendance.

placed in power. Every citizen should feel it his duty to affiliate himself with a party since our government is controlled by political parties and, as Edmund Burke once said, "Party divisions . . . whether on the whole operating for good or evil are things inseparable from free government."

No sensible American would want a one-party system as is found in Russia and there is no safety in multi-splinter parties as is found in France. This situation resulted in 21 different governments in the 10 years following the end of World War II.

## Homecoming At Local High School Friday, October 19

## Hornets to Meet Perquimans Panthers on Hicks Field; Parade At 5 P. M.

Edenton High School will celebrate its annual homecoming on Friday night, October 19, at 7:30 o'clock when the Hornets will meet the Perquimans County Panthers on Hicks Field. The gala affair will include half time activities and pre-game activities in the afternoon.

Homecoming activities will begin at 5 P. M., when the Edenton High School band will spread the homecoming spirit as they march down Oakum Street to Water Street and then proceed up Broad Street to Freemason Street and back to the campus. Competition promises to be

## Legion Auxiliary Conducting Drive For New Members

## Mrs. W. E. Mills Is Chairman of Drive To Boost Local Membership

A membership drive is now in progress by the local American Legion Auxiliary, with Mrs. W. E. Mills as membership chairman. Mrs. Mills is hopeful that this year a record enrollment will be secured.

Mrs. Mills points out that more than 900,000 are enrolled in the Legion Auxiliary among nearly 14,000 local units and that the one great purpose is to bind members together in the

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## Sunoco Service Station To Reopen

Announcement was made this week that the Sunoco Service Station at the corner of Broad and Gale Streets will reopen on or about November 1. The new operators will be Edward and Leonard Bass, brothers. Both are currently attending the Sunoco Dealer School at Greensboro.

Both young men are veterans of World War II. Edward retired early this year after serving over 20 years in the Air Force.

## Demonstrates At State Fair



Lester Ray Copeland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester T. Copeland, will give a poultry barbecue demonstration at the State Fair in Raleigh Saturday, October 20. The demonstrator will be given from 10 A. M. to 6 P. M. Young Copeland is pictured above receiving an award from A. R. Harrill, State 4-H Club leader, when Copeland was declared winner of the State 4-H poultry barbecue contest at 4-H Club Week held in the summer. At left is Bill Mills, Extension poultry specialist and Harry Venters, assistant county agent.

## Edenton Aces Again Chalk Up 0 To 0 Tie Game With Sea Dogs From Beaufort

## Another Exhibition of Two Defensive Units Unwilling to Yield Yardage

For the second time this season, Edenton's Aces played a 0-0 tie game when they battled the Beaufort Sea Dogs to a scoreless tie on Hicks Field Friday night. The previous Friday night they wound up with a thrilling scoreless tie with the Elizabeth City Yellow Jackets.

Friday night's game was another exhibition of two defensive units very stingy in yielding yardage, so that the ball seemed stuck back and forth with neither the Aces or Sea Dogs seriously threatening to score during the night. The Aces' best chances for scoring were hurt considerably during the first quarter as the result of costly penalties. So tight was the defense of both outfits that very few plays brought the spectators to their feet. However, about midway of the final quarter Dickie Cobb cut loose a long pass which Douglas Sexton narrowly missed. It would have, no doubt, gone for a winning touchdown if Sexton could have

Beaufort had a slight edge on first downs, making six as compared with five for the Aces. However, the Aces gained 126 yards on the ground, while the Sea Dogs were able to pile up only 73 yards. Dickie Cobb led the brunt of the Aces' attack as he chalked up 68 yards for the Aces.

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## Hospital Auxiliary Meets October 19th

Chowan Hospital Auxiliary will meet Friday afternoon, October 19, at 3 o'clock in the nurses' home. The principal speaker will be County Agent C. W. Overman, who will speak on the care of shrubbery.

Mrs. J. D. Elliott, president of the Auxiliary, urges all members to be present. Tea will be served following the meeting.

## Public Hearing

A request has been made to Town Council to change zoning on Second Street from residential to neighborhood business.

The Councilmen have called a public hearing on the request which will be held in the Municipal Building Tuesday night, November 13, at 8 o'clock. At that time any objections will be heard regarding the change and referred to the Zoning Commission.

## Tri-Hi-Y Girls Will Conduct Trick or Treat Campaign

## Join National Effort To Help Many Needy Children Throughout The World

Wednesday night, October 31, Tri-Hi-Y girls will devote their Halloween fun to a constructive purpose. They will help to erase the more fearful masks of hunger and disease from the faces of millions of the world's needy children whose home rests with UNICEF, the United Nations Children's Fund.

The local phase of the nationwide UNICEF Trick or Treat program will be sponsored by the Edenton Woman's Club. The girls will go out in groups. Collection areas have been mapped out, and no doorbell should ring more than once for UNICEF—except by mistake.

Trick or Treaters sharing their fun with less fortunate children in other parts of the world will be officially identified by a sticker and tag showing the silhouette of a mother and child in black or an orange background. Only bearers of this identification are authorized to collect "treats" of coins for UNICEF. Last fall, about three million

## Machinery Set Up In Chowan For General Election On Nov. 6

Chowan County's Board of Elections last week set up machinery for the general election which will be held Tuesday, November 6. Registrars sat at the precinct polling places Saturday of last week and will do so again Saturday, October 20 and 27 from 9 A. M. until sunset in order to register voters. Challenge day will be at the precinct polling places Saturday, November 3 from 9 A. M. until 3 P. M., when any elector may be challenged.

On election day the polls will be open from 6:30 A. M. until 6:30 P. M. Attention is again called to the fact that in order to cast a ballot in this election it will be necessary to have names on the county registration books. If a voter is registered only in the Town of Edenton's registration books, he or she will not be eligible to cast a ballot.

The Board of Election has announced the following polling places, the registrars and judges of election:

East Edenton Precinct—Polling place, Court House. Mrs. Will

## Aces Preparing To Battle Perquimans High Friday Night

## Outcome Expected To Play Important Role In This Year's Conference Champions

What should be a battle royal is scheduled to take place in Hertford Friday night when the Edenton Aces will meet Perquimans Indians in a very important Albemarle Conference game. Both outfits will enter the game undefeated in conference play and the outcome will, no doubt, play a major part in

## Methodist Men's Club Will Meet Tonight

The Methodist Men's Club will meet tonight (Thursday) at 6:30 o'clock. This will be a dinner meeting to be held at the Triangle Restaurant, where a roast turkey dinner will be served.

Nathan Owens, president of the club, is very anxious to have every member present.

## Edenton Officials Plan Major Improvements To Cost Over Million Dollars

### On Northern Tour



Jeff Ward, a graduate of Chowan High School, is included in a group of University of North Carolina students with roles in the Theatre of Woman's College's production of "The Pajama Game".

## New Bridge Turn To Have Grand Opening

Edward W. Taylor and Paul L. Partin announce that they will observe the grand opening of their new Bridge-Turn Service center today (Thursday), Friday and Saturday.

They are very anxious to have a large number attend the opening and as an inducement they will give away 35 prizes. The five grand prizes include 5-piece movie outfit valued at \$199.95, 100 gallons of Esso Extra gasoline, 50 gallons of Fesol Plus gasoline, an Atlas battery and electric percolator. The prizes also include 30 free lubrication jobs.

Drawing for the prizes will take place Saturday, October 27 and the winners will be notified. The only requirement is to visit the new station and register.

## Various Matters Face Council At October Meeting

## Amendment Adopted To Present Picketing Ordinance; Rezoning Is Requested

Edenton's Town Council held its October meeting Thursday night of last week, being postponed from Tuesday night due to the First District Democratic rally held in Edenton. It was another meeting which extended almost to the midnight hour.

During the meeting progress was reported by the building

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## EDENTON GROUP ATTENDS STUDENT COUNCIL MEETING

Mrs. David Holton accompanied three local members of the Student Council to Charlotte, where they attended a state Student Council meeting. The group included Jean Goodwin, Douglas Twiddy and Wayne Ashley. They returned home Friday afternoon.

## Jay Ross And Nelia Lowe Are Homecoming King And Queen

Featuring the homecoming celebration of John A. Holmes High School Friday night was crowning of king and queen which took place at half time in the Edenton-Beaufort football game on Hicks Field.

## Spurred By Government's Offer To Pay Half Of Expense To Help Economy

Members of Town Council and the Board of Public Works in a joint meeting Monday night, discussed plans for major improvements in Edenton which will amount to an expenditure of over a million dollars.

The improvements are planned in connection with the government's accelerated public works program in which \$50,000,000 will be allocated to North Carolina to give economy a shot in the arm.

The government will pay half of the amount if the projects are approved and if the application is received and accepted before the money gives out. It is for that reason that Edenton officials have acted so quickly in order to benefit by the matching funds.

Practically all of the local projects have been under consideration for a long time and in fact estimates have been in

## Ryland Club Plans Hot Dog Supper

The Ryland Home Demonstration Club will sponsor a Halloween hot dog supper Friday night, October 26. The supper will be served at the Ryland Community Building, starting at 6 o'clock.

All kinds of goodies will be on sale and one of the highlights of the evening will be a cake auction. There will be a prize for the best dressed.

Everyone is invited to attend and bring all the children. The proceeds will be used for the community building.

## CIVIC CALENDAR

Open house will be observed at the new Edenton office of the North Carolina Employment Security Commission today (Thursday) from 4 to 6:30 P. M.

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A planning conference in connection with the Chest X-ray to

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The winning candidates from other classes who marched before the large crowd of spectators were:

Junior Class — Sandra White, daughter of Mrs. J. C. Cobb, and Davis Cartwright, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Cartwright.

Sophomore Class — Ingrid Nielson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Nielson, and Ed Jenkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jenkins.

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