

Many Awards Presented At 4-H Achievement Day Held Thursday At Ryland

Heading the List Was Five Young People Who Were Winners In State Competition

Ryland Community Building was the scene of the 4-H Achievement Program Thursday night. It was a night filled with excitement and outstanding 4-H Club members.

Heading the list of outstanding 4-H Club members were five state winners. These are Kay Bunch and Judy Evans, dairy foods team demonstration; Lester Ray Copeland, poultry barbecue demonstration; Joe Bass, peanuts and Gene Harrell, corn. Joe and Gene will attend the national 4-H Club Congress in Chicago next week.

Chowan County has 11 district winners, more winners than any other county in the Eastern District. C. W. Overman, county Extension chairman, presented district awards to the following club members: Judy Evans and Kay Bunch, dairy foods; Lester Ray Copeland, poultry barbecue and swine; Joe Bass, peanuts; Gene Harrell, corn; Bobby Francis, forestry; Lewis Evans, agriculture; Jerry White, field crops.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Perry, Advance community 4-H Club leaders, were selected as the district 4-H Club leader winners. Each will receive a \$25 savings bond.

Forty adult leaders were presented certificates in recognition of their outstanding service by Miss Pauline Calloway, county home economics Extension agent. Receiving certificates for seven years were: Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Evans and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Nixon. A six year certificate was presented Mrs. Jessie Lane. Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Perry, Dick Lowe and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Jones were presented certificates for five years of service. Mrs. Melba DuBols received a four year certificate. Two year certificates were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leary, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Bunch, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hare, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Small, Jr., Sid White, Mrs. Hubert Byrum, Mrs. Darcy Bunch, Mrs. Raymond Dail, Mr. and Mrs. Fahey Byrum, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Byrum, Mr. and Mrs. W. H.

Planning Board Report Complete; Sent To Raleigh

The Edenton-Chowan Planning report, which includes comprehensive data relative to Chowan County's over-all economic development program has been completed. Copies of the report have been sent to George Stephens, Jr., assistant to Governor Terry Sanford for redevelopment planning for adoption.

The report represents a great deal of work locally and includes just about all information which could be requested.

West Byrum, Jr., is chairman of the board, on which there are at present 18 members.

20 Years Ago

As Found In The Files Of The Chowan Herald

With a considerable amount of sidewalk paving already done and petitions still coming in, Town Council decided not to consider any more new sidewalks during the fiscal year due to lack of funds.

Due to the traveling situation which would prevent teachers from going to their homes to spend the Thanksgiving holiday, schools in Edenton were in session Thanksgiving Day and Friday.

R. L. Martin, director of the local high school band, stated that band equipment was decidedly the poorest in the state. Due to the fact that since no new instruments would be available until after the war, it was planned to have the instruments repaired at an estimated cost of \$1,000.

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Boy Scout Fund Raising Drive Will Begin Nov. 26th

Kick Off Breakfast is Planned at Edenton Restaurant Starting At 8 A. M.

Plans are about complete for the annual Boy Scout fund raising campaign during which the goal will be \$2,000.

The drive will get under way Monday morning, November 26, when an early bird breakfast will be held at 8 o'clock at the Edenton Restaurant. At that time all solicitors are asked to be present so that the campaign can be launched properly and finished in one day.

The campaign chairman, John W. Graham, reports that West W. Byrum, Jr., arrangements chairman, will have a dead rooster for the earliest bird. After the festivities at the breakfast each solicitor will be asking his prospects to support the Boy Scout drive for 1963 by making as generous contributions as possible.

Meeting Changed

Due to Mayor John Mitchener being obliged to be out of town Tuesday, December 11, the December meeting of Town Council will be postponed until Thursday night, December 13, at 8 o'clock. The change also affects the scheduled public hearing to consider rezoning a portion of East Peterson Street which will also be held Thursday night, December 13.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE WILL CLOSE FOR TWO DAYS

William Hollar, manager of the Edenton Employment office, announces that the office will be closed Thursday and Friday of this week in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday. Important matters should, therefore, be transacted accordingly.

Hurley Mitchell Of Edenton Aces On All Conference Team

Coaches of the Albemarle Conference met in Williamston last week at which time they selected the All Conference team for the 1962 football season. The coaches also, for the first time, selected a second All-Conference team.

Edenton's Aces, though experiencing a rather mediocre record this season, managed to place three players on the two All-Conference teams. Hurley Mitchell, hefty center for the Aces, was selected as a lineman on the first team, while Wayne Ashley was selected as a back on the second team and Jack Ashley as a lineman.

Perquimans High School, co-interference champions, placed six players on the two teams. Plymouth won five. Ahoskie had four, Edenton three and Williamston and Scotland Neck two each.

The All-Conference teams as

Thanksgiving Service At Center Hill Church

Annual Thanksgiving services will be held at the Center Hill Baptist Church Thursday evening, November 22, at 7:30 o'clock. The Youth Choir of the church, directed by Mrs. Carl Bunch, will bring special music.

An offering will be taken to go to the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina. This is an ingathering in which each person will be given opportunity to come to the altar to leave their gift.

The special message of Thanksgiving will be delivered by the Rev. W. S. Brown, pastor of the Woodville Baptist Church in Perquimans County.

The pastor of the church, the Rev. Henry V. Napier, extends a cordial invitation to the public to attend this service of Thanksgiving.

Peanut Burgers And Peanut Meat Loaf Feature Of Menu At 4-H Supper Friday, Nov. 30th

A new dish, so far as Edenton is concerned, will feature a county-wide 4-H Club supper scheduled to be held in the Edenton armory Friday night, November 30 at 6:30 o'clock. Featuring the menu will be peanutburgers and peanut meat loaf, recipes for which will be printed on the programs.

The supper is sponsored by the Edenton Rotary Club with Edenton merchants cooperating. One feature of the program will be the presentation of prizes to winners in the annual 4-H Club peanut yield competition.

The affair will give 4-H Club members an opportunity to mingle with club members from Advance, Enterprise, Cross Roads, Tyner, Ryland, Gliden, Rocky Hock and Oak Grove. Tickets are on sale by 4-H Club members and at stores in Edenton

selected by the coaches were:

First Team

Backs—Reed Matthews and Freddie Combs, Hertford; Spencer Barrow, Ahoskie and Bobby Hall, Plymouth.

Ends—Gene Nixon of Hertford and Billy Joyner of Plymouth. Linemen—Ike Terrell of Ahoskie, Jerry Whedbee of Hertford, Hurley Mitchell of Edenton, Roy Nobles of Plymouth, Danny Brotton of Scotland Neck.

Second Team

Backs—Carl Overton of Hertford, Jimmy Whaley of Ahoskie, Wayne Ashley of Edenton, Nelson Kirley of Williamston.

Ends—Jimmy Hunter of Hertford and Lachey Womble of Plymouth. Linemen—Larry Cooke of Ahoskie, Frankie Cox of Plymouth, Claude Moore of Scotland Neck, Jack Ashley of Edenton and Larry Speller of Williamston.

Benefit Picture For Will Rogers Hospital At Taylor Theatre

W. J. P. Earnhardt announces that a special benefit picture will be filmed at the Taylor Theatre Friday afternoon, November 23, at 3:30 o'clock.

The picture will be "The Lion and The Horse," and all the proceeds will go to Will Rogers Hospital at Saranac Lake, New York. The film is furnished free of charge by the moving picture industry, as well as the expense in connection with filming it in an effort to raise a million dollars for the hospital.

The admission will be only 25 cents per person, with the entire proceeds going to the hospital. Mr. Earnhardt says it will be an opportunity to see a good picture for only 25 cents and at the same time helping a very worthy cause.

Planning For Christmas Festival



Pictured above are four members of the Yeopim Home Demonstration Club preparing items for the Chowan County Home Demonstration Clubs' Christmas Festival to be held at Chowan Community Building Tuesday, November 27, from 3 to 4 P. M. and 7:30 to 9 P. M. They are, left to right, Mrs. Steven Long, Mrs. Sam Sawyer, Mrs. Jesse Harmon and Mrs. Ole Nielsen.

Home Demonstration Club Christmas Party Nov. 27 Chowan Community Bldg.

Members of Committee Plan Many Items On Sale By Various Clubs of County

The annual Home Demonstration Christmas Festival will be held at Chowan Community Building Tuesday afternoon, November 27, from 3 to 4 o'clock and 7:30 to 9 o'clock. Items for sale by clubs are as follows:

Advance—Children's aprons and wire Christmas tree frames. Beech Fork—Mints and candy.

Byrd—Scissors holders, kissing rings, door knob covers, Swedish darning and hot mats. Center Hill—Pecan pies and assorted cakes.

Chowan—Jams, jellies, pickles and preserves. Colonial—Door, mantle and table decorations.

Enterprise—One and two pound fruit cakes and Christmas stockings. Gum Pond—Candies.

Oak Grove—Pine cones, sweet gum and sycamore balls. Rocky Hook—Christmas trees and decorations and tin can craft.

Ryland—Shelled pecans, peanuts and candies. Wards—Cookies. Yeopim—Aprons and stuffed toys.

Kyland, Oak Grove and Wards Home Demonstration Clubs will serve as hostesses for the festival. The public is cordially invited to attend. There will be drawings for door prizes at 3:45, 8:15 and 8:45 P. M.

Members of the Christmas Festival committee are: Mrs. Cameron Boyce, chairman, Mrs. Carlton Perry, Mrs. Lester Copeland and Mrs. M. T. Barrington.

Chestnutt Begins Mailing Campaign

Advances Suggestions To Help In Christmas Mailing

Postmaster J. L. Chestnutt launched his 1962 "Mail Early for Christmas" Campaign Monday by offering the following helpful suggestions to guide in planning Christmas mailings this year.

Bring Your Christmas Card and Gift Lists Up-to-Date Immediately. Be sure each address is complete, with full name, street and number, city, zone and state. Avoid abbreviations of city and state names.

Send Your Christmas Cards by First Class Mail, using the new 4c Christmas stamps, to secure priority of dispatch and delivery, forwarding without additional charge, and return to you without cost, providing you put your return name and address on the envelopes. Also, Christmas cards sent First Class may be sealed and carry written messages.

Separate Your Christmas Cards into "Local" and "Out of Town" categories.

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Area Development Meeting Is Planned In E. City Nov. 29

Cash Awards Will Be Presented to Three Top Communities In Competition

The annual meeting of the Albemarle Area Development Association will be held in conjunction with the Awards Banquet of the Community Development Division Thursday night, November 29. The meeting will be held in the National Guard armory in Elizabeth City, beginning at 6:30 o'clock.

The awards phase of the program will be honoring the communities of the Albemarle group in six counties in competition. The six groups in competition will be: Farmview community in Currituck on Page 2—Section 1

Blessings Of The Soil Provides Reasons For Giving Thanks

The Pilgrims gave thanks for the bounty of the land on the first Thanksgiving Day and the people of North Carolina can do the same on Thanksgiving Day 1962.

The production of Tar Heel cropland has been bountiful again and throughout the nation this must be regarded as a good crop year, points out Frank Doggett, Extension agronomist at North Carolina State College.

"We had a little too much rain in the summer in the east and it was too dry in the southern Piedmont, but a few areas always suffer adverse weather conditions," said Doggett.

The agronomist pointed out that North Carolina farmers have set new records in the pro-

Town Councilmen Award Contracts For \$617,000 For New Sewage System

Public Hearing

Mrs. L. T. Dunbar, in connection with the Western Gas Service, has submitted a request to Edenton's Town Council to rezone a portion of East Peterson Street from a residential classification to industrial.

The request has been turned over to the Zoning Commission and a public hearing is scheduled to be held Thursday night, December 13, at 8 o'clock in the Municipal Building. Any objections to the rezoning should be registered at the hearing.

Work on Project Is Expected to Get Under Way By the First Of Year

Meeting jointly with members of the Board of Public Works and George Freeman of High Point, the town's engineer, Town Councilmen on Wednesday afternoon of last week awarded contracts for the construction of Edenton's sewage disposal system.

The total amount of the bids amounted to over \$617,000 and went to the following contractors:

Sewage plant, Crain & Denbo of Durham at a bid of \$268,820. Plumbing, Crain & Denbo at a bid of \$2,055.

Sewer lines and pumping station, Howard Construction Company of Greensboro at a bid of \$329,644.70.

Electric, Whitley's Electrical Service of Wilson at a bid of \$16,988.

For the project the town is scheduled to receive \$326,000 from the federal government under the accelerated public works program. A \$543,000 bond issue was approved by the voters of Edenton last year, so that with government funds paying for half the cost it appears that only about \$370,000 worth of bonds will be sold, which is anticipated to cover engineering fees and other necessary expenses.

Work on the project is expected to begin around the first of the year.

The project has been under consideration since 1955 when Edenton officials were notified in no uncertain terms by the Stream Sanitation Commission that the dumping of raw sewage in Edenton Bay and nearby streams would have to come to a halt. Many obstacles had to be hurdled, one of which was the defeat of a bond issue election, deciding upon a site as well as many others. However the project is now soon to be started and at a cost far below the original expectations.

Town Councilmen rejected a bid of \$42,700.80 for storm sewer improvements in the East Water, East Eden and Church Street area. It was considered too high and an effort will be made to secure government financial assistance under the accelerated public works program.

At last week's meeting the Councilmen, through George Freeman, agreed to apply for federal aid for other major improvements. These included sanitary sewer extension, \$212,929; water extension, \$28,140; street paving, curb and gutter, \$62,575; storm drainage, \$84,757; fire station, \$32,170 and municipal building, \$86,285; engineering, \$32,000 and contingencies, \$36,325.

CIVIC CALENDAR

A mobile X-ray unit will be in Edenton to take chest X-rays Saturday, November 24; Tuesday, November 27; Wednesday, November 28, and Thursday, November 29. The unit will be stationed in front of the Betty Shoppe on Broad Street.

Edenton's annual Christmas parade will be held Thursday afternoon, November 29, at 4 o'clock.

Center Hill-Cross Roads Fire Department will sponsor a turkey shoot at the fire station on Thursday, November 22, beginning at 1 P. M.

A Thanksgiving service will be held at the Edenton Methodist Church Thursday morning, November 22, at 10 o'clock.

A county-wide 4-H Club supper will be held at the Edenton armory Friday night, November 30, at 6:30 o'clock.

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Store Hours

Most of Edenton's merchants will be closed Christmas Day and the day following and also New Year's Day.

Starting Monday, December 17, most stores will remain open until 9 P. M. for the convenience of shoppers, as well as Monday, Christmas Eve.

Stores will be closed on Thanksgiving Day.

U. S. Savings Bonds Sales In Chowan At 47.7% Of '62 Quota

Local Sales In October Amounted to \$5,628; Sales In North Carolina Increase

In a release early this week, W. H. Andrews, Jr., state volunteer U. S. Savings Bonds Chairman, reported that bond sales during October in Chowan County amounted to \$5,628. For the year Chowan bond sales totaled \$54,177, which is 47.7% of the county's quota for the year which is \$113,320.

Totals for the first ten months of 1962 show cash sales of E and H Savings Bonds in North Carolina amounting to \$40,825,316. This is a 1.5% increase over the January-October period of last year.

During October there were new purchases of E and H Bonds amounting to \$3,384,300 in the state. This is nearly 19% below October sales of 1961.

Thanksgiving Dance Wednesday, Nov. 21

Edenton Jaycees will sponsor their annual Thanksgiving dance which will be held Wednesday night, November 21. The dance will be held in the Edenton armory beginning at 9 o'clock and will continue until 1 o'clock.

Music for the dance will be furnished by Bill Johnson and the Velvetones. Table reservations will be secured by telephoning 2501.

BANK CLOSED THURSDAY

Peoples Bank & Trust Company as well as the Consumer Credit Branch will be closed Thursday, November 22. The closing is due to the observance of the Thanksgiving holiday. Business will be resumed as usual Friday morning.

LIONS MEET MONDAY

Edenton's Lions will hold their weekly meeting Monday night, November 26, at 7 o'clock at the Edenton Restaurant. Herbert Hollowell, Jr., president, urges a 100 per cent attendance.

Post Office Now Fall Out Shelter

Basement Is Calculated to Accommodate About 300 People

Postmaster J. L. Chestnutt was notified last week that the Edenton Post Office has been designated as a fall-out shelter. The basement of the building will be used if necessary and Mr. Chestnutt says it will accommodate about 300 people.

The designation was made by Civil Defense and postal officials. A sign has been placed at the entrance to the basement.

Thanksgiving Service At Methodist Church

Thursday morning of this week a Thanksgiving service will be held at the Edenton Methodist Church. The service will begin at 10 o'clock and, according to the pastor, the Rev. Van T. Crawford, will last about 45 minutes.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

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Chowan County boys who participated in the 1962 4-H Corn Growing Contest were honored Monday night at the meeting of Edenton Lions Club, sponsors of the contest.

The program was in charge of Guy Hobbs, who introduced Harry Venters, assistant county agent. Mr. Venters was high in praise of the boys who took part in the contest, as well as their fathers, who cooperated with their sons. County Agent C. W. Overman also paid glowing tribute to the Lions Club, which has sponsored the contest since 1945.

The contestants were classified in three groups, ages 10 to 12, 13 to 14 and 15 years and above. In the 10-12 age group Bill Monds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Monds, was the winner and received a check for \$10. His yield was 122 bushels per

Jaycees Sponsor An Explorer Post

Young Men 14 to 17 Years Old Invited To Enroll

On November 1, a group of members of the Edenton Junior Chamber of Commerce met in order to form an organizing committee for an Explorer Scout post in Edenton.

Exploring is the action-packed program for young men 14 to 17 years of age. The committee has held a meeting for its first training course, which is sponsored by the Boy Scouts of America.

The local committee is made up of the following: Carlton Jackson, president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce; Hiram Mayo, superintendent of schools; Tony Miley, David White, Kenneth Stalls and William Rawls.

RED MEN MEETING

Chowan Tribe No. 12, Improved Order of Red Men, will meet Monday night, November 26, at 7:30 o'clock. Oscar Peoples, sachem of the tribe, urges a large attendance.

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