

Edenton Tri-Hi-Y Host For District Meeting



The Edenton Tri-Hi-Y was host to the annual meeting of the Hi-Y - Tri-Hi-Y District No. 5 on March 16. There were over 80 delegates attending from Morehead City, Kinston, Rocky Mount and Edenton. The theme for the day was "What Do You Want," as pertaining to the individual and the club. Presiding over the meeting was Alan Kleinmaer, president of District No. 5. The following officers were elected: President, Richard Cummings, Morehead City; vice president, Emily Holmes, Edenton; secretary, Clark Suggs, Kinston; chaplain, Jane Patrick, Morehead City; Council members, Hyman Stadium, Kinston and Richard Cummings, Morehead City; Sandra Bunch, Edenton and Nancy Nelson, Morehead City. The Tri-Hi-Y expresses its deepest appreciation to the faculty of John A. Holmes High School and to W. A. Long, Interstate Secretary of YMCA of the Carolinas, for their cooperation and help in making the meeting such a success.—(Ricks Photo).

Plans About Completed For First Sale Of Carolina Charter Stamp April 6th

Brig. Gen. John Phillips Goes Over Plans For Event With Mayor John Mitchener

Plans are gradually being whipped into shape for the first day sale of the Carolina Charter commemorative stamp in Edenton Saturday, April 6. Brigadier General John W. D. Phillips, executive secretary of the Carolina Charter Tercentenary Commission of Raleigh, was in Edenton Monday going over various details of the event with Mayor John Mitchener, general chairman, who will act as master of ceremonies.

General Phillips went over the work lined up for the various committees and offered some pointers for the mayor to carry out in order to make the occasion a success. "Edenton's plans for the ceremony apparently are going into effect for a smooth functioning ceremony," stated General Phillips.

George A. Byrum, president of the Chamber of Commerce, urges Chamber of Commerce members to cooperate in any way possible and says he is very proud of the efforts made to stage a celebration which will bring a great deal of credit to Edenton.

The program in the Edenton Elementary School auditorium will begin at 11 A. M., with Mayor John Mitchener as master of ceremonies. The invocation will be by the Rev. George B. Holmes, followed by greetings by Gilliam Wood. Following remarks by Congressman Herbert C. Bonner and Senator B. Everett Jordan, the commemorative stamp will be presented by Postmaster General J. Edward Day. Music for the meeting will be furnished by the John A. Holmes High School Band under the direction of James Cozart.

Stores Closed Easter Monday

Stores in downtown Edenton will be closed Easter Monday, April 15. This announcement was made early this week by Alton Elmore, Chairman of the Merchants Committee of the Edenton Chamber of Commerce.

Boy Scouts Plan Pop Bottle Drive

Boys Making Effort Raise Money to Attend Camp

Edenton Boy Scouts will conduct a pop bottle drive Saturday afternoon, March 30. The Scouts will make a house-to-house canvass to pick up empty pop bottles. The purpose of the drive is to sell the bottles in order to help raise money to send the Scouts to camp this summer and it is hoped those having empty bottles will have them collected to give to the boys.

Band Association Will Meet Monday

Edenton Band Parents Association will meet Monday night, April 1, at 7:30 o'clock in the band room. Mrs. John Bunch, president, urges all members to be present.

Restoration Started This Week On Old Iredell House Kitchen

Restoration of the old kitchen at the James Iredell house began this week. While the kitchen is not as old as the Iredell house, built in 1757, it is noteworthy as one of the few detached kitchens still standing. Work on the 14 foot by 20 foot frame building by the Edenton Construction Company, is under the direction of the James Iredell Association and the Edenton Tea Party Chapter of the DAR.

Local Nurse In Special Training

Eight nursing students from the Louise Obici Hospital in Suffolk are taking three-months special training in pediatric nursing at the University of Virginia Hospital at Charlottesville, Va. Among the group is Miss Marguerite Faure Lassiter of Edenton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lassiter.

Vaughan And Jones Are Elected As New Directors Of Bank

Announcement Made By W. W. Shaw, President of Bank at Rocky Mount

Two well known Edentonians have been added to the board of managers of the Peoples Bank & Trust Company, W. B. Shaw, president of the Peoples Bank & Trust Company, Rocky Mount, has announced that the board of directors at a meeting held in Rocky Mount on March 20 elected...

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D. F. Walker High School NFA Plans Cleanup Campaign

Since April 5th is the birth date of the late Dr. Booker T. Washington, whom many regard as the "Father" of vocational education, the D. F. Walker High School chapter of New Farmers of America decided on a clean-up campaign.

Event Will Celebrate Anniversary of Birth Of Booker T. Washington

During the meeting it was decided that letters would be sent to Representatives urging further support of a bill favoring establishment of mental health clinics. There was discussion concerning new bills introduced in both the House and the Senate at Raleigh, calling for the creating of a new State Department of Mental Health.

Postmaster J. L. Chestnutt Gives Information About First Day Sale Of Carolina Charter Stamp

In connection with the first day sale of the Carolina Charter commemorative stamp, Postmaster J. L. Chestnutt points out that the stamp marks the 300th anniversary of Charles II's grant of vast land areas to eight men who had helped him regain the throne. It extended coast-to-coast in a strip that was roughly the present day border of Virginia to the north, and Florida to the south.

C. Of C. To Again Sponsor Spring Fishing Contest Which Begins On April 1

Contest This Year To Be Open For Boys And Girls Under 16 Years of Age

The fifth annual spring fishing contest will begin Monday, April 1, it is announced by George A. Byrum, president of the Edenton Chamber of Commerce. The contest will run through Saturday, June 29. Dr. Ed Bond, chairman of the Recreation Committee which is promoting the fishing contest, stated that this year boys and girls under 16 will have an opportunity also to win prizes. The contest will be held in the James Iredell house kitchen.

Study Course At Methodist Church

A Methodist Study Course will be held at the Methodist Church Friday night, March 29. The book to be considered will be "Dimensions of Prayer," written by Douglas V. Stere. The course will be conducted by Charles O. Tysor and will last only one hour, from 8 to 9 o'clock. All members of the congregation and friends of the church are cordially invited to attend.

Mental Health Association Asks State For Mental Health Clinics

Last Thursday another meeting of the Albemarle Mental Health Association was held in the Parish House of the Episcopal Church in Elizabeth City. Representatives from Edenton included Dr. and Mrs. Ed Bond, Mrs. Warren Twiddy and Frank Roberts. During the meeting it was decided that letters would be sent to Representatives urging further support of a bill favoring establishment of mental health clinics.

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Golf And Country Club Plans Open House Two Days

Applicants Now Being Interviewed For Pro And House Manager Positions

Members of the board of directors of the Chowan Golf and Country Club at a meeting held last week decided to hold open house at the Country Club Saturday afternoon and evening, and Sunday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. This open house, of course, will be for members only.

Even though grading and landscaping around the club house and parking facilities are far from complete and the club house has not been finished completely, Ralph Parrish, president, says he feels sure many of the members will like to see what has been accomplished thus far.

Jim Keeter New Manager P & Q Meat Department

Announcement was made this week that Jim Keeter has been promoted to manager of the P&Q Super Market's meat department. Mr. Keeter, who has been associated with the P&Q for about 12 years, succeeds Ralph Knight. Mr. Knight, whose home is in Norfolk, has been manager for three years and resigned in order to return to Norfolk.

Welding Is Taught At Chowan High

36 Students Enrolled With E. P. Jones as Instructor. E. S. White of the Agriculture Department of Chowan High School, in connection with the Vocational Agriculture Department, has started classes in farm equipment welding with E. P. Jones as welding instructor. The class which was scheduled for one night a week, has been so popular that three full classes are being taught on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights of each week with 36 enrolled.

\$1,367.10 Raised In Heart Fund Drive

Under the able leadership of the Heart Fund drive chairman, J. P. Earnhardt, Jr., Heart Fund volunteers collected a total of \$1,367.10 during February. Dr. Ed Bond, president of the Chowan Heart Council, said he was very pleased with this campaign and he wanted to publicly thank Mr. Earnhardt, Paul Stanton, Harry Venters, Mrs. Onnie Charlton and the many other individuals and groups in Edenton and Chowan County who made this year's drive so successful. Dr. Bond further stated that the Chowan Heart Council is active year-around and in addition to the annual drive in February, funds are received any time as memorial gifts or bequests.

College Choir At Baptist Church

Group In Charge of Service Sunday Evening

The College Choir, composed of students attending Chowan College in Murfreesboro will make its annual guest appearance at the Baptist Church Sunday evening, March 31, for the 7:30 o'clock worship hour. The director of the choir, James Chamblee, and the college chaplain, Dr. Hargus Taylor, will accompany the choir for this special service. Dr. Paul Bumgartner, organist, will play for the entire service. As is customary, this group from the neighboring Baptist college will have complete charge of the evening worship service. Chaplain Taylor will deliver the message and the choir, under...

All Except Three Of Town Officials Seek Re-election In Town Election May 7th

Urgent Need

The Pilgrimage Committee needs old, interesting items for display in store windows during the Pilgrimage. Anyone who will provide any items of interest are requested to contact Mrs. Frances Shore, phone 482-2771; Mrs. Anne Hines, phone 482-2775 or Mrs. Anna Bass, phone 482-3972.

Plans Complete For Trade Fair April 4-5 In Edenton Armory

Frank Roberts Says Splendid Program of Entertainment Is Arranged For Event

Edenton's Trade Fair is scheduled to be held in the Edenton armory Thursday and Friday, April 4 and 5. The event will be in progress both days from 3 P. M. to 11 P. M. Interesting exhibits will be on display both inside and outside the armory, so that it is hoped many people from Chowan and adjoining counties will visit the fair and as a result stimulate trading in Edenton. Various committees have been...

Plans Complete For Albemarle Community Development Work

At a meeting held in Edenton Friday plans were made for the 1963 Albemarle Community Development Contest. About 50 communities are expected to participate in this year's contest, for which the deadline for entries was set at May 15. For the meeting R. W. Long of Raleigh, community development specialist of the N. C. State College Extension Service, was the principal speaker. He pointed out that the purpose of these contests is to help communities realize their potentials and to bring about changes and improvements in the various communities.

MASONS MEET TONIGHT

A stated communication of Unanimity Lodge No. 7, A. F. & A. M., will be held tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock. T. B. Williford, master of the lodge, urges a large attendance.

Eastern Star Chapter Will Hold Open Installation Of Officers

An open installation of officers for Edenton Chapter No. 302, Order of the Eastern Star, will be held in the Masonic Temple Friday night, March 29, beginning at 8 o'clock. An interesting program has been arranged for the occasion with the following scheduled to serve as installing officers: Mrs. Blanch Twiford, Robert F. Spence, Mrs. Audrey Kirkwood, Arthur Pell, Mrs. Lucille Johnson, Mrs. Margaret Tillet and Obie Reynolds. Officers to be installed include the following:

Newly Elected Bank Directors



DR. ROLAND H. VAUGHAN and BRUCE F. JONES. At a meeting of the board of directors of Peoples Bank & Trust Company held in Rocky Mount on Wednesday, March 28, Dr. Roland H. Vaughan and Bruce F. Jones were elected as new members of the board.

20 Years Ago

Plans were started to house the Edenton USO Club in the east wing of Hotel Joseph Hewes, taking in the portion formerly occupied by the Floors Electric & Plumbing Company.

E. W. Spires, county civilian defense chairman, stated that a test black-out was almost perfect. The only thing to mar a perfect record was two or three instances of lights allowed to burn while occupants of offices were out of the building.

Another group of Chowan County white boys left for Fort Bragg to undergo a physical examination to determine whether or not they will be inducted into the U. S. Army. Edenton High School's debating team split honors with Washington High in the state-wide debate.

Promoting History As Travel Attraction



More than 50 Eastern North Carolina leaders met in Raleigh March 15 to plan development of their region's historical resources as a "Historical Trail" attractive to tourists. Pictured here are Mrs. Edward G. Bond of Edenton, representing the Albemarle Area Development Association, of which Dick Atkinson is president; Henry J. MacMillan of Wilmington, chairman of the New Hanover County Historical Commission, and Mrs. Fred Morrison of Washington, D. C., chairman of the Roanoke Island Historical Association which sponsors "The Lost Colony" at Manteo. Mrs. Bond distributed letters at the historical Pilgrimage of Colonial Edenton and Currituck which will be held April 19-21.