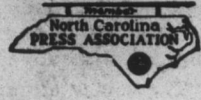


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A LIFT FOR TODAY

The blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin.—1 John 1:7.

Christ's promise is to all men everywhere. If we seek him, we find him and know that he is the Supreme Reality of life.

Almighty God, may the day soon come when Thy Beloved Son shall become the most real person in existence, reigning in the heart of mankind.

Severe Loss

Edenton and the medical profession in particular have lost a very valuable citizen and surgeon in the passing Saturday of Dr. Frank Wood. His reputation as a surgeon was well known and his loss as a citizen causes a void which will be hard to fill.

He devoted the major portion of his life to alleviation of suffering among human beings and, without doubt, many people owe an extension on the lease of life to his knowledge of anatomy and skill in the use of operating instruments.

Dr. Wood was very much interested in his vast number of patients and many times went far beyond the call of duty to bring relief and comfort to those who were under his care. He devoted his life in combatting human ills, and it is a bit of irony that in his own condition he was unable to render the same relief to himself that he so unselfishly did for others.

Dr. Wood was the first surgeon when the Chowan Hospital came into being and due to his interest and ability, much of the hospital's success can rightly be attributed to him. The Herald joins in extending to the family and host of friends its sympathy in the passing of a very valuable citizen.

"Cooperation" Again!

Two groups have spent a great deal of time, energy and effort in the interest of making Edenton a safer, healthier and happier place to live.

These two groups are officials of the District Health Department and State Board of Health.

Both groups appeared at the meeting of Town Council Tuesday night with recommendations, which, if carried out at least for the most part, will go a long way to make traffic safer and correction of sanitation deficiencies.

Representatives of the District Health Department and State Board of Health submitted a report of an environmental sanitation survey and proposed plan for correction of sanitation deficiencies which was made May 18-21. This report points out many deficiencies as to housing, water supply, sewage disposal, refuse sanitation, accumulation of rubble, unstacked lumber and artificial containers and mosquito control.

For the most part, recommendations to correct existing conditions as pointed out can be accomplished without a great deal of expense. And with the active support and cooperation of the town, together with the citizens of Edenton, the plan can be carried out, which would add not only to the attractiveness of the town but would go a long way to curtail the annoyance of insects and rodents. The plan and recommendations provide an excellent project to be undertaken by various groups in Edenton and Mayor John Mitchener informed the health officials Tuesday night that Town Council was very much interested in carrying out the recommendations and that he hoped some of the organizations in Edenton would adopt some of them as a project.

Then, too, many of the recommendations can be complied with by citizens themselves. The full report of the survey and recommendations can be seen at the Town Office, so that if any citizen or group will cooperate or adopt a project, the information is readily available.

The Jaycees also presented a report on a recent survey of traffic signs in Edenton. This, too, was quite an undertaking and the Jaycees are to be commended for being one of three clubs in North Carolina to complete the survey, which is a statewide project.

In their report it was pointed out that 291 signs were checked and that of this number only 65 could be classed as being in good condition. Some are too low to the ground, some are bent and quite a few need painting.

To put these signs in first class shape

Heard & Seen By Buff

Fourth of July was a very delightful occasion for one of Edenton's grand old ladies. On that day Mrs. B. F. Francis celebrated her 95th birthday. There was no celebration, but Mrs. Francis had as her guests for the occasion her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Francis of Queen's Village, Long Island, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Gast, also of Long Island and three of her grandchildren from Connecticut. The Herald joins Mrs. Francis many friends in the hope that she will have many more birthday celebrations as the one she had Thursday of last week.

Another very happy person on Monday of this week was the wife of ye editor. The Missus has had her arm in a cast for about six weeks and on Monday Doc Hardin yanked the stuff off. She sort of felt like a bird out of a cage, but soon discovered that she must sort of learn all over again how to use her fingers and wrist—and was warned to be careful how she uses them.

I should charge at least one subscriber to The Herald a little more for her subscription. The other day she was asked if she had read a certain story in The Herald. "No," she said, "I always take it along to bed with me, for reading it puts me to sleep." An extra charge should be made for a "sleeping pill".

Well, another Fourth of July has passed and according to the boats on the water hereabout and the number of fishermen out for the day, it might be well to change the name of the holiday from National Independence Day to National Fishing Day. However, from most reports I've had about fish caught maybe it would be better to call it National Boating Day.

And speaking about the Fourth of July, there was ringing of a few bells in Edenton, even if not for long. About the longest ringing was in my back yard, where I swung around an antique school bell which belongs to the Missus. Anyway, it was a sane and safe way to celebrate the Fourth. Going back to the early American manner of celebrating Independence Day, "Let Freedom Ring" project has gained remarkable momentum in a short time. The plan was started in February of this year by two Connecticut Yankee writers, Eric Sloane and Eric Hatch. The Committee of Erics, as the two founders are sometimes called, took their inspiration partly from what John Adams wrote to his wife Abigail on the famed July 4 of 1776. He said the day should be "solemnized with pomp and parade, with shows, games . . . bells from one end of this continent to the other, from this time forward forevermore." Anyway, it is far better to celebrate the birthday of this nation with bells than firecrackers.

An inquiry from a Herald subscriber in Richmond, Indiana, DeWitt C. Cooper, is as follows: "Do you know whether that film that was made in Edenton giving the highlights of its history is still floating around? I never did get to see it as I am of the opinion that it has not been shown up this way." Then Mr. Cooper further says: "I see that you are still active enough to get your name mentioned about once a week in the Herald, which is all to the good. Don't let the reporters overlook you." But what reporters?

Another letter was received from Mrs. Glenn Hamilton, who lives in Eureka, California. In the letter containing her renewal to The Herald Mrs. Hamilton said, in part: "Thank you so much for continuing to send the paper. It is all I have to keep in touch with my dear old home town. I don't know any of the names or streets hardly any more but do love to read what is going on there. I have been gone for 17 years now."

The weather here about took a sudden change early this week, so that it almost tempted a fellow to take a glance at the long jeans, now stored away for the summer. But we'll be having more of the sweat variety of weather, when we can forget about the oil bills.

would, of course, tend to make driving safer, so that the Jaycees are to be commended for their interest in public safety.

The report was presented so that Councilmen would be informed of the condition of signs and it will, to be sure, spur authorities to remedy the situation.

Both reports again bring to mind that oft-repeated word "cooperation."



FLOWER GIRL—Dianne Cohen, 2, couldn't resist touching a tulip at New York's Botanical Gardens. Camera pictures her caught-in-the-act expression.

Over 200 Complete Swimming Classes

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Venters, Mary Thorud, Emily Holmes, Ruth Overman and David Holton. "Swimmer Aide Instructors" were: Kappy Kirtley, Barbara Townson, Gray Kirtley, Anne Graham, Brian Twiddy, Rita Mayo, Scotty Harrell, Jean Goodwin, Bud Holmes, Carmen Goodwin, Jay Ross, Wesley Chesson, Jim Elliott, Jim Bass, Nettie Faire Lassiter, Francis McCaskill, Lyman Partin and Al Partin.

Those who finished the courses and successfully completed all skill requirements may now pick up their Red Cross certificates in the Civil Defense office which is located in the Joseph Hewes Hotel. Swimmer emblems are also now available for those who didn't receive one upon completion of their tests.

Graduates of the classes are as follows:

Swimmers: Martha Parrish, Joe Stone, Bud Holmes, Kappy Kirtley, Gray Kirtley, Jim Elliott, Anne Graham, George Holmes, Kim Venters, Earl Chesson, Lee Nixon, Dillard Dixon, Mike Covington, Tom Cross, Chris Venters, Brian Twiddy, Lance Adams, Jeff Mabe, Johnny Floors, Frankie Katkaveck, John Graham, Danny Hassell, Carroll Lassiter, Skinner (Buddy) White, Brenda Harlow, Scotty Harrell, Rita Mayo, Al Partin, Lyman Partin and Ann Parrish. Intermediate Swimmers: Gary Swanner, John Sutton, Brenda Stallings, Martha Jean Britton, Judy White, Allen Swanner, Steve Katkaveck, Jill Mabe, Ginna Jones, Quinton Goodwin, Judy Goodwin, Logan Elliott, Ellen Cuthrell and Bonnie Conger.

Advanced Beginners: Dale Elliott, Rob Roy Holmes, Rachael Holmes, Ed Hassell, Debbie Wilkins, Judy Mills, Beth Katkaveck, Tommy Jackson, Linda Harrell, Reggie Griffin, Donald Graham, Cam Byrum, Charles Britton, June Wiggins, Julia Tribou, Walter Harlow, Jane Parks, Donald Goodwin, Elliott Harrell, Jane Spruill, Karen Spruill, Peggy Nixon, Jane Holmes and Myrtle Hoffer.

Beginners and others: Bill Chesson, Mike Partin, Jeffrey Covington, Graham White, Merrill Perry, Joan Lewis, Tim Dowd, Cathy Spruill, Evelyn Harrell, Linda Riddick, Holly Reeve, Joan Ricks, Jean Ricks, Joy Hollowell, Betty Hurdle, Kay Stallings, Phyllis Rountree, Richard Hardin, Chris Elliott, Barbara Adams, Vivian White man, Vickie Evans, Marie Evans, Billy Perry, Kathy Dowd, Art Bunch, Wanda Bunch, Ronnie Wooten, Steve Leary, Mike Wooten, Steve Leary, Julie Habit, Ricky Ricks, Pattie Habit, Leonard Small, Donna Wooten, Scott Layden, Emmett Winborne, Michael Reeve, Blake Harmon, Sandra Goodwin, Jonathan Ward, Jane White, Faye Parrish, Ferrell Pavlich, C. Y. Parrish III, Jimmy Parrish, Jr., Shirley Alexander, Jimmy Bond, Billy Lewis, Pat Alexander, Henry Hinton, Mary Alice Byrum, Arnette Driver, Jewell Small, Kathy Easterling, Kim Easterling, William Elliott, Marion Hassell, Denny Hollowell, James Riddick, Hettie Wallace, Patricia Parrish, Tony Leary, Steve Owens, Anna Perry and Don Bunch. Walter Carlyle Thrift, Roberta Hoffer, Linda Parrish, Janet Faye Hollowell, Linda Monda, Millard (Tony) Rollins, Eleanor Casper, Ronnie Alexander, Paula Lee Powell, Joanne Covington, Ronnie Harrell, Janet Gayle Oliver, Scott Privott, Marion Hassell, Linda Faye Hoffer, Joy Hollowell, Bruce Jones, Jr., Susan Jordan, Mary Alice

King, Steven Layden, Tony Leary, Pattie Lynn Lewis, Ann Phthisic, Holly Reeve, Betz Ricks, Jackie Ricks, Kenneth Riddick, Arnette Driver. Mrs. Marie Evans, Barbara Adams, Shirley Alexander, Herman Bond, Richard Britt, Darlene Bunch, Don Bunch, Jo Anne Bunch, Walter Graham Byrum, Jay R. Caldwell, Steven Champagne, Wayne Ray Champagne, Claire Copeland, Angela M. Crumme, Donna Lynn Dale, Billy Joe Dickens, Bettie Dixon, Kathleen Dowd, Michael Dowd, Kim Easterling, Vicky Evans, Bill Garwood, Russell Garwood, Franklin Hanna Habit, Pattie Anne Habit, Steven D. Hare, Blake Harmon, Gale Harmon, Evelyn Harrell, Ikie Harrell, Joy Harrell, Lu Anne Harrell, Kent Haskett, Dennis Hollowell, Ricky Hughes, Joan Jordan, Deborah Judd, Scott Layden, Joan M. Lewis, Teresa Lovett, Melissa Parham, Warren Pfeil, Haywood McKay Phthisic, Michael Reeve, Edith Riddick, Kathy Riddick, Linda Ruth Riddick, Anna Wrae Rountree, Kenneth Rountree, Sandra Rountree, Leonard Small, Jr., Jessica Irene Spruill, Kay Stallings, Nancy Twiddy, Hettie Wallace, Alyson Ward, Claire Ward, Rebecca Warren, Graham White III, Vivian Whiteman, Robert R. Wright, Anna Perry, Al Adams, Jimmy Bond, David Copeland, JoBelle Garwood, Cynthia McIver, Martha Parker, Mrs. Iris Mills, Mary Sexton, Pat Reeves, Faye Parrish, Buddy Oliver, Allen Mills, Regina Paige Hurdle, Betty Jo Rountree, Phyllis Rountree, Jewell Small, Toni Smith, Kathy Spruill, Marcia Stallings, Betsy Twiddy, Cathy Waller, Jonathan Ward, Brabble Warren, Mac Washington, Donna Wooten, Billy Lewis,

Patricia Alexander, Jane White, Terry Beacham, Blair Gibson, Valerie Goodwin, Debra Johnson, Rosemary Holmes, Scott Keeter, C. Y. Parrish, John W. Ricks, Jr., Jean Tribou, Henry Hinton. The swimmer group will be offered lifesaving instruction at a pool later in the summer. Tentative plans also include classes for beginners only, depending upon the needs and availability of qualified instructors.

In 1927 he married Martha Michael of Waynesville, N. C. He is survived by his widow, Dr. Martha Wood; a son, Frank Wood, Jr., of Boston, Mass.; a daughter, Mrs. Peter Schroeder of Medford, Mass.; three brothers, Julien Wood, Thomas Wood, and James E. Wood, all of Edenton; two sisters, Miss Sara Wood of Virginia Beach and Mrs. Grice McMullan of Richmond, Va.

Dr. Wood was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity, a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons and a former senior warden of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Edenton. A funeral service was held at St. Paul's Church Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The Rev. George B. Holmes officiated and burial was in Beaver Hill Cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Dr. Richard Hardin, Dr. Roland Vaughan, Dr. David Wright, Dr. Polk Williams, Dr. Archie Walker and Dr. Al Stanton.

Bids Opened Today For Watershed

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Interest Seems To Lag In Edenton's Recreation Program

Paul Stanton, director of summer recreation in Edenton, early this week expressed somewhat disappointment that more local youngsters are not taking advantage of the summer program. He hopes more boys and girls will turn out to participate in the various games and asked that the following schedule be reprinted:

Baseball
Baseball games begin at 2:30 and 4:30 P. M. Little League, 8 to 12 years, Monday through Friday at 4:30. Pony League, 13-18 years, Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 2:30.

Softball
Girls, 9 to 18 years, Tuesday and Thursday at 2:30. Women, Wednesday night at 7 o'clock. Men, Tuesday and Thursday nights at 6:30 and 8 o'clock.

Tennis
Beginners classes (ages 8 through adult). Girls, 9 to 10 A. M. Monday and Wednesday. Boys, 10 to 11 A. M. Monday and Wednesday. Adults 5 to 6 P. M. Tuesday and Thursday.

A tennis tournament will begin Monday, July 22. Group golf lessons are given for all ages from 9 to 11 A. M. Tuesdays.

Activities for younger children, 7 to 12, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 9 to 12. Tuesday, 2 to 6.

Other supervised activities include volleyball, badminton, basketball and horseshoes.

But no pleasure is comparable to the standing upon the vantage ground of Truth.

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Restoring Cupola House Planned

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At a meeting of the Historical Commission held here June 29th Miss Elizabeth Moore traced the ownership of the house from the first owner, Richard Sanderson, to the present. According to Miss Moore, the paneling was sold by Miss Tillie Bond before 1918 when she sold the house to a group of local citizens interested in preserving the house. This group later formed the present Cupola House Association.

David Warren, president of the Cupola Association, gave a report on the association. A restoration committee is to be named from the Cupola House Association and the Historical Commission.

Dr. Robert Lee Humber, chairman, presided at the meeting attended by Sam Tarlton of the Department of Archives and History, Mrs. K. S. Trowbridge of Plymouth, Dan Paul of Raleigh, Mrs. Joseph C. Mason of Winston-Salem, Rep. and Mrs. B. Warner Evans, Richard D. Dixon, Jr., Mrs. Edward G. Bond, Mrs. W. B. Rosevear, Mrs. Inglis Fletcher, John Graham, Miss Elizabeth Moore, Mrs. Lena Leary, David Warren, Mrs. W. J. P. Earnhardt and Mayor John Mitchener.



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