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Hamilton Beach Selects Beaufort For New Plant

Hamilton Beach will locate al\$5 million plant in Washington instead of Edenton date of Halloween-falls on labor available.

A. O. Wolf, vice president and general manager of the small appliance manufacturing company, made the firm's choice known Thursday in a letter to Robert W. Moore of Edenton Chamber of Commerce. The announcement was made statewide Sunday morning.

sorry to inform him the firm community center and a lot had decided to locate the of fun is expected. plant in Washington.

mean it is because we were be met with more treats if very much impressed by your they confine their activity community and your people," to Monday. This Sunday is Wolf wrote the chamber one which should be kept executive. "Actually, the Holy. only reason we have chosen Washington is that after our labor survey we felt that there were more people available to us in the Washington area for our present

needs. Wolf went on to say Hamilton Beach officials were "so much impressed by your community and its attributes doubled in size in two that we are going to rec- months and merely got away. ommend it for consideration Any angler will tell you the by other divisions of our big ones aren't easy to net. company, who will be look-Continued on Page Six

Area Studies Will Be Made

Five extensive studies of this area as well as base mapping will be completed within two years as Edenton officials move to insure orderly growth.

The surveys include: Land use; population and eco-nomic development; land de-spected as a community velopment plan; revision to zoning ordinance and extraterritorial zoning; and annexation.

Planning Division of the servation and Development building two small plants. cooperation with the fedin eral government.

The Public Parade KALLOWEEN - At least "fish" too heavy for Edentwo community events are ton's test line. planned hereabouts for Halloween. They should suffice

for all those interested in funmaking and masquerading.

October 31-the traditional because they feel the Beau- Sunday this year. That posfort County area has more ed a problem for Edenton Woman's Club, sponsors of a gigantic party for the oc-

casion, Club officials chose to have their parade and party

on Monday, the day following Halloween. Up at Rocky Hock they have a big community Halloween party and it will be

held tonight (Thursday). It Wolf wrote Moore he was begins at 6 P. M., at the

Those in Edenton interest-"When I say I am sorry I ed in trick-or-treating will

> ton officials who sought an- er industries looking for only other modern industry for the best communities in this area don't have to hide which to locate on immediin shame over an announce- ate notice: Our anglers will ment the plant will locate in hook you if you don't watch Washington.

This story is one of a big "fish" which more than Sure, we would have delighted in seeing Hamilton

Beach come to Chowan. In addition to adding to our already excellent industrial climate, this progressive firm would have built a \$5 million plant and added \$2.5 million annually to our economy via payroll. It would also have provided jobs for

some 800 people. See, we are talking about really big "fish" and big league industry hunting. Edenton, while losing this plant, has proven by being in the running right down to the spected as a community.

Some two months or more ago when first contact was made, with an anonymous All of the studies will be firm, they talked of a plant done by the Community employing 250 with a steady increase upwards. They, at N. C. Department of Con- that time, were talking about Company officials liked

Edenton, they liked our peo-An agreement for these ple. They were so impressstudies was reached last ed they stayed around two week at a called meeting of days when they actually had the council at which time a come for only three hours.

In defeat, Edenton gained a victory. A lasting impression was made on the officials of this company and they will be thinking of Edenton in future years. What will come in the fu-

ture, no one knows, but it will come. The Chamber of Commerce industrial development committee has as its goal: "Service to and the preservation and expansion of present industry and the solicitation of additional and diversified

industry." This is a big order and one which places existing industry above the solicitation of new plants. The labor survey, though only scratching the surface of available iabor in a 30-

mile radius of Edenton, shows there is enough workers for those plants already located here and some new ones. So, while this "fish" got too

big for us to handle let us GONE FISHING - Eden- put Hamilton Beach and othout.

> JUST OPPOSED? Well, we see by one of our favorite morning newspapers

where the Ku Klux Klan is getting some help from at least two distinguished North Carolinians in opposing the \$300 million road bond issue. Over the weekend, State Senator Ralph Scott of Alamance waived a bond issue promotional piece and cried: 'Where are the new roads?' That question has pretty well been answered by career highway officials who know more about road construction than the good senator knows

about politics. Now comes another ex- has tapped one of its youngstate leader, also with hurt est and prettiest members to feelings and whose hide still spearhead the club sponsorstings from the whipping he ed 1965 Christmas parade. received in two recent primaries. We speak of Capus sumed her duties as parade Waynick of High Point. Friend Capus is not in tee is already well under-Gov. Dan Moore's inner way with plans for the funccircle, having gone down tion scheduled for Friday,

with the liberals. Suddenly December 3. he becomes so conservative as to pass the word that in- Rep. W. J. P. Earnhardt, Jr., terest on this issue is too big said various committees are a price to pay for immediate working out details for the

road construction. State Treasurer Edwin Gill, floats, bands, clowns, comwho knows something about mercial units, school units, finances, informs Mr. Way- fire trucks and yes, of course, nick that while the interest Santa Claus. will be sizeable, it will not



Santa Claus you are on a different frequency than Miss Jean Clark. She has been named chairman of the annual BPW-sponsored Christmas Parade in Edenton and has already started talking to Santa. Her wishes will include good weather, a good crowd and a successful parade.

Pretty Secretary U. S. 17 North Given Directing Parade Priority By Committee

The Edenton Business and Professional Woman's Club

to help itself. Miss Jean Clark has as-

chairman and her commit-The chairman, secretary to

parade which is to include

trespass, a plea accepted by The This parade is an annual

ton, state highway commis- report putting top priority in sioner, Monday was asked to this area on the four-laning help the northeast and the of US 17 between Edenton Albemarle area was asked and Elizabeth City and con- ly no problems," Byrum add- \$174,800 for the urban sysstruction of a shortcut to ed.

Tuesday '

premature to comment on the attorney general. the committee's recommendations. First he said there are 13 other highway commissioners. Then, equally as im-

come of the \$300 million road ommissioner

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Big Vote Asked For Road Bonds **By Local Leader**

Voters in Chowan County are asked to cast their ballots in favor of the \$300 million road bond issue Tuesday, thereby giving the proposal a big majority.

J. Clarence Leary said this is an important election for all of North Carolina, and especially for Chowan County. Leary said the First Division has a new highway commissioner and the

program.

day.

72 New Voters **Put On Books**

Seventy-two local citizens registered to vote during the period books were open this month, according to West Byrum, chairman of Chowan County Board of Elections.

Byrum said of those registering 46 were white and 26 were Negro. No new voters registered in Yeopim Precinct.

ty affiliation.

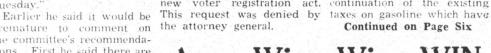
six county precincts includ- Club Monday night in sup-East Edenton: 32; 31 white

and one Negro. and 24 Negro.

Yeopim: None Center Hill: Two whites. Wardville: Three whites. white and one Negro.

board received no complaints ty will receive \$147,800 for from persons desiring to reg- secondary roads and the ister. tem.

You can do as much as I requested federal registrars passage of this issue will not can (to help this area) by be sent into Chowan County mean additional taxes. The getting out the vote next to insure compliance with the bonds will be repaid by a new voter registration act. continuation of the existing



Aces Win, Win, WIN

Two teams - Ahoskie and sights set on dumping the corder's Court to foreible bond issue next Tuesday. Plymouth — stand between high-flying 2-A Conference the Edenton Aces and an unchamps om Ede

Don G. Matthews of Hamil- gave Matthews a committee

At a meeting at Edenton Moyock,

'Leave Chowan' **Negro Is Told**

A man charged with false pretense entered a guilty plea in Chowan County Re-come of the \$300 million road

Restaurant, the Albemarle After receiving the com- the registration books on Oc- supporters of this issue in Area Highway Committee mittee report, Matthews said: tober 2 a local Negro leader making it most emphatic that

Leary, Chowan chairman of the Governor's Committee for Better Roads and a county Total registration in Cho- commissioner, said he has wan County now stands at found no organized opposi-4.154. Byrum said there are tion to the issue. He said 3.965 registered Democrats, local organizations, civic, fra-167 Republicans, seven Inde- ternal and elective, have pendents and 17 with no par- publicly endorsed the pro-

them," Leary said.

gram. He cited a resolution New registrations in the passed by Edenton Lions port of the issue.

area must demonstrate its

support for a sound highway

ilton, state highway commis-

sioner, told a group of area

community leaders Monday

they could go a long way

toward solving existing road

problems in Tar Heelia by

getting out a big vote Tues-

ernor and our highway com-

missioner we are behind

"We want to show our gov-

Don G. Matthews of Ham-

The chairman said the Jaycees are doing a fine job West Edenton: 31; 7 white in assisting in securing a big vote Tuesday.

Leary points out that \$19,-519,600 from this program has been allocated to the first di-Rocky Hock: Four; three vision. While \$13,205,200 will be spent for state rural pri-The chairman said his mary systems, Chowan Coun-"There were absolute- Town of Edenton will receive

Prior to the opening of The chairman joined other

other 60 per cent.

need to insure its (Edenton's) plants to one. To meet their proper and orderly growth needs this plant would have velopment of undesirable officials were told. conditions." It is further Labor immediate It is further Labor, immediately avail- the issue but, as in the sen- 482-2240. primary importance for the fore, a hastily called survey the town.

Town Administrator W. B. survey was called on a Fri-However, with the assist- pate in the survey. ance of C&D personnel and While the local sur ance of C&D personnel and

be done at this time.

of Education tonight (Thurs-

ministrative units.

7:30 P.

resolution was passed agree- And two weeks later they federal funds will pay the about the fact that Edenton was their choice for a plant. The resolution states that However, along the way the council "recognized the the plan changed from two

stated that community plan- able labor for training, in big ning is recognized to be of numbers was needed. There- vor of it on Tuesday. Mr. growth and development of was made in Edenton and ports, never got around to Washington. The Edenton

Gardner said financial re- day. It was organized over in our mind about the merits sources of the town are not the weekend and first notice of the issue they would be Squad's campaign for funds adequate to finance the ne- was sent out Monday. Just erased by such opposition as cessary and desirable pro- three days later some 1,350 is being voiced by the KKK. gram of community planning. people showed up to partici- RS and CW. Chowan County no longer

funds from the federal gov- impressive, it was not deem- Highway Commission. There- firms. ernment, this planning can ed sufficient to adequately fore, it is in the best inter- "A lot of interest has been tenced to 90 days on the first committee gathering. In the market value,

The council has obligated 800. And this was the added good majority be cast in fa- tion and we anticipate furth- ment of \$50 fine and costs Municipal Building, Wood cuss this valuation with the 20-yard Chesson to Charles Continued on Page Six pound which made this big vor of this issue.

School Boards Will Further Discuss

ing to pay 40 per cent of the returned for another visit. come from the bond money, project of the local BPW cost of such surveys. The There was no bones made as he would imply. All \$300 Club and launches the million will be spent on Christmas shopping season in roads-new and better ones- Edenton.

and the interest money will Miss Clark encourages orcome from other sources. Brother Ralph, who seems the parade by entering floats. determined that nephew Bob Additional information may Spruill as well as the court needs in the area, and to prevent further de- to employ 600 people, our doesn't become governor, is be obtained by contacting the costs. He was ordered to proposals will be considered

> vor of it on Tuesday. Mr. Funds Received Waynick, according to all re-By Rescue Squad saying how he will vote. If there was a single doubt

Edenton - Chowan Rescue Ricks. Jr.

staff an industry employing est of this county that a expressed in this organiza- count, suspended upon pay- earlier meeting in Edenton's Property owners may dis- Ten plays later-including a

the court.

Merger

years in prison but this sen- be built.

liam H. Floyd and \$53 to Joe posals and other highway

pay \$50 fine and costs driving but was convicted you are dealing with." of speeding 80 miles per

ment of \$25 fine and costs. to be done.

charge tuition for residents Edenton City Schools will charged with non support. Several months ago the living outside its administra- participate in the provisions tive boundaries. Local mon- of the Elementary and Sec- entered: John R. Halsey, second of-

ey for schools comes from ondary Act of 1965. Supt. County board to further dis- ance pledge to the Civil Chowan County Commission- Mayo said the system stands fense of driving drunk and ers and no special tax is to receive some \$50,000 in driving while his license was federal funds. Supt. Mayo suspended; Nathaniel Outattended a conference in land, reckless driving; Lloyd Greenville this week at Alvin Twine, reckless driving which time this program was and failing to dim lights; William Earl Brooks, speed-

A number of defendants

Jones, board members, were ern Association of Colleges were not current with past instructed to continue to and Schools. The local school court orders in non-support

stands to reason that if the defeated grid season. The Melvin Earl Barrington, issue passes and the commis- Aces defeated Perquimans his assistant, Marion Kirby, 38-year-old Negro, Route 2, sion has more money to ap- last week, 26-7, to rack up have drilled the local team Tyner, was sentenced to two propriate more roads will their 20th straight victory.

tence was suspended upon He assured his audience he Field at 8 P. M., Friday with game following what some ganizations to participate in payment of \$104.47 to Wil- was familiar with their pro- an "upset" minded team with considered a below average

Tax Valuations doesn't become governor, is be obtained by contacting in costs. He was obtained by contacting in costs. He was obtained by proposits with be proper and presented to the proper time." Going To Owners against Perquimans, is such against Perquimans, is such against proposition of three years.

charged with larceny, Judge Gilliam Wood, former high- Chowan County property a doubtful starter. William S. Privott sentenced way commissioner and chair- owners are being advised the defendant to an addition- man of a sub-committee this week of the new assess- 19-0 in the fourth period, al two years, but suspended which drew up the report, ed tax valuation for 1966. managed to rally for a score the meeting. "I can't help pervisor, said some 6,000 no- Aces this entire season. The Pauline Hill Revell was you a bit in the world," he tices are being mailed this Aces scored in each quarter the past week has brought in found not guilty of reckless said, "but this is a nice fella week from the tax office to and have scored in all but property owners. He said four periods in eight games. William F. Ainsley of Hert- these notices list the lots or

While the local survey was has a native son on the State were from 11 individuals or zone and failing to heed a presided at the luncheon valuation, based on 50 per and holding, the Indians, police siren. She was sen- meeting as well as an earlier cent of the appraised current forcing a punt that went out

er financial support," he said. and 30 days in the second said the sub-committee rea- appraiser between November Swanner pass, a 16-yard toss case, suspended upon pay- lized a lot of things needed 1 and November 12. Repre- to Dwight Flanagan and a Solicitor Thomas Chears. However, the sub-commit- praisals in Greensboro will Flanagan pushed two yards Jr., took a nol pros in a tee chairman said they were be here for these sessions. case where Ray Boyce was united in agreement that Those not satisfied follow- ener converted and Edenton more could be accomplished ing these meetings can ap- led 7-0 in the first stanza.

priority and a united front zation and Review prior to score early in the second pe-



Deposits in Peoples Bank The latest statement shows creased \$10 million. & Trust Company here have resources of \$72,491,606.54 of J. Gilliam Wood, Jr., is increased \$1,217,000 in the past which \$64,832,605.88 repre- chairman of the local board year while loans have in- sents deposits. creased \$504.800.

R. Graham White, execu- the bank's total deposits are sistant vice president, and James Bond and Bruce ing committee of the South- were brought into court who tive vice president and trust in the local branch while 12 George C. Hoskins, cashier. officer, noted these gains as per cent of the loans are he compared quarterly state- here.

Northeastern North growth of this financial in- E. L. Wells, Jr., is assistant

The Rocky Mount based bank's resources increased Dr. Bond, West Leary and lar monthly meeting of the Commissioners will meet at bank has 11 branches—Eden-Charles Wood are expected board were Dr. Bond, who 9 A. M., Monday, November ton is the ranking branch in 1962 and June 30, 1964. In addition to Edenton, in Nash-to attend the State School presided; West Leary, Charles 1, Chairman W. E Bond will the system

The bank gained more than -as reflected in the current Middlesex, Battleboro, Pinewhich the merger of the cilitated by the fact that Hill this week, along with Bond and Mrs. J. Clarence regular monthly meeting for \$10 million in resources from statement of condition - the tops, Enfield. Sharpsburg, June 30 and October 11, 1965. bank's resources have in- Hertford and Henderson,

with J. W. Davis, vice presi-White said 11 per cent of dent, George W. Lewis, as-W. H. Easterling is assistant vice president of the ments of the bank which Pointing out the rapid Consumer Credit Branch and

W. W. Shaw heads the Zebulon,

stitution, White said the cashier. little more than three months ville, Whitakers,

the Board.

discussed. The city board also receiv- ing; James R. Williams and ed a report on John A. Jimmie R. Dillard, no operafiscal 1964-65. The audit was ed a report on solution tor's license. Holmes High School which tor's license. was submitted to the visit-

Leary.

Dr. Edward G. Bond, city

. Holmes High School. Earlier the county board years.

initiated such a meeting at dministrative units was one Edenton City Schools do not Supt. Mayo.

the regular city board meet- units. Since that time the ing and the joint conference city board has adopted an invitation has been accepted "open door" policy which invitation has been accepted will allow any rural student by the county board. to request transfer to any This is expected to be the second in a series of joint meetings by the two boards as they plan for the future.

The Edenton City Board of many topics discussed.

day) will be host to a joint county board, headed by O.

meeting with the Chowan C. Long, signed a compli-

cuss merger of the two ad- Rights Act of 1964 in which

A motion for such a meet- would work toward the mer-

ing was made last week at ger of the two administrative

board chairman, will preside that this policy is an act of at the meeting to begin at M., in the office of Supt. Hiram J. Mayo at John portion-for more than 30

putting into writing what has ception of the transportation

city school and be provided transportation. Such a transfer would necessitate the approval of the county board. It has been brought out

they publicly stated they levied.

been practiced-with the ex- schools.

Max Warren of Raleigh,

certified public accountant

who audits the city school

books, was at the meeting

and submitted the audit for

This policy is further fa- Board conference in Chapel ----

work with a committee from has been re-accredited by cases. the Town Council to deal this group as a result of an COUNTY COMMISSIONERS with traffic problems at the extensive study.

Those attending the regu- Chowan County Board of

presided; West Leary, Charles 1. Chairman W. E. Bond will the system.

Wood, Bruce Jones, James preside. This will be the

serves Carolina.



extra hard this week in Ahoskie moves into Hicks preparation for the Ahoskie game last week. Quarterback Wes Chesson,

Coach Jerry McGee and

The visiting Indians, down

Edenton drew first blood Ricks said the contributions hour in a 55 mile per hour ford, committee chairman, acres, description and tax after kicking to Perquimans of bounds on Edenton's 41. sentatives of Southern Ap- 16-yard run by Ikey Davisfor the score. Bill Mitch-

The following waivers were if a single project was given peal to the Board of Equali- The Aces posted another