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SAMPLE BALLOT **Town of Edenton**

Municipal Election, 1967 **Tuesday, May 2, 1967**

INSTRUCTIONS

To vote for a candidate make a cross (X) mark in the square to the left of the name.

If you tear, deface or wrongly mark this ballot, return it and get another.

3. Mark only with pencil or pen and ink.

FOR MAYOR (Vote for One)

	JOHN A. MITCHENER, JR.
	ROY L. HARRELL
-	FOR TREASURER
	(Vote for One)
	JAMES- M. BOND
	FOR COUNCILMAN-AT-LARGE (Vote for One)
	J. D. ELLIOTT
	LEROY H. HASKETT
	FOR COUNCILMAN FIRST WARD (Vote for One)
	TOM H. SHEPARD
	JACOB HOBOWSKY
1	FOR COUNCILMAN SECOND WARD (Vote for One)
	LEO KATKAVECK
	RAY WARD
125	FOR BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

	(Vote for Three)	WORKS
	JESSE L. HARRELL	
	TOM C. BYRUM	
	JOSEPH H. CONGER, JR.	
124.00		

Chowan County Board of Elections.



Chairman.

SAMPLE BALLOT FOR SUBMISSION OF QUESTION AT SPECIAL ELECTION HELD IN EDENTON ON MAY 2, 1967

INSTRUCTIONS

- (1) To vote for or against the question the voter should make a cross (X) mark in the appropriate square appearing below.
- (2) If you tear or deface or wrongly

Big Viste Expected In Town Election; Interest Great On Public Works Issue

Edenton voters go to the polls Tuesday Public Works.

to elect a mayor, three councilmen, a treasurer and three members to the their ballots on an at-large basis for the Board of Public Works. At the same first time. In the past the councilmen time, a special election will be held on have been elected in their individual the question of abolishing the Board of wards.

In this election, voters will be casting

Edenton, Chowan County, North Carolina 27932 Thursday, April 27, 1967.

E. L. Hollowell, chairman of Chowan County Board of Elections, said voters will be given one ballot on which will be listed candidates for all offices. A second ballot, dealing with the Board of Public Works question, will also be pass-

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Where We Stand

Campaigning by individuals seeking public office in Tuesday's Municipal Election and discussions about abolishing the Board of Public Works has headed into the home stretch.

No election should be taken lightly. While some carry more emotional issues than others, all elections are important. It is at the ballot box, in our democratic system, that the people express themselves.

It is in this column that we share our opinions with all of those who meander along The Public Parade. In doing so, it is not intended to lecture as to what you do, but to state for the record the stand of this writer.

"Progress" would be the most descriptive word to put on Tuesday's election here. If Edenton is to continue to keep pace in the rapidly changing climate, progressive candidates must be elected to office and an affirmative vote must be realized on progressive issues.

Edenton does not just tack up signs at the entrances to town which state: "Progressive and Historical". Those who have been elected to office in the past have given unselfishly of their time and talents to make this slogan live. While on occasions they have gone in the back door, they have nevertheless enjoyed a great deal of success.

There are many capable leaders in this community. Some serve or have served on the Town Council, Board of Public Works, Chamber of Commerce, etc. Others have contributed in other ways.

With regards to our municipal structure, Edenton has been spreading its talent too thin for too many years. To have a mayor, six councilmen and five members of the Board of Public Works elected to operate a town of 4,500 isn't necessary. A concentration of talent on one elected board, the Town Council, would assure this community of greater

The polls open in the four wards at

ed out.

6:30 A. M., and will close at 6:30 P. M. The Board of Public Works question,

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as well as contests for all but two positions in the municipal government is expected to bring out a record vote. Hollowell said there are approximately 2,500 registered voters in Edenton.

Mayor John A. Mitchener, Jr., is being opposed by Roy L. Harrell, a political newcomer two years ago who made an impressive showing.

J. D. Elliott, a former councilman, and Leroy H. Haskett, veteran politician who is a former mayor, are running for councilman-at-large.

The First Ward race is between incumbent Councilman Tom H. Shepard and Jacob Hobowsky.

In the Second Ward, incumbent Councilman Leo Katkaveck is opposed by Ray Ward, another newcomer to the political arena.

James M. Bond, town treasurer is unopposed as are three members running for the Board of Public Works: Jesse L. Harrell, J. H. Conger, Jr., and T. C. Byrum, Jr.

Legislation calling for a referendum on the question of abolishing the Board of Public Works was supported by the Town Council on the grounds that Edenton needs only one policy-making board. This is opposed by members of the E&W Board.

If voters approve the question of abolishing the Board of Public Works, the three elected in Tuesday's election will not serve. W. J. P. Earnhardt, Sr., and J. P. Ricks, Jr., members who have two additional years to serve, would automatically become advisors to the Town Continued on Page 4





MR. CHAIRMAN — Henry G. Quinn, councilman-at-large and a downtown merchant, has more than a passing interest in Edenton's future. He is also chairman of the im-portant Downtown Committee of Edenton Chamber of Commerce which is continuously coming up with ideas designed to make Edenton more of a shopping center for this entire area. It was Quinn's committee which suggested an anti-litter ordinance which is now being enforced in the town and there is evidence this measure is working.

Clocks Will Be Turned Up Sunday

Daylight Saving Time comes to North Carolina at midnight Sunday when all clocks will be advanced one hour. This means everyone, regardless of their wishes, will lose an hour's sleep.

But those who make out until October without this hour's sleep can regain it when the clocks are turned back and Eastern Standard Time returns.

A check in the Edenton area indicates

Tour Set At Plants

Local plants plan to have tours of

there will be no exemptions from DST. Supt. Hiram J. Mayo of Edenton and Chowan County schools said all units will operate on DST beginning Monday. Students will hurry off to their respective schools an hour earlier and return home in the same fashion, giving them additional time for farm and home chores.

But for some, DST won't bother their schedule one bit. "When you work from sun up to sun down the way you set your clock makes no difference," one was heard to comment.

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Chairman, County Board of Elections

manufacturing facilities here May 16 and 17 during Industry Appreciation Week.

Robert W. Moore of the Edenton Chamber of Commerce said plants will be open for tours from 9 A. M., to 12 noon and 1 P. M., to 3 P. M., on the two days. He said tours can be arranged on May 18 if necessary and reservations are requested by the chamber.

Groups of students and others interested in viewing the local plants are requested to contact the chamber for a time to visit the plants.

Don't forget, Sunday midnight will automatically become 1 A. M., Monday throughout Tar Heelia.

Morris Gets Support

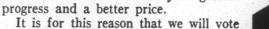
Members of the First District Bar Association have endorsed Judge Chester R. Morris of Coinjock for a seat on the newly established Intermediate Court of Appeals.

W. J. P. Earnhardt, Jr., local attorney and association secretary, said the attorneys met Saturday in Elizabeth City to discuss the endorsement of a colleague to the court.

Judge Morris, who retired recently as resident Superior Court judge in the First District and was named a special judge

The first district meeting was well attended and members of the First District Bar in attendance were unanimous

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on Tuesday "For" abolishing the Board of Public Works.

The soundness of Edenton's economy wasn't instantaneous. And it was not a one-man show. However, as retiring Councilman J. Edwin Bufflap observed last week, more progress has been made during the administration of Mayor John A. Mitchener, Jr., than anytime in the past 30 years.

Mayor Mitchener has been a dedicated leader in this community. His ability for leadership was recognized by his colleagues in municipal government and they elected him president of the N. C. League of Municipalities. This is a signal honor for Edenton as well as Mayor Mitchener.

In the past the voters have given the mayor men of varied experience and background with which to work. This should be repeated Tuesday with the

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Coach Vic Bubas Bubas To Speak

Coach Vic Bubas of Duke University comes to Edenton next month to be principal speaker at the annual Varsity Club sports awards banquet.

Bubas, highly successful basketball coach, will keynote the May 8 banquet at which time athletes at John A. Holmes High School will be honored. The banquet will be held at National Guard Armory beginning at 7 P. M.

Bob Ashley, president of Edenton Varsity Club, said tickets for this year's banquet are now on sale and can be purchased from club members.

Coach Bubas has completed his eighth season as head coach with the reputation of being one of the most successful basketball coaches in the country today. The Blue Devils were 18-9 this year with six of the losses being administered by Top 10 quintets, two by national champion UCLA.

Bubas' eight-year record of 176 victories and only 48 losses, including four ACC championships and three trips to the NCAA finals, has vaulted him far into the national limelight.

First as a player, the redhead was a star of the first magnitude on four great teams at N. C. State.

Second, Bubas began his coaching career on a winning note by compiling a 64-10 mark as head coach of the Wolfpack freshmen for four years.

Third, he was a highly successful assistant coach under the late Everett Case at State for four seasons.

In 1959-60 he switched from State to Duke, but his talented touch stayed with him.

Rep. Jones Recommends James Bond

WASHINGTON - Rep. Walter B. County for the post," Rep. Jones said Jones announced today that he was recommending to President Lyndon Johnson that he appoint James M. Bond of Edenton as permanent postmaster in Edenton Post Office.

Rep. Jones said Bond's name was forwarded to the White House following the announcement of results of a Civil Service Examination held several months ago

"James Bond was first on the list and I am extremely pleased to recommend this fine, outstanding citizen of Chowan



in making the announcement. Bond has been acting postmaster here

since December, 1965, when he was recommended to the post by the Chowan County Democratic Executive Committee. He was secretary-treasurer of the committee at the time of his making application to succeed J. L. Chestnutt, who retired.

The postmaster is a native of Chowan County and has been active in numerous community endeavors over the years. He is treasurer of the Town of Edenton and recently resigned as a member of the Edenton City School Board.

He was employed as executive vice president of Edenton Savings & Loan prior to going to the post office.

Faculty Is Re-hired

Trustees of Edenton City Schools have re-hired all principals and teachers in the system for the 1967-68 term, according to Supt. Hiram J. Mayo. Supt. Mayo said all positions are filled

at D. F. Walker High School and Ernest A. Swain Elementary School. There are five openings at John A. Holmes School and teachers are now being the for these positions.

Walker was re-hired for his school, Swain for his school, and Cecil W. Fry for Holmes High.



by Gov. Dan Moore.

in their support of an outstanding judge