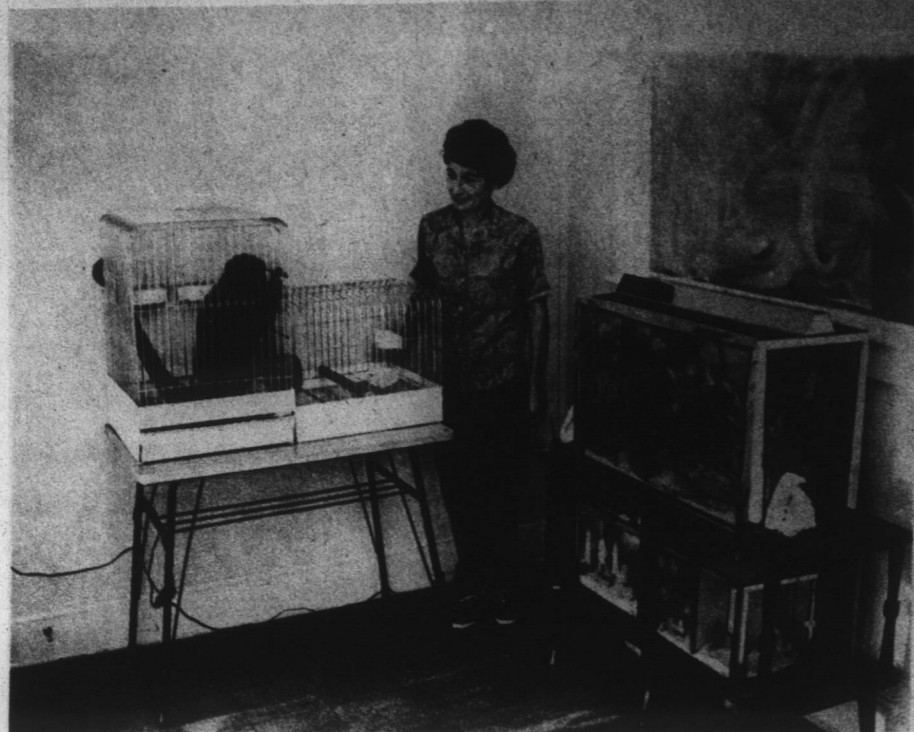


Learys Attend Esso Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Leary of Edenton attended Humble Oil & Refining Company's annual marketing conference for Esso wholesale marketers that was held at Hilton Head Island, S. C., May 30 through June 1.

Leary and other Humble marketers from North Carolina and South Carolina, met with representatives of equipment suppliers to discuss the merits of improved models of dispensing and control devices that are now available. In addition, company representatives reviewed for the group Humble's merchandising plans for the remainder of 1969.



PET SHOP OPENED—Penwell's Pet Shop opened Saturday at 407 South Broad Street. It is owned by Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Penwell and Mrs. Penwell will operate the shop. The shop will specialize in small animals and tropical fish, birds, monkeys, turtles, hamsters and others upon request. Pet supplies and food will also be stocked. A popular animal now in stock is "Willie," a prize monkey. The shop will be open from 10:30 A. M. to 6 P. M. Monday through Friday, and 9 A. M. to 6 P. M. on Saturday.

Town of Edenton, North Carolina

Proposed Budget For Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1969, and Ending June 30, 1970, As Approved By The Town Council Of The Town Of Edenton In Special Session Thursday Night, June 5, 1969.

Estimated Revenue

Property Tax	\$129,546.36
Street & Sidewalk Paving Assessment	100.00
Rent	420.00
Beer & Wine	8,000.00
E & W Revenue	116,723.35
Auto and Bicycle Licenses	1,750.00
Officers Fees	2,000.00
Parking Meter Receipts	10,000.00
Int. Delinquent Taxes	650.00
License Schedule B	11,500.00
Intangible & Franchise Tax	21,000.00
Gasoline Refund	2,000.00
Cemetery Revenue	7,000.00
Street Dept. Revenue	2,000.00
Unexpended Balance	27,500.00
Unexpended Balance, Powell Bill	100.00
Powell Bill	23,500.00
Chowan Fire Protection	7,500.00
Gas Refund	1,500.00
Miscellaneous	500.00
Dog Tags	300.00
Dog Pound	75.00
Cost of Advertising	150.00
Fire Dept. Revenue	200.00
Mosquito Control	100.00
Garage	10,000.00
Police Revenue	200.00
Inspection Fees	1,000.00
Electric Revenue	601,000.00
Water Revenue	44,000.00
Sewer Revenue	41,000.00
Sale of Merchandise	10,000.00
Water/Sewer Assessments	5,000.00
Interest	1,000.00

Total Estimated Revenue.....\$1,087,314.71

Estimated Disbursements

Administrative Department	\$ 36,626.00
Police Department	86,393.18
Fire Department	37,106.27
Street Department	149,313.26
Other Expenses	75,876.00
E & W Department	702,000.00

Total Estimated Disbursements...\$1,087,314.71

Administrative Department

Salaries	\$ 27,786.00
Salary of Mayor	1,200.00
Salary of Treasurer	300.00
Salary of Council	1,400.00
Advertising, Stationery, Printing	950.00
Office Supplies	500.00
Telephone	500.00
Audit	500.00
Legal Expense	900.00
Printing Proceedings	240.00
Miscellaneous Expense	650.00
Municipal Building Electricity	1,700.00

Total.....\$ 36,626.00

Police Department

Salaries	\$ 67,943.18
Gas and Supplies	5,500.00
Police School	400.00
Traffic Signs	400.00
Miscellaneous Expense	200.00
Office Supplies	300.00
Police Supplies	300.00
Parking Meters	200.00
Pistol Range	400.00
Printing	200.00
Uniforms	1,500.00
New Cars	3,000.00
Police Communication	350.00
Dog Pound	850.00
New Equipment	150.00
Photography	200.00
Auxiliary Police	200.00
Auxiliary Police Payroll	1,200.00
School Crossing Guards	2,000.00
Telephone	800.00

Total.....\$ 86,393.18

Fire Department

Salaries	\$ 25,281.27
Salary Relief Man	500.00
Volunteer Firemen	2,500.00
Uniforms	350.00
Miscellaneous Expense	150.00
Radio Maintenance	250.00
New Equipment	2,100.00
Firemen's Fund	100.00
Volunteer Firemen's Ins.	225.00
Equipment, Repairs and Maint.	1,300.00
Gas, Oil, Lub.	400.00
Station House Maint.	200.00
Station House Supplies	350.00
Fire Fighting Supplies	500.00
Training School Supplies	600.00
Office Supplies	150.00
Electricity	1,500.00
Telephone	650.00

Total.....\$ 37,106.27

Street Department

Salaries	\$ 73,648.00
Gas and Supplies	10,000.00

Operating Supplies	10,000.00
Sidewalk Paving	5,000.00
Street Sweeper, Mower and Tractor	2,000.00
Mosquito Control	100.00
Powell Bill	23,500.00
New Equipment	11,115.26
Electricity	450.00
Garage Account	10,000.00
Uniforms	2,000.00
Cemetery	1,500.00

Total.....\$149,313.26

Other Expenses

N. C. Dept. of C & D	\$ 3,250.00
Library	4,286.00
Street Lighting	6,500.00
Ocean Highway Dues	350.00
License Tags	650.00
Memberships	600.00
School Appropriation	2,750.00
Discount on Taxes	300.00
Misc Expenses	2,400.00
National Guard	1,300.00
Hospital Appropriation	2,400.00
Parks and Playgrounds	2,000.00
Social Security	8,750.00
Insurance	5,500.00
Municipal Building	2,750.00
Chamber of Commerce	500.00
Town Beautification	2,000.00
Hospitalization	2,250.00
Christmas Bonus	800.00
Sales Tax	150.00
Building Inspector	6,000.00
Summer Recreation	5,390.00
Off-Street Parking	10,000.00
Historic Edenton	5,000.00

Total.....\$ 75,876.00

Electric & Water Department

ELECTRIC	
Power Purchased	\$298,000.00
Line Maintenance	21,000.00
Line Extension	23,000.00
Plant Equipment	500.00
Plant Maintenance and Operation	4,500.00
Meter Equipment	5,300.00
New Services	4,000.00
Street Light Maintenance	3,500.00
Tree Trimming R/W	2,000.00
New Street Lights	14,211.00
Warehouse Acct. Elec.	4,000.00
Turn On & Turn Off	1,300.00
Sale of Merchandise	3,500.00
Christmas Lights	1,400.00

Total.....\$386,211.00

WATER	
Line Maintenance	\$ 10,300.00
Plant Supply	7,000.00
Plant Maint. & Operation	8,700.00
Meter Equipment	2,000.00
New Services	2,200.00
Power Purchased	6,500.00
System Imp.	2,000.00
Warehouse Acct. Water	500.00
Sale of Merchandise	700.00

Total.....\$ 39,900.00

SEWER	
Line Maint.	\$ 9,000.00
New Services	500.00
Maint. Equipment	900.00
Sewage Disposal Plant	11,000.00
System Imp. & Ext.	1,000.00
Power Purchased	5,400.00
Sale of Merchandise	500.00
Debt Service Fund	41,000.00

Total.....\$ 69,300.00

MISCELLANEOUS	
Radio Equipment	\$ 900.00
Maint. — Car & Trucks	3,000.00
Fuel Plant	300.00
Social Security	4,000.00
Board Salary	1,000.00
Insurance & Taxes	6,500.00
Telephone and Telegraph	1,200.00
Audit	700.00
Transfer to Gen. Fund	116,723.35
Postage and Office Sup.	6,500.00
Travel & Sub.	2,000.00
Meter Reading	4,700.00
Legal Expense	2,000.00
Hospitalization	750.00
Christmas Bonus	400.00
New Truck & Equip.	4,000.00
Miscellaneous	2,000.00

Total.....\$156,673.33

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS	
Capital Imp. Elec.	\$ 23,000.00
Reserve for Capital Imp. 1970-71	26,915.65

Total.....\$ 49,915.65

The revenue derived from property tax is based on an assessed valuation of \$11,000,000 at \$1.20 tax rate per \$100 valuation.

Prepared by W. B. Gardner, Town Administrator

New Books At Local Library

New books received at Shepard-Pruden Memorial Library include the following:

Fiction

Rage In Silence by Donald Braider.
Money For the Taking by Doris Disney.
A Stitch In Time by Emma Lathen.
Chapel Hill Carousel by Jessie Rehder, editor.
Seven Seats to the Moon by Charlotte Armstrong.
The Old English Peep Show by Peter Dickinson.
The Masqueraders by Georgette Heyer.
Bachelor Doctor by Elizabeth Seifert.
The Image Men by J. B. Priestley.

A Compass Error by Sybille Bedford.
Clutch of Constables by Ngaio Marsh.
The Craigshaw Curse by Jean Francis Webb.
The House of Green Turf by Ellis Peters.

Martin Luther King, Jr., Life, Martyrdom and Meaning for World by William Miller.
Twelve Cities by John Gunther.
Early Japan by Jonathan Leonard and others.

CARD OF THANKS

Belvidere.
The family of Inglis Fletcher, late of Bandon Plantation, wish to thank her friends for their gracious expressions of sympathy. Particularly we wish to thank our friend and physician of these 25 years, Dr. Roland Vaughan, and his fine supporting staff at Chowan Hospital for their able and kindly ministrations.

"I'm a builder. In my area, I've noticed a significant change of attitude toward electric heat... the acceptance is very good."

R. D. Wade, Charlottesville, Va.

Mr. Wade is a home builder. A very successful home builder at that. For the past two years, over 95% of the homes he has built have been electrically heated. Since he had the choice of any type of heating system available on the market, we asked him why he chose electric heat. This is what he said:

"It was the cleanliness, the convenience, the ease of operation and maintenance that electric heat affords you."

Mr. Wade, do you have electric heat in your own house?

"Yes, I do."
And how do you like it?
"The big thing I think we enjoy is the fact that the electric baseboard is controlled in each room of the house, rather than in just two or three places in the house."

Are you bothered by any noise?
"Electric heat in itself makes essentially no noise at all."

What does your wife think of electric heat?
"She, too, likes electric heat very much. Of course, the thing she enjoys so much is the cleanliness of the heat."

Mr. Wade, as a builder, do you find that there's a trend toward electric heat in your area?
"Certainly there has been a significant change of attitude toward electric heat in our area. A few years ago many people had misconceptions about electric heat, primarily in the area of cost. Now... the acceptance is very good."

Mr. Wade is just one of the more than 43,000 satisfied electric heating customers in the Vepco service area. If you'd like to find out how easy and economical it is to convert your home to modern electric heat, just call your Vepco Authorized Comfort Conditioning Contractor. His number is in the Yellow Pages. He'll come out and give you an estimate. In dollars and cents. And of course, at no obligation to you. Once you learn about all the advantages of electric heat, and how reasonable the cost actually is, we're confident you'll be one more satisfied electric heating customer.

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