

# From The Yellowed Pages Of The Chowan Herald

**30 YEARS AGO**  
James Raleigh Peele of the Rocky Hock section was appointed a County Commissioner to fulfill the unexpired term of W. H. Winborne, who died.

Edenton High School Band participated in High School Band Day exercises prior to the 105th performance of "The Lost Colony" at Fort Raleigh when over 500 musicians played in bands from the eastern part of the state.

The Chowan Board of Education met in special session for the purpose of opening bids on the construction of a vocational agriculture building at Chowan High School. No contract was let because the only general contract bid submitted failed to be accompanied with a two per cent check. Superintendent W. J. Taylor was

authorized to re-advertise for a contract. Edenton police broke up a wave of youthful gang thievery when two boys, 9 and 11 years old, were caught after entering the Cherry Grocery and made away with \$10 in cash and helping themselves to some drinks, cigars and cigarettes.

A Bertie County Fifth Sunday Sing was held at Cashie Baptist Church in Windsor in which some Edenton people participated.

Mayor J. H. McMullan acted as guide for a party of 10 teachers and students of the State Normal School of Oswego, N. Y., who were on a tour with Edenton as their southern terminus.

Miss Josephine Grant of Garysburg was employed as home economics teacher at

Edenton High School, succeeding Miss Madeline Trask, who declined the appointment.

Edenton experienced the heaviest rain in recent years, as the result of which a number of sections in town were badly flooded.

The Neuse Packing Company began canning tomatoes in the old Southern Cotton Oil Company building.

Prof. Robert McElroy of Oxford, England, was a prominent visitor in Edenton. He was a professor in Oxford University and was accompanied by Wade Marr of Elizabeth City. They were shown about town by Richard Dixon and the Britisher was very much impressed with the points of interest he was shown.

Twelve Chowan County home demonstration club members attended Farm and Home Week exercises at Raleigh.

George E. Harrell, 58, died suddenly at the home of his brother-in-law, Frank Rogerson, after being stricken with a stroke of apoplexy several hours earlier. He had been keeper of the County Home for 22 years.

It was a happy day for members of the Chowan Home Demonstration Club, when they met for the first time in their new community building at Cross Roads.

Flora Mae, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brady Hare, was seriously injured when hit by a truck owned by Marcus White and driven by Melvin Forehand. The accident occurred in front of the Hare home on Mexico Road when the little girl ran out on the road to get a ball.

Mrs. Mamie H. Wadley, 69, widow of Rev. W. T. Wadley, who was a former pastor of the Edenton Presbyterian Church on North Broad Street, passed at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alvin Jones, Jr., in Nashville, N. C.

havoc with the Albemarle League baseball games, so that a meeting of team representatives was called in order to iron out a schedule to get caught up. Mrs. Annie Granby received a letter from a Hungarian woman expressing appreciation for a box of clothing sent for distribution among the needy.

County Agent C. W. Overman reported that due to excessive rain over a two weeks period, Chowan County's cantaloupe crop had been damaged about 50 per cent.

Chowan County Commissioners agreed to pay jurors in Chowan Superior Court \$4.00 per day plus mileage instead of \$2.00 per day.

L. W. Herrick, Extension turkey specialist, visited 11 turkey growers in Chowan County and estimated that the turkey crop had increased approximately 25 per cent above the previous year.

Assistant County Agent Robert S. Marsh urged farmers to set aside July as "Chimney Repair Month" in order to make homes safer.

Miss Mary Louise Powe of Durham and William Henry Gardner, Jr., were united in marriage in St. Phillip's Episcopal Church in Durham.

Congressman Herbert C. Bonner informed The Herald that he was doing everything possible to get the proposed Oregon Inlet channel project in the River and Harbor Bill during the session of Congress.

Francis Hicks, local auctioneer, and his brother, Farrar Hicks of Wilson, also an auctioneer, leased the Hare home on Mexico Road when the little girl ran out on the road to get a ball.

Thirty-two boys and girls from 11 years old and 69, widow of Rev. W. T. Wadley, who was a former pastor of the Edenton Presbyterian Church on North Broad Street, passed at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alvin Jones, Jr., in Nashville, N. C.

Hector Lupton was installed president of Edenton Lions Club to succeed

Dr. Martin Wisely.

R. T. Daniels of Elizabeth City began his duties as sanitarian for Chowan County. He succeeded R. L. Griggs, who was assigned to the Bertie County Health Department.

Mrs. H. N. Ward, 83,

mother of Ernest and Julian Ward, had the misfortune to break her hip when she started to sit down and missed the chair.

West Leary was appointed chairman of Lions Zone 1 which comprised Edenton, Hertford and Elizabeth City Lions Clubs.

W. M. Rhoades was installed sachel of Chowan Tribe of Red Men, succeeding Leroy Skinner.

Three boats were at the county dock to carry away Chowan County watermelons. Though the crop was damaged by excessive rain, the quality was good and prices very satisfactory.

Miss Frances Alyne Perry and Norman Calvin Keeter were united in marriage at Ballard's Bridge Baptist Church.

Alexander Blaine, a

member of the Edenton colored school faculty, was elected president of Negro vocational and school teachers at a meeting held at Winfall.

The annual reunion of

the A. J. Ward family was held at the home of Mrs. A. D. Ward, Sr., at Gliden. Mrs. Harriet E. Parks, 84, died at the home of her adopted son, Carson Davis, at Ryland.

## S. S. Questions And Answers

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A. Unless you are eligible for a monthly social security check, you will not be eligible for the hospital insurance part of Medicare. You will, however, be able to sign up for the insurance that helps you pay your doctor bills.

Q. At the time my wife died she hadn't worked any during the years before her death. However, she had worked some under social security. Are there any changes in the law that now might enable my two children to receive benefits on her record?

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Q. I am a widow and have never worked under social security. Can I draw social security on my husband's record if I am not able to work?

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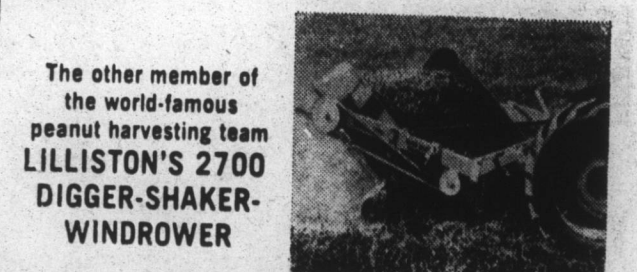


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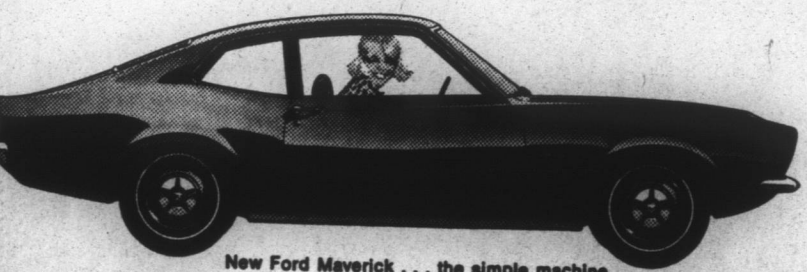
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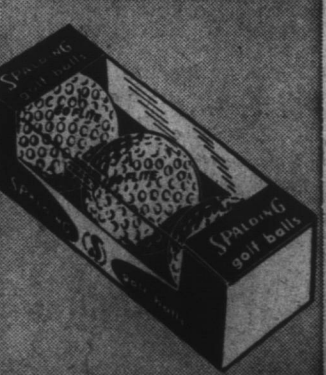
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