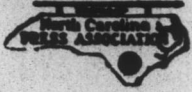


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THURSDAY, JANUARY 29, 1970

Edenton To Host Talk On Housing

The what, where, when and how of the new North Carolina Housing Corporation will be topics for discussion here March 10 at a meeting to be attended by representatives of four counties.

Edenton Chamber of Commerce will host the 10 A. M., meeting in the Municipal Building for Chowan, Gates, Hertford and Perquimans counties.

Joe Eagles, executive director of the new corporation, and Luther C. Hodges, housing specialist, will conduct the informal meeting.

Invited to attend will be representatives of banks, savings and loans, builders, realtors, mortgage bankers, local government developers, and any others that have an interest in increasing housing for people in the lower income class.

At a luncheon here recently with local officials, Eagles said he believes if the corporation gets rolling right away it can put Gov. Bob Scott's administration on equal footing with historians as they now write about Gov. Kerr Scott's good roads program.

"Those roads are narrow and crooked and a lot of people have died on them because of it, but at least they are paved," he added.

He said the North Carolina Housing Corporation, established by the 1969 General Assembly, is designed to aid families earning less than \$6,000 annually.

The legislation authorizes the corporation to borrow up to \$200-million which would be made available for building new homes. The major emphasis will be to provide mortgage financing for low income families, when mortgage money is not available from private sources.

Eagles said the loans will be aimed at principally one-family dwellings, with an average price range of about \$12,000 to \$15,000.

He said the mechanics of the loans would be handled by local financial institutions with the North Carolina Housing Corporation furnishing the money from borrowed funds.

'Bash For Cash'

A "Bash for Cash" program will be held in downtown Edenton Friday and Saturday to benefit the local March of Dimes campaign.

Bert Hughes, chairman of the Jaycee-sponsored drive for funds, said two vehicles have been donated and will be located at Broad and King Streets. The cars were given by Towe Motor Company of Hertford and Smith's Auto Parts.

Hughes said the Mother's March is currently underway and will end this week. Jaycettes are conducting this phase of the drive.

MITCHENER NAMED

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The newly constituted council will supersede the Governor's Council on Marine Sciences and the Technical Coordinating Committee which was set up by Gov. Dan Moore in 1968.

Gov. Scott appointed Addison Hewlett, Jr., of Wilmington, as chairman of the 20-member council.

Mitchener, who served 10 years as Mayor of Edenton, is a past president of the N. C. League of Municipalities and served as chairman of the Planning Committee of the Albemarle Area Development Association.

Heard & Seen

"By Buff"

Due to the illness of the Missus at the Bufflap home, this column must of necessity be very brief this week. This bit is written just before Kate again entered Chowan Hospital for glucose treatments in order to help regain some strength. She is so very weak and so sorry that she was unable to write her two columns this week. However, she's hoping to come out a winner and again be able to be back with her weekly columns.

If one drives on East Water Street in front of the Court House Green, it looks as though, the past few days, that all of the ice on Edenton Bay was shoved towards the Green. Anyway, the weather this week is a lot better than last week this time. Tanks, Mr. Weatherman!

Edenton friends will regret to know that Miss Myrtle Jenkins died Tuesday in a Richmond, Va., hospital. Miss Jenkins was for many years a teacher in the Edenton School, and her passing will be regretted by her many Edenton friends.

Brad Williford lost no time in getting to The Herald office shortly before going to press Wednesday morning. Brad was smiling from ear to ear as he passed over two cigars. One was because he became daddy of an eight-pound son Tuesday night in Albemarle Hospital in Elizabeth City. I asked him if the two cigars were for twins, but he soon explained that one cigar was for the newcomer and the other for his first son, which he forgot to "pay" for. Anyway, congratulations to both Mr. and Mrs. Brad Williford.

Malvin Parham, former Edentonian now living in Asheville, was kind enough to send a clipping from the Asheville Citizen concerning Ernest Ward, an Edenton boy, who was recently promoted in Asheville. The clipping, which will be of interest to Ernest's many local friends, follows:

RIGHT MAN FOR THE RIGHT JOB

Ernest J. Ward, appointed by City Manager Phin. Horton several weeks ago as the city's first director of finance, has wasted no time before digging into the job with a will.

He presented City Council last week a document suggesting 39 changes in the way the city manages its financial affairs. The importance of any improvements in these operations can be measured against the size of the current city budget — \$10.6 million.

Asheville has never had an executive with the overall financial authority that Ward will have—except for the city manager—and it is a job that requires full-time attention.

Horton is to be complimented for suggesting that City Council create the position, which will provide a centralized "service agency" for all the city departments, supervising purchases, collections, data processing, accounting, disbursement and stores and warehousing.

The Council is to be congratulated for approving Ward, who has done much to restore public confidence in the water department in the 10 months since he came here from Rocky Mount to take over its billing and services division.

In his new position, Ward already looks like the right man for one of the city's most important jobs.

Public Parade

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cess of this group that the audience got real attentive. He reported that since 1964 more than 1,200 new jobs had been created in Chowan County. This is from new industries locating here as well as expansion of existing plants.

Broughton recognized that Edenton and Chowan County has an enviable reputation in this regard and congratulated officials for what had been done.

The program consisted of a skit with Glenn, deputy C&D director, acting as a prospect and others being members of a local development team. The script could very easily have been taken from the minutes of a similar meeting with the local Industrial Committee.

This is but another piece of evidence that just because we happen to reside east of Rocky Mount we are not spinning our wheels. What has been accomplished here industrial-wise has been done without much assistance from the State of North Carolina. It has come about with local men, working with local government to be honest, fair and effective in obtaining the cream of the crops of plants desiring to locate in Tar Heels.

The accomplishments, while considerable, could have been even greater had we enjoyed the nice system of highways we see in other sections of the state. Although shortchanged, with the absence of interchanges and four-laning, our heads have remained high and our sights on goals which are challenging.

With some tangible evidence that the boys from Raleigh know we are here, gosh, no telling what will happen in this decade.

Expansion Of Food Stamp Program Will Aid Many

Chowan County residents certified to receive food stamps stand to receive additional bonus stamps beginning February 1, according to Robert Hendrix, director of the Department of Social Services here.

Hendrix said the economy of the county will be substantially increased by the new system of food stamp purchase which will allow recipients a much larger purchase power.

In December, 158 families were certi-

fied for participation in this program with 151 paying \$5,391 and receiving stamps valued at \$9,916.

Clifton M. Craig, commissioner of social services, said extended benefits of the program will mean a \$22-million a year boost to some 100,000 citizens in 47 counties of the state who will be participating in the program in the next several months.

Craig announced: "We plan to have the new schedule in operation by February 1, and it should bring an adequate

nutritional diet within easy reach of public assistance recipients and other low-income families."

Under the old issuance scale, a family of four with a net income of less than \$30 a month, would pay \$2 and receive \$58 in food coupons. Under the new scale the same family will pay \$2 but will receive \$106 in food coupons per month.

From December, 1968, through November, 1969, an average of 68,887 persons per month purchased food stamps in 41 counties. The recipients spent \$6,557,601 and received bonus coupons amounting to \$5,660,978 for a total issuance of \$12,218,580 worth of stamps.

Under the new scale if the number remains the same in these counties the recipients would spend \$4,133,215 and receive \$16,532,860 in bonus stamps for a total of \$20,666,075 in stamps.

The six new counties will have an estimated 23,200 additional persons participating per month for a total of \$6,960,000 worth of stamps. This means at least \$27,626,075 worth of stamps will be purchased under the new scale in 47 counties during the next year.

Commissioner Craig commented, "Whereas our number one concern is in the fact that this means more food for less money for our low-income families, we cannot overlook the fact that \$22,100,869 bonus stamps are the same as this much additional income in these 47 counties and should certainly have a positive effect on their economy."

It is anticipated that even more families will start participating in the food stamp program in these counties once they become aware of the highly increased benefits.

Active Term Given In Check Case

A Chowan County Negro was given an active prison sentence of 12 months in District Court here Tuesday after Judge Fentress Horner convicted him of issuance of a worthless check.

Henry Brownridge of Tyner, gave notice of appeal and his bond was set at \$300.

Brownridge was charged with giving Valhalla Corporation a check for \$65 which was returned by the bank. Judge Horner noted that the defendant had a previous record for the same offense.

David Walton, 35-year-old Negro, Route 1, Tyner, was given a suspended prison sentence and fined \$300 after being convicted of drunk driving. He gave notice of appeal and posted \$500 bond.

Leroy Holley, Jr., charged with a traffic violation in the same case, went free but was ordered by Judge Horner to pay a \$25 fine for failure to appear in court or serve 30 days in jail.

Solicitor Wilton Walker prosecuted the docket with the following other action taken:

James Holley, speeding, 60 days, suspended upon payment of \$100 fine and costs. Notice of appeal given and bond set at \$200.

Vernon Thomas Bunting, traffic violation, \$50 fine and costs.

Bobby Ray Downs, traffic violation, \$25 fine and costs.

William Ivey Whitehurst, traffic vio-

lation, not guilty.

Willie Percy Perry, drunk driving, 90 days, suspended upon payment of \$125 fine and costs.

Horace Sharpe, hit and run, not guilty.

David Lee Chamblee, breaking, entering and larceny, waived preliminary hearing and ordered held under \$1,500 bond.

Thomas L. Privott, failure to list taxes, nol pros.

Deborah Hope Brabble, improper parking, prayer for judgment continued.

Lewis Godley, larceny, not guilty.

Alphonso Welch, reckless driving, not guilty.

James Sessoms, traffic violation, \$25 fine and costs.

Jake Lycurgus White, drunk driving, 90 days, suspended upon payment of \$125 fine and costs. Notice of appeal given and bond set at \$250.

Clyde E. Bunch, traffic violation, pay

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