



## Report On Bypass

A U. S. 17 bypass of Edenton has been in the planning stages so long there are few who recall when preliminaries actually began. But all who meander along the Public Parade, as well as they who attempt to fight the ever-increasing downtown traffic to get on down the road, will welcome news that progress is being made.

It has been learned that an item on the State Highway Commission agenda this week calls for putting up \$1,041,000 to acquire rights of way for the bypass.

This is an encouraging step which, if approved, practically assures construction of the much needed and desired stretch of asphalt. This is a priority project along the Public Parade and one which has been caught up in all sorts of delays. It now, however, appears on the horizon.

## A Booster Exits

Those sincerely interested in the future growth and development along the Public Parade and throughout Northeastern North Carolina will not welcome the news that one of the area's strongest boosters has decided to retire in Florida. The departure of Loyal Phillips from the area scene will create a vacuum which will be difficult, at the very best to fill.

Loyal Phillips retires as assistant to the president of Dear Publications & Radio, Inc., on October 9. He joined the Dear chain in 1967 as general manager of The Daily Advance in Elizabeth City.

In less than five years he has probably done more than any individual or group of individuals to change the image of Northeastern North Carolina. He has promoted growth and development, not only of Elizabeth City and Pasquotank County, but the entire Albemarle Area.

Coming from the St. Petersburg (Fla.) Independent and the Ocala (Fla.) Star-Banner, Loyal brought new energy and ideas to the Albemarle. He was full of enthusiasm and possessed the unique ability to build a fire under those with whom he came in contact. He chose to

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## AADA To Meet

The September meeting of Albemarle Area Development Association will be held at the Seafare Restaurant in Nags Head next Thursday, beginning at 7 P. M.

L. F. Amburn, Jr., president, said Phil Quidley of Manteo will be program chairman. Quidley is chairman of the AADA Tourist and Recreation Committee.

Those who plan to attend the meeting on the Outer Banks should contact their county extension chairman immediately so reservations can be made. It is hoped that a special effort will be made by county commissioners and town councilmen from throughout the area to attend this meeting.

## Busby Joins Earnhardt In Law Firm

Max S. Busby, Country Club Drive, was admitted to the North Carolina Bar Tuesday morning during opening of the September Term of Chowan County Superior Court. Busby, a recent honor graduate of Wake Forest Law School, is associated with W. J. P. Earnhardt, Jr., here.

Busby was presented to the court by his father, Max Busby, a Salisbury attorney. The elder Busby was introduced by Earnhardt.

Judge Albert Cowper administered the oath to the new attorney and said it was a happy occasion for him. "Young lawyers are the bloodline of the legal profession," he added.

Then the jurist congratulated Busby



**Politics - Republican Style**—Jim Holshouser, the Boone attorney-legislator who wants to be the first Republican governor of North Carolina in this century, campaigned in Chowan County last Thursday morning. At left he is shown sharing a light moment with Mrs. David Wright. The candidate then enters into a serious discussion with J. L. Chestnutt, former Edenton postmaster and a staunch Republican. Story on Page 4.

## Container Sites Proposed

Chowan County was recently funded with a grant and loan from Farmers Home Administration to develop a joint Chowan-Perquimans County Solid Waste Disposal Program. The Chowan County Planning Board and Farmers Home Administration have assisted the Chowan County commissioners with this project.

The Planning Board has prepared a tentative map locating container sites for use in the Solid Waste Disposal Program. The selection of these sites is based on population density and land use surveys completed this summer. A primary objective is to locate the 24 sites throughout the county and to be within three miles of any resident. It is also the intent to centrally locate the containers within the area which it serves.

Furthermore, the containers will be designed for household trash and garbage only. Also, a few of the 24 sites will require more than one container depending upon its use. It will be the responsibility for incorporated towns and individuals with other than household trash to transport their solid waste to the landfill site, just north of Cisco on Secondary Road 1303, once the program is initiated.

A map designating the proposed locations is on page 6-A of this newspaper.

In order to accomplish this, it is necessary to request the cooperation and assistance from business establishments,

community centers, schools, and other property owners who might be contacted for the use of container sites.

Finally, the Planning Board welcomes any comment the public might have regarding the container sites in hopes that the Solid Waste Program will be a success.

Individuals may contact any one of the following members or by appearing at our next regular monthly meeting September 26:

George Lewis, chairman; Charles Overman; Woodrow Lowe, J. A. Webb, Jr., T. D. Berryman, Jr., Wilbur J. Priovott, and Pete Thompson (ex-officio).

## Mr. Perry Buried

Funeral services were held Tuesday for William Wesley Perry, 53, of Edenton, who died Sunday in Chowan Hospital after a brief illness.

He was the owner of Bill Perry's Texaco. He was a member of the Oakmount Baptist Church of Greenville. He served in the U. S. Army during World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Nellie Chappell Perry; three daughters, Mrs. Catherine Swain, Mrs. Mary Katzborg of Woodbury, N. Y., and Miss Robin Perry of the home; two brothers, Merrill Perry and Lynn C. Perry; one sister, Mrs. Virginia Pacini of Virginia Beach, Va. He was the son of the late W. S. and Mary Twine Perry.

Officiating at the services at Edenton Baptist Church were the Revs. Robert Gray and R. N. Carroll. Burial was in Beaver Hill Cemetery with arrangements handled by Williford Funeral Home.

## Aces Tie Bertie

By Flynn Surratt

Football season opened Monday night with the Edenton Aces battling the Bertie Falcons at Bertie. Although the Falcons were rated as a two-touchdown favorite, they were stopped short of their goal by a tie ballgame with each team running up six points on the scoreboard.

The Aces open at Hicks Field at 8 P. M., Friday in a game with Murfreesboro.

The Aces received an early edge by electing to receive the opening kickoff; however, they were unable to sustain a drive and the defense soon found itself subject to the onslaught of the Falcons. Initially, the Edenton defense showed a good deal of strength against the larger Falcons' offensive unit, but midway the first quarter, Bertie pulled together and went in to score, after one previous touchdown was called back due to illegal procedure.

In the second quarter the Aces ripped into the Falcons with a series of gains on the ground. Quarterback Bill Chesson completed a pass to halfback Richard Moring who cut into the end zone but the score was called back by a clipping penalty. Fifteen yards and one play later, the Aces suffered a bad loss of ground, and what appeared to be an obvious facemask penalty against Bertie was either not seen or not called. The remainder of the first half was a hard-nosed game of push and pull.

The third quarter started and was gone. The Aces showed genuine strength although several attempts at putting six on the board were stymied. The Falcons found a stiff wall of re-

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Three Seek Nomination  
House Seat Vacant

A three-way race has developed in the First House District for the Democratic party nomination which was vacated last week by Rep. W. T. Culpepper, Jr., of Elizabeth City. Rep. Culpepper, a veteran legislator who in May won nomination for another term, resigned due to ill health.

John A. Mitchener, Jr., of Edenton, and Stanford White of Manns Harbor, both of whom sought the nomination in

the primary, have said they will actively seek the post. Also working for the nomination is Joe Nowell of Winfall, a state highway commissioner.

Nowell considered running in the primary but did not file, saying he wanted to complete his term on the highway commission. Nowell was quoted last week as saying he would run if the people wanted him.

Mrs. Iris Ethridge of Edenton is a Republican candidate in the November 7 election. Vernon James of Weeksville is the Democratic nominee for one of the two seats in the district.

Melvin Daniels, chairman, Pasquotank County Democratic Executive Committee, who is charged with the responsibility for replacing Rep. Culpepper, confirmed Tuesday that Pasquotank will not put a name in nomination.

Daniels also said he will follow the letter of the law in procedures to nominate the replacement. He is asking party chairmen in each county to join with their two member State House nominating committee at the meeting to name the replacement.

"This is so very important to the area I certainly want to make sure it is done properly," the Elizabeth City banker said.

He is working with the Attorney General's office and State Board of Election on details for a meeting which is expected to be held next week for the purpose of nominating the Democratic candidate to replace Rep. Culpepper.

Daniels said the question has been raised as to how the vote would be

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## Bond Sales Good

Sales of U. S. Series E and Series H Savings Bonds in Chowan County for July were \$5,189.00. January-July sales totaled \$100,430.00.

This represents 109.4 per cent of Chowan County's goal of \$91,776.00, according to Graham White, County Volunteer Chairman.



**Bowles Visits Chowan**—Hargrove (Skipper) Bowles of Greensboro, Democratic candidate for governor, prepares to make a radio tape during Tuesday's visit to the Municipal Building, surrounded by aides. They are, from left: Jim Sugg of New Bern, state party chairman, and A. B. Harless, Jr., and W. H. Hollowell, Chowan County co-managers for Bowles.

## Bowles Sees No Place For Benson

B. L. F. Amburn, Jr.

State Highway Commissioner Cliff Benson of Raleigh won't be named chairman of the commission, nor even be a member, if Hargrove (Skipper) Bowles is elected governor.

Bowles, the Democratic candidate, "put to rest once and for all" rumors of the role Benson would play in his administration. "He is a good friend of mine and we have talked on two occasions within the past few weeks.

"Cliff tells me he doesn't want to remain on the commission, let alone be chairman," Bowles said in an informal address at the Municipal Building here Tuesday afternoon. "And I'm certainly not forcing such an appointment on anyone."

Benson has recently been in the state news because of an underpass he directed built at the Zebulon Country Club.

Bowles, who began his campaign for the governorship in Northeastern North Carolina, also denied that he would up-set major highway plans now in the

advanced stages, such as the Edenton bypass. "Nothing is further from the truth," he said. "We are not making any promises on roads or anything else along these lines. We are saving the highway dollars should be spent where they are needed the most."

He said Northeastern North Carolina is a good and logical place to launch a campaign for governor because this is where "problems and opportunities stand side by side." He added that there is more here than the tourist and agricultural industry and every effort should be made to inform "city dwellers what it means to their pocketbook".

Bowles added that if this is gotten across, then the urban areas, through their legislators, will be more generous in funds for research and marketing.

The candidate said he could visualize Edenton as a small boatbuilding capitol of the entire eastern seaboard if the educational opportunities are available and the right type industry is obtained.

Addressing himself to a question

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