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A COMPLIMENT TO THE EDITOR

We have received many compliments on the way we handle the Record. The compliments are in different ways. Some compliment us on the variety of news matters; others, on the typographical appearance of the paper and its make up; but one compliment last week was a direct offer for services for the head of this paper. We were offered a salary of \$2,350.00 for 52 weeks—one year—for work of 44 hours per week, a total of 2,208 hours for a year's work, at \$2,350.00, making over \$1.00 per hour for our service. This amounts to more than all the Zebulon advertisements we have been running each week. We refused the offer and are going to stay here and publish the Record for the benefit of our patrons, and we hope they will appreciate our services as others do.

A MISTAKEN IDEA

We receive many communications from people each week asking us to print same but none of these ever bear the writer's signature. Many of these communications are of a personal nature and refer to persons direct giving names. Some people think that a newspaper is run for the purpose of playing pranks or handing out personal jokes on individuals.

A newspaper is not printed for such purposes. A newspaper's prime purpose is to print the legitimate news gathered from all four sections—for the educational enlightenment of its readers. A newspaper is not printed to take the side of a person who has been done an injustice by another party, and to "literally roost" the party for his conduct. This is a personal matter and the parties concerned cannot air the matter through these columns.

Last week we were approached by several parties about a certain article that they said appeared in this paper. After careful search we failed to find any such article in the Zebulon Record. We gave a copy of last week's paper and week before last to a party and asked them to look up the article and show it to us. We have not heard anything from the party as to the article.

However, late last Saturday evening three young boys came to our office and said that a lawyer had been consulted about a certain article that appeared in this paper and we might expect to be arrested for publishing the news item. Our reply was "all right, brother go to it."

If parties in the future will investigate the news items in the paper their own self and find out the facts as to whether such items are actually in print before they begin to circulate such news stories, they will find they will save themselves much worry and the Editor will not have to put in any extra time looking over the paper to find a certain article. We are responsible for all news matter from the first page to the eighth page in the paper. We are here to print the news and when a certain subject is handed around from one mouth to another and made a talk around the town we can't see where the objection would be to print the matter if not of a slanderous nature—nothing more than a news item, and also made a talk by some people of the town. The news item referred to above did not appear in the Record last week.

REVIVAL SERVICES

The revival services at the First Baptist church is well attended this week. Rev. Walter Johnson is doing some good work here in Zebulon. He is a strong and forcible preacher, and is an earnest worker for the Lord. Two sermons has been preached daily this week, at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., with good attendance at both services.

COTTON GRADED AND STAPLED BY DIVISION OF MARKETS

The State Division of Markets is interested in seeing that every cotton growing farmer gets the very top price for his cotton. The best way to sell anything where there are so many different grades and staples, each one selling at a different price, it is, therefore, easy for some cotton buyers to under-grade the farmers' cotton and buy it for much less than it is really worth. It is not known that this is being practiced on any of the local markets of the State, but, even if it is not, it is a great advantage to the farmer to know just what he is selling.

The Division of Markets will send to any farmer tags and supplies with which to send samples of cotton to this office to be graded and stapled. Also, this Division will furnish any market information regarding cotton that is desired. Address James I. Johnson, State Grader, Box 285, Raleigh, N. C.

MARKETING SCUPPERNONGS

Perhaps the Scuppernong is the most distinctive fruit of the Carolinas, heralded in song and story. Since Prohibition came into vogue the commercial possibilities of the Scuppernong have been greatly reduced. It is believed that this fruit can be marketed to advantage for legitimate purposes and with this idea in view, Mr. Albert E. Mercker, Specialist in Fruits and Vegetables of the State Division of Markets, will assist growers in the marketing of this product. Two grades will be recognized, (1) hand picked; and (2) those shaken from the vines. Those to be used for grape juice can be packed in bushel baskets; the ones that are to be retailed for eating purposes should be shipped in berry cups. This is an experiment to ascertain just what can be done with this fruit through local shipments.

BURSTING OF CABBAGE

The bursting of growing cabbage may be prevented very easily by selecting the heads which show signs of bursting and starting the roots by pulling, or cutting off some of the roots with a hoe. The pulling process is preferable. Putting both hands under the head, pull until many of the roots are loosened and the plant is pushed over to one side. This treatment effectually stops the bursting, and not only that, but the cabbage continues to grow lustily, and I have the gratification of seeing the heads thus treated grow to double the former size and weight, and all due to this starting the roots, which checked the growth enough to prevent bursting, but did not hinder further development. There is no excuse for allowing cabbage to burst when so effectual means are at hand to prevent it.—F. A. M.

Union Hope News

A large crowd attended our Sunday school Sunday. Everybody is invited to attend every Sunday.

Mr. O. T. Debnam and family spent Sunday with their Cousins, of Seven Paths, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wilder.

Robert Debnam spent Saturday night with his cousin, Charlie Debnam.

Miss Ruby Batchelor and Miss Vera Debnam were the guest of Miss Nannie Bryant, Saturday night.

We are sorry to say that Mr. Lemmie Massey has been on the sick list this week, but is improving fast.

Miss Inza May Chamblee was the guest of Miss Laura Debnam Saturday night.

Misses Violet, Lalla Maud, Ruth, and Frank Chamblee and Misses Vera, Martha and Corinna Debnam, also Miss Sadie Driver were visitors at Mr. L. J. Massey's store Saturday evening.

Mr. O. T. Debnam was the guest of Mrs. W. H. Wagner Sunday night.

Mr. Condon Debnam spent Saturday night with Mr. David Massey.

Mr. Limmie Massey and Miss Vera Debnam and sister, Corinna Debnam, attended prayer meeting at Rocky Cross Sunday night.

Mr. Otha Massey was a caller at Mr. J. R. Chamblee's Saturday and Sunday night.

There will be preaching at Union Hope Sunday evening at 3 o'clock, by Mr. Robert Dunn, of Simms. Everybody is invited to go.

Messrs. David Massey, Proctor and Curtis Bryant were the guest of Miss Laura, Gussie and Lottie Debnam Saturday night.

Misses Martha Debnam and Madie Murray and Mr. Howard Wagner are attending their first year in high school at Middlesex this week.

Mr. O. T. Debnam and daughters, Misses Vera and Corinna Debnam and Mr. Proctor Driver were Raleigh visitors last week.

Mr. O. T. Debnam and Misses Vera, Gussie, Corinna Debnam and Inza May Chamblee were business visitors to Rocky Mount Tuesday. They also were visitors at the County Home below Nashville a few minutes.

Some folks will never need a radio to tune in on H-A-T-E.

Few good cooks can write short-hand or use a typewriter.

Sunday Church Notices

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH

REV. E. M. HALL, Pastor.

Preaching services, second and fourth Sundays, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Prayer meeting each Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Sunday school each Sunday at 10 a. m., Dr. J. F. Coltrane, superintendent.

Epworth League each Friday at 8 p. m.

Woman's Missionary Society, Monday following second Sunday, 4 p. m., Mrs. J. J. Whitlock, president.

Bright Jewels Society each third Sunday, 2 p. m.

Visitors always welcome to all of these services.

ZEBULON BAPTIST CHURCH

THEO B. DAVIS, Pastor.

Sunday school at 10 to 11:15 a. m., Dr. L. M. Massey, superintendent.

Worship at 11:15 a. m. and 8 p. m. Jr. B. Y. P. U., Sunday at 7:30 p. m., E. C. Daniel, Jr., president.

Sr B. Y. P. U. Tuesday at 8 p. m., Horace Winstead, president.

W. M. S., Monday evening after second Sunday, Mrs. F. E. Bunn, president.

Girls' Auxiliary, Sunday afternoon, Mrs. P. H. Massey, leader.

Sunbeams at 4 p. m., each Saturday, Mrs. W. H. Strickland, leader.

Those desiring to worship, serve, or give service are invited to all services. Pastor and congregation will welcome you, and render any help possible within their power to those in need of spiritual or other assistance.

Legal Notices

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT TAX PAYERS OF ZEBULON

Please take notice that the time for the collection of taxes is one year from the date it is due: The Commissioners can extend the time by action of its board from time to time; owing to the very strained financial condition of the Town and community for the past few years, the said time for collection has been extended from time to time by the said Commissioners of the town of Zebulon: The time has come where the said Town must have the money and the Commissioners have passed a resolution requiring the Tax Collector to proceed to collect all past due taxes by law: The law requires all personal property of a taxpayer to be sold and exhausted before his real estate can be sold, therefore, the Tax Collector will proceed at once to levy and sell all personal property of all delinquents, which can be found in the County within the next twenty days, and if he cannot find enough personal property to satisfy all delinquent taxes, he will at once proceed to sell real estate of such delinquent.

This notice is published by order of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Zebulon, N. C. and the instructions are given to the City Tax Collector to proceed hereunder at once.

This the 14th day of September, 1925.

E. C. DANIEL, Mayor,
By order of the Board.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE UNDER MORTGAGE

Under and by virtue of the authority contained in two certain mortgage deeds executed on the first day of January, 1918, and the first day of September 1920, respectively by Ivey N. Ranes, et al., to W. C. Ranes, the undersigned as mortgagee, and the first mortgage being recorded in Book 325 on page 265, and the second mortgage being recorded in Book 371 at page 111 of the Wake County Register; also, under and by virtue of third mortgage made and executed by Ivey N. Ranes, et al., to J. T. Shearon, et al., mortgages and recorded in Book 366, page 20 in the Wake County Register; default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured, the undersigned will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the courthouse door in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina, on Monday, October 19, 1925, at 12:00 noon, the following described property, to wit, the one fourth undivided interest of Ivey N. Ranes as set forth in the above mentioned mortgages in a certain tract of land in Wake Forest Township, Wake County, and State of North Carolina, adjoining the land of J. A. Williams, Wren Williams, S. H. Scarborough, and others, and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a hickory near Polly Faison's corner, runs south 9 degrees east 132 poles to a poplar at the Creek, thence down said creek 58 poles to the canal, thence south 69 poles to a stake at the road, thence westwardly up said road to the western line, thence along said line to the beginning, containing 108 acres, and being the same land conveyed to J. H. Mitchell by V. B. Redford and others by deed recorded in Book 128 at page 53 of the Wake County Register, and also being the same land that L. N. Ranes, formerly of the County of Wake, North Carolina, died, seized and possessed.

Dated and posted at Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina, this the 15th day of September, 1925.

W. C. RANES,
J. T. SHEARON,
By T. O. MOSES, Atty.
Sept. 17-4t

\$100,000.00

To Loan on Wake, Johnson, Nash and Franklin County Farms

Is the next payment on your land due or fast approaching?

Are you in danger of losing all you have on account of inability to pay your obligations?

Are you paying an excessive rate on your farm loans?

Do you wish to make some improvement on your farm and need the money to do it with?

Would you like to have money to pay cash for your Guano next spring?

The Zebulon unit of the North Carolina Joint Stock Land Bank of Durham, N. C. as now organized has immediately available for loans on farm lands in the above named counties \$100,000.00. This is a local organization in charge of local men operating through the North Carolina Joint Stock Land Bank.

An appraiser has been appointed for our territory and promptness in handling loans can be expected. Loans can be secured on farm lands whether or not the owner resides on the farm or is an actual farmer. Applications will be accepted for amounts of \$500 to \$10,000, payable on the Government amortization plan at 6 per cent interest which means that the borrower will pay \$35.00 semi-annually on the \$1000 which is 6 per cent interest and 1 per cent of the principal. This retires the loan in about thirty-three years.

The purpose and desires of the organizers of this bank are to eliminate the delays and dissatisfaction encountered in procuring a loan on farm land and to eliminate the red tape and reduce the expenses of the loan to the borrower. All loans are made under the supervision of the local board of directors of THE ZEBULON BANKING & TRUST COMPANY, under the direction of which the local unit is operated, and all details concerning these loans may be secured by seeing any officer of THE ZEBULON BANKING & TRUST CO., Zebulon, N. C.

You will be dealing with local people, your land will be appraised by a local committee, and we believe we can give the farmers of this section great assistance where it is needed.

The Zebulon Banking & Trust Company

ZEBULON, N. C.