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THIS, THAT AND THE OTHER

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I really had not meant to bring home any flowers from Hertford, but my daughter had some vinca different from any I had, and she wanted me to have some of her spice pinks, some oxalis and some seedling verbenas that have not bloomed and which she wanted to hear from later. Then Mrs. Williford at Hotel Hertford gave me cuttings of a double white petunia and Miss Kate Blanchard, who has for years taught music at Louisburg College, brought me some Japanese iris and some cuttings of Banksia rose. Mrs. Jesse Lane brought a lovely scarlet begonia and some ivy, so almost before I knew it there was a whole basketful of flowers to begin life in another part of the state.

It is wonderful how generous most flower-lovers are with their treasures, and how a garden can grow into a place of memories.

One thing I've learned this summer is that long twigs from weeping-willows are fine for tying dahlias to stakes or for fastening vines to a post or trellis. The willows are so pliant they may be bent in any direction and look better than the kind of cloth strings I usually find about the house and use to tie the plants. Twigs from other willows would probably serve, but they are much shorter and not so easy to weave together.

The funniest thing I've heard recently was a remark made by little Nancy Whitley when she heard that our daughter and her three small sons would travel by boat from Norfolk to Baltimore on their way to Pennsylvania. "Why," said Nancy, "how in the world can Crystal paddle with all those children in the boat?"

Another amusing remark was that made by a small boy to his mother. He was trying to describe a beautiful Maltese cat he had seen, but did not understand the name of the breed and said it was a "Model T Cat."

The fact that I know practically nothing of the whys and wherefores of making up a paper may explain my not understanding the News and Observer's putting the Deaths and Funerals column in the Sports Section.

No matter how often I see them nor who wears them, fall clothes in August look queer to me.

The first time I saw heavy wraps worn in this month was one Sunday about eighteen years ago when Lorna Bell and a girl friend who was visiting her came into the Methodist church wearing those heavy, wooly coats that looked like sweaters needing a shearing. The rest of us were nearly melting but Lorna and her friend were quite cool and stylish, in their autumn coats and under their autumn hats.

I remember, too, how F. E. Bunn turned to me and whispered: "Of

Tobacco Topnotch

The good prices at which the Georgia and border belt markets opened are holding up well. The prices are much above last season's and are steady. If these prices continue till the market of this section opens, farmers may expect an average far above last year's prices. There is great encouragement and hopefulness on the part of every one, for the best market in years.

The Wendell market opens next Thursday, Aug. 23. The indications now are that this market will have a big break. The warehouses will be ready for all that comes—plenty of floor space, a good set of buyers the best auctioneers and amply floor force to handle the tobacco

DEATHS

J. E. GILL DEAD

J. E. Gill, for years a prominent business man of Zebulon, died last Saturday in a Rocky Mount hospital. Although he had been in poor health for some time he had gone to Rocky Mount on business and suffered a stroke as he left his car, dying before any member of his family could make the trip from Zebulon after being notified of his condition.

Burial services were conducted from the home on Gannon Avenue on Monday afternoon. The pastor, Rev. R. H. Herring, was assisted by a former pastor, Theo. B. Davis. Burial was in the Zebulon cemetery.

Surviving are the Widow, who was formerly Miss Victoria Gill, one daughter, Miss Catrina; six sons, Irby, Willard, Ruric, Dabney, S. P. and J. E. Jr.; a sister, Mrs. Burbon Richardson, of Fuquay Springs; two brothers, S. Z. Gill, of Zebulon, and E. B. Gill, of Greenville, S. C., and five grandchildren.

MRS. SERENA PACE DEAD

Mrs. Serena Massey Pace died last Saturday night in the home of her nephew, Ormond Massey, at Wakefield, where she had for years resided. The funeral service was conducted on Sunday afternoon by Rev. R. H. Herring, of Zebulon, followed by interment in the Massey cemetery at Wakefield. Mrs. Pace was 85 years old and had been for more than 60 years a member of Wakefield Baptist Church, being the oldest of its members.

She leaves four children: Mrs. J. G. Hunter, Raleigh; Mrs. Mary Parrish, Wendell; Sam Pace, Wendell; Bob Pace, Pine Ridge.

Pallbearers at the funeral were all nephews of the deceased and all brothers: Ormond H., Merritt L., G. Riggsby, Oren D., Dr. Luther M., and Dewey W. Massey.

The entire state is becoming "rural electrification conscious." Groups of farmers from numerous communities are communicating with D. S. Weaver at State College in regard to electrifying their homes.

course they are not in their right minds, but do you suppose there's any danger of their becoming violent?"

I wonder if Lorna remembers that green coat.

Important Meeting Of Cotton Farmers

Cotton farmers of Wake County and particularly those who have been connected with the Cotton Cooperative Association are being called upon to attend a meeting of much more than ordinary interest at Raleigh on Friday afternoon of next week, Aug. 24.

The meeting has been called by L. Bruce Gunter of Fuquay Springs who is the director of the Cotton Association from the Fifth District composed of the counties of Wake, Franklin and Warren. He is also vice-president of the Association.

The Cotton Cooperative Association has recently had a change of management and all cotton farmers will be interested to know more about it. Mr. Gunter has been very closely identified with these changes and he will give an interesting account of what has been done and also what members may expect of the cotton association under its new management.

M. G. Mann, of Raleigh, who has been made general manager of the Cotton Association, will attend the meeting and will explain the plan of operation for the handling and sale of this year's crop of cotton. Mr. Mann is the manager of the Farmer's Cooperative Exchange which has recently been organized and he will explain how farmers may save money on the purchase of their supplies by patronizing this new organization.

Both Mr. Gunter and Mr. Mann are very interesting speakers and they have a matter to discuss which is of vital importance to every farmer in Wake County. The meeting should be attended by an overflow crowd. It will be held in the Court Room at 2:30 in the afternoon unless otherwise arranged. Ladies are invited and requested to attend.

Similar meetings will be held in Louisburg, Aug. 22 and in Warren, Aug. 23, at the same hour.

Finch and Privette Purchase Houses

F. D. Finch has lately purchased the residence next to Dr. Barbee on Gannon Ave. and is having extensive repairs made on it. When completed the house will be in keeping with the other beautiful residences on this street.

Avon Privette has purchased the house occupied by Rev. A. D. Parrish, diagonally across from his garage and filling station and has made considerable repairs on the house. He has built a modern porch to the front which makes a very attractive residence of it. We are glad to see these improvements on property in Zebulon and hope others may be able to paint and make needed repairs on their residences this fall.

Blood tracks revealed that after Raphael Peyrefiche 64-year-old Farmer, at Rousselet, France, had blown off part of his face with a shotgun, he crawled 45 feet for new ammunition and blasted his brains.

Puerto Rico has a population of 450 persons to the square mile. Continental United States has only 4 persons to the square mile.

School Days

Announcement has been made from Raleigh that schools in Wake County will open on Sept. 10, which is Monday. It is to be hoped that Wakelon pupils may report that day ready for the best year's work in the school's history. Special announcements with regard to the opening will be made by Supt. Moser.

Wayland Richardson Here on Visit

Wayland Richardson who for sometime was linotype operator for the Record Publishing Co. is home on a visit. He is in the U. S. Navy, being assigned to the Wasmuth, torpedo boat destroyer. Wayland took a special course in a government training school for this particular branch of the service. Since enlisting he has visited all the coastal line up to Alaska. He leaves again in a short time for the Pacific coast where he will spend several months maneuvering. We are glad to see Wayland and are glad to know that he likes the navy and seems to be making good in it in every way.

Mr. T. E. Blount Moving Here

Mr. T. E. Blount who has been manager of the Whitley and Lewis Furniture Co.'s store in Spring Hope, has accepted a position as manager of the Zebulon Supply Co.'s furniture department. Mr. Blount is an experienced salesman and the business life of Zebulon is to be congratulated in having him connected with the business life of the community.

Mr. Blount expects to bring his family to Zebulon sometime soon. He will likely occupy the residence of O. R. Cockerell who has become manager of the John R. Baker store in Bailey. Mr. Blount, besides Mrs. Blount has a son, Tom, Jr., and a daughter, Sadie Lee, both of whom are grown. Many of our people already knew Mr. Blount, since he was frequently in this community on funeral occasions conducted by the Zebulon Supply Co. We are glad to welcome this family to our community life.

Cannon's Cafe Rates High

In the County Board of Health's report for July, Cannon's cafe in Zebulon had third highest rating in the county, making a grade of 94. Carolina Pines led with 96 while Carolina Pines Club House Raleigh, came second with a score of 94.5.

Zebulon is proud of the fact that it has an eating place kept so sanitary that it comes near the top of the list in Wake county.

Hobby's Meat Market, Cary, led the county with a rating of 95; Steadman Stores Co., Zebulon came second at 93; while Hocutt and Baker scored third in the county at 93. So, we may also be proud of our sanitary meat markets.

There are 80 National cemeteries in the United States.



The glorious "cutie campaign" went over with a zoom with seventy three people voting. Results were:

Cutest gal in Zebulon, Dorothy Barrow.

2nd Cutest gal, Edna Earle Sexton.

Naturally everyone thought it was flukey, but that, for once, wasn't Flapdoodle. To you seventy-three people who were kind enough to take the trouble to fill out the blank Thank you!

To you who did not, Phooey!

That bespectacled Brantley lad, son of the traveling drug salesman, R. H., Esq., came riding up in front of the Record office last Tuesday morning on his trusty bike and coming to a romantic stop, cast a glance toward the several relief workers enroute to the cow-pasture where they work each day.

"M-m-m-m-m! commented young R. H. "What's that, a Democratic convention?" "No," he reflected, "You couldn't get that many Democrats together in one place without a scrap."

Page Huey Long.

The gentleman who, in an inebriated state was trying to find his way out of this "so-an-so" town, as he so aptly named it without so much as a glance at a sign board, certainly did his best to fight his shadow down at George Lane's filling station yesterday. The best that could be made out was, that he was trying to go to Durham by Rocky Mount. At any rate, when last seen, he was headed toward Raleigh, straightening out curves here, and putting them in there.

Zebulon is really going to get her cannery and some five hundred head of beef. In my opinion, that's a lot of bull.

Went down to the beach last Sunday, and is my face red. Senor Sol did his worst on my nose, and you can take that at its face value.

Curtis Todd of Wendell certainly seems to be beating a gentleman (of Uncle's Navy) at the old, old game of love. At any rate, he is certainly seeing a lot of a certain little lady in this heah village.

You never can tell who is going to fizz next. Why it isn't so long ago that a certain gel was that-a-way about a Wake Forest lad. Today, fickle thing, she's head-over about our old friend the "lightning rod." You remember the one Lib Cook was so cr-a-a-a-a-zy about? Well, him.

Prof. and Mrs. B. H. Johnson of Lumberton are spending a short time at Mrs. Johnson's father's, Pitman Stell. Their little daughter, Louise, who accompany them, will spend several days with her grand parents.

A complete mammoth skull 7 feet 2 inches in length, and weighing 1,000 pounds, has been unearthed near Yorktown Texas.