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## Church News

### Methodist Church

Church School 10:00 a. m.  
Public Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Also Preaching 7:30 p. m.

Let everybody be on time for Sunday School and may we have another record attendance. Then let all the children under 99 years of age stay for church. The third of a series of sermons on Apostles Creed to be given at 7:30, Topic "The Holy Catholic Church".

Glad to see you at any of our services.

All evening services at the local Baptist church will begin at 7:30 until further notice.

Because of being called to Mt. Olive to conduct the funeral service of a friend Pastor Herring did not preach here on last Sunday night.

## Men To Expose Dept. Secrets

(Special to The Record)

Mysterious silence has shrouded the activities of the United States Secret Service for more than a half century. The country marveled over the breaking up of counterfeiting rings and capture of the men involved in this nefarious business. How the Secret Service succeeded, the methods used, the dangers faced, the thrill packed battles—always heretofore have been buried in the terse report: "Case Closed". But now these secrets are divulged by John J. Daly, a star newspaper feature reporter in Washington, and are available to The Record with the full approval of the head of the United States Secret Service.

Read the entire series in twelve issues of our Feature Magazine starting in our February 28th issue. Don't miss a single expose, as they are the most unusual disclosures of the century. We give you the most sensational, accurate and authorized SECRETS OF THE SECRET SERVICE.

## Timber Thinning Demonstration

EXTENSION FORESTER TO BE HERE MONDAY AFTERNOON.

County Agent John C. Anderson, announces that R. W. Graeber, Extension Forester, is planning to be in this community Monday afternoon, February 15th, at 3:00 o'clock and give a demonstration and talk on Forestry Thinning and the growing and conservation of timber. Mr. Anderson states that he has arranged for Mr. Graeber to give this demonstration on Luther B. Long's farm, located about 1 mile South-East of Zebulon. All farmers interested in Forestry Thinning and the growing of Timber are invited to meet Mr. Graeber on the above mentioned farm Monday afternoon. He will be glad to give them information on Forestry Problems.

They say the new school teacher's stock in trade is brains. She's certainly got a peculiar looking sample case.

But I can't imagine any one down here grieving over the loss of sheep meat.

## Public Character

Coming to Zebulon 13 years ago, this week's Public Character has since that time been fully identified with the town's interests and concerned for its progress. He belongs to the Masonic Order.

Name—Clarence Milton Watson.

Native of—Wake County.

Domestic Status—Married Miss Vevie Nowell in 1914. Two daughters, 4 sons.

Church Affiliation—Baptist. Business—Salesman and Buyer for Groceries, Flour, Fertilizers, and Feeds for J. A. Kemp and Son.

Has been in this business since 1912; with present firm since January 1924.

## Seven-County Forum Begins

Raleigh, N. C. February 11th—The Seven County Public Forum, which includes Wake, Johnston, Wayne, Wilson, Greene, Lenoir and Pitt counties got away to a good start Monday night, and speakers of national prominence addressed the audiences at high schools and other gathering centers during the week. Speakers appeared at Garner, Holly Springs, Apex, Wendell, Wake Forest and Rolesville in Wake County.

The Public Forum is sponsored by the United States Department of Education and is financed by the Federal Government. About \$36,000 was allocated by the government for the work in the seven counties in North Carolina. The forums will continue through June 30.

J. W. Studebaker, United States Commissioner of Education, is national head of the forum movement. Ray Armstrong, Superintendent of Wayne County Public Schools is Administration and John Barclay, is Director of the Forum in North Carolina. The Superintendent of City and County Schools have charge of the forums in the several counties, John C. Lockhart, Superintendent of Wake County Schools, and Claude Gaddy, of Raleigh Public Schools, direct the affairs in Wake County.

The speakers will be experts in the fields of economics, government, social welfare, science, education, agriculture and other lines. There will be no admission fee to any forum meeting.

The forum movement was originated by United States Commissioner of Education Studebaker when he was connected with the schools of Des Moines, Iowa, and it became so popular that it has developed into a national institution.

The North Carolina Administrator plans to have fifty meetings a week in the seven counties, thirty in local school centers and twenty in others places for youths, business men, labor and club and business women.

The Wake county forum program for this week-end follows: Green Hope High School, Leader, Howard Y. Williams, subject, "America's Future 1936-1940." On Friday night Mr. Williams will deliver the same address at Wakelon High School.

Did you enjoy your visit to the new church?

No, I never sleep well the first time in a strange place.

## Club Column

### February Meeting

The meeting of the Woman's Club for this month will be held on next Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 16, at 3:30 p. m. Miss Christina MacFayden of the department of history at Wakelon will speak on International Relations.

Read the Forum notice elsewhere in this week's Record.

Mrs. H. R. Totten of Chapel Hill President of the Garden Clubs of North Carolina and Mrs. R. W. Madrey of Chapel Hill, State Garden Club Chairman of Publicity, met with the executive board of the Zebulon Garden Club, Jan 8, in the home of Mrs. C. E. Flowers who is president of the Zebulon Garden Club which has just become federated.

Mrs. Totten gave a very interesting and instructive talk on the work of the Garden Clubs of N. C. During the discussion the hostess served refreshments. Mrs. Totten and Mrs. Madrey were luncheon guests of Mrs. Flowers.

Mrs. B. J. Lawrence of Raleigh will be the next guest speaker at our Garden meeting of this month, which will meet with Mrs. Charlie Weathersby, Thursday, Feb. 11th, at 3:30 p. m.

## Music Students To Give Recital

Mrs. G. Barbee's piano students who are members of the senior and junior classes at Wakelon will appear on Wednesday night of next week, February 17, in a recital in the auditorium at Wakelon.

Seniors who will take part are: Margaret Bunn, Mary Gray Pippin, Meryl Massey; juniors are: Louise Baker, Cornelia Herring, Sallie Strickland, Charles Winstead.

The program begins at eight o'clock and the public is invited.

Those who have attended Mrs. Barbee's presentation of her pupils in the past know that the recital this year will be pleasing and it is hoped that the weather may permit a good attendance.

## MORE RAIN

While February promised in its beginning to bring better weather than had prevailed during January has backslidden—or slipped in the mud. A light snow last Thursday night disappeared promptly because of warmth and was followed by rain that has continued at intervals.

Plum and peach trees are blooming, new growth is evident on shrubs and rosebushes, chickweed flourishes in dense green mats and cannot be dug out because of wetness of earth, roads stay in bad condition except where paved. It is an unusual basement that shows no leakage or seepage. Few barnyard would pass inspection as model quarters for stock.

"Somewhere the sun is shining", but not in nor around Zebulon—much.

## COOLEY KILLED

Hubert Cooley, brother of Congressman Harold D. Cooley, was instantly killed Monday when his car struck an abutment on a bridge near Wise, N. C.



Speaking of spring fever reminds me of laziness and laziness reminds of the time I visited No Name Island in the South Pacific where the famous No Name tribe lived.

They were called No Name because the tribe was too lazy to think up a name.

When they wanted to go anywhere they rode donkeys instead of horses so they wouldn't have to climb so high to get on.

I found the tribal minister sitting under a banana tree one day throwing corn in a nearby stream. "What on earth are you doing," I asked, as I noted that he was throwing shuck cob and all into the river.

"I'm casting my bread on the waters" he replied.

"Bread on the waters?" I queried, "why that's unshucked corn."

"Well" he grunted, "that's what bread is before it's shucked, shell-ed, ground, made-up and baked."

The men won't marry until they can find a widow with several children.

The women are lazy too.

They put pop corn in flapjacks so they'll turn themselves over.

They tie a cow on one end of a chain and the baby on the other so he can eat when hungry.

The houses have no doors because they're too lazy to build houses.

They never sleep inside because when it rains they don't have to bathe.

One old fellow had lain still so long the grass had covered him up. He said it saved his having to dress and undress every day.

One day a snail crawled up on his nose and finally stopped over his right eye. Why don't you blink your eye and knock him off?" I asked.

"Be still," he said, "and maybe he'll go away."

"When a few drops of rain fell he wanted to know if that was rain, said the sun was shining the last time he looked. (That was the day before when he had to open one eye in order to see how to eat.

He lived under a banana tree because the fruits would fall in his mouth and slide down.

The only time he ever worked was getting a visiting horticulturist to cultivate a banana tree that would grow peelless bananas.

Tangerines came from that island originally, but, he complained, they got so hard to peel we gave them up.

He did live under an orange tree but the oranges were too large to go down without swallowing twice.

I must have caught the disease, I still have Spring Fever,

Ho hum,  
The Swashbuckler.