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NEW FEATURES IN THE RECORD

We have plans under way by which we hope to make the Zebulon Record just as interesting and as valuable to our readers—old and young—as we possibly can with the limited means available. Among these are:

The page devoted to rural life. We hope to make this helpful to every member of the family.

As our readers have found, the serial story, "Shining Palaces," is an unusual one, carrying the reader along with intense interest in each chapter and leaves him impatiently waiting the next installment.

Then, coming next week, we have three new comics. They are: "Little Julius Sneezer," "Things That Never Happen," and "Mr. I Know-itt." You cannot afford to miss the smiles and laughs these "funnies" will give you week by week.

One feature will be "Our Country Correspondents." We hope to secure a live, wide-awake correspondent in each of the fifteen or twenty communities in which the Record circulates to send in the community news each week. To induce them to do their best, we propose to give cash prizes to the best correspondents during the year. If there is some one in your community who wishes to send in the news, let us know and we will send you free stationery for this purpose. Watch the Record next week for announcement of prizes offered and the conditions governing them.

And if you will send in payment for your subscription \$1.00 the year—you will help us in our aim and desire to make the Zebulon Record the best small town newspaper in North Carolina.

FOR ADULTS ONLY

We saw an advertisement in a paper the other day of a movie. It was stated in bold type "For adults only." A show came to our town last year. One tent had the statement in vivid

SEEN AND HEARD

Mrs. J. E. McIntyre, wife of the teacher of vocational agriculture at Wakelon, said when asked about the difference between this state and Florida, where they lived before coming here:

"One of the most enjoyable differences is that you don't have to watch out for cows all the time you drive along the highway. They roam loose in Florida. Another thing that impresses me," she continued, "is how thickly settled the country is; how well the farmers look; and how attractive their homes are."

NOT MUCH HELP

Ivan Bunn, busily measuring off plantbed cloth in Whitley & Scarborough's, remarked that the extra width of the cloth as made now merely serves to give women more leisure and more time to find things to fuss about and worry over. A woman who overheard, reminded him that many women are able to fuss while hard at work. And the one who doesn't hate to

letters that no children would be admitted. Any man or woman in Zebulon may enter an ABC Store. Children may not. Such things puts one to wondering just why there are so many things grown-ups may see, hear and otherwise appropriate that children are denied. If such things are worth-while, then reason would say, let the child have the benefit of such knowledge while young so he may profit thereby for a longer time.

We feel sure from both observation and experience that there must be something wrong with things of this nature if our children may not have access to them without discrimination. Our own opinion is that if it is right for a father to buy liquor from an ABC store or go to a show, then logically, morally and in every other sense our children should not be denied the right. Possibly were the truth admitted some of us would agree that we have already "gone to the devil" and don't want our children to follow in our footsteps.

CRANKY OR CRAZY

A few years ago a certain preacher made the headlines for weeks by letting a rattlesnake fasten its fangs in his hand. Few people believed his proclaimed faith could possibly affect the poison of the serpent under the conditions which he himself laid down. Over in Tennessee another minister is showing the same cranky or crazy mental attitude towards food.

It is true that man does not live by bread alone, but certainly so long as he lives in the flesh he must sustain life through this physical means. If the teachings of Christ as to immortality are not enough to convince men of eternal life, then nothing a mortal may do can convince the world of the fact.

What the Reverend Mr. Noe is doing has no Scriptural basis, there is no need today beyond what God has revealed in many ways for any test or example such as he offers to prove his affirmed purpose. In our opinion one of two things will certainly happen and that not far distant—he must eat or he will die. And the world will go on, either believing or denying the immortality of man as it has been doing for more than two thousand years.

If men will not believe the teachings of Moses, the prophets, Christ and the apostles, then, as Jesus affirmed in the story of the rich man, "though one rose from the dead they would not believe."

P. S. The above was written a week ago. News reports now say the minister is eating and is expected to fully recover. The public has gained nothing by his experience, and we doubt his having gained anything physically, intellectually or spiritually.

REV. J. E. CARTER

QUITS MINISTRY

Rev. J. E. Carter, young Baptist minister of Johnston County, has asked Corinth Church, which ordained him, to accept the surrender of his license to preach. A letter which he wrote to the church is self-explanatory, and is given herewith in full:

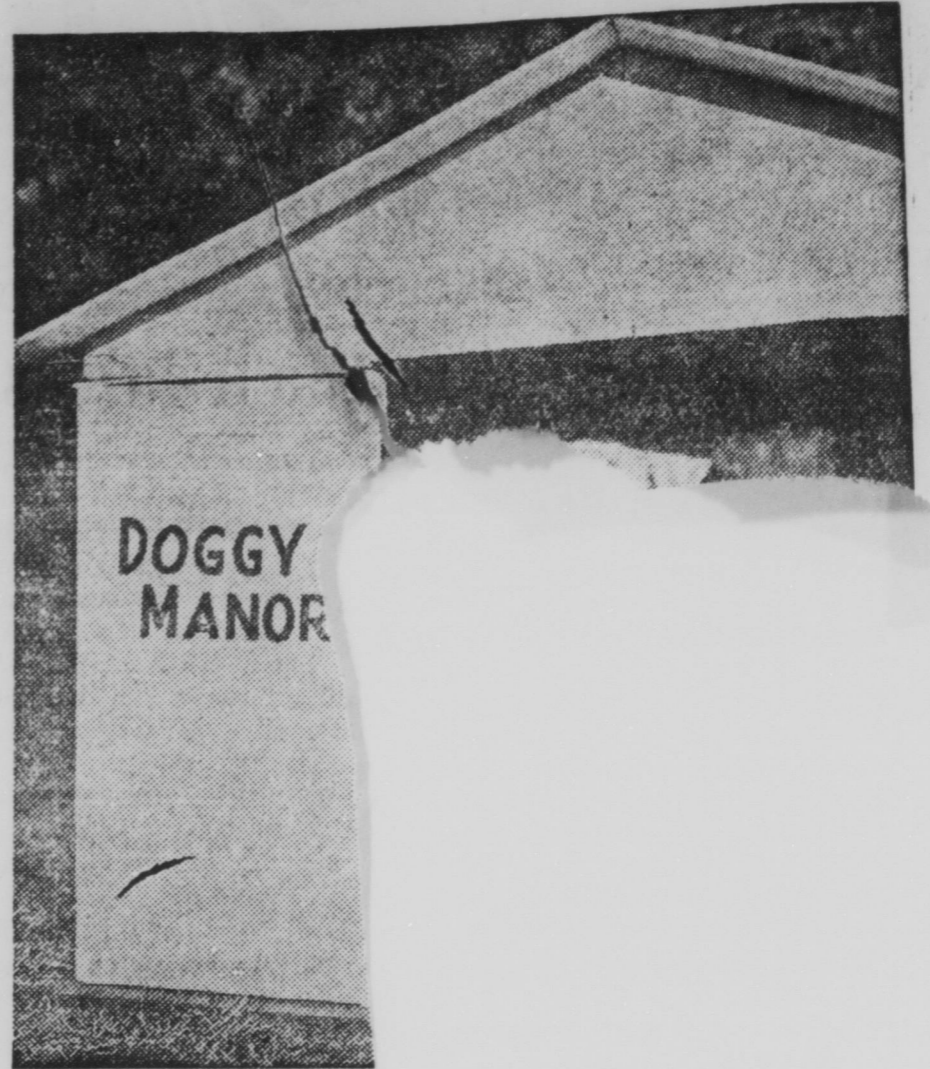
Jan. 15, 1938

To the Moderator, Clerk, Board of Deacons, and Members of Corinth church:

Because of my inability in speech lack of educational knowledge, and loss of memory, I deem it advisable to give up my license as a Gospel Minister. Having been inactive for some time, and knowing that I can be of the amount of service in the capacity I have without this title, I ask this church in conference to make null and void my license which was granted on November 18, 1933.

Therefore be it resolved: First that because of the reasons mentioned I withdraw from the duties of a minister, and so remove myself as any hindrance I might become. Second, that because of those who would criticize and question as to why I do so, a copy of this reso-

The Doggiest Doggy "At Home"



FIT FOR MAN OR BEAST—comfort in being banished to of Chipper, thoroughbred Seadale, N. Y., and is de-luxe to velvet cushion, velvet-lined wa

IN MEMORY OF MRS. SARAH F. MITCHELL

"Death loves a shining man was never more forcibly illustrated than when it laid its 'icy hand' dear 'Ma' Mitchell, Jan. 1938.

Her death was not unexpected as she had been in bad health several years. All that her hands could do was done for her. Only a sigh, and then a hush, which the listeners' throbbled in their ears, as waited for one more breath never came. Her eyes had cast to all earthly visions, to gaze on the face of Jesus.

Her funeral was conducted at Wakefield church in the presence of a large assembly of friends and relatives.

The services were conducted by her pastor and former pastor E. H. Davis, and assisted by A. A. Pippin of Wakefield and Carl Ousley of Wendell.

"Ma" Mitchell had been a faithful member of Zebulon church for years.

She will be greatly missed. Her remains were laid to rest in the field cemetery by the side of her husband. "Ma" was 81 years of age.

She leaves 9 children, 54 grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren to mourn their loss.

She is Not Dead But Sleeping. She is sleeping, sweetly sleeping.

In a new-made grave to rest. We are weeping, sadly weeping. For our loved one, passed.

Why should we weep when weary one rests?

In the bosom of Jesus sleeping. In the beautiful mansions prepared for the blest?

For death is only a dream. A GRANDDAUGHTER

A copy of this resolution be copied on the minutes of this church for reference.

Third, that a copy be sent to the Biblical Recorder, Zebulon, N. C. The Gold Leaf Farmer, and other papers that would seem desirable for publication.

Respectfully submitted by your brother in Christ Sarah F. Mitchell (Signed) J. E. Carter

DEBATE UNLIMITED

By a majority vote the Senate killed a proposal to limit debate on the Anti-Lynching Bill. This may indicate that the bill will fail to pass the Senate.