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THIS, THAT, & THE OTHER

MRS. THEO. B. DAVIS

Recently I read "ten commandments for newly married couples." One said, "Thou shalt make a family budget and live up to it."

The idea was good but the expression faulty. With most young couples it is not living up to the budget but living down to it, that is hard to do. The proper relation between income and expenditure may be hard to realize, and is still harder for many to stabilize. But it is one of the pillars of security in the home.

Into the office one day last week came Mrs. S. B. Nash who used to be a milliner at the big Chamblee store in Wakefield before there was a Zebulon. She was Miss Kate White then. She likes the Zebulon Record because it carries items concerning people she knows, and renewed her subscription, also giving me the recipe for hot cakes found in another column, and topping all off with a compliment. She said she approved so fully of my column about funerals that she cut it out and filed it with instructions that its ideas be carried out at her death.

I hope the time is not near at hand, but some day this community is going to see some sensible funerals.

If your phone rings these days, the chances are it is some one offering you a slip of one thing, a cutting of another, or seed of something else. Recently Mrs. John Broughton sent me a big box full of violas already blooming; Mrs. Outlaw offered to save a piece of her big white chrysanthemum; Mrs. Albert Medlin gave me a Scotch broom bush; Mr. Henry Litchford wrote to ask if I want a Japanese walnut (I certainly do); Mr. A. G. Tyner of Kenly wanted to know if we have all the spirea we can use; and right across the street John Massey (Mrs. Merritt) has an immense garden from which I continually receive donations. Then there's the garden club ready and willing to aid any one in town or community who wants flowers. No wonder we hear more favorable comments as to the appearance of our town than were expressed before we all became so flower-conscious.

I am glad that the garden club offers only ribbons this year instead of prizes for best specimens. A flower lover derives about as much satisfaction from displaying the results of her labors as from receiving any other reward; the ribbons cost much less than prizes; and the change is in keeping with what is being done by much larger clubs in other towns and cities.

One of last week's cartoons showed a man pointing to the strip of ground between the strips worn bare by his automobile tires on his driveway and saying triumphantly to his wife, "I finally found a place to plant the (Please turn to back page)

CHURCH NEWS

BAPTIST CHURCH

On April 30, the following services will be conducted in the Zebulon Baptist Church:

9:45—Sunday School.

11:00—Morning Worship. Sermon: "A Day With God."

All the evening services of our church will be called off in deference to the commencement exercises which are to be held at the school building.

G. J. GRIFFIN, Pastor.

THE METHODIST CHURCH

B. F. BOONE, Pastor

Schedule of services for the 5th Sunday:

Church School—10:00 a. m.

Worship Service—11:00 a. m.

Young People's Service—7:00 p. m.

Please remember that our regular worship service for 5th Sunday is at 11:00. Make a special effort to be present.

Our church school is growing in interest and attendance. We had 156 present last Sunday.

Commencement Recital Given

The annual music recital which is a feature of Wakelon's commencement was enjoyed by a large audience on Tuesday night when Mrs. G. S. Barbee presented her pianoforte students in the school auditorium. The stage was decorated with floor baskets of weigelia and spirea. Each young lady wore a long dress which was managed with surprising ease.

The program was divided into two parts, the first being given by younger players. After a prelude by Cleo Glover and a welcome by the class Hilda Winstead and the class gave a solo with chorus. Viola Hopkins gave a series of descriptive readings, pausing for solos by Baxter Hopkins, Georgia Ruth Eddins, Hilda Winstead, Mary Fisher Finch, Edith Lee Medlin, Maxine Duke, Judy Robertson, and Carolyn Massey.

Part two began with a duet by Beth and Mary Gordon Massey, followed by a duet with Sarah Eaton and Charles Horton performing. Next were Cleo Glover and Viola Hopkins, also in a duet. The next duet was played by Melba Duke and Myra Gay, after which Dorothy Mizelle played two solos.

The rhythm band gave a spirited march, directed by Charles Horton and with Mrs. Barbee accompanying at the piano.

The final number was The Star Spangled Banner, sung by the class as the audience stood with them. Cleo Glover, draped in the United States flag, pantomimed the anthem.

Selections from the classics were the main offerings by the more advanced pupils, while the younger children had numbers chosen largely from folk tunes. Each had a pleasing melody and every performer gave evidence of careful training.

The Country Gentleman, founded in 1831, is the Nation's oldest agricultural magazine.

BASEBALL BIG-SHOT



DICK HOYLE

Pictured above is Richard Hoyle, son of Mrs. S. H. Hoyle of Wakefield. Richard is left fielder on the Wake Forest College baseball team, and was recently elected to the Student Legislature there from the rising junior class.

ROTARIANS

Bob Sawyer had the program and presented two representatives of Royal Baking Co., Messrs. Nichols and Carter. Mr. Nichols made a talk on Bread. He has been in the bakery business for 50 years and knows his subject thoroughly, giving one of the most interesting discussions that the club has heard. Attendance was good.

Masonic Meeting

The regular meeting of the Zebulon Masons will be postponed from Tuesday night of next week until Wednesday night, when Dr. G. S. Barbee will be host.

The occasion will be Ladies Night for the Masons, wives, sweethearts or friends being invited. The Rev. E. H. Davis of Louisburg will be speaker, which is another way of saying that the address will be enjoyed by all privileged to hear it.

TOWN ELECTION

In the town elections Monday Mayor Avon Privett was re-elected without opposition. Candidates for commissioners received votes as follows:

A. V. Medlin—111.
R. V. Brown—114.
Jesse Kilpatrick—138
R. H. Jenkins—154
P. F. Massey—132
W. B. Bunn—100
W. S. Cheaves—99
J. N. Johnson—87.

CLUB COLUMN

JUNIOR CLUB MEETS

The regular meeting of the Junior Woman's Club was held on Thursday night, April 20. Mrs. Raleigh Alford and Marion Whitlock, in charge of program, announced that it would consist of reports from delegates to the state meeting in Raleigh. Those who attended the state meeting were Mesdames L. M. Massey, W. A. Allman, N. M. Screws and Eugene Privette, the two last named making reports to the club.

Hostesses were Mesdames Russell Temple, G. J. Griffin and Donald Stallings, who served individual pies and coffee.

The Junior club has turned in to the senior organization fifty dollars for the final payment on the house debt.

WOMAN'S CLUB

One of the best programs of the year was presented by girl scouts at the meeting of the woman's club on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Philip Massey, counselor, was present, but the program was opened with introductory remarks by Margaret Bunn who stated the subject as Nature and Nature Poems. The girls sang "This Is My Father's World." Edith Lee Medlin spoke of the study of trees as a part of scout work and repeated Joyce Kilmer's "Trees." Anne Massey took flowers as her topic and concluded her talk by repeating Wordsworth's "Daffodils." Dorothy Anne Glover's part of the program dealt with rivers and included brief discussions of poems about streams. She recited Tennyson's "Song of the Brook," after which "Flow Gently Sweet Afton" was sung. Dorothy Mizelle spoke of poems about snow, mentioning especially Whittier's "Snowbound", and closing with Eleanor Wiley's "Velvet Shoes." Each speaker in turn was presented by Margaret Bunn. Cleo Glover was accompanist for the songs.

Mrs. Theo. Davis spoke briefly on Poetry for Everyday Use.

During the business session short reports of the state meeting were given by Mesdames F. E. Bunn and C. V. Whitley.

Mesdames H. C. Wade and F. D. Finch served refreshments during the social hour.

WORLD'S FAIR PRE-VIEW

Citizens of Zebulon and the surrounding sections will have a preview of the New York World's Fair without having to travel for miles to see it. "The Arcadian Grower" motorcade, consisting of two truck and trailer combinations, will visit this town showing in large scale diorama form exhibits from the Fair including the Trylon and Perisphere.

Our special interest will be "The South Self-Contained", a large pictorial map showing manufactures and distribution of Arcadian Nitrate in southern states with methods of transportation. Also depicted will be the apportionment of the "Home Folks' Dollar" with figures of those who receive shares of it.

The Pre-View will visit Zebulon May 9, at 11:00 a.m., in front of Temples Market.

Secretary of State Thad Eure To Give Final Day Speech

Dear Patron of Wakelon School:

Our commencement this year is on May 2, the exercises will begin at 10:30 o'clock. Mr. Thad Eure, Secretary of State, is to deliver the commencement address. Mr. Eure has a keen interest in state affairs and should bring us a message worth hearing.

According to our long time custom we will have our picnic dinner at 12:00 o'clock. This follows immediately the graduating exercises. I feel confident that the people in our community will endeavor to make commencement day not merely a school closing day but a real community day. With fifty-seven graduates (the largest class in the history of the school), the community dinner, a ball game in the afternoon between Wendell and Zebulon, and the senior play in the evening at 8:00 o'clock, we should have enough activities to make this get-together time a great occasion for our community.

There is something of extraordinary interest in the type of commencement we have at Wakelon. It has a tinge of the old fashioned in it, a touch of friendliness, and a flavor of good community spirit that makes one feel proud to be a citizen of the Wakelon community. Personally I am sure that you are going to lay aside your regular routine of work on May 2 and take part in these activities that center around the closing of Wakelon School.

With sincere wishes I am,
Very truly yours,

E. H. MOSER.

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ALUMNI BANQUET

The letter given below is self-explanatory and is reprinted here to give added publicity to the plans for Wakelon alumni. Mrs. Pippin emphasizes the fact that it is not necessary to have received a letter from her before attending the banquet. ALL alumni everywhere are invited. She does not have a full list and could not communicate personally with each person.

To the Alumni of Wakelon High School:

The Alumni Association of Wakelon High School plans to have a simple banquet on Monday evening, May 1, from 6:30 to 8:00 at the Wakelon Gym.

Miss Palmer and her ninth grade class will serve a 35c plate. You may bring your husband or wife as the case may be.

Dr. Massey is in charge of the program. We want a full attendance and as many classes as possible represented. At this meeting we want to put our Alumni Association on a solid footing. You can afford to take a little time off to attend this meeting. It is necessary that Miss Palmer know immediately whether you can attend.

Please notify Mrs. Florence Pippin, Zebulon, by return mail. Do this now while you have letter in hand.

Very truly yours,
FLORENCE FINCH PIPPIN.