

This, That, &
the Other

By MRS. THEO. B. DAVIS

Nobody who hasn't lived through it can know the relief of seeing young women assume community responsibilities formerly borne by those now growing old. There is at first a slight shock when one realizes that the young women are definitely grown-up and that years have passed even faster than had been realized. But it is succeeded by a blessed relaxation coupled with sincere wishes for the success of their work.

Right now I'm speaking of the Parent-Teacher Association here. Doris Horton (Mrs. Eugene Privette) has just served her term as president of the Junior Woman's Club and has taken on the leadership of the P. T. A. Doris said it was hard for the committee to find a president; that she knew some one had to take the place; that she also knew she didn't know all about the work, but was willing to learn. And those qualifications are hard to beat, especially when you add to them the facts that Doris has a good mind and knows how to use it. She's the youngest president the P. T. A. has had, but here's predicting that she'll be among the very best.

The most inspiring story I've read for some time is in the Saturday Evening Post for last week. It tells of a settlement in Alaska established by families who had nothing but their determination to make a living by working. They didn't have the feeling their government ought to worry over them even to the extent of creating jobs, but just dug in and held on. Of course they did not at first live in style nor did they demand a working week of forty hours; but they accomplished wonders. Now they have a thriving little town that I'd like to visit, mainly for the purpose of meeting its citizenry.

Am Justice Holmes is said to have remarked that if a man is great, he makes others believe in greatness. One could add that if men are capable and industrious, they make others believe in work and thrift.

It may be remembered that the Federal colonization project in Alaska fell flat, although settlers had substantial advances and much help in building homes and starting crops. Most of that crowd decided they couldn't stand it—the weather, the work, the worry and the wanting of what they didn't have. If we know we must work out our own salvation, we put up a fight we'd never be equal to if we depended on others to rescue us. And we thereby become different persons.

To those who have spoken or written me to say a kind word for this column:

Your praise is appreciated more than you could know. I do not put such comments in the paper because others might misjudge us, if they do not agree. I hold no illusions or delusions as to the literary worth of what is written, trying only to speak with Record readers of simple, everyday things that concern us all. It has been deeply gratifying to learn that so many are interested in those things, even as you and I.

"A WOOD VIOLET"

The Seniors of Corinth-Holder High School will present their play, "A Wood Violet," April 18. The characters are: Frances Congleton, Sallie Rae Moody, Milton Nowell, Jessie Ray Hinnant, Ruby Edwards, Elbert Price, Barbara N. Wilder, Theo Glover, Thurman Batchelor, Nancy Parrish, Costa Hocutt, Bennett Kemp, Clarence Whitley, Eugene Barham and Marie Fowler.

The proceeds will go to defray expenses of the Senior Class and the Mavis Projector as their gift to the school.

The admission will be 15 and 25 cents.

Jaycee Convention
To Be April 18-19

The State Convention of Jaycees will be held in Goldsboro this week on Friday and Saturday. Foremost among the speakers for the occasion are Ray Millard, Organization Secretary of the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce, and Governor, J. M. Broughton. Mr. Millard speaks on Friday night and Mr. Broughton on Saturday night. Other features are a dance, a banquet, and presentation of awards for the past year's work.

From the Zebulon organization Rom Moser and Elmo Bunn will go as delegates. Others planning to attend are Robert Daniel Massey, Robert Ed Horton, Leon Thompson, Tom Scarborough, Robert Dawson.

Bethany

Misses Asiee and Frances Jones of Raleigh spent Sunday in our community and also attended Easter services at our church.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pickerson of Wake Forest were dinner guests at the G. H. Cox's Sunday.

Miss Margie Robertson of Baltimore, Md., spent the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. E. T. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown of New Bern spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Roy Peebles. Mrs. R. S. Jones and daughter, Florence of Oxford have returned home after a few weeks stay with Mrs. E. E. Williford.

Miss Blanche Horton of Raleigh spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Perry of Durham spent Easter at their cabin at Perry's Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn of Raleigh spent Sunday with Mrs. Vaughn's mother, Mrs. T. M. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blalock of Durham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Robertson.

Mr. Clyde Weathers lost a fine cow last week.

We are sorry to report Mr. Isaac Williford's baby has pneumonia.

Concert

The concert given here last week by the singing class of the Oxford Orphanage was enjoyed by all privileged to hear the children. No band ever appears on the local stage with better training than that given this group. Figures as to the collection are not yet available.

HOT WEATHER

Summer is coming at a rush, judging by temperatures this week Monday's reading was 91 degrees at the Raleigh airport. Tuesday here was warmer than Monday. Temperature reached 93 here. Tender young plants and twigs wilted under the heat, workers sweated at their tasks. But, to quote a street comment, "It's not hot enough yet to make Mr. Ed Pippin come out of his vest."

Pre-School Clinic Proves
To Be Very Successful Here

Mrs. Ida Hall, county school nurse, reports the pre-school clinic at Wakelon last week as one of the best she ever knew of. With 56 children and 40 parents present, the clinic started off unusually well. It was found that there were 6 "blue star" children, which means they were in perfect physical condition. Their pictures will appear in a later issue of this paper.

Another unusual feature was that so many parents had already attended to defects of their children. Thirty-six had been vaccinated for diphtheria, 52 had been vaccinated against small-pox, 6 had taken the anti-typhoid treat-

Bible Class Hold
Commencement

The Schools of Wakelon, Corinth-Holder, and Glendale will hold a joint Commencement Program of their Bible Clubs at the Glendale School on Saturday, April 26th, beginning at 4 P. M. An interesting program is planned, and all are invited. The program will begin with soft ball games between teams of the three clubs, followed by supper spread on the grounds of the Glendale School. After supper the Commencement Program will be held in the Glendale Auditorium, at which time all honors will be given to members of the Clubs, and a Bible Baseball game will be held with the three clubs contesting for the pennant. It is expected that Rev. Ernest Arnold, Secretary of the State Council of Churches will be speaker of the occasion. Mr. Arnold is very active in the movement for teaching the Bible in the Public Schools. The principals of the three Schools, Messrs. Moser, Cunningham, and Crawford will be present for this event. Rev. C. F. Allen is the teacher of these clubs, and has for six years sponsored such work in the schools of Wake Johnston, Wilson, and Wayne Counties. During that time over 700 students have taken Bible courses.

Selectees

LIST OF SELECTED MEN TO BE INDUCTED AT FORT BRAGG, N. C. APRIL 18, 1941 (COLORED)

Lundie Lee Edge, Raleigh Granite Co. Wendell; Lonnie Henderson, Wendell; James Edwards, Route 1, Youngsville; Roscoe Schaldmon, Route 1, Wendell; Harvey Edgerton, Route 5, Raleigh; Frazier Woodard, Route 2, Wake Forest; James Odell Mayo, Route 1, Wendell; Aubie Day, Zebulon; Clement Godfrey Harris, Method; Junius Flemming, Route 1, Knightdale.

Tulip Festival

Washington's tulip festival begins Saturday and promises to be more colorful than ever before. As usual Dutch costumes will be featured and visitors will see true Holland fashions with the glowing beauty of tulips grown in Beaufort County. Festivities last for two days.

Message in Fish

While cleaning a fish bought from Phillips Grocery Mrs. Elvis Phillips found inside it something resembling a pearl with a message asking the finder to notify the company which had sold the box of fish. Mrs. Phillips wrote them and is waiting to see the results, if any.

Local Church
News

Baptist Church

Services in our church for Sunday, April 20, will be: 9:45 Sunday school.

11:00 Morning Worship. The pulpit at this hour will be supplied by Rev. Theo. B. Davis, while the pastor delivers the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the Cerro Gordo High School.

7:00 Young Peoples' meetings. 7:30 Evening Worship. Sermon topic: "What Is Man?" G. J. Griffin, pastor.

Dr. Carl M. Townsend, pastor of Hayes Barton Baptist church, Raleigh, will speak over WPTF next Sunday at 4:30 This will be a part of the North Carolina Baptist Hour which began April 6 and is to continue through June.

Through error the meeting of the W. M. U. of the Raleigh Baptist Association was announced last week as meeting on April 10. The correct date is April 17, the place Salem church near Apex.

Methodist Church

Let's go to church Sunday after Easter—next Sunday. Remember the time for services: Church school—10:00. Young people—6:45. Church service—7:30.

Wakefield

10 A. M., Sunday School, Mr. D. D. Chamblee, Superintendent. 7:30 P. M., Worship Service. Sermon Topic, "God's Messengers." Special music will be rendered by the Young People's choir.

Thursday, 7:30 P. M., Prayer Service and choir rehearsal.

Hephzibah

10 A. M., Sunday School, Mr. T. P. Baker, Superintendent. 11 A. M., Worship Service. Sermon topic, "Sharing With Christ." Wednesday, 7:30 P. M., Prayer Service and Teachers' Meeting.

Pine Ridge

2 P. M., Sunday School, Mr. Robert Moody, Superintendent. 3 P. M., Worship Service. Sermon Topic, "The Forces that Met at the Cross." All residents of the Pine Ridge community are urged to be present at this service.

Egg Rolling

More than 53,000 children gathered at the White House grounds on Easter Monday for the annual egg rolling. Each child was accompanied by one of more adults—grown persons are not admitted without a child—so there was a record throng.

This peculiar custom, observed for many years, results in the trampling of the White House lawns, the litter from thousands of eggs broken in the sports, more debris from lunches, and work for dozens of men who try to restore order.

Those attending get a chance to say they were there and may have heard a word of greeting from the president.

AN ARABIAN PROVERB

He who knows and knows not that he knows is asleep. Awake him.

He who knows not and knows that he knows not is simple. Teach him.

He who knows not and knows not that he knows not is a fool. Shun him.

He who knows and knows that he knows is wise. Follow him unto the end.

Zebulon Rotarians
Hold 63rd Meeting

Zebulon Rotarians held the 63rd consecutive hundred percent meeting. Albert Medlin was absent, but we are reasonably certain he will make up attendance. Stuart Black and Fred Woodcock were absent too, but they had already made up attendance.

Charles Allen had the program; subject, the Resurrection of Christ. He read the story in the scripture, then had three scenes acted by girls and boys. First scene showed soldiers guarding the grave of Christ. Second scene, two women came and were met by an Angel telling that Christ had arisen and reminding them that Christ had foretold this. Third scene, followers of Christ came and were met by the same Angel telling them not to expect to find the living with the dead. It was an impressive scene, all actors in costume. This was the most unusual program we have ever had, and one to be long remembered.

Rolesville

Mr. and Mrs. George Cox of Fort Bragg have been spending some time with Mrs. Cox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Williams. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jordan spent Easter with Mrs. Jordan's parents at Richfield.

Miss Edith Earl Williams, third grade teacher at Rolesville school, spent Easter with her parents near Pilot.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pearce of Raleigh visited friends and relatives here Easter.

The Junior and Senior banquet of the Rolesville High School was held in the school library April 11. Junior class colors are rain-bow, the library being a thing of beauty with spring flowers. Herman Ray Watkins, junior class president, presided. Everybody declared this the best banquet yet.

Miss Essie Bowling of Raleigh was here for the week end.

Misses Francis Averette, Mozelle and Myrtle Rogers of E. C. T. C. spent Easter with their parents.

We are sorry to report a number of sick people and hope they will soon be out again.

You are cordially invited to attend church Sunday. S. S. at 10 o'clock; preaching, 11 o'clock; B. T. U., 7 o'clock; preaching, 8 o'clock. Prayer service Wednesday at 8 o'clock.

Write the vision to make it plain upon tables, that he may run that readeth it.—Hab. 2:2.

Closed for Easter

Most of Zebulon's business houses closed for Easter Monday. Exceptions were the Drug Store, Bank, Post Office and Print Shop. The day was ideal for fishing, loafing, or for picnics, and many enjoyed it. Classes met as usual at Wakelon, however.

There are now fewer sharecroppers in the United States than at any time during the past two decades.

Zebulon Boy Scouts Get
Honors At Raleigh Meet

At the Court of Honor Meeting held in Raleigh on April 6th, several Scouts of Troop No. 40 Zebulon, received certificates as Second Class Scouts.

They are Robert Denton, James Debnam, and Jimmy Reardon. Members of the Scout Troop Committee of the Rotary Club attended a Scouters Supper at the Mecca Cafe in Raleigh. Among them were Robert D. Massey, Bob Sawyer, and Wesley Liles. On Tuesday night about twenty men and boys representing the Scouts, the Rotary Club, and other civic minded citizens of Zebulon, had a

Spring Concert

Wakelon, 8:00 p.m., April 22

Jesu, Word of God Incarnate, Mozart. Now Let Every Tongue Adore Thee, Bach.

Mixed chorus: Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes, Old English. Billy Green, bass: Where Lies The Land, Malin; We Sail The Ocean Blue (Pinafore) Sullivan.

Boys Glee Club: A Brown Bird Singing, Wood.

Emma Jean Pace, soprano: All Glory, Laud and Honor, Teschner-Cain.

Mixed chorus: Passing By, Purcell.

Charles Carroll, tenor: I Heard You Go By, Wood-Cain; The Years At The Spring, Cain.

Girls Glee Club: Clouds, Charles.

Ira Joyner, Baritone: Minka, Russian; To Thee O Country, Eichberg.

Mixed chorus. No admission, public cordially invited.

Pleasant Hill

Little Miss Virginia Puryear has red measles. Others on the sick list are improving.

T. Y. Puryear, Jr., spent last Friday night at Chalybeate Springs with his uncle, Rufus Puryear.

Misses Velma and Shirley Starnes and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Starnes of Durham were visitors at Mr. J. F. Starnes Sunday.

Mrs. E. W. Hood returned home from Climax Sunday.

Visitors at Mr. T. Y. Puryear's Sunday were Mr. O. W. Thorne and family of Mitchell's Mill, Mr. A. O. Puryear and family of Rolesville, Mr. L. H. Williford and family of Bethany and Mr. C. D. Puryear and family.

Tragedy

Richard Kearney, seven-year-old son of Staley Kearney of near Wake Forest, was killed Monday afternoon when a school bus he had just left backed over him. The driver is said not to have known the child had run behind the bus, which had moved only a few feet. Coroner Banks is reported to have said the driver, Horace Wall, 18, could not be blamed.

NORTH CAROLINA ALONE
IN EASTER HOLIDAY

North Carolina is listed as the only state observing Easter Monday as a legal holiday, but that does not prevent its being widely enjoyed. Many argue that Easter should be equally as important as Christmas, if not more so, but other states do not see it that way.

Down

The United States exported foodstuffs valued at \$15,949,000 during February of this year, representing a decrease of 50 percent from the same month of last year.

log raising at the Sout Hut, and raised the walls of this hut in about two hours. Plans are now on foot to complete the job, and the interest and support of all are asked. The new Scout Committee of the Rotary Club that has this matter in charge consists of: Robert Daniel Massey, chairman; Bob Sawyer, Secretary; Wesley Liles, Hoyle Bridgers, Foster Finch, Kermit Corbett. On Monday night, April 14th, Bob Sawyer had charge of the Scout meeting and presented certificates of registration to twelve boys.

Jr. Chamber
Abandons City
Mgr. Petition

The Zebulon Junior Chamber of Commerce wishes to make a public announcement that, as is generally known in the town by now, the petition circulated among the citizens of the town for the adoption of a City Manager plan of government has been dropped, not because of lack of support, but because of legal technicality—no special election can be held within two months of the regular election. The Junior Chamber of Commerce, having contacted the citizens of Zebulon while circulating this petition, believe that the majority of the voters of the town favor the City Manager form of government for Zebulon. The failure of the petition does not mean that this form of government cannot be secured in the near future. The Town Board under the present charter is empowered to hire a City Manager with the same powers that would be granted by an election.

The Town Board could also call an election without the necessity of a petition at any time they see fit on the adoption of Plan D.

We wish to state emphatically that in working toward the adoption of the City Manager plan of government for the Town of Zebulon, the Junior Chamber of Commerce is not supporting in any way any individual for City Manager, Mayor, or Commissioner. Our sole purpose in working for an election was—and still is—to give the people of Zebulon an opportunity to express themselves on the issue.

In the coming election the voters of the town will have an opportunity to nominate and elect town officials who favor the City Manager plan. With the election of such a Board, it will be simple and efficient to put the City Manager plan into operation.

Rom F. Moser, Chairman, Governmental Affairs Committee, Zebulon Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Joint Meeting
of Clubs Held

A joint meeting of the Woman's Club and the Junior Club on Tuesday night drew a good attendance. Mrs. Eugene Privette, president of the junior organization, was in the chair.

Mrs. G. J. Griffin, director of the program, made introductory remarks concerning the "Primer for Americans," topic for the evening, and presented the speakers. Mrs. Theo. Davis discussed woman's part in American life with reference to the home and industry. C. V. Whitley spoke on the American way of government and was followed by E. H. Moser who contrasted democracy with totalitarian policies as exemplified in Germany and Italy.

The choral class, directed by Mrs. L. M. Massey with Miss Jocelyn House at the piano, gave "Marie Antoinette's Song," at which C. F. Allen gave the closing talk on the tasks ahead in the country with especial reference to Zebulon.

Short business sessions were held, the groups dividing for the time.

Mesdames Leon Thompson and John Barrow, Jr., Misses Jocelyn House and Mary Barrow, hostesses, served refreshments during the enjoyable social hour.

Storm Hits

First news of damage reported from storms this season comes from Wakefield.

Lightning last week struck a barn owned by E. H. Greene. In the barn were 252 bales of hay belonging to his son Harold Greene. Both building and contents were a total loss. The fire was just back of the Hubert Edrins home and it was for a while feared that it might spread, but no further damage was done.