## Zebulon Post Office To Be 2nd Class



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## This, That and the Other

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As a masterpiece of understatement I'd like to call attention to the bulletin saying that bombing hold its record of 100 per cent by the RAF is "highly unpopular" in Germany.

We do get some queer gifts at our place. Last Friday James Belvin gave my husband a baby 'possum. It is mostly black with sad dark eyes and it has to be fed with a medicine dropper. It gram. His subject was the water weighs less than two ounces, and has taken four droppers of modified milk at a feeding. It will reach out a tiny paw and hold the dropper exactly as a hungry baby holds a bottle. Evidently it thinks Barrie is its mother, for it will curl its tail tightly around his finger. This morning, to my surprise, I power than in any other country. saw it washing itself like a kitten, but the possum used a hind foot instead of a front to scrub with. Its housekeeping equipment is a ville is one. Hoss told of ancient box and a price of an old dress water systems which was very into hide in.

Feeding is somewhat complicated at our house. In addition to the baby 'possum there are the squirrels, Genevieve and Esmeralda, which Staley Denton gave Barrie, cage and all. They eat nuts of all kinds and Genevieve is also fond of ripe strawberries and fullblown roses. Esmeralda is less aestheic and does not go in for fancy diet. Genevieve will take a berry and hold it stem up until she has nibbled off and tossed Two Accidents



## Hoss Thompson Is The **Regular Rotary** Speaker

Zebulon Rotary continues to meetings.

All members were present last Friday. Kirby was the five minute speaker. He spoke on the sugar proposition and who should register explaining the questions that would be asked.

Hoss Tompson had the prosystem of Zebulon and how water is being used in other countries. He told the Rotary that London, England, used less water person than any other large city and that Chicago used more water per person than any other city. Water is used more in Italy to produce The reason is scarcity of coal. He told of cities and towns that use the gravity system, of which Asheteresting. He explained the water system of Zebulon. The water is first pumped into the filter plant, there alum is added to help purify, then it is run into another

tank where lime is added to get rid of the alum; then it runs into another tank where clorine is added to further help to clean and purify. A sample is taken every day to see that it meets all requirements.



WHEN PERSHING HONORED MacARTHUR 23 YEARS AGO-This picture, made on a blustery March day in Remagen, Rhenish Prussia, shows the commander of the A. E. F. pinning the Distinguished Service Medal on General Douglas MacArthur then commanding the 84th Brigade, 42nd Division. The photo is from the World War files of the U. S. Signal Corps.

This was General MacArthur's second decoration. He was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for gallantry in action in March, 1918. He also wears the Silver Star Medal with six oak leaf clusters. A bill is pending in Congress to award him the Medal of Honor.



The series of events leading to cal advice and encouragement to ers between Wilson and Raleigh. graduation exercises at Wakelon the graduates and also paid high And the mail coming into Zebulon

## **Local Post Office** Made 2nd Class

**Biggest Little Town Is** Now Slightly Larger

A former citizen of Zebulon delights in calling it "the biggest little town on earth." We admit that in many, possibly most, respects, Zebulon is not to be classed with Wilson, Rocky Mount and Raleigh, but it is some town just the same.

There are many straws pointing to it as a mighty good place in which to live. Besides its fine highway system reaching North, East, South and West, one of the best farming sections in Central Carolina, and other advantages space will not permit mentioning, there is this new evidence that Zebulon is on the map in a permanent way: On July first the Zebulon post office will be advanced to second class rating. While the post master will receive little advance in salary, the clerks will be put on a 40-hour week basis and an additional clerk will be supplied. The office hours will be from 8:00 o'clock in the morning till 6:00 o'clock in the evening. The mail schedules will remain as they are at present.

In order for a post office to have second class rating it must sell over \$8,000 in postage a year. The annual requirement is nearer \$9,000 business since it must be enough to make a 15 per cent margin at any time during the year.

The local express office is said to do more business than all oth-

Then she away all the hull. daintily consumes the berry. But one is enough.

I have to feed the last-donated kitten, which begins calling me be- driven by Elizabeth Kannon colfore I am ready to arise. Her lided near Wakelon school with name is Horace and her feelings one from Creedmoor. No one in are hurt if she does not get a lot the Kannon car was much hurt, of attention. I don't mind feeding but occupants of the other car were her, but when she slithers around injured and both cars were dammy ankles I could shriek; it makes aged. Miss Kannon was making my flesh crawl.

The Massey Hatchery biddies accident.

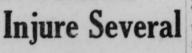
stooped-over in the brooder, so A. D. Antone were hurt near Emit they are now in a little yard, fat when their car collided with one and sassy, but without the sense to driven by Frank Chamblee. The go in out of the rain or to roost. Antones, Chamblee and two So some one has to go out and put young girls from Johnston County them to bed each night, as well were seriously injured. Whisker as to see that feed and water are Medlin, the fouth occupant of the plentiful.

Sexton auctioned off at the post Antone were confined to bed the office and they have to be looked first part of the week. He was after several times a day.

that was another gift escaped from ing wheel, and she suffered a its pen one night and has not been broken nose with minor cuts and found since.

Feeding the goldfish is simple. We have only to toss in a handful or two of "quick oats," the kind we cook for ourselves. But they and the fish had a great time with are very fond of worms of any them. kind and we give them some when

there is time for the digging. Or did you ever watch a goldfish eat befalls the brown thrasher which a caterpillar?, I gave ours a whole is nesting less than three feet from nestful Theo got out of a tree. the corner of our house. We dread Their fur kept them from sinking the thought of another feeding job.



On last Friday evening a car for excellence. the turn from the highway to the school campus at the time of the

got so tall they had to stand On Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. car, escaped practically unhurt. The girls were taken to a hospital,

Ferd bought a lot of biddies Mr. as was Chamblee. Mr. and Mrs. suffering from pain in the chest,

I can't really be sorry the duck where he was struck by the steerbruises. They were taken to the hospital on Tuesday for X-rays.

> A Mr. Joseph and son-in-law in the Antone car were slightly hurt.

We are all hoping no misfortune

Tuesday morning brought the us- tribute to Supt. Moser as the high- four times each day, exclusive of ual interested crowds, eager to see est type of Christian gentleman. three rural routes makes a small relatives and friends receive re- Tuesday morning brought Prof. truck load often as it is carried to wards for studying and awards George A. Carver from Wake For- the station.

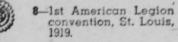
Class night on Friday of last week was given in "Cinderella" ior girls in long dresses and spec- Southern Baptist Board. ializes in attractive settings.

was by Pastor B .F. Boone of the were made by Supt. Moser who Methodist Church with special spoke briefly to the seniors. music by the glee club. Mr. Boone gave pertinent and practi- this year, though patrons and



"The discontented man finds no easy chair"-Franklin MAY

\$11, 7-Hitler and Mussolini exchange friendship pledge, 1938.



-Columbus sails on fourth voyage of discovery, 1502.

-Germany invades low countries, 1940.

-American Bible Society organized, 1816.

12-First observance National Hospital Day, 1921.

#### 13-Colony at Jamestown, Va., settled, 1607. WNU Servie

est to make the address, which

The sermon on Sunday night Announcements and awards

The annual picnic was not held friends who found it more convenient to bring dinner did so. Tuesday night the commencement exercises were closed with the presentation of the Senior Play, "Wild Ginger." Elsie Privette, the heroine, did splendid work as "Ginger," while Ervin Joye as her miserly father played his part well.

Others in the cast were Dave Finch, Henry Massey, Fred Bobbitt, G. C. Brannon, Marshall Keith, Edna Phillips, Alease White, Nannie Gordon and Doris day. Kimball.

## GRADUATES

Below is given a list of this year's graduates from Wakelon high school. Because of the addi- bring her to this service. If your tion of a twelfth grade there were mother has crossed over to the no grammar school graduates, the other side come and attend a plan being to put the new grade church service in her memory. If between the elementary and high you attend a Mother's Day service. schools.

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Every once in awhile our peowas considered as among the best ple wake up to the realization that heard here on similar occasions. our town is worthy of our best Dr. Carver was for some time a efforts to tell others how good it style. This occasion sees all sen-missionary in China under the is and what a fine place it is to make one's home.

### **Baptist Church**

Services to be held Sunday, May 10 ,are as follows:

9:45-Sunday School

11:00-Morning Worship. Sermon topic: "God's Unit of Society."

7:30-Young People's Meeting. 8:00-Mission Night. This program will be in charge of Mrs. Annie Jones, president of the W. M. S.

## **Methodist Church**

Mother's Day-this coming Sun-

Church school-10:00. Mother's Day service-11:00. Young People's service-7:15.

If you are a mother, come and attend a Mother's Day service. If you have a mother living come and you will pay a tribute to all moth-The class motto is "United we ers. We will have a red or white rose for every one who attends.