

This, That and the Other

By MRS. THEO. B. DAVIS

At Durham Wednesday of last week the bus station was so crowded with those coming, going, or wanting to go that they had to put on an extra bus for the run to Raleigh. I was among those who had to wait and when the second bus was being loaded there was such a dash for it I hesitated for a moment and at my side a slim young sergeant of the Air Corps said to me, "If we don't hurry, we may not get on this one." I replied that since I was not in a desperate rush I was thinking it might be well to give first chance to those who seemed on urgent business bent. "Lady," he said, taking my elbow, "everybody who travels these days is on urgent business. Come on." We made it and didn't have to stand up as a few late comers did. The boy who on furlough and I thought he enjoys each minute of its time, though I've no idea who he was.

On the bus between Lynchburg and Durham I overheard two men talking just back of me. The younger bragged a bit about his business, then asked the older whether he thought money put into war bonds will be repaid. The old man said if it is not, we shall be as well off as if we hadn't invested that way because if the Government goes broke we shall all be in the same fix. The young man went on to say complacently that if every one did as much as he had done, the Government would be mightily helped up; but that he didn't begrudge it, even if he never got it back; that a fellow ought to do his part. He added proudly that he owned ten dollars worth of bonds. I think he must have had stamps in mind.

The elder listener, who had previously said he was out of work just then, remarked quietly that he had bought four twenty-five dollar bonds, one each for himself, his wife and his two children under twenty-one. He added that he had managed to get on without their cost and planned to buy more as soon as he could after getting back to work.

The first speaker spoke as if a bit confused when he explained that he had been under heavy expenses at home and really meant to do more in the bond line later.

One more paragraph concerning the war. Nothing has thrilled me more than the following incident:

A young man who was called went before his local board and was asked whether he wanted deferment. The chairman explained that since the draftee worked in an essential industry he had the right to make such a request. The young citizen, not much past his twenty-first birthday, replied that he was ready to go. "I did not volunteer," he said, "but waited to be drafted. I do have a good job, but I feel that a country which gives a fellow the chance I've had is worth stopping everything else to fight for." He goes to camp shortly.

Not everybody with a dollar to spare can shoot a gun straight—but everybody can shoot straight to the bank and buy War Bonds. Buy your 10% every pay day.

Volunteers Save Old Warehouse From Destruction

Kitchings and Hopkins Are Stars As Locals Win Over Flames

Fast work on the part of the Zebulon Volunteer Fire Department saved the empty warehouse across on the South side of the railroad from possible complete destruction early Tuesday morning when a fire of undetermined origin caused only slight damage to the front of the building.

Leonard Lewis, night policeman, spotted the fire as it first started, while making his rounds. He ran to the fire station, gave the alarm, and went to work starting the truck.

Ed Kitchings and Willie B. Hopkins were very helpful in handling the hose.

After an investigation, Fire Chief A. S. Hinton said that the blaze was probably started by a cigarette.

The building belongs to Bernice Bunn, who lost heavily when another warehouse containing much merchandise was struck by lightning and burned a short time ago.

John Sumner Is Program Leader



John Sumner had the program at the last Rotary meeting, discussing probable post-war business conditions and the advancement of civilization. He compared conditions of twenty years ago with those of today and contrasted traveling then and now as to method and distances, showing that a journey across states this year is no more noteworthy than was one of thirty miles two decades ago.

Business, particularly banking, is more stable now than formerly, unsound banks being closed by the Government. Civilization has made vast strides through schools and mechanical progress. A like improvement in the next twenty years may be more than one could well conjecture. The talk was interesting and enjoyable.

Clerical Exams To Be Given Soon

Dr. Frank T. de Vyver, North Carolina Merit System Supervisor, has announced that arrangements have been made to give merit examinations late in September, for clerical positions in the Unemployment Compensation Commission, the United States Employment Service for North Carolina, the State Board of Charities and Public Welfare, and the County Welfare Departments, the State Board of Health and the Local Health Units, and the State Commission for the Blind.

Examinations will be given for the following series: Typist Clerk, Junior Stenographer Clerk, Senior

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CHURCH NEWS

Baptist Church

The services at the Baptist Church for Sunday, September 6, will be:

9:45, Sunday School.

11:00, Morning Worship. Sermon topic: "We Must Turn to God."

7:30, Young People's Service.

8:00, Mission Night.

Methodist Church

Services for Sunday:

Church School—10:00.

Young People—7:15.

Worship Service—8:00.

Note: A fellowship service each Wednesday evening at 8:00.

P. S.: Beginning with September, decide to attend church every Sunday.

Revival Services

Revival services will begin at Hephzibah Baptist Church Sunday, Sept. 8, at 8:30 p.m. Services will be held daily during the week at 3:30 and 8:30 p.m. The public is urged to attend.

Revival services will begin Sunday night, Sept. 6, at Hales Chapel Baptist Church. Services will be conducted by Rev. A. W. Icard. The public is cordially invited to attend.

CLASS HAS MEETING

The Young Married Ladies Class of Wakefield met with Mrs. Herman Eddins on August 28, with twelve members present. Margaret Keith was in charge of the program and gave a very interesting talk. During the social hour games and contests were enjoyed and prizes awarded to the winners. The hostess served refreshments.

With the Men In Service

Soldier's Address

P. L. White, Jr.,

413 T. S. S.,

A. A. F. R. T. C.,

Group C. F. L. 26,

Clearwater, Florida.

Will be there 3 weeks for basic training then will go to some air base.

Camp Wolters, Texas.—Private Perlis Odell Hinton, 26, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Hinton, of Zebulon, Route 3, has arrived at this infantry replacement center to begin basic training as an infantryman in the Army of the United States. He has been assigned to duty with a battalion stressing small arms weapon training.

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Remember Bataan
Invest
A Dime Out of
Every Dollar in
U.S. War Bonds

WAKELON BEGINS NEW YEAR; SUCCESSFUL SESSION PLANNED

F. D. Finch Is Program Director For 1942 Opening

Wakelon School had its formal opening Tuesday morning, which does not mean that thousands of details are not yet to be looked after with consequent changes or adjustments. But the opening was unusually impressive.

On the rostrum with the new superintendent, B. K. Miller, were Chairman F. D. Finch, who directed the program; Dr. L. M. Massey, representing the State Board of Education; County Supt. Randolph Benton, and C. V. Whitley of the County Board; J. K. Barrow of the local Board; Pastors B. F. Boone and G. J. Griffin of the town churches. In the audience were J. T. Knott and C. S. Chamblee, also members of the board.

After the singing of one stanza of America the Beautiful, Pastor Boone read from the first chapter of John's gospel and prayer was led by Pastor Griffin. Chairman Finch in a brief address stressed the fact that unusual and abnormal situations have been forced upon us by the present world crises, demanding the best in cooperation and sacrifice. He emphasized self-discipline as highly commendable cooperation.

Mr. Benton, after pleasant greetings and felicitations, discussed four principles he believes essential today. These are: character, which must be the basis of conduct; fortitude, or the ability to take what comes and keep on trying; faith in our country, its leadership and its future, and in God. He gave striking references from history of previous times when many felt that chaos was not far off, but whose opinions were wrong, and stated his belief that boys and girls of today can take what comes.

Supt. Miller, introduced by Mr. Benton as a man respected and loved in his former home, worthy of full trust by patrons and pupils, took only a few minutes to greet those present before making necessary announcements.

Teachers were introduced and a list of those not already mentioned in this paper will be printed soon. Mr. Finch expressed gratification that a majority of the former faculty returned.

Resolutions of respect were read by the chairman of the school board attesting the loss Wakelon and the community have sustained in the recent death of A. V. Medlin.

Mrs. M. J. Sexton, president of the Parent-Teacher Association, announced the first meeting for the year on Tuesday night of next week at 8:00 p.m. in the school auditorium.

Garden Club

Mrs. Robert D. Massey announces the first fall meeting of the Garden Club to be held at her home on next Tuesday, Sept. 8, at 3:30 p.m. All members are asked to be present.



It's common sense to be thrifty. If you save you are thrifty. War Bonds help you to save and help to save America. Buy your ten per cent every pay day.

P.-T. A. Will Meet In Auditorium On Sept. 8, 8 P. M.

Names of Those Who Have Taught Are Given Here

Mrs. M. J. Sexton, President of the P.-T. A., announces the first meeting will be held in Wakelon auditorium Sept. 8th, at eight o'clock. She is anxious for all teachers and parents who live in this community to be there to help welcome the incoming faculty. The school is yours; be sure to attend the P.-T. A.

List of those who have taught school and live in Zebulon community:

Rev. and Mrs. Theo. Davis, Mrs. R. H. Herring, Mrs. John Broughton, Mrs. Johnny Kemp, Mrs. Ella Ray, Mrs. J. K. Barrow, Sr., Mrs. Starkey Hoyle, Mr. Pittman Stell, Mrs. Jethro Stell, Mrs.

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New Supervisor Here for Wake

Marion M. Freeman Transferred Here From Nash County

Miss Marjorie M. Freeman, former Assistant Home Supervisor for the Farm Security Administration in Nash County, has recently been appointed Assistant Home Demonstration Agent in Wake County. Miss Freeman was transferred to this county Monday August 17 to assist the Home Demonstration Agent, Mrs. Maude McInnes with her work among the farm women of Wake County.

Mrs. McInnes now has 24 organized home demonstration clubs in Wake County and has been assisting County Agent J. D. Thompson with 8 organized 4-H Clubs. Miss Freeman will work with both of these organizations and assist other farm women throughout the county with their home economic problems.

She is a graduate of Meredith College and comes to this county well recommended by her former supervisors and those who knew her in Nash County.

City Market Has New Manager

Because of being called to service with the armed forces of the country, R. J. Sawyer has sold his business to Raleigh Alford and will no longer be connected with City Market, where he has for some years enjoyed a good patronage from the town and community. Mr. Alford will continue the policies that have made the establishment popular, and asks continued patronage. His announcement will be found on another page of this paper.

It is not the air pushing on the the under side of a wing, but the vacuum immediately above the wing that lifts an aeroplane.