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## THANKS TO TOWN BOARD

Having been among those who pleaded for repairs to be made on our streets, we desire also to be among those who express their appreciation of work that has been done. Not for years have all our streets been in better condition, if as good. Drivers are grateful for the improvement.

But our sidewalks are crying loudly for attention. With the rapid growth of grass and weeds, the washing done by rains, the wear of traffic, walking is an uncomfortable process in many parts of town. If weed-cutters might spend some days in destroying the growth that impedes pedestrians, our town might boast of appearing as a model of what well-dressed summer streets should wear. Also what they should not wear.

## MUSEUM HALTS FISH STORIES

Raleigh, July 3.—Too many fish stories are going the rounds these days, and the State Museum has decided to do something about it in the way of assisting with the identification and size of the fish that are being caught.

The first collection—bream and sun fish—was brought in recently from Dr. O. S. Goodwin's farm at Apex, and they are having a merry time of it gazing at their visitors. Others will be added, according to Director Harry Davis.

Davis said that with the help of the Soil Conservation Service, farmers of the Wake County section are growing fish "just like raising chickens" and have built about 20 one-acre ponds within the past year. After the first year, each pond should yield at least 240 pounds of fish per year.

"Bass, crappie, and bream do well in fresh water in this State, but if you hear of a bass weighing over 14 pounds, a crappie over two, or a bream over a pound-and-half, you send the story-teller to the aquarium at the State Museum," advised Davis.

## GOVERNMENT CALLS FOR HELP; WANT A JOB?

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced that war service positions as Social Case Workers are available in the District of Columbia Government. Salaries are \$2,100 and \$2,300 a year. To qualify, applicants for positions paying \$2,100 must have had 3 1-2 years of appropriate experience; and for positions paying \$2,300, 4 years. Education may be substituted for experience on the basis of 1 year of study for 9 months of experience, up to a maximum of 3 years of experience. Appropriate graduate study may be substituted year for year up to a maximum of 2 years. Competitors must pass a written test.

Medical Technicians are urgently needed to fill war service positions in Federal hospitals, especially in those serving our wounded veterans. Optional subjects are general, Roentgenology, and surgery. Salaries are from \$1,752 to \$2,433 a year. Applicants with a minimum of from 6 months to 3 years of appropriate experience or a combination of experience or education or internship may qualify. No written test is required.

The Commission has also announced a new examination for Scientific Aid in the fields of chemistry, geology, mathematics, metallurgy, meteorology, physics and radio. Salaries are from \$1,970 to \$3,163. To qualify, applicants must have had from 1 to 5 years of appropriate experience. Pertinent study may be substituted for experience. No written test is required.

All of these positions are for service in Washington, D. C., only. There are no age limits for any of these positions.

Applications will be accepted until the needs of the service have been met.

Announcements and application forms may be obtained from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, 25, D. C.

# DID YOU KNOW?

—That the largest harvest of wheat in the history of the United States, some 1,084,000 bushels, is forecast by the Department of Agriculture, while from the mid-west comes the now-familiar story of wheat being dumped on the ground because of lack of storage space and transportation facilities . . . sales of E bonds are lagging behind schedule throughout the nation, despite the intense and patriotic efforts of local bankers, businessmen and housewives to spur sales . . . the outlook for civilian tires is still uncertain, but Akron says once it gets word from Washington, quantity output can begin within a month's time . . . the sheep population of the U. S. has fallen from 50 million in 1942 to 41 million now . . . now householders are buying record quantities of baby chicks . . . construction contracts for the 37 states east of the Rockies are up 57 per cent over the first five months of last year.

The evening of a well-spent life brings its lamps with it.—Journbert.

# BETHANY NEWS

Master Glenn Hart is improving after a relapse from a tonsil operation.

Mrs. Myrtle Lucy of Blackstone, Va., is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Fannie Bowling, Juanita and Mrs. Lucy were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Davis.

Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. George Williams is improving after being ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blackard have as their guest, his sister, Grace, from Toledo, Ohio.

Clarence Weathers who has been ill for some time shows little improvement.

Lt. Herbert Robertson and Sgt. "Tinky" Robertson are visiting their mother, Mrs. Beulah Robertson.

Carey Robertson is improving from a recent operation and complications.

Mrs. Percy Morton is healing nicely, she is still confined to her room.

Mrs. Evelyn T. Phillips of Raleigh was the week end guest of her sister, Mrs. T. H. Watson.

Mrs. W. A. Upchurch is better after being ill for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Yeargin have been visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blackard and son, Mrs. Roy Peebles, Mrs. Charlie Merritt, Misses Marguerite Ray, Dora Lee Watson and Rotcher Ray spent several days at Carolina Beach.

Miss Metta Doris Creech is at home for a few days.

Lake Mirl is enjoying a boom in this hot weather. Record crowds are going there.

# Pleasant Hill News

We are sorry to report that Mr. B. K. Horton's mother, Mrs. Sallie Horton, fell last week, fracturing her hip. She is with her daughter, Mrs. Edd Fowler, Zebulon, Route 3.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wilford a daughter, Sandra Louise, July 2nd.

Mr. John Carter is home on a furlough from Portsmouth, Va. He is in the Navy.

Mrs. Joe Carter visited her sister, Mrs. O. W. Thorne of Varina this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Puryear of Neuse were visitors at Mr. T. Y. Puryear's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Starnes spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams near Fuquay.

The Bible School is at Hephzibah Church from four till six or seven o'clock.

C. W. Hood of Booneville is spending a few days with his grandmother, Mrs. E. W. Hood.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Lonnie Jones' son in France. They live on Wendell, R2.

—Mrs. T. Y. Puryear

# UNION HOPE

Last Sunday was our regular preaching Sunday. A visiting preacher from Georgia, Rev. Lamm, accompanied the pastor and brought the message. Rev. Lamm is also holding a revival meeting this week at Rocky Cross church near here.

Parents of Pvt. Vaiden Strickland and Cpl. Dorsey R. Strickland received letters from both boys stating that they had met each other overseas after being separated for three years. Cpl. Strickland, the older son, didn't recognize the younger brother. They spent two days and one night together.

Berlie Brantley, S 1-c was home from Norfolk, Va., the past week end.

Pvt. Hubert Whitley of Camp Butner was home this past week end.

Clayton Whitley of the Merchant Marines is home for 21 days after being overseas since March. His last trip was to Italy and he had the pleasure of visiting the St. Peters Basilica, the place of St. Peter's tomb.

A big birthday dinner was served in the Whitley home last Sunday in honor of their youngest son, Beamon Whitley. He was 16 years old.

Cpl. William Cone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Short Cone, is at home on a 30-day leave. He has recently returned from overseas where he served 32 months with the armed forces. He spent most of this time in Germany and Italy. He will return to Florida after his furlough is over.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Murray visited their niece, Mrs. Paul Cone, of near Samaria last Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Cone an-

nounced the birth of twin girls on June the 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. Channel Wilder are visiting their daughter, Estelle in Greensboro. Their grandson, Bill, is at home with a discharge after serving over two years overseas.

Miss Barbara Ruth Strickland, grand-daughter of Mr. Bill Bryant of this section, is taking a beauty course. She is going to Carolina Beauty College at Raleigh and is now living with her aunt, Mrs. Frank Kemp at Zebulon.

Raymond Massey, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Massey, left home for service at Fort Bragg on June 28th. He was honored with an ice cream supper by his family and friends the night before he left.

# Air Forces Make Greatest Use Of Service Women

Washington. — The rapidly growing air-mindedness of women, revealing their unusual aptitude for nearly every kind of job in aviation, has been vividly brought to light by the service which they have performed during the war with the air branches of the armed forces.

A survey of American women in uniform discloses that the largest number of Women Marines have been assigned to air work.

One-third of all WAVES have been on duty with the Navy air

arm. WACS have played a major role in the vital ground services for the Army Air Forces' Air Transport Command. The same held true for the SPARS.

The WASPS proved outstanding as pilots in ferrying every type of aircraft. And members of the Army Nurse Corps gained new lustre as flight nurses.

More than 800,000 sick and wounded have been flown to safety and care during the war, many of them all the way across the Atlantic or Pacific.

About 60 per cent of the first two graduating classes of the Air Nurses training center at Bowman Field, Kentucky, were former airline stewardesses.

The WACS have been serving in more than 150 different capacities related to flying, many of them overseas. Here are just a few: grease monkeys, radio operators, dispatchers, draftsmen, inspectors, control tower operators, priority and traffic officers, intelligence officers, weather experts, and postal workers.

Some of the air jobs performed by WAVES have been as administrators of tests in low pressure chambers, gunnery instructors, air navigation instructors, aerologists mates, metal smiths, instrument mechanics, store keepers.

Women Marines had to their credit many of the foregoing duties and also such jobs as parachute riggers, electricians, hydraulic specialists, lubricators, propeller specialists, oxygen experts, all branches of radio, and aerial photography.

SPARS did notable work in control towers and in charge of Link trainers.

# WENDELL Theatre

Sunday Shows 3 & 9 P. M. Weekday Shows 3:30 & 7:30 P. M. Admission 15 & 35c

Thursday & Friday, July 5-6—Dorothy McGuire, Joan Blondell, James Dunn

## A TREE GROWS IN BROOKLYN

Saturday, July 7—Double Feature—Continuous 2 till 11 P. M.—Admission 15 & 35c—Charles Starrett, Tex Harding—

## BOTH BARRELS BLAZING

Richard Travis, Eleanor Parker—

## LAST RIDE

Chapter No. 1 BRENDA STARR REPORTER

Sunday and Monday, July 8-9—Rita Hayworth, Lee Bowman, Janet Blair

## TONIGHT AND EVERY NIGHT

Tuesday, July 10—Edward G. Robinson, Ruth Warrick—

## MR. WINKLE GOES TO WAR

Wednesday, July 11—Peggy Ryan, Ann Blyth—

## BABES ON SWING STREET

Rod Cameron, Fuzzy Knight—

## BEYOND THE PECOS

Chapter No. 12 TIGER WOMAN

Thursday and Friday, July 12-13—Errol Flynn, Henry Hull—

## OBJECTIVE BURMA

Coming—

## ROUGHLY SPEAKING

## GOD IS MY CO-PILOT

HOTEL BERLIN

# Wakelon Theatre

ZEBULON, N. C.

Sunday Shows: 3:15 & 9:00 P. M.

Weekday Shows: 3:15, 7:15 & 9:00 P. M.

Saturday, July 7—

## SONG OF THE RANGE

Jimmy Wakely Lee White

Sunday and Monday, July 8-9—

## PATRICK THE GREAT

Donald O'Connor Peggy Ryan

Tuesday, July 10—

## MOLLY AND ME

Monty Woolley Roddy McDowall

Gracie Fields

Wednesday, July 11—

## BIG SHOWOFF

Arthur Lake Dale Evans

Thursday and Friday, July 12-13—

## KEYS OF THE KINGDOM

Roddy McDowall Sir C. Hardwicke

Saturday, July 14—

## Return of the Durango Kid

Charles Starrett Tex Harding

Coming—

## DELIGHTFULLY DANGEROUS MEET ME IN ST. LOUIS



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