

This, That & The Other

By Mrs. Theo. B. Davis

Last week in a Raleigh store I saw a lovely tray made either of glass or one of the new plastics. It was pale green with a spray of dogwood and the leaves a deeper green and the blossoms a glistening white. But it was spoiled by having, in addition to the blooms, closed buds towards the end of the spray. Those who know dogwood know that it never has flower buds. The white petals, which are not true blossoms, after all, begin wide open. I'd not care for that tray, even if I were able to afford it.

I read Monday that holly for decorations this Christmas will have no berries, due to cold weather and late frosts; that any with berries offered for sale has probably been shipped from the western part of this country, probably from Oregon.

But both our large trees are full of berries. It may be that they've had a better chance than wild ones as to cultivation and enriched soil, and for some reason the frost did not kill their blooms.

Last Sunday was the day my husband had promised to conduct a study course at Watkins Chapel, using the book on Miss Lottie Moon's life. But he was sick and unable to leave home. There was no way to notify the missionary society, so at the appointed hour they were surprised to see, instead of Mr. Davis and Miss Moon, Mrs. Davis and William MacDonald, Chilean missionary. I had taught that book, which is his biography, and we thought they might prefer hearing it to no study class.

It was unusual to see so many Sunday School pupils, not only staying for the class, but listening with most gratifying attention. This added to the pleasure of the occasion for me, as did the goodly number of men present. They probably would have waited anyway, to take their wives and children home — but they listened.

This was my first trip to Watkins Chapel. We found the Mr. Parker who works at City Market here superintending the Sunday school there. He goes out there every Sunday with Mrs. Parker and their two children. The church is near Emit and is neat and well kept, standing in a grove of oaks.

Nylon cloth is coming on the market. My feeling about it is somewhat the same as when I first

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Robert Ed Horton Speaks to Rotary

Robert Ed Horton spoke to the Rotarians Friday night when they met at Tipplon. His subject was "Problems the Farmer Has to Face."

According to Robert Ed, good farming requires more skill than does any other occupation. There are no books which the farmer can use, so when trouble strikes, he must depend upon his own common sense.

One good thing about being a Rotarian, says Robert Ed, is that now he can call Early Moser by his first name and not be afraid to face the consequences.

The whole club gathered round to congratulate Robert Ed on his excellent talk, which was timed at 24 minutes 10 seconds.

Next week the club will meet at Luther Massey's, where a Christmas program will be given.

WAKELON PLAYS STRONG METHODISTS FRIDAY NIGHT

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Sentence Still Not Passed In Williams Case

Testimony was completed last Wednesday in Wake Superior Court in the case of State vs. Russell Williams. Williams pleaded guilty to two charges of illegal possession and sale of taxpaid whiskey and one charge of illegal possession of taxpaid whiskey.

Judge Irby Gill had previously sentenced Williams to a total of 12 months on the roads and had fined him \$100 and costs after Williams was convicted in the local Recorders Court. Williams appealed the judgment, and when brought before Judge R. Hunt Parker pleaded guilty. Judge Parker deferred judgment until this week.

Several ABC agents testified in the trial in addition to J. D. Davis, the undercover agent to whom the whiskey on the first two counts was allegedly sold. Davis said he paid \$5.00 for a pint of Three Feathers whiskey on October 6, and \$9.00 for a fifth of PM on October 13. He testified that on each occasion he observed "teen-aged boys and girls drinking whiskey and beer."

ABC Officer T. C. Wemble testified that shortly thereafter he and other ABC officers found 8 pints of Three Feathers in Russell's Place when they entered it with a search warrant.

Deputy Sheriff G. C. Massey testified that he had never observed any teen-agers drinking beer or whiskey at the establishment, but that the place has a bad reputation for the sale of whiskey.

Sworn statements by leading citizens of Zebulon and Wendell

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Selectees Listed

The following men were listed by Local Draft Board No. 2 as being in the November preinduction call.

Ransom Choplin, William Grady Currin, William Audley Lattimore, Franklin Larby Perry, Oliver Julian Greene, Garland Thomas Medlin, William Chesley Bailey, Marvin Eugene Allen, Truby Maynard Hamilton, Frederick Freeman Liles, James Leonard Perry, Robert Lincoln Turner, Ronald Broughton Greene.

LEGION MEETING

The Cedric Harris Post of the American Legion will meet Monday night, December 17 at 7:30. Post Commander Kemp Leonard announces.

Town Meeting

The Town meeting will be held Friday night, December 15, at 7:45 p.m., in the Carolina Power & Light Co. office. Scheduled discussion subjects are veterans' aid and city streets. Town officials are requested to be present.



Fluorescent fixtures in your kitchen can save your eyes and your money. The tubes are larger, but they burn less electricity and give more light.

Fluorescent Lighting Great Help in Kitchen

These Lights Can Be Boon to Home

By Selma Harris Davis

So you're thinking of modernizing your kitchen with some of the new streamlined fluorescent lighting! Then take a tip from your Zebulon electric dealers—they know.

Be sure to select a ceiling fixture giving enough light to do a good lighting job, which, for the average kitchen in this section will consist of two fluorescent tubes, each 48 inches long. However, in some of the older and larger homes of this section the tubes should be 60 inches long—in houses in which the kitchen is used for a dining room as well as cooking.

These 48-inch tubes burn only 40 watts of electricity each, yet together they give almost as much light as a 200 watt filament bulb.

When you come to Zebulon to buy your fixtures, remember that the amount of light they give is in direct proportion to their size. That's why it's best to steer away from that too-small fixture using smaller tubes, such as those sold at some Raleigh cutrate stores.

The smaller units may look big enough, but even allowing for the fact that fluorescent light is two and one-half times as efficient as the filament bulb, the smaller fixture still doesn't give enough light for the tasks you do in the kitchen, like grating slaw and reading recipes for cakes and pies. In addition, if you read in the kitchen or the children do their lessons there, you again need the larger tubes.

Having picked out a good ceiling fixture to do an overall lighting job in the kitchen, you might select special spots to put other lights; because of their long slim

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Death of Local Woman Blow To Community

The death of Mrs. Ted Pippin on Wednesday evening, December 5, shocked and saddened this community.

The former Martha Bailey Flowers, she made her home here with her mother, Mrs. S. G. Flowers, since Capt. Pippin, of the AAF, was ordered overseas. She had very recently come home from a Raleigh hospital with her infant daughter, Jean Marie, and was thought to be doing well when a heart attack ended her life.

Through the Red Cross contact was finally made with the husband in Amsterdam, Holland. It was impossible for him to reach home at this time and he directed that the last rites be decided upon by the relatives. On Saturday afternoon in the Methodist Church Pastor C. E. Vale, assisted by Pastor R. H. Hughes of Wakefield Baptist Church, conducted a quiet, impressive service that was followed by burial in the Zebulon cemetery. Many attended from a distance and there was not room for all in the church.

After graduation with honors at Wakelon, Mrs. Pippin attended Brenau College, Gainesville, Ga.; WCUNC, Greensboro; and King's Business College, Charlotte. For some time before her marriage in June, 1942, she was employed by the Peoples Bank and Trust Company here.

Besides her husband, mother and daughter, she is survived by one sister, Mrs. Matthew Liles, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., and one brother, Sultan G. Flowers of Zebulon.

Basketball Friday

The Wakelon High School basketball teams will clash with the strong Methodist Orphanage representatives Friday night in the Wakelon Gymnasium. The Methodist boys usually come out with one of the strongest teams in this part of the state. Last year they played Red Oak in the local gymnasium for the district championship. First game is at 7:30.

CHURCH NEWS

METHODIST CHURCH

Church School, 10 A.M.

Epworth League, 6 P.M.

Preaching Service, 7:30 P. M.

Sermon Title: "It Is Time to Remember". Memory is one of man's most important possessions. Its culture and use can make or break him.

Charles E. Vale, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Services for Dec. 16:

10:00 Sunday School

11:00 Morning Worship. Mes-

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Negro Soldier Is Murdered While Fleeing From Killer

Allen Tuck, 25-year-old Zebulon Negro who recently reenlisted in the Army after serving three years overseas, was shot fatally early Saturday morning, Sheriff Massey reported, when he was fleeing from his assailant in a "juke joint" near Zebulon.

Tuck was shot by Ed Privette, another Zebulon Negro, who left the scene of the crime immediately after the shooting, Sheriff Massey said.

Coroner Roy M. Banks said that an autopsy showed that the charge punctured Tuck's right lung and lived. Tuck lived for about 30 minutes after the shooting, Banks said, but died before reaching St. Agnes Hospital in Raleigh.

The shooting occurred in front of Nathan Brock's store, about a mile west of Zebulon. Sheriff Massey said that Tuck and Privette apparently got into an argument over a girl and that Privette picked up a shotgun. He fired when Tuck began running down the highway, deputies said.

Tuck recently was discharged from the service after serving three years overseas in North Africa, Sicily, and Italy. He reenlisted in the Army two weeks ago at Fort Bragg, and was ordered to report back next week for assignment.

Coroner Banks said that he probably will hold an inquest after officers apprehend Privette.