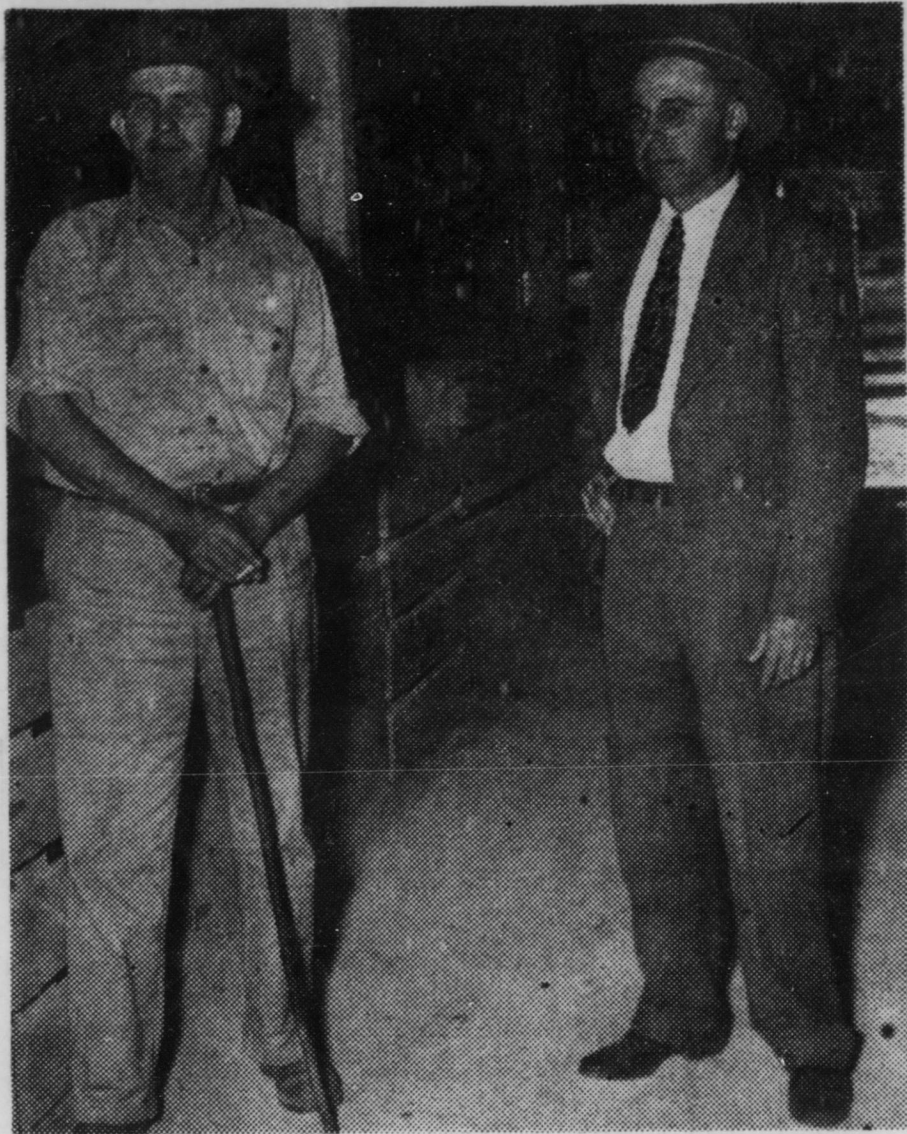


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Pet Horton, left, of Zebulon, Route 4, and Walter Kirby of Kenly, Route 3, are pictured Sunday at Horton's "Sow Palace" at his Fall Branch Poland China Farm, where the two discussed plans for Zebulon's Poland China show December 12.

Walter Kirby, Pet Horton Predict Top Hog Show Here December 12

The North Carolina Poland China Association's fall show, which will take place in Zebulon December 12, will be the finest ever held in this state, Walter Kirby, president of the hog association, said Sunday.

"We expect the largest crowd and the finest offerings of any type conference this year," the Kenly man told the Record. "We are sparing no expense to make our showing a success."

Catalogues for the show are in production now, and are expected to be completed by December 1. Chief exhibitors and sellers are Kirby and P. M. Horton of Zebulon, Route 4, vice president of the North Carolina Poland China Association.

"I have some mighty fine gilts I intend to offer," said Horton. "They will be bred to my boar, whose sire was a champion and whose grandsire was a grand champion. Interested persons can see the boar at my Sow Palace at any time."

Horton had the champion sow at the North Carolina State Fair this year, and Kirby exhibited the champion boar. Other exhibitors at the Zebulon show will come from Franklin, Harnett, and Wilson Counties, and are expected to bring only the finest gilts. (Kirby is from Johnston County, and Horton lives at Fall Branch in Wake County.)

Local Woman's Club To Sponsor Scrap Paper Collection Today

The Zebulon Woman's Club will have a truck going through town collecting scrap paper this afternoon, if the weather is good. Boy Scouts will aid in the collection after school hours.

Mrs. F. L. Page, president of the Woman's Club, asks that all local residents having scrap paper to give the club to place the bundles on their porches.

In the event of rain, the collection will be postponed one week to Friday, November 7.

Barbecue Supper Planned for Nov. 11

A barbecue supper will be served Armistice Day at the Wendell-Zebulon Legion Hut on Highway 64, to which the public is invited. Proceeds of the supper above cost will be applied to the building fund.

Many Local Homes Now Nearing Completion; Most Materials Scarce

Charlie Scarboro, who is having two brick veneer houses constructed on Sycamore Street for his sons, said yesterday that the homes should be ready for occupancy within two weeks.

The houses, each a story and a half, are on the corner of Sycamore and Wakefield and Church Streets, across from the new Milton Strickland residence. They are being built by Clarence Hinton and J. Strickland.

The Milton Strickland home

will be ready for occupancy in another month, as will the Hardin Hinton residence, if materials can be obtained. Milton Strickland and Marshall Jones are building both houses.

The William Ferguson home, being constructed on the Sycamore Street extension, will be ready for occupancy November 1.

Buck Phillips, building his home on Arendell Avenue next to the Fred Beck residence, has his ground cleared, and is placing building materials on his lot.

Farmers Must Place Fertilizer Orders Early Says Wake Agent

Soda Available for '48 Crops Certain to Fall Short of Actual Needs

To be more sure of getting fertilizer requirements for the 1948 crops, Tar Heel farmers should place their orders early and accept the fertilizer as soon as it can be delivered, says Wake County Agent J. L. Reitzel.

Basing his statement upon information received from the Plant Food Institute of North Carolina and Virginia Inc., he advises farmers who have a dry place and can store their fertilizer to place their orders and begin to accept delivery of it.

"Since such a large tonnage of solid nitrogen is being sent to foreign countries, it is necessary for farmers in this country to use a larger per cent of liquid nitrogen than normal," said the county Agent.

"Tank cars for shipping this nitrogen is very scarce, and the normal supply of tank cars is not sufficient to ship this concentrated form of nitrogen. Too, it has to be used immediately upon delivery by spraying the liquid into superphosphate, which makes up the base for mixing commercial fertilizer."

With the large demand for fertilizer in the West, and all over the United States, it would be most unfortunate for any of the regular allocations of nitrogen for this section to have to be diverted because of insufficient storage space at the manufacturing plants, Reitzel continued.

Since this particular area is so deficient in producing the grain requirements for the livestock, farmers should do everything possible to get the fertilizer needed to produce the grains, hay, and pasture needed for the limited amount of livestock, he said.

Supper Saturday At Pearce Church

There will be a supper at Pearce's Church, Saturday night, Nov. 1, from 5 o'clock until 8 o'clock. The proceeds will go to the Class Room Building Fund.

The menu consists of pig barbecue, chicken barbecue, slaw, potato chips, pie and coffee.

The plates will be children 35c, adults 75c.

Hostesses: Mrs. Nathaniel Upchurch, Mrs. Ivan Pearce, Mrs. Pettigrew Pearce, Mrs. Plyburn Pearce and Mrs. Clifton Perry.

317 Persons Aided At State Fair Booth Of Wake Red Cross

A total of 317 persons were given first aid at the Red Cross First Aid Station operated by the Wake County Chapter of the Red Cross during the State Fair, according to a final report made to C. A. Dillon, chapter chairman. At least three of the persons receiving aid came from Zebulon.

The station was open 75 hours, and 73 volunteer Red Cross workers participated in the project. This number of volunteers includes: physicians, nurses, nurses' aides, trained first aid personnel, staff assistants, Boy Scouts, and motor corps.

In addition to the 317 men, women, and children who received first aid—all for minor injuries and ailments—205 others were assisted in some way by the Red Cross personnel on duty in the station.

The report to Chairman Dillon says, in part: "The First Aid service rendered during the Fair was in line with Red Cross policy to provide first aid wherever large crowds gather, and your executive office cannot praise too highly the efficient manner in which every member of the volunteer staff perform his or her duties. It was a very successful project."

Darryl K. Pearce Killed in Accident Here Sunday Morning

Darryl Pearce, 21-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Pearce of Zebulon, Route 4, was instantly killed early Sunday morning when the automobile he was driving left the road and crashed through a telephone pole and into a tree on Sycamore Street in front of the Woodrow Watkins home.

The cause of the wreck could not be ascertained, but Pearce had suffered from blood clots since his discharge from the Army, and it is thought he may have had a heart attack while driving.

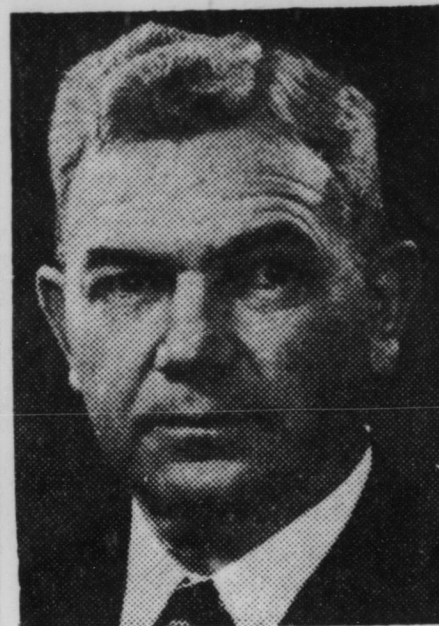
Funeral services were conducted from the home Monday afternoon by Rev. C. E. Vale of the Methodist Church. Burial was at the Alford Cemetery near Seven Paths in Franklin County.

Surviving besides his parents are four sisters, Margaret and Bessi of the home, Mrs. Paul Flatt of Baltimore, and Mrs. N. E. May of Bunn; four brothers, Wallace of the home, Thurman and Gordon of Louisburg, and Marquette of Wendell.

Wakefield Club Elects New Officers

The H. D. Club at Wakefield met, Oct. 22, with Mrs. Mary Kemp. Mrs. McInnis gave an excellent talk and demonstration on "Lighting For the Home." New officers were elected for the year 1948-49.

Mrs. Creola Hendrix—Pres. Mrs. Kemp Leonard—Vice Pres. Mrs. Jack Mitchell—Secretary Mrs. Genia Joyner—Treasurer.



Judge Hubert Olive, recently named head of the State Board of Elections by Governor R. Gregg Cherry

Zebulon Girl Scouts Present Candlelight Program for Rotary

Zebulon Girl Scout Troop No. 12 presented the program at the weekly meeting of the local Rotary Club last Friday night, under the direction of Mrs. Eugene Privett and Mrs. Irby Gill.

The Girl Scouts rendered several songs, after which an impressive candle-lighting ceremony was held. They also explained the aims and procedures of Girl Scouting. The last number on the program was an original composition of Troop 12 entitled "We Want a Hut We Can Call Our Own."

Another feature of the program was a series of acrobatic and tap dances by members of the dancing class taught by Mrs. H. C. Wade, with Mrs. Wade at the piano.

Dr. L. M. Massey Conducts Clinic

Dr. L. M. Massey attended the Fourth District Dental Society Meeting in Raleigh Tuesday, where he was on the program and gave a clinic on "Pre-operative Examination of Surgery and Extraction Patients." Dr. Massey's Clinic was selected and he was invited to give the Clinic at the North Carolina State Dental Meeting which meets in Asheville in May, 1948.

Dr. Massey gave a Clinic at the State Meeting at Pinehurst the past May which was selected for the American Meeting in Boston in July, 1947.

Farm Bureau President Recommends Care in Grading Tobacco for Market

When tobacco is brought from the curing barn, special care should be taken in cooping it in the packhouse, says E. H. Moser, president of the Zebulon Farm Bureau and president of the Wendell Chamber of Commerce.

Answering the question that has arisen in the minds of so many tobacco farmers during the recent warm, damp weather period—What can I do with tobacco that is too high in order—he offers the following suggestions from Roy Bennett, extension tobacco special-

ist at State College.

Should tobacco become too high in order in the pack or in handling the sorting and typing operation, it should be dried out before being packed down or marketed.

This may be done by placing it back into the curing barn and firing the barn at low temperature, about 100 degrees F. High temperatures in drying tobacco that has already been cured will usually darken the color and the fire hazard will be increased drastically.