

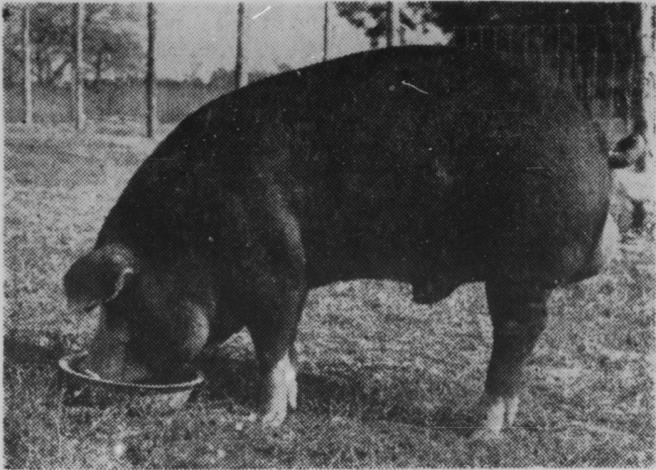
# THE ZEBULON RECORD

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## JUNIOR BOAR OF LOCAL HOG FARM



Pictured is Choice Goods, P. M. Horton's top bloodline boar, to which most of the gilts offered in his spring Poland China sale have been bred. Horton, whose Fall Branch Poland China Farm is one of the South's finest, is holding a sale in Zebulon next month for the benefit of veteran farm trainees and others who wish to start herds of pedigreed Poland China swine.—Record staff photo.

## Get Your Child's Photograph Made Free at Zebulon Woman's Club

The Zebulon Record today announces the forthcoming publication of a series of local children's pictures yet to be taken. Arrangements have been completed with the Woltz Studios of Des Moines, Iowa, a nationally known firm, who specialize in children's photography for newspapers, to take the pictures and furnish the engravings.

## Zebulon Loses 50-48 Game to Raleigh Five; Fremont Here Tonight

The Zebulon basketball team lost its second game of the season Wednesday night to Lynn's White Flash of Raleigh, 50-48, after a thrilling second half rally which had the spectators on their feet throughout the final quarter. Trailing by 15 points at halftime, the local quintet, sparked by Carlton Mitchell, held the visitors in check throughout the final period as they scored 27 points themselves.

Mitchell and tall Hilliard Greene led the Zebulon scoring with 18 points each.

Last Friday night Zebulon polished up its attack in a free-scoring practice game with Wakelon, running up a 93-35 lead by the final whistle. Hilliard Greene hooped 53 points for scoring honors.

Other leaders in the practice for Zebulon were Carlton Mitchell with 15 and Barrie Davis with 10. For Wakelon, Rex Tippett tallied 12, Ralph Lewis, 9, and Bobby Bridgers and Richard Cherry 6 each.

Zebulon will meet the Fremont American Legion Post in a game in the Wakelon gymnasium tonight at 8:00.

## Womanless Wedding Nets \$124 To Aid U. S. Fight Against Cancer

The Womanless Wedding, sponsored by the Junior Woman's Club, netted \$124.55 for the Cancer Drive last week, and was judged a complete success by Mrs. Grace Gill and Mrs. Chas. Flowers, directors.

Willie B. Hopkins took the part of the reluctant groom for the performance, and embarked on a sea of matrimony with lovely Cameron Long, the bride. Rev. Carlton Mitchell, complete with flashing bow tie and hat, performed the ceremony.

Flower girls were petite and pert Steve Blackley and Mayor R. H.

Bridgers, who tripped down the aisles strewing laughter around.

The ceremony was interrupted temporarily when the rejected and dejected lassie, Wilbur Conn, objected to the ceremony. At the command of the bride's mother, W. A. Allman, the affair was continued.

Ralph Talton, complete with borrowed figure, and Frank Kemp, bedecked in a strapless evening gown, rendered vocal selections. Frank had trouble keeping his gown in place.

About 15 other blushing gentlemen completed the cast.

## Zebulon Participating In March of Dimes

Zebulon took an active part in the campaign for the March of Dimes this week. The local organization headed by Mrs. J. W. Gill, began a canvas of local businesses for contributions, and containers for dimes were placed in the drugstores and post office.

Mrs. Gill stated yesterday that the drive will extend through January, and she expects total contributions this year to exceed that given by the community in 1947.

## Local Bank Has Successful Year; Whitley Elected to Directorship

### President of Zebulon Chamber of Commerce Is Named to Board

C. V. Whitley of Zebulon, president of the local chamber of commerce and prominent business man, was elected a director of the Peoples Bank and Trust Company at the January meeting of the bank's directorate in Rocky Mount Wednesday afternoon.

The election of Whitley, according to F. P. Spruill, president of the organization, bespeaks the prominent part played in the banking system by the local branch, as well as the fine reputation enjoyed by the Zebulon director. For a number of years he has served as a member of the loan committee of the Zebulon branch, together with Avon Privett and M. J. Sexton.

The election of the new director brings to four the number of local persons listed as officers of the bank. R. Vance Brown and Miss Ruby Martin (Mrs. Randolph Hendricks) are listed as cashier and assistant cashier of the Zebulon branch, and Robert Daniel Massey, formerly assistant cashier of the local unit, is now cashier of the Whitakers, and Middlesex, and Bank.

Other personnel of the Zebulon division include Miss Helen Bunn and Miss Vic Gill.

### Mrs. Irby Gill, Canady, Hopkins Make Talks To Wakelon P.-T.A.

At an enthusiastic meeting held Monday night in the school auditorium, Wakelon Parent-Teacher Association attacked the problem of parent-children relations with a trio of talks and an open forum discussion on the subject, "Are the parents of the Wakelon community good for their children?" The problems of the mother-daughter relationship and of juvenile delinquency were examined and suggestions for remedies made.

Mrs. Irby Gill, Girl Scout leader, talked of the mother-daughter relationship, saying it is a "tough problem," since no mother knows the answers to the thousands of questions that daughters ask. She emphasized the importance of the period when girls grow into adolescence. Mrs. Gill said that she thought all mothers should realize that all the patience, sympathy, and discreet information that can be given should be given.

The main problem today, Mrs. Gill said, is sex. Parents should speak frankly and call a spade a spade when dealing with children. As a practical suggestion to dealing with this problem, she suggested some type of youth center as a decent gathering place for young people.

Armstrong Cannady, Cub Scout Master, followed Mrs. Gill, telling of the wisdom of parents providing an outlet for any special talents that their children possess and of the tragedy of squelching or dampening skills and hobbies. He explained the Scouting program, with which he is well acquainted. Most parents, he stated

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### Bank Director



C. V. Whitley, Zebulon businessman, who Wednesday was made a director of the Peoples Bank.

## Local Farmers Hoping Tobacco Acreage Cut May Be Lightened

Local farmers hailed yesterday a statement made in Atlanta, Ga., by Secretary of State George C. Marshall that under the Marshall Plan large quantities of tobacco will be shipped into Europe for purposes of morale, as advocated in *The Record* and other newspapers.

Hope was raised that a decrease in the 25 percent cut in tobacco acreage for 1948 may be obtained, especially since Senator William Umstead has sought commitments from other legislatures concerning shipment of tobacco into the continent. Umstead recently declared himself in opposition to a cut in acreage of the magnitude recently made.

The senator's complete statement follows:

On November 17, 1947, the Department of Agriculture announced a 28 per cent cut in allotments of flue-cured tobacco acreage for 1948. For some time I have given considerable thought and study to this matter and have discussed it with a number of people in North Carolina and in the Department in Washington.

I realize that the Tobacco Con-

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## Record Deposits, Loans Made at Peoples Bank During Past 12 Months

The Zebulon branch of the Peoples Bank and Trust Company enjoyed its most active year during 1947. R. Vance Brown, cashier, said yesterday.

The local unit received 18,790 deposits during the twelve months ending December 31, 1947, for total deposits of \$9,303,079.36, as compared to 17,825 deposits during 1946, for a total of \$8,098,307.31. The most active year previous to 1947 was 1946.

During 1947 83,399 checks were written on the local bank amounting to \$9,515,046.00, as compared with 77,159 checks in 1946 amounting to \$7,856,152.03. A total of 63,445 checks were received on out-of-town banks in 1947, amounting to \$6,024,623.26, nearly a million and a half dollars more than the \$4,746,317.75 representing 77,159 checks the previous year.

"Our greatest activity in 1947 was farmer loans," Brown said. "The Peoples Bank and Trust Company has a policy of helping farmers, and it pays off. We made 557 farm loans to farmers last year, and every one of them, totaling \$177,852.91 is now paid off."

Total loans made by the Zebulon institution in 1947 amounted to \$515,577.59 in 959 individual notes as compared with 693 loans the previous year, totaling \$386,993.36.

The entire Peoples Bank, with branches at Nashville, Zebulon, Whitakers, and Middlesex, and home office at Rocky Mount, has made marked progress in the last decade. A check of *Record* files

## Dora Pitts Circle Meets With Mrs. Earl Horton

The Dora Pitts Circle of the Baptist W. M. S. held the January meeting with Mrs. Earl Horton hostess and Mrs. S. A. Horton directing a program on Home Missions. The discussion was led by Mrs. Carlton Mitchell, who emphasized the importance of this, the year of commemoration in missionary endeavor.

The hostess was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Ed Ellington, in serving refreshments at the close of the program.

## The Bunns Show Folks from East Zebulon Is Really Friendly Town

Mr. and Mrs. Hall Crews Miller live in Windsor, where Hall is a high school teacher and coach. Like most school families, they decided to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives, and wrote Mrs. Miller's sister, Mrs. Ferd Davis, that they would arrive in Zebulon from Windsor on Friday before Christmas for a short visit.

That Friday afternoon the Millers and baby daughter, Mary Margaret, got off the Trailways bus at the Zebulon Bus Station, knowing no one, and, so they thought, unknown. But they found out different.

As they came into the bus station soda shop, they were met by a man and woman.

"Let me help you with that baggage, Mr. Miller," the man said. While the school teacher was wondering how the man knew his name, the woman reached over and took the baby from Mrs. Miller.

"I'll hold your baby while you call your sister," she said. "Her number is 2183."

While the astonished wife was making her telephone call, the bus station couple talked to the

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