

# THE ZEBULON RECORD

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## ARMY TRUCK RUNS UNDER WATER



Here's a brand new Army Ordnance vehicle—the "Eager Beaver." The 2½-ton truck, now in full production at Reo Motors' plant in Lansing, Mich., is built for high speed on and off the highways, and is designed to operate normally in sub-zero cold, blistering heat, or with its Gold Comet engine completely submerged in water. Reo has been awarded contracts for approximately 8,900 of them at a cost of about \$55,000,000. In the picture, the "Eager Beaver" is shown "cruising" in Chesapeake Bay, Maryland.



## CAPITAL REPORTER

Scott Summers

Willis Smith, U. S. Senator-nominate, has resigned as head of the Kerr Scott-appointed committee to study the impartial administration of justice.

In his resignation, Smith said he was quitting because he expects to be busy, but added a barb at Scott. Smith said the committee had not been able to operate because of lack of funds.

The committee's secretary, Allan Langston of Raleigh, denied this, saying that the chairman (Smith) had kept the committee from working.

The governor's office said the committee never was supposed to have any appropriation; that it's members were appointed because they were believed to be "public-spirited citizens" who could af-

ford to come to Raleigh and make the study at their own expense.

The governor's office compared it with the Advisory Committee on Highway Safety, all of whose members are meeting and traveling at their own expense to try to do something about the highway death toll. This last committee has no appropriation either.

The Justice Committee held only one meeting. That was for organizational purposes on February 10. It has done nothing since.

Incidentally, a rumor keeps popping up here that Charley Johnson is aiming to run again for governor in 1952. The ex-state treasurer who got his lumps from

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## EXTENSION SERVICE

### New Farm Questions

I've tried everything in the book to control bean beetles, but with no luck. What do you suggest?

Very likely, your trouble is not what you use but how you use it. Rotenone gives excellent control of the pest if you get good coverage. The most common reason for poor control is failure to put the insecticide on the underside of the leaves where both adult beetles and larvae do most of their feeding. Dusts rebound off the ground and often give better coverage than do sprays. Another reason for failure is rainy weather that keeps the material washed off the plants.

I plan to seed Ladino clover pasture on a field that was in crimson clover last winter. Will I have to inoculate the Ladino seed before I plant, or will there be enough bacteria already in the soil?

It's always a good idea to inoculate the Ladino seed before planting. Ladino and crimson clover happen to be in the same inoculation group, but there's no use taking a chance when the inoculation costs so little and takes so little time. Poor inoculation is one of the main reasons for pasture failures in North Carolina. A poorly inoculated legume is stunted and lighter in color.

## Federal Inspection Of Guard Battery Set Next Month

With two big events coming in the next two months, Battery A of the 113 Field Artillery Battalion buckled down to some of the most intensive training received since it was organized last summer. The unit's first Federal Inspection will take place in September and plans are being made to spend a weekend at Ft. Bragg in September.

First Sergeant Sidney Holmes, assisted by Chiefs of Section Sgt. Frank Massey and Sgt. Rudolph Liles, is whipping the firing section into shape for both the inspection and weekend firing. Each man will be required to be able to repeat his duties, in case the inspecting officer asks.

Lt. Jack Potter has been named executive officer of the battery, succeeding Lt. Philip Pearce, who was transferred to the 113th Battalion Headquarters as radar officer. Lt. Potter received his commission upon his graduation from the N. C. State College ROTC in June. He is an Army infantry veteran.

As Chief of Detail, SFC Carl Kemp is learning the full duties of the Fire Direction Center, which he will supervise. Personnel in this section include Pfc. Jimmy Greene, Pfc. Robert Privette, and Cpl. Dave Finch.

SFC Percy Parrish, mess sergeant, is sorting the 5-in-1 Rations received last week, and his mess section is planning meals based around the food in these rations. The food was given to Battery A by the Regular Army for use in training.

Special emphasis will be paid to attendance during the remainder of the year, WO Clifford Gilliam said yesterday. He said that men who are consistently absent from scheduled drills can be tried by a court-martial and receive stiff punishment.

## Mrs. Kemp, C. Horton To Appear in Recital

A voice and piano recital by Mrs. Nellie Bryant Kemp and Mr. Charles Horton will be presented in the Wakelon School auditorium tonight at 8:00, sponsored by the Zebulon Woman's Club. Mrs. Kemp is soprano soloist and Mr. Horton is Minister of Music for the Zebulon Baptist Church.

Mrs. Kemp will include numbers by Handel, Schubert, Greig, Wolf, and Scarlatti in the classical portion of her program, and will complete her program with numbers by Gershwin, Wuntington Woodman, Giacomo Puccini, Gladys Rich, and Vittorio Ciannini.

Piano numbers by Mr. Horton will include numbers by Frederic Chopin, Claude Debussy, Manuel de Falla, and H. Villa-Lobos.

## Baptist Services

Mrs. Durham Moore, Jr. will be soloist at the morning service at the Zebulon Baptist Church Sunday, August 27, singing "O Come to my Heart, Lord Jesus," by Emily Elliott.

The Adult Choir will sing Nathaniel Dett's "As By the Streams of Babylon" with Mrs. L. M. Massey, as soprano soloist.

A Baptismal Service will be conducted Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

## MR. CAVALIER



Mr. Cavalier, decked in colorful finery, flowing black hair, and sweeping black mustache, was in Zebulon last Thursday handing out sample packages of the cigarette which bears his name.

## Four Wake Road Lettings Planned

Four new road projects will get under way shortly in Wake County, the State Highway Commission announced today. The projects will be let to contract on August 29 and 31.

One project on US 64 calls for the widening of bridges over Crabtree Creek and Neuse River and the rebuilding of a bridge over Buffalo Creek between Wendell and Raleigh.

A second project involves the paving of 7.544 miles from the intersection of US 1 and US 1-A in Raleigh to the intersection of US 1 and NC 59 and from NC 264 in Wake Forest to NC 98.

A third calls for a bridge over the Durham and Southern Railroad at Carpenter. The fourth project, part of the \$200,000,000 secondary road program, involves the hard-surfacing of 24.4 miles from Newhill to Holly Springs via Holloman's Crossroad, from Holly Springs west to Apex Road, from NC 42 north to Cherry's Store on the Fayetteville Road, from Cary to Apex (Macedonia Road).

More road projects are under construction at the present time than at any similar time in the Highway Commission's history, according to Highway Chairman Henry W. Jordan. "If weather conditions continue to be good, 1950 will be North Carolina's greatest year of roadbuilding," Dr. Jordan said.

## MRS. THEO. B. DAVIS:

### This, That, & the Other

Among the many TCX stores in this section Zebulon's ranks well. Yet I find myself wishing we had also an FSX—Feed Sack Exchange. We who buy poultry or other feed in small lots seldom secure enough sacks of one pattern to make anything but aprons for ourselves or playsuits for small children. Right now I have on hand two sacks each of three different patterns. One more of either kind and I'd have material for a dress; but I can't find out who bought the other feed put up

## Zebulon Building Activity Continues At Strong Pitch

Shortages and the possibility of war have not slowed building in Zebulon to any visible degree. One business building and five homes were in the process of construction in Zebulon this week, and little prospects were seen that there will be an early slackening of the pace.

Home Builders Corporation was pushing Ed Hales' building across from City Market on Arendell Avenue to completion. The building has a large store space in front, with plate glass windows and a shelter on each sidewalk. In the rear is a large storage room.

John Terry's new home is going up on N. Arendell Avenue beside Buck Philip's house. Elwood Perry is building on Gannon Avenue between the A. C. Dawson and H. C. Wade residences, and Ashley Murphy is rushing his home to completion on N. Church Street.

Bob Sawyer says that work on his house will go faster if he can locate his stolen automobile. All his tools were locked in the trunk of his car, and he misses them more than the vehicle.

On the corner of N. Church and Lee Streets Craven Brown is building a beautiful home which contractor Harry Patton expects to be completed in the fall.

## Local Club Executives Hold Luncheon Meeting

Mrs. A. S. Hinton, president of the Zebulon Woman's Club, was hostess to the Executive Committee at luncheon at her home on Tuesday of this week. Guests were Mesdames E. H. Moser, C. V. Whitley, Irby Gill, Exum Chamberlee, R. H. Brantley, E. C. Daniel and Theo. Davis. Plans for the year's work, beginning in September, were outlined and discussed with recommendations to be made to the club as a whole for decision.

The first meeting for the fall is scheduled for September 19.

## Softball Tonight

The Wakefield Teen-Agers will play the Zebulon All-Stars for the local women's softball championship at 7:00 tonight. Lights will be turned off at 8:00 in order to assure quiet during the recital of Mrs. Nellie Kemp and Charles Horton. The lights will be turned back on at 9:00 for one game between Scribes and Legionnaires.

Tomorrow night at 8 o'clock the Pilot and Glory teams will meet for the Open League title.

Before World War II there was a flourishing garden club in our town, federated and everything. When Red Cross work called for

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