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Your March of Dimes and Mine



Carlton T. Mitchell Selected Man Of Year for Zebulon in Contest

The Rev. Carlton Mitchell, pastor of the Zebulon Baptist Church, was named Man of the Year for this community in voting sponsored by the Zebulon Record. Other leaders in the voting were Worth Hinton, president of the Zebulon Lions Club, Wakelon Coach Herb Appenzeller, Mayor R. H. Bridgers and Town Manager Willie B. Hopkins.

The Baptist minister has been a leader in every phase of community activity since coming to Zebulon over three years ago from St. Joseph, Missouri.

The softball league, which saw fifteen teams actively participating last summer, was a direct result of his efforts. In addition, the community recreation program, which was directed by Lee Rhodes as paid supervisor, was brought into being by the Community Council, which Mr. Mitchell heads.

The Community Council, made up of the heads of every organization in Zebulon and the surrounding community, was suggested by Mr. Mitchell, and he was named as its first chairman.

Under his ministry, the local Baptist Church has grown rapidly, and its program has been extended to cover every age group. A full-time minister of music supervises the five choirs, who sing each Sunday at morning and evening.

3-Day Tractor School Is Scheduled At State College January 23-24

Four-H Club members, agents, and leaders, from nearly half of the State's 100 counties will attend two three-day tractor maintenance schools to be held at State College during January, according to L. R. Harrill, State 4-H Club leader, and J. C. Ferguson, extension agricultural engineering specialist.

Purpose of the schools is to train leaders to help conduct county schools of a similar nature and to help carry out tractor maintenance projects. Representatives are being selected on the basis of experience with tractors and on their prospect as leaders in this type of work.

Classwork will consist of both lectures and practical work with various makes and models of tractors. The instruction will be handled by members of the college's Department of Agricultural Engineering. Several films relating to farm machinery will be shown. The first school, to be held January 22-24, will be for one agent, one 4-H member over 14, and one adult leader from each of the following counties: Brunswick, Columbus, Scotland, Hoke, Montgomery, Lee, Pender, Sampson, Richmond, Onslow, Jones, Robeson, Cumberland, Person, Granville, Caswell, Orange, Guilford, Alamance, Hertford, Northampton, and Wilson.

March of Dimes Drive Now in Progress Here; Ed Hales Is Chairman

The 1951 March of Dimes campaign began in Zebulon yesterday and will continue through, January 31, Ed Hales, local chairman, announced. This year, he said, Zebulon and the surrounding community should contribute far more than ever before because the people here know the tragedy which infantile paralysis brings to its homes.

During the past three year period from 1948 through 1950 more than twice as many cases of polio were reported than during any similar three-year period.

From 1948 through 1950 patient care alone cost more than \$58,000,000 in March of Dimes funds. In addition, Hales said, the costs of iron lungs and other needed equipment to combat polio has nearly doubled, increasing the financial problems of polio research.

The families which have been struck by infantile paralysis are the more sincere boosters of the March of Dimes, for they have been aided tremendously.

North Carolina has been one of the chief victims of epidemics of infantile paralysis, and many years more funds were used in helping fight the disease than were contributed by the people of the state.

The Zebulon chairman said that this community will cooperate fully with the Wake County organization, which is headed by John Alexander of Raleigh.

Members of the local committee have not yet been appointed, Hales said, but he plans to have his organization completed by Friday, and the names will be listed then in the Zebulon Record.

Receptacles will be placed in stores in Zebulon where contributions can be made. In addition, solicitors will call on everyone possible for personal contributions.

The March of Dimes will require much more than 10 cents from every individual, and the containers will be for small change. Everyone who can is urged to make his contribution as liberal as possible.

Cannoneers Defeated Saturday Night By Raleigh YMCA

The Battery A Cannoneers, in spite of the heated scoring of center Hilliard Greene, dropped a 69-61 basketball game to the talented Raleigh YMCA quintet on Saturday night in the Wakelon gymnasium. The Raleigh five led by 40-22 at half-time.

Greene poured 31 points through the hoop for scoring honors of the night. Forwards Parrish and Fowler of the YMCA quint scored 29 and 20 points respectively.

Other scoring leaders for Zebulon were Harold Pippin with 17 points, Harry Patton and Jack Potter with five each, and Jimmy Spivey with three.

Last Thursday night the Cannoneers squeezed past a spirited group of Youngsville All-Stars 46-45, scoring the winning goal with one minute to play.

Greene and Spivey led the way for Zebulon with 25 and 12 points, most of them being scored from outside the foul circle on set shots. For Youngsville Barnes had 17 points and Roberts scored 16.

RECRUITING DRIVE

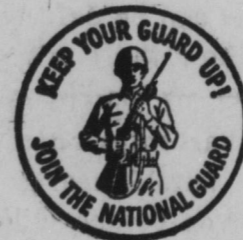
The National Guard recruiting drive will be carried to the schools of this community when members of the local battery visit Wakelon School on Friday of this week to talk with students 17 years and older. A display of the equipment used in the field artillery unit will be shown, and the advantages of the National Guard described.

Many Guardsmen Study Correspondence Courses During Off-Duty Hours

Off-duty time is being utilized by many members of the Zebulon National Guard unit to increase their knowledge of the army, WO Clifford Gilliam said yesterday. Both enlisted men and officers are working on correspondence courses from Ft. Riley, Kansas, and Ft. Sill, Oklahoma.

Five of the enlisted men are studying the pre-commission "10 Series" of courses which teach the overall picture of the armed forces.

One former enlisted man, Lt. Dave Finch, received his commission as a second lieutenant after completion of the 10 Series of courses.



Men taking these courses include Sgt. J. P. Arnold, Sfc. Carl Kemp, Pfc. Clyde Morris, Cpl. Hilliard Greene, and Cpl. Jimmy Spivey.

The officers are studying the gunnery and other advanced courses. None of the officers of Battery A served with the artillery during World War II, so they have found it necessary to spend extra hours on the problems involved in field artillery work.

These extension courses are provided free to the men. Postage-paid envelopes are given in which to mail the lessons, and after a man successfully completes a course, a certificate of completion is given him and his grade is recorded on his permanent Army records.

Every man in the local battery has been encouraged to spend some of his spare time studying through correspondence to increase his knowledge and chances of promotion.

About one-fourth less beets are expected to be harvested this winter than last. Kale supplies in prospect are one-tenth smaller. The spinach crop is much larger than last winter's short crop.

Judge Irby D. Gill Gives Liberal Fines In Recorder's Court

Two jury trials and a full docket filled up all day Wednesday and ran over into Saturday for Judge Irby D. Gill's Recorder's Court last week. The judge distributed his usual generous fines for drunken and reckless driving as the day dragged on.

Lymon Holder, 24-year-old Wake Forest colored man, was found guilty of driving under the influence of alcohol, and received a 4-months sentence suspended upon payment of \$150 fine and costs.

Edward J. Steward, 20-year-old colored youth, paid \$100 fine and costs in lieu of a 60-day sentence, after being found guilty of reckless driving.

Sam Holder, 20, colored man of Zebulon, Route 4, drove with no license and paid \$50 fine and costs for the privilege.

James Lawrence, 45, Zebulon colored man was found guilty of driving under the influence of alcohol and sentenced to four months, suspended on payment of \$150 fine and costs. His driver's license was revoked for one year.

Cero Myers, 17-year-old colored youth of Route 1, Zebulon, was found guilty of reckless driving and drew 60 days, suspended upon payment of \$25 fine and costs.

Kennie Van Watson, colored, was found guilty on two charges of passing worthless checks and received a road sentence.

Addie Bostic, 34, colored man, paid \$10 fine and costs upon conviction for public drunkenness.

Walter Perry was found guilty of assault with a deadly weapon (a chair) and paid \$15 and costs.

John Hicks, 24-year-old colored man, was declared not guilty of a charge of careless and reckless driving.

Everdene Baker, colored, assaulted his wife with his fists and threatened to kill her, and was sentenced to three months on the roads suspended on payment, of \$50 fine and costs.

Earl L. Williams, white, found guilty of passing a worthless check, paid \$10 fine and costs.

Luther Richardson, colored male, was found guilty of assault, and (Continued on Page 4)

Royce Hood Barely Misses Seeing Cousin

Cpl. Royce Hood, serving with the Army in Korea, has fully recovered from wounds and is now on active duty with his company. He wrote that he came near seeing his cousin, Walter Hood, speaking with men from Walter's company. A terrific snow storm kept him from finding his cousin, however.

Bloodshed Boxscore on North Carolina Highways

Killed January 2 through January 4	4
Injured January 2 through January 4	40
Killed through January 4, this year	5
Killed through January 4, 1950	11
Injured through January 4, this year	50
Injured through January 4, 1950	121
Killed January 5 through January 8	3
Injured January 5 through January 8	144
Killed through January 8 this year	13
Killed through January 8, 1950	17
Injured through January 8, 1950	254
Injured through January 8, this year	189